

Kinsey Judge; McNicholas Candidate

New Official To Give Proceeds to Ives' Orphan Sister

T. A. McNicholas, strongly backed by friends for the appointment of Highlands county judge, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Selwyn Ives, withdrew as an applicant Monday, but announced he would be a candidate for nomination in the special Democratic primary September 20 for the unexpired two years remaining of the term.

His retirement paved the way for the appointment by Governor Cone Wednesday of Joe D. Kinsey, Sebring law partner of the former judge, who had offered to take over the duties of the office for the interim appointment and turn over all earnings to Miss Ethel Ives, sister of the former judge.

Consideration for the orphan sister, caused McNicholas to with-

Primary Set For Sept. 20

Tuesday, September 20, was set by the county Democratic executive committee, Friday, as the date for the special Democratic primary for county judge to be elected in the general election November 8. At that time a judge will be elected for the remaining two years of the term, left vacant by the death of Judge Selwyn Ives.

The resolution provides also for a second primary, if necessary, to be held September 27. Candidates must qualify not later than 25 days before the primary, under the law.

The committee voted to hold a big Democratic fish fry and rally on Wednesday, October 26, about two weeks before the general election of November 8. The picnic will be held at a convenient place between Sebring and Avon Park.

draw as an applicant for the short term appointment, which runs until January 1, in order that she might receive the benefits of the office under the generous provisions proposed by Mr. Kinsey. Kinsey stated that he would not be a candidate for the nomination in the primary, his sole interest in the matter being to handle the affairs of his former partner until his successor could be elected. McNicholas readily agreed to the proposal and offered his assistance to Kinsey.

McNicholas stated he would qualify as a candidate Saturday morning.

Thus far, no other candidate has announced.

LIGHTNING STRIKES HOME

Friends of the family here will regret to learn that the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reiner of Albany, New York, was recently struck by lightning, causing severe damage. As the result of the water, used by the fire department to extinguish the fire, additional damage was made to the interior of the home, which will have to be completely decorated. Mrs. Reiner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ferd DeAnguera, and the Reiner family have visited in Avon Park on a number of occasions.

Death Writes "30" To Useful Life of Jack Worthington

Word reached here today of the death at 11 a.m. Friday of Jack Worthington, editor of the Lake Wales Highlander. Worthington was a pioneer publisher and editor of this section, having moved to Lake Wales when the town was in its infancy. He was prominently identified with every public movement up and down the ridge for over 20 years and was known as an able writer and one of this section's most public spirited citizens.

100 WPA Increase Granted; 50 Go To Work First of Week

Avon Park's request for an increase of 100 additional men to the WPA relief rolls has been granted by the state administration, and as a result 50 men will be put to work the first of the week. State Administrator Dill wired Mayor Covington last Saturday that the increase had been granted, following an investigation, and asked local authorities to contact him if more assistance was needed.

Holland Stebbins, head of the local WPA office, told the city planning board Wednesday that 100 men were working in the county, which was the entire old quota. An additional 25 men are eligible from Avon Park and 25 more from the balance of the county. These will be put to work the first of the week, he said. The other 50 allotted in the increased quota will be put to work as rapidly as they are certified and projects are opened.

Registrations were opened in the city hall last Saturday and again Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. A total of 74 applicants were handled by welfare board workers in the three days, and forty or more applications were approved and sent in to headquarters, according to Miss Hester Graham, director of district eight, of the welfare board, the certifying agency. Miss Graham and Miss Ruth Unland, unit supervisor for Highlands, Hardee and DeSoto, were here Wednesday handling applications. Representatives will be at the city hall Saturday and Monday to take further applications. Miss Graham stated. Heads of families, who do not make \$26.60, Highlands county's security wage, and who are out of work, are eligible to apply.

Stebbins stated that there are sufficient projects approved to take care of all the men who can be certified under the quota.

Project Approved

The city planning board placed its OK on the Donaldson Park improvement program submitted by R. E. Bore and Walter Bett. It appointed a short time ago to work up the project. It will be sent in to WPA headquarters for approval as soon as detailed data is completed.

The park improvement program calls for an addition 24 by 30 to be built onto the tourist club house. This will be arranged so as to open into the present main room of the club house, more than doubling the capacity, and providing a room suitable for meetings, lectures, dances and other purposes.

The entire park will undergo treatment, under the plan, with a promenade along the lake shore, a new pier into the lake, three new shuffle board courts, two courts for bowling on the green, a putting green and golf course, bar-becue oven, 50 new benches, juvenile playground, a roque court, cro-

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LET'S BE FAIR

Avon Park would like to see an Avon Park man in the county judge's office. Not that we have any axes to grind, nor any deep laid political plots up our collective or individual sleeves.

But, we think Avon Park is due a little more recognition than this town has been getting in the matter of county offices. Speaking right out in school, for the sake of the record, we have in the court house the following offices and opposite each the addresses of the present office holders:

Clerk Circuit Court—Sebring.

Sheriff—Sebring.

Tax Assessor—Sebring.

County Judge—Sebring.

County Superintendent—DeSoto City.

Tax Collector—Avon Park.

In addition to the above holders of major elective offices, a check of the court house offices will show that all of the office help, clerks, deputies, etc., are Sebring residents, with the lone exception of Dick Keller, who lives in Avon Park.

Avon Park pays her share of taxes. Avon Park does her share of public service for the county. Avon Park should have a few more of the good paying jobs that her citizens help to support.

Isn't that a fair proposition?

We are asking you good Sebring folks!

City Takes Bankruptcy Laws To Force Agreement of Bondholders

A hearing on a petition for composition of debts of the City of Avon Park was called to be held in Tampa on October 31 by Federal Judge Akerman in Jacksonville Wednesday, and Allen E. Walker, of Winter Haven, was appointed as special master to receive the claims of creditors.

The petition, filed upon the written consent of 81 per cent of bondholders, is the first step under the Wilcox municipal bankruptcy law, the purpose of which is to force recalcitrant bondholders to accept refunding bonds in exchange for present bonds, so that the refunding plan can be carried through. Consent of two-thirds of bondholders is necessary to complete the proceedings, which are being undertaken by R. E. Crummer & Company, city refunding agents.

The petition, filed by Henry L. Jolley, of Winter Haven, said the city desired "to effect a plan of

composition involving all its bonded indebtedness aggregating \$867,500 in principal amount" outstanding on July 1, 1937.

Decrease in property values and income of taxpayers was cited as the reason for the poor collection of taxes and the inability of the city to meet the obligations.

Refunding bonds are proposed to be issued and will be dated July 1, 1937, to mature in July 1967, bearing two per cent a year for the first two years, three per cent for the next six years, four per cent for the next seven years and five per cent thereafter.

Action under the Wilcox bankruptcy law was authorized last Friday night, with the passage of the following resolution by the city council:

WHEREAS the City of Avon Park has heretofore adopted a decision in favor of the composition of its bonded indebtedness, and has submitted the same to its creditors

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Judge Selwyn Ives Killed When Car Struck at Lakemont Crossing

Selwyn Caldwell Ives, 30, county judge of Highlands county, met an untimely death early last Friday morning, when his automobile was struck by a Seaboard Air Line passenger train at Lakemont crossing, scene of numerous fatal accidents.

Funeral services were held at the Sebring Methodist church Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. The body was taken to Lake City, his former home, for further services and burial at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Judge Ives, who was unmarried, was returning to his hotel in Sebring. It was believed he did not see the oncoming train or the crossing signals until it was too late to stop. He sustained a fractured skull and other injuries and died soon after being removed to a Sebring hospital, without regaining consciousness. The accident was witnessed by John Edwin Wilkes, Jr., Robert Davis, Jr., and Grady Parrish, Sebring youths

who were returning from Avon Park. They took the injured man to Sebring. His automobile was thrown 70 feet from the tracks, where it landed upright, and was practically demolished.

Attendees at the hotel, where Ives lived, stated that he left the

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Guy Smith Elected Superintendent of Sunday School

Guy F. Smith was elected superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School at the meeting of the quarterly conference, held at the church Friday evening, with the Rev. J. W. Blake of Lakeland, presiding elder of this district, in charge. Mrs. Hayes Maxwell was elected superintendent of the primary department, and Mrs. A. C. Gerrard, superintendent of the adult division.

Council Seeks \$5000 From Bondsmen

Pardee's Answer Is Insufficient Says McKee Elwell

The city council Monday night voted to make demand on the Continental Casualty Company for payment of \$5000 on S. C. Pardee's bond, covering his handling of city funds while he was city attorney. The action was taken, following demand made upon Pardee by the council that he either pay the city \$7,650.00 alleged excess credits as shown in a special city audit or show cause why his cash discount should have been credited with that amount.

The alleged excess credits came about through a settlement of American LaFrance fire engine notes, according to the audit, which he allegedly bought at a discount and later turned in to the city at full face value in settling his accounts with the city.

The motion to call upon the former city attorney, bondsmen was made by Finance Chairman A. McKee Elwell, who has been conducting the investigation. The amount asked is the full amount of the bond, according to city records.

Elwell brought the special audit before the council two weeks ago, and in a resolution asked Pardee to repay the city the alleged excess credits. Pardee made no formal reply to the council. Elwell stated, his only reply being in the form of a statement which he gave to the local press. This was not considered a "satisfactory answer to our demand," Elwell said in a statement published in the Sun last week.

The sale of lots 2 and 3, block D, Marsh's subdivision in section 27 for \$75 was approved.

The council voted that all properties in the negro quarters, acquired by the city through foreclosure and not redeemed by September 1, be offered for sale to W. L. Martin of Sebring, who has made the city a blanket offer for all such property as remains undereached at that time.

The city offered to confirm the sale of lots 15 and 16, block 75, section 22 for \$225 to Mrs. Harriett P. Smith.

The council agreed to confirm the redemption to Alex Austin of lots 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17, section 27 for \$195 including taxes and paving and costs of foreclosure.

Mayor Covington To Attend Tampa Boulevard Party

Mayor M. E. Covington, accompanied by City Comptroller D. F. Canfield, will attend the celebration in Tampa Saturday of the completion of the new Bayshore Boulevard project recently completed at a cost of over a million dollars. They are going on invitation of Mayor R. E. L. Chaney, who issued an invitation to Avon Park people to join in the celebration.

The project was begun in December, 1935, and recently completed at a cost of over a million dollars, includes a new bayshore seawall, parkway and concrete driveway, including a yacht basin on the Bayshore Boulevard. The Tampa chamber of commerce and other organized groups are holding a celebration Saturday, including an evening of street dancing on the boulevard.

Too Late To Classify

RUSSELL KAY

Daytona Beach: A lot has been written about our winter visitors but very little attention has been paid to the ever increasing number of folks from other states who come to Florida in the summer.

For many, many years Floridians labored under the impression that because our state was a "winter playground" and the bulk of our tourists came here during the winter months, we could not hope to enter the "summer resort" field and while this feeling is being overcome to some extent there are still plenty of communities and plenty of people who cease all effort at the first sign of Spring and fold their lily white arms to sit back and feel sorry for themselves thru the long summer months while they wait for the next crop of "winter visitors."

Many so-called Florida tourist cities stick their heads under their wings in April or May and do not become active again until fall. Shops close, hotels cease operations, promotion of every character ceases and the native population grows and groans in their effort to live off each other until the Yankees return south.

A few years ago Daytona Beach took a flyer at trying to build up a summer business. Money was spent for constructive advertising, motorcades toured the southern states inviting folks to try a summer at "Daytona Beach." The city, through its recreation department, provided a splendid program of entertainment, band concerts, bathing beauty revues, fireworks, automobile races, baseball and other sports. High class concessionaires were invited to set up on the boardwalk; tourist facilities were enlarged and improved with an eye to their year 'round use rather than just a few months' operation in the winter.

Travel bureaus, transportation companies, hotels and other organizations were contacted and supplied literature and information concerning Daytona Beach's advantages as a summer resort. Offices were set up in Atlanta and other cities where folks could drop in and secure information concerning hotel and transportation rates, living costs, and other first hand data.

As a result, thousands of summer visitors were attracted from all southern states, Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee, North and South Carolina all came, thousands of folks to Daytona Beach every summer and their number is increasing each season.

During the past two weeks I've been given an opportunity to meet and talk with a lot of these people. I find them all amazed at the marvelous summer climate Florida has to offer. They are delighted with the cool nights, absence from mosquitoes and other pests.

Those experiencing their first summer here tell how they were timid about coming and imagined that the heat would be terrible, but they were tempted to try it by friends who had been down here at this time of year and returned with glowing reports. Now they are planning to come back themselves and bring others with them.

Florida truly has more to offer as a summer resort than many states that advertise themselves extensively as such. Our delightful coast cities on both the Atlantic

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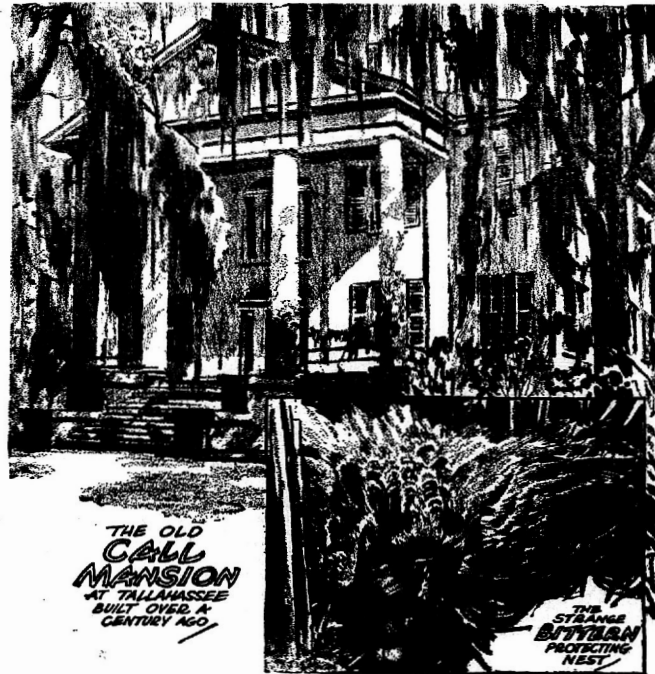
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FLORIDA HIGHLIGHTS

by KENNETH FRIEDMAN



THE OLD CALL MANSION AT TALLAHASSEE BUILT OVER A CENTURY AGO

In 1825, among a grove of ancient trees, was begun the mansion of Richard Keith Call, who had previously come to Florida as a captain under General Andrew Jackson. Much of the material for the building had to be shipped in sailing vessels from New York to St. Marks and hauled from there to Tallahassee, while the brick was made by hand on the plantation. Many were the gay balls and festive scenes held beneath its hospitable roof during those romantic territorial days. Here many celebrities have been entertained, and numerous writers inspired to write about extraordinary incidents connected with the historic home.

Among the typical herons of Florida, there is none more interesting than the curious BITTERN, a long-legged, long-billed bird with a body the size of a hen. Preferring the solitary life of a recluse along the grassy shores of lakes and ponds, this strange bird has a peculiar habit of standing rigid among the tall rushes with its head and bill pointing upward whenever possible danger is at hand. In this position its yellowish-brown body is blended so perfectly with its surrounding that it is extremely difficult to see. It has a most distinctive call which is strangely similar in sound to the driving of a stake in a swamp.

Marks First Color Film For Both Star and Producer

and Gulf are all justified in terming themselves "summer resorts" and should do so, going after their share of this business, for the field hasn't been scratched and the campaign need not be limited to a few southern states but might well take in all the middle west and all eastern states.

I have personally visited every state east of the Mississippi in the summer as well as a good many in the west and none have a summer climate that can compare with Florida's. Florida summers, compared to the summers in most of those states, is something to talk about and I don't mean maybe. Folks up there go around in a wave of sure 'nuff HEAT that settles down on you like a blanket and leaves you feeling like a gob of drawn butter, and the nights are just as bad as the days. About the only consolation they get is gloating about how much worse off we are down in Florida for they still have the nut idea that because we enjoy a mild climate in the winter it must be abnormally hot in summer and they wonder how we ever stand it.

Our job is to get 'em down here one summer so they can get a load of our natural "air-conditioning," a sample of our fresh cool ocean breezes and cool nights. If they'll just try one summer in Florida, they'll be so amazed and delighted that it won't be long 'till we'll find our summer business as good, if not better, than the winter season, and all we gotta do is TELL 'EM. Daytona Beach has proved that it can be done and that it pays and I know of a lot of Florida communities that could follow her example and profit by it.

Manufacture of shoes in this country was begun in 1829 by Thomas Beard.

Merle Oberon fans will have the thrill of seeing the beautiful star revealed in all her true beauty for the first time when Alexander Korda's technicolor comedy, "The Divorce of Lady X," makes its bow at the Park Theatre on Monday and Tuesday for a two-day engagement.

Besides marking Merle's technicolor debut, the film also marks her first comedy role after a series of exotic and tragic characterizations.

"The Divorce of Lady X" is also the first technicolor production to come from Korda's Denham studios.

Handsome Laurence Olivier, who scored in "Fire Over England," appears opposite Merle in this gay story of a beautiful girl who is forced by a heavy fog to stay overnight at a London hotel where she is attending a masquerade ball. Unable to get accommodations, she impudently invades the suite of a tired young lawyer, steals his bed, his pajamas, his book and, incidentally, his heart, and vanishes next morning leaving no name but "Lady X."

She leads the young man a merry chase—but she finally catches him and all ends happily. Also prominently featured in the supporting cast are Binnie Barnes, Ralph Richardson and Morton Seltzer.

"The Divorce of Lady X" was directed by Tim Whelan from a screen play by Robert E. Sherwood and Ladou Dixon, based on the latter's play "Council's Opinion." The production is released through United Artists.

BOATS ON EXPEDITION

St. Augustine, Aug. 18 (FNS)—Marine Studios' specially designed fishing boat, the Porpoise, and one of its sea-kiffs, has just left for Soldier Key, south of Miami, on perhaps the most unusual expedition ever undertaken, seeking Octopi, Barnacles, Moray Eels, Parrot Fish and Rock Beauties specimens for the new aquarium at Marineland, Florida.

Work began this week in the beautification of the Florida Fair grounds in Tampa under the personal direction of Marco Penn, superintendent of Tampa Parks; when completed Penn says, Florida will have the most beautiful Exposition grounds in America, a riot of color from tropical plants and flowers, for the Pan-American Hernando DeSoto Exposition Jan. 31 to Feb. 18.

Colleen Moore's first doll house was made for her by her father from an old Tampa cigar box, since then she has had eight doll houses, and September 7, returns to her home city bringing her famed \$435,000 doll palace which will be exhibited for the benefit of charity.

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Tobacco Growers Told By Lee to Stick to Control

LIVE OAK, Aug. 18. (Special) — Warning them not to "be misled in an unwarranted attack on the control program," that might shoo away the goose that laid the golden egg, State Comptroller J. M. Lee, congratulated tobacco growers of north Florida here in an address celebrating the tobacco sales season.

"I rejoice with you in the splendid prices you are receiving for your tobacco," Mr. Lee stated. "Such prices may be regarded as a definite victory over what has, in recent years, become our common enemy — the depression. For this victory we should be grateful to a divine providence and individually loyal to our great leader, who, as our chieftain showed the courage to throw himself into the very wake of monopoly and syndicated interests that were engaged in the accumulation of private wealth to the disadvantage, and in many instances, destruction of the masses of the American people."

"This is a challenge of our faith and loyalty in and to this great chieftain. It is the first step toward the ultimate end of this great aim. That of restoring happiness, contentment and prosperity to all of the American people. With this victory we should rededicate ourselves to this great productive program. The jingling of the cash is the proof of its worth."

"We should use every penny of this money if possible, in needed improvements such as new houses or the repainting and repairing of old ones, the building of fences or digging of ditches—whatever may be needed, in order that out of such victory the unemployed may find employment, and the hungry be fed."

"In this way we can lend material assistance to our great chieftain by contributing our part toward a realization of his heart's desire as expressed in a radio address just a few hours before the last national election when speaking of the monopolies and syndicated interests above referred to, he said, 'I would have it said of my first administration that in it they met their match. I would have it said of my second administration that in it they met their match.'

"Don't be misled in an unwarranted attack on the control program. Don't become a party to shooting away the goose in the nest of which you found the golden egg."

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Capt. Yates Tells Rotary Club of Battle of Biloxi

Although the Battle of Biloxi was fought between the Blues and the Browns, representing the two opposing armies, the Reds won, Capt. Chester Yates told Rotarians Wednesday. The Reds were the red bugs, the ticks and other insects which they battled when the local National Guard outfit was encamped at Biloxi, Miss., and engaged in annual army maneuvers. Headquarters Battery returned home last Sunday, after a hard but beneficial encampment.

The Guardsmen arrived in Biloxi following a three-weeks' rain, and the camp was the muddest ever attended, Yates said. The rains stopped the day before they arrived, however, and perfect weather ensued.

The battle between two armies started the second day after making camp. The job of Headquarters Battery was to establish and maintain communication between the units of the brigade. The largest and most important movement of troops was executed when two divisions, consisting of 16,000 men were moved 10 miles forward from 8 p.m. to daylight. This was accomplished without a hitch, he said, and his battery established communications just as day was breaking.

The camp afforded the most practical training the local outfit has ever had, Yates said, and actual fighting conditions were experienced as the men engaged in battle with everything except actual bullets. Unfires on each side and a neutral umpire decided the outcome of each engagement, as positions were won and lost, retreats and advances made, prisoners captured, planes shot down, columns of infantry strafed by machine gun fire by aviation attack, all through the decisions of umpires.

"It was a hard camp, as the boys were called upon to work long hours without rest and undergo hardships, but our purpose is to get the men ready for war, if we ever have one, and the actual battle conditions, were the best training they have ever had," Yates said.

The local men did their work well, without complaint, Yates said, and deserved great praise for the manner in which they handled their job. "I can't give an expression of appreciation that would be ample for the manner in which my men conducted themselves," he said. "They stayed on the job, regardless of hours or fatigue, and worked without a grumble. It is the finest body of men that I have ever had in camp. They had praise from the general and the battery deserves a lot of credit for its work," he said.

Giving his impressions of camp, Yates said the small army tanks traveling over open country at the rate of 55 miles per hour presented the most formidable attack imaginable. He was impressed with the fact that anti-tank weapons had not yet been developed, which would stop them. He described radio as the most important medium of communication. Small sending and receiving sets carried by one man kept all outfits in constant touch with each other. Aviation attack by planes flying low at 200 miles per hour, which could shoot all of their ammunition into a column of men a mile long in 30 seconds, was described by him.

One of the most important things he learned at camp was the necessity of taking care of his men, giving them rest whenever possible, to keep up their endurance, he said. The men were in good shape physically and stood up well under the strain of battle. He never saw supplies handled better, he said, and the men never missed a meal. The men went to camp and back without an accident, for the sixth consecutive encampment, which he attributed to good drivers and observance of regulations.

Battery Host to Enjoyable Supper

Members of Headquarters Battery, 56th Field Artillery Brigade, who returned from a two-weeks' encampment at Biloxi, Miss., last Saturday, enjoyed a delightful affair on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Demorest, in the form of a supper, with each member privileged to invite a guest.

A tempting variety of foods, most of which was left over from camp supplies, was prepared and served buffet style.

Dr. Leonard Reddick was in charge of an impromptu and enjoyable program following the supper. Sgt. Demorest gave the welcome and Mr. Sgt. Holland Stebbins spoke on the duties of his section, which is the message center, at the third army maneuvers.

First Sgt. R. A. Gerrard, who was the "smallest target," was asked to say what he was most conspicuous at maneuvers. Staff Sgt. Paul Allyn talked on the duties of the radio section and Staff Sgt. Eulie Rice, on the duties of the wireless section.

Sgt. Elmer Clark announced the names of Battery members, who were not present and Captain Chester Yates concluded the program with a short talk in which he commended the Battery for their good work while at camp and extended appreciation to each member for doing his best in the department in which he belonged.

The talks were mostly informal, and many of them were in a slightly humorous vein, adding to the informality of the affair. The grounds were well lighted, and electric lights were on the dock leading out into the lake, affording a most delightful spot for the members and guests who were present.

Included among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Yates, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Reddick, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allyn, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Demorest, Winifred Demorest, William Bennett, Miss Dorothy Weisheyer, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Mathis, Miss Elmira Sadler, Roy Bennett, Miss Eunice Touchton, Junior Bates, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Greenamyre, Miss Elizabeth Hetherington, Amos Freeland, Miss Helen Feyer, Milton Parnell, Mr. and Mrs. Eulie Rice, Harry McClelland, H. M. Giddens, Henry Wild, Ike Harden, William F. Woodward, R. A. Williams, J. T. Williford, Miss Gladys O'Brien, Miss Merle Landress, Oren Derkman, Hester Hendrix, Elin P. Jones, Hollander Stebbins, Mr. and Mrs. Eud Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Alva T. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Poncier and others.

Port St. Joe Will Get Deep Harbor

Port St. Joe, Aug. 18, (FNS)—The long cherished dream of this community that it is to be made a deep water port with all that that term signifies, is about to be realized. At a meeting held this week in Mobile, at which were present representatives of the St. Joe Paper company, Beach Development company, Gulf Coast Properties, members of the city commission of Port St. Joe, and members of the board of engineers of this U. S. District, the details were worked out.

Work will begin not later than Sept. 15 on a warehouse 315 by 100 feet ground dimension on a section of the 1000 foot steel bulkhead dock thus facilitating traffic to and from the property. The dock will be a public dock in all that term implies. The Apalachicola and Northern will build a double track from its yards to the property. With 28 feet of water at low tide over the bar and a good 30 feet of water in the dock, the largest cargo boats on the Gulf can be accommodated.

The Florida Waterways Congress reports progress all over the state in the construction of "Orange Box" slibers by boys and girls who contemplate entering the state wide "Orange Box Regatta" to be held at Mount Dora on Washington's Birthday next.

Fly-By-Nights In Citrus Deal To Be Discouraged

Orlando, Aug. 18, (FNS)—United Growers and Shippers Association of Orlando had, as one of its prime organization purposes, the discouraging, by all means within its power, the activities of so-called "fly-by-night" operators in the Florida citrus deal, and welcomes the declaration by the newly formed Florida Citrus Producers Trade Association that it, too, will enter the fight to help clean up the Florida deal, Mr. Paul Pace, United's General Manager, said today.

"We have been working along these lines for over a year now, and are glad that this new group recognizes this problem as we do. We will be glad for their cooperation in this campaign," he said.

At a meeting in Lakeland Monday, the Trade group resolved to curb activity of "fly-by-night" operators "who are irresponsible, financially and otherwise, and who, through their unscrupulous operations, have brought great damage and loss to the citrus growers and the entire industry."

Mr. Pace pointed out that when the United was formed in Orlando in the summer of 1937 these evils were recognized and action against this class of operator has been one of the principal aims of this group.

"We have gone so far as to set our house in order. It might be well for other organizations to follow suit and clean out any 'contaminated' within their own ranks," he said.

"The United had already gone to the front for a grade and size marketing agreement for Florida along the lines set forth by various government officials in their recent Florida speeches. We recognize that Florida must clean up its merchandise before our advertising expenditures can possibly bear fruit, and we will continue to advocate some sort of equitable grade and size control for the coming season."

"We invite the Trade Association to cooperate with United in this movement because we have been told what kind of an agreement Uncle Sam wants in Florida and because we know that such an agreement will be of benefit to the

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The two organizations, working together and cooperating with the newly formed Florida Citrus Growers, Inc., could put a grade and size prorate into effect in a few weeks and build up the confidence of the trade in the north before fruit started rolling from Florida," he stated.

Pasco County Wins Better Home Merit Award for State

Zephyrhills, Aug. 18, (FNS)—Competing with cities and counties throughout the country in the National Better Homes Campaign, conducted under the auspices of Purdue University, Pasco county for the second time won the Merit Award for the state of Florida, the only county in the state to receive this honor.

At the same time Zephyrhills received honorable mention and likewise was the only Florida community so honored.

The National Better Homes campaign is conducted with the view of bettering the living conditions throughout the United States. The work in Pasco county was under the personal direction of Mrs. Annis Vessey of Crystal Springs.

Working through the county commission, with schools and civic organizations throughout the county, the efforts of all were coordinated to bring about the improved conditions the rural home of Pasco county that brought about the Merit award.

The honorable mention accorded Zephyrhills was due primarily to

their social hygiene program in which the State Board of Health and Mrs. Anne Kelly of Dade City, Pasco County Health Nurse, cooperated.

The community campaign, with Mrs. Wilma J. March, chairman, was sponsored by the Zephyrhills chamber of commerce.

There are about 500 species of hummingbird in the world.

Find Your Name In The Ads

Free Theatre Tickets

If your name appears in one of the ads appearing in this issue of The Sun, you will receive a free ticket to the Park Theatre good for either Monday or Tuesday, August 22 and 23. Clip in which your name appears and take it to the box office to see—

Merle Oberon

"The Divorce of Lady X"

PARK THEATRE

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The Florida Public Service Company is glad to offer to Central Floridians a by-product of its Orlando Gas Plant. Tar is a truly useful substance adaptable as a roofing material preservative and insecticide. It is another service offered by this Company to its customers.

Tar is inexpensively obtainable at all the major ice plants and storerooms of the Florida Public Service Company. Bring your own container to the nearest point of supply. Up to 50 gallons the price is 15c per gallon. In quantity from 50 to 1,000 gallons at 13c per gallon and all over 1,000 gallons at 10c per gallon. Here is an opportunity for you to waterproof that old shed or rid your hen-yard of chicken mites at low cost. Now, you can "save the dollars rot gnaws away!"

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Clubs and Parties . . .

BY HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON, Social Editor—Phone 54.

Enjoyable Party On Wednesday Evening

Miss Dorothy Deshong was hostess at a very pretty and enjoyable party at her home on Wednesday evening, given in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. C. Deshong. The rooms were effectively decorated in crepe myrtle, roses and zinnias, a color note of pink, blue and white predominating.

Invitations to the affair were sent on cunning little paper bibs, and the three interesting contests were written on appropriately designed slips. Winners in the contests, for first prizes, were Mrs. Kyle Bryan, Mrs. Glenn Leverette, and Mrs. Ben Hagan. Consolation winners were Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. I. L. Hall and Mrs. Ernest Spencer.

Delicious refreshments of tuna fish salad, saltines, cookies and punch were served. Gracing each plate was a tiny pink or white crepe paper shoe, filled with pastel mints. The shower of dainty and lovely gifts were presented in a pink decorated basket, tied at either end with a large white bow. Miss Deshong was assisted in the hospitalities by her mother, Mrs. E. B. Deshong.

Guests invited to share the occasion with the honoree were Mrs. I. L. Hall, Mrs. Paul Conner, Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mrs. J. B. Gaster, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. Railroad Carver, Mrs. Ernest Spencer, Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mrs. Groover Langford, Mrs. Harold Epps, Mrs. J. E. Crosby, Mrs. Fox Ellis, Mrs. Lorin Tomlinson of Wauchula, Mrs. Kyle Bryan of Sebring, Mrs. J. B. Mueller, Mrs. G. D. Godwin, Mrs. L. D. McGiboney.

Mrs. J. R. Bennett, Mrs. Ben Hagan, Mrs. Glenn Leverette, Mrs. Lawton Dye, Mrs. Joe Foster, Mrs. Walter Rutherford, Mrs. R. L. Adams, Mrs. Jack Witt, Mrs. Olive Walker, Mrs. O. A. Ford, Mrs. Frank England, Mrs. T. J. Ward, Mrs. Vernon Bass, Mrs. Clifford Thomas, Mrs. Floyd Johnson, Mrs. Lucille Camper, Mrs. Ed Gough.

Senior League Has Swimming Party

The senior league of the Young People's division of the Methodist church enjoyed a picnic and swimming party Thursday afternoon at Lake Byrd Lodge. After a swim in the cooling waters of the lake, a tempting picnic supper was spread. Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Mingleford accompanied the party to the lake.

Mrs. H. A. Latham has spent the week in Live Oak where she has been on a business trip.

SEPTEMBER BRIDE



MISS ELSPETH GRIFFIN

Miss Elspeth Griffin of Tampa and Nelson Smith to Be Married Early in September

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Griffin, of 1003 East Idlewild avenue, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Elspeth Griffin, to Nelson Smith, of Avon Park, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Smith of that city. The wedding will take place early in September.

Miss Griffin has lived in Tampa all her life. She was graduated from the Hillsborough high school and attended the University of Tampa, where she was a member of the Sigma Theta Phi sorority. She was graduated from the Florida State College for Women this

summer and is a member of the Phi Mu sorority.

Mr. Smith was born in Avon Park. He was graduated from the University of Florida where he became a member of the Sigma Chi fraternity. He is connected in business with his father, and is a member of the Rotary club and the Flying club.

Friends in Avon Park are deeply interested in the preceding announcement, which appeared in the Tampa Tribune of Sunday, Aug. 13. Mr. Smith, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Smith, prominent residents, is the grandson of Mrs. L. E. Bass, also of this city, and has other relatives here. He is popular with a wide circle of friends all over the county who are delighted that they will reside in Avon Park. Mr. Smith has leased the Freed Feden apartment.

SARAH'S COLUMN
"Sarah's Column" in the Tampa Daily Times has the following to say of the approaching marriage of Miss Elspeth Griffin of Tampa to Nelson Smith of Avon Park, which will be a social event of early September:

"Elspeth Griffin will be a busy girl these next few weeks. She will become Mrs. Nelson Smith early in September and there are any number of things to be done before the wedding. Her trousseau must be completed and the wedding plans made. Elspeth is a member of the Sigma Theta Phi Sorority at the University of Tampa and has been active in the work of this organization. As you'll remember, this group has a pearl necklace which is worn by each Sigma Theta Phi bride. The last one who had it was Edna Johnson who became Mrs. Luther Sparkman several months ago. Elspeth was a bride's maid for Edna and we are still wondering if Edna and she got together on the idea. Elspeth caught the wedding bouquet at the reception. It seems that she is adhering

Yvonne Head Hostess At Birthday Party

Little Miss Yvonne Head, attractive and vivacious daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Jack Head, was hostess on Thursday afternoon to a number of her friends at a party given in celebration of her ninth birthday anniversary.

Soon after the young guests' arrival, they enjoyed a swim in the lake, under the supervision of capable "life guards." Many gayly colored balloons were festooned at intervals on markers over the water, and were given to the children to play with, affording wonderful amusement. A number of interesting games were played on the spacious lawn later in the afternoon.

At five o'clock, they were invited into the dining room where the prettily decorated table, featuring a pink and white color motif, was the center of attraction. The lace covered dining table was graced, at one end, by the three tiered birthday cake, with a large punch bowl filled with iced orange juice at the opposite end. The cake was iced in white, and each tier was decorated in pink rosebuds, the lower one embossed with "Happy Birthday" in pink lettering, and the top cake, surmounted with nine brightly glowing small white candles in pink rosebud holders. Each attractive refreshment plate bore a gay little gingerbread man, a slice of the birthday cake, a pink or white cup of orange juice, ice cream and a small pink crepe paper horn as a favor. Further emphasizing the chosen motif, the rooms were decorated with bouquets of pink radiance roses.

An enjoyable feature of the party was the opening of the many lovely and useful birthday remembrances brought to the young honoree as a loving remembrance of the happy occasion.

Sharing the delightful afternoon with Yvonne were Kylene Williams, Bill Johnson, William Bennett, Charles Bennett, Elizabeth and Bobby Hall, Bill Beckett, Jerry Connell, Dorothy, Barbara and Margaret Lawton, Jeanine Crews, John L. Delgal, Betty Jo Welch, Marjorie Hetherington, Betty Moffett, Winifred, Bill and Harry Yates, David Lanier, Barbara Sue Hood, Patricia Smith, Arden Anderson, Ann and Edgar Faber, Mel Bass, John and Gladys Garber, Norman Todd, Virginia Adams, Patty Ann Carlson, Margaret and Roland Dilley, Ethel Harden, Roger Sappington, Bill McRae, Frank Camp Jr., Lynn Longbottom, Mrs. Olive Armstrong and Yvonne's grandmother, Mrs. Ola L. Head.

Tacky Party Proves Enjoyable Affair

Mae Frances Welch and Garland Turnbull were hostesses Thursday evening at the home of the former, at a tacky party. Guests arrived in appropriate attire, which afforded much merriment. Games and contests were played and Ruth Pendleton was winner in a game. Her prize was a novelty pin.

Delicious refreshments of cherry jello, iced punch and chocolate cookies were served to those present who were Ruth Pendleton, Freda Garrett, Dorothy Lawhon, Dorothy Jane Hanson, Laverne Kelly, Helen Jarrett Josephine Brown, Carolyn Holland, Lena Mae Perry, Eloise Thomas, Helen, Claribel and Dorothy Welch, and the two hostesses, Mae Frances Welch and Garland Turnbull.

Lovely Dinner Given Thursday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Ford entertained at a beautifully appointed dinner at their home, 503 North Lake avenue, on Thursday evening. Bouquets of summer garden flowers were arranged in the room. The delicious supper was served buffet style.

Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Kinsey, Mrs. Marie Hancock, J. B. Coen, Jr., Miss Mary Coen, Mrs. D. Ford, Mrs. Hubert Mayo, Mr. and Mrs. Ford and two children, Donald and Betty Rose.

to all traditions about brides as she has always tied up the packages for all her friends who have gotten married.

Sun Recipes

Favorite recipes furnished through the courtesy of Avon Park housewives.

DROP DUMPLINGS WITH CHICKEN

(Mrs. J. M. McCord)
1 egg beaten well
¾ cup sweet milk
pinch of salt
1 heaping teaspoon baking powder
2 tablespoons Crisco
Add flour until batter is thick enough so will drop from spoon. Drop on top of tender boiled chicken and cook with steam for 15 minutes; do not open pot until dumplings are done. Serve while hot.

SPAGHETTI

(Mrs. W. C. Touchton)
4 tablespoons Wesson or olive oil
1 large onion, cut
1 clove of garlic, cut
Add 1 lb. round steak (ground)
1 can tomato paste
1 can tomatoes
Salt, pepper, ½ teaspoon ground cloves
1 tablespoon chili powder
1 level tablespoon sugar
Cook real slowly for at least an hour. Add tiny bit of water, if needed. Cook 1 package of Mueller's spaghetti in another pot. Serve sauce on top sprinkled with Italian cheese.

Lovely Bridge Party Thursday Evening

Vases of attractively arranged garden flowers added to the already attractive rooms at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawler Wells on Thursday evening when they entertained members of their bridge club.

When scores were totaled, it was found that Mr. and Mrs. Everett L. Roberts had scored high, and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, second high. Each couple received an attractive prize. The delicious refreshments consisted of a salad course with minted tea, Compotes of candy and nuts were placed on the tables during the games, and punch refreshed the guests during the evening.

Club members enjoying the party were Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Moffett, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Everett L. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Wells.

Girls' Auxiliary Is Organized

On Monday afternoon, Aug. 15, a group of girls met at the home of Ruth Pendleton to organize a Junior Girls' Auxiliary. The meeting was opened by all singing "Get that Good Old G. A. Spirit," followed by a prayer led by the leader, Miss Tommy Lou Greene.

The following officers were elected: Ruth Pendleton, president; Dorothy Lawhon, vice president; Winifred Demorest, secretary; Lena Mae Perry, treasurer. Chairmen elected were: Betty Koch, program; Dorothy Walker, membership; Betty Lynn Helms, study course; Margaret Dilley, social; Jeanine Crews, personal service; Winifred Archer, poster and bulletin board.

The program for the afternoon was the "Story of a Cuban R. A." After the meeting, the hostesses served delicious refreshments of punch and cookies.

Those present were Ruth Pendleton, Lena Mae Perry, Betty Koch, Dorothy Walker, Betty Lynn Helms, Margaret Dilley, Winifred Archer, Jeanine Crews, Sarah Curtis English and Winifred Demorest.

The next meeting will be held in the basement of the church on Wednesday evening, Aug. 24, at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haynie and Mrs. Tenny Haynie left Thursday for Fort Meade. Mrs. T. Haynie has purchased a cafe there, which she plans on opening in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. Haynie will return to Avon Park in about two weeks.

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Dr. M. E. Jordon

OPTOMETRIST

Folks You Know . . .

J. M. McCord was a business visitor in Orlando on Monday.

Billy Dickinson of Inverness is the guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kimble.

Ferd DeAnguera of Miami spent last Sunday and Monday in Avon Park.

Mrs. Charles Sherman has as her guest her sister, Mrs. A. D. Potter, of Montgomery, Ala.

Aubrey Roberts of Plant City is spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roberts.

Mrs. P. L. Gordon and daughter, Miss Paye Gordon, returned last Saturday from a delightful trip to Kansas, Missouri, and Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. Oron Burnett of Oviedo arrived Friday for a week's visit with Mayor and Mrs. M. E. Covington and family.

Mrs. Charles Williams and daughter, Carol Joyce, of Sebring spent the day Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware and family.

Mrs. E. G. Todd and sons, Donald and Herbert, and Ryland Reck of Lakeland spent Wednesday in Tampa.

Cyril Baldwin and daughter, Miss Virginia Baldwin, of Jacksonville spent the past week end at their home here.

Mrs. Ben T. Stewart left Monday for Bradenton to spend a week as the house guest of Mrs. Francis Shockley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Turnbull and daughter, Garland, recently returned home from a visit with relatives in Athens, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Adams and daughter, Virginia, are planning on leaving this week end for St. Augustine, where they will spend the next two weeks.

J. W. Tuten and C. A. Boxall left Friday for London, Canada, for a three-weeks' vacation. They will be accompanied home by Mr. Boxall's mother, who will visit in Orlando.

Miss Patay Loomis left Saturday for Orlando to visit Miss Sarah Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Smith. The family is spending the week at Daytona Beach.

Mary Eloise Martin of Tampa, who has been visiting relatives in Sebring, is the guest this week of her aunt and uncle, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry.

S. J. Pendleton underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils on Wednesday morning at the hospital rooms of Dr. W. C. Touchton.

Guyzell Meadows, who has spent the past week or so visiting friends here, returned to his home in Daytona Friday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Meadows, former Avon Park residents.

Mrs. Fred Touchton, Fred Touchton Jr., and Miss Mary Letha Touchton, spent several days this week visiting relatives in Valdosta, Ga. They returned home, via Dade City, their former home.

Miss Lucille Langford of Reading, Pa., arrived home Wednesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. L. M. Langford, and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Farr.

Mrs. C. D. Noland returned home Friday night from a visit with relatives in Rockmart, Ga., and Chattanooga, Tenn. Enroute home, she was the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Noland, in St. Petersburg for several days. Her small grandson, Bill Noland, came home with her for a visit.



Births

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pollock are announcing the arrival of a baby daughter on Saturday morning, Aug. 13, at a Sebring hospital. The little lady tipped the scales at six pounds, thirteen ounces at birth, and has been given the lovely name of Patricia Althea. They were removed to their home in Avon Park on Monday. Mrs. Pollock was formerly Miss Mary Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hancock of Fort Meade announce the birth of a baby son on Sunday, Aug. 14. The young man has been named Robert Morrison. Mrs. Hancock is the daughter of Mrs. E. B. Deshong of Avon Park and formerly resided here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Deshong, Mrs. E. B. Deshong and Miss Dorothy Deshong spent Thursday afternoon in Fort Meade where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hancock.

Mrs. Sue M. Gregory and son, Arthur Jr., have returned home from a two-weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nanny and family in Bradenton.

Mrs. Pete Bone and two children, Ouida and Anna Dee, of Fort Meade were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McGiboney.

Mrs. D. H. Perry and daughter, Jane, of Asheville, N. C., are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry having arrived on Tuesday.

Miss Sara Lucy Trent, who is attending Southern College, Lakeland, for the summer session, spent the past week end at her home in Avon Park.

Mrs. R. R. Brown and daughter, Leah Jane, returned home Monday from a week's visit with relatives in Orlando. Mr. Brown spent the week end there, and they accompanied him home.

Miss Barbara Betts and Miss Jane Hart returned Sunday for a visit of a week in Miami. Miss Betts was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mulford Stow, and Miss Hart visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keune.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware and their house guests, Mrs. Ethel Ware and H. M. Hodges of Orlando, and Mrs. Chas. Williams of Sebring, spent Tuesday afternoon in Tampa.

Mrs. Frank Wilkes will leave the first of September for Mulberry where she will join Mr. Wilkes, who has been located there for some time as floor salesman for the Badcock Furniture Co.

Mrs. Harold Epps and small daughter, Beverly, arrived this week from Houston, Texas, for a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Langford. They will be joined in about a month by Mr. Epps.

Mrs. Ed DeBusk and daughter, Shirley Ann, of Tampa have been the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McGiboney. They will be joined for the week end by Mr. DeBusk.

Miss Allie Harden returned home Sunday from a week's visit in Lakeland, Kathleen and Medulla. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Pierce, Miss Eloise Pierce and Francis Pierce, who spent Sunday here. Miss Pierce remained this week for a visit at the Harden home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stewart spent the week end in Center Hill.

Mrs. M. L. Kimble and son, Lyle, spent last week at Clearwater Beach.

Fred Reddick was a business visitor in Atlanta on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Earl W. Hartt and daughter, Miss Jane Hartt, spent Tuesday in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, and Mrs. John Hood and daughter, Winifred, spent Wednesday in Tampa.

Mrs. Ethel Ware and father, H. M. Hodges, of Orlando arrived Sunday for a two-weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware and family.

Mrs. Mel Bass has accepted a position as bookkeeper at Badcock's Furniture store, and will begin her duties there the first of September.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCord and daughter, Misses Blanche and Martha, were in Lake Placid on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. E. Griffin and Miss Elsie Griffin of Tampa were the guests Wednesday and Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Seybert of Fort Meade visited their daughter, Miss Mabel Seybert, in Avon Park last Sunday.

Mrs. S. E. Booth and Miss Carmen Booth returned home this Friday night from Miami where they have spent the past week. They spent a day in Key West, also.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bunting of Lakeland have recently moved to Avon Park and are located at the Lakeview apartments.

Mrs. M. M. Foster and J. B. and David Foster left Monday for eastern South Carolina where they are visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Stevens of Tampa, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hood and family, returned home Monday. Mrs. Stevens spent a week in Avon Park and Mr. Stevens was here for the week end.

Mrs. S. J. Hunt left Sunday for Brunswick, Ga., where she went to join Mr. Hunt and where they will reside. Mrs. Hunt, formerly Miss Gladys Helms, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Helms for several weeks.

Mrs. Lina Naylor, who has spent several weeks in Atlanta and Jacksonville, returned home Thursday. She was accompanied by her grandson, John Good, of the latter place, who will be her guest for some time.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Touchton left Thursday for St. Augustine, for a few days' business trip, combined with pleasure. They were joined in Deland by Miss Betty Touchton and Miss Willa Pearl McGiboney, who have been attending the Baptist Assembly at Stetson University, and who will go on to St. Augustine with them.

Miss Sybil Bigbie, who has been spending the summer with relatives in Birmingham, will leave there Sunday for Adairville, Ga., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Franklin before returning to her home here in a short time.

M. E. Covington and C. I. tree spent the week end in Daytona Beach, where they join Crabtree and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Seagraves, of Ark., who have been vacationing at that resort. Mrs. Crabtree turned to Avon Park Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Seagraves left from Daytona for their home in Arkansas.

Herman Abady of Richmond, Va., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. F. M. Wolf.

F. M. Wolf, who has spent the past six weeks visiting relatives in Chicago, will return home Sunday.

J. Paul Garber returned home Tuesday from Washington, where he was called recently by the death of his father, Dr. John A. Garber.

Mrs. H. R. King of Washington, D. C., who has been spending the past several days in Daytona and Tampa, returned here this week for a continuation of a visit with her sister, Miss Rose Abramson, and aunt, Mrs. F. M. Wolf.

Mrs. J. D. Stark and daughter, Miss Marian Stark, of Pittsburgh, who are spending some time in Kissimmee, were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr., and the latter's mother, Mrs. F. W. Ames of Loughman, who is their house guest.

Mrs. George Voorhees left Wednesday morning for Atlanta where she will visit friends for two weeks before going on to New York for a visit with her daughters, Mrs. Harry Ros and Mrs. Robert Tollman. She plans on returning to Avon Park in October.

Mrs. T. H. Hughes and daughter, Miss Gloria Hughes, spent Monday and Tuesday in Jacksonville where they were joined by Miss Dot Hughes, who has spent the past two weeks in Smyrna, Ga., as the guest of her cousin, Miss Dot Davis. They returned to Avon Park Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keller and son, Bobby, returned home Monday night from a vacation trip, which included a visit with relatives in Lake Worth, and from there to Key West. While in the latter place, they stayed at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Morgan, former Avon Park residents.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Rumpa left Thursday for Daytona Beach where they will spend several days. They will be joined over the week end by Mr. and Mrs. Ferd DeAnguera of Miami and Avon Park. Mrs. DeAnguera has been visiting in Chicago, and Mr. DeAnguera will meet her in Jacksonville, and they will go from there to Daytona. Mr. and Mrs. Rumpa have recently returned home from a vacation trip through the western part of the state.

Fred M. Smith has been quite ill at his home this week with a serious attack of influenza. His many friends will be pleased to know that he is improving.

Harold Ballenger and Frances Louise Ross of Lakeland are guests for the week end of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Deshong.

J. W. Jordan, father of F. S. Jordan, is seriously ill at the home of his son on Canfield street. Mr. Jordan, who is 77 years old, has lived here with his son for the past several years.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Jarrett and family had as their guests last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Doolittle of Miami, who were enroute home from a visit in Georgia. Mrs. Doolittle is a cousin of Mr. Jarrett.

Clerk of Circuit Court W. Z. Carson was called to Greenville, N. C., last Friday on account of the serious illness of his brother, who recently underwent an appendectomy.

Rev. F. N. Dexter and wife, Rev. Mabel Dexter, have arrived from Union Grove, Wisconsin, and moved into their new home to make their permanent residence here. Their daughter, Dr. Emily S. Dexter of the Agnes Scott College faculty, Decatur, Ga., is visiting them here.

Mrs. Cyril Baldwin and son, Cyril, will leave next week for Jacksonville where they will make their home. Mr. Baldwin already is located there in connection with his duties as state director of the oyster rehabilitation work, and Miss Virginia Baldwin is also employed in Jacksonville.

Dr. and Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves will return this week end; Dr. Reeves, from Live Oak, where he has spent the past several weeks as sales supervisor at the tobacco markets, and Mrs. Reeves, from Vidalia, Ga., where she has been visiting relatives.

PICNIC TOURS, AUG. 25

The annual summer picnic of Leigh Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held next Thursday afternoon, Aug. 25, at the American Legion home, from 6 till 8 o'clock. All Eastern Star members and their families, and Masons and their families are invited to attend. Each family is asked to bring their own weiners, rolls, pickles and table service.

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Washington News-Letter

J. HARDIN PETERSON

SOCIAL SECURITY ACT — In view of the third anniversary of the enactment of the social security law, it might be interesting to give a few figures on the operations of the social security board as contained in an address delivered by Arthur J. Altmeyer, chairman of the board. Unemployment compensation laws are in effect in every state, and more than 27 1/2 million workers had earned credits toward unemployed benefits by the end of May of this year. More than half the states are paying benefits, and Florida and the other states not now paying such benefits will be doing so in the very near future. Benefits for full time unemployment now average \$45 per month.

There are approximately a million persons receiving unemployment compensation checks now, averaging \$10 per week each. In the first half of 1938, some 2,600,000 wage earners received about \$180,000,000 in benefits, for partial or total unemployment. It is estimated that in 1938, benefits to be paid for unemployment will be between \$375,000,000 and \$400,000,000. More than 40,000,000 workers' applications for accounts under the federal old-age insurance system have been received. Most of those covered by this plan, it is believed, will not be ready to claim their old-age benefits until after 1942, when monthly payments will begin to be paid. This is because most of them are young and middle-aged now. Those who reach 65 now, however, and the families of those who die receive single cash payments representing a return of \$3.50 for every dollar paid in by the worker in taxes. Through the public assistance phase of the program, it is estimated that in August more than 1,700,000 are receiving regular allowances from combined federal and state funds. There are now 40 states taking part in the dependent children and needy blind programs, and it is estimated that this month some 609,400 children in 246,700 families, and about 40,000 blind persons, are receiving aid. An over-all estimate, counting in both recipients under the three public assistance programs and other members of some of these families who also benefit directly, brings the total of needy men, women and children sharing in this assistance program to at least 3,800,000, Chairman Altmeyer stated.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS — Civil service examinations now pending include: senior consultant in civil assistance, \$4,600 a year; consultant, associate consultant and assistant consultant, \$3,800, \$3,200 and \$2,600, respectively, with optional subjects of case work or social research and statistics; first assistant physician (psychiatrist) \$6,500, to act as assistant superintendent at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Washington, D.C.; director of personnel, three classifications, paying \$6,500, \$5,600 and \$4,800 a year, respectively; principal physicist, senior physicist, physicist and associate physicist (any specialized branch), \$6,600, \$4,600, \$3,800 and \$3,200 a year respectively; blacksmith, \$6,62, \$7.10 and \$7.58 per day; coppersmith's helper, \$3.93, \$4.41 and \$4.89 per day, and crane operator, electric traveling bridge, \$5.56, \$6.04 and \$6.52 per day, all for the U. S. Navy Yard, at Charleston, S. C. We will be glad to furnish anyone with more complete information about these examinations.

WAGE-HOUR LAW — We still have a few extra copies of a comprehensive analysis of the new wage-hour law, prepared by the Tax Research Institute of America, which is not a government agency. The analysis appears to be quite comprehensive and we will be glad to furnish copies to anyone desiring until they are exhausted, for whatever value they may have. A letter or card addressed to me at Lakeland will bring the analyses forward by the next mail.

People and Spots in the Late News



DOUBLE GLAMOUR ... Two Gingers are better than one, as any Rogers fan will agree, so the blonde star displays her latest hostess gown, in strikingly modern "mirror-glass" dressing room in her new Hollywood home. Gown is white tulle decorated with poppies and daisies.



N-ICE BOATING! ... Hoisting sail to the trade winds that blow across Biscayne Bay, Miami, Fla., Natalie Allison keeps on an even "keel" as she tries out latest in windjammers.

NEEDS NO COM-PASS NOW ... Douglas P. ("Wrong Way") Corrigan, famed for California-bound solo hop to Ireland, rode straight into hearts of admirers as city after city turned out with cheers. Photo shows Corrigan swamped in New York turn-out.



TENNESSEE BOSS WINS TEST ... Edward H. Crump, political chief of Memphis, Tenn., shown voting, as power behind machine that brought Democratic primary victory to Tom Stewart over U. S. Sen. George Berry and to Prentice Cooper over Gov. Gordon Browning.



WAR ON HIDDEN TAXES ... Food costs are increased 20 per cent by concealed taxes, Congressman Fred A. Hartley, Jr., of New Jersey declared in announcing campaign to inform public how these unseen levies lower buying power of every family.

"TOO DAMN MUCH POLITICS" Miami, Aug. 18. (FNS)—"There is nothing wrong with Florida or the south," according to Edward C. Romfh, president of the First National Bank of Miami, "but too damn much politics."

"I was here when the pineapple industry was ruined and now our winter vegetable growers are getting it in the neck," he said, in reference to the reciprocal tariff policy which permits the entry of Cuban vegetables in direct competition with our growers. He denounced government restrictions on Everglades sugar cane growers, and pointed out that but for this the expansion of the United States Sugar Corporation would put much fertile land to work and give employment to thousands of people in this area at the same time preserving the "American market for the American farmer."

Something new in water sports has been developed at McIntosh, Florida, where visitors to Bird Island were entertained last week by the famous "floating island" was attached to a fast cruiser and two charming young ladies rode it around the lake much as one would ride an aquaplane, with thrills aplenty for spectators.

STATE C. OF C. TO MEET Miami, August 18. (FNS)—Directors of the Florida State chamber of commerce will meet in quarterly session here, August 25, it was announced this week.

Discussion of the proposed state-wide "tax coordination conference" and the 1938 meeting of the state chamber will feature the meeting, according to Harold Cole, president.

The selection of the membership meeting will be one of the points to be decided by the directors, he said.

Sandhill cranes are almost as tall as a man.

Motion . . .

(By L. R. EVERS)

(This is another of a series of articles on "Machines and Things of Motion.")

WHEN WE FALL, IT HURTS We might think of that something which pulls us down when we fall as an invisible enemy. But it is not. The force of gravitation only pulls us to our natural level and keeps us from falling.

It isn't the fall that hurts. It is the sudden stop. You would not be hurt so badly by falling into water as you would if you fell on a concrete pavement. What is the difference? We fall just as fast in water as to concrete. So you see, it is the sudden stop, or the shock that hurts.

As an example of this shock, a rubber ball will endure a greater shock than an egg.

Let us take a look at how things fall. Two things govern the fall of an object. One the magnetic pull to the earth. The other the air resistance to mass moving through it.

Disregarding air resistance, as in a perfect vacuum, all objects would fall at the same rate of speed. For instance, a feather would fall just as fast as would a ball of lead.

This rate of fall is 16 feet for the first second, with a gain of 32 feet per second thereafter.

The cruising speed of many airplanes is faster than the human body would fall. Air resistance to the body will set the falling speed of the human body at a maximum of 120 miles per hour.

This leads us to believe that if a falling man were caught in an air current blowing straight up at 120 miles per hour, he would not fall at all, but remain motionless in mid-air.

A man falling in the lower atmosphere at maximum rate of speed would be no more liable to lose consciousness than if he were riding in a car or plane at 120 miles an hour, unless from fright it is not the size of an object that sets the speed of its fall, but its density in relation to air resistance. For example, a lead ball one inch in diameter and one three inches in diameter, when dropped from the same height at the same time will strike a given surface at the same time.

The author terms this straight line movement of all matter toward the earth's gravitational center, as the basic unit, or the yardstick, for the measurement of all motions and vibrations, whether mechanical, electrical or natural. The pendulum, which I discussed in my last article, is mechanical.

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IS HOSTESS

Miss Eunice Williams was hostess to a number of the younger set of Avon Park last Monday evening, when she gave a weiner-foast on Lake Letta. It was a very joyous and informal party and was greatly enjoyed by all her guests who were: the Misses Mildred and Sadie Myers, Miss Joy Park, Miss Juanita Adams, Misses Gussie and Eunice Williams, Frank Allaben, Paul Deloe, Mr. Wall, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Perry, and Mr. Bachman. — Highlands County Pilot, Oct. 15, 1925.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Harris returned Wednesday from the Lewis ranch on Kissimmee lake, where they had been enjoying a family reunion. They spent the time hunting small game and fishing, plenty of quail, duck and fish being killed and caught to supply the larder. Mr. Harris was the victim of a joke of his own making, having questioned Mrs. Harris' ability to shoot, he threw his hat in the air, and upon picking it up found that his better half had aimed well and filled it full of holes. — The Highlands Pilot, Dec. 31, 1920.

MISS MABLE RUSSELL HONORED AT LOVELY BRIDGE SHOWER

Miss Mabel Russell, popular bride-elect of the season, was the inspiration for a lovely bridge-shower given Saturday afternoon at the cozy bungalow home of Mrs. Neal Trent, Mrs. H. E. Godwin and Mrs. Trent being joint hostesses at the pretty affair.

The reception rooms, with their decorations in a color motif of pink, made an artistic picture. Roses in tints of pink were used in profusion and were arranged in charming fashion in baskets and vases about the rooms, while the pink, bell-shaped lamp shades cast a pretty glow and a cozy atmosphere.

Four tables of bridge were in play from three to four-thirty o'clock, after which the tea guests began to arrive and a short musical program was rendered by Miss Myrtle Conoley and Mrs. J. V. Chapman, who sweetly sang, "I Love You Truly." During this time, a little book, a burlesque on "How to Manage a Husband" was passed and each guest recorded a queue to this art.

As Miss Conoley softly played the wedding march, Master Buddy Trent, wearing abbreviated little pink silk tights, drew in a little pink wagon, the front of which was graced by a large red heart, representing the heart of the groom-to-be. Seated in the back of the wagon was another little cupid, little Mary Lydia Stebbins, who wore a pleated ruffle of pink crepe paper about her waist, and gracing her plump little shoulders were large pink wings. As the wagon drew up in front of the honoree, the little tots presented the heart and beautiful gifts to Miss Russell.

At the tea hour the hostesses served dainty refreshments of jellied chicken, saltines, pickles, olives, ice tea, heart shaped cakes and ice cream. — Highlands County Pilot, Aug. 7, 1924.

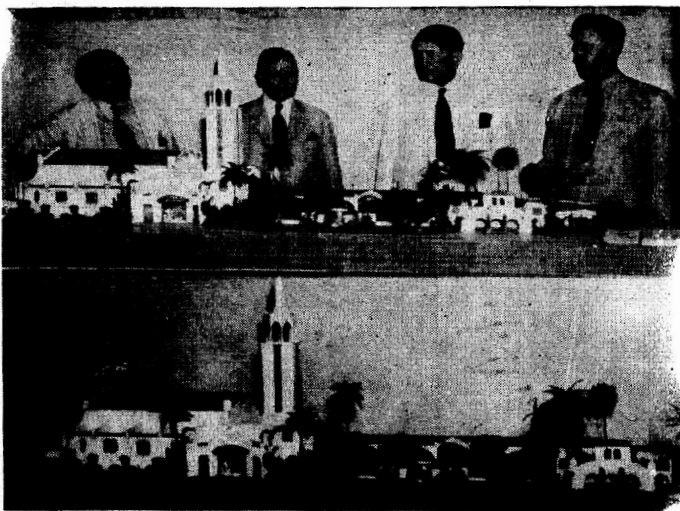
MISS RUBY CRUMLEY, BRIDE-ELECT, HONORED

Misses Beatrice Bass and Beazley Palmer were the charming hostesses Wednesday evening when they entertained for Miss Ruby Crumley, a pretty bride-elect, at a delightful miscellaneous shower.

The affair was given at the spacious home of Miss Bass on Lake Letta. The rooms were decorated with quantities of cut flowers with fern, featuring the color scheme of yellow and white, evening little golden cups of crepe paper were placed about the house.

The early part of the evening was pleasantly spent playing Fan-Tan, the guests progressing after each game. When the score was tallied, a beautiful hand-painted compact was presented Miss Alta Rhea Able for her success in point gaining and as a consolation for low score, Miss Joy Park was the recipient of a huge stick of candy. Miss Marche Converse rendered

Officials See Florida World's Fair Exhibit Miniature



Ed Ball of Jacksonville, Commissioner of Agriculture Nathan Maye, Governor Fred F. Cone, and Earl Brown, manager of the Florida Exhibit at the New York World's Fair, are shown above inspecting a miniature of the Florida exhibit. State officials viewed models showing four per cent of the full exhibit, on display at the capital, and this display was then carried to Pensacola where it was shown this week before the County Commissioner's annual meeting.

The Florida state exhibit at the 1939 World's Fair will occupy the largest space allocated to any state or nation, using 110,000 square feet. The building will be 494 feet long and the transportation of the contents will require 40 standard railroad empty cars. Approximately 400,000 people will be able to daily view the exhibit with its ceiling reproducing the Florida sky, featuring a full day's cycle including dawn, noonday, sunset and night lighting every twenty minutes.

New erections will be used in three dimensions of Florida natural beauty, agriculture, art, industry, recreation and sports. Tourist appeal features will be largest in the world with animation and lighting and color effects.

The exhibit, now being worked on by 45 experts, will have a valuation of over one and one-half million dollars.

a number of beautiful piano selections following the games and at a signal from the hostess, Mrs. J. B. Waller rendered "The Love Ship" accompanied by Mrs. J. B. Stringfellow while little Katherine Wade, clad in a dear little yellow suit with an immense pair of wings rolled a love ship in yellow and white into the room and presented the gifts with which it was laden to Miss Crumley with these words: "I'm Captain Cupie of the good ship Love, And I was told by my messenger that all was fine, So I waved my magic wand and prophesied It was for a life time!"

Miss Crumley, who was a picture of loveliness in a be-ruffled frock of white taffeta gracefully accepted the token of friendship and expressed her thanks and appreciation. Delicious ice cream and cake were served the guests, the favors were yellow rose buds encircling a receptacle holding salted peanuts. Refreshing fruit punch was dispensed during the games of Fan-Tan and yellow and white mints were placed on the tables, carrying out the scheme of colors. — Highlands County Pilot, Sept. 11, 1924.

METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES

C. R. Mingleford, pastor. We can only live up to what we know. Come star with us in Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. and increase your knowledge.

The morning will be well spent if you stay for church at 11 a.m. and worship the Lord at the preaching service. An empty pew speaks loudly against you.

The Senior League is steadily growing in attendance and interest. You will enjoy worshipping with them at 7 p.m. The Juniors will be glad to see you at the same hour.

Evening worship at 8 o'clock. An evangelistic message by the pastor.

You will be agreeably surprised when you come to prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30. (Please note the change in hour of meeting.) In-

structive and entertaining, yet different.

The church of tomorrow invites you to worship with their group today. The Intermediates meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

Harry Hopkins, National WPA administrator, has accepted an invitation to attend an opening celebration in connection with the dedication and official opening of Tampa's new million dollar Bayshore Boulevard planned for Saturday, August 20.

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Witness my official signature and seal this 20th day of August, A. D. 1938.

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W. P. Haggerty, leader of a movement in Tampa to curb all forms of gambling, announced this week that the drive would become state-wide through the cooperation of Junior chambers of commerce in 50 Florida cities.

Uncle Sam is becoming the best customer of the Florida citrus industry. The Federal Surplus Commodities Commission will purchase 1,250,000 cases of canned grapefruit for distribution to those on relief during the next four months.

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City Seeks to Force Agreement Thru Bankruptcy Laws

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affected thereby for the purpose of securing the consent of its said creditors to the filing of proceedings in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida under the National Bankruptcy Act, as amended, and the same applies to municipalities, corporations, to the end of effectuating and perfecting the plan of composition; and

WHEREAS, the creditors of said city affected by said plan owning more than 51 per centum in amount of each class of the securities affected by the plan have accepted in writing said plan of composition; and

WHEREAS, it is for the best interest of said city and its creditors that said plan be finally approved and put into force and effect; and

WHEREAS, there has been presented and considered the petition of said City of Avon Park for filing in said United States District Court for the commencement of said proceedings in said court;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of said City of Avon Park, Florida, that said City commence said proceedings in said bankruptcy court in accordance with the provisions of said detailed plan of composition of its debts, and in accordance with the provisions of said Bankruptcy Act, as amended, to present to the authority vested in said city by Chapter 15878 of the Laws of Florida of 1933; and that the acting mayor and the acting city clerk of said city be and they are hereby authorized to direct to sign and

file said petition and the said Mayor to verify the same for and on behalf of said City, and that said petition thereupon be forthwith filed in said United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida.

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They Say---

(By W. M. H.)

Nine Scouts left town for camp today with a truck load of grub, equipment, a camp cook and chaperoned by a lot of guys who wanted to go fishing and didn't know any other way of getting off, so seized this grand opportunity of doing themselves a "good deed," and are away for the week end. From the looks of things, there will be as many grown-ups as Scouts in camp, and judging from the amount of fishing tackle carried by them, Lake Kissimmee is going to see some plain and fancy bass fishing.

That was a generous offer and a mighty fine thing that Joe Kinsey did when he stepped in and offered to "carry on" for his former partner, so that a young orphan sister might benefit by the earnings of the office. T. A. McNicholas, who had asked for the appointment, immediately stepped aside, when he learned of the offer and proffered any assistance he could give. Seldom is such magnanimity shown in politics. Both gentlemen are to be commended for their unselfish attitude.

Mayor Covington was just in to urge that we write a piece about cleaning up the town. Well, Mayor, that is a hard order. We know the town ought to be cleaned up and so does everybody else, but it is a hard matter to get people to do anything about it. There is unsightly trash, high weeds and grass on vacant lots and on street parkways all over the place. The weeds and grass need cutting—later on in the fall, but the trash should be cleaned up at any time. To do a thorough job, residents should get together by streets, and make a contest of it. For instance, let the Lake Avenue folks club together and see that every lot is cleaned by making a house to house job of it. Let Verona avenue do the same, Central avenue, and all other avenues. Of course, the city will have to lead the way by cleaning up all city-owned lots and cutting the grass along the parkways. There's an idea for you, Mr. Mayor, and we believe you are just the man who can organize such a clean-up campaign. Whatta'ya say?

Highlands county suffered a keen loss in the death last Friday of Judge Selwyn Ives. A young man of unusual attainments, successful in his profession, respected

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REFLECTION TIME IN THE GARDENS



Lovely Marie Ballette pauses for reflections on the summer beauty of Florida and the tropical Cypress Gardens and wishes there were two of her so she could enjoy twice as much.

by a large personal following of friends, he had gone far, and undoubtedly had a bright future in store for him. As was so often said following his tragic death: "He had everything to live for."

FIGURES CAN'T LIE— WHO'S DOING THE WORK?

A college student, struggling with federal and other statistics on employment has reached an amazing conclusion—that there is practically a labor shortage, so the story goes.

Here's the way he figured it:

Population of Continental U. S.	122,000,000
Persons eligible for old age pension	15,000,000

This leaves to do the work	107,000,000
Ineligible to work under child labor laws	20,000,000

This leaves to do the work	87,000,000
Persons on city, state, federal payroll	22,000,000

This leaves to do the work	65,000,000
Housewives	40,000,000

This leaves to do the work	25,000,000
Disabled and students over 18	11,000,000

This leaves to do the work	14,000,000
Estimated number of unemployed	13,999,998

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Thus, concludes our statistician, it leaves only me and President Roosevelt to do all the work in this country. Most of the time, concludes our chronicler, he's away fishing, and I'm getting darned sick and tired of doing it all.

Methodist Circles at Luthye Home

Mrs. W. A. Luthye was hostess Tuesday afternoon at her home to a joint meeting of both circles of the Methodist missionary society. Mrs. I. L. Hall, chairman of one of the circles, conducted the business meeting, and Mrs. Charles Harris closed the session with prayer.

One of the worthy accomplishments of the society is the purchase of an electric refrigerator for the parsonage. During the social hour, the hostess served a delicious sweet course to the members present.

Fred Touchton Is Named as Prospect For 1940 Governor

Fred L. Touchton of Avon Park, former state senator, was named among others in a state-wide poll of doctors, dentists and pharmacists as a possible candidate for governor, according to editorial comment on the poll appearing in the Miami Herald.

Asked about the proposition, Touchton said he was not taking the suggestion too seriously, although he appreciated the honor as coming from the three groups, prompted no doubt because of beneficial legislation, notably the Fair Trade Act, which he guided through the legislature at the last session.

In his department, "Behind the Front Page," Ellis Hollums, executive editor of the Herald, has the following to say about the campaign to get the three medical groups together on a gubernatorial candidate:

"Doctors, dentists and pharmacists are displaying considerable interest in the one-man campaign of A. W. Morrison, secretary-manager of the Florida State Pharmaceutical Association to effect a political coalition of the three groups. His mail yesterday morning was all cluttered up with suggestions, and quite a few names were suggested as gubernatorial possibilities for the 1940 campaign."

"Physicians whose names have been proposed include Dr. M. A. Baltzell of Marianna, president of the Florida State Board of Health; Dr. E. G. Peck of Ocala, and Dr. C. E. Tumlin of Miami. Pharmacists proposed are H. B. Douglas of Bonifay, a lieutenant-colonel on the governor's staff, and Fred L. Touchton of Avon Park, former state senator. Dr. Carlos Henslee, past president of the district dental society, is the only dentist whose name has come in yet."

"Of course, it should be understood that these gentlemen who are being nominated have not been consulted about the matter at all. The idea may be distasteful to them, for all Mr. Morrison knows. He is merely attempting to sound out sentiment."

Don Lochner, president of the Florida State Press Association, guest speaker at the Tampa Advertising Club this week, urged the use of country weeklies to merchants in metropolitan areas as the most effective means of reaching prospects in their trade territory.

Judge Selwyn Ives Killed at Crossing

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hotel shortly after midnight for a ride and was alone. He was known to have suffered from a sinus trouble, and complained that he was unable to sleep.

Prominent at College

The county judge was a native of White Springs, Fla., and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Norman P. Ives. He was graduated from the University of Florida in 1931, where he had a prominent part in student activities. He was president of the student body during his senior year; a member of Florida Blue Key leadership fraternity and editor of the "Seminole," the college yearbook in 1930. He was also a member of the university's alumni executive council.

Admitted to the bar in Sebring in 1932 he practiced law there, and in 1935 was elected county judge in his first political venture. He was a former city attorney of Sebring, and had been active in civic circles there.

Managed Two Campaigns
During the 1936 Democratic primary, he directed the successful campaign of Governor Cone in Highlands county, and also was county campaign manager for Senator Pepper in the 1938 primary. Governor Cone appointed him a colonel on his official staff.

Survivors include two brothers, Norman P. and Wilbur L. Ives and two sisters, Mrs. Kenneth E. Johnson and Miss Ethel Ives, all of Lake City.

100 WPA Increase Granted; 50 Go to Work First of Week

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quet court, and reconditioning of the tennis courts.

Airport Project
D. G. Perry reports that progress is being made on a WPA project for building an additional hangar and lighting the airport, at an estimated cost of \$15,000. It is proposed to make this a self-liquidating project, payments to run about \$45 per month for the first year, with reduced payments over the 30 year loan period. The project would be handled under FWA's 45 per cent grant and 55 per cent loan plan. A sketch of the lighting plans is being prepared and detailed information will be made available in a short while, Perry stated.

The public has been invited to animal training sessions to be staged at the Sarasota winter quarters of Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey circus each Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday afternoon. On these days lions, tigers, elephants, bears and many other animals will be put through their regular routine and are to be taught many new tricks, officials announce.

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Scouts Leave On Three-Day Camp At Lake Kissimmee

Boy Scouts of Avon Park are spending the week end on a camp at Lake Kissimmee on the Vero Beach road about 20 miles east of Lake Wales. Nine Scouts left Friday morning, in company with four members of the local Scout council, and will pitch camp for three days of Scouting and fun under direction and leadership of Scout heads.

M. V. Pilcher will take charge of the local troop as Scoutmaster, beginning September 1. It was announced at Monday night's Scout meeting. He announced plans for the camp, which he is directing. Pilcher also announced Monday night that a special meeting is to be held August 29 for all boys interested in Scouting, with refreshments to be served.

Following Monday night's Scout meeting, Acting Scoutmaster Johnnie Rohr took the boys to Lake Angelo, treating them to a marsh-mallow roast. Accompanying the boys on the camp Friday morning, will be Chester Yates, E. L. Roberts, Irving Ford and C. E. Lanier. Saturday, they will be joined by Walter Betts, E. G. Todd, Parke Anderson, M. V. Pilcher and Marcus Covington. All of these will stay over until Sunday, expecting to break camp after dinner Sunday and return home.

Scouts going on the camp are: Jimmie Heim, Billie Heim, Herbert Todd, Fred Fields, Eugene Fields, Jack Head, Jimmie Hetherington, Walter Mandis and Junior McConnell.

The daily Scout program, as outlined by Pilcher, follows:

FRIDAY—Make camp upon arrival. Lunch, 12:30. Exploring, etc.: 1:30. Assembly, 4:00. Swimming, 4:00 to 5:00. Lineup and Inspection, 5:15. Retreat, 5:30. Supper, 8:00. Camp Fire, 7:00 to 9:00. Taps, 9:15.

SATURDAY MORNING—Reveille, 6:15. Assembly, 6:20. Setting up exercise, 6:35. Morning dip, 6:35. Recall, 6:50. Breakfast, 7:00. Camp inspection, 8:00. Fishing and boating, 8:00 to 10:00. Scoutcraft, 10:00 to 11:30. Swimming, 11:30 to 12:00.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON—Lunch, 12:30. Rest period, 1:00 to 2:30. Scoutcraft, 2:30 to 4:00. Swimming, 4:00 to 5:00. Lineup and inspection, 5:15. Retreat, 5:30. Supper, 8:00. Camp Fire, 7:00 to 9:00. Taps, 9:15.

SUNDAY—Same as Saturday except 8:00 to 10:30 Church service and rest the day. Lions, tigers, elephants, bears and many other animals will be put through their regular routine and are to be taught many new tricks, officials announce.

A baseball can be thrown from the pitcher's mound to home plate in about two-fifths of a second by a speedy pitcher.

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