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Let Us Have Peace!

To the people of all nations of
this Earth:

Do you believe in a Supreme
Being, a Supreme Ruler who cre-
ated this beautiful world with
abundance for every creature on
earth? The supposed human be-
ing called man is supposed to have
the intelligence and power to dom-
inate all other creatures and mul-
tiply and replenish the earth, ro-
build up and not tear down, which
is not so. Today man is more de-
genuous and destructive than the
savages or the wild beasts of the
jungles.

In Spain and China they say
there is war. Not so, it is butchery.
From the sky they drop missiles of
destruction on the humble peas-
ants of the field, on the hospitals,
which are overflowing with the sick
and wounded soldiers, and rejoice
in their destruction.

Oh, what joy and blessedness we
would have if we had taken the
orders the Supreme Being gave us,
love one another. But no, we have
taken orders from a false God and
insidious earthly dictators who
decorate you with medals of mock-
ery and hypocrisy, who desire to
be the Caesars of old and the Lord
of Hosts, through the blood of their
fellows.

The horrors of war have no end.
See the deplorable condition this
world is in which is the result of
war. Millions of people in every

land have not the care or comfort
of the beasts of the field. The
war is over and what is the result?
Millions of noble men slaughtered
on the battlefield, the living re-
turn to their homes of poverty and
sorrow, where they find the moth-
ers and wives of these noble men
with bleeding hearts. To them the
curtain of sorrow has dropped and
can never be raised.

Picture the widowed mother who
received word that her son, her
only support, was slain on the bat-
tled. With her infant son on
her knee tugging at her breast,
her cheeks wet with tears of sor-
row and despair of a broken
mother. In her grief she cries out,
"Will I raise this child to be
slaughtered?" Will the time come
when women will cease to become
mothers? In the words of the poet,
"Man's inhumanity to man makes
countless thousands mourn."

If ever there was a period in the
world's history which called for
calm and unbiased reasoning on
the part of all, that time is now.
But mere reasoning on the part
of men, no matter how intelligent,
can never bring abiding hope to
anyone unless there can be found
some dependable foundation upon
which reason may be built.

"Today the world seems hope-
lessly adrift upon the stormy seas
of raging human passions. The
motive power of unbridled selfish-
ness is attempting to drive the
storm-tossed vessel forward, but
the little progress that is made is
aimless, and as if the ship's rudder
were broken in twain or lost, and
the voyagers know not whither
they are headed. In the hearts of
millions today there is fear and
terror as they think of the un-
speakable horrors that may at al-
most any time befall this greatly
harrassed human family."

War, what a black picture you
are! Let us turn to the beautiful
picture of peace, when all nations
of this earth have confided in a
living God, the Supreme Ruler who
created this beautiful world, and
commanded us to multiply and re-
plenish the earth and love one an-

other and lay down the sword and
exercise the greatest weapon of
all that Almighty God endowed
upon every human being, mind and
thought.

It is my wish and earnest prayer
that this will happen before I leave
this planet. God is a tolerant and

just God. But God sets a limit as
he has done before to obey and
keep His commandments. So at
any time God may give this old
world a tip and let us try it again.
God may leave a few to multiply
and replenish the earth. But I as-
sure you they will not be the in-

FLORIDA HIGHLIGHTS

by KENNETH FRIEDMAN



THIRTEEN YEARS
UNDER CONSTRUCTION,
IT IS SO BEAUTIFUL THAT VISITORS
IN KITCHEN OR BATH CAN SEE
VISITORS AT FRONT DOOR—YET
REMAIN INVISIBLE THEMSELVES.

LIFE INSURANCE FOR WASPS!

MOTHER WASPS, WHEN THEY LAY EGGS,
PROVIDE INSURANCE FOR THE CHILDREN.
THEY WILL NEVER SEE—BY STICKING
THE NEED WITH FOOD—DEVELOPED
SPIDERS—KITT FRESH & EATABLE
FOR THE YOUNG OF THE

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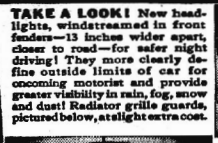


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PARK NOTES

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In Park 16 is a Rose Apple tree (*Eugenia jambolana*) in full fragrant bloom, while the yellow apples which follow have the odor of roses. In the real tropics the Rose Apple is used for jelly-making and for confectionery, while from the root is made a decoction used as an astringent in dysentery. Belonging to the Myrtle family its leaves are also fragrant.

The Surinam Cherry (*Eugenia uniflora*) with highly aromatic leaves is the most popular bush here, serving both as a hedge and for fruit. We have them in Park 10.

The largest *Eugenia* and the most susceptible to frost is the Grandis. These two with very large leaves next to the horse shoe pitching court have been frosted back twice. This species is popularly called the Malay Apple. I have at my home a *Eugenia jambolana*, with large leathery aromatic leaves, given me by the great Dr. Fairchild of Miami, while in the Dart yard diagonally opposite from the Green fuel office is a *Eugenia Dombeya*, the handsomest of all, that produces a few small egg-size plums each year.

We also have ready to set out a *Eugenia Hookeri* which will grow into a good size bush producing masses of holly-like red berries. None of the foregoing *Eugenias* are native to Florida, but there are seven native varieties of *Eugenia* called stopper trees growing in hammocks along the lower East coast, the wood of which is very hard. They are used locally for cabinet work. In the same localities are two species of *Anacardium*, called by natives Nakedwoods, the leaves of which contain a volatile oil somewhat resembling nutmeg in flavor, also two other true myrtles, the Spicewood (*Calyptanthus Pallescens*) and Myrtle of the River (*Calyptanthus Zeygium*) growing in the Everglades regions. The only other member of the Myrtle family growing in Florida generally is the common Guava (*Psidium Guajava*) whose

fruit beats all of its relatives for STRENGTH of odor.

Some other important members of the Myrtle family which we do not have here include the Pimenta Aeria, which grows abundantly in the American Virgin islands, and furnishes the fragrance for bay rum; *Jambosa Caryophyllus*, which furnishes the cloves of commerce, which all come from islands on the east African coast; and *Pimenta Officinalis*, the fruit of which is thought to combine the flavors of nutmeg, cinnamon and clove, hence is termed Allspice, used by every

housewife. American imports of Allspice all come from Jamaica, its native home. Our electrically minded Cleve Smith will probably tell you how he noticed in Jamaica the growers of Allspice are much annoyed with the sweet singing Solitaire bird and the Glass-eye bird, which both come out of retirement during February to eat the hard green berries, in the same state they are picked for commerce, neither birds nor man waiting until they are soft and black.

It is suggested to those wanting to study the plant life in the Mall

that they clip and save these articles, for they are the key that will help unlock the door of knowledge. Going through the park haphazard will do one little good. And only mental confusion results unless the shrubs and trees are taken up by families, whose technical characteristics are given in only a limited way. I am trying to make these columns simple and popular, as a mere preliminary to further study by the reader, adding some personal touches to keep them from becoming too dry for the average reader.

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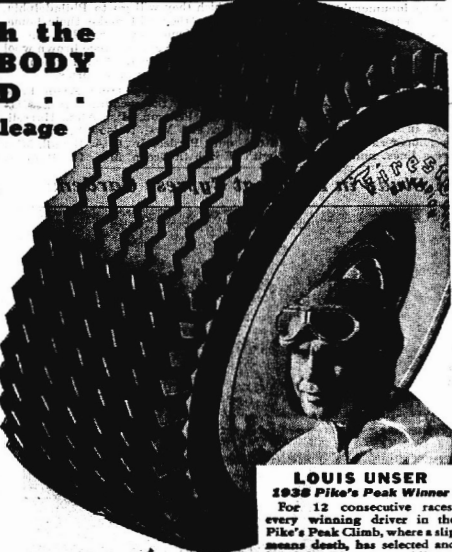
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PARK THEATRE

Clubs and Parties . . .

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

Miss Betty Ellen Smith Becomes Bride of Edward M. Hennessey Wednesday Evening

Miss Betty Ellen Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith, of Haines City, became the bride of Edward Michael Hennessey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Hennessey of Columbus, Ohio, in a beautiful and impressive candle-light ceremony at the First Presbyterian church in Haines City Wednesday evening.

The chancel of the church was banked with palms and floor baskets of gladioli in a deep pink shade. Tall white cathedral candles burned on the altar, and seven-branched candelabra were on either side. Each of the windows was banked with fern and spring flowers in the same deep pink shades, as those used on the altar were centered with a single candle. The pews were tied with tulle and sprays of flowers.

Preceding the ceremony, a program of nuptial music was given by Mrs. Max Graf. Her numbers were "Evening Song" (Godard); "Fifth Nocturne" (Leybold); "Reverie" (deBussey); "Romance" (Rachmaninoff); "Liebestraum" (Liszt); "Love Song" (Elkard). Vocal selections by Mrs. Graf were "I Love You Truly" (Carrie Jacobs Bond) and "Because" (Guy de Hardolot). Her accompanist was Mrs. Helen Gallimore. The bridal party entered to the strains of the Wedding March by Lohengrin.

Miss Elizabeth Jinks, Avon Park, the bride's only attendant, was lovely in a quaint, hoop-skirted model of Cheshire rose taffeta. The hem of the very full skirt was caught up in front in wide scallops, revealing innumerable lace flouncings, and her tiny doll's hat of taffeta ruffles was trimmed with flowers and a nose veil of matching maline. She carried an old-fashioned nosegay of roses and garden flowers, tied with pink tulle.

The bride, who entered on the arm of her father, made a charming picture in her wedding gown of white slipper satin, made on fitted princess lines, and fashioned with

a short train. The décolletage of the bodice was softly gathered into a deep V at the front, and a row of tiny, satin-covered buttons extended down the back. The long sleeves were puffed at the shoulder, and extended in points over the hands. Her veil of illusion was caught to the coiffure with sprays of orange blossoms, and fell loosely over the train. Her flowers were a sheaf of calla lilies with wrapped stems, and tied with white satin ribbons.

Emerson Ogburn of Columbus, Ohio attended the groom as best man, and ushers were Jack Smith, brother of the bride, and Alvin Hendrix of Haines City.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, for relatives and close friends of the couple. Spring flowers were arranged in the reception room and library. Similar bouquets were used in the dining room, where the bride's maid prevailed. The bride's table was overlaid with a handsome lace cloth, with the three tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, as the centerpiece. The cake was further decorated with white roses and fern, flanked on either side by tall white tapers burning in crystal holders. The lace was moulded in the shape of a pink heart. Miss Elizabeth Green, Miss Janet Cook and Miss Iva Phillips assisted in serving.

The couple left during the evening for a short wedding trip, after which they will go to Philadelphia, where they will make their home. Mrs. Hennessey traveled in a three-piece suit of spice brown wool with racoon collar, with which she wore matching accessories.

Among those from Avon Park attending the wedding were Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Alma Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Smith, Colquitt Parden, Jr., C. A. Boxall, Miss Elizabeth Green, Miss Iva Phillips,

Miss Janet Cook, Mr. and Mrs. John Bunting, H. A. Maddox, Miss Mildred Myers, Miss Elizabeth Jinks, Miss Sara Browning, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Yates.

Charlene Delegal Is Birthday Honoree

In honor of the fourth birthday anniversary of her attractive young daughter, Charlene, Mrs. J. L. Delegal entertained at a children's party at her home on Tuesday afternoon. During the afternoon, the young guests played a number of interesting games, an enjoyable feature being an exchange of Valentines.

At the refreshment hour, the children were invited to the dining room, where the lace covered table held the beautiful birthday cake as the centerpiece. The cake, iced in white, was decorated with a large red heart, and encircled with four small burning candles. Orange juice was served with slices of the cake, and as favors, the children were given red and white horns, and decorated cups filled with honey shaped mints. The many lovely gifts were opened and admired.

Young friends invited to share the party with Charlene were Bill Beckett, Bobby and Elizabeth Hall, Dorothy, Mary Lou and Arline, Harold and Mary Whitely, Ethel Harden, Billy and Yvonne Rutledge, Yvonne Head, Edgar and Ann Pabor, Betty Rose Ford, Kitty Lou Browne, Barbara Jean and Jimmie Prentice, Joyce Ann Tombaugh, Bruce Spencer, Debra Costine, Ronnie and Joyce Edwards, Joyce Bigbie, Bonnie June Little, Jackie Dalton, Marjorie Hetherington, Peggy Martin, Lynn Longbottom, Pete Ragdale, and John Delegal.

Mrs. Delegal was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Arnold Hansen and Mrs. Ella Hargraves.

Kid Party Proves Most Enjoyable

A "kid party" featured the regular monthly social meeting of the Philathea class of the Baptist church, when they were entertained at a delightful affair at the home of Mrs. R. L. Adams Monday evening, with Mrs. J. E. Crosby, co-hostess.

The guests arrived at eight o'clock, each in kid attire, and were given lollipops at the door. During the evening, games and contests were enjoyed, and an exchange of Valentines was held, from a gayly decorated box. Delicious refreshments of ice cream topped with strawberries, and cake were served.

Class members enjoying the party were Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. M. M. Foster, Miss Evie Canup, Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mrs. Ernest Spencer, Mrs. Durh Martin, Mrs. Harvey Walker, Mrs. Ross Bigbie, Mrs. Harold Guernit, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. N. G. Langford, Mrs. C. Bell, Mrs. Paul McFarland, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, Mrs. Lena Clemente, Mrs. Trussie Albritton, Mrs. Troy Cox, Mrs. C. S. English, Mrs. John Giddens, Mrs. L. D. McGiboney, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., Mrs. Frank Costine, Mrs. Crosby and Mrs. Adams.

Circle Number One Met at Mrs. Dalton's

Baptist circle number one met on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. P. Dalton. Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, circle chairman, conducted a short business meeting, and read part of the fourth chapter of John for the devotional. Mrs. Dalton taught the lesson from the mission study book, "Up From Zero in North China."

Enjoyable refreshments of pineapple sherbert and cake were served to the following present: Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. John Giddens, Mrs. C. Bell, Mrs. M. M. Foster, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon.

B. P. W. Club Entertain at Delightful Valentine Party on Tuesday Evening

The Highland Lakes hotel was the scene of an unusually colorful and delightful party on Tuesday evening, when the Business and Professional Woman's Club entertained at their annual St. Valentine's benefit bridge. The foyer and lounge, where the tables were conveniently arranged, were effectively decorated with vases and floor baskets of roses, gladioli, and other early spring garden blossoms, in beautiful colors.

The tallies, scorecards, and other appointments of the bridge tables, and the refreshment course were in the red and white motif of Valentine.

High score prizes, when scores were totaled, at the conclusion of several interesting progressions, were awarded to Lester Armstrong, S. Y. Hart, Mrs. L. E. Bias, George E. Symonds, Mrs. A. H. Able, Mrs. C. B. Bethune, Dr. Stanley N. Reeves, and Charles Sherman. The prizes, all attractively wrapped in white tissue and tied with red ribbons, were double decks of cards, heart shaped boxes of candied grapefruit, and fosteria ash trays.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream, devil's food cake, cookies and coffee were served late in the evening.

Those enjoying the delightful affair were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Shockley, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Richie Green, Mrs. Z. E. Simon, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Drott, Mrs. Bill Sachanmaier, Mrs. Wendolyn Weaver,

Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Moffett, Mrs. Floyd Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sherman, B. T. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Symonds, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Campbell, Miss Kate Tompkins, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reck, Mrs. C. H. Parden, Mrs. S. C. Parden, Mrs. C. C. Bradley, Mrs. C. E. Crabtree.

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Poppy Day Will Be Held Saturday, Mar. 4

At the regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary held Monday evening at the home of the president, Mrs. Earl W. Hart, it was decided to designate Saturday, March 4 as Poppy Day in Avon Park. Mrs. Ed Welch, poppy chairman will select her committees and make other arrangements. Mrs. Ruth Clowe, secretary, Mrs. Roland Drott, Mrs. Bill Sachanmaier, Mrs. Wendolyn Weaver,

A communication was read from Mrs. Elliott Moore of Sarasota, vice president of sixth district, in which she stated that she would make her official visit to the Highlands county units on Thursday evening, March 9. The president had been in communication with the presidents of the Sebring and Lake Placid auxiliaries, in regard to arrangements for the visit and announced that the joint meeting would be held in Sebring, and would be in the form of a banquet. More detailed plans to be announced later.

During the social hour, the hostess served a delicious orange punch and cookies to members present who were Mrs. John Hood, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. Ruth Clowe, Mrs. J. C. Ragdale, Mrs. Walter Martin, Mrs. S. Y. Hart, Mrs. Chas. H. Moffett, Mrs. Ed Welch, Mrs. W. M. Hetherington.

St. Margaret's Guild Met on Wednesday

St. Margaret's Guild met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. S. McKnight. After the roll call and business, Mrs. Alexander Gilmour read an interesting paper, "Religious Education." The hostess served delicious refreshments at the close of the program. Twenty members and guests were present.

St. Margaret's Guild At McKnight Home

St. Margaret's Guild of the Church of the Redeemer will serve breakfast and lunch next Tuesday, Feb. 21 at the parish home, starting at 7:45 a. m. and continuing through the noon hour. The menu will consist of fruit juice, pancakes and syrup, sausage and coffee, for 35 cents. At a small additional cost, on may have pie and doughnuts. Also at this time, the ladies will conduct a bake sale at the parish house.

Buntings Entertain at Lovely Party

An unusually delightful affair of Tuesday evening was given by Mr. and Mrs. John Bunting at their home in the Lakewood apartments, when they entertained a number of friends at a bridge party. Bouquets of roses formed the attractive decorations in the rooms.

Scores were kept on red Valentine hearts, and the scorecards, table markers, and other details were in a clever Valentine theme. After the several enjoyable progressions, high score prizes were awarded to Miss Iva Phillips and Lusby Rawlings. Miss Phillips was given a pair of sheer hose, and Mr. Rawlings, a novelty knife.

Dainty refreshments of cherry ice cream, coconut cake, and individual devil's food cakes, each topped with a small red candle, were served late in the evening. A tall red taper, in a crystal holder, burned in the center of each table during the refreshment hour and formed the only illumination in the rooms. As a surprise to the hostess, whose birthday came on this date, the friends present, at this time, showered her with an array of lovely and useful gifts, as a pleasant remembrance of the occasion.

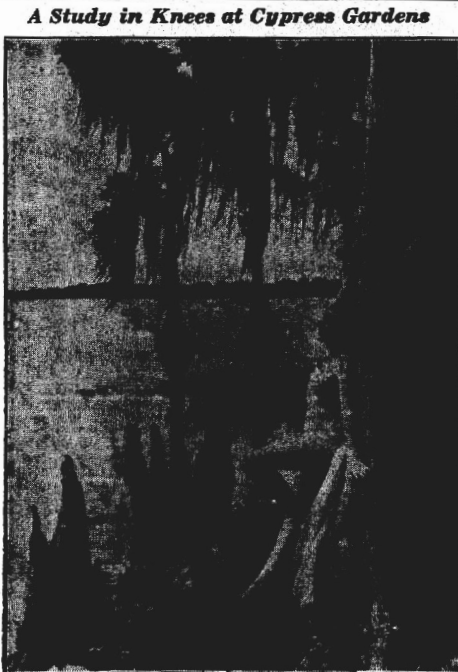
Friends accepting the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Bunting on this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jolly, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Weir, Mrs. Harold Epps, Miss Elizabeth Green, Miss Iva Phillips, Lusby Rawlings, C. A. Boxall, S. C. Parden Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Gen. Williams.

Mrs. Yates Hostess Tuesday Afternoon

Tallman roses, tastefully arranged, decorated the home of Mrs. W. H. Yates on Tuesday afternoon when she was a gracious hostess to the members of her bridge club. Guests kept their scores for the afternoon on clever Valentine tallies.

An attractive double deck of cards, high score prize was presented to Mrs. W. H. Kempton. A delicious refreshment course consisting of cherry pie, cheese and tea were served.

Those enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. J. B. Hart, Mrs. Alexander Gilmour, Mrs. S. Y. Hart, Mrs. S. C. Parden, Mrs. C. H. Parden, Mrs. Olive E. Anderson, Mrs. J. E. Brick, Mrs. Margery Church, Mrs. W. H. Yates, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. George Voorhees, and Mrs. Yates.



Cypress Gardens, Fla.—The odd formations of cypress trees and knees growing far out into the lake, are a picturesque setting for lovely Gail Armour as she poses for the above photograph at tropical Cypress Gardens. —Photo by Dahlgren.

Folks You Know..

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Bass spent Saturday in Tampa, and attended the DeSoto Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Whipple of St. Petersburg were the guests of Mrs. Harold Epps for the day on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Armstrong spent Wednesday and Thursday in Tampa, and attended the DeSoto Exposition.

L. Wolf of Washington, D. C., who has been visiting his brother, F. M. Wolf left Wednesday for a visit in Miami.

Mrs. E. O. Coram of Punta Gorda is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Lamb, and her sister Mrs. Helen Miller.

Miss Evelyn Abady and Mrs. Dudley Kline of Richmond, Va., left Thursday for Miami, after visiting at the F. M. Wolf home for some time.

Mrs. G. A. Stebbins, Holland Stebbins, Miss Mary Key, and Molcolm and Jeanine Crews spent Saturday in Tampa and attended the DeSoto Exposition.

Mrs. H. E. Godwin and Mrs. Viola Alderman, accompanied by Mrs. Leola Hart of Fort Meade spent Wednesday in Tampa, and attended the DeSoto Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Upchurch have moved from the Lakeview apartments to Sebring, where they are residing. Mr. Upchurch is employed by the American Oil Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruell Platt, Miss Laura Platt, Mrs. J. Y. Jameson, and James Henderson and James Jameson of Dade City were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Fred Touchton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Adams and son, R. C. and daughter, Virginia, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crosby and daughter, Delores attended the DeSoto Exposition in Tampa on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Molly Jane Abramson returned to her home in Washington, D. C., on Saturday, after visiting her sister, Miss Rose Abramson for the past three weeks. While in Florida, she also visited in Miami Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Demos Mandis and son and daughter, Walter and Peggy, spent Monday in Tampa, and attended the Shrine day celebration, held on that day in connection with the DeSoto Exposition.

Mrs. Alma McGinnis of Orlando, former resident, was the guest for several days this week of Mrs. L. O. Hart, daughter, Miss Almaroe McGinnis of Lakeland, visited her mother here on Wednesday.

Miss Faye Gordon of Southern College, Ireland spent the past week and at her home in Avon Park. She was joined on Sunday by Misses Macel and Gwendolyn Reid and Miss Merle Graham, all of Lakeland, who returned with her in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pratt of Highland, New York, and their daughter, Mrs. James Lumb of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., arrived in Avon Park Friday, for a visit of several weeks and are staying at Pine Crest Lake Club. Mr. Pratt is the brother of Mrs. Walter Betts.

Harold Epps left Saturday for Athens, Ga., where he is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Epps. He will return to Avon Park in about two weeks, and will be here for a week, before going to St. Petersburg to go into spring training with the St. Louis Cardinals.

Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. Fred Peden, Miss Mildred Myers, Miss Sara Browning and Miss Alma Hazrell spent an enjoyable weekend in Tampa, where they attended the DeSoto Exposition on Saturday. They returned home Sunday afternoon by way of Cypress Gardens, Winter Haven.

Mrs. Armstrong Honored by Supper

Friends and relatives of Mrs. E. F. Armstrong, ("Aunt Judy"), as she is affectionately known, tendered her a beautiful tribute recently, on the occasion of her birthday anniversary, when they entertained at a supper in her honor. The affair was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley on Lake Letta.

The supper, consisting of fried fish, prepared over an open fire, and served with all the trimmings, was enjoyed on long tables on the shore of the lake. A large white birthday cake baked by Mrs. C. A. Clark, occupied a conspicuous place in the center of the table.

During the evening, Chinese Checkers were played on tables arranged in the house, and the many attractive gifts brought the honoree, as a pleasant reminder of the occasion, were opened and admired.

Those sharing the evening with Mrs. Armstrong were Mr. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clark, Ed Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson and two sons, Bud and Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dilley, Mrs. Pearl Spink, Mr. and Mrs. John Hood and children, Winifred, Bill and Harry, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. Olive Armstrong, Miss Amy Starrett, Calvin Starrett.

Visitor Is Honored at Saturday Affair

A group of friends entertained at an enjoyable steak fry on last Saturday evening, the affair being given in honor of Mrs. L. A. Richardson of Chicago, house guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield. The supper was prepared over an open fire, on the lake shore at the C. E. Lanier home. The remainder of the evening was spent informally.

Those present on this delightful occasion were Mrs. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Porterfield, Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McNicholas, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd, Dr. and Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mr. and Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fossum, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Christopherson, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Betts, Mr. and Mrs. George Pratt, Mrs. James Lumb.

Miss Loomis Made Vice President of Pi Beta Phi

Officers of Pi Beta Phi, 11th national sorority to be established at the University of Georgia, were officially installed last Saturday. Miss Patsy Loomis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Loomis, Avon Park, was installed as vice president; other officers were: Alice Hamlin, president; Mildred Campbell, treasurer, and Katherine Stephens, secretary.

Installation and initiation ceremonies took place in sorority rooms at 150 South Millidge, followed by a formal banquet, honoring the 13 charter members.

Amy Burnham Oukon, grand national president; Mrs. G. W. Thorpe, province president; Dorothy Coleman, faculty advisor; Alice Louise Hamlin, Jean Parkinson and Patsy Loomis, colonizers, and Carolyn Chapman, charter members of Georgia Alpha, offered toasts to the new chapter.

Celebrations which opened Saturday night with a festive supper culminated Sunday afternoon with a reception at the Hodgson home. Over 750 persons were invited to attend, and Alice Bond, Athens, Mrs. Winifred Paige, Atlanta, Mrs. Marion Paxton, Atlanta, Mrs. E. B. Hodgson, Athens, and Mrs. Paul Chapman, Athens, poured.

Georgia Alpha, 81st chapter of Pi Beta Phi, was authorized by the national convention last summer, and was colonized by six active members, transferring from six other chapters under the direction of Dorothy Coleman, assistant professor of physical education.

—Black and White.

Two Lovely Visitors Honored at Party

Mrs. Robert R. Porterfield was a gracious hostess at a bridge luncheon at the Jacaranda hotel on Wednesday, when she entertained in honor of her two attractive house guests, Mrs. L. A. Richardson and Mrs. Leroy Clark, both of Chicago.

Guests were served the beautifully appointed luncheon at a long table, with a low bowl of red radiance roses as the centerpiece. The place cards, which later served as tallies in the bridge games, were in the Valentine motif.

Five tables were arranged for bridge in the parlor room, which was tastefully decorated with baskets of roses and early spring garden flowers in lovely shades. High score prize was presented to Mrs. T. A. McNicholas; second high to Mrs. Harold Fossum; third high to Mrs. J. B. Hart; fourth high to Mrs. Earl W. Hart, and fifth high to Mrs. James Lumb. The prizes were attractively wrapped in Valentine colors.

Guests sharing the luncheon and bridge with Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Clark, and their charming hostess were Mrs. Walter Betts, Mrs. George Pratt, Mrs. R. R. Brown, Mrs. T. A. McNicholas, Mrs. Harold Fossum, Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mrs. J. B. Hart, Mrs. Earl W. Hart, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves, Mrs. James Lumb, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mrs. Chas. Wright Mrs. C. E. Crabtree.

Bridge Party Honors Mrs. G. P. Thayer

Mrs. S. S. Thayer was hostess Wednesday evening at a lovely party given in honor of Mrs. G. P. Thayer, on the occasion of her birthday anniversary. Early spring flowers decorated the living room, where two tables were arranged for bridge.

High score prize, when scores were totaled went to Mrs. Demos Mandis and second high by Mrs. E. E. Brick. Each received an attractive potted plant. A dainty dessert course was served late in the evening.

Friends sharing this pleasant affair with Mrs. Thayer and the hostess were Mrs. Alexander Gilmour, Mrs. J. E. Brick, Mrs. Margery Church, Mrs. Demos Mandis, Mrs. H. E. Godwin, Mrs. Viola Alderman.

Monday Bridge Club Has Pleasant Party

Mrs. Bill Sachsemaier entertained members of her bridge club at a most delightful party at her home on Monday evening. In observance of Lincoln's birthday, a red, white and blue motif was featured in the bridge appointments.

High score prize was won by Mrs. Edgar Koch; second high by Mrs. Francis Shockley, and the losing game was given to Mrs. Roland Drott. Delicious refreshments of strawberry shortcake topped with whipped cream and a whole strawberry was served with coffee. Each refreshment plate was adorned with a small flag.

Those playing bridge were Mrs. Francis Shockley, Mrs. Z. Sevon, Miss Gwendolyn Weaver, Miss Hazel Cameron, Mrs. Edgar Koch, Mrs. Richie Green, Mrs. Tom Jones, Mrs. Roland Drott and Mrs. Sachsemaier.

Baptist Circle Met At Touchton Home

Circle number two of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. W. C. Touchton Monday afternoon. The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. J. L. Collins, and Mrs. Paul McFarland, circle chairman, conducted the business session. Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., taught the class from the fourth chapter of the book, "Up From Zero to North China."

Delicious strawberry shortcake was served to those present who were Mrs. Paul McFarland, Mrs. Lena Clements, Mrs. Anna Lawton, Mrs. J. L. Collins, Mrs. Cyril Baldwin, Mrs. Frank Costine, Mrs. E. C. Weaver, Mrs. J. E. Crosby, Mrs. Fred Touchton, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr.

Two Are Hostesses to Methodist Circle

Mrs. Oscar Bridges and Mrs. Rex Reed were hostesses to circle two of the Methodist missionary society on Monday evening at the home of the former. Petunias and nasturtiums decorated the rooms for the occasion.

At a short business meeting, names were drawn to conduct a Polyantha game between the members, for the next three months. Games were then enjoyed, until late in the evening, when the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. R. A. Gerrard served dainty refreshments of strawberries and whipped cream, angel food cake, and coffee.

Those present were Mrs. I. H. Mack, Mrs. M. L. Rogers, Mrs. Estelle Sonneman, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, Mrs. C. H. Gerrard, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. Ralph Rogers, Mrs. F. Wyrant, Mrs. Reed and Mrs. Bridges.

Weiner Roast Given Saturday Evening

A delightful affair of Saturday was the regular "Saturday Get-Together" held that evening at Hart's Desire, by the younger social contingent. Weiners were roasted over an open fire, and were enjoyed with rolls and orange juice.

Those present were Misses Betty Touchton, Martha McCord, Marjorie Wells, Martha McNicholas, Peggy Mandis, Francis English, Willa McGiboney, Mary Clements, Mary Letha Touchton, Betty Jo Wells, Sanford Hart, Herbert Todd, Eric Fabor, Albert West, George Elwell, Fred Foster, Fred Touchton, Jimmie Bradbury, Walter Mandis.

Mrs. Fred Touchton and Mrs. J. L. Wells were chaperones for the affair.

We're for much ado over SUNDAY BREAKFAST

—after all it comes but once a week

By Dorothy Greig

WE surmise that with most of us Sunday morning breakfast is the star breakfast of the whole week. No "gobble an' git" complex bothers us then. We can relax, and enjoy our favorite breakfast dishes.



Down East Codfish Balls. fried a crispy brown and served in hot Tomato Sauce, glorify Sunday breakfast.

It's the morning for the pancakes there's no time to make a hurried weekday, for the luxury of another cup of coffee; so when we take the trouble to coax along an omelet and serve it piping hot at the peak of its glory. Eggs bloom, as they do to our breakfast, but for Sunday we dress them up a little. For instance:

Shirred Eggs in Mushroom Sauce
4 eggs
1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup
1/2 cup milk
Add the 1/2 cup of milk to the condensed cream of mushroom soup and mix well. Then put two tablespoons of the mushroom sauce in the bottom of individual buttered ramekins or custard cups. Break an egg into each. Place the ramekins on a baking sheet or in a baking pan and bake in a moderate (350° F.) oven for 20 minutes. This quantity serves 4.

Codfish cakes? They're a fine Sunday morning dish and here they are made as the Down Easters make 'em. With 'ee codfish balls in mind, 'ee's a good idea of cook as extra supply of potatoes for Saturday dinner. Then turn your codfish balls and put them in the refrigerator over night all ready to pop in the pan next morning.

The Tomato Sauce
Heat condensed tomato soup just as it comes from the can. Pour the hot tomato sauce in a platter or chop plate and place the golden brown codfish balls in the hot sauce.

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CHURCHES

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor.
February 19—Sunday school, with classes to suit all ages, at 9:45 a. m. in charge of Superintendent J. Paul Garber. Women's

classes taught by Miss Alice B. Latta and Miss L. L. Latta. Men's classes taught by the pastor. Come and join us in this hour of religious instruction and discussion. Morning service of worship at 11 with sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on "God and His Friends." Anthem by the choir, "Hear Ye God to Thee." Young People's Pledge Fellowship at 6:30 p. m.

Lillian B. Latta, who will be in charge of the Young People's Pledge Fellowship at 6:30 p. m. The subject of the service will be "The Power of the Word."

Optimism is a great asset to the man of his generation and who has a message for this troubled age. The subject of the church on Monday at 8 p. m. This class open to all who are interested in Bible study and desire a better knowledge of the greatest book in the world. The Ladies Aid will meet at 2 p. m. on Wednesday, Feb. 15, 9 a. m. Important business will be considered. The World's Day of Prayer will be observed by a special service in the church on Friday, Feb. 17, 8 p. m. This service will be in charge of the "Covenant Circle" Women's Missionary society and an attached program is being arranged. The church will meet on Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. under the direction of W. H. Kates, who will speak on "The Christian's Responsibility in the World." The church is a friendly atmosphere and the spiritual aspirations of its service of worship. Its officers and members are friendly people who are always glad to welcome strangers. Winter visitors are cordially invited to make it their "home" during their stay in the city and share in the uplift of its worship and friendliness of its social gatherings.

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EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Holy Communion—7:30 a. m.
Church school—9:30 a. m.
Holy communion and sermon—11 a. m.
Ask Wednesday, Feb. 23
Holy Communion—9:30 a. m.
Church school service—4 p. m.
Penitential office and address—7:30 p. m.

RICHARD L. BROWN, Rector

Notice of Application for Purchase of Tax Sale Certificates including Subsequent Omitted and Levied Taxes and All State and Federal Taxes unpaid through 1938 on Property Described Below in Accordance with Committee Certificate for House Bill No. 396 of 1937 Laws.

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. E. E. Brown has applied to this office for purchase of Tax Sale Certificates and Subsequent Omitted and Levied Taxes due on the following described property situated in Highlands County, Florida, to-wit:

Lot 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

The sale of the certificates and subsequent omitted and levied taxes on the above described property is to be in accordance with Committee Certificate for House Bill No. 396 of 1937 Laws, and such sale will be held on or about February 15, 1939.

By E. E. BROWN, Rector.

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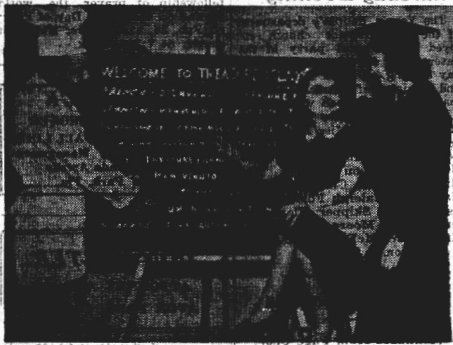
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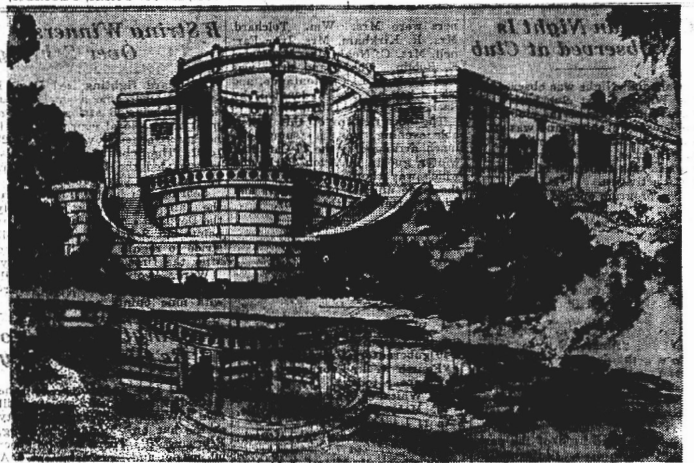


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The Stephen Foster Memorial, to be erected on a bluff overlooking the Suwannee river, has been designed by the architect Britton Johnston of Jacksonville, to express in marble the simplicity, friendliness, dignity and rhythm found in all the composer's songs. The imposing structure will stand on a beautiful wooded land at White

pride, Fla. Facing the river, in the open grounds circled by buildings will stand the bronze figure of Foster, slightly over life-size. Flanking either side of the rotunda and giving mass to the design, will be two wings, in one of which there will be space for a small museum of handkerchiefs of the "original" Foster manuscripts and other memorabilia. Just behind this front

central mass will be built the open air amphitheatre, the rotunda's back serving as a handrail and stage. Campaign dates for the collection of the money necessary are February 19 to 25. The project is sponsored by the Florida Federation of Music Clubs, and it is expected that sufficient funds will be obtained to begin construction early this spring.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS MURPHY LAW EXPIRES

Within less than six months your chance to settle your delinquent state and county taxes under the Murphy Act will be gone.

If you will file application now your settlement under this act will include 1939 taxes, provided there is a tax certificate outstanding against your property that was two years old as of June 9, 1937.

It will be impossible to prepare statements and advertise all the delinquent property in this county before the expiration of the Murphy Act. Those who wait until the last few weeks may be unable to get their tax settlement through.

The taxpayer can realize the full advantage of the law now and nothing can be gained by delaying your application another day.

The Circuit Court of Highlands County recently ruled that, tax certificates bear interest at rate of 3% per annum from date of issue. This means that should some other person advertise your property under the Murphy Act and the oldest certificate is 10 years old, you would have to pay 30% interest if you redeemed your property at time of sale.

If your property is eligible to be advertised and sold, under the Murphy Act I urge you to act at once.

W. Z. CARSON,
Clerk of Circuit Court Highlands County.

Canadian Night Is Observed at Club

Canadian Night was observed by the Winter Guest club with a delightful program at the club house on Tuesday evening, and was sponsored by Canadian members. Joseph Spencer, of Stratford, Ontario, Canada was chairman of the evening's activities.

The program opened with prayer by Dr. A. C. Elliott, pastor of the Union Congregational church. The opening address was given by the chairman, Mr. Spencer, who gave a detailed account in an interesting manner, of Canada, financially, industrially, socially, and unity between the United States and Canada.

Two songs, "Maple Leaf Forever" and "America" were sung, with a great deal of spirit by everyone present, after which a violin selection was given by M. Gospi, accompanied at the piano by Miss Mildred Wray.

C. S. Donaldson, prominent Avon Park citizen and head of the park committee, gave an informative talk on "Beauty of Plant Life and Recreation in Florida."

A vocal duet by Mrs. D. B. Farrell and Mrs. S. V. Hummings proved most enjoyable, and was followed by a delightful reading by Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck.

James Atchison of Grimsale, Ontario, Canada, spoke interestingly at this time, as did Mrs. Garnett of Stratford.

Dr. A. Steiner, Cleveland, Ohio, gave an original talk, and was presented by the chairman, Mr. Spencer, with a cartoon of himself in action on the shuffleboard court. The cartoon, drawn by Geo. Mable of Palisades Park, N. J., was developed on a large red heart, and came as a complete surprise to the recipient.

Mrs. Ten Eyck gave another reading at this time, and the program closed with the singing in unison of the "Star Spangled Banner" and "God Save the King."

The game of bingo was played after the program, and prizes were

won by Mrs. Wm. Tolchard, Mrs. R. Kirkham, Mrs. Ivor Farrell, Mrs. C. Neal, Mrs. M. Henry, E. Roblin. The grand prize was won by Mrs. L. C. Montague, and was a box of fruit, donated by Spencer Brothers Citrus Shop.

The last feature of this enjoyable evening, was a sumptuous lunch, arranged by the 27 Canadian winter guests in Avon Park, and which was thoroughly enjoyed by the large number of members and friends attending the affair.

Touhcton Third In Forecast of Governor's Race

A. W. Morrison, Miami, gives out the following forecast on the 1940 gubernatorial race:

"Fourth week, February 15, as they appear today:

Pat Whitaker, Tampa, 2 to 1.

W. Mel. Christie, Jacksonville, 5 to 1.

Fred L. Touhcton, Avon Park, 6 to 1.

Dan Chappell, Miami, 8 to 1.

J. Mark Wilcox, West Palm Beach, 9 to 1.

W. C. Hodges, Tallahassee, 10 to 1.

Nathan Mayo, Summerfield, 12 to 1.

Jerry Carter, Tallahassee, 15 to 1.

Ralph Petteway, Miami, 15 to 1.

Doyle Carlton, Tampa, 15 to 1.

B. F. Pate, West Palm Beach, 20 to 1.

Charles M. Cranston, Miami, 20 to 1.

Harold Cole, Jacksonville, 25 to 1.

J. Turner Butler, Jacksonville, 30 to 1.

Russ A. Williams, Miami, 35 to 1.

D. Stuart Gillis, DeFuniak Springs, 40 to 1.

Leet Green, Jacksonville, 45 to 1.

J. T. Alsoop, Jacksonville, 45 to 1.

Chas. F. Cox, Hobe Sound, 50 to 1.

H. E. Overman, Miami, 50 to 1.

D. C. Coleman, Miami, 60 to 1.

Bassell Kay, Tampa, 60 to 1.

Fuller Warren, Jacksonville, 60 to 1.

Important changes for the week.

After a survey of North Florida, just completed, I feel that Harold Cole was placed too low at 25 to 1 and have raised his percentage to 45 to 1. Cole is being well publicized. In this week's prognostications, Russell Kay of Tampa appears at 50 to 1 and Fuller Warren of Jacksonville the same.

Fuller is beating a lot of bushes in Northeast Florida. The statement made the first week still stands: "A young man will be the next governor of Florida."

A. W. MORRISON.

SCOUT MEETING

Monday, Feb. 13, '39

At the scout meeting Monday night, Mr. Chester Yates gave a short talk on soap carving, and then the scouts were given bars of soap to try their skill. Some of the boys really "went to town."

Mr. Foster, of the B and B and Dr. Clark, a local dentist, gave a short, three round fight which ended in a tie. All scouts were asked to attend the Tenderfoot Ceremony, which was to be held the following Tuesday night at the Legion home.

Jimmie Hetherington, Scout Reporter.

G. A. NEWS

The meeting was called to order by the president, Dorothy Lawhon. The offering was 19 cents.

The minutes of the last meeting were given. We then sang our G. A. hymn, "We've a Story to Tell to the Nation." A prayer by Tommie Lou Greene followed. We then had the roll. For our program, we had a discussion on prayer and orphan homes, followed by a song and prayer, which closed the meeting.

—Reporter

B String Winners Over Sebring

The hard fighting "Lead Devil" B stringers overcame a smaller, but faster Sebring B string in a race meet on the local court last night. The Sebring team previously trampled the Devil B stringers on their own court, 15-9.

Sebring B's held a 15-5 lead at the half but fighting stubbornly the Devil B's cut this lead to 10-5 at the end of the first four minutes play. Ward, Avon Park, and Cornell, Sebring shared high point honors with nine points apiece.

Washington Part To Be Given Monday

Circles two and three of the Methodist missionary society will give a Washington birthday party at the lat on Monday evening.

February 22. There will be special music and entertainment. A feature of the program will be a skit, "Living Pictures," when live models will appear in appropriate costumes, behind a large frame, and a song, depicting the character they represent will be sung.

Refreshments will be served after the program. Everyone is invited. There will be no charge but a free will offering will be taken.

C. of C. Smoker

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Part, outside of the larger cities, is the most stimulated town in Florida, the inspector said.

The attention attracted favorable comment all over the state, and participants he had met spoke highly of the manner in which it was conducted, Templeton said.

The smoker brought out the fact that the chamber of commerce is doing much toward advancing the interests of Avon Park and is worthy of the support of all.

Caps and cigarettes were furnished by Thayer's Saccarides and Touhcton drug stores, and orange juice was furnished by Lake Byrd Packing Company.

SERVICES AT LAKE PLACED

The Rev. Fr. E. I. Brown will conduct services in the Catholic church in Lake Placid at 8 o'clock on Sunday evening.

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Delightful Party on Thursday Evening

The Young People's department of the First Baptist church enjoyed a delightful party in the basement of the church on Thursday evening. Games were played, and delicious refreshments of home made cake and punch were served.

Those enjoying the party were Miss Della Cole, Miss Betty Sherman, Miss Rebecca Holton, Miss Louise Smith, Miss Ophelia Dean, Miss Tommie Lou Greene, Miss Miriam English, Miss Blackburn, Marion and Raleigh Foster, Frank and Odell Skipper, Floyd Patterson, Dixie Moore, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McFarland and Rev. J. P. Dalton.

Toronto Players

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Donna Holmes, that Walter Lar-Pranscott, Joe Mellick and George Klivak will develop into dependable pitchers and transfer some of the load from the shoulders of veterans like John Berry, Early Cleveland, Mike Meola and Don Brun-

The well liked Frankie Reher will again be the club's leading backstop. Walter Klivak will be retained as his understudy and the club will be given every secure the return of Sam Harn-

any from the St. Louis Browns.

Phil Marchbanks and Frank Col-

man, two youthful Canadian pitching prospects, have contracts with the club and will be given every opportunity to make good.

Marchbanks in the past who was scouted by Don Rowley of Cleveland

Minors last season. Five hours after Dan got him on the dotted line a St. Louis Cardinal scout blew into town for the same purpose.

A CALL TO PRAYER

You are invited to join in a fellowship of prayer the world around on the World Day of Prayer, Feb. 24, at the First Methodist church at 7:30 o'clock.

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Growers to Meet Here To Select Pact Members

Avon Park has been selected as a meeting place for the citrus growers of Hillsborough, Polk, and Volusia counties to select members of the Avon Park pact. The pact is a plan for the citrus growers of these counties to cooperate in the marketing of their fruit. The pact is a plan for the citrus growers of these counties to cooperate in the marketing of their fruit. The pact is a plan for the citrus growers of these counties to cooperate in the marketing of their fruit.

At the meeting for each district growers present will make nominations from which the secretary of Agriculture will select the members and alternates to represent each district at the administrative committee. This committee will select the district representatives and alternates.

The meetings are to be held as follows in each district: Tampa for Citrus District 1 which consists of Hillsborough, Polk and Volusia counties. Orlando for Citrus District 2 which consists of Citrus, DeSoto, Lake, Manatee and Pasco counties.

DeLand for Citrus District 3 which consists of Alachua, Duval, St. Johns, Flagler, Marion, Levy, Santa Fe, Duval, Nassau, Baker, Columbia, Duval, Lafayette, Suwannee, Hamilton, Madison, Taylor, Jackson, Leon, Wakulla, Gadsden, Liberty, Franklin, Gulf, Calhoun, Jefferson, Bay, Washington, Holmes, Walton, Oklawaha, Santa Rosa, and Seminole counties. Citrus and County Commissioners Districts Numbers 1, 2, and 3 of Volusia county.

Orlando for Citrus District 4 which consists of Orange and Osceola counties. Vero Beach for Citrus District 5 which consists of Broward, Indian River, St. Lucie, Martin, Palm Beach, Brevard, and Dade counties, and County Commissioners Districts Numbers 4 and 5 of Volusia county.

Bartow for Citrus District 7 which consists of Polk county. Nominations of at least four producers of whom two must be associated with bona fide cooperative marketing organizations, from each of the following: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 for a committee and alternates members of the Growers Administrative Committee, to be required, within in District 7 the nomination of at least eight producers is required. Seven whose number would be selected two members and two alternates.

One committee member and an alternate would be selected for each of Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 and two members and alternates would be selected for District 7. Members of the first Growers Administrative Committee would hold office the first year until July 31, 1940, or until their successors are selected and qualified. Members of succeeding committees would hold office for one year, beginning August 1, or until successors are selected and qualified.

Acting in an advisory capacity to the Growers committee will be a committee representing shippers. This committee is to consist of eight members and their alternates named from nominations made by shippers at a meeting to be held at Lakeland, February 24. The marketing agreement provides for grade and size regulation, shipments of oranges, grapefruit and tangerines. It was (Continued on page eight)

\$70,000 Post Office Building Approved

The house appropriations committee announced today the treasury had approved a \$70,000 appropriation for an Avon Park post office, according to Associated Press reports. The committee approved a total of \$146,421,000 in federal buildings. Other towns getting appropriations in this session were Haines City for \$78,000; Dunedin, \$70,000; and Warrenton for \$75,000.

Highlands Plans Second Refund of County Bonds

The county commissioners of Highlands County, at their meeting Tuesday in the court house, discussed plans of a bond debt which if effected as planned would save the county \$100,000 in interest less the cost of the refund.

The county debt was refunded a few years ago through the Crummer & Co., by an exchange of the bonds outstanding for bonds that can be called for payment at any time the county has funds with which to buy them in at par, which was a preliminary move to make possible the refund that is now being planned to cut the interest rate from six to a possible four per cent.

Up to the present time the county has been advertising for offerings and buying bonds in which offered below par, and has reduced the outstanding debt a great amount. Other counties, such as Lake and DeSoto, have also not being advised.

It is reported that at least two large bond houses stand ready to finance the refund with a lower rate of interest, but no specific rate has been designated by them. However, at their meeting Tuesday the board discussed possibilities of refunding on a rate as low as three and one-half per cent interest rate. Those who are familiar with the Florida bond market, however, state that it would be impossible to refund at a rate below such a rate.

H. A. Lanier and E. J. Crummer, of R. E. Crummer & Co., appeared before the board Tuesday, offering the services of their organization in effecting a refund, but declined to state on what basis at the present time. The board refused them to submit a proposition as soon as convenient.

H. E. Keller, clerk of the board read a letter from Truettwell & firm, suggesting that the boards of commissioners of Hardee, DeSoto, Highlands and Glades meet in Arcadia today to discuss the attitudes to be taken on any possible legislation that may come up affecting the gasoline tax during the next session of the state legislature. It was decided that Chairman J. L. Wells and Representative M. C. Whitehurst should attend the conference.

The board was notified by letter that the State Fresh Water Fish and Game Commission would not grant permits for the selling of Lake trout, and the matter of selling rough fish out of Kissimmee river has been taken under advisement by the commission.

GIRL SCOUTS

The Girl Scouts of Avon Park had their regular meeting Monday night at the home of Mrs. Sue Yates, the Scout captain. The meeting was opened by Judge Phillips in the regular manner. After the business of the Girl Scouts was the guests of the Boy Scouts at the Legion home. After games and Scouting demonstrations refreshments were served of ice cream and cookies. — Betty Moffett, Girl Scouts Reporter.

Tin Can Tourists Get Personal Bid To Make Camp Here

Doing things up in the usual efficient manner, the chamber of commerce is busily engaged today in inviting the Tin Can Tourists of the world to bring their entourage here next fall in the establishment of an official camp.

When Frank Van Epps, royal chief of the Tin Canners was here last week, he was very much impressed with Avon Park's facilities, and indicated that if an invitation was extended to them they would camp here some 100 trailers strong next November. That invitation is being carried today to Dade City, present headquarters of Van Epps and his executive board, by a delegation of city officials and chamber of commerce officers, who went there with the purpose of bringing the trailblazers to Avon Park.

Representing the city are Mayor M. E. Covington, Councilmen Will Bennett and Earl Harris, and Representative Allen C. Rife, from the Winter Guest Club, President E. L. Nichols; and from the chamber of commerce, President R. E. Brown, Secretary B. H. Overpe, C. E. Lanier, Fr. R. L. Brown and Fred Touchton.

Property Owners Slow To Use Murphy Law

Not more than twenty per cent of the tax delinquent property in the county, slighted to benefit under the Murphy law, has taken advantage of the opportunity, Clerk of Circuit Court W. T. Carson stated yesterday.

Asked if the recent newspaper reports that the legislature would repeal the law as soon as it came into effect, had increased activity in his office, Clerk Carson stated that it appears that most people expect to wait until the last week, and many of them do not realize that their applications must be in his office on or before the tenth day of May in order that the advantage may be completed before the law expires on June 9.

In most counties in the state the last day upon which application will be received has been announced as the first day of May. Mr. Carson stated that he has set the date here ten days later and will make every effort to handle all applications. But in case his office is unable to handle all that come in the last few days, he will handle them according to the order in which they are received.

"With only 20 per cent of the property eligible having been advertised, if applications for half the balance should come in now, it would be impossible to work up the taxes before the law expires," Mr. Carson stated.

The reduction in tax collections throughout the state, due to the passage of the Murphy Act, has caused county and state officials considerable embarrassment; and for this reason it is believed much more probable that the law will be repealed than that it will be extended.

At least two county officials here have stated that they do not believe another so-called delinquent tax relief bill will be passed by the legislature for several years. The current agitation for enforcement of tax collection laws lends color to this belief, as many tax experts throughout the state have pointed out that it is the delinquent tax payer that causes the man who pays to pay more.

MustFile Homestead Exemptions April 1

April first is the last day to file homestead exemption returns, which under the law must be filed separately each and every year. Tax Assessor P. G. Gearing stated yesterday that at least 50 percent of those eligible for exemption had thus far failed to file. Blanks may be obtained from Gearing and mailed in to him.

Proposed Hospital Site Is Shown To State Committee

Representative E. P. Martin, of Hillsborough, chairman of a legislative committee to select a site for the fourth Florida branch of the state hospital for the insane, which it is proposed to build in this section of the state, was here Tuesday afternoon to look over the proposed Avon Park site at Glenside Hills. He was accompanied by Dr. A. T. Rife, Highlands county member of the committee. They came here from Bradenton, where they had looked over the site offered there, and earlier in the day had inspected a site near Plant City.

Martin expressed himself as well pleased with the Glenside Hills site, saying it had everything needed. It was Martin's first trip here. Dr. Rife has been over the site on numerous occasions before. Martin, a Plant City man, would not say whether the Glenside Hills site was better than the one at Bradenton, but he gave the local committee an afternoon and evening of his time, looked thoroughly into the proposed site, and while he did not commit himself, did not hesitate to state that he was impressed with the site and the spirit of getting up and doing things that he found in Avon Park.

The committee and a number of more or less important political lights from adjoining counties, met with local folks at a rib roast at the American Legion home Tuesday night, had plenty to eat and got pretty well acquainted before the evening was over. Offers of support came from interested friends in this section.

Noted Missionary To Preach Sunday At Baptist Church

Dr. T. W. Ayers, world famous missionary leader in China, and great minister of the gospel will occupy the pulpit at the First Baptist church both morning and evening next Sunday, February 26. He will also deliver an inspirational address each evening next week at the church at 8 p. m.

Miss Louise Smith, executive secretary of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Florida Baptist Convention, will also be at the First Baptist church to direct a mission study school.

The following is a schedule of classes offered, each day next week beginning Monday, February 27: Primary ages, at 8:15 p. m., will study "Chinese Boat Baby," taught by Mrs. S. F. Longbottom.

Junior ages, at 8:30 p. m., will study "Around the World in the Southland," taught by Miss Louise Smith.

Intermediate and Young People ages at 7:15 p. m., will study "Darius in the Dawn," taught by Mrs. Lora Stuckey.

Adult ages at 7:15 p. m., also will study "Go Forward" taught by Miss Louise Smith.

All ages at 8 p. m. will listen to inspirational addresses by Dr. T. W. Ayers, a great missionary,

Haines City Is Winner Ridge Basketball Title

Haines City won the Ridge conference championship in the final game of the tournament here tonight from Mulberry. The score was 30 to 27.

In the final moments of the game Mulberry staged a rally which fell short two points as the final whistle ended the game.

Prize led in the scoring for Mulberry, making 17 points for his team as Lunsford of the Ridge champions Haines City quintet collected 11 points.

Mulberry girls won the Ridge conference title in another hard fought game last night as the final whistle ended the game with Mulberry 44 Haines City 41.

In the consolation game Lake Wales proved no match for Brewster for third place in the Ridge conference, as Brewster swamped them 43 to 30.

Mulberry eliminated Lake Wales this morning in a score of 41 to 30 to go into the finals with Haines City, who defeated Brewster in the second morning game, 52 to 33.

An all-Ridge team was announced as follows: Lunsford, captain; Haines City; Pugh, Lake Wales; Prince, Mulberry; Baker, Avon Park; Raye, Haines City.

Haines City Thursday, defeated Fort Meade in the nightcap of the first round of the Ridge tournament by a score of 37 to 17.

Avon Park, with 12 points, defeated Fort Meade led his quintet with seven points.

Mulberry's Panthers reached the semifinals by swamping the Fort Meade team, 43 to 15.

In a first round game, Sebring trimmed Auburndale, 20 to 14.

The Sebring capers were eliminated in a second game, by dropping a 44 to 20 decision to the Brewster five.

Avon Park was dropped from the tournament in a nip and tuck battle with Lake Wales, losing 24 to 21. The teams were even at 21 to 21 until S. Pough cut the net with a foul shot and Richardson looped in a field goal in the closing moments of the game to give the Highlanders the victory.

Galbraith of Brewster topped the scores in the opening day of the tourney, collecting 23 of his team's 44 points. Other high point scorers were: Frelund, of Sebring, nine; Prince, of Mulberry, nine; Pugh, of Avon Park, 16; S. Pough, Lake Wales, nine, and Campbell, of Sebring, seven.

State's Night Is Observed at Club

"State's Night" at the Winter Guest club was observed on Tuesday evening, with an unusually enjoyable program, which was put on by winter residents from Pennsylvania, Nebraska, Maryland and Kansas. E. E. Hammond was an honor for the evening. Over two hundred visitors were present.

The interesting program given was as follows:

Community singing. Pennsylvania state song. Reading by Mrs. H. H. Yates. Solo by Mrs. W. H. Yates.

Quintette, Mrs. E. H. Becker, Mrs. B. H. Overpeck, Mrs. R. H. Bevard, Mrs. Lena Underhill and Mrs. S. V. Hunnings.

Reading, Mrs. W. W. Keninger. Solo by Mrs. T. J. Ward. An Skit by Messrs. Davies and Boward.

Nebraska state song. Kansas state song. Solos (a) Mrs. Frank Costine, (b) Dolores Costine. "Maryland, My Maryland."

Fact Finding Citrus Body To Study Problems

Orlando, Feb. 21.—Former Congressman H. J. Drane, chairman of a committee of business men announced here yesterday the formation of the Florida Citrus Fact Finding Institution, as a permanent organization, not operated for profit, for the benefit of the citrus growers of Florida. It will function under a trusteeship.

The three trustees appointed are: H. J. Drane, of Lakeland, chairman, well known Polk County business man, and former congressman from Florida; Merrill P. Barber, of Vero Beach, trustee, young business man, bank director and treasurer of the Florida State Junior Chamber of Commerce, and Frank R. Hammett, of Orlando, managing trustee, citrus public relations counsel, for over 30 years an authoritative writer on citrus subjects, and since 1928 active in the Florida Citrus deal. The trustees are to serve without compensation, with the exception of the managing trustee whose salary was set at \$250.00 a month.

An advisory board consists of 11 business men and 11 citrus growers. The advisory board of 22 members must be selected as follows: Eight business men and 8 citrus growers from the 7 citrus districts of the state and 3 business men and 3 citrus growers from the state at large. Operating

funds are pledged by business men of the state. All funds and the purpose of the use of same are vested in the trusteeship as legally set up. The declaration of purpose is the positive policy and procedure that the fact finding body must follow.

The institution will survey and analyze the individual growers' condition, and obtain facts as to why the growers find themselves with income below production costs. It will analyze these facts and report these findings to the growers for their benefit and action. It will encourage the present county growers membership and activity. Facts prove Growers Associations are beneficial and essential and the Florida Citrus Fact Finding Institution at all times recommends and encourages every individual grower to maintain active membership in his County Growers Association. The institution will study citrus laws not only in other citrus producing states but in Florida also. It will engage skilled individuals for the investigation and analysis of these laws, and employ legal counsel to draft therefrom corrective measures. The institution will immediately report to the growers any lack of proper enforcement of citrus laws, and follow the growers' mandate as to the adoption of means to compel legal enforcement.

"The Florida Citrus Fact Finding Institution has been created as a voluntary movement on the part of business men of the state, who realize the seriousness of the citrus situation on Florida business in general," Drane said. "It has

been organized as a means of gathering facts for the benefit of the growers and to bring about corrective measures. It is an institution to obtain facts, not opinions.

"Its organization has been the result of over 1000 interviews with leading business men of the state who expressed the unanimous belief that something was radically wrong with Florida's citrus marketing system. When other citrus producing states continually command a higher market price, and California alone, twice the distance from principal markets, with double the freight rate, can still maintain a market price to return a profit to the growers, there is no other answer, but what the fault is with us. The differential of approximately 60c in freight alone if added to the Florida Growers' present market price would mean the difference between a profit and bankruptcy on the part of the Florida Growers.

"Florida's citrus industry is not bankrupt, but it will be unless the cause of the present condition is found and a remedy applied. We believe the efforts of this new institution as created, along the lines of similar fact finding institutions, functioning for the benefit of other lines of industry, of digging into the facts for the growers use, and then by following through with corrective measures, that the Florida citrus growers may not only be allowed to realize a profit, but that every acre of citrus producing land in the state will materially increase in value, and the state's wealth be thereby increased. Florida business men are vitally interested in such a re-

sult."

Frank R. Hammett, managing trustee, said, "I am manager for the trustees, an operation whose declaration of purpose is the positive policy and procedure that must be followed. This makes the Florida Citrus Fact Finding Institution's activities limited to the finding of facts and then turning those facts over to the grower. The institution cannot act any further without approval of a majority of the growers. The institution recognizes the Florida Citrus Growers Inc., as the growers state organization, and all findings of the Florida Citrus Fact Finding Institution will be made available to the growers own state association, the Florida Citrus Growers, Inc. with the assurance that the facts will be transmitted to every known citrus grower in the state by mail referendum, for approval or disapproval of the growers as to further action. The cost of such growers referendum will be the financial obligation of the Florida Fact Finding Institution.

The Florida Fact Finding Institution will maintain a Washington connection, a representative in each of the ten citrus fruit auction markets, and headquarters offices at Orlando.

Public Service Company Helps Market Citrus

Lakeland, Feb. 25.—(Special)—The superior qualities of Florida citrus fruits are being called to the attention of the \$25,000,000 Rochester, N. Y., residents through an attractive window display sponsored by the Rochester Gas and Electric corporation, with the Florida citrus commission cooperating with the Florida Public Service company to make the exhibit possible. Details of the plan were announced at the citrus commission offices here today.

The Florida company has a reciprocal program by which it promotes Florida citrus in exchange for advertising in Florida of northern points which might be of interest to Floridians going north. The Rochester display started a few days ago and will continue for some little time.

Center of interest in the complete display of Florida fruit is the "sunshine and showers" diorama, furnished by Earl Brown of Florida National Exhibits. This shows a miniature orange grove, in which a rain storm changes to sunshine, with tiny trucks and trains carrying fresh fruit from the groves to markets in all parts of the country. Also featured are photographs of this area and exhibits of the finest fruit from this section, furnished by the citrus commission.

H. R. Cloud, general manager of the Florida Public Service company, with headquarters at Orlando, explained to the commission that his company was anxious to assist the citrus interests of Florida in any way possible.

"It is indeed a great pleasure to announce this program," Mr. Cloud said. "Nearly 40% of the citrus fruit shipped from Florida comes from territory served by the Florida Public Service company. The future of our company as well as that of this entire area is dependent on the citrus industry. For years our company has been studying ways in which we could help increase the markets and sales of citrus products. The courtesy extended by the Rochester company is one of the finest opportunities offered to attract at-

tention of residents of a leading northern city to the excellent characteristics of the abundant fruits which come from groves in this section."

The reciprocal feature of this activity is similar to that in which the Florida Public Service company has been participating with New England Gas and Electric Association for two years. In exchange for the Florida exhibit at Rochester, the Florida company will present a window later in the year calling attention to the vacation attractions of the Genesee Valley where Rochester is located as a place for Floridians to visit on their trips north next summer to the New York World's Fair.

Another important feature of the Florida fruit exhibit in Rochester will be tied in with Rochester Gas and Electric corporation's home service demonstrations during that period. On these occasions Miss Helen Smith, home service director of the Rochester company, has arranged menus which include recipes, such as cakes, desserts, etc., using oranges. The fruit used will be supplied by the Florida citrus commission. Each woman who attends the demonstrations will receive a souvenir orange around which will be a band bearing the inscription, "Eat Florida oranges—they're sweeter and juicier. Come to the Florida Citrus Commission." This will give many Rochester housewives a chance to experience for themselves the superior advantages of eating Florida oranges.

The display is timed to come at the peak of the Florida citrus season, when fruit is at its best.

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Notice of Application for Purchase of Tax Sale Certificates, Including Subsequent Omitted and Levied Taxes and all State Certificates and Taxes unpaid through 1958 on Property Described below in Accordance with Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 398 of 1957 Laws.

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. E. Olive Kniff, Avon Park, Fla., has applied to this office for purchase of Tax Sale Certificate Subsequent Omitted and Levied Taxes due on the following described property situated in Highlands County, Florida, to-wit: Lots 6, 7, 10, 11, Blk. 88, Avon Park, Sec. 22, Twp. 28 South, Range 28 East.

The sale of the certificate and subsequent omitted and levied taxes on the above described property is to be in accordance with Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 398 of 1957 Laws and such sale will be held 11 o'clock a. m. at the Court House door on March 8, A. D. 1959.

Witness my official signature and seal this 15th day of February, A. D. 1959.
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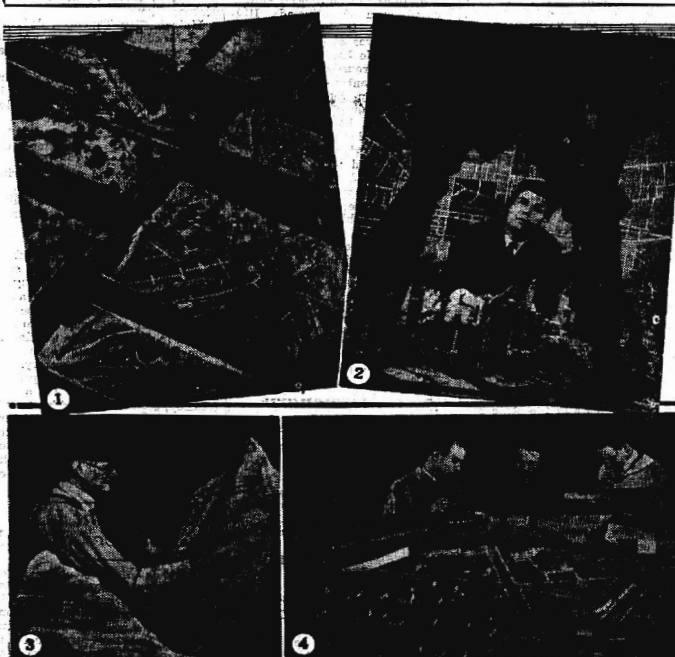
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Creating "U. S. of 1960" for Fair Exhibit



Above, craftsmen at work on world's largest animated scale-model to be feature of General Motors exhibit at New York World's Fair. (1) A few of the 400 panel sections which will be fitted together to create the completed "futurama"; (2) Norman Bel Geddes, designer of the model, inspects a detail of one of the cities; (3) here men are making mountains into meeklings; (4) a trio of artisans lay out some of the half million houses and buildings designed for the spectacle.

A SPECTACULAR and life-like miniature cross-section of the United States, as it may conceivably appear twenty years or so from now, is being constructed as a feature of the General Motors Highways and Horizons exhibit at the New York World's Fair. Covering an area of 36,758 square feet and extending for a full third of a mile, the "futurama," as it is called, will be the most ambitious, animated scale-model ever attempted. Norman Bel Geddes, widely known industrial and architectural designer, is responsible for the idea.

In comfortable chairs, traveling on a continuous escalator-conveyor system which will give the sensation of viewing the countryside from a low-flying airplane. Each of the moving chairs will be equipped with its own sound device describing points along the ride. No detail of realism has been overlooked in planning the spectacle. There will be approximately 16,000 scale-model automobiles, 16,000 of which will be in actual operation over a system of superhighways of the future. Designed to stimulate interest in highway and transportation progress, the exhibit will show traffic-control towers, automatic highway-surface

lighting, speed lanes, superhighway intersections, multi-decked bridges and other innovations. A half million houses and buildings and over a million trees of 15 species are being used to create the scenes. The superhighways will trace over the "futurama" replete with a metropolis of a million population, two companion cities with a combined population of 300,000, and 6 smaller towns. There will be farm towns, vineyards, orchards, mountains and pastures; country club, airport at night, tunnels, drive-in centers and parks, all in life-like design, color and motion.

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