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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS By Edward C. Wayne

Nazis Employ Giant 'Pincer' Maneuver In Drive to Cut Russian Supply Line; Federal Agents Arrest 29 Persons In Largest U. S. Roundup of Spies

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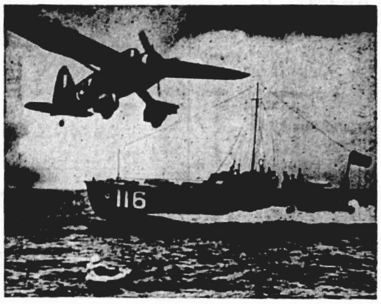


The figure in the lower left corner of the picture is an R.A.F. pilot, who floats on a rubber dinghy, dropped by the land plane overhead. The aviator, after being shot down by Nazis, was spotted by the English air sea rescue service, who radioed the high speed launch, shown just as it reached the scene. The plane hovered above, until rescue was completed, then sped away upon another mercy mission. These dramatic events are almost a daily occurrence in the battle of the Atlantic.

REDS:
Fighting Hard

In spite of empty communiques from both Russian and German sources on the progress of the war on a 2,000-mile front between the two former allies, one thing was evident, that the Russians were fighting with all their might and main, but that they were being relentlessly pushed back before the fury of the German mechanized onslaught.

Bit by bit and piece by piece the picture began to be seen, despite the fact that both sides were barring war correspondents from the scene.

The huge front was divided into four general parts, the far northern, the northern, central and southern.

On the far north there was no discernible activity. This was the part which Germany hoped to invade by means of her occupation of Norway.

The northern front really began with the Finnish-Russian border, that part of it which lies to the southeast and separates old Finland from the road to Leningrad. Here the fighting was severe, but apparently was mostly in the air. Another portion of this front lay somewhat to the southward, and included the states of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania, and the Germans moving from East Prussia, were invading these territories only recently taken over by Russia, and were slowly forcing the Russians back into their own territory.

Here the fighting was extremely severe and the Russians were forcing the Nazis to advance slowly, where at all.

The greatest Nazi advance was on the central front, with the rail center of Minsk, reputedly a "life-line" of Russian supply between south and north armies, as the prime apparent objective. Here the Germans were claiming their greatest successes, and on the basis of meager dispatches, they had indeed covered the most mileage in this district.

Yet most observers believed the Ukraine, the southern front, was the one the Germans coveted most. Yet it was on this front that almost no advance had been made, the Russians claiming to hold the Prut river, which was still a considerable distance from old Russian territory.

Thus the old Nazi "pincers technique" was evident, as it was obvious the Germans were trying to divide the Russian defending armies into two parts, and drive southward to surround and encircle the Ukraine defenders, and to do the same via the Baltic states with the northern defenders.

MORALE:
The Mental Side

As to the propaganda releases, which contained much more space and information than did the official news, there was every indication that both sides in the Russo-German war believed strongly that the other's inner morale was weak.

There were dozens of stories from Russian sources telling of Nazi soldiers and aviators laying down their arms, saying, "we don't want to fight against the Communists."

The Germans, on the other hand, did not make such claims, but took the line of telling the world what brave and foolhardy fighters the Russians were, and by telling stories of "stands to the death" to paint the picture of an army suffering defeat after defeat, and letting its soldiers fight even inside of burning buildings until all were killed.

The purpose of each of these types of stories was to impair morale.

This caused many observers to feel that the outcome of the war might well hinge on a breach in the morale of either side.

SPY:
Roundup

In swift, secret moves, agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation completed the greatest spy hunt in the nation's history and arrested 29 persons on espionage charges. Twenty-two of the group are natives of Germany.

For two years the FBI had been closing in on the spy ring which is specifically charged with conspiring "to engage in espionage activities" in the United States.

Warrants issued for the arrests charged the spies with giving information to foreign nations concerning cargoes of British-bound ships and with revealing new developments in U. S. naval, army and aircraft products.

BOMBER:
U. S.' Biggest

The taking to the air of the B-19, a $3,000,000 airplane, and believed the biggest bomber in the world today, also the fastest and most powerful, was an event.

Yet it disclosed that bigger and faster ships are the rule of the future, and the not-far-distant-future at that.

Not so very long ago 400 miles an hour was a dream, and many experts declared that at 600 miles an hour, or 880 feet per second, the air resistance would burn up a plane.

This was exploded when the U. S. army announced that at Wright field a civilian test pilot dived a plane at the rate of 661 miles an hour, or 968 feet a second, which is losing altitude almost at the speed of sound, which travels only 1,120 feet a second.

The speed of the pilot, Bob Fausel, tester for the Wright company, was a mile every 5.44 seconds. Last year Andy McDonough, an air-line pilot and an air corps reservist, flew a Bell Airacobra in a dive at 620 miles an hour.

And Capt. Ben Kelsey had piloted a Lockheed from March field, Calif., to Mitchel field, L. I., in seven hours, at an average of 420 miles per hour.

The tip-off as to the future came from Washington, for Langley field, already with a wind tunnel which will test ships designed for 300 miles an hour, is going to be revamped to test 500-mile-an-hour ships.

POWER:
For F.D.R.?

There were two distinct schools of thought about the problem of granting President Roosevelt further additional personal powers in the emergency.

The war department, according to authorized sources in Washington, was putting pressure on congress to declare a state of unlimited national emergency, a step already taken by the President, but which would free his hands for considerable action now barred to him by the fact that congress has not given him the reins.

The isolationist press attacked this move instantly, and so did some congressional leaders who had generally been regarded as administration stalwarts.

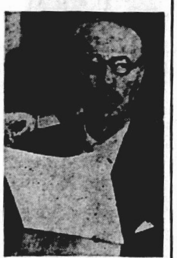
DOOMED:
Are Big Guns

The accuracy of American bombing from the air and the size of bombers and bombs has caused the army chiefs to doom to oblivion the big railway guns, not to mention the huge weapons fixed in coast guard positions.

Say the army chiefs:

"These big guns cannot fire with nearly the accuracy nor the effect of the big air bombers. The war department might as well abandon this weapon."

Great Career Ends



Sad news to the world of music was the death of Ignace Jan Paderewski, world famous musician and Polish patriot, who died in New York of pneumonia at the age of 80. The great pianist was ill only a few days. His long career was one of continued brilliance. At 9 he was a child prodigy and at 18 a professor of music. An accomplished concert pianist at 27, he later became a world recognized statesman and first prime minister of a free Poland.

PLANES:
In Syria

Enthusiastic reports were beginning to come from Australians in the R. A. F. in Syria and northern Africa concerning the performance and maneuverability of American-built planes.

These reports constituted an oddity, however, with regard to the bombers and fighters. From northern Africa came glowing accounts of the performance of Martin-built bombers on the ever - growing strength of Britain there.

The bombers were fast, the sights were unusually good, and they were wreaking havoc with Nazi and Fascist planes in the air and on the ground.

The Curtiss-built Tomahawk fighter planes also came in for unstinted praise, not only on the North African front but in Syria as well.

But the Vichy French had the same Martin bombers that the Free French and British had in Syria, so it was Tomahawk against the U. S. heavier planes there.

The reports of victory were still optimistic in Syria, however, the airmen reporting that the Tomahawks shot down the U. S. Martins quite as well as they did the Junkers, Heinkels and Capronis in Africa.

"The fire power of these fighters is terrific and they have all the speed you want," said the pilots.

NOBODY:
Satisfied

The passage by the house military affairs committee of a report condemning a long list of persons and agencies as having bungled the national defense showed a puzzled public that apparently nobody was satisfied with the way our preparations were being managed.

The house committee attacked the administration, the defense advisory commission, the army, the navy, OPM, the maritime commission and the state department and Secretary Ickes.

The President, it said, had been too prone, when new problems arose, just to name another board, with the result that endless complications and confusion had arisen to slow progress.

And harking back to the President himself, it was recalled that he, too, had declared himself far from pleased with the way things were going, just a day or two before the house committee reported.

William Knudsen, head of OPM, reported defense production lagging; Leon Henderson, price control man, was pegging the prices of tires and tubes and threatening in other directions; the maritime commission was displeased with the ship owners and Secretary Ickes was having a hard time with the nation's oil men.

Defense plant heads, seeking places for their workers to live near their work, were falling out with the federal housing men, and it was hard to find anybody that was pleased with anything in the defense set-up—giving the press and speakers who were opposed to the New Deal handling of the whole show plenty of material for their attacks on its policies.

FIELD DAY:
For Britain

As the Germans, led by Hitler in person, turned their backs on England, the British were having an aerial field day, running day and night air raids with minimal losses in men and ships and dealing out terrific blows to Nazi and occupied territory.

But the Britisher in the street was not satisfied. There was a growing demand for invasion of the Nazi-held lands. This spread far beyond the "man in the street" angle when one general suggested that the time had come for "hit and run" attacks on coastal points as a sure method of wrecking the Nazis' entire build-up for an attack on the British isles.

The general, J. F. C. Fuller, said he understood the British had amphibian tanks, and that if they did have them, now was the time to use them in cross-channel invasion attempts.

500,000 Citizens to Be 'Eyes and Ears' Of Army Air Corps Defense Program

Men, Women Volunteer as Plane Spotters for Air Defense.

By DONREID LAWNFELL

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WASHINGTON, D. C.—Enrollment of 500,000 U. S. civilians as volunteer observers for the army air corps is proceeding under the direction of Lieut. Gen. Delos C. Emmons, commander of the general headquarters air force, whose headquarters is at Bolling Field, D. C.

Thus a million eyes and ears join in another forehanded step in the accelerated national defense program. The war department asserts it has no desire to alarm the general public, but points out that the active co-operation of the citizenry at large is needed for the success of national defense measures.

In event of war the above scene in war-torn London would undoubtedly be re-enacted in all large American cities. The picture shows air-force officers and auxiliary air force women plotters watching enemy movements over Britain. Housed many feet below the surface, they receive a continuous record of information, supplied by scattered detecting posts, similar to the ones being created here. Thus they are enabled to chart defense and attack plans, from a subterranean nerve center, protected from air raids by thick steel and concrete overhead.

Organization of this volunteer corps will constitute a nationwide civilian force who will act as spotters for the four air forces of the army air corps. They will be affiliated with the interceptor commands of each air force.

Modern Paul Reveres.

These modern Paul Reveres who are being welded into a compact unit of defense "minutemen and minutewomen," may not adopt the slogan, "One if by land, two if by sea." But their words in the mouthpiece of a crank driven model telephone from an Iowa farmhouse, or a terse message from a shiny new dial instrument in New Jersey, will send fighter commands, anti-aircraft artillery and balloon squadrons into action.

From the rooftops of their homes, in the towers of churches and skyscrapers, on prairies, farms, fields and beaches, Mr. and Mrs. Average American Citizen will watch for that speck and listen for that telltale hum that may reveal the presence of an air enemy.

Patriotic organizations like the American Legion, and their women's auxiliaries, forest fire wardens, weather observers, CCC and the coast guard, would of course, cooperate in flashing an alarm to headquarters.

Public utilities, telegraph, telephone, railway and light and power systems will take an enormous part in the warning system, for the alarm flashed would be sent over their communications.

The importance of air-warnings cannot be over-estimated, says the war department. To know where the attacking force is poised, where it strikes and where it may be expected to strike, is essential for defense of the country. Here is where the volunteer watchers play a vital role. Organized in their home communities, in grid fashion, they will man listening and watching posts in established time shifts. At the first sign of danger, they will call "Army Flash" into their telephones. In time of attack they would maintain their positions and continue their reports of the enemy's movements, concentration, numbers, etc.

Plan Is Workable.

This method of aircraft warning has already been tested and proved feasible. An experiment was held in the New York-New England region, under the supervision of Maj. Gen. James E. Chaney, commander of the First air force. A corps of civilian observers was organized by the American Legion, to work with the army. The American Telephone & Telegraph company and its affiliated companies handled the communications over their network.

Results were excellent and the experience and knowledge gained from the tests, laid the groundwork for the present program. Also taken into consideration were methods used abroad, as reported by American army officers stationed there.

All-Around Air Defense.

Modern air defense is divided basically into active and passive phases. Included in the active phase is the "defensive" attack, carried out by fighter planes. It embraces also the network of civilians giving the warnings of enemy aircraft. Anti-aircraft artillery, pouring barrages of exploding steel into the skies, and balloon barrages that compel enemy aircraft to fly too high for effectiveness, partly complete the picture of active defense.

To obtain information of the movements of hostile air threats, to attack these threats in the air, to provide simultaneous protection of all sensitive home areas, will be the objectives of these agencies of active defense. Co-operating in a combined effort, they will make possible a positive, aggressive and coordinated counter-blow to sweep enemy fighters and bombers from the skies.

Close liaison will be maintained with the agencies engaged in passive defense. To them, also, warnings of approaching enemy aircraft are vital. They will warn the civilian population and industry, warn home guards, police, fire departments, anti-gas and medical workers to stay on the alert at their stations. They will enforce blackouts of lighting and radio broadcasting which might guide enemy aircraft to their targets. This is a phase of civilian air raid defense, however, for which separate, detailed plans will be made.

The Four Air Forces.

The First air force is commanded by Maj. Gen. James E. Chaney. It covers the northeast and includes the following states: Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia, that portion of North Carolina north and east of the line extending from South Boston in Virginia and Cape Lookout in North Carolina; West Virginia, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky, Illinois, Missouri, Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota.

The Second air force is commanded by Maj. Gen. John F. Curry. Embracing the Northwest, it comprises the following states: Washington, Oregon, Montana, Idaho, Utah, Wyoming, Colorado, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska and Kansas.

The Third air force, under command of Maj. Gen. Barton K. Yount, embraces the southeast region. The states in this area are: North Carolina (except that portion attached to the First air force), South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Arkansas.

The Fourth air force takes in the Southwest. It is commanded by Maj. Gen. Jacob E. Fickel. Included in the area of this force are the following states: California, Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas and Oklahoma.

Bomber and Interceptor Commands.

Each air force is divided into two components, a bomber command, which is controlled by the air force commander, and an interceptor command, which includes fighter planes or pursuit aviation, anti-aircraft artillery and balloon barrages, supervises and controls the entire observer and warning system, and delivers the counter-blow.

Each interceptor command is under the direct control of a brigadier general who is subordinate to the air force commander. The heads of the interceptor commands are as follows: Brig. Gen. John C. McDonnell, interceptor command, First air force, Mitchel field, Long island, N. Y.; Brig. Gen. Carlyle H. Wash, interceptor command, Second air force, Fort George Wright, Washington; Brig. Gen. Walter H. Frank, interceptor command, Third air force, Tampa, Fla.; Brig. Gen. Millard F. Harmon, interceptor command, Fourth air force, Riverside, California.

Tests Will Continue.

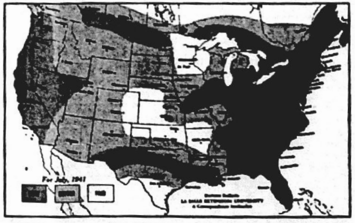
The present air districts—Northeast air district, Northwest air district, Southeast air district, and Southwest air district—are to be designated hereafter as air forces, as follows:

First air force, (formerly Northeast air district); Second air force, (formerly Northwest air district); Third air force, (formerly Southeast air district); Fourth air force, (formerly Southwest air district).

The air defense command was originally formed to provide experience and the basis for future developments in defense against air attacks, which are now being applied in this new organization. The air defense command co-ordinated control of anti-aircraft units, pursuit planes, and aircraft warning service of signal communications, all elements for the protection of an area against hostile air attacks. Now that these functions are to be taken over by the interceptor commands, the air defense command will remain as a laboratory group at Mitchel field, New York, consisting of Major General Chaney, four staff officers and 34 enlisted men. They will continue "test sector" experiments and develop principles, tactics and doctrine to be used by the army air corps.

National Crop Outlook Bright

LaSalle Map of Business Conditions



Farmers are expecting increased harvests and naturally, increased income for food prices are expected to continue. Farm production costs have gone up and they are meeting this situation by working longer hours and using more machinery. The number of tractors on farms is steadily mounting. Farm income increase has, so far, kept pace with that of his city cousin.

By L. G. ELLIOTT

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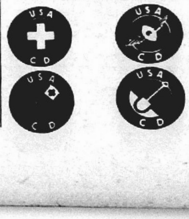
CHICAGO.—As a result of favorable growing conditions during the first part of the season, farmers in most parts of the country expect to harvest even larger crops this year than last year. Higher prices for farm products make the outlook bright, and the upward trend in agriculture is equalled in industry.

Increased consumer demand for dairy products, added to government purchases for relief purposes and for shipment abroad, has boosted income of dairy farmers approximately 20 per cent on the average. While the increase has been greater in some regions than in others, the improvement is widespread.

Farmers who produce livestock for meat are another group which has been enjoying increased income. Hog prices have risen steadily until they are near the highest for the past three years. The government program of purchasing heavy hogs has stimulated the raising of heavier stock.

Emblems Suggested for Women Defense Workers



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Write History in Washington

Envoys of Warring Nations Confer Daily in State Department.

WASHINGTON. — A dingy, dim-lighted corridor in the state department is the crossroads where world historymakers meet.

Their footsteps echo across its black-and-white marble floor as they call on Secretary of State Cordell Hull or Undersecretary Sumner Welles. They are prime ministers, foreign ministers, defense ministers, as well as lesser diplomats. They all seek United States aid in a troubled world.

Across the polished desktops in the rooms off the corridor these men discuss state secrets, often in low tones. Their conversation may involve lend-lease aid for "nations resisting aggression," assistance for moving goods across perilous seas to a friendly nation, or loans to help a "good neighbor." Then, again, they may talk of military problems, American use of Far Eastern fleet bases, defense of the Western hemisphere, action against unfriendly espionage or propaganda.

Convoys Drop In.

Australian Prime Minister Robert G. Menzies dropped in as he wings his way from shattered London to his quiet homeland; Chinese Foreign Minister Quo Tai-Chi calls en route from bombed London to bombed Chungking; The Netherlands Foreign Minister Eelco Van Kleffens is on his way to inspect East Indies defenses; Canadian Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King discusses joint Canadian-United States defense problems; Latin-American collaboration is taken up with Argentine Foreign Minister Ruiz-Guinazu, going home from his former diplomatic post at the Vatican.

Frank Aiken, Eire's defense minister, seeks guns and ammunition to "poke in the nose" any nation which touches his homeland. Diplomats from invaded governments file a protest, for history and "the record," against the aggressors.

Most frequent visitor is Lord Halifax, Britain's ambassador and still a member of the war cabinet. He calls several times a week, stays an hour at a time. He freely gives reporters his impressions of the war in a soft-spoken voice. German correspondents avoid these meetings.

Halifax does not meet Gaston Henry-Haye, Vichy's ambassador. Nimble-witted attendants see to that. When minor members of the French and British embassy staff meet they are invisible to each other. Such is the power of protocol, or perhaps caution.

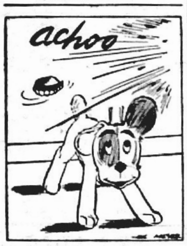
Germany's Charge d'Affaires Hans Thomsen avoids the risk of unpleasant contacts. He never comes in. When he protested the seizure of Axis ships he sent the note by messenger, at night. It was left at a guard's desk at the entrance door. Italy's diplomat left his protest quietly, without discussion, in an obscure office.

'Jeep' Ride Is Cheap Ride

Private Lyle Weymouth collects only a smile from Betty Lane, as he assists her to alight from one of the army's new combat cars, called "jeeps" by the soldiers. She and her two friends, Doris Vance and Tita Baum, were on their way to work at the North American Aviation plant, at Inglewood, Calif., when they were given this military escort.

Chester the Pup

By GEORGE O'HALLORAN



GRANITE-SKULL had his boss over for supper again last night. It's getting to be a habit, but the boss says there's no one in the country that knows how to fix pot roast and noodles like Charlene. That guy's the stingiest bloke in the world. He's so tight he wouldn't spend a Confederate nickel to see George Bernard Shaw all dressed up in an Indian suit, standing on his head and whistling "Yankee Doodle" with a mouthful of soda crackers. He doesn't like me, and while they were eating supper I chewed a hole in his hat and the big scissor bill chased me around the table with a stalk of celery. He upset the pepper and everybody started to sneeze. The boss sneezed his false teeth up against the wall.

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BEDTIME STORY
by Thornton W. Burgess

BOBBY COON WISHES HE WASN'T SO FAT

UNC' BILLY POSSUM wasn't the only one who had listened to the voices of Bowser the Hound and the other dog as they followed somebody's tracks. And he wasn't the only one who had grown more and more uneasy as he listened. No, sir, he wasn't the only one. Bobby Coon had heard those voices quite as soon as had Unc' Billy, and with very much the same feelings. But while Unc' Billy wisely decided to stay right where he was on the chance that those bothersome dogs might not be following on his tracks after all, Bobby, with equal wisdom, decided to run. Something inside told him that his tracks were the ones that those dogs were making such a fuss about and that the farther he could get into the Green Forest the safer he would be. You see he too, suspected that there were men following those dogs, and it was this that made him uneasy and worried. If he had been sure that the dogs were alone he would have laughed at them, for dogs cannot climb trees.

"The deeper I can get into the Green Forest, the darker it will be for there the trees grow closer together and the moonlight cannot get in between them as it does here," thought Bobby as he ran down the Lone Little Path and finally turned off toward the Laughing Brook. He meant to cross the Laughing Brook and keep right on toward the deepest, darkest, most lonesome part of the Green Forest where his big cousin, Buster Bear, had his home. He felt that he would be safer there.

Now Bobby Coon, like Unc' Billy Possum, was very, very fat. Oh, my, yes! He was very, very fat. He was even fatter than Unc' Billy Possum. For weeks and weeks Bobby had had splendid living. There had been so many good things to eat that Bobby had done very little but eat. And because he never had had to go far to get these good things he had taken very little exercise. Now, you know when you eat a great deal and don't exercise you are just naturally bound to grow fat. It had been so with Bobby Coon. He was so fat that he was actually roly-poly.

It made him grunt just to walk fast. As for running, why, he hadn't even thought of running for ever so long.

But he must run now. There was no help for it. He must run as fast as ever he possibly could or those dreadful dogs would be right at his heels and he would have to climb a tree before he reached the dark, deep part of the Green Forest. Of course he could go to his own hollow tree, but to do that would be to tell where he lived and he just couldn't do that.

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Puff, puff, puff! Never had running been such hard work before. Huh, huh, huh! It seemed to Bobby as if he never would be able to get a full breath again. Puff-huh, puff-huh, puff-huh. What a long way it was to the Laughing Brook! Why wouldn't his legs go faster as they used to do? What was the matter with him, anyway? He wasn't half way to where he wanted to get and here he was so tired that it seemed as if he couldn't take another step.

"Bow, wow, ow, ow, wow!" How loud and terrible that sounded! Bobby hurriedly looked behind him. There were those two dreadful dogs right in plain sight! He never in the world could reach the Laughing Brook before they caught him.

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear me! I wish I wasn't so fat!" panted Bobby Coon as he looked for a good tree to climb.

(Associated Newspapers—WNU Service.)

Dachshund Thinks He Will Be Dashin'

This bogus "Hot Dog" seems to be contemplating a wild dash for freedom, as he views his position with alarm. His expression appears to reveal his uncertainty about the appetites of the four bathing beauties who hold him, on the beach at Seaside, Ore.

Arab Collects 20 Suits In France; 21st Unlucky

VICHY.—Colonial dispatches from Algiers told the tale of Abdullah, the Arab who was demobilized from the French army 21 times without being mobilized once. He made a profession of getting out, and might have gone on doing it indefinitely if prosperity hadn't turned his head.

Twenty times, with the aid of false papers, he was demobilized, and each time he drew the usual 1,000-franc bonus. On the proceeds he bought 20 suits, 100 ties and other apparel. Police knew no Arab ever had such a wardrobe legally. They shadowed him, and as he was being demobilized the twenty-first time they arrested him. And he was wearing a Croix de Guerre.

Interned Soldier Wants Peanut Butter

MONTREAL, ONT. — Arthur Hook, 22-year-old private in the Grenadier Guards who was captured by the Germans during the fall of France, wrote to his father here and requested that he be sent some peanut butter.

"I practically dream about eating the stuff and they don't serve it here," Hook told his father.

New Mexicans Win Fight For Water for Dry Farms

HOPE, N. M.—Man's fight to carve fertile farming fields from the dry, dusty desert lands of this southeastern New Mexico country is nearing a final victory after a 38-year battle.

A new $60,000 retard dam on Penasco river, nine miles west of here, soon will be storing up valuable irrigating water to supplement the rest of the state's conservation system for this section.

The new structure, 482 feet long, with a maximum height of 32 feet, will increase by 1,500 acreage feet the supply to almost 3,200 acres of cultivated land which not so many years ago was arid.

When the new dam begins storing up the water of the Penasco, a struggle which began in 1903 to obtain a water storage or detention structure to supplement to failing irrigation water supplies, will have ended. About 40 farm families will be benefited by the additional water.

Financing of the structure was made possible by $50,000 in federal funds and $10,000 raised by the Hope Water Users' association and by merchants in nearby towns.

Minute Make-Ups

By V.V.

Before putting on your dust-proof gloves for outdoor work, of course, you cream your hands thoroughly. And here's another trick—dig your nails across a cake of damping soap. This will be an added protection against grimy nails—just in case a wee mite of dust does seep through.

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Town Is Pondering Use Of $800 Bank Deposit

PERRY, N. Y.—An $800 deposit has been lying idle in a bank for the past 22 years waiting for the town of Covington to find a use for it. The money was raised by Covington residents in 1919 when a rumor spread that American soldiers in France would have to pay for their own transportation home. The rumor proved false so the fund was left on deposit in the bank, and gathered interest in the meanwhile.

MINERS PAN MONTANA STREAMS FOR SAPPHIRE GEMS

HELENA, MONT.—Montana, the land of the shining mountains, may become an important cog in the nation's defense machine because of a little-known and long-ignored stone —the sapphire.

The gem, cousin of the diamond and exceeded only by it in hardness, abounds in the gravel bars of streams where miners once panned fortunes in gold.

Men who "dug for gold in the rain and cold" are gone and mining camps are ghost towns, but the war in Europe may fill the treasure state's mountains again—this time with sapphire hunters.

Because they are much cheaper than diamonds and only a little less hard and resistant to wear, the sapphire is widely used in watches, scientific instruments of all kinds, gauges and airplane and navigation instruments.

Once Montana sapphires began to assume some importance in the Swiss watch industry, but demand collapsed when a Frenchman devised a better "mousetrap"—a synthetic sapphire—in 1931.

For seven years Montana stones were forgotten. Then came the war and the Western world was deprived of the French synthetic by the blockade. Then, too, it was proved the imitation stone was inferior to the natural sapphire for many industrial uses.

In 1938 prospectors and miners began to heed the increasing demand for the blue gem and once more began to work the bars and gravel beds that once produced the famous Yogo sapphires. Today electrical manufacturing companies and makers of scientific precision instruments are turning to Montana for a supply of blue stones.

FARM TOPICS

HOT HAY MOW IS FIRE HAZARD

Spontaneous Ignition May Cause Large Losses.

By W. C. KRUEGER

(Extension Agricultural Engineer, New Jersey College of Agriculture, Rutgers University.)

United States farms suffer a loss of more than $15,000,000 annually from the spontaneous ignition of hay in barns. Foresighted farmers can take several steps to guard against this menace, and one of the most important is to inspect their mows frequently during the two to six-week period immediately following storage—the most critical period for fires.

Legume hay, such as alfalfa, the clovers, and soybeans, is particularly susceptible, although the firing of other hay materials stored chopped or unchopped is not uncommon.

The wetting of hay due to leaky roofs or through open doors or windows and the slower heating of especially dense and green material may result in dangerous heating months after crop placement.

The temperature in hay mows may be determined quickly and easily by means of a homemade thermometer probe. This consists of a small diameter pole, preferably round, having a thermometer fitted in a groove just above the sharpened end. Since probe holes left in the hay may conduct air to hot spots and encourage combustion, as few holes as possible should be made and these should be plugged with a similar sized stick between readings. The plugs serve as markers for subsequent readings in the same location.

Temperatures under 150 degrees Fahrenheit may be considered safe but above this point the hay should be inspected frequently, since dangerous situations may develop. Temperatures above 175 degrees are definitely critical. Fire Department standby service should be arranged, and when temperatures approach 190 degrees it is time to consider removing the hay from the barn. It is well first to remove all tools, implements, and livestock, however, since the action of removing hay and admitting oxygen to hot spots may result in ignition and flash fires.

Disinfectants Help Cure Calves With Foot Rot

Calves often get infected with foot rot when they are allowed to run in yards that are low, dirty and muddy. This is an infectious disease which usually starts in a crack between the toes.

Lameness is the first symptom. The foot swells and the flesh at the base of the hoof and between the toes becomes very sensitive. The infected foot should be washed with a tincture of iodine and bandaged to keep it clean. It is sometimes necessary to soak the foot twice a day in a disinfectant solution and to trim away the diseased or infected tissue. The calf should be kept in a clean, dry place until all signs of the disease have disappeared.

To prevent the occurrence of this infection, keep yards and lots clean and well drained. If a low, wide box of lime is placed so the calves will have to walk through it in going to and from the barn, it will aid in preventing this trouble.

Japanese Beetle Traps Chiefly for 'Scouting'

Traps for Japanese beetles, now widely utilized by federal entomologists, are not intended primarily as beetle destroyers. These traps are for "scouting." They are baited with a mixture of chemicals that attract beetles from a distance, and are set to give information as to the presence or absence of beetles in the neighborhood.

The bureau of entomology and plant quarantine does not recommend beetle trapping as desirable for individuals. The bait is likely to attract beetles from a considerable area, but many of these beetles may not enter the trap, with the result that the lawn or garden near the trap may have more beetles than it would without a trap—although neighbors at a distance may have fewer. To be effective, trapping should be systematic and on a community basis, covering a square mile or more—and the larger the area the better.

Stomach Worms

To treat sheep for stomach worms, the North Carolina State College Extension service recommends drenching them with the following solution: Dissolve four ounces of copper sulphate (blue stone) in one pint of boiling water, then add enough water to make a total of three gallons. Next add three ounces of a 40 per cent solution of nicotine sulphate (Black Leaf 40). The three gallons makes enough to dose 100 mature sheep.

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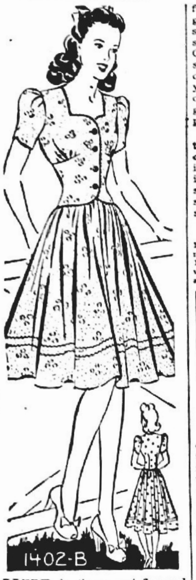

HERE is the peasant flavored Basque silhouette which junior girls have taken to so widely in the past few months. Barbara Bell interprets the popular new fashion in a one-piece frock. Typically basque, with the long top fitted through the waistline and gathered at a bustline to emphasize feminine curves. The full skirt is attached at the hipline. Order Pattern No. 1402-B for yourself today and be the first in your community to wear the new, youthful basque fashion. Shows off the best features of the young girl's figure and has a fresh appeal of complete femininity.

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Day by Day

Let us be thankful that life comes to us in little bits—one day at a time with its duties. We can at least accomplish that much.—Colonel de Burgh.

Household Hints

Window screens may be washed with a hose.

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When frying don't put in the article to be fried until the fat is still and a faint smoke is seen rising from the pan.

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Add about a third of a cup of cooked crisp bacon to the regular muffin batter. This addition makes a delicious muffin.

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To improve the flavor of stewed prunes, cook a slice of lemon and a cinnamon stick with them. A speck of salt added to any fruit sauce helps bring out the flavor.

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Folks You Know..

Viva Kathleen Tillis of Tampa is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth.

Mary Eloise Martin of Tampa is visiting Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts spent the holidays of last week end with friends in Daytona Beach.

Miss Mary Lydia Stebbins of Lake Placid spent the Fourth of July at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Little and children have returned from a visit with relatives in Ashburn, Ga.

Yvonne Head, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. C. C. Hart in Vero Beach.

Mrs. Harry Hancock of Orlando is spending this week here, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Kinsey.

Miss Peggy Jo Smith returned home Thursday night from Clewiston, where she has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. E. Kelly.

Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Chandler spent the Fourth in Orlando, where they visited their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Chandler.

Mrs. M. L. Rogers has been called to Collins, Ga., by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. A. A. Alexander, who is in a hospital with pneumonia. Word received by relatives here, is to the effect that she is improving.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson returned to her home in Bartow Monday, after spending several days with her son, J. A. Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Sappington and son, Roger, left Tuesday for a vacation, which they are spending in the Carolinas.

Miss Agnes Stanton of Jacksonville was the guest of Mrs. Hayes Maxwell and family through the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carnes left last week end for Fitzgerald, Ga., to visit her brother, W. T. Logan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson and daughter, Pamela of Jacksonville, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Carnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Carnes spent the week end in Dundee with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Smith, former Avon Park resident.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCord and daughters, Misses Blanche and Martha McCord spent the holidays in Clearwater and Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Raab returned home Saturday night from a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson in Orlando.

John E. Wilkes, who is attending the summer session at the University of Florida, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mr. O. C. Wilkes.

Mrs. Bill O'Neill and two children, Pat and Bobby returned home the first of the week from a visit with relatives in Gainesville.

Miss Nellene Cannon, who has been enjoying a vacation at her home here, will return to Washington, D. C. Sunday, where she holds a government position.

Mrs. Georgia Wallace and Mrs. Rosie Stone returned to their home in Atlanta Monday, after visiting Mrs. O. D. Cothran for several days.

Miss Mary Winslow, who has been the guest of Miss Jane Hartt, returned to her home in Raleigh, N. C., Sunday night. Miss Hartt and Miss Winslow are both students at the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith of Dundee were guests last week end of the latter's sister, Mrs. Ben Fussell and her brother, Alex Carnes.

Mrs. Nettie Barshall of Jacksonville, former Avon Park resident, is the guest of Mrs. May Walden. She will return home next Monday.

Mrs. John Bunting, who is attending the summer session at Florida Southern college in Lakeland, spent the holiday week end at her home here.

Mrs. Richard Smith and young nephew, Charles Edward Furr of Arlington, Va., arrived Friday to visit their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shepherd.

Mrs. Fred Keune of Miami is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt. Mr. Keune will spend the week end here, and she will accompany him home.

Mrs. A. L. Brown and four children, Josephine, Bunny, Tabby and Kitty Lou returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Dunnellon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hood and two children, Sarah and William, of Charleston, S. C., arrived Thursday for a visit with Mr. Hood's brother, John H. Hood and family.

Mrs. L. N. Langford returned home Saturday from a visit with her son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Milligan, and their young son, Langford, at their home in Miami.

Mrs. Harold Rowe and children returned Sunday from a visit of two months with relatives in Long Island, N. Y. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Rowe's sister, Mrs. Robert Carlson and Mr. Carlson, and their son, Bob.

Mrs. A. E. Delaney and son, E. A. Delaney, Jr., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Peeples and daughter, Jackie of Bradenton, spent the Fourth of July holidays visiting relatives in Gainesville, Jacksonville and DeLand.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware and three chidren, Mickie, Jimmie and Jerry will leave Sunday for Oteen, N. C., for a vacation. Mr. Ware will return home in about a week, and Mrs. Ware and children will remain away until later in the summer.

Friends of little Miss Sandy DeShong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. DeShong of Sebring, formerly of Avon Park, will be delighted to know that she is greatly improved following her recent tonsil operation at a Sebring hospital.

MRS HANCOCK IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. A. H. Hancock of Clermont, who underwent a major operation in Holland's hospital, Leesburg, last Thursday is recuperating nicely, according to word received here by friends. She will be most happy to receive cards from Avon Park friends, who can send mail to the hospital address. Mrs. Hancock is the beloved wife of the late Rev. A. H. Hancock, formerly pastor of the First Methodist church here.

NAVY RECRUITER COMING

A Navy recruiter will be at the post office building in Avon Park from one to four p. m. Tuesday, July 15, 1941, for the purpose of interviewing prospective applicants for enlistment in the United States Navy. All eligible men who cannot contact the recruiter at that time are urged to write to the United States Navy Recruiting Station, Post Office Building, Tampa, Florida, for information.

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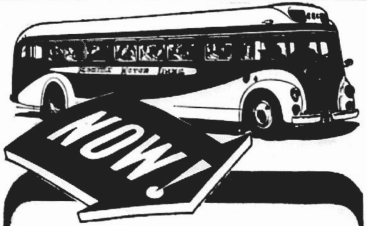

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Operating Costs of Schools Show Increase 45.5%

The current operating cost of the public schools increased 45.5% from 1935 to 1940. During the same period the total number of pupils enrolled increased only 3.5%.

Current operating expenses of the public schools for the school year 1934-35 totaled $13,004,344, and the 1939-40 total was $18,929,345—an increase of $5,925,001. These figures are for current operating expenses only. For the school year 1934-35 there were disbursements of $478,485 for capital outlays and $5,416,402 for debt service, making a total disbursement for the year of $18,899,232. For the school year 1939-40 disbursements for capital outlays amounted to $1,597,871 and debt service $4,639,848, making total disbursements $25,167,310.

The average current operating cost per pupil enrolled was $33.82 for the school year 1934-35, and $47.57 for school year 1939-40. The increase in the total and per pupil cost on a statewide basis is not due to an increase in the length of the school term. White schools operated an average of 170 days in 1934-35, and 169 days in 1939-40. Negro schools operated an average of 165 days in 1934-35, and 164 days in 1939-40.

The current operating cost per pupil by counties shows a wide variation. In 1934-35 Collier County's school operating cost amounted to $64.92 per pupil, the highest of any county in the State, while Bay County's was $19.01 per pupil and Union County was a close second for low place with a cost of 19.04 per pupil.

Highlands county ranked 11th in cost per pupil for the 1939-40 school year. This county spent $57.02 per pupil (for operating expense) as against $38.60 in the 1934-35 school year, although the total enrollment for the county was 24 less pupils for 1939-40 than for 1934-35. Highlands' cost per pupil was exceeded only by Charlotte, $62.46; Clay, $58.10; Collier, $60.92; Dade, $61.04; Flagler, $64.45; Glades, $70.57; Martin, $57.54; Osceola, $58.83; Sarasota, $57.48; and Volusia, $63.13.

For the school year 1939-40 the current operating cost per pupil was $70.57 in Glades County against $32.37 in Bay County. Collier County, which was the highest in the state in 1934-35, reduced their cost to $60.92 in 1939-40, and was the only county in the state which operated at a lower cost per pupil than in the school year 1934-35.

Unquestionably the education of the children is one of the most important functions of government. Proper education requires adequate buildings, maintenance, supplies and competent well paid teachers; but while the education of our children is important, the preservation of our democratic way of life is of more current and vital importance. Billions must be spent for national defense and obviously there is a limit beyond which taxpayers cannot pay. When this limit is exceeded the entire economic structure will collapse. This nation, therefore, faces two enemies—aggressor nations and the collapse of our economic structure through excessive public spending. The latter is a real emergency situation and under such an emergency it is the patriotic duty of school officials to eliminate waste, extravagance, and non-essential school costs.

On the basis of present available information we do not presume to render judgment on whether or not the schools are being efficiently and economically operated, nor to say whether the cost of the schools should be increased or decreased in any county in the state. The enclosed data is intended solely to give the taxpayers, who pay the bill, a summary of the comparative cost of school operations in the various counties of the state.—Bulletin of the Florida Tax Revision League.

Wesleyan Guild Met on Tuesday

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist church held its regular business meeting at the church Tuesday evening. The meeting was opened by song, followed with prayer, led by Mrs. J. S. Roberts.

Reports from various committees were heard. The organization voted to purchase an additional service for two to be added to the set of china presented to Rev. and Mrs. Mingledorff before their recent departure for Jacksonville.

Plans for the guild picnic to be held July 22 were discussed and a committee appointed to plan the menu and notify members of time and place. The meeting closed with Mizpah benediction.

CAMERA CADETS—Wiley Sauls, Floyd Hayes, Bob Still and Pete Shivers pose with Al Lodwick after being inducted into the School as Cadets.

Officers of Lions Club Installed

Ernest Wilkerson was installed president of the local Lions club by the retiring president, Ben T. Stewart, at a very impressive ceremony on Monday evening at Lake Byrd lodge. Other officers installed were: John Bunting, Jr., first vice president; T. A. McNicholas, second vice president; Roland Droit, third vice president; Vester Clark, secretary and treasurer; C. H. Pardee, Bill Mackay, John Giddens, and O. R. Perry directors; Franklin John, tail-twister; and C. H. Pardee, Lion tamer.

The Lions and their ladies were invited for a delicious rib roast, complete with "all the trimmings", preceding the installation, and following the installation, dancing was enjoyed by the group.

Lion "Spot" Bunting and his committee in charge of preparing and serving the delicious "feed" were highly praised by all present.

Present for this interesting evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin John, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sachsenmaier, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Droit, Mr. and Ms. O. R. Perry, Miss Mary Jane Perry, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McNicholas, Mr. and Mrs. Vester Clark, Mr. and Mrs. John Giddens, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Francis, Jr., C. H. Pardee, Miss Mary Ruth Pardee, Earnest Wilkerson, John Bunting, Jr., Mrs. Pat Pollock, Bill O'Neill, Miss Evelyn Clements and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth.

Theatre Party on Wednesday Evening

Members of the BPW club were treated to a delightful evening on Tuesday, when Miss Margaretha Vogt and Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck were their hostesses at a theatre party.

After enjoying a double feature program at the Park theatre, the guests were served refeshments at the drug store.

Members participating in the hospitality of the two hostesses on this occasion were Miss Kate Tompkins, Miss Mattie Tompkins, Mrs. Freed Peden, Mrs. H. C. Bigbie, Mrs. Phillip Boardman, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. Margaret Chandler, Miss Evelyn Clements, and Mrs. Ben T. Stewart.

Bridge Luncheon at Rumpsa Home

The Wednesday bridge luncheon club was entertained most deligtfully this week by Mrs. Paul L. Rumpsa. Members met in the morning and enjoyed bridge in the living room, which was decorated with exquisite bouquets of lilies and roses.

The dainty two course luncheon was served at twelve, the centerpiece for the dining table being a bowl of perennial asters. Choice lily bulbs, high and second high score awards, were given to Mrs. J. A. Johnson and Mrs. Margery Church.

Those present included Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. Margery Church, Mrs. Demos Mandis, and Mrs. Rumpsa.

Mrs. McKnight Is Party Hostess

A delightful party of Tuesday afternoon was given at the home of Mrs. G. S. McKnight, when she was hostess to members of her club at bridge. Summer garden flowers were used most effectively in decorating.

High score award, a souvenir purse, was given to Mrs. W. H. Kempton. The hostess served a tempting refreshment course, consisting of a dessert with a chilled fruit drink.

Club members enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. J. E. Brick, Mrs. Margery Church, Mrs. W. H. Yates, and Mrs. McKnight.

Editorial Praises Former Pastor

Avon Park friends of Rev. J. B. Reid, formerly pastor of the First Methodist church in Avon Park, and who is now beginning his fifth year as pastor of the Myrtle Street Methodist church in Lakeland, will be pleased at an editorial which appeared this week in the Lakeland Ledger, as follows:

PASTOR REID BEGINS FIFTH YEAR

It is customary fo a Methodist bishop to shift his pastors at least once every four years unless a pastor is doing exceptionally good work and his parishoners threaten to go on a hunger strike if he's moved.

Rev. J. B. Reid has just begun his fifth year as pastor of Myrtle Street Methodist church. He has given the church four years of vigorous leadership and his appreciative parishoners have given him loyal support.

He has doubled the membership of the church so that the total now exceeds 400, the budget has been increased each year, his salary has been increased each year and the treasury has shown a surplus each year. Members raised more than $6,000 last year.

Given especially good cooperation by Chairman W. B. Hendrix and other members of the board of stewards, Pastor Reid obviously earned the honor of being returned for a fifth year.

Red Cross Classes to Start July 17

Register now at the Avon Park Red Cross room for a course in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick. These classes will be held each Tuesday and Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, starting July 17 at the BPWC building, South Ridgewood drive, Sebring. This is a part of your home defense program, will last for six weeks and will be under the direction of Miss Virginia Welch, superintendent of Highlands and Glades counties health units. The only charge will be 50 cents, the price of the text book. Anyone who cannot come to the Red Cross room to register, may contact Mrs. Walter S. Betts, phone 109W, who is chairman of the local production room.

Avon-Sebring Whip Highlanders, 5 to 2, At Firemen's Field

The revamped Avon-Sebring ball club whipped the Lake Wales Highlanders last night at Firemen's Field, 5 to 2, behind the steady hurling of Amado Delgado in his initial performance of the Orange Belt League.

Delgado, Sebring high school sophomore, held the visitors to two hits for seven innings and then weakened in the last two frames to allow the Highlanders to score their runs.

MR. THORP IMPROVING

The many Avon Park friends of E. H. Thorp of Montvale, N. J., will be pleased to know that his condition is improving, and he is able to be up and around the house each day. Mr. Thorp fell last January and suffered a broken leg, and has since been confined to his home. The Thorps own a home at Highland Lakes and previously, he and Mrs. Thorp spent their winters here. Their friends anticipate their return next season.

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cornell are announcing the arrival of a baby son, weighing eight and three-quarters pounds, who arrived Monday, June 30. The young man, who is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Stewart has been named William Leighton. Mrs. Cornell was formerly Miss Mary Louise Stewart.

Free Theatre Tickets

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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 next Sunday or Monday. Clip ad in which your name appears and take it to the box office and see

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Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Dorothy DeShong and Dozier Fletcher Are Married Friday in Impressive Ceremony

Of cordial interest to Avon Park friends is the marriage of Miss Dorothy DeShong and Dozier Fletcher, which took place last Friday in Bartow at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Fletcher. The following account of the marriage appeared in the Bartow Record:

Dignified simplicity and beauty of detail characterized the wedding of Miss Dorothy DeShong, attractive daughter of Mrs. Edward B. DeShong of Avon Park, and Sergeant Dozier Fletcher of Camp Blanding, son of Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Fletcher of Bartow, which was solemnized Friday afternoon at four o'clock at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Fletcher.

Dr. J. E. Martin, pastor of the First Baptist church, performed the ring ceremony with only members of the immediate families and close friends present.

The couple was married before an improvised altar in the living room. Arrangements of shell pink and white asters rested in floor baskets while calla lilies and Brazil lilies graced the background.

The program of nuptial music was presented by Mrs. Martin pianist and Sergeant George T. Chatham of Camp Blanding, a cousin of Mr. Fletcher, as soloist. Sergeant Chatham sang "All For You," (Bertrand-Brown) preceding the ceremony and at the close rendered as the wedding prayer "Oh Perfect Love", (Barnby). Lohengrin's Wedding March was used as the processional and the soft strains of "Love's Dream", (Liszt) were heard during the ceremony.

Miss Johnnie Ruth Singletary of Fort Meade was the maid of honor. William Fletcher of Bartow, a brother of the bride groom was best man.

The bride was attired in a smart Redingote ensemble of navy blue worn with a white organdy blouse, the lace lapels of the Redingote matching the top of the blouse. A corsage of sweetheart roses and orginathanum completed her costume. Her becoming hat was an off the face model of natural straw trimmed with navy blue.

Miss Singletary chose for this occasion a gown of tea rose with white accessories, worn with a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. DeShong, mother of the bride was gowned in lavender with a shoulder spray of white roses.

Mrs. Fletcher, mother of the groom wore a frock of flowered silk with a corsage of pink and white carnations.

Following the ceremony Dr. and Mrs. Fletcher entertained with an informal reception.

Fruit punch was served by Miss Jessie Lee Chatham and Miss Katherine Chatham, arrangements of pink and white zinnias decorating the room.

Mrs. George Fletcher was in charge of the bride's book.

The bride's table was spread with a handmade crocheted lace cloth the handiwork of the groom's aunt and was centered with the three tiered embossed cake surmounted with a miniature bride and groom which rested on a crystal reflector encircled with sprays of real orange blossoms. White candles glowed at either end of the table, and the crystal compotes held pink and white mints.

The wedding cake was cut and served with ice cream molded in the design of two white lovebirds, on a shell pink foundation.

A wedding bell motif ornamented the napkins.

Mrs. Fletcher and Miss Almena Fletcher, mother and sister of the groom, greeted the guests at the door and Miss Almena Leitner of Arcadia, an aunt of Mr. Fletcher, received in the dining room.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher left later for a brief wedding trip on the east coast before going to Camp Blanding where Mrs. Fletcher will remain until Mr. Fletcher leaves with the Florida National Guard for their maneuvers.

The bride graduated from the Avon Park high school and for the past four years has been secretary of the school in that city.

Mr. Fletcher was born and reared in Bartow nad after graduating from Summerlin Institute attended the University of Florida. He is staff sergeant in the 31st division, in the 56th Field Artillery Brigade. For the past two years he has been associated with the Jacaranda Drug store in Avon Park.

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Mary C. Napier Wed in Nashville

The marriage of Miss Mary Campbell Napier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Wyly Napier, of Nashville, Tenn., and Lieut. Albert Franklin Ganier, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Ganier, also of Nashville, was solemnized on Saturday evening, June 28th in the picturesque old fashioned garden at "Cedar Crest," home of the bride. The ceremony took place at sundown, and was performed by Rev. Francis McCloud, associate rector of Christ Church, Episcopal. A group of musicians, seated in the summer house in the garden, played a program of nuptial music.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a bridal gown of the antebellum period, fashioned of filmy white illusion. Her wedding veil of illusion in three layers was adjusted to a half circlet of orange blossoms. Her wedding bouquet was of stephanotis.

All of her attendants, including the maid of honor and seven bridesmaids, wore similar gowns, picturesquely modeled in the style of 1860, appropriate to the background of the old house and garden.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the garden, and later supper was served informally. After the supper, Lt Ganier and his bride left by motor for Leesville, Va., to make their home since the groom is stationed at nearby Camp Polk.

Among the out of town guests attending the wedding were John Napier and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kenney of Avon Park.

Mrs. Ganier has visited her uncle, John Napier in Avon Park.

Evelyn Farr Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Gale Farr entertained friends of her young daughter, Evelyn, at a most delightful party at their home on Saturday afternoon, in honor of her fourth birthday anniversary. A variety of children's games provided amusement for the afternoon.

A dainty refreshment course, consisting of punch and individual cakes with pink icing, each topped with a small white candle, and encircled by pastel colored mints, was served. The pretty birthday cake, which rested on a reflector in the center of the lace covered table, was frosted in white and was aglow with four white candles burning in pink rosebud holders. Favors were lollipops.

Evelyn was the recipient of a number of attractive gifts from her little friends invited to share the party with her who were Aileen Sachsenmaier, Arlene Dryer, Sonny Droit, Walton Bishop, Mickie and Jimmie Ware, Leila Johnson, Aileen Reed, Lee Rogers, DeWitt Story, Marnell Jordon Edith Hagan, Dow and Gale Geiger, Mary Jim and Bobby Davis, Peggy Martin, Joline Martin, Sandra and Sarah Shaw, Betty Childers, Glenn Edward and Franklin Welch, Thomas and Tirzah Thayer, Jimmie and Camille Rowe, Dean Martin, Patricia Pollock, Clement McFarland, Karolyn Patterson, Frank England III and Judy England, Sammy Kent, Lawler Wells, Clara Joe Still, Barbara Buchanan, Jeanie Bowman Jack and Sylvia Dalton, Charleen Delegal, Betty Rose Ford, and Deborah Church, Norman Edwards Billy Page, and Shelby Farr of Sebring.

Woodmen Circle Has Luncheon Meeting

The Woodmen Circle was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Harvey Harden at her home on Tuesday. A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at noon, and Mrs. Harry Jackson guardian presided over a business meeting in the afternoon.

Those present were Mrs. Harry Jackson, Mrs. Daisy TenEyck, Mrs. Majorie Amlung, Mrs. J. T. Lamb, Mrs. B. Thompson, Miss Allie Harden, Mrs. H. W. Reddick, and Mrs. Harden.

July Bride

MRS. DOZIER FLETCHER

Enjoyable Party Friday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Harden, who spent the Fourth of July holidays with Mr. Harden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Harden, were honor guests at a most delightful party given at their home on Friday evening.

The rooms were tastefully decorated with bouquets of red roses and deep red petunias, to emphasize a patriotic color note of red, white and blue. The chosen colors were also reflected in the tallies, prizes and refreshment course.

Bunco proved the enjoyable diversion for the evening, in which high score individual prizes were awarded to Miss Lillian Pollard and Mrs. Albert Cain.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream, and white cake squares decorated with miniature silk American flags, were served late in the evening.

Friends sharing the occasion with Mr. and Mrs. Harden were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Still, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Landress, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Polk, Miss Ruth Roberts, Mrs. Gale Farr, Misses Lucille, Odean and Louise Bishop, Miss Barbara Miller of Miami, Miss Vera Tubs and Miss Lillian Pollard of Sebring, Ebert Cribbs, Albert Cain, Miss Allie Harden, and Harvey Harden.

Visitors Honored at Party

In honor of her house guests, Miss DeeDee Stanley and Miss Lorine McGiboney of Quitman, Ga., Miss Willa McGiboney entertained at an informal party at her home on Saturday evening. Gladioli and roses decorated the party rooms in a colorful manner. Pit and other games were enjoyed, and dainty refreshments of cake and punch were served. Chocolate covered nuts were served during the evening.

Friends sharing the party with the two honor guests and their hostess were Miss Gloria Hughs, Miss Betty Touchton, Miss Mary Lee Saylor, Miss Eunice Wills, and Miss Josephine Harris.

Nadine Little and H. Chadwick Wed

Miss Nadine Little of Avon Park, daughter of J. T. Little of Albany, Ga., will be married this morning in Wauchula to Harry Chadwick of Camp Blanding, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chadwick of Avon Park. The couple will take a short wedding trip to points in Georgia, after the wedding.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 163)

Notice is hereby given that J. D. Sherman, Avon Park, Florida, holder of Tax Certificates numbered 1 and 2 issued the 1st day of June, 1925, and tax certificates numbered 205 and 206 issued the 5th day of July 1926, and tax certificates numbered 57 and 1363 issued the 4th day of July 1927 has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon. Said certificates embrace the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Cert. No. 1 of 1925 covers Blocks 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15 and 16, less Lots 1 and 2, block 8, and less Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, block 7, Town of Pabor Lake S-D of W½ Sec 3 and all Sec. 4, Twp. 33, R 28 E.

Cert. No. 2 of 1925 covers Lots 2, Blk 19, Town of Pabor Lake S-D W½ Sec. 3 and all Sec. 4, Twp. 33, R 28 E.

Cert. No. 205 of 1926 covers Lot 4, Block E, Lakeside S-D Sec. 31, Twp. 33, R 29 E.

Cert. No. 206 of 1926 covers Lots 4, 5, 6, Blk. H. Lakeside Sub, Sec. 31, Twp. 33, R 29 E.

Cert. No. 57 of 1927 covers Frac. Lot 1 and 4, Blk. 6, Sec. 13, Twp. 33, R 28 E.

Part Cert. No. 1363 of 1927 covers Lots 1, 2, 3, Blk. H per plat book 1, page 48, Lakeside Sub. Sec. 31, Twp. 33, R 29 E.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificates issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door 11:00 A. M., on the first Monday in the month of August, 1941, which is the 4th day of August, 1941.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1941.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. Young, Deputy Clerk.
July 5, 12, 19, 26

Scavenger Hunt Is Delightful Affair

One of the most delightful affairs of the week was the scavenger hunt, given on Thursday evening, with Miss Gloria Hughs, as the attractive hostess. Details of the party featured a red, white and blue motif.

The guests, armed with lists enjoyed a lively hunt, in which Albert Wester, Charles Locke and Ed Sherman were the successful winners. They were given prizes of "lage firecrackers," fashioned of peppemint stick candy.

Late in the evening, delicious refreshments of sandwiches, individual cake squares, iced in red, white and blue, and punch were served. Compotes held red, white and blue mints, and the table arrangements emphasized the patriotic note, by the use of small flags.

Guests invited to enjoy the party included Misses Betty Touchton, Willa McGiboney, Martha McNicholas, Marjorie Wells, Martha McCord, Mary Clements, Mary Lee Saylor, Lorine McGiboney, Dee Dee Stanley, Josephine Harris, Josephine Reck, Eunice Wills.

Fred Foster, Chandler Wingfield, Ed Sherman, Albert Wester, Charles Locke, James Williams, R. P. Delaney, Weyman Carver, Warren McFarland, Sanford Hartt, Malcolm Crews, Erle Pabor, Jimmie Bradbury, Doyle Perry, Paul Weis.

Bridge Luncheon On Thursday

The Thursday afternoon bridge club enjoyed a most delightful bridge luncheon this week, when Mrs. Jack Head entertained at her home on Lake Byrd for her mother in law, Mrs. Ola L. Head.

From ten thirty until one o'clock contract was enjoyed, three tables being in play. The centerpiece for the luncheon table, was an arrangement of pink rosebuds and shasta daisies in a white pottery bowl.

Those sharing the pleasures of the occasion were Mrs. Norton Smith, Mrs. W. T. Hall, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. S. V. Hunnings, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mr. W. H. Kempton, and Mrs. D. B. Farnell and Mrs. Blanche Williams, who joined the players for luncheon.

Delightful Affair at Methodist Hut

Rev. J. S. Roberts, pastor of the First Methodist church, and Mrs. Roberts were honored at a supper and reception given at the hut on Wednesday evening, over 70 members of the church gathering for this auspicious occasion.

The tempting covered dish supper was served on long tables, artistically decorated with bowls of orchid crepe myrtle, placed at desired intervals. Larger bowls and baskets of these same lovely flowers were placed at vantage points about the spacious room. Rev. and Mrs. Roberts, the board of stewards, and the board of trustees formed a group seated at one of the tables.

Following the supper, an entertaining program was given in the church. Mrs. Orville Wyckoff was heard in several whistling numbers, which were enjoyed and Mrs. H. R. Douberly delighted those present, with her rendition of several beautiful vocal selections. Mrs. G. B. Hall was organ accompanist for these musical numbers. Rev. Roberts closed the program with an impressive talk on "Friendship."

Throughout the evening, a spirit of good fellowship reigned, and the new pastor and his family were warmly welcomed by all church members.

Roberts Are Hosts To Bridge Club

An enjoyable party of Thursday evening was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, when they entertained members of their club and additional friends at bridge. Attractive bouquets of zinnias and lilies decorated the rooms.

Following the progressions, high score club prize was given to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armtrong; second high, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley; the floating prize was won by Mrs. Armstrong; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carlson received the high guest award. The hostess served a dainty salad course after the games, and punch during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts' guests on this delightful occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mrs. John H. Hood, I. H. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rowe, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carlson.

RED CROSS ROOM MOVING

The Red Cross sewing room, which has been located in the Sun Court building, since it was opened in Avon Park, will be moved this week to the second floor of the city hall. It will continue to be open each Tuesday, Wednesday Thursday, and Friday morning from 9 'til 11 o'clock.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 163)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That T. Ed Bryan, Jacksonville, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 713, issued the 3rd day of July A. D. 1939, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon. Said certificate embraces the folowing described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, towit.

Lots 4, 5, 6 and 7, Block 1, per plat book 1, page 35, Sec. 6, Twp. 37, Range 31.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door 11:00 A.M., on the first Monday in the month of August, 1941, which is the 4th day of August, 1941.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1941

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
July 5, 12, 19, 26

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 163)

Notice is hereby given that C. M. and Bela M. Hamrick, holder of Tax Certificate No. 2671, issued the 5th day of August A. D. 1929, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon. Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lots 10, 11, 12, 13, Blk. 125 La Paloma, Sebring.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door 11:00 A. M., on the first Monday in the month of August, 1941, which is the 4th day of August, 1941.

Dated this 2nd day of July, 1941.

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Clerk of the Circuit Court,
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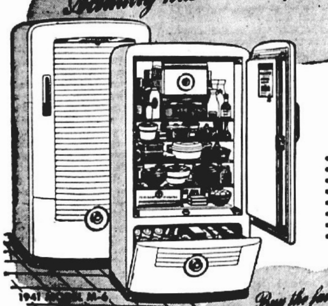

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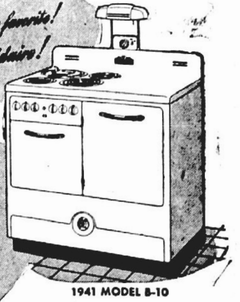

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INSTALLMENT SEVEN—The Story So Far

The depression has hit the Maguire family though Mike Maguire, happy-go-lucky editor and mayor of Covington, is serene. His daughter Kathleen is irritated, however, over several things. Mrs. Newsum would like her son, Jaird to marry Connie Mays, the banker's daughter, though he is engaged to Shirley, Kathleen's sister. Tom, Kathleen's brother, is hard hit by the slump in real estate, and his wife, Mary Etta, secretary, talks of Reno. A younger brother, Alec, unable to get a job, is taking up with a flashy blonde, much older than he. Ritchie Graham, a stranger, helps Kathleen fix a flat and kisses her. He, too, is a newspaper man—and without a job. So she goes to a dance with Gene Mays though she does not like him.

Kathleen thinks she dislikes Ritchie.

CHAPTER IX

Alec Maguire needed another drink. He needed it badly. Liquor gave him a quick pick-up. But unfortunately liquor had a mean trick of dying on him too soon. And the letdown was terrific.

"Isn't the music gorgeous?" burbled Myra.

Alec regarded her sourly. He didn't want to, but quite suddenly he saw every line about her loose rouged mouth. Her hair was metallically yellow, but next to the roots it was drab. Her under chin sagged unless she held it well up. But tomorrow would be another day, reflected Alec bitterly. With absolutely nothing to do. While his nerves crawled with boredom. At least Myra provided action.

She had to be doing something every minute. That was why she liked her playmates young. Maturer men occasionally had jobs to go to. Myra herself had no serious occupation except her own amusement. And she was perfectly willing to pay the piper for the privilege of calling the tune.

"I've got to have another shot before I do a rhumba," muttered Alec when the music ended.

He left Myra to rejoin their party as best she could and made his way a little blindly toward the exit. Marigold Gardens had no license to sell intoxicating beverages. So everybody brought his own. It was quite like good old before-repeal days. Myra always parked a quart or two with her car. She thought Alec might have asked her to go along if he wanted a snort. He was a queer youngster. Brilliant but moody, and his temper was as erratic as a trick cigarette lighter. Myra had never quite figured him out. Perhaps that was why he intrigued her.

Alec had not asked Myra to share her own liquor because he wanted to be rid of her. He had to do something which he dreaded. Myra would think it was a scream if she knew. She would tell the world so. Alec's face looked a little haunted. It was a ridiculous jam for him to have got into. It was all Myra's fault anyway. If she hadn't dared him and if he hadn't been three sheets in the wind, it could never have happened. He might be pretty thoroughly no good, but he wasn't at heart that rotten. At least he hoped not.

"Hell!" muttered Alec Maguire to himself and jerked open the door of the telephone booth.

He continued to frown at the blank wall before him as he dialed a number. Kathleen cleared her throat. At least she and Alec always fought fair. He whirled, recognized her, smothered an oath and hung up the receiver before his connection could be completed.

"If it isn't little sister," he sneered. "Out slumming with Hot Shot Mays and the like of that. I thought you had more sense. I had to look twice when you came in. Just couldn't believe the old eyesight."

"That was alcohol, not shock, Buddy."

Alec went very red. "One in the family's enough," he muttered.

"Why don't you cut it out then?"

"Gene Mays never did a girl's rep any good."

"Maybe you think I like having people refer to my brother as the Boone divorcee's latest gigolo."

The moment she spat out the word Kathleen was sorry. Alec went so white she was frightened.

"All right," he said in a thickened voice, "you win. I'm putrid. I'm not fit to open my trap no matter what you do. I admit it. And that's that. Now will you beat it? I've got to telephone and I didn't invite an audience."

Kathleen's lips quivered. "I didn't mean it, Alec. But, gee, Buddy, it breaks my heart when you're like this."

Alec looked away. His handsome boyish face was haggard, his black eyes a little desperate. "I'm not drunk now if that's what you mean," he said gruffly.

"I know. But—don't go back in there, Alec. Cut that bunch and surprise Mother by turning up at a decent hour for once."

"Yeah, and lie awake till daylight, rolling and tossing because I'm too gosh-awful blue to sleep," he said bitterly. "What time is it?"

"Nine-fifteen by my watch and chain though I don't guarantee it," said Kathleen with a rueful grin at the wrist watch which she had won with a prize essay on the beauty of being altruistic in a grossly material world.

Alec groaned. "Blow," he said sharply.

Kathleen regarded him with narrowed eyes. "You may as well tell me what it's all about," she said firmly, "because I'm sticking till you do."

Alec again colored violently. "You won't like it. But if you must have it, you must. We were all pretty well liquored up this afternoon and Myra wanted to do something different, for a thrill. So she dared me to call up somebody and make a date for tonight."

"Who?"

"Lou Knight."

"Lou Knight!" gasped Kathleen.

Alec nodded. "I ought to be horsewhipped," he confessed miserably. "Myra and the gang bet me that she would turn me down like nobody's business."

"And did she?"

Alec hung his head. "No."

"Oh, Alec! And now you're phoning her again. For what?"

"To tell her I'm sorry but I can't take her to the airdrome after all—because I've broken my neck or something. Gee, Kathleen, I'd never hear the last of it if I stepped out with that little suggin."

"Sure she's a suggin," cried Kathleen passionately. "Her dad's been the town sot for years and she used to play hooky from school because she hadn't decent shoes to wear. And they live up over a beer flat down by the railroad shops and she's never had anything but cuffs and abuse. And she's thin and homely and all eyes and scared to death of people like any other animal that's been mistreated. But she's also proud as the devil and sensitive and pitiful. And she's probably been thrilled to death for hours because you asked her out. But what's that to you? You're going to call her up and break her heart and make mincemeat of her pride."

"Good Lord, you don't think I ought to go! What would Laura say?"

Kathleen's nostrils dilated with scorn. "She'll probably think she raised her son to be an idiot, but I believe she'd prefer that to a cad."

"She'll probably think she raised her son to be an idiot."

Alec drew a long breath. "I'll never live it down," he muttered. "But here goes." He dialed his number and this time he waited for his connection.

"This is Alec Maguire," he said doggedly into the receiver. "Will you please send somebody upstairs with a message to Lou Knight? Tell her I've been unavoidably detained and am going to be a little late, but I'll be there."

He turned away from the telephone. "I hope you're satisfied," he growled.

He did not return to the ballroom. Kathleen watched him going sulkily out the entrance, and didn't know whether to laugh or to cry. He was lucky enough to catch a ride with Len Woods and Sylvia Mason who had decided to move on elsewhere. They set him down on Main Street and, still scowling, Alec crossed the railroad tracks and made for that unlovely part of town against which Mike was always crusading in the Clarion's editorial page, where one row of ugly shotgun houses, all precisely alike, butted against another and the streets were unpaved and dusty, the yards small and cluttered and bare.

Myra would be furious, Alec knew that. But the stimulation of the alcohol which he had consumed earlier in the night had yielded to black depression, and in his present humor he did not much care what Myra elected to do about his cavalier desertion. Nevertheless he was aware that he would feel differently the next day when the hours stretched interminably before him and he had nothing to do but think. The sort of thoughts that had been driving him crazy since he took his degree at midyear and found himself adrift in a world that yawned when he begged for his chance. Just a chance, that was all he asked. A chance to do things. Big constructive things such as he had dreamed of.

"God!" said Alec Maguire to himself.

Near the railroad shops there was a business street of sorts. It consisted mainly of cheap eating places, squalid second-hand furniture stores, pawnshops, small grimy groceries and beer joints. Upstairs were flats. Dingy dilapidated places with shaky floors and flimsy walls and no modern conveniences. Fire traps Mike was always calling them and attempting to arouse an inert public to demand their destruction. Mike's son, tramping up the steep rickety staircase which mounted from outside, cursed under his breath. How had he ever landed himself in such a mess? Even drunk he should have had more sense, to say nothing of decency.

CHAPTER X

Covington was small enough for everybody to know practically everyone else by sight—and gossip. Alec had vaguely known old Pete Knight's little girl all her life although he didn't remember ever having spoken to her before today. They had gone to the same public school because until recently the town had only the one. But they had never been in the same class or even in the same room. Alec thought Lou was about seventeen, three years younger than himself.

Pete Knight was Covington's bad example. He came originally from good stock, or so it was generally believed. At least when he first blew into town some fourteen years before, he gave evidence of having been at one time a gentleman. Even yet traces of a former gentility showed through his maudlin speech. But somewhere the man had lost hold of himself. Mike had a theory that Pete Knight had taken a knockout blow in some fairer existence which left him punch-drunk, so that he couldn't pick himself up again.

But if so, he never referred to it. And he resented any attempt at prying into his past—if he had one. Certainly he had no present or future. He must have been about thirty when he dropped off a freight train in Covington and he had been steadily drinking himself to death ever since. Several months after his arrival Lou appeared. She was barely toddling. A queer forlorn little tyke even then, who had made the trip in the care of successive railroad conductors.

He worked, when he wasn't on a spree, at anything he could find to do from washing dishes in a greasy spoon restaurant to hauling garbage for the city. But most of his earnings went for whiskey with which further to befuddle his already foggy brain. And for several years he had been a physical as well as a moral wreck. But when he was in his cups he presented a tragically ludicrous figure. The sort small boys loved to follow and torment with rocks or snowballs just to hear him roar like a baited and bewildered trapped bear.

"Come," said a small husky voice when Alec rapped at one of the battered doors which lined the long dingy upstairs corridor.

The girl, standing a little beyond the scarred kitchen table, reminded him uncomfortably of a small hunted animal. The flat had only two rooms and was depressingly scant of furniture. But at least an effort had been made to retrieve the ugliness of dark cracked walls and narrow broken-paned windows. A straggling geranium grew in a tin coffee can and the rusty cook stove had been polished.

"Hello," said Lou Knight.

She was very thin and her blue eyes were enormous in her small wan face. She had thick pale brown hair, a shy nervous mouth and little roughened hands that kept twisting at her side. Her glance begged Alec not to laugh. At the room, or at her, or at her sleazy blue silk dress which pulled in places, revealing raw seams, and which bagged in others. But Alec had never felt less like laughing. She was such a pathetic little scrap. So dreadfully shy. So afraid of sneers and blows because life had handed her little else.

"Ready?" he demanded awkwardly. She nodded. And he went on, trying desperately to sound natural.

"Sorry I was late. But if we hurry, I think we can just make the last show."

She said nothing. But he saw the cords working in her thin little neck. She was scared to death. Alec's throat hurt at the look in her eyes. She stumbled on the stair from sheer nervousness and he put out his hand to steady her. But she caught her breath sharply and flinched away. Alec flushed. Had she thought he was going to hit her? He hated himself for being so painfully aware of her shabby little slippers which had scuffed, run-down spike heels. He supposed he was a snob, but the hardest thing he had ever done in his life was to walk through the crowd of hangers-on outside the Covington Airdrome and purchase a couple of tickets for himself and Lou Knight. Even after he was safely inside where there were no lights his handsome young face burned.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

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A MARK OF FINE FICTION

Memos of a Girl Friday:

Dear Mr. W.: **Billy Rose offered** the editors of the Commy Daily Worker a job in his Diamond Horseshoe revue. Billy considers their flipflops, backflips and somersaults the most comical in the world . . . Tip the newspapers to see the next edition of The Hour—amazing revelations on activities of Ukrainians in the U. S. readying sabotage, etc., campaigns. A new Nazi trick because Germans and Italians are no longer in good standing over here and Ukrainians wouldn't be "suspected."

The German Military Attache in Washington is supposed to have told Washington reporters July 27 is the timetable date for the Nazi war machine to take over the Ukraine.

Pearson and Allen are furious with ex-Cong. J. J. O'Connor of N.Y. They claim to have a certified copy of a letter from O'Connor (part of the Kansas court record) in which the ex-congressman recently wrote U. S. Judge Richard Hopkins of Kansas. Alleging that two out of three U. S. appeals court judges in N.Y. were with him in the Congressman Sweeney libel action against the colyumists. Pleading sure victory in N. Y., O'Connor asked Judge Hopkins to postpone any decision in Kansas, but Hopkins promptly dismissed all of Sweeney's suits against 10 Kansas newspapers. Hurray for him.

On Labor Day, 1939 (after the Commies and Nazzies got married) you reported this: Charlie of Place Elegante says vodka (Russian) and Rhine wine (German) is poisonous when mixed! . . . In other words we scooped Mr. Hitler by two years

—*Your Girl Friday.*

Underground Ticker Tape:

The most illustrative underground story circulated in Germany is about the time Goering visited the director of an important munitions plant and asked him if there were still any Social Democrats, Catholic Centrists or members of the other outlawed parties among his workers . . . "Well," said the director, "about 40 per cent of the workers in my factory are Social Democrats, about 30 per cent Catholic Centrists, and about 30 per cent are still members of the other outlawed parties" . . . "Forty per cent, 30 per cent, and 30 per cent?" bellowed Goering. "That makes 100 per cent! Aren't any of your workers Nazis?" . . . "Oh, of course," was the reply, "they are all Nazis!"

During the early days of the Nazi occupation of Paris, whenever German officers entered a cafe, the French patrons would promptly get up and walk out. This so infuriated the conquerors that they issued an edict forbidding Frenchmen to leave a cafe for at least 15 minutes after the entrance of a German officer . . . After that, whenever a German officer entered a cafe, the Frenchmen present would reach into their pockets and pull out small alarm clocks, which they set and placed on the table. At the end of 15 minutes, the alarms would go off all over the place, and the Frenchmen would rush for the doors!

In Holland, on Prince Bernhard's birthday, all loyal Dutch citizens wore a white carnation, the prince's favorite flower, as a symbol of defiance to the Nazis. Angered by this display of "insolence" on the part of the conquered people, the Nazis went around tearing the carnations from the coats of passersby . . . A short while later, Dutch sailors made their appearance on the streets and in cafes with carnations prominently displayed on their chests. The Nazis soon desisted from tearing them off . . . The carnations worn by the sailors contained ingeniously concealed razor blades.

In Holland, one of the big problems in the underground warfare against the conquerors is how to find out who can be trusted. One couple solved it in this manner: A few minutes before two o'clock every afternoon, the wife shouted to her husband, who was working in the garden, "Come in, dear. It's almost two o'clock." Two o'clock being the time for a London news broadcast, their next-door neighbors reported them to the Gestapo . . . The Gestapo didn't arrest the couple, however, because they were able to prove that they didn't own a radio . . . But their neighbors had swallowed the bait and unmasked themselves as Nazi stool-pigeons.

Ever since the Nazis conquered Holland, the natives have been forbidden to listen to the Dutch broadcasts from London, but most of them defy the regulation, at the risk of their lives . . . One Dutch woman, who was recently caught listening to BBC (the British Broadcasting Chain), was arrested. The infuriated Gestapo asked her explanation . . . "I wanted to hear Hitler speak," was her calm reply. "Hitler said he was going to speak from London last September, and I'm still waiting for him."

Speaking of SPORTS

By ROBERT McSHANE

Released by Western Newspaper Union

A LIBRARY full of deathless prose has been written about Billy the Kid Conn since his gallant stand against Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis. Billy, who drew the loser's end of the purse, got a much bigger sendoff than did the champ.

In fact, from the publicity given Conn one would have a hard time determining that Louis had managed to dust off his eighteenth title seeker. Joe seemed incidental to the main story, which was of Billy's confidence, courage, ability and fighting heart. Almost every author, however, was kind enough to admit that Louis won the fight in the thirteenth round.

This is no reflection on Billy the Kid. He did a great job and certainly far exceeded general expectations. He was a good little man in there with a good big man. As usual, the big man finally wore the little man down. William David, as he was christened, is a fighter for every one of his 174 pounds. He demonstrated clearly that night why he formerly ruled the light heavyweight class and why he never has been knocked out by any fighter of his own weight.

Billy Conn

Champion's Guns

But Louis carried too many big caliber guns. Just about the time that Billy figured it was all right to mix things up with the champ, he stepped into a murderous right that foreshadowed the end. The 13 long, grueling rounds brought mixed feelings to the many loyal followers of both men.

Conn's backers were proud of his courageous showing and despondent over his failure to keep away from the champ just when it looked as though the victory had come within his grasp.

Louis' followers were jubilant over his victory, yet fearful that he isn't the vicious, hard slugging fighter he used to be.

There is good reason to believe that Joe isn't the keen, devastating brawler he was a couple of years ago. He has gone to the wars too often and the killer urge has lost its sharpness. During the last eight months he's only had about two weeks at any one stretch when he wasn't in training for a title fight. He has defended the crown seven times since January. It's no easy task to stay in perfect fighting condition for many months when bouts follow each other with clocklike regularity.

Joe's showing in his past couple of fights has given new courage to the hopefuls who would like to wear the crown. Ray Carlen, manager of Lou Nova, is quite definite in stating that his boy will cancel Joe Louis in no more than two or three rounds. And Nova himself is of the same opinion.

The Louis-Nova bout is scheduled for September. We're willing to go on record as believing Lou will be as tough or tougher than Conn and that he has a good chance to win the title. He will win it if Louis isn't better in September than he was in June.

The Cosmic Kid

In spite of his eccentricities, Nova is a dangerous battler. Though no one has labeled him a crackpot, he does manage to depart from the humdrum normalcy. Right now he is slated to be developing his "cosmic punch" somewhere in the Maine woods. The cosmic punch is a blow that he expects will bring the world championship to him.

Not long ago Nova exhibited the cosmic punch at a public demonstration. Most spectators agreed that it looked like a short, straight right to the jaw, but Lou complicated matters when he rang in the law of gravity and the spin of the sphere on its axis. They definitely play an all-important part in the effectiveness of this extra special Sunday wallop.

Lou, incidentally, is no stranger in the realm of mysticism. For quite a while he subscribed to the theory of yogi and spent hours going through obnoxious-looking exercises. But Yogi was abandoned when Tony Galento nailed Swami Nova.

There's only one fault with the cosmic punch. Joe Louis, not understanding it, may choose to ignore it completely. And that might prove embarrassing to Nova.

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SPORT SHORTS

- Chick Meehan, former football coach, is head of the newly formed Brooklyn Boxing association, which will promote fight shows in Ebbets' field, home of the Dodgers.
- Ted Williams, Boston Red Sox slugger, credits much of his batting ability to help from Lefty O'Doul, manager of the San Francisco Seals.
- The seven night games played by the Cleveland Indians this year are expected to draw approximately 350,000 fans.

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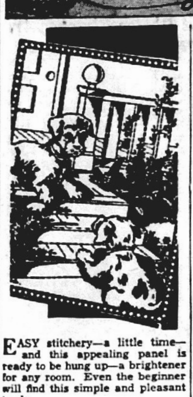

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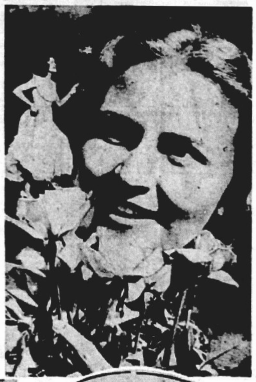
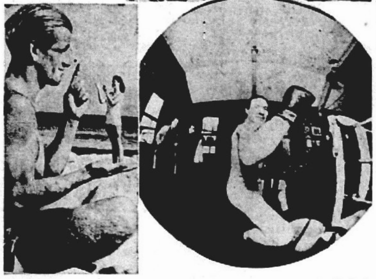
Camera Falsehoods

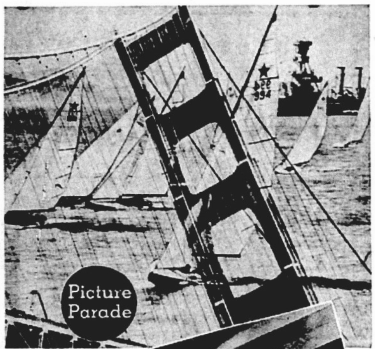
Probably nothing is more untrue than the statement that the camera cannot lie. Actually the camera can be made to say anything the photographer wants it to say, provided he is skilful enough. Various devices are used, such as the wide angle lens mirrors, and double or multiple exposures. This series of photos is composed of camera lies, most of which are quite convincing.



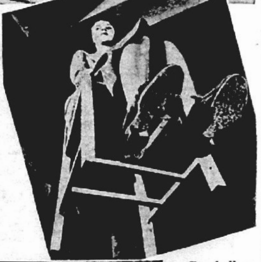
Right: Dorothy Edwards, queen of the rose parade in Pasadena, Calif., becomes a real fairy queen in this impressive trick shot.



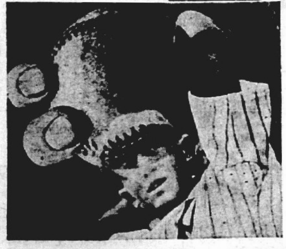
"You've got me in the palm of your hand," says the little lady in the picture at the left. A mere matter of focus. Right: Max Baer shows a mighty "right." Picture made with extra wide angle lens.



Two-Way Wind: San Francisco's Golden Gate. The wind appears to be blowing the yachts one way and the suspension bridge tower another. This is a matter of angles and double exposure.



Right: This chair is not hanging from the ceiling. Chair and sitter were lodged on a big sheet of plate glass beneath which the lensman did his work.



Baseball on the Brain! And what else would you expect a baseball player to have? This is a pitcher of the New York Yankees winding up for a toss with a "ghost ball" on his skull. This is a simple case of double exposure.

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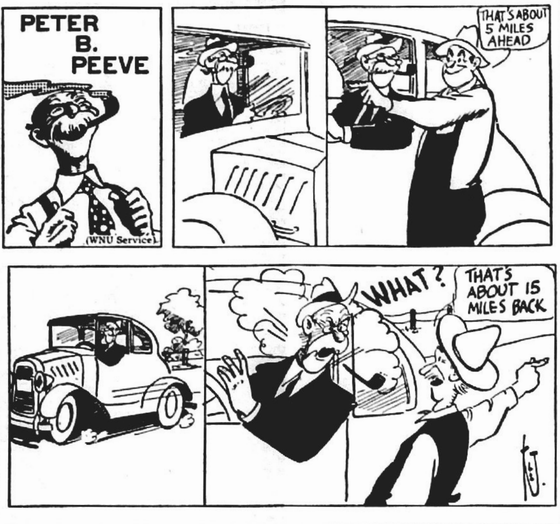

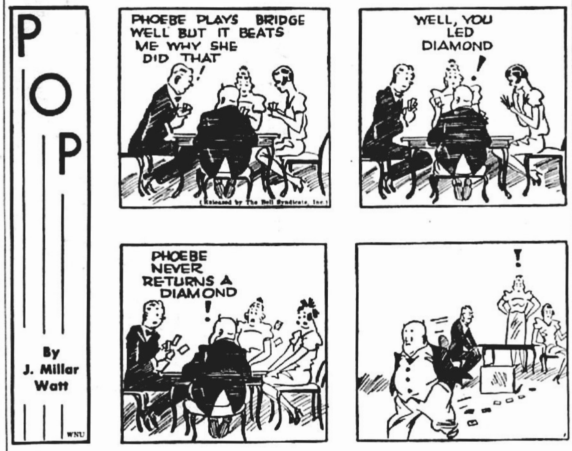
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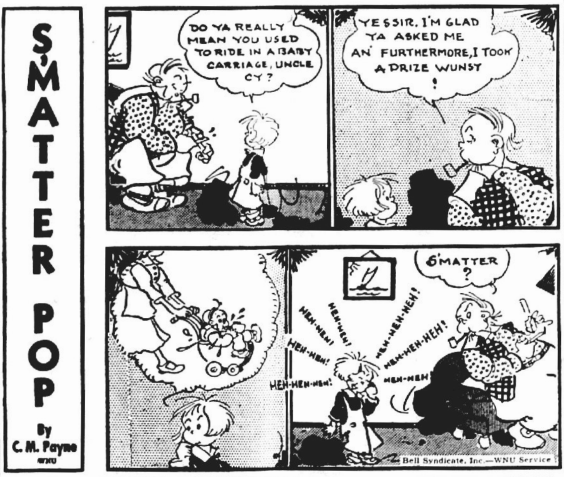
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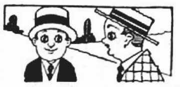

"Can anything make a man feel worse than to have his wife continually begging for money?"

"Sure! To have her demanding it."

Problem Child

A young wife, wishing to send an announcement of the birth of her first child to a close friend in a distant city, telegraphed: "Isaiah IX, 6" which passage begins, "for unto us a son is given."

Her friend, unfamiliar with the Scriptures, said to her husband, "Margaret evidently has a boy who weighs nine pounds and six ounces, but why on earth did they name him Isaiah?"

LAZY BIRD

"What luck, ma, here's our old nest and most as good as new."

NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Reviewed by
CARTER FIELD

National defense brings co-operation between Aluminum company and TVA . . . Defense officials expect shortage in everything except wheat.

(Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)

WASHINGTON. — War makes stranger bedfellows than politics, and national defense "emergencies" are so close to war that just a bit of shooting turns one into the other.

The prize exhibit of strange bedfellow at the moment is the TVA, otherwise the Tennessee Valley authority and the Aluminum Company of America. The TVA has been almost the symbol of public ownership for some years now. The Aluminum company has been the favorite target of the New Dealers since long before they came into power with Roosevelt.

The Aluminum company has a contract with TVA which calls for 30,000 kilowatts of firm power—that is power which must be delivered regardless of low water or other demand. There has been a devastating drouth, from a water power standpoint, in the Southeast for months. Water is so low that there is considerable uneasiness as to what will be the situation at the TVA dams in late August, September and October.

BUT— the TVA has been furnishing the Aluminum company with 150,000 kilowatts right along, drawing down its reservoirs to do it, and not making any fuss about the company having no contract rights to this additional power, nor insisting that higher rates should be paid for it!

SHIPPING DISTANCE VITAL

There are a number of angles to the situation which is responsible for this strange state of affairs. Most important, of course, is the desperate need by the government for more aluminum for airplanes—more aluminum than anyone thinks can be produced, as a matter of fact.

Another factor in this TVA-Aluminum love feast is that most of the bauxite, of which it takes three tons, approximately, to make one ton of aluminum, comes from Georgetown, British Guiana. That is where the shipping situation comes in. Uncle Sam cannot spare ships to take this bauxite through the Panama canal and up the long hurl from Panama to Portland, close to Bonneville where there is plenty of power. When it is stated that it takes the ordinary ship twice as long from Panama to San Francisco as from New York to Colon—leaving out transiting the canal—the impact of ship scarcity on this situation can better be realized.

So the bauxite MUST be worked into aluminum as close as possible to the southeastern tip of the U. S. Hence the Aluminum company, which has splendid plants in the TVA region, must be supplied with every ton it can fabricate, and must be given the power regardless of previous conditions of economic warfare.

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Numerous Shortages Arising in U. S.

With the possible exception of wheat, there is not enough of anything, won't be enough next year, and won't be enough in 1943. That is the accepted doctrine of those who are really running national defense. It is the explanation of a lot of things which are puzzling business men all over the country.

The philosophy is that what we will need is not something to be charted out on a schedule of appropriations to be made by congress. The thing to do under this philosophy is to find out the most of EVERYTHING that can be produced—everything that is under the national defense category, which is surprisingly near everything that can be imagined—and then plan appropriations for those maximum capacities.

The whole picture is easier to illustrate in terms of electric power than anything else, that being one of the things which cannot be produced quickly. So the order of the day is that every possible source of electric power be tapped, whether it will result in power one year from now, or five years from now.

In keeping with this policy the Federal Power commission has even taken what some of the radicals regard as a backward step in the march to eventual public ownership of the electric business. This is the granting of licenses for the construction of the Cresta and Pulga dams on Feather river, in California.

The only concession to the public power bloc was that the licenses were granted for 35 years only, instead of the usual 50. Which means recapture of the dams 35 years hence if the government then is so disposed, and very tight regulation meanwhile.

But the point is that if a suggestion is made that power can be developed at X and Y cross roads, the objection being that there is no probability that the power can be used economically in that vicinity, the administration says: "Go ahead. We will provide the industry to use that power when it is ready."

Ask Me Another

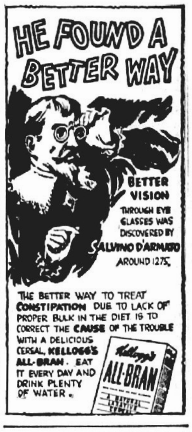
A General Quiz

The Questions

1. What is a chuck-will's-widow?
2. When it's 11 a. m. in Omaha, what time is it in Galveston, Texas?
3. Where are the Plains of Abraham?
4. What does a mace symbolize in legislative houses?
5. How does the world's record for running and ice skating 100 yards compare?
6. Who did Sir Walter Raleigh plot to place on the British throne in place of James I?

The Answers

1. A bird. (So called from its note.)
2. 11 a. m.
3. Canada (Quebec).
4. Authority. A mace is a staff or mallet.
5. The record in both cases is 9.4—Identical to the split second.
6. Arabella Stuart.


HE FOUND A BETTER WAY
BETTER VISION THROUGH EYE GLASSES WAS DISCOVERED BY SALVINO D'ARMATO AROUND 1275.
ALL-BRAN

THE BETTER WAY TO TREAT CONSTIPATION DUE TO LACK OF PROPER BULK IN THE DIET IS TO CORRECT THE CAUSE OF THE TROUBLE WITH A DELICIOUS CEREAL, KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN. EAT IT EVERY DAY AND DRINK PLENTY OF WATER.

Fruit of Labor

It is not by saying "Honey, honey," that sweetness comes into the mouth.—Turkish Proverb.

BEAT HEAT Dust with cooling Mexican Heat Powder. Dust in shoes. Relieves and eases chafe, and sunburn. Great for heat rash. Get Mexican Heat Powder.

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Moderation is the silken string running through the pearl chain of all virtues.—Bishop Hall.

TO CHECK MALARIA IN 7 DAYS take 666

Unknown Future

A wise God shrouds the future in obscure darkness.—Horace.

"Black Leaf 40" KILLS LICE
OUR "Cap-Brush" Applicator makes "BLACK LEAF 40" GO MUCH FARTHER
JUST A DASH IN FEATHERS..
OR SPREAD ON ROOSTS

Greater Ill

Don't fall in the fire to be saved from the smoke.

AT GOOD DRUG STORES
LARGE BOTTLE $1.20
Why Suffer? McNEIL'S MAGIC REMEDY
Brings Blessed Relief
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BEACONS of SAFETY
●Like a beacon light on the height—the advertisements in newspapers direct you to newer, better and easier ways of providing the things needed or desired. It shines, this beacon of newspaper advertising—and it will be to your advantage to follow it whenever you make a purchase.

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Training School To Bring $48,000 Pay Roll Monthly

(Continued from page one)

day which for the cadets will begin at 5:30 in the morning and end with "taps" at 9:30 in the evening. Saturday afternoons and Sundays are generally free periods when the cadets are given leave.

The office personnel for the school will consist of three or more persons in addition to three flight record clerks. Six janitors will be employed to keep the establishment spic and span.

According to Lodwick, the Army personnel, which will supervise the training activities of the school, will consist of a Commanding officer, his assistant, an Adjutant and a Commandant of cadets with he possibility that three or fuor additional officers will be assigned to the school for training purposes in order that they may serve at other training schools. There will be five noncommissioned men and approximately seven civil service employees to take care of the records. One physical instructor will give the students an hour a day of physical training while their health will be taken care of by an Army commissioned medical flight surgeon who will have several non-commissioned assistants to handle the "sick bay." The medical department will be completely equipped.

"Only the cadets and the noncommissioned men will live at the school barracks, Lodwick pointed out. "All the others, including the Army officers, flight instructors, mechanics and maintenance men and office personnel with their families will live in town," Lodwick said.

Preliminary organizational work and the selection of auxiliary airports of which there will be at least three is already underway.

"No effort nor expense will be spared to establish in Avon Park one of the finest training schools in the country," Lodwick declared. "When the new Avon Park school is completed we can assure citizens of this community that it will be an organization from top to bottom second to none in the country. There is much work to be done between now and the time we are to open so we are busy doing the things that are necessary to get the school going," Lodwick concluded.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING OF FIRST MORTGAGE & GUARANTEE COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the First Mortgage & Guarantee Company will be held at the office of W. M. Reck, Jacaranda Building, the City of Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, on the 4th day of August, A. D., 1941, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of submitting to the stockholders of said corporation the question of the dissolution of said First Mortgage & Guarantee Company, and such other business as may come before the meeting.

Holders of Preferred Stock, for the purpose of this meeting, have equal voting powers with the holders of Common Stock.

D. F. CANFIELD,
Acting Secretary, First Mortgage & Guarantee Company
Juy 12, 19, 26

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA — IN PROBATE.

In the Matter of the Estate of WILLIAM H. YATES, deceased.

Notice of Intention to Make Application for Final Discharge.

To All Whom it May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that I have filed my final report as Executrix of the estate of William H. Yates, deceased; that I have filed my petition for final discharge and that I shall apply to the Honorable Thos. A. McNicholas, County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, on the 4th day of August, A. D., 1941, for approval of the same and for final discharge as Executrix of the estate of said William H. Yates, deceased.

This 7th day of July, A. D., 1941.

HARRIET M. YATES,
Executrix of the Estate of William H. Yates, Deceased
Juy 12, 19, 26, Aug. 2

CHOW TIME—Group inspecting kitchen watch tempting food being prepared in the model kitchen. Note the rapt expression on Earl Ware's face.

HERE'S SCHEDULE OF TRAINING FOR LODWICK SCHOOL CADETS

The primary flying course to be given 200 American flying cadets every ten weeks at the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy under supervision of the United States Army Air Corps consists of sixty hours total flying time of which 27 hours and 40 minutes is dual time and 32 hours and 20 minutes is solo, Captain Harry Copland, a veteran Army pilot himself, said "It consists of 60 hours of flying instruction, while the ground school course totals 140 hours. The first week the student is given approximately two hours of dual instruction. This is the preliminary phase as many of the boys have never before been up in an airplane. The instructors check the flying equipment, explain and locate the instruments and outline their functions. The controls and starting and stopping of the engines is also explained to the students on the first day."

"The next step is in the air," Copland said, "where the effect of the controls are explained and straight and level flying is done. Following this comes gentle and medium turns, confidence maneuvers, climbs, climbing turns, glides and gliding turns. Rectangular courses, taxiing, use of brakes and parking of the airplane follows.

"The second week the student is instructed on "S" maneuvers, across roads, stalls, power-on and off spin, landings and take-offs.

"The third week," Captain Copland aid, "generally finds the student ready to solo. During this week the instructor supervises three solo flights on three separate days, and the student is graded daily on his landings, take-offs, and traffic sense. The program for the fourth week is the same as that of the third week.

"Spot" landings are practiced, using a 90 degree approach from 400 feet, the student approaches the field and lands for a designated spot. Dual instruction consists of simulated forced landings, steep turns, "S" turns on road, elementary eights and chandelles. The week is concluded with spot lands on which each student is graded by an instructor from the ground.

"The student in the sixth week does a 180 degree side approach from 800 feet and solo practice is concluded ith a final check as in the spot landings. Dual includes forced landings, lazy eights and chandelles.

"The seventh week of the course," Copland continued, includes 180 degree overhead approaches and dual and solo practice is concluded with a stage checkoff as in 180 degree side approach. Additional dual is given on lazy eights, chandelles and pylon eights.

"During the eighth week 360 degree overhead approaches are made and dual and solo practice is conclued with stage checkoff as in 180 degrees overhead approach. Additional dual is also given on lazy eights, pylon eights and chandelles.

"The ninth week of flying instruction is a review of chandelles, pylon eights and lazy eights. Loops, vertical reverses and half rolls are also practiced.

"The tenth and final week calls for a review of chandelles, pylon eights and lazy eights and advance acrobatics consisting of snap rolls, slow rolls and Immelman turns are taught, after which the student is given his final check," Copland said.

"The ground school courses total 140 hours. The first day is devoted to explanation of the personal equipment of the pilot. The Air Corps Service seat pack parachute is inspected and details on the care, handling and fitting are explained. Goggles, helmets and flying suits, their adjustment and use are also thoroughly explained.

"The mathematics course includes a refresher course totaling 20 hours, while the theory of flight explains the aerodynamics of the airplane. Airplane engines explain the theory of internal combustion engine and engine instruments. Laboratory work on engines and their accessories is also given.

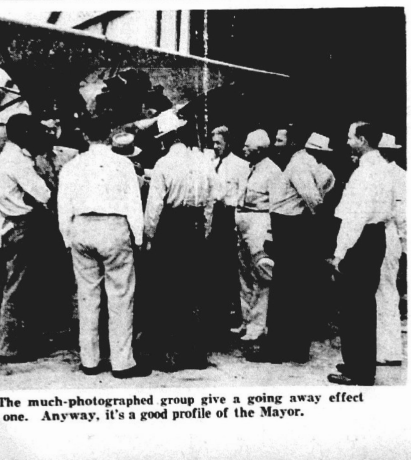
"The course on maps and air navigation goes into the elements of map construction, map reading, navigational instruments and the theory of pilotage and dead reckoning.

"Meteorology includes the fundamental principles of study of the atmosphere, conditions affecting weather and elementary forecasting.

"The operation, maintenance and repair of airplanes including laboratory work accompanied by lectures completes the ground school course," Copland said.

MR JARRETT'S BROTHER DIES

Avon Park friends of R. C. Jarrett will sympathize with him in the death of his brother, H. E. Jarrett, 58, who passed away at his home in Hattiesburg, Miss., last Sunday, following a prolonged illness.



REAR VIEW—The much-photographed group give a going away effect in this one. Anyway, it's a good profile of the Mayor.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00 a. m., with classes for all ages. Topic for adults: "When Religion and Business Clash." You are invited to join us in the discussion of this important topic. We are sure you will find it interesting and profitable.

Morning worship service at 11:00 o'clock when Dr. Elliott will speak on: "How to Read the Bible." For those who are puzzled over the question of the relative value and inspiration of the Old and New Testament Scriptures, this message will be helpful. Come and hear it. Special music.

The world is suffering today because of far too many people it may be truly said: "God is not in all their thought." People are careless about religion and church attendance. Too many have, politely or impolitely endeavored to bow God out of His universe. This cannot be done. God was here before any of us arrived on this earthly scene and He will be here when these bodies of ours lie mouldering in the dust. "The earth is the Lord's and the fulness thereof."

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Avon Park, Florida, will on the 21st day of July, at 7:30 P. M., A. D., 1941 receive sealed bids for the erection of two hangars for the Avon Park Municipa Airport. Said hangars to be built in accordance with plans and specifications now on file in the office of the city clerk and collector of said city.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of $5,000.00, payable to the City of Avon Park, Florida, as a guarantee that the contract will be entered into, if awarded. A construction bond issued by a bonding company in the full amount of the bid will be required. If satisfactory bids are received, contract will be awarded to lowest and best bidder, however, the city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

All bids must be filed in the clerk and collectors office by 12:00 noon, July 21, 1941.

Done by order of the city council of the City of Avon Park, Florida, this the 10th day of July, A. D., 1941.

LOUISE B. ARMSTRONG
Cerk and Collector,
City of Avon Park, Florida
July 12

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

(Senate Bill No. 163)

Notice is hereby given that C. C. Townes, Sebring Fla., holder of Tax Certificates numbered 1767, 1760, 1753, 1754, 1756, 1759, 1761, 1762 issued the 5th day of August 1929 and tax certificate number 600 issued the 1st day of August 1932 and tax certificate No. one part of 600 issued the 7th day of July 1930, has filed same in my office and has made application for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. Said certificates embrace the following described property in the County of Highands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Cert. No. 1753 of 1929 covers Tract 2, Lake Shore Pk., Lake Jackson Home & Grove Co. Sec. 13, Twp. 34, Rg. 28.

Cert. No. 1754 of 1929 covers Lots 10 to 15 inc., Blk. A Lake Shore Pk. Lake Jackson Home & Grove Co., Sec. 24, Twp. 34, Rg. 28.

Cert. No. 1756 of 1929 covers Tract 18, Lake Shore Pk. Lake Jackson Home & Grove Co., Sec. 24, Twp. 34, Rg. 28.

Cert. No. 1759 of 1929 covers Lots 1 to 9 inc., Blk N, Lake Shore Pk. Lake Jackson Home & Grove Co., Sec. 13, Twp. 34, Rg. 28.

Cert. No. 1760 of 1929 covers Lots 1 to 9 inc., Blk. O, Lake Shore Park, Lake Jackson Home & Grove Co. Sec. 13, Twp. 34, Rg. 28.

Cert. No. 1761 of 1929 covers Lots 1 to 16 inc. Blk. P, Lake Shore Pk. Lake Jackson Home & Grove Co., Sec. 13, Twp. 34, Rg. 28.

Cert. No. 1762 of 1929 covers Lots 1 to 14 inc., Blk. R, Lake Shore Pk. Lake Jackson Home & Grove Co., Sec. 13, Twp. 34, Rg. 28.

Cert. No. 1767 of 1929 covers that part of frac N½ of NW¼ lying N of Lakeview not subdivided for years 1927 and 1928, Sec. 24, Twp. 34, Rg. 28.

Cert. No. 600 of 1932 covers Lots 4 and 5, Blk A, Lake Shore Park Sub per plat book 1, page 1, Sec. 24, Twp. 34, Rg. 28.

Part of 600 of 1930 covers SE¼ of NE¼ and S½ less NE¼ of SW¼ and less 28 acres in S½ of SE¼ and SE¼ of SW¼ S of Highway and less NW¼ of SW¼ and N½ of N½ of N½ of SW¼ of SW¼. Sec. 2, Twp. 34, Rg. 28.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificates issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11 a. m., on the first Monday in the month of August 1941, which is the 4th day of August 1941.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1941.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
July 5, 12, 19, 26

CHURCHES OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

"Sacrament" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, July 13.

The Golden Text is: " A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another. By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, if ye have love one to another" (John 13:34, 35.)

Jack Delaney of Punta Gorda will spend the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Delaney. Mrs. Jack Delaney has been called to Adel, Ga., by the illness of her mother. Mr. Delaney will go to Adel during his vacation, about the 10th of the month, and she will return home with him.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

(Senate Bill No. 163)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That J. E. Bowman, Avon Park, Florida, holder of Tax Certificate No. 310, issued the 6th day of June A. D., 1938, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon. Said certificate embraces the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lot 8, Block D, Lakeside Sub-div., Sec. 31, Twp. 33, Range 29 E.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of G. S. Gulfillan.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door, 11:00 A. M., on the first Monday in the month of August, 1941 which is the 4th day of August, 1941.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1941.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
July 5, 12, 19, 26

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

(Senate Bill No. 163)

Notice is hereby given that Austin and J. C. Pearce of Okeechobee, Fla., holder of Tax Certificates No. 1 issued 6th day of March 1911, Tax Certificate part of No. 4 issued 6th day of March 1911, Tax Certificate No. 12374 issued the 4th day of September 1933, Tax Certificate No. 955 issued the 4th day of November 1895, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon. Said certificates embrace the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Cert. No. 1 of 1911 covers Lot 2, Sec 15, Twp. 37, Range 33 E.

Part of Cert. No. 4 of 1911 covers all unsurveyed part W of Kissimmee River, less SE¼, Sec 22, Twp. 37, Rg. 33 E.

Cert. No. 12374 of 1933 covers NW¼ of NW¼, Sec 22, Twp. 37, Rg. 33 E.

Cert. No. 955 of 1895 covers Lots 2 and 3, Sec 22, Twp. 37, Rg. 33 E.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificates issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door 11.00 A. M., on the first Monday in the month of August, 1941, which is the 4th day of August, 1941.

Dated this 2nd day of July, 1941.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. Young, Deputy Clerk.
July 5, 12, 19, 26

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

(Senate Bill No. 163)

Notice is hereby given that Austin and J. C. Pearce, Okeechobee, Fla., holder of Tax Certificates numbered 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 807 and 808 issued the 3rd day of July 1939, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon. Said certificates embrace the folloing described property in the County of Highlands and the State of Florida, to-wit:

Cert. No. 795 of 1939 covers All Frac W of River, Sec. 3, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 297 A.

Cert. No. 796 of 1939 covers Tracts 1 to 16 inc., Okeechobee Highlands, per plat book 2, page 67, Sec. 4, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 160 A.

Cert. No. 797 of 1939 covers Tracts 17 to 32 inc., Okeechobee Highlands, per plat book 2, page 67, Sec. 4, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 160 A.

Cert. No. 798 of 1939 covers Tracts 33 to 48 inc., Okeechobee Highlands, per plat book 2, page 67, Sec 4, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 160 A.

Cert. No. 799 of 1939 covers Tracts 49 to 64 inc., Okeechobee Highlands, per plat book 2, page 67, Sec. 4, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 160 A.

Cert. No. 800 of 1939 covers All Sec. 5, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 646 A.

Cert. No. 801 of 1939 covers All Sec. 6, Twp 37, R 33 E, 644 A.

Cert. No. 802 of 1939 covers All Sec. 7, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 642 A.

Cert. No. 803 of 1939 covers All Sec. 8, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 642 A.

Cert. No. 804 of 1939 covers All less S½ of NE¼ of SE¼ and less N½ of SE¼ of SE¼, Sec 9, Twp 37, R 33 E, 602 A.

Cert. No. 806 of 1939 covers S½ of NE¼ of SE¼ and N½ of NE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 9, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 40 A.

Cert. No. 807 of 1939 covers All Frac Less Lots 1 and 2, Sec. 15, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 140 A.

Cert. No. 808 of 1939 covers Lot 1, Sec. 15, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 30 A.

Cert. No. 809 of 1939 covers Tracts 1 to 12 inc., S-D per plat book 1, page 100A, Sec. 17, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 120 A.

Cert. No. 810 of 1939 covers Tracts 13 to 24 inc., S-D per plat book 1, page 100A, Sec. 17, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 120 A.

Cert. No. 811 of 1939 covers Tracts 25 to 36 inc., S-D per plat book 1, page 100A, Sec. 17, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 120 A.

Cert. No. 812 of 1939 covers Tracts 37 to 48 inc., S-D per plat book 1, page 199A, Sec. 17, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 120 A.

Cert. No. 813 of 1939 covers Tracts 49 to 60 inc., less Tract 57 S-D per plat book 1, page 100A, Sec. 17, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 110 A.

Cert. No. 814 of 1939 covers Tracts 57 and 64 S-D per plat book 1, page 100A, Sec. 17, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 20 A.

Cert. No. 815 of 1939 covers Tracts 61 and 62, 63 S-D as per plat book 1, page 100A, Sec. 17, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 33 A.

Cert. No. 816 of 1939 covers All Sec. 18, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 640 A.

Cert. No. 817 of 1939 covers N½ Sec. 19, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 320 A.

The assessment of the said property under said certificates issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door 11.00 A. M., on the first Monday in the month of August, 1941, which is the 4th day of August, 1941.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1941.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
July 5, 12, 19, 26

Mrs. L. M. Orr and daughter, Charlotte had as their guests for the Fourth of July holidays, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Payne and son, Tommy of Atlanta. Mrs. Payne is Mrs. Orr's sister.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

(Senate Bill No. 163)

Notice is hereby given that J. F. Smoak, Lake Placid, Fla., holder of Tax Certificates number 2609 issued 4th day of July, 1927, Tax Certificates numbered 1491, 1492, 1493, 1495, 1490, 1494 issued the 3rd day of August, 1931, Tax Certificates numbered 9874, 9862, 9859, 9882 and 9873 issued the 4th day of September, 1933 and Tax Certificate No. 1500 issued the 3rd day of August, 1931, Tax Certificate No. 1425 issued the 1st day of August, 1932, Tax Certificate No. 1229 issued 2nd day of July, 1934, and Tax Certificate No. 2521 issued the 6th day of August, 1928, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon. Said certificates embrace the following described property in Highlands County, State of Florida, to-wit:

Cert. No. 2609 of 1927 covers Lots 43, Blk 1, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 1491 of 1931 covers Lots 7 and 8, block 1, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 1492 of 1931 covers Lot 9, block 1, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 1493 of 1931 covers Lot 10, block 1, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 1495 of 1931 covers Lot 13, block 1, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 1490 of 1931 covers Lots 1 and 2, block 1, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 1494 of 1931 covers Lots 11 and 12, block 1, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 1500 of 1931 covers Lot 31, block 4, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 1425 of 1931 covers Lot 33, block 4, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 1229 of 1934 covers Lots 35 and 36, block 1, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 9874 of 1933 covers Lot 6, block 4, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 9862 of 1933 covers Lot 33, 34, block 1, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 9859 of 1933 covers Lots 39, 42, block 1, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 9882 of 1933 covers Lot 29, block 4, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 9873 of 1933 covers Lots 5, 9, 26, 32, 34, block 4, Driggers Grove.

Cert. No. 2521 of 1928 covers Lot 15, block 4, Driggers Grove.

Al of above as per plat book 2, page 29, in Sec. 31, Twp. 36, R 30 E.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificates issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door 11.00 A. M., on the first Monday in the month of August, 1941, which is the 4th day of August, 1941.

Dated this 2nd day of July, 1941.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. Young, Deputy Clerk.
July 5, 12, 19, 26

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

(Senate Bill No. 163)

Notice is hereby given that William H. Melvin, Lake Placid, Fla., holder of Tax Certificates numbered 664, 674, 710, 764, 766, 790, 791, 792, 806, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848 issued the 3rd day of July, 1939, has filed same in my office and has made application for a tax deed to be issued thereon. Said certificates embrace the following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Cert. No. 664 of 1939 covers E½ of NW¼ of NE¼ Sec. 2, Twp. 37, R 30, E, 20 A.

Cert. No. 674 of 1939 covers S½ of NE¼ Sec 11, Twp. 37, R 30 E, 80 A.

Cert. No. 710 of 1939 covers NW¼ of NW¼ and N½ of SW¼ of NW¼ Sec. 33, Twp. 36, R 31 E, 60 A.

Cert. No. 746 of 1939 covers All Sec. 36, Twp. 36, R 32 E, 640 A.

Cert. No. 766 of 1939 covers E½ Sec. 12, Twp. 37, R 32 E, 320 A.

Cert. No. 790 of 1939 covers All Sec. 31, Twp. 36, R 33 E, 640 A.

Cert. No. 791 of 1939 covers All Sec. 32, Twp. 36, R 33 E, 637 A.

Cert. No. 792 of 1939 covers All unsurveyed W of River, Sec. 33, Twp. 36, R 33 E, 217 A.

Cert. No. 806 of 1939 covers All W of River, Sec. 10, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 818 A.

Cert. No. 818 of 1939 covers Lot 1, Sec. 25, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 42 A.

Cert. No. 819 of 1939 covers All Less N½ of NE¼ Less N 59 ft of S½ of NE¼ Sec. 27, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 556 A.

Cert. No. 820 of 1939 covers All Less N½ of N½ Sec. 29, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 480 A.

Cert. No. 821 of 1939 covers Tracts 1 to 8 inc., less Tract 3 per plat book 3, page 59, Sec. 29, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 70 A.

Cert. No. 822 of 1939 covers Tracts 9 to 16 inc., per plat book 3, page 59, Sec. 29, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 80 A.

Cert. No. 825 of 1939 covers All Sec. 31, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 640 A.

Cert. No. 826 of 1939 covers All Sec 32, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 640 A.

Cert. No. 827 of 1939 covers All Sec. 33 Twp. 37 R 33 E, 640 A.

Cert. No. 828 of 1939 covers All Sec. 34, Twp 37, R 33 E, 640 A.

Cert. No. 829 of 1939 covers All Sec 35, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 640 A.

Cert. No. 830 of 1939 covers All Frac. Less SE¼ of NW¼ and less Gov Lot 2, Sec. 36, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 408 A.

Cert. No. 831 of 1939 covers Gov. Lot 2, Sec. 36, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 14 A.

Cert. No. 832 of 1939 covers SE¼ of NW¼, Sec. 36, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 40 A.

Cert. No. 836 of 1939 covers Lots 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 per plat book 1, page 102, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 50 A.

Cert. No. 837 of 1939 covers Lots 22, 23, 24 Sub-Div. per plat book 1, page 102, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 30 A.

Cert. No. 838 of 1939 covers Lots 26 and 25 S-D per plat book 1, page 102, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 20 A.

Cert. No. 839 of 1939 covers Lots 27 and 50 S-D per plat book 1, page 102, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 20 A.

Cert. No. 840 of 1939 covers Lot 29, S-D per plat book 1, page 102, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 10A.

Cert. No. 841 of 1939 covers Tracts 31 and 32 per plat book 1, page 102, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 20 A.

Cert. No. 842 of 1939 covers Lots 33, 35, 36, 37, per plat book 1, page 102, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 40 A.

Cert. No. 843 of 1939 covers Lot 34, per plat book 1, page 102, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 10 A.

Cert. No. 844 of 1939 covers Lots 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, per plat book 1, page 102, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 60 A.

Cert. No. 845 of 1939 covers Lots 48 and 49, per plat book 1, page 102, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 20 A.

Cert. No. 846 of 1939 covers Lots 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, per plat book 1, page 102, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 60 A.

Cert. No. 847 of 1939 covers Lots 57 and 59, 60, per plat book 1, page 102, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 30 A.

Cert. No. 848 of 1939 covers Lots 61, 62, 63, 64, Sec. 28, Twp. 37, R 33 E, 40 A.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificates issued was in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, the property described therein will be sold to the highest bidder at the court house door 11.00 A. M., on the first Monday in the month of August, 1941, which is the 4th day of August, 1941.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1941.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. Young, Deputy Clerk.
July 5, 12, 19, 26

We can serve you day and night with ice cream. Avon Park Cafe.

TO ALL LANDOWNERS IN ISTOKPOGA CONSOLIDATED SUB-DRAINAGE DISTRICT OR THE OLD ISTOKPOGA SUB-DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

You are hereby notified that application will be made to the Honorable W. J. Barker, one of the judges of the Federal Court of the Southern District of Florida, at Tampa, Florida, at 11:00 A. M., July 24, 1941, for an order directing the Receiver of the Istokpoga Consolidated Sub-Drainage District to accept notes and warrants signed by said District in settlement of all obligations, present or future, due by any piece of land in said District to the old Istokpoga Sub-Drainage District, and providing for the release of such lands when the entire obligation is paid as aforesaid from further obligations to the said District. The hearing previously set for June 26, 1941, was postponed until the above date.

Suit involving the above matter is now pending in the United States District Court, Southern District of Florida, Tampa Division, Civil No. 337-T, wherein Edward Major Campbell is plaintiff and Istokpoga Consolidated Sub-Drainage District, et al, are defendants.

LANE AND QUICK
Attorneys for Plaintiff
First Federal Building
Miami, Florida
July 5-12

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY IN CHANCERY.

D. F. CANFIELD,
Complainant,
vs.
MARY E. MOORE, et al.,
Defendants.

TO THE DEFENDANTS, MARY E. MOORE, AND D. P. MOORE, HER HUSBAND:

It appearing from a sworn bill of complaint filed herein that you and each of you are residents of some State other than the State of Florida and that your place of residence and post office address is unknown and that each of you are over the age of twenty-one years, and that there is no person in the State of Florida the service of a subpoena upon whom would bind you. And it further appearing that complainant seeks by the said bill of complaint to foreclose a mortgage upon certain lands in which you are alleged to own and hold the equity of redemption, towit; Lot 6, Block 3, Sec. 27, and Lot 8, Block 3, Section 24, all in Township 33 South, Range 28 East. And it further appearing that complainant seeks to foreclose the said mortgage and to have the said lands sold to satisfy the moneys secured thereby.

THIS IS, THEREFORE, to require you and each of you to be and appear to the said bill of complaint at the office of the Clerk of the above styled court in Sebring, Florida, on or before Monday, July 7th, 1941, and you are notified that in default thereof the bill of complaint will be taken as confessed by you and compiainant allowed to proceed ex parte.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this notice of publication be published in THE SUN, a newspaper of general circulation published in Highlands County for a period of four consecutive weeks next preceding the return day.

Witness my hand and official seal at Sebring, Florida, this 4th day of June, A. D. 1941.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida.
June 7,14,21,28,July 5

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY.

(ORDER OF PUBLICATION)

C. C. (Clayton C.) Townes,
Plaintiff,
vs.
The Clayton C. Townes Company, a corporation of the State of Ohio, et al,
Defendants.

THE STATE OF FLORIDA TO F. C. ALDEN, et al, AND ROBERT E. ROBERTS, DEFENDANTS:

It is hereby ordered that you are required to appear on the 7th day of July before the above entitled Court to answer the Bill of Complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause, the purpose of which Bill of Tax Sale Certificates issued by the Complaint is to foreclose upon certain State of Florida, and the Scenic Highlands Sun is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this order shall be published once a week for four consecutive weeks (five insertions).

WITNESS the Honorable D. O. Rogers one of the Judges of this Court and the seal of this Court in the City of Sebring, Highlands County, Florida, this 2nd, day of June, 1941.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk Circuit Court, Highlands County, Florida.
By J. C. DeShong, Deputy Clerk
S. C. PARDEE,
Avon Park, Florida,
Attorney for Plaintiff
June 7,14,21,28, July 5

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Laws of 1933

IN THE COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN PROBATE.

Re Estate of
HELEN K. WINTER,
Deceased.

TO ALL CREDITORS, LEGATEES, DISTRIBUTEES AND ALL OTHER PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIM OR DEMAND AGAINST SAID ESTATE.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified, required and directed to present any claim or demand of any nature whatsoever, against the estate of Helen K. Winter, deceased, late of Highlands County, Florida, to the Hon. Thos. A. McNicholas, County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, at his Office in the Court House in Sebring, in said County and State, within eight (8) calendar months from the date of the first publication hereof.

You are further notified that such claim or demand must be presented in writing, contain the place of residence and Post Office address of the Claimant and be sworn to by the Claimant, his Agent or Attorney.

GRACE L. RAAB,
As Administratrix of said Estate.
F. T. Haskins,
As Attorney for Administratrix
June 21-28 July 5-12.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Laws of 1933

IN THE COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA. IN PROBATE.

Re Estate of Mary Edna Covington, Deceased.

To all Creditors, Legatees, Distributees, and all Other Persons Having any Claim or Demand Against Said Estate.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified, required and directed to present any claim or demand of any nature whatsoever, against the estate of Mary Edna Covington, deceased, late of Highlands County, Florida, to the Hon. Thos. A. McNicholas, County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, at his office in the court house in Sebring, in said County and State, within eight (8) calendar months from the date of the first publication hereof.

You are further notified that such claim or demand must be presented in writing, contain the place of residence and Post Office address of the Claimant and be sworn to by the Claimant, his agent or attorney.

Date of first publication June 28, 1941.

M. E. COVINGTON, Sr.
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Executors of said Estate.
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