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School Board Starts Economic Pressure To Force Tax Payments

Scrap Metal Drive Starts In Highlands

Legion To Head Up Campaign in Avon Park

To meet the nation's war needs for scrap iron and steel and other salvage materials, a new intensive drive was launched on July 28th in Highlands County to obtain at least 350 tons of scrap materials, it was announced today by Louis H. Alsmeyer, Co-Chairman of the Highlands Salvage Committee. The drive is part of the nationwide drive announced by Donald M. Nelson WPB Chairman.

The collection of scrap metal in Avon Park and surrounding territory will be conducted by Highlands Post of the American Legion, which handled the rubber drive and shipped two carloads, a total of 71,000 pounds.

The American Legion is working in close cooperation with Byrum Shockley, Avon Park chairman for the county committee. The drive will be launched with a national advertising campaign, which starts the first week in August. Two advertisements have been ordered to appear in the Sun and Times, and a third advertisement announcing Avon Park's Junk Rally, will appear the third week in August. The Junk Rally has been set as the week of August 24 to 31, when a systematic collection of all old junk will be made.

Headquarters for the drive have been set up at the Ridge Fuel Company office, 25 So. Lake Ave. The telephone number is 195. Calls made there will be received and listed, and trucks sent to collect the junk during Junk Rally Week. In the meantime, the public is urged to BRING IN all the junk that can be easily handled and dump it on the lot just south of the Ridge Fuel Company office. Anything too heavy to handle will be hauled in by truck during the last week of the drive.

"As the war becomes more intensive on the various fronts," County Agent Alsmeyer said, "the need for scrap materials have steadily increased." He declared that while collections of various types of salvage have already been made here from time to time, the expanding requirements of the war program have made it necessary to obtain much larger amounts of materials.

"The American steel industry this year hopes to produce a record breaking 85,000,000 tons of steel—as much as all foreign countries put together can make. Our country alone this year is going to produce three tons of steel for every two tons the Axis can turn out."

"To bring steel production up to the industry's full capacity of 90,000,000 tons in 1942, however, our steel industry needs an extra 6,000,000 tons of scrap steel for its furnaces. Every ton or scrap we can send them will swell our national production of tanks, ships, planes, and guns."

"An increasing number of boys from this county are already seeing act ve service," he said. "We on the home front must see to it that industry shall not lack the materials needed for adequately arming and equipping them."

"Every housewife can play an important part in this drive. She should carefully inspect all of her house furnishings—to find out what equipment she has that has outlived its usefulness."

"An old iron pot or knife in the kitchen, the steel springs of an old upholstered chair in the attic, some discarded pipe or heating equipment in the cellar, unused wire clothes hangers in a closet—these are a few of the items that will provide pounds and pounds of scrap."

"Waste kitchen pots, and rubber, are also needed badly and should be turned in."

"Please get out this scrap—and get in the scrap."

WCTU TO MEET THURSDAY

The WCTU will meet Thursday evening, Aug. 6 at the Nazarene church. Everyone interested is invited to attend.

EDITORIAL THAT STARTED FIREWORKS

FAVOR THOSE WHO FAVOR US

(From St. Cloud Tribune)

Eight or nine years ago railroad tax men telling state officials railroad assessments were out of line begged for a 25 per cent reduction. "We'll pay our taxes regularly right on the dot if you'll just give us a 25 per cent cut," they told the railroad assessment board. "We'll quit dilly-dallying and pay up on due dates, is the way W. L. Stanley, chief public relations officer for the Seaboard put it at the open meeting of the board—and also in private conversations.

Because it involved a question of law and fact the board refused to grant the reduction and the railroads went to court, which was perfectly proper. But by the time of the trial the Seaboard's suit asked for 50 to 60 per cent reduction.

Comptroller Lee asked the counties to employ counsel, which was done, and with the help of the attorney general's office under two former attorneys general—Landis and Gibbs—the railroads were defeated on their huge claims but gained a reduction of 28 per cent because other property was assessed at only 24 per cent as against a 33 1-3 per cent ratio used by the board in assessing railroads.

To the eternal credit of the late W. E. Ray and his successor as general solicitor for the Atlantic Coast Line, John B. Sutton, that road accepted the decree in the finest of spirits, paid up in full and has followed through, paying up every year since. The L. & N. did likewise.

But not Mr. Stanley's Seaboard. He promptly forgot his pledges and demanded the whole loaf or none. The Florida East Coast—in receivership—sat back and waited. But not the Seaboard. They built up the other angles of the litigation, filed new suits, refused to pay up and paid only half each succeeding year.

Now they have lost that suit too. Judge Love ruled in favor of the comptroller this week and the Seaboard and FEC owe the counties more than a million dollars of delinquent taxes. Taxes they promised to pay if they only got "that 25 per cent relief."

Now we wonder what the Seaboard will do. Will it forget those promises again and go on litigating, and fussing and rowing and creating continued confusion in the already muddled financial affairs of the counties and schools, hard beset by war and its inroads on revenue?

Or will the Seaboard step up and pay up?

The courts have settled these matters. There has never been any doubts in the minds of good lawyers since the 1939 decision. It is high time that Florida taxpayers decided to stop this dilly-dallying. And we can do it.

Public opinion—in rallying to the support of Judge Love's decision—which is in line with and quotes directly to the point, dozens of decisions from the highest courts of the land, including the United States supreme Court—can produce a profound impression which will bring recalcitrant tax dodgers among the railroads (if there remain any) into line.

Counties—and the state government itself — should have such public agencies as use the railroads advise railroad officials that the government expects them to stop stalling now and pay up. Not only Stanley's promises but the court's decision are at stake now.

Let shippers who are carrying an extra load because of railroad delinquency—and the load will be heavier next year—tell railroad traffic men they are going to favor the facilities of such railroads as pay their taxes.

If the delinquent railroads pay more than a million dollars Judge Love says they owe—and pay it this summer—it will mean budget boards will not have to levy that much money next year—a saving of 10 or 12 mills in some fortunate counties, though only a very slight saving here in Osceola where the Coast Line has paid up and kept paid up.

Livingston Named Housing Manager For Sebring

Howard Livingston, Sebring attorney, has received appointment as Housing Manager of the City of Sebring Authority for Highlands County Homes Project. Confirmation of his appointment was received from Atlanta this week.

As manager, he will have full charge of the renting and maintenance of properties which have been leased from the Federal Public Housing Authority.

The new housing development is located south of Sebring on the DeSoto City road. It is comprised of 146 fabricated buildings consisting of 193 dwelling units which contain one, two and three bedrooms. Designed only for workers of Hendricks Field, it is believed that the civil service workers will receive first preference. Non-commissioned officers' families will occupy the rest of the homes.

Frank Armistead Jiggs Jackson Enlist in Navy

Frank Armistead and Clarence E. "Jiggs" Jackson are in Jacksonville, where they went Thursday for final examinations preparatory to joining the U. S. Naval Reserve for the duration. Armistead was a former Navy man in the World War, and is applying for a rating as petty officer. Jackson nlisted as an electrician.

Tax Collection Campaign Is Getting Results

Fourteen of the 33 pieces of property advertised by the county last week were either redeemed by the owners or tax certificates bought by investors, Deputy Clerk Dan Young said today.

A total of $5,906.90 has been collected in the past week through the advertising campaign which is bringing in delinquent tax money, in a very successful manner, Young said. Not only have certificates been sold for many of the advertised pieces, but the campaign has stirred up delinquent tax collections generally. Many inquiries have been received, and a great deal of other certificates have been sold or redeemed.

The plan of advertising tax certificates as "good buys," and listing and identifying them much as a real estate agent would, is working to the advantage of the county, and will be continued, county officials said. More properties will be advertised next week, it was said.

Highlands' idea is being watched by other counties, which are looking for ways and means of getting in delinquent taxes, and publicity was given the plan by Russell Kay, who this week devoted his column, "Too Late to Classify" to the new idea. His column is published by nearly all of the papers in the state, and is widely read throughout Florida.

Resolution Calls "Spades Spades" and "Cards Cards"

Calling "spades spades" and "cards cards"—in other words, "mincing no words," the Highlands county school board's resolution asking for economic pressure to force the Seaboard to pay its delinquent taxes, follows:

WHEREAS, Florida's trunk line railroads contested State and County tax levies and assessments over a period of years, and

WHEREAS, in 1939 the state courts rendered decrees under which all of the railroads serving this county except the Seaboard system have paid all delinquent taxes and are now paying all current taxes, and

WHEREAS, the Seaboard is continuing its cotests, procrastinating and delaying payment on thousands of dollars legally due, and appealing and delaying payment of levies which other railroads have acknowledged and paid in full, and

WHEREAS, the motive seems to lie in the fact that the Seaboard can save interest on such payments, having phenagled successfully to prevent passage of legislation in 1941 that would have compelled that road to pay interest and penalties for delinquencies as other taxpayers do, and

WHEREAS, the Seaboard recently lost its suit to prevent payment of more than a million dollars of delinquencies in this state and is now engaged in interposing every means of delay, and

WHEREAS, the Seaboard continues to refuse payment, seeking to force adjustments or compromises (which are illegal under the Constitution) by such delays, court appeals, procrastination, etc., to the end that while this road saves $60,000 per year in interest the Counties and schools are compelled to borrow this $1,045,000 which should have been paid and thus increase the burden of other taxpayers by interest payments totalling more than $60,000 per year, and

WHEREAS, this is being done in spite of facts:

1. Seaboard's Florida taxes are not only lower per mile, per dollar of gross business, and per dollar of investment than the taxes which have been paid by the Atlantic Coast Line but the Seaboard which does 20 per cent more business in Florida than the Coast Line declines to pay tax bills that are 20 to 30 per cent lower than the Coast Line's which have been paid; and

2. Seaboard's Florida taxes are lower per mile or per ton of "business originated" than in other states through which it operates and pays its taxes in full; this in spite of the fact that nearly 60 per cent of all the business of the Seaboard originates or terminates in Florida,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,

First—This Board of Public Instruction for Highlands County here and now decides that we will adopt a policy of favoring those who favor the County in the financial crises ahead and in furtherance of this policy we will route all railroad business subject to our direction over the Atlantic Coast Line for the following reasons: (a) said Atlantic Coast Line is co-operating fully with the county and schools in tax matters and fiscal matters pertaining to the county schools; (b) said Atlantic Coast Line is paying taxes promptly in accordance with the decree of the court without interposing methods leading to interminable delay; (c) said Atlantic Coast Line's policy is saving taxpayers of this county and the state thousands of dollars in interest; (d) and said Atlantic Coast Line is doing these favors to our county and state in spite of the fact that the Atlantic Coast Line carries a much heavier tax burden in Florida than the Seaboard and at the same time does less gross business in Florida.

Second—This Board suggests that all who pay taxes adopt this same policy of favoring those taxpayers who cooperate with the county and the state in perilous financial times like these and this Board hereby points directly to the comparative policies of the Seaboard and the Atlantic Coast Line Railroads as above outlined;

Third—That copies of this resolution be furnished agents of the

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Will Use ACL Because That Road Pays Taxes Promptly---SAL Doesn't

E-D-I-T-O-R-I-A-L

BOTH CAUSE AND EFFECT JUSTIFY THE MEANS

Throughout a lifetime in the newspaper profession, we have seldom felt economic pressure was justified—but harsh as it may seem, we have become convinced that both "the cause" and "the effect" join to contribute to "justifying the means" finally adopted by the Highlands County School Board to force Seaboard officials to pay their taxes and cease their litigation which ties up the FEC taxes too—in all totaling $1,045,000.

Truly, every other means has been tried. We know that. We have watched—from the inside and from the outside—the sixteen-year struggle to enforce collection of taxes against the Seaboard and other railroads. Every remedy has been tried—except bribery—and Comptroller Lee rightfully refuses to "buy" the Seaboard into paying one half their taxes by cancelling the other half.

Other roads finally have paid and ceased contesting. But with the Seaboard neither rhyme nor reason has availed.

That railroad is saving $60,000 per year as long as it can stave off payment and has absolutely nothing to lose, so it goes blythely along inventing new ways and means to delay and will continue to do so unless officialdom gives in to their "blackmail scheme" for half payment or finds another way to stop them.

If economic pressure will stop them—economic pressure is justified. Fighting fire with fire has been proven in the past.

So, the only remedy left is economic pressure.

Now it is being applied. Some of officialdom hope the application will spread. In this particular case the basis is economically and morally sound—Americans do have the right to "favor those who favor us," to "trade with those who trade with us," to "scratch my back and I'll scratch yours."

And we do have a sound conomic right to trade with those who pay us and who carry their just share of the tax load of our state and its subdivisions.

When acceptance of responsibility to the commonwealth falls as far as the Seaboard's has dropped in these tax cases—truly does "the cause" and "the effect" join with "the end" to "justify the means."

Mayor Covington Reports on Work at Cemetery

Mayor M. E. Covington, who recently solicited funds from the citizens of Avon Park, for needed work and beautification at Bougainvillea cemetery, wishes to advise the public that the money was well spent in various needed ways.

100 Cocos Plumosus palms were planted, and all of the sago palms in the cemetery were sprayed. In addition, all varieties of palms were fertilized, watered, and the newly planted palms were given special treatment. When a reporter asked the mayor if he needed any more money to complete the work he has in mind, he said, "Yes, but I'm not going to ask for it right now." But if any public spirited citizen, wishes to slip a little donation to the mayor for additional improvements at the cemetery, it is surmised that he will accept it and be most grateful for the gift.

Wm. Hauptmann To Speak Sunday at Congregational

Wm. Hauptmann will give a layman's talk at the 11 o'clock service at the Union Congregational church on Sunday morning. During the absence of the pastor, Dr. A. C. Elliott, various speakers will fill the pulpit each Sunday.

31 NEW DOCTORS

Dr. I. W. Chandler, president of the State Board of Medical Examiners, was in Tampa Monday, where he signed licenses for 31 new doctors, who recently passed their examinations. Out of 87 who took the examinations, only six failed, Dr. Chandler said. Many of the doctors will enter the army, it was said.

New Banking Fee Regulations

"The Florida Iceer," official publication of the Florida Ice Manufacturers' Association, has the following amusing summary of alleged "Important New Banking Fee Regulations:"

1. Entering bank: Front door $50; Back door 25c.

2. Spitting on floor: Plain, 5c; Tobacco, 10c.

3. Asking for balance: $1.00.

4. Arguing about balance: In civil manner, 50c; In quarrelsome manner, $1.00. Second time, $2.50. Third time, $5.00.

5. Speaking out of turn: To president, $1.00; to cashier, 50c; To any vice president, no charge.

6. Leaning on teller's window: One elbow, 50c; Both elbows, $1.00.

7. Requesting reduction of interest rate on loan: In hopeless manner, 50c; In presistent manner, $5.00.

8. Telling joke to official or employee: An original, 50c; Second hand, $3.00.

9. Keeping rendezvous in lobby: With brunette, 50c; with redhead, 75c; with blonde (if willing to introduce), no charge; with wife, sympathetic glance from officers and employees.

10. Keeping President or vice president from golf game: $100.00.

RHUDY ON ACTIVE LIST

R. R. Rhudy, a lieutenant in the Reserve, will go into active service in a few days, having been called from his work as instructor at the Emory-Riddle flying school in Miami, where he was instructing. Rhudy is a world war veteran, having seen service in France. He is now spending a few days at his home here.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church will hold their August meeting next Wednesday morning at 10:30 at the home of Mrs. E. G. Todd.

Charges Seaboard Delays to Save Interest, Increasing Taxpayers' Burden

ASKS BIG SHIPPERS TO FOLLOW POLICY

Claims Seaboard Pays Higher Taxes in Other States Without Contest

Cracking the whip of economic pressure over the heads of tax dodgers and delinquents, Highlands county's school board today adopted a policy of favoring those who pay their taxes. Taking a leaf from the St. Cloud Tribune's recent editorial suggestion "Let's Favor Those Who Favor Us," and pointing directly at the railroads as the biggest taxpayers, the board instructed all employes to favor the Atlantic Coast Line, which has paid its taxes in full, over the Seaboard a parallel line which the board charges owes Florida and 41 of the 67 counties 90% of $1,045,000 outstanding delinquent railroad taxes some of it running back fifteen years.

The board's resolution sets forth the Coast Line paid all delinquencies following a court decree in 1939 and has paid up consistently and promptly since then while its competitor "the Seaboard continues to refuse payment, seeking to force adjustments or compromises which are unconstitutional— by delays, court appeals, procrastina. Seaboard and the F. E. C.) and thus increase the burden of other taxpayers by interest payments totaling more than $60,000 per year."

Continuing, the resolution sets forth that although the Coast Line pays more taxes "per mile, per ton of freight or per dollar of gross revenue" in Florida than does the Seaboard, the former accepted the court's decree and paid up while the latter continues to contest and delay. The resolution also charges that the Seaboard's dilatory tactics persist despite the facts that the road's Florida taxes were lower per mile and per ton of business originated than taxes in other states through which it operates and pays its taxes in full without court contests.

The resolution points out the inference that perhaps other states charge interest on delinquencies while the Seaboard "phenagled successfully to prevent passage of legislation in 1941" that would have penalized Florida railroads for delinquencies then outstanding just the same as other taxpayers are penalized under the general law.

Going beyond the official life the board's resolution urges that "all taxpayers adopt the same policy of favoring those taxpayers who co-operate with the county and state in perilous financial times like these, and this board hereby points directly to the comparative policies" of the two roads serving this county as to tax payment or non-payment.

The secretary was instructed to send copies of the resolution to large shippers "particularly in the citrus and vegetable industry which will soon begin moving thousands of cars of the coming season's crops."

Chairman T. V. Conway, Sebring, who is also president of the Florida School Board Association, "opened the gate" when he asked his board for discussion of tax delinquencies and pointed out that the Seaboard heads the list in this county in spite of the fact it is assessed at less than half what it reports it is worth to the Interstate Commerce Commission and the Florida Railroad Commission.

J. Paul Garber, member from Avon Park, introduced the resolution and it was adopted unanimously.

All Florida trunk lines contest-

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Folks You Know . .

Mrs. Wm. Hauptmann is leaving today for Ashville, N. C., where she will spend several weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Chandler and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Carter spent a pleasant day Monday in Tampa.

Miss Nellene Cannon has returned to Miami, after spending several days here at her home.

Miss Margaret Dilley returned home Wednesday from Coconut Grove, where she had been visiting relatives for several days.

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Elliott left Monday for Bristol, Va., to visit their son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Elliott.

Lou Jean and Pat Crum, who have been visiting friends here, returned to their home in Haines City Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mercer returned home Sunday from Knoxville, Tenn., where they had been visiting their son, Sport Mercer.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Leverette of Sebring were guests for the week end of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Dyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Boardman returned home Tuesday from a two week's vacation spent in Orlando and at Homasassa Springs, where they enjoyed a fishing trip.

Norman Boosey arrived several days ago from Detroit, Mich., and joined Mrs. Boosey here to spend some time at their home on Lake Letta.

Mrs. H. C. Bigbie will leave Sunday for Birmingham, Ala., where she will visit her mother, Mrs. H. W. Bell and her sister, Mrs. W. A. Johnson.

H. C. Worden is spending some time in the central and eastern states on a business trip, in the interests of the Avon Park Citrus Growers Association.

Mrs. Walter S. Martin and son, Walter Gable Martin will return home next Wednesday from Atlanta and Marietta, Ga., where they have been visiting relatives for the past several weeks.

Mrs. Ruby Bass will leave Sunday for Knoxville and Johnson City, Tenn., where she will spend a two week's vacation visiting friends.

Mrs. L. S. Moody of Augusta, Ga., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Myers a n d her sister, Miss Mildred Myers, was joined on Thursday by Mr. Moody. They will be here for about two more weeks.

Mrs. S. F. Huckabay of Dade City was the guest for the week end of her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Hetherington and family. Mrs. Hetherington's niece, Miss Sara McIntosh, also of Dade City, visited here on Sunday.

Seaman W. L. Skipper, electrician with the U. S. Navy, and who is stationed at Norfolk, Va., has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Skipper and his aunt, Mrs. J. R. Bennett and family.

Miss Josephine Reck of Lakeland, returned home on Tuesday after a pleasant visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reck and her aunt, Mrs. E. G. Todd and family.

Mrs. R. H Lawhon and three daughters, Dorothy, Barbara and Margaret will leave next Friday for Ridgecrest, N. C., where they will attend the foreign mission week programs at the annual Southern Baptist Assembly.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts will leave the latter part of next week for Winter Park to make their home. Mrs. Roberts will be a member of the faculty of Rollins college, when it opens for the fall term.

Mrs. H. C. Worden and Mrs. J. A. Johnson and daughter, Leila spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting friends in Lakeland and Winter Haven. They accompanied home by Harold and Elaine Worden, who have been visiting relatives in Winter Haven since Sunday.

Miss Doris Swanson, who has spent the past five months in Avon Park, left Friday for her home in Batavia, Illinois.

Miss Marjorie Wells returned home Friday from a delightful three week's visit in the Carolinas. She has recently been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeve in York, S. C. Miss Wells will leave again in about three weeks for Rock Hill, S. C., where she will enter Winthrop college for the fall term.

Mrs. R. R. Brown and daughter, Leah Jane, who have spent the past several weeks in Orlando with the former's mother, Mrs. T. O. Brown, and in Winter Garden with her sister, Mrs. C. F. Moore and family, will return to Avon Park this week end. Mr. Brown joined them Thursday, and will return here with his family.

Mrs. Sarah W. Shockley left Tuesday for Parkersburg, W. Va., to visit relatives for a month. She was joined in Jacksonville by her son, Francis Shockley, who accompanied her to Parkersburg. Is Mrs. Shockley's first visit north This is Mrs. Shockley's first visit north in 15 years.

Mrs. H. G. Thompson, who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Francis and family, will return to her home in Montgomery, Ala., Sunday. Mr. Thompson, who accompanied her here for a visit, returned to Montgomery last Sunday.

Mrs. G. E. Shaffer received word Thursday of the death of her sister, Mrs. Bessie Robinson, aged 68 years, who died Wednesday night at her home in Millersburg, Ohio. Friends will deeply sympathize with Mrs. Shaffer in the loss of her sister.

Mrs. G. E. John of Sarasota visited her son, F. E. John and family here this week. Mrs. John came especially to make the acquaintance of her young grandson, Stephen Edward, who arrived on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bryan, who have been residing in Avon Park for some time, have moved to Tallahassee, where Mr. Bryan, who has been connected with the S. A. L. at Sebring, has been transferred. Mrs. Byran was Miss Laverne Fortner, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Fortner.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By RUSSELL KAY

Commissioners of Highlands, like those of many another county in the state, confronted with the trying problem of raising sufficient tax revenue to meet operating costs, found that either the millage would have to be increased which meant imposing additional burden on those who paid, or collect a substantial amount of the delinquent taxes then on the books.

The prospect of collecting was anything but promising, based on the experience of other counties where delinquent accounts had been turned over to "special tax attorneys." Such an arrangement served only to dissipate receipts in exhorbitant fees and court costs, leaving the county but a few cents on the dollar as its share.

Smart "tax dodgers" who let their taxes ride found that they could depend on buying property back, when sold at the court house door, for a few cents on the dollar. Attorneys who received a just, flat fee for every suit filed, plus ten percent, cared nothing about the returns to the county or the injustice the vicious "system" imposed on the honest taxpayer.

Highlands county commissioners didn't want to raise the millage if they didn't want to resort to the unprofitable and unsatisfactory "special tax attorney" method. But they had to do something. So they invited a group of local civic leaders, business men and taxpayers to confer with them and discuss the problem.

Commissioners explained the dilemma and passed the trouble some buck to the fellows who in the end of the day would have to pay the bills. The commissioners were playing safe. They were "behind the 8-ball" and they wanted some good company.

It is difficult to gather together a group of representative citizens and taxpayers without assembling some level headed, straight thinking individuals whose business and personal experience have taught them to tackle any problem with common sense and sound judgement.

They couldn't see why it should be any more difficult for a political subdivision to collect its debts than for a private business to do so. If the accounts were just and the claims were good, it ought to be easy, particularly when those who owed would either have to pay or lose their property.

"Maybe the property isn't worth the taxes," ventured one individual who understood that some commissioners contended this to be the case and termed the delinquent items "cats and dogs" that nobody wanted anyhow.

But hard headed, practical business men were not satisfied with that explaination. True, they did. n't know. They may or may not have seen the delinquent tax list as advertised in the local paper, but that didn't tell them much of anything with descriptions for the most part listed as "unknown" and a brief legal description of the property, such as "lot 1, block 4" or "Range this and Township that.'

So they asked to see the tax list and with a map and plat book they got down to brass tacks and were astonished to find that hidden behind those innocent appearing listings were properties of amazing value . . . properties worth many, many times the small amount of taxes outstanding against them . . . properties that were bringing in good income . . . office buildings, stores, a bank buildings, theatres, bearing groves, swanky residences.

Why here was opportunity; here was a gold mine. They had been looking for some safe place to invest their money, worrying about the stock market and dwindling dividends, when right here at home they could invest a few hundred dollars in a tax certificate and be assured of 8% on their investment with security to burn.

Furthermore, they could make such an investment, as a patriotic citizen, as a means of insuring lower taxes for themselves and all other honest taxpayers.

"There's your answer, said the business executive. "All you need do is advertise those properties and explain to the people of this county what amazing investment opportunities they represent. There is plenty of money here that folks are anxious to invest." "Don't put liar property by the legal description. Take a display ad, just as a real estate man would do. Point out the location, improvements and other advantages and then show how you can invest $94 at 8% interest with a bank building for security, or $128.25 secured with a theatre."

The county commissioners and the school board of Highlands County decided to try the plan. Each standing half the cost of the advertising. 33 properties were listed in the first ad. Did the tax collector do a landoffice business? I'll say she did! A lot of folks darn near sprained their ankles trying

Church Notes

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
M. Hoyt Tatum, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Youth Fellowship Meeting 7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.
Prayer Service, Wednesday 8:00 P. M.

"The Master's Memorial" will be the theme of the Communion meditation Sunday morning. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

At the Evening Worship hour the Rev. Hoyt Tatum will speak on "Isaac—The God of the Average Man". This will be the second sermon in his series on "The Faith of Our Fathers."

A cordial invitation to come and worship is extended to all,

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES
Holy Communion 8:00 A. M.
Church School 9:30 A. M.
Holy Communion and Sermon 11:00 A. M.
RICHARD I. BROWN, vicar

Mayor Calls Attention to Penalty For Drunkenness

Mayor Covington has asked the publication of the City Ordinance prohibiting drunkenness, and for the information of the public, Section 7, Ordinance 19, provides as follows:

"Whoever shall be guilty of drunkenness by the voluntary use of intoxicating liquors within the corporate limits of the town shall upon conviction thereof for the first offense be punished by a fine not less than $10.00 or more than $50.00 or by imprisonment at hard labor for a period of not less than ten days or more than sixty days and for each subsequent offense not less than $35.00 or more than $60.00 or by imprisonment at hard labor as above provided.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN CHANCERY

C. H. WALKER, Complainant, vs. PINE RANCH PROVISION COMPANY, ET AL, Defendants.

BILL TO FORECLOSE MORTGAGE AND TAX LIENS

NOTICE TO APPEAR

THE STATE OF FLORIDA TO: FRANK G. GARDNER, MAE A. CABLE, HARRY J. CABLE, WILEY C. TAYLOR, M. C. TAYLOR, GEO. LARGE, R. H. SIMMONS, R. M. SHAVER, R. R. HEDRTE, HENRY HEDRTE, GEORGE C. LARGE and WILLIAM F. WHITE, as trustees of the property of Istokpoga Sales Company, a dissolved corporation; S. M. ALLEN, as trustee of the property of Istokpoga Banana Plantation Company, a dissolved corporation; THE CONTINENTAL MORTGAGE COMPANY OF BALTIMORE, INC., a foreign corporation; THE ORBORN COMPANY, a corporation under the laws of the State of New Jersey; B. HELLER AND COMPANY, a foreign corporation; FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION, a corporation created and existing by an Act of the Congress of the United States of America; SAYER & COMPANY, INC., a dissolved corporation; ISTOKPOGA SALES COMPANY, a dissolved corporation; ISTOKPOGA BANANA PLANTATION COMPANY, a dissolved corporation; THE IVEY PROPERTIES, INC., a dissolved corporation; BRYAN-KREPS COMPANY, a dissolved corporation; and all persons having interests by,through, under, or against FRANK G. GARDNER, MAE A. CABLE, HARRY J. CABLE, WILEY C. TAYLOR, M. C. TAYLOR, GEORGE C. LARGE, H. W. BIMER, R. M. SHAVER, R. R. HEDRTE, THE CONTINENTAL MORTGAGE COMPANY OF BALTIMORE, INC., THE ORBORN COMPANY, B. HELLER AND COMPANY, FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION, SAYER & COMPANY, INC., ISTOKPOGA SALES COMPANY, ISTOKPOGA BANANA PLANTATION COMPANY, THE IVEY PROPERTIES, INC., and BRYAN-KREPS COMPANY and all parties having or claiming to have any right, title or interest in the property hereinafter described:

You and each of you are hereby notified that a suit has been brought against you in the Circuit Court of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in and for Highlands County, Florida, by C. H. WALKER, seeking to foreclose a mortgage and tax liens against the following described lands in Highland County, Florida, to-wit:

The East Half of Northwest Quarter (E½ of NW¼) of Section Twenty-nine (29); the Southwest Quarter of Southwest Quarter (SW¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28); the South Half of Southwest Quarter (S½ of SW¼) and the West Half of Southeast Quarter (W½ of SE¼) of Section Twenty-five (25); and the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), all in Township Thirty-three (33) South, Range Twenty-nine (29) East.

The South Half of Southwest Quarter (S½ of SW¼) and West Half of Southeast Quarter (W½ of SE¼) of Section Twenty-five (25), Township Thirty-three (33) South, Range Twenty-nine (29) East;

and you are hereby required to file with the Clerk of said Court your written appearance on Monday August 3, 1942, and thereafter to file with said Clerk your written defense, if any, to the bill of complaint in said suit at the time prescribed by law.

Herein fail not on pain of said bill being taken as confessed by you.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court, at Sebring, Florida, this 29th day of June, 1942.

(SEAL)
H. T. PIETY
As Clerk Of Said Circuit Court.
July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31.

Frederick W. Swan of Elmira, N. Y., who was here to attend the marriage of his daughter, Miss Priscilla Swan to Roy Sims, which was an event of last Saturday morning, returned to his home on Sunday. He had visited in Florida previously, but always on the coast, and he and his daughters and their friend, were members of the wedding party were delighted with the ridge section. Misses Eleanor and Hester Swan and Miss Eleanor Maggee spent a week in Avon Park before the wedding, and will visit other points of interest in Florida before returning north.

Mrs. Nelson Smith and son, Joey of Lake Wales spent Sunday with Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and daughter, Patricia.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 183)

Notice is hereby given that F. H. Crews, DeSoto City, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 400, issued the 2nd day of September 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:

SW¼ of SE¼ or Gov Lot 10, Sec. 18, Twp 33 S., Range 29 East. 43 Acres.

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

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 at 11 o'clock a. m. on the first Monday in the month of September 1942, which is the 7th day of September, 1942.

Dated this 29th day of July, 1942.
(SEAL) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
July 31, Aug 7, 14, 21, 28

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 183)

Notice is hereby given that J. M. Gore, Sebring, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 404, issued the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937, 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 32, Sunset Heights S-D, Section 18, Twp 34 S., Range 29 East.

The assessment of the said property under said certificate issued was in the name of E. A. Porter.

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 at 11 o'clock a. m. on the first Monday in the month of September 1942, which is the 7th day of September, 1942.

Dated this 29th day of July, 1942.
(SEAL) H. T. PIETY,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
July 31, Aug 7, 14, 21, 28

ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 1942 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1943.

GENERAL REVENUE FUNDS	
Salary and mileage county Commissioners	$7,000.00
Salary Clerk to County Commissioners	2,500.00
Salary, Atty. to County Commissioners	2,400.00
Pay and expenses Supervisor of Registration	2,000.00
Salary and expenses, Probation Officer	2,900.00
Legal expenses and court cost	2,500.00
Traveling expenses, County Commissioners, Clerk and Attorney (Official Business)	500.00
Election Expenses	750.00
Bond Premiums County Officials	300.00
REPAIR TO COUNTY BUILDINGS:	
Court House	500.00
Jail	250.00
Prison Camp	200.00
OPERATION EXPENSE OF BUILDINGS:	
Janitor and assistant	$1,800.00
Light, Fuel and Water	1,000.00
Insurance	400.00
Janitors Supplies	450.00
Telephone and Telegraph	600.00
FURNITURE, FIXTURES AND OFFICE EQUIPMENT:	
Court House	900.00
Jail	150.00
Prison Camp	100.00
ALLOWANCE TO COUNTY INDIGENTS:	
County Indigents	500.00
Care of Prisoners	1,500.00
Coroner's Inquest	400.00
Insanity Inquest & Expenses	250.00
STATIONERY AND PRINTING	
General Stationery & Supplies	2,000.00
Record Books	400.00
Advertising as required by law	1,250.00
COMMISSIONS PAID TO OFFICERS	
Tax Assessor	2,000.00
Tax Collector	2,500.00
Clerk Circuit Court	500.00
CARE AND WORKING CONVICTS	
Salary Convict Warden and Guards	$2,000.00
Feeding and Care of Convicts	2,500.00
Misc. Expense of Working Convicts	1,200.00
Reserve for Contingencies	950.00
TOTAL	$45,350.00
FINE AND FORFEITURE FUND	
Sheriff and Deputies, Cost Bills	$8,500.00
Clerk, Circuit Court, Cost Bills	2,000.00
County Judge, Cost Bills	3,000.00
Witness Fees	1,000.00
Juror Fees	500.00
Sheriff's Commission on Fines	1,000.00
Feeding Prisoners and Jailer	4,000.00
Justices of Peace, Cost Bills	600.00
Constable's Cost Bills	1,850.00
Reserve for Contingencies	300.00
TOTAL	$18,350.00
GENERAL ROAD FUND	
Construction and Maint. Roads & Bridges	$30,000.00
Purchase of Road Machinery	2,000.00
Reserve for Contingencies	500.00
TOTAL	$32,350.00
GENERAL WELFARE FUND	
Care of Widows, Orphans and Indigents	4,000.00
Reserve for Contingencies	150.00
TOTAL	$4,150.00
OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS	
Unpaid bills of General Fund	2,000.00
TOTAL	$2,000.00
AGRICULTURE & LIVESTOCK FUND	
Salary and Expense, County Agent	$2,160.00
Reserve for Contingencies	150.00
TOTAL	$2,310.00
PUBLICITY FUND	
General Advertising etc.	$1,250.00
Reserve for Contingencies	NONE
TOTAL	$1,250.00
PUBLIC HEALTH FUND	
Expense, County Health Unit	$2,500.00
Hospitalization, Tubercular County Indigents	1,500.00
Reserve for Contingencies	175.00
TOTAL	$4,175.00
COUNTY DEFENSE UNIT	
Expense County Defense Unit	$2,000.00
Reserve for Contingencies	500.00
TOTAL	$2,500.00
RIGHT OF WAY FUND	
Expense Right of Way Federal Route No. 19 & Etc.	$3,225.00
Purchase of Office Equipment	$960.00
1939 TIME WARRANT FUND	
To Transfer to 1941 Time Warrant	$70.00
1941 TIME WARRANT FUND	
Payments of Time Warrants	$2,500.00
Payment of Coupons	380.00
Reserve for Contingencies	100.00
TOTAL	$2,980.00
1943 TIME WARRANT FUND	
Payment of Time Warrant Sinking Fund	$2,100.00
Payment of Coupons	750.00
TOTAL	$2,850.00
1926 COURT HOUSE BONDS	
Payment of Coupons	$11,660.00
Payment of Commissions (Assessor)	200.00
Payment of Commissions (Board Trustees)	400.00
Payment of Commissions (Paying Agents)	50.00
Sinking Fund	18,000.00
TOTAL	$22,650.00

COUNTY WIDE ROAD AND BRIDGE REFUNDING BONDS, DATED FEBRUARY 1, 1939 AND, OR BONDS OF ORIGINAL ISSUES

Payment of interest and principal maturities, interest and sinking fund requirement	$23,860.00
SPECIAL ROAD AND BRIDGE DISTRICT NO.1 REFUNDING BONDS	
Payment of interest and Principal Maturities, Interest and Sinking Fund requirement for refunding Bonds	9,750.00
DESOTO COUNTY, FLA. SPEC. R. & B. DIST. No. 4 BONDS, AND FOR SPECIAL R. & B. DIST. No. 4 REFUNDING BONDS DATED JAN. 1, 1942.	$25,650.00
DESOTO COUNTY, FLA. SPEC. R. & B. DISTRICT No. 5 BONDS	$28,500.00

RESOLUTION

Be It Resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Highlands County, Florida, in session the 24th day of July 1942, that the Assessment Roll for the year of 1942, having this day been tendered to this Board, sitting as a Board of Equalization, and the Board of Equalization having carefully examined the assessment roll as tendered by the County Tax Assessor, and there being no complaints, nor objections filed against the same by any person or tax payer, and finding said assessment to be proper and equal, said assessment roll, as this day tendered, is accepted and approved.

There being no need to continue further hearings on said assessment roll, inasmuch as fulfillment of this meeting being heretofore duly given, and no complaints having been made, the Board of Equalization is hereby adjourned and the Assessor is requested to complete his task henceforth, regarding the assessment roll, as is provided for by Law.

And further the preliminary budget, or estimate of expenditures for the fiscal year beginning October 1st, 1942, and ending September 30th, 1943, having been tendered to the Board of County Commissioners, in this day also received and approved and ordered Published one time in some News Paper to be selected by our Clerk.

Notice is further given that after this estimate shall have been Published, this Board will meet not sooner than two weeks thereafter, namely on the 14th day of August 1942 in the Office of the County Commissioners at the Court House in Sebring, Florida, for the purpose of considering and acting upon said estimate and to adopt a final estimate, or a final budget for the next fiscal year.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY L. C. CRIBBS, CHAIRMAN

ATTESTED BY:
H. T. PIETY AS CLERK OF COURT
AND EX OFFICIO CLERK TO SAID BOARD
BY S. E. BOOTH, DEPUTY CLERK.

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ATLANTA	9.80	15.85
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Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Priscilla Swan and Roy Sims Married in Beautiful Ceremony Saturday Morning

A wedding uniting the lives of Miss Priscilla Swan and Mr. Roy Sims took place Saturday morning, July 25, at the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, with the Rector Richard I. Brown officiating.

The altar of the church was banked with plumosa fern, white gladioli and tuberoses, carrying out the green and white bridal motif. The chancel rail was entwined with sprays of fern, interspersed with white pom-pon asters.

Miss Barbara Betts, organist, furnished pre-nuptial music that softly flowed into the strains of the Lohengrin Wedding Chorus, announcing the approach of the bridal party. Miss Esther Swan, sister of the bride, and Miss Eleanor Magee, a college mate, served as bridesmaids, and another sister, Miss Eleanor Swan, as maid of honor. The bride, on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage, was met at the altar by the groom and his best man, Brenta Durrance.

Rector Brown read the always impressive Episcopal marriage service, using the double ring ceremony.

The bride was charming in a floor length gown of filmy organza, fashioned with a fitted bodice, and a full three tiered skirt, each tier headed with a tiny ruffle. She wore a matching halo and carried a shower bouquet.

The maid of honor wore an organdy gown, in a white and pink eyelet design, and a halo in matching shades.

Miss Esther Swan, in a figured chiffon, and Miss Magee, in marquisette in attractive blue tones, wore corresponding halo and turban. All of the attendants carried lovely formal bouquets.

The bride is the daughter of Frederick W. Swan, Elmira, New York, president of the oldest bank and trust company in that city. She received her early education in her home schools, later attending Mary Lyon's School, Chevy Chase college, and finishing at the University of Wisconsin.

The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Sims, Green Bay, Wis., after completing the public school course at Green Bay, attended the University of Wisconsin. He is at present completing the instructor's course at the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy.

After the ceremony, the bridal party held an informal reception in the palm room of the Jacaranda hotel.

Following the reception, the guests were ushered into the main dining room, where a long table, with the bridal table across one end, was arranged for twenty-five guests. Unique cards designated the places of the guests, the name cards of the younger people having silvered baskets attached, filled with rice to be used later in assisting a quick getaway.

Gorgeous mixed flowers and tiny pink dwarf rosebuds, attractively trimmed the table, the wedding cake topped with a diminutive bride and groom, and flanked at either end by white tapers and flowers, formed the centerpiece for the bridal table. A delicious wedding breakfast was served and later the bride and groom slipped away for an unknown destination.

Mrs. Campbell Is Honoree at Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Kenney and H. G. McArthur entertained several close friends of Mrs. W. Bowen Campbell, at a lovely dinner party in her honor, at the Jacaranda on Wednesday evening. The affair was in the nature of a farewell party for Mrs. Campbell, who has been dental hygenist at Hendrick's Field, and has been transferred to MacDill Field, Tampa.

The long table, where the guests found their places by name cards embossed with the Air Corps insignia, was beautifully appointed in the red, white and blue patriotic note. Fragrant roses, in a low bowl, formed the center arrangement for the table. Mrs. Campbell was presented a compact, adorned with the crest of the Air Corps.

Covers were laid for Mrs. Campbell, Capt. and Mrs. Roy L. Pirtle, Lt. and Mrs. Clark Wing, Mrs. John L. Hurd of Wheeling, W. Va., Lt. Billy Mitchell, T. E. Hatcher, Miss Julia Norfleet, Mr. and Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Lt. Frank Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Kenney and Mr. McArthur.

Baptist Circles Met Monday at Mrs. Touchton's

Circles two and three of the Baptist W. M. S. were entertained at the home of Mrs. W. C. Touchton on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Touchton was in charge of the business meeting, and Mrs. R. H. Lawhon taught the lesson from the 7th chapter of John. Mrs. J. L. Collins closed the meeting with prayer.

During the social hour, the hostess served enjoyable refreshments of ice cream and cookies to those present, who were: Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. J. L. Collins, Mrs. E. C. Wever, Mrs. S. J. Pendleton, Mrs. Jack Delaney, Mrs. E. A. Delaney, Mrs. Anna Lawhon, and Mrs. R. H. Lawhon.

Methodist Youth Fellowship Supper

The youth of the Methodist Church have decided that they want to have a week-end Institute. It is to be at the parsonage and will start at 5 o'clock Friday, July 31, and run through to Tuesday morning, Aug. 4. A number of the group will stay at the Institute for the entire time, while others will drop in during the day and evening when their working hours will permit.

A number of others will attend the special recreational activities of the group which will start each evening at 7:30. The special feature Friday evening will be a Treasure Hunt, Saturday evening there will be a fish fry. Sunday evening at the fellowship hour, the new officers will be elected. A banquet is being planned for Monday night.

Any young person who is interested in becoming a part of this group is invited to drop in for the evening activities. Reservations must be made for the banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hood returned to their home in Charleston, S. C., last Saturday after a visit with Mr. Hood's brother, John Hood and family. Mr. Hood is chief custom's inspector in Charleston. Mrs. Hood is stopping over at Brooksville and Leesburg to visit relatives.

Jane Hartt Is Hostess at Lovely Luncheon Party

Miss Jane Hartt was a gracious hostess at her home on Friday, when she entertained at a luncheon given in honor of Miss Frances Dorminey of Jacksonville, who formerly resided in Avon Park.

The guests arrived at ten o'clock in the morning, and enjoyed a swim in the cooling waters of Lake Lotela. The prettily appointed luncheon was served at one o'clock, the centerpiece for the dining table being an exquisite bouquet of caledlums, in harmonizing tones, arranged in a crystal bowl on a reflector.

Guests invited to share this delightful courtesy with Miss Dorminey were Misses Barbara and Nancy Betts, Miss Elizabeth Hetherington, Miss Ann McClung, and Mrs. L. C. Davis.

Delightful Party at Lotela Club on Saturday

Tall palms, branches, banana plants and other greenery formed a tropical setting for the Beachcomber's party and dance at the Lotela club last Saturday evening. The club was softly illuminated by the glow of lighted candles in tall bottles placed in the center of the tables. Appropriate costumes, in various designs and bright colorings, were worn by the guests and lent further emphasis of the chosen motif for this delightful affair. With Cal Pidgeon at the piano, those present also participated in the singing of many popular songs. Costume prizes were awarded late in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Smith and family moved this week into the M. B. Carter home on LaGrand street, which they recently purchased.

Methodist Youth Plan Fellowship Week End Institute

The Senior-Young People of the Methodist Youth Fellowship gathered at the parsonage at six o'clock on Sunday evening, for a fellowship supper. The table was attractively arranged with small lighthouses and candles marking each place at the table. At the end of the table was a large lighthouse with tall lighted candles on either side. Fern and bright yellow snapdragons were artistically arranged down the center of the table. A lovely worship center was featured on the mantel just above the end of the table.

A picture of the Christ by Hoffman was flanked by tall blue candles and lighthouses. It made an impressive scene and the group caught the spirit of "light" as, at the close of the meal, they lighted the candles at their own places, and remained at the table for the worship service.

The theme of the service was "Ye are the light of the world." The leader spoke of Christ coming into the world and saying, "I am the light." Then she reminded the group that that same Christ said, "Ye are the light of the world" and "Let your light shine."

Edward Woodberry, who is in training at L. A. M. A., made a brief talk on "Lights that must be kept burning" or "Some Things Worth Fighting For." He inspired his listeners with his sincerity as he recalled the early history of our country—how our ancestors came over that they might have freedom of worship and that when we won our independence that it was not because we were stronger, but that we had the will and the spirit to do it. He said that all of us could do our part—that those of us that were left at home must practice those things which we hold most dear. He closed his inspiring talk with this thought. "God is not a militaristic God, but our God will not allow the unrighteous to triumph over the righteous. But we must prove that we are right by having right motives, right conduct, and by being faithful and loyal to our God."

Mrs. Tatum, counselor for the young people, spoke of the program of the Church for the young people. She told of the need for loyalty, and gave all of the group a chance to renew their loyalty, both to the youth program and to the church. In closing, the group sang "Let the Lower Lights Be Burning."

Those attending were Misses Fay Lake, Tom Martin, Jean Cannon, Eva Hendry, Ruth Wild, Ouida Fields, Carolyn Holland, Ruby McConnell, Robbie Lee Hart, Jimmie Hetherington, Johnny Lamb, Ralph Gerrard, J. V. Crum Jr., Louis Nader, Harry Elwell, Jimmy Were, Charles Snyder, Edward Woodberry, and the Rev. and Mrs. Hoyt Tatum.

Mrs. DeShong Is Hostess to Club at Dessert Bridge

Mrs. J. C. DeShong entertained members of the Trump It club at a lovely dessert bridge at her home on Thursday afternoon. Summer garden flowers, tastefully arranged, decorated the party rooms for the occasion. A tempting dessert course composed of cherry pie ala mode and iced tea was served before the games.

High score prize for the afternoon was won by Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, who received a modernistic bag; second high, a smaller bag in similar design, was given to Mrs. George Haynie; and the floating prize was presented to Mrs. W. R. Carter, who received a novelty sewing kit for a purse.

Those enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, Mrs. George Haynie, Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mrs. Devon Reddick, Mrs. Brisco Wills, Mrs. H. G. Thompson of Montgomery, Ala., Mrs. J. B. Francis, and Mrs. S. G. Patterson.

MARCUS COVINGTON CALLED

Marcus Covington, who holds a lieutenant's commission in the Reserve, has been called to active duty, and will report to Miami on August 11. Covington has been instructing in flying at the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy for several months.

Buffet Supper and Dance at Cadet Club

A delightful affair of Saturday evening was the buffet supper and formal dance given at the Cadet Club in the Jacaranda, with Miss Alma Harrell, hostess, assisted by Cadet Harley Fiske, social chairman of the club. The hotel lounge was decorated with beautiful arrangements of pink roses.

An enjoyable feature of entertainment were the vocal solos by Miss Josephine Reck of Lakeland, who sang, "Did'an Love Call" and "Walking By the River." Miss Jane Schad was her piano accompanist.

Over a hundred club members and guests enjoyed the evening.

Margaret Lawhon Is Hostess at Theatre Party

Margaret Lawhon, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, was hostess Friday afternoon to several of her most intimate girl friends, at a theatre party, given in honor of her tenth birthday anniversary.

After viewing the enjoyable picture at the Park Theatre the happy group went to Margaret's home, where they were served delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake. The party table emphasized in beautiful detail, the red, white and blue patriotic motif, the centerpiece for the table being the two tiered decorated birthday cake.

Friends sharing the affair with Margaret were Lynn Longbottom, Delores Costine, and Marjorie Hetherington.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Roger E. Williams Jr. of 1363 N. W. 26th St., Miami, are announcing the birth of a baby son, who arrived Wednesday, July 29. The young man has been named James Edson, Mrs. Williams was Miss Mary Coen prior to her marriage, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr., Avon Park.

Captain and Mrs. C. A. McCelland of Orlando announce the arrival of a baby girl, weighing seven and one-half pounds, who arrived Tuesday, July 21. The little lady has been named Donna Gray. Capt. McCelland is the son of Mrs. J. H. McCelland, Avon Park.

Mr. nd Mrs. F. E. John are the parents of a ten pound baby son, who arrived Thursday, July 23rd, at a Sebring hospital. The young man has been named Stephen Edward.

Miss Odean Bishop returned home Sunday from her vacation, which she spent visiting in Pensacola and Birmingham, Ala., Her mother, Mrs. A. A. Bishop and brother, Walton remained in Birmingham for a longer visit.

Robert Padgett of Quitman, Ga., who has been a guest at the L. D. Hotchkiss home, returned to his home on Wednesday.

Johnny and Tommy Mier of Vero Beach are spending the week with their father, J. A. Mier.

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

Notice is hereby given, that William Bennett holder of Tax Certificate No. 153, issued the 6th day of June A. D. 1936, 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 5 & 8 Block 70 Avon Park Section 22 Twp 33 S R 28 E.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of A. J. Pruden

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, 1942, which is the 3rd day of August, 1942

Dated this 2nd day of July 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida

By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk

July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31.

Mrs. W. M. Davis

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

Notice is hereby given that Leo Bonner holder of Tax Certificate No. 92, issued the 1st day of August A. D. 1927, 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:—

All Frac Section 26 Township 37 South Rate 28 East Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 as per plat Book 3 Page 58 of above Section.

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, 1942 which is the 3rd day of August, 1942.

Dated this 2nd day of July 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.

By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk

July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31.

Funeral Services Tuesday Afternoon For Mrs. Gerrard

Funeral services for Mrs. Clara B. Gerrard, aged 73, who passed away early Sunday evening at her home, following a brief illness, were held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the chapel of Stephenson Funeral Home. Rev. Hoyt Tatum, pastor of the First Methodist Church, conducted the services. The choir of the Methodist Church sang, "God's Way", and Mrs. T. J. Ward sang as a solo, "God Understands," with the choir assisting on the chorus.

Casketbearers were C. H. Pardee, S. C. Pardee, T. H. Maxwell, Oscar Skipper, J. O. Bridges, and M. L. Rogers. Services at the chapel were followed with interment in Bougainvillae cemetery.

Mrs. Gerrard was born July 27, 1869 in New Albany, Ind. She later moved to Louisville, Ky., and was married there on Aug. 15, 1889 to Charles H. Gerrard, who passed away about two years ago. The family came to Avon Park in 1928, and have since made this their home. Mr. and Mrs. Gerrard celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary three years ago.

The deceased was a loyal member of the First Methodist Church, the Woman's Society of Christian Service, and the Gerrard Circle, of the society. She was a beautiful christian character, and her daily life exemplified the high ideals for which she stood. Always kind and gentle, Mrs. Gerrard made many friends who mourn her passing.

She passed away the night before her 73rd birthday.

Surviving relatives include two sons, George R. Gerrard and Raymond A. Gerrard; one brother, Chas. Killinger, Louisville, Ky., and three grandchildren, Ralph A. Gerrard, Avon Park, George Gerrard, Jr., U. S. army in Texas, and Charles Daniel Gerrard, Louisville, Ky.

Poem Written by Daughter-in-Law

The following beautiful poem was read by Rev. Tatum at the funeral services, and was written by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard:

"God has taken your body of clay,
But the spirit of you shall always stay
As a part of our lives to inspire and bless.
To quiet our own spirits of restlessness.

You've been a real mother to many, my dear,
And have helped fill their lives with comfort and cheer;
We'll miss your quiet presence thru the rest of our days
And we'll never forget your sweet loving ways.

Your troubles are over, you've found peace that will last,
The bread on the waters you always have cast
Are now coming back in Heaven bright and fair,
You've entered the land that is free from all care.

God bid you "Come Home" and you answered the call;
Your friends and your family, we pray one and all
May meet you some day in that world full of light,
When we answer God's call to the land without night."

MRS. HANCOCK DIES IN LAKELAND

The many Avon Park friends of Capt. H. T. Hancock, of the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, will deeply sympathize with him in the death of his wife, Mrs. Ida E. Hancock, who passed away Monday at her home in Lakeland. She was 54 years old, and had been a resident of Lakeland 19 years, coming there from Cincinnati.

Private funeral services were held at Smith and Dukes chapel, Lakeland, and interment followed in Oak Park burial park.

Mrs. Raymond Vickery arrived this week-end from Fort Smith, Ark., where she has been visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Rice. She is joining Mr. Vickery, who has been vis ting his mother, Mrs. H. A. Vickery at her home at Highland Lakes.

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PETER SELLARS, Complainant,
vs.
MILLIAN HUDGENS SELLARS, Defendant.

BILL FOR DIVORCE

NOTICE TO APPEAR

THE STATE OF FLORIDA TO MILLIAN HUDGENS SELLARS:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been brought against you in the Circuit Court of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of Highlands County, Florida, by PETER SELLARS, in which he seeks a divorce, and you are hereby required to file with the Clerk of said Court your written appearance on Monday, September 7, 1942, and thereafter to file your written defense, if any, to the bill of complaint in said suit at the time prescribed by law.

Herein fail not or judgment will be entered against you by default.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at Sebring, Florida, this 13th day of July, 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY
As Clerk of Said Circuit Court

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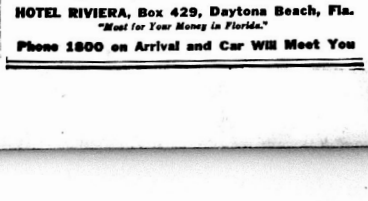
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Legion Ships Second Carload Scrap Rubber

The second carload of scrap rubber was shipped from Avon Park last Thursday and contained 37,700 pounds. This rubber was the second carload to be shipped from Highlands County points. It contained rubber collected by the Avon Park Post of the American Legion and Harry K. Swank of Sebring. The first car, from the American Legion, contained 33,000 pounds.

"We are glad to have done our part in the collection and shipment of this rubber," said Howard Maddox, Commander of the Avon Park Post of the American Legion, "and am glad to know that Highlands County is among the top ranking counties in the pounds per capita of rubber collected."

Co-chairman of the Salvage Committee, Louis H. Alsmeyer, stated that everyone in the county has cooperated very excellently in the salvage program and any rubber remaining in the county is the property of the U. S. Rubber Reserve Corporation.

The scrap rubber is being shipped to the rubber reclaiming plants as rapidly as unloading and transportation facilities will permit. Florida is shipping an average of five carloads a day and any rubber in the hands of the oil dealers, bulk plants, etc., will be shipped as rapidly as possible. The two cars which have been shipped from Highlands County went to Gasden, Alabama and Memphis, Tenn. respectively.

A large carload of scrap metal totaling 98,500 pounds was shipped from Lakemont last Friday night. This is the third carload of metal to be shipped by the County Metal Salvage Committee with Louis H. Alsmeyer as chairman.

Growers, auto dealers, and others have been bringing in scrap metal and unloading same at Lakemont at convenient times before this car was spotted; consequently, when this car was loaded out there was a reserve of about 18,000 pounds which will be shipped in the next car which will be laded out on August 5th and 6th.

It was possible to secure such a large shipment at this time because of the fine cooperation given by the various County Commissioners in loading the various trucks, and also the large number of garages which sent in their scrap metal.

County Agent Alsmeyer stated that because of the increased steel production needed for war industries, that the state WPB headquarters had advised the Highlands County committee that the quota for Highlands County for shipment from July 1st to Dec. 31st would be several hundred thousand pounds. The exact quota will be announced next week.

The other members of the Metal Salvage Committee are Byrum Shockley of Avon Park, A. L. Butler of Sebring, J. B. Byars of Lorida, and Oscar Clemons of Venus.

Any person having scrap metal for collection should contact either of the above or drop a card to the County Agent at Sebring.

Plans Adopted For Istokpoga Conservation

Plans for the Istokpoga Soil Conservation District were adopted at the meeting of the Board of Supervisors, together with officials of the U. S. Soil Conservation Service and the University of Florida, at the meeting held in the County Agent's office last Thursday morning.

The Supervisors voted that the biggest problem for the area was proper water control. They voted to ask for assistance from the Soil Conservation Service to secure the proper information as to various elevations, levels, etc., in the district. When that information is secured a comprehensive plan working toward coordination of all effort in the proper handling of water will be made.

George N. Sparrow, who has been here for several weeks representing the Soil Conservation Service, presented his report as to the conditions he had found in the district. The supervisors voted approval of his findings and thanked him for the assistance he had given them.

Prof. A. P. Spencer, acting director of Extension Service and representing the state soil conservation advisory committee, stated that it was realized that problems of the District were very complex and that the supervisors had ability to make many necessary improvements as water control, conservation of soil fertility, and more stable agriculture. Others representing the University were Dr. E. F. DeBusk and Extension Soil Conservationist K. S. McMullen.

Albert DeVane was elected as vice-chairman of the meeting. Other supervisors present were Ralph Richardson and J. W. Kelly.

The Supervisors, after adopting the plan of work, instructed their secretary, Louis H. Alsmeyer, to submit the plan of work to the state soil coordinator.

School Board Resolution

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two railroads the press, the civic clubs and large shippers, particularly those in the fruit and vegetable business from which industries thousands of cars of freight will be ready to move during the season soon to open:

Fourth—that copies also be sent to school boards and boards of county commissioners of other counties affected by the taxpaying or tax-delaying policies of these roads.

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Sugar . . and Spice

Seen at a scene on Sunday . . . Lou Shockley smilingly dressed down to the local choo-choo station . . with two good looking soldiers in tow . . . to see her husband off . . . Francis Shockley's reaction was . . . when came time to bid fond farewell . . . embarassed instead of his wife . . . ye columnist (who was also seeing her husband off . . . minus two soldiers!) . . . and told her to be a good girl . . . to which she replied . . . that she'd even rather be poor . . . than pure.

Josephine Reck . . . a lovely girl with a lovely voice . . . delighted all present with songs . . . at the cadet dance Saturday night.

Why has Harley Fiske . . . the personality cadet . . . been seen walking by the lake . . . for hours upon hours.

Irene Creel . . . short and sweet . . . with eyes so blue that they startle one.

Aw, syret mystery of life . . . 'twould be better if some of us were never born . . . but that seldom happens.

Betcha few can boast . . . that the announcement of their birth . . . was boldly printed in huge green letters . . . and pasted across a grocery store window . . . as was the sign that was proudly displayed on the B & B window Thursday . . . saying . . . HERE IT IS AT LAST. A 10 LB. BOY. Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. E. John.

Dashing Red Stevens . . . now a Lieutenant . . . is telling the world . . . that he's found his dream girl . . . She's bred in ole Kentucky . . . The date has been set for August 16th . . . Weep no more, my ladies.

Talk about your bubble baths, girls . . . two local he-men . . . bathe in ginger ale . . . or at least they did at the Lotela Club last Sat. p. m.

Thinking a prowler was around the house the other night . . . called the police to investigate . . . and even the police couldn't find me a man.—A. B. W.

Seaboard Owes Highlands County $16,961.39 Taxes

Out of the approximately $975,000 delinquent taxes the Seaboard Air Line Railway owes the state, $16,961.39 is due to Highlands county, according to figures furnished by the state comptroller's office to J. Paul Garber, Avon Park member of the Highlands county school board.

These taxes are owed for the years 1935 through 1940, Garber said, and no matter how long they run, the state cannot collect interest on them, he pointed out. "The Seaboard paid its 1941 taxes, to escape the interest penalty, because the last legislature passed a law enabling the state to collect interest on 1941 and subsequent years. But the delinquent taxes are not subject to interest, and if and when we collect, we can collect no more than the principal."

School Board Starts Economic Pressure

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ed taxes prior to 1939 when Judge J. B. Johnson issued a decree reducing the railroads' tax burden 28 per cent. The ACL paid but the SAL continued contesting in the courts. Judge E. C. Love several weeks ago decided against the road, dissolved the injunction and ordered payment in full. But the Seaboard still delays, and asked a rehearing.

BEER RETAILERS, CITY OF AVON PARK

NOTICE

The impression has gotten around that the ordinance prohibiting the sale of beer on Sunday has become nullified, because the City failed to make a conviction in a recent case due to lack of evidence.

I did not approve of this ordinance, but it is now a law on our books, and will be enforced to the letter. The penalty is not over $100.00 and not over 60 days at hard labor, or both fine and imprisonment.

Several Cities now have an adinance prohibiting the proprietor or employes entering a place that sells beer, between Saturday midnight and Sunday midnight. SO BEWARE.

M. E. COVINGTON, Mayor

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FOR RENT:—One four room furnished flat, or two two-room furnished apartments. 927 W. Main street.

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Accounts Must Be Settled By the 10th

FEDERAL:

Regulation W. Freezes all charge accounts having unpaid balances for May or Before.

WE QUOTE:

(Par. C. Sec. 5. Reg. W. effective May 6, 1942)

A charge account shall be deemed to be in default if any article (whether listed or unlisted) for which credit was extended in such account has not been paid for in full on or before the 10th Day of the second calendar month following the calendar month during which such article was sold.

(End of Quote)

This means:

These accounts must be paid in full or "Cured" before further charges can be added.

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