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1 Douglass Dickson King—2Robert Henry Smith—4 William N. Space—5 Paul Christian Leatherman—6 George Harry Lilley—9 Clarence Wesley English — 10 Enoch Williams—11 Thomas Ardus Hutchison—12 Kimmey Richard Bryan—13 Roy Miles McKinstry—15 Dorman Roosevelt Hayes—16 James Harold Lambert—17 Herman Ralph Hansen—18 Earl William McRae 21—Willie Washington (c)—22 Edward Francis Driscoll Jr—23 Roscoe Lacy Hancock—27 Laurie Leonard Williams—28 Francis Henry Skipper—29 Chester Glenn Langrehr—30 Walter Hunter Lingerfelt Jr.—32 Clark Cason—35—Albert Gray Dorton—36 James Lorenzo Walker—37 Van Vechton Partin—38 James Clagett Taylor—41 Calvin Pope Brown—42 Alvin Alonzo Huggins — 43 Lloyd Hansel Sherouse—45 Alex Garvin—46 Barney Earl Smoak—47 Marion Henry Drawdy — 48 Donald Martin LeBoeuf — 50 George Neal Hicks — 52 Earl Kranklin Bozeman — 56 William Earl Cross—57 William Duane Wood—58 James Monroe Williams—59 Dr. Louis Bartholomew Dierkes—60 Fernald Andre Hobert—61 Albert Menford Moree—62 Henry Thomas Weaver—65 James Bidwill Alderman—66 Walter Edwin Brunson—70 Preston Rufus King 71 Miles Erastus Sanders — 72 Pete Levi Lastinger.

75 Charles Junior Anderson (c)—74 Ned Webster Hill—75 Curtis Womble—76 Milton Ramsey (c)—78 George Eugene Sebring — 79 Johnny Brown (c) — 81 Gordon Vere Brewer—82 John Henry Grady Jr (c)—83 George Washington McNealy (c)—85 William James Edwards—86 William Vernon Higgins—90 Nepoleon Smith (c)—91 John Frank Meeks—92 Leldon Walls Martin—93 Sonny C. Crawford (c)—95 Ernest Elder — 97 Samuel Lee Weeks — 98 Payne Murray Sebring—99 Joseph Saphus Dennis (c)—101 Luby B. Sellers—102 James Whaley (c)—103 Homer Elwood Keller—104 Julian Franklin Walton—107 James Madison Stephenson—108 Willie Artice Wright (c)—110 Thomas Russell Jones—112 Gus Burdett (c)—114 Marvin James Reddick—115 Clarence Robinson (c)—116 Otis Roscoe Flowers—117 Joe Randolph (c)—118 Nelson Smith Varnes—119 Henry Jacob Boyd.

121 Charles Arlo Sargent—122 Clyde Lovel Tucker—123 Willie Counts (c)—125 Johh Grover Johnson—126 Henry L. Paulk—127 Joseph Columbus Dickinson—129 130 John Paul Gerber—132 Carl Andreas Madsen — 134 Ridgley Rhodes Brown—135 William Thurman Neds—136 John Obie Kelley—137 James Menefee Huber—139 William Harry Martin — 140 Edward Otis Floyd—142 Harry Ellsworth Hershberger—143 Sun Scott (c)—144 Sammuel Bonaguis—147 Archie Newlan Johnson—148 Eric Edgar Orick Jr.—149 Willie Maud Walker — 150 Pelman Blackshear (c)—151 Harold Martin Bridgman—152 Stafford Jackson Simmons—John Lesley Collier—157 Steve Mac Terrell—158 Hiram Eugene Barker—159 Clyde Johnson (c)—160 Matthew Edward Weaver—162 Joe Walker (c)—163 Marion H. Money—165 Sam Miller (c)—166 William Edward Wolcott—168 William Henry Glenn (c).

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270 Elmo McQuater (c) — 271 James Claude Wade—273 Elijah Bailey (c)—274 Claude Columbus Mathis—277 Willie B. Miller (c)—279 Frank Waldron—280 Cicero Foy (c)—281 Chester Pickett Raymond—283 James Rufus Durrance—285 George Bernard Waggaman—286 Mallie D. Davis—287 Johnny Shell (c)—288 George Franklin Thomas—289 Ernest Phillips (c)—290 Tob Claud Parker—291 Earl Martin Keen 292 Henry Adams (c)—294 William Travis Collier—295 Sidney Cooper Wright (c) — 296 Johnnie Lee O'Connor—299 Amos Allen Hicks (c)—301 Johnnie Montadeoca—302 Emory Dixon—303 Harry Philip Herbert — 304 Daniel Allen Rimes—305 Fred Fritz Jr.—306 Hubbard Johnas Stewart (c)—307 Carl Ray Byers—311 Leon Thomas—312 James Williams (c).

313 Henry Grady Turnbull—314 Jewell Marvin Gordon—315 Leonard Bennett Walker—316 Lucious Daniel Smith — 317 Robert Baker Jr. (c)—318 Robert Reynolds Pyle—320 Jessie Wright (c)—321 Willie McClelland—322 Allen Candler Ponder—323 George Washington (c)—326 Pete Gathers (c)—327 William George Cason—328 Son Bivens (c)—329 Bias Mumford (c)—330 Henry Carutha Stanley—331 Melvin Bacon (c)—332 Lawson Pruitt — 333 James Guignard Maxcy — 334 Emanuel Shuler (c)—335 Bert Hooks (c)—336 Don Evan Brandon—337 Lonnie Harris (c)—339 Robert Montgomery Quinn—340 Homer Blitch Limbaugh—341 Philip Correll—342 Jack Marion Butler — 343 Sam Jones (c)—351 Vernon William Watson—353 Blumie King (c)—354 Irving Roscoe Titus—355 Sam Ellis (c)—356 Fred Homes Conner (c)—357 Luegene Harvey Pollard—358 Charles Hugh Yarbrough—359 Earl Francis Leonard.

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773 James Rogers Barlow—774 Thomas Luther James Bacon (c)—775 Dumas Johnson (c) — 777 Dorsey Funk Butterbaugh — 779 Jake Wey Whidden—782 John Alfred Brooks—784 George William Edgemon—785 Van Reed (c)—788 Ira Sebert Hall—789 Lee Curtis Crews—791 Charles Harvey Hill.

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

Notice is hereby given, that Julian Montadoca, holder of Tax Certificate No. 223, issued the 6th day of August A. D. 1905, 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 west of Kissimmee River of SW¼ of NW¼, and All West of River of SW¼, and All West of River of SW¼ of SE¼ Section 16 Township 35 S Range 32 East 160 Acres.

The assessment of 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 April, 1942, which is the 6th day of April, 1942.

Dated this 2nd day of March, 1942.

H. T. PIETY
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
March 7, 14, 21, 28.

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It's just the boys' tribute to Kate's cookies . . . baked with Rumford, and good, they'll tell the world! No alum in Rumford to leave a bitter taste. No worry about special measurements, either! FREE: NEW booklet containing dozens of bright ways and means to improve your baking. Address: Rumford Baking Powder, Box Z, Rumford, Rhode Island.

MAKE DEAN'S LIST

Miss Barbara and Miss Nancy Betts, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Betts, who are students at Brenau college, Gainesville, Ga., were both named on the Dean's List for the past semester, according to announcement today from the college. Freshman are required to make a 2.2 average, and the upperclassman are required to make a 2.4 average to make the Dean's list. Miss Betts is a senior, and Miss Nancy Betts, a sophomore at the college.

Everytime you get your pay, buy Bonds and Stamps for the U. S. A.

Tires And Tubes Granted This Wee

The following tires and tub were granted this week by the cal rationing board:

Howard C. Maddox, truck tire; Board of County Commissioners, truck tire and tube; Ridge Fuel Co., Inc.; truck tire; Gillis Ellsworth Shaffer, 3 obsolete passenger tires; John Giddens, truck tire and tube; H. E. Godwin, truck tire and tube; Ridge Fuel Co., Inc., truck tube; Dr. Clifford Gay, passenger tire; S. Y. Hartt & Son, Inc., truck tire, two truck tubes.

Retreads — Horace Bassmore, two truck tires; S. Y. Hartt & Son., truck tire; Love McGiboney, truck tire.

War Relief Fund Starts March 31

The War Relief Fund drive in Highlands county, will start Tuesday, March 31 with a house to house canvass. You may leave also your donations with S. F. Longbottom at the Barnett Bank. There will NOT be a 1942 Roll Call. The War Relief Fund must now be $65,000,000, instead of $50,000,000.

NOTICE

After April 1st 1942 the City of Avon Park is required by Court Order to collect or foreclose on all delinquent taxes and paving liens.

Tax Payers can save a considerable amount by paying their taxes before the above date.

By order of the City Council

Louise B. Armstrong
Clerk and Collector

ATTENTION
TAXPAYERS

Only one week left to apply for Homestead Exemption and to make your 1942 Tax Returns. Under the new tax laws a Penalty of 10% will be chraged against all Tax Payers failing to make Personal Tax Returns by April 1st.

FILE NOW !

APRIL 1st. LAST DAY!

P. G. GEARING
County Tax Assessor

THE FUTURE HOME

Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in Me — I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you unto Myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.—John 14:1-3.

THE ROSE BEYOND THE WALL

Near a shady wall a rose once grew,
  Budded and blossomed in God's free light,
Watered and fed by morning dew,
  Shedding its sweetness day and night.

As it grew and blossomed fair and tall,
  Slowly rising to loftier height,
It came to a crevice in the wall
  Through which there shone a beam of light.

Onward it crept with added strength,
  With never a thought of fear or pride;
It followed the light through the crevice's length,
  And unfolded itself on the other side.

The light, the dew, the broadening view
  Were found the same as they were before;
And it lost itself in beauties new,
  Breathing its fragrance more and more.

Shall claim of death cause us to grieve
  And make our courage faint and fall?
Nay! let us faith and hope receive;
  The rose still grows beyond the wall;

Scattering fragrance far and wide,
  Just as it did in days of yore,
Just as it did on the other side,
  Just as it will foreevermore.

—A. L. Frank.

Attend Sunday School and Church Sunday

"Remember the Sabbath Day to Keep it Holy"

Exodus 20:8

Gas Tax Money Should Be Used to Build New Roads

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Attorney Says Combine Road Funds, Work

M. R. McDonald Tells Board It Could Save Money

In an open letter to the board of county commissioners, County Attorney M. R. McDonald recommended doing away with the system of expenditure of county road funds by districts and that the county pool its road money, hire one road foreman for the entire county system and cut expenses. He pointed out that during the last fiscal year the county spent $40,-996.78 for road repairs and equipment and of that sum $6,350 was paid for overseers and convict wardens.

Here is Mr. McDonald's letter:

March 24, 1942.

Board of County Commissioners,
Highlands County, Florida
Gentlemen:

Sometime ago the question came up before the Board as to whether or not tax money paid into one district could legally be expended in another district, and consequently I was requested, as I recall, by the Board, or at least by some of its members, to make a study of the law on this subject and advise the Board.

Consequently, I have made an exhaustive study not only of the law, but of expenditures and also of the system this county has been operating under ever since its formation. The law and figures I give to you in order that you may determine whether or not to continue the system or to abandon it and adopt a new system for the future. That means whether or not all tax money and all race track funds allocated as has been the custom to each district, should be supervised and expended by each commissioner in his own district without consideration or interference by the entire Board, and also whether or not the old system of having an overseer for each district should or could be dispensed with and have one overseer or superintendent for the entire county. Also whether or not it will be for the best interest of Highlands County, to pool all of its money, material and resources and construct and maintain roads and bridges therein as a county unit, without regard to district lines of the several commissioners. The present Board has followed a system in operation long before any of the present members were elected to the Board and are not to blame for the system nor for continuing thereunder.

The present system in Highlands County, as in some other counties of the state is, to divide all funds applicable for road and bridge maintainance and construction to the five commissioner's districts, and for each commissioner to appoint a road overseer and that the overseer hires labor and buys material and thus expends the funds of the district, without any question or knowledge of the individual members of the Board from other districts. Such bills are read over each month and if okehed by the commissioner of the district where the work was done, it is paid without a question from any other member.

Is it therefore, lawful, to dispense with overseers of each district and to devolve all the work of all the districts on one individual accountable to the entire Board?

In the first place the law makes the entire Board responsible jointly for all expenditures of public funds and maintenance and construction of roads and bridges in the county.

However, there is an old law on our statute books, passed in 1895 during the horse and buggy days and the time when roads were worked only with hand tools, known as Section 2446 Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, which requires:

"The County Commissioners of the several counties at their first meeting in January of each year to lay off their roads in the respective districts into subdivisions of convenient length and size, and to apportion the hands liable to work upon the roads and to appoint a fit and competent person as overseer. with the list of all

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I. H. Ford Motor Company Damaged By Fire Tuesday

Fire, which caught from an acetylene torch, caused an estimated damage of $1000 or more to the building and another $1000 to $1200 damage to equipment at the I. H. Ford Motor Company garage Tuesday afternoon. Two trucks and a passenger car were also damaged.

The fire started when the torch set fire to a new Chevrolet truck, owned by the Alcoma Corporation, on which workmen were welding. The torch was being applied to a part on the rear of the truck, when suddenly the front end of the truck burst into flames. A gasoline leak was thought to have been responsible. The flames spread to grease and oil on the floor and in containers and leaped to the ceiling. The rear end of the garage was an inferno in a few minutes. Prompt response by the fire department confined the fire to the rear of the garage, and soon had the fire under control. The truck was badly damaged, with no insurance. Other cars damaged were a pickup truck owned by Bob Hutchingson and a passenger car owned by C. H. Shepherd. The paint was ruined on both cars.

The flames charred the timbers and sheeting on the roof of the shop, and scorched and blackened most of the roof. There was no damage to the stock or tires, in a separate department, but several valuable pieces of equipment were totally destroyed. Insurance covered the building and stock, but not the equipment, Mr. Ford said.

Merit System Examinations For Welfare Board

C. Parks Anderson, Chairman of the District 8 Welfare Board, today warned Highlands County residents who desire to take the merit system examinations, to be held jointly by the State Welfare Board and the Florida Industrial Commission, that applications must be filed by midnight, April 8, 1942. "The intervening period is short", he said, "that I advise those who are interested to obtain application blanks at once from the Merit System Office, Room 203, 300 W. University Avenue, Gainesville. All applications must be filed on blanks, and must reach the Merit System Office by deadline date. While an individual may take more than one examination, and is encouraged to do so, merit system rules require that a separate application must be filed for each examination.

Those who pass the tests will have their names placed on registers from which vacancies in 27 classes of position within the two agencies will be filled, Mr. Anderson pointed out. Social work as well as clerical and technical positions will be included in the long list. Two agencies have a total of approximately 1,000 employees.

As the State Welfare Board has an office in every county, and the Florida Industrial Commission has offices all over the state, those who pass the examinations may be able to obtain employment at home or near home, Mr. Anderson said.

The date of the examinations will be announced as applicants are notified of their eligibility to take the tests. Places at which examinations will be held, are: Daytona Beach, DeFuniak Springs, Gainesville, Jacksonville, Lakeland, Live Oak, Miami, Orlando, Pensacola, Sarasota, Tallahassee, Tampa and West Palm Beach.

Four Teachers Yet To Be Appointed For Avon Schools

The local school trustees met Thursday to consider appointments to fill vacancies on the school faculty, but made no definite recommendations. There are four vacancies in next year's faculty. These are: E. L. Roberts, music director, who has resigned to teach music at Rollins college; H. J. Mummau, science teacher, who will retire after this term, under the teachers' retirement act; Miss Janet Cook, biology health, and girls' coach, who has resigned to teach in college; and James Davis, Spanish and English, resigned to enter business.

WIT-LESS HUMOR

(By GUM)

E-gad! Zounds! Subversive elements are at work in our midst! We are beaten—thrown back for loss!

Two new purchases have been made of nice shiney 5 cent can openers. The fair sex have won again (as usual). Two upperclassmen fell for the wiles of the seductive misses who did not miss. Brave youth starting life with a can opener—stalking the family food. Oh cave man where is thy club? We must give the gals credit though. Telling the innocents about tantalizing home cooking then having them buy can openers!

Why, if the truth can now be told, neither of the cuddle queens ever knew what a kitchen was for. They thought it was a room where mother took them for bathing and a change of three cornered sneesies. Enough of this though, there are other things more important.

What young man—onthe professional side—is about due to have the air let out of his tire and the size of his hat reduced? Our queens refuse to be dictated to in the least! He will be attacked from all sides when least expected The "blitz" on Poland was duck soup compared to what he has coming. A wise man would offer up prayers—send incense and candy—and hope! Which reminds me—a few quizzical glances are being cast towards a certain instructor who does not fly, but plays games—even as you and I. He has nice teeth and a Missouri smile everytime you call for a shift in his direction. Gals—me thinks he has been handled roughly in the past and does not relish additional lessons.

Of course we realise there is more fun in landing a wise old wolf—than in shearing one of the lambs frisking around the barracks.

Whereof and wherefore we are reminded that one young man still plays the game with a degree of skill unsurpassed in the memory of man. He believes in numbers—lots of them but never a single number. Or the eaglet who does his "spark adjusting" in far places—going under an alias as to name and location. Girls, it is certainly most provoking to almost have his arm around you, but not quite! To be so chilly on a warm day, and for him to murmer how much warmer it would be in other places! A word of warning to him—when the last girdle snaps and curves assume their rightful place of prominence in life—then and then only he be doomed.

Chief Bob Massey's women's pistol team will certainly find deadly competition at the school. The C. O. can place them in the black—and he doesn't use a shot gun either.

Soldiers Get Use Of Winter Guest Club for Dances

The Avon Park Defense Recreation Committee, through S. Colquitt Pardee, Jr., its club centers chairman, has secured the Winter Guest Club for the use of the soldiers in the Armory for one regular weekly entertainment, and continuation of the Friday night dances is now assured. In addition to this, the boys will be allowed to use the club daily for reading, writing and lounging during the daytime, and, it is understood, that just as soon as the Winter Guest Club has completed schedule of activities in the clubhouse, it will be turned over to them to use without reservation.

Stationery has already been supplied for the enlisted men's use by the Recreation Committee, and, at an early date, desks and chairs will be supplied and installed in the clubhouse for their futher convenience.

The Winter Guest Club is closing another successful season, and this parting gesture of turning over their clubhouse to the boys in uniform has commended them to civilian and soldier alike.

WRITES LEAD ARTICLE

Dr. R. H. Jordan, retired professor of Cornell University, and now a prominent resident of Avon Park, wrote the leading article in March Phi Gamma Delta magazine his many friends here will be interested to learn. The subject of Dr. Jordan's timely article was "Some Thoughts on War and Scholarship".

Drive Launched For Collection of Scrap Iron

All Metals Needed For Production of War Goods

Scrap iron is needed in the iron foundries for the manufacture of equipment to beat the Japs and Nazis. It is also needed for the manufacture of agricultural implements and other metal equipment.

The Salvage Committee of Highlands County Defense Council and the USDA War Board are cooperating in the scrap metal program which is headed up by County Agent Louis H. Alsmeyer. Oscar Clemons of Venus, E. W. Kelsey of Lake Placid, J. B. Byars of Lorida, Byrum Shockley of Avon Park and Charles Whitehurst of Sebring are among those who have been selected to help carry out this program.

In the manufacture of a 2000 pound aerial bomb, 500 pounds of scrap is required. Eighteen tons of scrap are required in the manufacture of a medium tank and three tons in the manufacture of a three-inch anti-aircraft gun. Because of the great importance of these in present situations, it is necessary that all possible scrap iron be collected and turned in.

Present plans call for the shipment of one or two carloads of scrap iron from Highlands county. According to present plans, those who bring in this metal to the freight car will be given defense stamps or cash will be given,to the parties bringing in larger quantities if they desire when the car of scrap iron is sold. Some have stated that they desire to donate the scrap iron they have and the money from the sale of same to be given to the U. S. Treasury, the Highlands County Defense Council, Red Cross or similar organizations which they may designate.

In order to assist in this program, it is urged that every citizen collect all this material possible and advise one of the above immediately as to the approximate amount of scrap iron they will have. Scrap copper, brass, aluminum, rubber, lead, etc., is also wanted, and a report of this can be turned in to a member of the committee or direct to Mrs. Geo. E. Sebring who is chairman of the salvage work for the Highlands County Defense Council.

BONDS—WHICH?



From Buffalo Courier-Express

State School Funds Will Be Sufficient For Term, Lee Says

The state will meet its obligations to the schools this term, in spite of decreased gas tax revenues, Comptroller Lee told a group of school men in conference here Thursday.

"The outlook is satisfactory for this term, and the state will be able to meet its obligations to the state school system. The gas tax is off 20 per cent in the state, and with the continued tire shortage and decrease in gasoline consumption, we can look for further sharp curtailment of revenue from this source, but I believe we will be all right for the balance of this term," he said.

He met here with the committee from the Continuing Educational Council of the Florida Education Association. Those in attendance were: Carl Widell, West Palm Beach; Charles Gray, Quincy; T. V. Conway and Col. F. N. K. Bailey, Sebring; Mrs. Malcolm McClelland, Jacksonville; and James S. Rickards, secretary, Tallahassee.

Candidates File At Last Minute In County Races

The closing time for filing of candidates for county offices saw a last minute rush of candidates willing to serve in the Sebring and Lake Placid districts. Last Thursday no candidates had field in Sebring district although W. Z. Carson had announced that he would file and only one candidate, L. C. Crews had filed in commissioner's district No. 4 at Lake Placid.

Friday, Geo. E. Sebring and W. Z. Carson qualified for commissioner in Sebring district and Saturday, John W. Schumacher qualified, making a three cornered race in this district.

Either Friday or Saturday L. L. Henderson and A. C. McAuley, both of Lake Placid qualified to make the race against Lee C. Crews, present chairman of the board who had been induced to qualify last Tuesday by several prominent citizens after he had practically decided not to make the race. Henderson is a former commissioner. Crews was nominated without opposition last election.

The present commissioner from Avon Park, J. H. Hood, and the commissioner of Venus, N. B. Jackson, are unopposed for renomination and automatically became the nominees when no other candidates qualified.

The commisioners race in districts two and three are wide open with the present incumbents not seeking reelection. There are four candidate, Sol. McClelland, Bob Stokes, George Waggaman and Ivey Waldron, seeking the office of Commissioner from District No. 2, now held by Mrs. Clara Pearce.

In district two W. Z. Carson, who served two terms as clerk of circuit court and has never been defeated for public office, is opposed by Geo. E. Sebring, who has served on the city council and was defeated by a small plurality in a six cornered race some few years ago, and J. W. (Johnny Bill) Schumacher, who has been defeated for county commissioner twice, and for representative once. When he made the race for county commissioner he polled 425 votes against his opponent who polled 657. In the race for representative two years ago, Schumacher polled a total of 439 votes in the precincts in District 2 against the 719 votes garnered by his two opponents in the race.

Representative C. E. Lanier of Avon Park, candidate for renomination is opposed by Howard Livingston of Sebring. Both men are considered able and well qualified for the office and the race will be more in the nature of a popularity contest than a political campaign according to some of their friends.

J. Paul Garber, Avon Park member of the board of public instruction will not have opposition. W H. Cannon, Venus, member of the board will be opposed by T. A. Cason of Lake Placid.

Thirteen candidates qualified for county Democratic committee and two for state democratic executive committee. Those qualify-

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SWEET PICKLES & VINEGAR

(By PIC)

An Ohio visitor who has witnessed Major Austin "turn on" that hospitality at Lotela, Jacaranda Dining Room and Barracks says the major gets his vote for the perfect host.

A certain Main St. business man is the favorite this week with the instructors out of town. So Nancy says.

Congratulations to sweet little Judy Johnson on the garden club flower show.

Dr. Basil Hall witnessed his first fowl football scramble near Tampa this week.

With the departure of FBI chief this week, Crab suggests Marge Shank take over.

Real orchids to Betty with the silver tresses—no foolin'. Even her husband sent some down for last Saturday's dance.

Alma's favorite war song, "Good bye, dear, I'll be back in a year."

Who was hiding from who's wife last Saturday aft. The fellow with the boots had water in his bottle. Too bad he didn't open the bottle.

That southpaw golfer from Ohio, Mrs. D., arrived this week.

J. Moffett had more hat trouble this week. This time it was the golf hat. Not sayin' where.

Shag Shaughnessy, the man with unlimited energy, looking for a dance after 18 holes of golf. He will be around a few days and is President of the International baseball league.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree attended a "white elephant" party in Sebring Wednesday night. It is rumored that Kitty tried to pass Crab off as one.

F. Dine from New Bremen, Ohio, is behaving as well as could be expected. Guess he needs his old jooking pardner, Nichols, to get him started.

Who bought the "blonde bomber" that juicy steak?

Overheard at the flower show: "Did you say my nose was red?" "No, the rose is red." Corny, but true.

Who is the big sissy that plays bridge in the mornings? The boys in the poker game will outlaw him sure. He will be smoking cigarettes next.

There was a rumor to the effect that Avon Park would replace Reno and Me-ya-mi as a divorce mill, but this was before the "checkers" started to work.

Overheard at last several meetings of "fowl football," "Where's Brownie?"

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Smith, here Thursday night, said it seemed like getting home. Mel has a new hobby (cooking) and Carrabelle says the former Avon Parker really can broil a mean steak. Hi, Mel, cookin' with gas, eh!

Some folks will miss the Lambeth Walk from today on especially D & FBI.

Quite a farewell party at north bound train Thursday nite. Three carloads from Jacaranda saw Esther and Gibby off.

HOWARD TODD TO HAVE OPERATION

Howard Todd, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd will undergo a major operation in John Hopkins hospital in Baltimore, Md., this morning. His parents are in Baltimore with him, and a wire to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reck yesterday, stated that "Howard is in fine spirits".

City Ordered to Foreclose On Delinquents

Rittenhoure Levies On City Property On Judgment

The city of Avon Park was ordered by Judge Barker in Federal court Thursday to start foreclosures immediately on delinquent real estate and personal property to pay a judgment of $264,295 obtained in February by a group of bondholders.

The order is directed particularly against property on which taxes from 1918 to 1937 totaling $83,765 are delinquent.

The city was ordered to put all receipts in a separate fund and apply them on the judgment, to make payments monthly, and to make monthly reports of progress to the court. Officials are not permitted to make any tax concessions, except as provided by law.

If any part of the debt is still unpaid at the opening of the new fiscal year, the judge ordered that it be included in the city's budget, that a levy be made for it and that collections be enforced.

Judgments entered against the city last fall were secured against the city by James G. Martin, V. T. McCombs and Harry A. Taylor, totaling $194,865.00. And other judgments were entered in favor of Vermont Investment Co., and Woman's Benefit Association, totaling $60,000.00 The two judgments, together with interest and court costs amount to $264,-865.00, which are now ordered enforced through foreclosure.

Another drastic step was taken by bondholders last Saturday, when Lawrence Rittenhoure, Wichita, Kansas, investment banker, levied on all property which the city has foreclosed in recent years, and all property purchased by the city from the state through the I. I. Board.

A look at the map showing these properties, reveals that in area the property amounts to fully half of the taxable property in the city limits. Some few properties are improved, though most of the land is in vacant lots and unimproved acreage. There is no way of establishing the true value of this property, though it is estimated that it will run well over $100,-000. Rittenhoure's judgment is for $74,905.60 as of Oct. 1, 1938, which does not include interest from that date.

The city council Monday night sold a small grove in the east part of town, described as All of block D, except lots 1 and 24, Crescent View subdivision, to Wiley Sauls for $500 cash. The city claims to have acquired the property through foreclosure some years ago, although S. C. Pardee has a claim against the property, and has had possession of the grove, cared for it and sold the fruit from it during the period. Saul's offer to buy it for $5000 was accepted, and E. H. Ware moved "That the finance committee secure a statement from S. C. Pardee of revenue derived from the grove as fruit had been sold each year from the grove and the city has received no check from anyone during that period, and that Mr. Pardee be asked to turn over to the city proceeds derived from the grove by April 10, 1942". The motion was seconded by Anderson and carried.

The council discussed the importance of securing the services of a city attorney, and Councilman Ware moved the city employ F. T. Haskins, Anderson seconded, but the motion failed to carry. A committee was then asked to investigate the field of prospects for the position and report back at the next meeting.

ENLISTS IN MARINES

Avon Park friends of Claud Daly of Jacksonville, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Daly, Avon Park, will be interested in learning that he has reinlisted in the United States Marines. He had previously served the four year period with the Marines, and an additional three years in the reserves. For the past three years, he has been residing in Jacksonville, where he has been employed. He has been spending several days this week with his parents, prior to re-entering the service.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS — By Edward C. Wayne

Jap Successes in Java Sea Battle Credited to Numerical Superiority; Coastwise Shipping Losses Offset By Stepped-Up Shipyard Production

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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Keeping home for President Roosevelt was the 10,000-ton cruiser Houston, sunk in the battle of Java. During the last eight years the Chief Executive traveled almost 25,000 miles aboard the Houston, which was commissioned in 1930. The Houston was one of two ships lost by the U. S. in what was termed the "fiercest and bloodiest ever known." The United Nations lost a total of 13 ships.

DISASTER:
Battle of Java

The world had known that there had been a naval battle off Java just before the Japanese moved in with their full might at three points on land, but until the announcement was made that the Allied fleet had been "overwhelmed by superior numbers" it had not been known what the losses had been.

This, at long last, had been given to the press in a more or less detailed summary which showed that the United Nations lost 13 ships, not apparently counting any submarines that might be missing.

The United States lost two, the 10,000-ton sleek cruiser Houston, favorite of President Roosevelt himself, who had gone to Hawaii in her in 1934, and frequently had been aboard her; and the World war type "four-stacker" destroyer Pope, 1,190 tons, both presumably lost with all hands, though there was some hope that some survivors may have reached shore somewhere.

The British were the heaviest losers, having six vessels listed as lost including the famous cruiser Exeter, small but valorous, 8,390 tons, which had taken part in the victorious attack on the German Graf Spee off Uruguay.

The other five lost by the British were all destroyers.

The Dutch lost their flagship and chief cruiser, the DeRuyter, presumably lost with all hands, for she was hit by a torpedo and sank in a few minutes at night on the first day, at the height of the battle. They also lost a destroyer.

The Australians lost two vessels, the cruiser Perth and the Yarda, a sloop, both missing and presumably lost.

The Japanese, according to the same report, lost eight vessels, but all details as to any actual sinkings were unobtainable, probably due to the unfavorable outcome of the battle.

Included among the eight were two cruisers, one of the 10,000-ton class.

A study of the British and American naval communiques seemed to show that the most telling blows were struck, not so much by the gunnery of the Japs, as by their submarines and speedy destroyers.

The Exeter had one of her boilers blown up by a shell, which cut her speed 50 per cent, but she still escaped from the battle and was apparently sunk seeking to escape from Java to Australia. The same was the fate of the Houston and the Pope.

SLOWDOWN:
On Car Speed

In a country stressing speed, speed, speed in war production, President Roosevelt had gone to the governors of the 48 states with a request for a slowdown in one thing—the speed limits of the nation's highways.

He had recommended 40 miles per hour as a top, as a means of conservation of the present supply of tires for the motoring public.

The President had said:

"I would greatly appreciate your co-operation in an effort to achieve this objective throughout the country."

Most governors rushed to comply, and many issued immediate orders to their state police officers to see that speed limits were cut down.

AUSSIES:
Getting Help

The same rigid censorship which had kept an official record of the Java sea battle from getting to the British and American public until two weeks after it occurred and nearly that time after the Japanese had announced the loss, for instance, of the Houston and other vessels, had given the country only the

> The appointment of Gen. Douglas MacArthur as supreme commander of all United Nations' forces in Australia gave truth to the many rumors which had cropped up in the past month. MacArthur transferred his headquarters from the Philippines to Australia upon orders from President Roosevelt. He was given his new post at the request of the Australian government. His promotion had long been expected as the result of his courageous stand on the Bataan peninsula.

sketchiest picture of what aid we were sending to Australia to help the Aussies get ready for their defense against the Japs.

First hint that troops had arrived there had come from Yates McDaniel, who had slipped into a "color" story a report that Perth was literally jammed with Americans in uniforms.

Next had come the story of a London Daily Mail correspondent who added giant figures to the tale by picturing a convoy almost without end, on the way to Australia and already attacked by Japanese naval "spearheads."

Finally, a Chicago Sun correspondent sent in a copyrighted story which said that "thousands of American troops" had arrived safely in Australia, but that he could not say where they were being debarked.

ATLANTIC:
Toll Growing

Though our navy, co-operating with the British, was keeping supply lines between Britain and the United States open, coastwise shipping had continued to yield a terrific toll.

The loss of American flag ships alone had passed the half-hundred mark, and the lives taken were assuming important figures. Shipping insurance rates were hiked again.

There was no disposition to admit Hitler's claims that 151 ships of a total of 1,029,000 tons had been sunk in the first two months of the war in the Atlantic alone, but the total was large and was constantly mounting.

The loss of 50 American ships in two months was an average of about a ship a day, and with one shipyard in the East launching two large vessels weekly, this was not necessarily a fatal loss, but other countries' losses were not being reproduced as successfully as our own.

Despite the losses of U. S. ships, it was pointed out that if the present rate was not increased, or even lessened, it would not be long before our merchant marine was tremendously greater. But if Hitler's figure of half a million tons a month were true, then the picture was less rosy, at least until we reach our goal of 8,000,000 tons a year.

OFFENSIVE:
British Bomb Vital Nazi Centers

Britain, more or less held back from bombings over Europe during the winter season of bad weather and worse visibility, had started an all-out and continuous bombing of German towns and industrial centers, also of vital ports in northwest Germany.

From various sources close to London came word that this was a definite part of the British "spring offensive," and that the attacks would become more powerful and continuous as the weather improved.

Extremely large forces of British bombers were being used, it had been reported, especially the Halifaxes, Stirlings and Lancasters, the latter a new and highly regarded bomber.

Not so much mention was being made of the use of American "fortress bombers," and apparently England had her own plane production in better shape now, or perhaps since our entry into the war was not getting so many flying fortresses.

At all events the British airmen were getting in tremendous licks by day as well as by night, and the Germans, beginning to feel the pinch of heavy bombings with little or no return on their part, had begun to send fighter squadrons over the channel to attempt to break it all up.

The first day these had appeared the British said eight Messerschmitts had been shot down. "None of our planes were lost." The Germans broadcast "Eight British fighters were shot down over the channel—no German planes lost."

It was considered odd, however, that the German radio which turned fighter losses upside down rarely claimed as many bombers shot down as the British were willing to admit having lost.

Some believed the Nazis were trying to minimize the number of bombers Britain was using in the raids by this means.

BYRD:
A 'Field Day'

Senator Byrd of Virginia was having a "field day" at the expense of the Office of Civilian Defense, or the OCD in the Washington alphabet.

Almost daily the senator was uncovering things which he was passing on to the public through news releases.

Among the latest had been his expose of unpaid physical fitness activities of OCD, with particular emphasis on the "bowl your way to physical condition" campaign started by Bowling Co-ordinator Willem.

This leader, said Senator Byrd, turned out to be an executive of an advertising firm handling the ac-



SENATOR HARRY F. BYRD
Focused attention on co-ordinators.

count of a nationally known concern which, the senator added, "has a virtual monopoly on the making of bowling alleys and equipment therefor."

Of a piece with this, he said, was the naming of Bernarr Macfadden, the publisher of Physical Culture magazine, as "walking and hiking co-ordinator."

Jack B. Kelly, physical fitness director of the OCD, termed Byrd's attack on the co-ordinators, who serve without pay, a "classic example of boondoggling in congress instead of focusing attention on what's happening in the South Pacific and in Europe."

ROUND-UP:

Official weather springtime starts in late March, but wartime spring was to start, according to a roundup of AP correspondents leading war centers "when the ground dries up in Russia" or in mid-April or early May.

What that time would bring was a puzzle to most military-minded correspondents, but they agreed it would be "offensive time" and would bring battles on such a scale as to make the present wartime reports seem like child's play.

Most unanimity centered about one probability, that the Japs and Germans would try a concentrated offensive in harmony with each other. Some were inclined to think that the Japs, after gaining control of northeastern Australia and establishing a "front" there would turn their main attack through lightly defended India and attempt to join the Germans at the Persian gulf.

Others thought this plan too ambitious and saw the Japs stopping with Bengal and China cut off from Allied aid, and then turning into Siberia.

Practical Attitude Will Not Spoil Fun of Easter Paraders

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



THE 1942 Easter style parade will be no more than a mere display of chic and flattering apparel. Not that it will be lacking in feminine charm, for the new fashions are as intriguing and eye-appealing as bright, pretty accessories can make them. However, it is with a two-fold purpose that women are selecting their Easter outfits and assembling their spring wardrobes. Women are not choosing their new clothes from the viewpoint of attractiveness alone, but back of it all is a steadfast desire to buy wisely, purposefully and thoughtfully with an eye to the future.

The present sane, careful, wholesome buying movement demands expression, and from all reports and appearances, that expression is the suit of handsome material styled softly and becomingly with a versatility that reveals a fresh fashion inspiration that has been born of war needs.

Women are becoming alertly "fabric wise." They want quality materials that are given an undated styling which will carry them valiantly through more than the current season. They are regarding wool weaves in a new light, knowing full well they must buy wool with a view to serviceability, long wear, as wool supplies for civilian use are being reduced as rapidly as the requirements for army service are expanding. It behooves every woman to take jealous care of her wool suits, dresses and coats these days, for most of the newer fabrics will have but a percentage of wool.

Color is the big news for suits. With a fine philosophy our style creators have worked out the problem of making the suit that is designed to be utterly utilitarian radiate a message of cheer in such striking colors as geranium red, ivy green, spring-like yellow, hyacinth blue and related bright hues.

Accessories are creating such a splurge of color they give to suits a brightness that radiates throughout the entire spring fashion picture. Especially smart with navy suits and gray wools, and also with checks and stripes, are vivid gloves, bags, shoes and hats. And don't forget plaids when choosing the new suit or coat. They are more important than ever.

Covert is a leading fabric for spring. We see this sturdy fabric in the trim man-tailored suit shown at the top left in the above illustration. Instead of a coat it has a modish cape for dash and extra warmth. Capes will be seen more and more as the months go by. This serviceable ensemble is in tan. Coverts are also being widely shown in defense blue. Both colors take vivid accessories beautifully.

The novelty flannel plaid suit pictured to the right above is young and cheerful. In red and soft gray tones, it has a generously pleated skirt and a snug fitting double breasted jacket which buttons high and is accented by four vertical pockets.

Fine spun rayon gabardine brings its nice tailoring to fashion the costume to the left, below, in the above illustration. The fitted high-buttoned jacket sports three large pockets, while the skirt is styled with trim box pleats.

Novelty jeweled buttons mark the front closing of the jet black rich rayon faille suit to the right, below, in the above picture. The high, rounded lapels, flap pockets and kick-pleated skirt are excellent fashion points. A flaring milan straw bonnet with grosgrain edging adds distinction to this costume.

Pictured to the right in the inset in the above picture is a wool plaid greatcoat belted in leather which, because of its good looks and hard-wearing qualities, is a "must" in every active woman's wardrobe. This huge block plaided sturdy go-everywhere tweed is in a wonderful color blend of deep blue, dark wine and beige. It is beautifully fitted, with full straight sleeves and dashing skirt lines.

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Jersey Jacket



It's smart to be sleeveless. New on the spring fashion program is the sleeveless jacket worn with a simple shirtwaist dress. The New York creation illustrated in the above picture scores high in style credits. The dress is fashioned of a bow-knot print. The jacket of wool jersey highlights the lighter tones of the printed design, and is distinctive because in addition to being sleeveless it has huge patch pockets and a sewed-in belt.

Taffeta Is a Popular Fabric for Accessories

A new trend in fabrics this season is the use of taffeta for trimming. It is being used for piping, pleating, bordering, wide tie-girdles, yoke treatments, pockets and in countless other intriguing ways.

One of the latest versions is the navy dress piped and trimmed with navy taffeta. There is also a liberal use of taffeta in contrast colors, and taffeta plaid hats and bags have a high style rating.

Playtime Aprons

Children will take great delight in the novel aprons of bright prints. They have huge pockets to hold a sewing outfit for little girls, or a set of garden tools for boys, or perhaps a drawing set for either.

White Hats

Millions are creating most attractive little white hats this spring to be worn with suits or ensembles. They are styled with a view to flattery and many have sprightly little dotted white veils.

Cheverons

A patriotic gesture is the trimming of junior hats, blouses and sweater suits with gaily colorful cheverons and stars. You can buy these motifs all ready to applique.

Unbleached Muslin

Cottons will be worn extensively this spring and summer. There is unlimited and plentiful use of unbleached muslin dyed in rich colors

NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Reviewed by CARTER FIELD

Predict European Conflict Will End in Fall, 1943 . . . Timing Kimmel and Short's Court Martial . . .

(Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)

WASHINGTON. — How long the war will last is perhaps the most vital question to every man, woman and child in America, always assuming that we KNOW the answer to an obviously more vital question: "Who is going to win?"

Most of the answers to the first have been very discouraging. They run from three to ten years, everybody, from Roosevelt and Churchill down, assuming that we are going to be on the receiving end of attacks during most of the present year.

But two men in Washington, whose voices have been listened to with more and more respect as the war has developed, have a more cheerful view. Unfortunately the writer cannot name them. If he could, the words of either, alone, in this connection would make the front page of every newspaper from Eastport, Maine, to San Diego.

Both are predicting now that the war in Europe will end by the fall of 1943!

Both men know their Europe intimately. One is best known as a columnist and the other as an economist, but both base their opinion as to how long the war will last on economic and morale factors. In a nutshell, neither thought any part of Europe can stand another winter of this war without cracking, and this includes Germany.

The economist was telling friends, last fall, that he thought Germany would crack in the fall of 1942. He still holds to that view despite Japan's initial victories. He now thinks the hope given the Germans by Japan's successes against both the British and the United States will postpone the cracking-up through one more winter. But the German people, he insists, will not be able to face winter on top of that.

Depends on Nazi Offensive

The diplomat is actually a little more cautious than the economist. He is still talking about all Europe cracking in nine months, which brings us to the fall of 1942. He concedes, however, that it is possible, especially if the Nazis should make a successful offensive this summer and the Jap successes should continue in the Southwest Pacific, that the Germans might stand one more winter. But NEVER two, he insists.

Both men admit the war is just as hard if not harder on most of the other people in Europe as it is on the Germans. But the other peoples of Europe have very little to say about it. All this leaves out the British, but there is no question about what they will do, so far as continuing to fight is concerned.

The diplomat's version is that the Germans will crack THIS fall, and that the job of the United Nations then will be to concentrate on Japan, which, he figures would be just a question of time after the German menace is removed.

Both think Russia would be eager to remove the Japanese threat in the Far East once and for all, and that Stalin's air power, hitting the Japanese oil in China and in their own islands, would make that phase of the war a mopping up operation.

All of which is presented because of the writer's high opinion of the judgment of the two men cited, plus the fact that it is a little more cheerful than the actual war news!

Three Clashing Opinions Concerning Officers' Trials

There are three violently clashing opinions about the timing of the courts martial of the army and navy commanders held responsible for the Pearl Harbor debacle.

The most generally held is that the trials of Maj. Gen. Walter C. Short and Rear Adm. Husband E. Kimmel should be postponed until after the war.

The second is that it would be cruel to the officers and their families to keep them under such a cloud—considering possibly that a court martial might hold them guiltless—for what may be a very long period.

The third is a combination of the motives actuating both the other groups, and would provide for a secret court martial, so that the defense would be able to present all its facts and theory, or argument, which for strategic reasons should not be made public.

In his defense of his own conduct of the war, it will be recalled, Churchill laid a great deal of the responsibility for the fall of Hongkong and Singapore on Pearl Harbor. He mentioned also, of course, the loss of the Prince of Wales and Repulse, and left the clear implication that if it had not been for those two disasters, both of which, air-minded critics allege, are directly due to the conviction of so many admirals that airplanes could not sink battleships, the whole story of the Southwest Pacific operations might have been very different.

Household Hints

Don't drop that iron. That's the chief reason irons have to be repaired.

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Always iron ecru linens on the wrong side. Ironing on the right side robs them of their luster.

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To retain the full flavor of pickles, keep the jar tightly covered and in the refrigerator when not in use.

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Are you sure your chimney is properly insulated where it passes near wooden walls? Rock wool, asbestos or other insulation may prevent a fire.

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Keep honey in a warm place so that it will pour easily. Never put it in a refrigerator, as cold honey is unmanageable.

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Enameled bathtubs may be cleaned with a tablespoon of dry salt, moistened with spirits of turpentine—not too wet. Then wipe it over with a clean cloth.

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To remove a fresh grease spot on a rug, cover the spot with blotting paper, then press with a hot flatiron. Cover the spot with magnesia, let it remain for 24 hours, then brush off.

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When excess acid causes distress due to it
These symptoms may be relieved in such cases by the use of Bell-ans Stomach Powder. Bell-ans Powder is a scientific combination of 3 fast-acting ingredients

Army Air Force Goal Is 2,000,000

Will Be Biggest in World; Million to Be Trained By End of Year.

WASHINGTON.—A 2,000,000-man air force—the world's largest—has been announced as the army's eventual objective, with half that number to be mustered before the end of the year.

This tremendous program, almost at giving the United States crushing air superiority over all its enemies, was disclosed by Henry L. Stimson, secretary of war, who, before Pearl Harbor, had set a goal of 400,000 men in the air force by next June 30.

It compares with a reported strength of 1,000,000 to 1,250,000 in the Nazi Luftwaffe and of about 1,000,000 in the British Royal Air Force. It is, too, more than than the army had in all branches at the outbreak of the war.

As a part of the expansion plan, a number of cadets at the military academy at West Point will be graduated as pilots and then serve a year for air training, now required after graduation. The announcement was authorized by General George C. Marshall, chief of staff. He said flying instruction at the academy should be added at once.

Navy Has Program.

Mr. Stimson did not break down the over-all 2,000,000 figure into categories of pilots, mechanics and others. It is known, however, that the original goal of a 400,000-man force called for training of 30,000 pilots a year. Presumably, this training program will eventually be quintupled.

In addition to the army's plans, the navy is preparing an immense air arm. Frank Knox, secretary of the navy, announced a program for training 30,000 naval air cadets each year.

The 2,000,000-man air force was closely tied in with plans for producing 125,000 warplanes this year and next. It would work out to a ratio of 16 or 11 men for each plane. With the need for navigators, bombardiers and ground crews, as well as pilots, such a proportion has long been considered about right.

A million men for the 60,000 planes that are scheduled for production this year would give a ratio much higher than that and permit thorough training for a considerable number of men while their fighting planes are under construction.

Whence They Will Come.

The men are to come, it was assumed, from volunteers and drafted men. An important source of men lies in the graduates of the civil aeronautics commission's training courses. They have turned out 75,000 civilian pilots, all pledged to make themselves available to the army and navy when and if needed.

Elementary, basic and advanced flying training will be given at Stewart Field to all West Point cadets who desire pilot training and can pass the required physical examination. Cadets receiving flying instruction will receive the same academic instruction as others, but the flying training will replace certain parts of existing tactical studies.

The initial group to begin flying training will be members of the class of 1942, graduating this year. They will complete elementary instruction before graduation on June 10, and on July 5 will commence basic training. By November 10 they may receive their wings.

Washday on the Libyan Desert



What?—washing again? Clothes, even on the Libyan desert, do get dirty, and the RAF observer makes the most of his time on the ground by using some of his precious water ration to tidy up a bit.

Movie Star

by Thornton W. Burgess

LONGLEGS VISITS THE SMILING POOL

LONGLEGS, THE BLUE HERON watched Billy Mink and Little Joe Otter disappear down the Laughing Brook. As long as they were in sight he sat without moving, his head drawn down between his shoulders just as if he had nothing more important to think about than a morning nap. But if you had been near enough to have seen his keen eyes you would never have suspected him of even thinking of a nap. Just as soon as he felt sure that the two little brown-coated scamps were out of sight he stretched his long neck up until he was almost twice as tall as he had been a minute before. He looked this way and that way to make sure that no danger was near, spread his great wings, flapped heavily up into the air, and then, with his head once more tucked back between his shoulders and his long legs straight out behind him, he flew out over the Green Meadows and, making a big circle, headed straight for the Smiling Pool.

All this time Billy Mink and Little Joe Otter had not been so far away as Longlegs supposed. They had been hiding where they could watch him, and the instant he spread his wings they started back up the Laughing Brook toward the Smiling Pool to see what would happen there. You see they had told Longlegs that Grandfather Frog was fast asleep on his big green lily-pad and they knew perfectly well that Longlegs was flying up to the Smiling Pool in the hope that he could catch Grandfather Frog for his breakfast. They didn't really mean that any harm should come to Grandfather Frog, but they meant that he should have a great fright. You see they were like a great many other people, so heedless and thoughtless that they thought it fun to frighten others.

"Of course we'll waken Grandfather Frog in time for him to get away with nothing more than a great scare," said Little Joe Otter as they hurried along. "It will be such fun to see his big goggly eyes pop out when he opens them and sees Longlegs just ready to gobble him up! And won't Longlegs be hopping mad when we cheat him out of the breakfast he will be so sure he is going to have!"

They reached the Smiling Pool before Longlegs, who had taken a round-about way, and they hid among the bulrushes where they could see and not be seen.

"There's the old fellow just as I left him, fast asleep," whispered Billy Mink.



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Sure enough there on his big green lily-pad sat Grandfather Frog with his eyes shut. At least they seemed to be shut. And over on top of his big house sat Jerry Muskrat. Jerry seemed to be too busy opening a fresh-water clam to notice anything else, but the truth is he was watching all that was going on. You see he had suspected that Billy Mink was up to some mischief that morning and he had guessed that he was going to play some trick on Grandfather Frog. So he had warned him. When he had seen Longlegs coming toward the Smiling Pool he had given Grandfather Frog another warning, and he knew that now he was only pretending to be asleep. But he needn't have worried.

Straight up to the Smiling Pool came Longlegs the Blue Heron and on the very edge of it, among the bulrushes, he dropped his long legs and stood with his toes in the water, his long neck stretched up so that he could look all over the Smiling Pool. There, just as Little Joe Otter had said, sat Grandfather Frog on his big, green lily-pad fast asleep. At least he seemed to be fast asleep. The eyes of Longlegs sparkled with hunger and the thought of what a splendid breakfast Grandfather Frog would make. Very slowly, putting each foot down as carefully as he knew how, Longlegs began to walk along the shore so as to get opposite the big green lily-pad where Grandfather Frog was sitting. And over in the bulrushes on the other side Little Joe Otter and Billy Mink nudged each other and clapped their hands over their mouths to keep from laughing aloud.

(Associated Newspapers—WNU Service.)

Allergic Dog Makes Good Plane Spotter

HAUSER, ORE.—Being allergic to the drone of an airplane motor makes Sandy, five-year-old shepherd dog, a top flight aircraft spotter. Sandy, who takes his regular turn at the observation tower here, barks furiously when he hears the hum of a plane, but doesn't appear to notice the sound of trucks, automobiles or motor-driven boats.

U. S. Army Engineers Cut New Panama Canal Road

BALBOA, CANAL ZONE.—A new Panama canal safeguard has been established in a 66-mile trans-Isthmian highway—the first such road ever built—over which army machines can travel ocean-to-ocean in two hours.

At places the route is only a one-way graded trail hacked through dense tropical jungle, but army trucks traversed it for the first time this week, demonstrating its availability in any emergency involving the vital canal and closely paralleling railway.

The highway adds a third and well separated route to the canal and railway, which hitherto were the only avenues of heavy transport across the Isthmus of Panama.

Now it becomes the job of the Public Roads administration, during Panama's present "dry season," to lay a two-way 56-mile-an-hour concrete highway before arrival of the "rainy season" that would speedily reduce this strategic highway to the jungle from which it was so recently reclaimed.

Minute Make-Ups

By Gabrielle



If your skin looks dull or is perhaps full of blemishes, give yourself a quick clearing up! Scrub face and throat lightly but firmly with a rich, lather of a green soap. Rinse in cool water. Then put steaming water in a bowl, use a towel as a canopy and steam your face for a full minute. Put on a very little skin-toning lotion and coat the skin. Apply a light film of vanishing cream. Apply powder, lipstick. No rouge. Your skin will quickly respond to this treatment.

(Ledger Syndicate—WNU Service.)

Marines in Bayonet Practice



QUANTICO, VA.—One of the world's great authorities on personal combat, Col. Anthony J. D. Biddle, U.S.M.C.R., father of the U. S. ambassador to London, shown instructing U. S. marines here at this marine training center. Biddle, shown in center, is giving advice on correct offensive and defensive tactics with bayonets.

What to Do

BY PHYLLIS BELMONT



Do you know how to behave when visiting a friend who is in the hospital? Naturally your behavior depends largely upon your friend's illness.

One of the safest rules is not to discuss illnesses of any kind. At least, don't bring up the subject yourself. If your friend is inclined to talk about his operation, encourage him to do so—but steer clear of complications that have proved fatal.

Don't stay too long! From half to an hour, depending upon the condition of the patient, is long enough. Of course, if for some reason you are specifically asked to stay longer, do so, if it is convenient.

Before you make your call think up some amusing incidents to tell your friend. Be sure to tell any little bits of news that you know will be interesting.

If you wish, bring a little gift, or send some flowers—and don't rush your visit. Be solicitous and interested in hospital life, and keep cheerful.

(Ledger Syndicate—WNU Service.)

Star Dust

STAGE, SCREEN, RADIO

By VIRGINIA VALE

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

ONE of the most important films ever made in this country will be released shortly to motion picture houses throughout the nation. It is "Hidden Hunger," starring Walter Brennan, presented by the Federal Security Agency as part of the National Nutrition Program. A simple story of better eating for sound health, it's not just a picture with a message; it has a lively and amusing plot, it's highly entertaining, an excellent, two-reel production made by seven-year producers, directors and actors.

Jean Bennett has revived the old-fashioned "quilting bee" on the set of her current Columbia film, "Highly Irregular"; she's organized 65 elderly ladies into a group to knit and sew for men in the service. The gossip's modern, Hollywood variety!

William Lundigan thinks his lucky breaks began when he left Syracuse university in his second year there to take a job in a radio station. An RKO executive whom he interviewed on the air told him he ought to be in pictures; when a New



WILLIAM LUNDIGAN

York friend fixed up a test for Universal, he just had to stand and talk as he did for radio. He made pictures for Universal and Warner Bros., then was signed by Metro—and had the luck to land in the starmaking "Andy Hardy" series, as the new boy friend of Andy's sister in "The Courtship of Andy Hardy."

Jean Arthur was in a scene with Ronald Colman and Cary Grant for "Three's a Crowd"; three soldiers who'd been watching rehearsals had just left. Suddenly an overhead "spider"—a multiple electric switch box—blew out, showering them with sparks. Jean promptly scuttled away. "Where you going?" shouted Director George Stevens. "After those soldiers," she replied, "to put out the bomb!"

Lucille Norman, blonde and 19, went east to go west. She left Siccie City, Neb., to win a place as radio singer over a Cincinnati station; while trying out there for the Metropolitan Opera auditions she was spotted by a movie talent scout, and now she's in Hollywood.

Johnny Johnston, young singing guitarist of radio fame, was picked by Paramount for a co-starring role with Ellen Drew in "Priorities of 1942"; it's a musical film with the activities of aircraft plant workers for its story background.

Recently before "Henry Aldrich" went on the air a petition was circulated asking the right to smoke backstage. Just before the broadcast it was slipped into "Mr. Aldrich's" script for safekeeping, and he very nearly read it over the mike.

Note for baseball fans: The Brooklyn Dodgers didn't want that picture about them to be called "Them Lovely Bums," so remember that it will be offered to the public as "It Happened in Flatbush" unless somebody thinks up a better title.

Just before the war department forbade the use of rubber latex Paramount got under the wire, so you'll see a three-foot latex balloon as a prop for Martha O'Driscoll's bubble dancer scene in "My Heart Belongs to Daddy."

Al Pearce of the air waves is interested in adding Marie Blake to his radio gang. She's Jeanette MacDonald's sister, and you probably saw her somewhere in the "Dr. Kildare" series of pictures—she played the telephone operator.

ODDS AND ENDS—Bill Stern, radio sports announcer, will be seen in the Lou Gehrig film, "The Pride of the Yankees" . . . A fruit dealer who knows and admires Edward G. Robinson spells the "Big Town" star's name out in fruit on his stand . . . A Royal Air Force officer lent Franchot Tone the uniform Tone wears in Columbia's "Highly Irregular" . . . Rosalind Russell, who'll star in "My Sister Eileen," is singing for the boys on her tour of army camps in the Southwest, and they love it . . . Jack Benny has signed a new two-year contract, which will carry him into his tenth year with the same sponsor.

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MILDRED INWOOD, United Airlines dietician, plans the tempting meals served in United's luxurious new Mainliners. She says: "Delicious flavor's the main reason I like the 'Self-Starter Breakfast'. But that dish also has what it takes to help start me off feeling my best. Kellogg's Corn Flakes are the big favorite with our passengers, too."

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Actual sales records in Ship's Stores, Ship's Service Stores, and Canteens show the favorite cigarette with men in the Navy (and Coast Guard, too) is Camel.

CAMEL
THE CIGARETTE OF COSTLIER TOBACCOS

WPB GIVES POINTERS FOR PROTECTION IN AIR RAIDS

WASHINGTON.—The War Production board passed on to the public directions for using homemade tape, of a type which does not employ materials vital to military and civilian needs, to prevent shattering of window glass from bombing.

The plan came from the Pennsylvania college of pharmacy and science, which tackled the problem after the health supplies branch of the WPB urged that adhesive tape, containing rubber and zinc oxide, not be used on windows.

Here are the directions:

Cut old bed sheets into one-inch strips. If old bed sheets are not available use a cheap material such as unbleached muslin. Lay the pieces on a board and with a paint brush generously daub them with the paste made according to the formula below.

Criss-cross the pasted strips on windows, keeping the pieces about an inch apart in both directions. Then make two diagonals clear over the corners of the pane. All ends should reach and overlap the edge of the window frame.

The formula for the paste is as follows:

Wheat flour, six ounces; powdered alum, half ounce; corn syrup, four fluid ounces (a quarter pint); water, two pints.

Rub the flour and alum to a smooth paste with the water and syrup. Heat quickly to boiling with constant stirring to avoid burning. Remove from the fire at the first indication of boiling.

A slower method involves the use of the double boiler.

If this paste is to be held in storage, refrigeration will keep it sweet for several days, and also retain its adhesive qualities.

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WATCH OUT FOR THIS GUY

Ten years ago we wrote an editorial warning our readers to watch out for this guy Gilbert Freeman (us to youse) and the time has come to call the score again.

"Way back yonder" this writer had just hired out to his friend Jim Lee as campaign manager after trying all over Florida to get some smart campaigner to take the helm and sell Florida's railroad-seizing candidate for comptroller to Floridans.

We have never been sorry—and we don't think the people of Florida have regretted our efforts.

Now we're at it again. And we warn you that if you read any editorial opinion of ours in these columns in reference to Harry M. Burch, who promises to devote the next four years or more if necessary,—and you want it—to helping reduce the present excessive discriminatory and arbitrary railroad rates, you should bear in mind that even though he is the only hope in this race for the "man who pays the freight" he is papa-in-law. While we're not hired out to him, as we did when Jim Lee was leaning pretty heavily on yours truly, we're going to be strong as "pizzen" for him and we're actually going "all-out" for this hard-hitting, go-getter who's not afraid to beard the railroad lions in their den.

Frankly, though, we're not going to burden you with a lot of our opinion regarding Mr. Burch. After telling you of our bias we'd be wasting time—so we're going to use most of that time and editorial space to bringing you our ideas along lines that don't strike so close to family or its pocketbook and passing on some of the things other folks say about him.

Dr. Stanley N. Reeves spent several days in York, S. C., this week, getting his faculty lined up for the coming year, and looking after needed repairs to school property there. He returned to Avon Park Thursday.

M. V. Pilcher, accompanied by District Governor F. T. Haskins of Sebring, attended a meeting at Hollywood last Friday and Saturday to arrange for the state convention of Rotary to be held there April 26, 27 and 28.

Miss Jane Hartt returned to Chapel Hill, N. C., Tuesday, where she resumed her studies at the University of North Carolina, after spending several days here at her home.

Miss Nellene Cannon of Miami spent the past week end here at her home.

H. G. Bygate was called to St. Petersburg Tuesday night by the death of his mother, Mrs. Thomas Bygate.

Comptroller and Mrs. J. M. Lee of Tallahassee were greeting friends here this week.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Topic for adults: "From Vision to Service". Start Holy Week well by attending Sunday School. We have a class and a teacher for you.

Morning worship service at 11:00 o'clock, with sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on: "The Significance of Palm Sunday". Anthem: "The King Cometh" by the choir; solo: "The Palms" by Miss Clio Metcalfe. Come and worship the King.

The Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship will be held at 7:00 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb. Glenn Whitcomb will introduce the topic: "If You Love Him, Why Not Serve Him?" Young people are cordially invited to attend.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Monday at 7:30 p. m. "The Justice of Jesus", Dr. A. C. Elliott.

Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. "The Bethany Home", Rev. E. G. Wood.

Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. "Love is Justice", Dr. A. C. Elliott.

Thursday at 7:30 p. m. "The Love Watch", Rev. E. G. Wood.

Friday at 7:30 p. m. "Love and Forgiveness", Dr. A. C. Elliott.

Good Friday is the day sacred to the memory of the death of Jesus. In obedience to His Command: "Do this in remembrance of Me", the sacrament of Holy Communion will be observed at the close of the Good Friday evening service. All who love Christ and confess Him before men are cordially invited to share with us this memorial of His love and passion. Let us gather reverently around the Lord's Table and "do this" in loving memory of Him who loved us and gave Himself for us.

The choir will meet for rehearsal at the Church on Saturday at 8:00 p. m.

CALLING ALL CANNERS

"It is very necessary," says Miss Mary Keown, state chairman of Food Conservation, "for those who are planning to can fruits and vegetables to make an estimate at once of the sugar they will need and submit a report to their County Chairman."

Mrs. R. W. Boyce, 44 N. Lakeview Drive, Sebring, Highlands County Chairman, urges all county canners to make this estimate immediately and send their reports to her in order that arrangements may be made for filling this sugar need for this valuable work. "We must have these estimates immediately," states Mrs. Boyce, "if people are to receive the sugar."

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worden and daughter, Elaine spent Tuesday in Lakeland and Winter Haven.

FLORIDA FERRIS WHEEL

(By HORTENSE WELLS)

We have watched with interest the poll tax controversy raging in Washington. Abolition of this tax may or may not be a good thing, but in any event it seems to us a matter that should be decided by the individual states. This particular bill, we are informed, applies only to national elections. If a state imposes a poll tax for county and state elections, how can the voter be "regulated"—or perhaps regimented may be the better word—when candidates for offices, national, state and county, appear on the same ballot?

The whole thing has the weird and mournful sound of Nero's fiddle. If we lose the war and win the poll tax, where is the gain? What this country needs is a Congress that will turn its every thought and effort to first things first. For instance, strikes in war production plants, price control, and the danger of inflation. The poll tax has been in operation in this country for quite a spell, and it is concievable that we can struggle along with it a while longer, if need be. Unless America wins this war it won't matter a hoot in Hialeah about poll taxes or anything else. We have the firm conviction that the United States will be victorious, but it begins to look as if it will be in spite of Congress rather than because of it. With the nation fighting for its very life, its citizens crying for leadership, we get poll tax bills and pensions for congressmen.

The bill making it possible for men in the armed service to participate in elections strikes us as thoroughly sound. The idea, however, is not new. During the war between the states the men in service voted in all elections. We have in our posession a letter written by a Captain in the Confederacy telling of such an election. His chief concern, however, appeared to be the little matter of defeating a man "back home" who was running for the legislature. It would seem that even in that long ago time the legislature, its personnel, and their doings, were of paramount concern, and that concern had not lessened with the passing of the years.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Vann and daughter and son, Ann and Edward, left Friday for Raleigh, N. C., where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Smith of Orlando spent several days this week in Avon Park.

Barney J. Coen Enters Race For Congress at Large

Orlando, March 27—Calling for speedy and victorious prosecution of the war, and elimination of waste, Barney J. Cohen of Orlando has tossed his hat into the campaign for congressman-at-large from Florida, the fourth candidate to enter the lists. Cohen qualified last Friday, "at the insistance of many of my friends over the state" and announced a six-point platform on which he would conduct his race. He listed the other four points as: Preservation of American Constitutional Government; Outlawing of strikes and lockouts, by legislation, in war industries; Transportation and communications for the duration of the war; Mobilization of all resources for the war effort, and extermination of all fifth column activities.

The Orlandoan, who has been auditor in the Central and East Coast area for the state comptroller for the past six years, is seeking his first state-wide office.

He is, however, well known for his activities in state young democratic circles; in which organization he was a director of the Orange County group from the time of its organization some ten years ago until 1940.

It was Cohen's resolution, offered from the floor of the 1940 Young Democratic Convention in St. Petersburg, that brought national recognition to the organization. He proposed that the age limit for voting in the United States be lowered from 21 to 19, charging that if boys of 19 are old enough to bear arms in defense of this country, they are old enough to have a voice in its government.

Cohen has been particularly active in Welfare Work in Orange County and is at present chairman of the Orlando Welfare Board. He was a director of the Advisory Board of Orange County Health and Welfare Association from 1937 to 1942, a member of the Orange County Juvenile Council, a member of District Board No. 12, State Board of Social Welfare and was an active leader in the recent United Service Organization drive.

Cohen is also a director of the Florida Congress of Democracy, and a member of the speakers bureau of the Townsend Clubs of Florida.

He served as a member of the speakers bureau of the National Democratic Committee in the 1936 and 1940 campaigns. Cohen moved to Orlando in 1929 from Bradenton where he had operated a large real estate agency. In 1933 he was in charge of real estate handled by M. A. Smith, Gen liquidator of state banks. In 1936 he joined the staff of Col. Jim Lee as an auditor and was in that field until his recent resignation to enter the campaign.

He married Dorothy Collman of Sarasota in 1927. They have three children, Morty 12, Allen Lee 8, and Jules 4.

"Pray For Victory Campaign Being Launched on Radio

A campaign is being launched by a group of Christian leaders to enlist 10,000 "Prayer Warriers" to pray for victory for our Nation and the forces of righteousness, and for a nationwide revival. In addition to the printed page, those behind the movement are putting on a series of non-sectarian, evangelistic programs over a number of radio stations. Arrangements have been made this week for Radio WSUN, St. Petersburg, to join the network of stations on Sunday, March 29th, to broadcast the "Praying For Victory" programs each Sunday at 5:30 P. M.

According to the statement of the Rev. E. J. Daniels, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Fort Pierce, Fla. and Director of the campaign, the purpose of this effort is: "To call America back to God, the Bible, the Churches, and to enlist thousands in a united "Praying for Victory" movement. America needs Christ for this crisis. She must have revival or ruin, Christ or chaos! These programs are planned and presented to bless the multitudes of all churches and of no church at all."

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
(Senate Bill No. 162)

Notice is Hereby Given, that Bessie Fell Camp, holder of Tax Certificate No.1-7 of 1211, issued the 6th. day of August A. D. 1928, 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 6, 7, 8 Blk. 12 Lakewood Terrace Sheet 2 Section 2 Twp. 35 S Range 28 E.

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 April, 1942, which is the 6th, day of April, 1942.

Dated this 2nd day of March, 1942.

H. T. PIETY
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
March 7, 14, 21, 28.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Laws of 1933
IN THE COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA. IN PROBATE
Re Estate of
CHARLES E. BAISLEY, 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 Charles E. Baisley, deceased, late of Wayne County, Michigan, 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 February 28, 1942.

JAMES E. BAISLEY,
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Barker Makes Truck Pay For Damages

Tampa, March 27.—(FNS) Reporters who from cubhood had eagerly looked forward to the day when they would encounter a sure 'nuff "man bites dog" story, listened to the decision handed down by Judge Barker in Federal Court here last week and then galloped frantically to their typewriters, for it was "News" with a capital "N" in any language, especially the Judicial.

For the first time on record here, a railroad, which usually pays for crossing accidents, was awarded a verdict in Federal Court against a truck for damaging one of its locomotives.

The General Materials Company of St. Petersburg, owners of the truck which collided with the second section of a Seaboard Air Line Diesel locomotive at Seminold Crossing in Pinellas county two years ago, was ordered by Judge Barker in a district verdict to pay damages amounting to $2,862.67, actual cost of repairing the locomotive, and that amount was set up in the verdict.

The Materials Company sued in a cross suit for damages against the railway for the death of Cecil Doyle, 31, St. Petersburg, driver of the truck. The judge directed the jury to find the railroad not responsible.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
HELEN B. PARDEE,
Plaintiff
vs.
RAYMOND E. OSTEEN, and MARGARETTE M. OSTEEN, his wife
Defendants
NOTICE TO APPEAR
TO MARGARETTE M. OSTEEN, Defendant:

You are hereby ordered to appear in this Court on the 2nd day of March 1942, the said day being a regular Rule Day, to answer a Bill of Complaint filed against you by Helen B. Pardee, the object of the said Bill of Complaint being to foreclose a mortgage in which you appear as one of the mortgagors upon Lots 16 and 17 of Westmont Place, a subdivision of the North Half of Block Twenty-four, in Section 22 Township 33 South, Range 28 East, Highlands County, Florida, your said appearance to be filed with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for the above Court at the court house at Sebring, Florida.

Witness the seal of this Court by Hon. D. O. Rogers, Judge this 6th day of February, 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY.
Clerk Circuit Court, 10th Judicial Circuit, Highlands County, Florida
By J. C. DESHONG, Deputy Clerk
S. COLQUITT PARDEE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Avon Park, Florida.
Feb 7, 14, 21, 28

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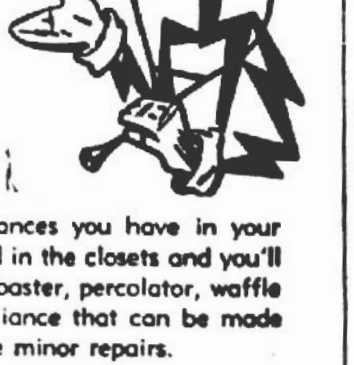

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Fish Flight — Miami, Fla. — Pretty Louise Baker gets a thrill as she dives into the water astride "Pluto," the rubber fish.

LLOYD NOLAN, Paramount's star, has a wide choice in "Buy Me That Town"—but on the set the gentleman chooses Pepsi-Cola.

Rejoins Army—Camp Upton, L. I.—Master Sergeant Claude Allen White, 55-year-old grandfather, has gone back to his first love . . . the Army. He first saw service with the National Guard in 1906.

"Duffy's Tavern" sets up business in a new network location when the popular comedy, starring Ed Gardner as the diction destroying "Archie," moves to a Tuesday spot on the CBS network on March 17. Here is Archie polishing things up a bit for the gala opening.

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By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Garden Club Sponsors Flower Show And Arranging Exhibit at Jacaranda

Of interest to flower lovers throughout Highlands county was the flower exhibit and showing of color slides of flower arranging by Laura Lee Burroughs at the Jacaranda hotel Tuesday afternoon. The affair was sponsored by the Garden club of Avon Park and the color slides were shown thru the courtesy of J. S. Francis and the Coca-Cola Co.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Walter Betts and Mrs. Paul Garber, who received a silver offering for the Red Cross. The Palm room was an ideal setting for the beautiful flowers brought in by the members of the club.

Among the unusual arrangements was one of wild orchids, ferns, palm fronds and wild grasses, inspired by Don Blanding's book on Florida and arranged by Mrs. Charles Kenny.

Creating a great deal of attention was a low bowl of red double ranunculus. These flowers are rather rare in Florida, but have been grown successfully this spring by Mrs. Ray Rutherford at her home on Lake Tulane.

Among the lovely arrangements were, an antique dancing lamp filled with baby roses and linaria by Mrs. Paul L. Rumpsa; pink bignonias and leaves in line arrangement by Mrs. C. Parke Anderson; Wild flowers by Mrs. W. H. Kempton; Old fashioned nosegay by Mrs. Garber; calla lilies and wild iris, Mrs. G. P. Thayer; and azaleas by Mrs. Earl W. Hartt.

A clever oriental arrangement by Mrs. J. A. Johnson, using Queen Anne's Lace and palm frond with Chinese figure; an antique blue and white tureen filled with mixed garden flowers in pastel shades by Mrs. S. S. Thayer; a brass bowl filled with painted daises and callendulas with brass incense burner by Mrs. S. N. Reeves; also a lovely line arrangement of shell orchids by Mrs. Reeves; and a low arrangement of azaleas by Mrs. H. E. Godwin, with birds in matching shades.

A white pottery basket filled with nasturtium flowers and foliage was arranged on a reflector by Mrs. R. R. Porterfield; peach blossoms in stone jug placed before a black laquer tray by Mrs. Jack Head; salmon gladioli by Mrs. C. E. Crabtree; croton leaves by Mrs. George Voorhees; pastel colored snapdragons by Miss Olive Knight; nasturtiums by Mrs. Eva Nesbitt; flowering garden greens in pewter tray by Mrs. E. G. Todd; line arrangement of purple iris with swans by Mrs. M. V. Pilcher; lavender Bauhinias by Mr. C. E. Lanier; gerberas and wild lupine by Mrs. Marjory Church; mass arrangement of golden callendulas by Mrs. Betts, and many others.

Mrs. Johnson, the very efficient chairman of the Garden club was ably assisted by the membership, in planning this lovely affair, which provided an afternoon of intense pleasure for flower lovers, and all who appreciate the beauty of nature as it is reflectd in flowers.

Among those registering were: Mrs. James Aitchison, Miss Annis S. Whitnall, Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. R. F. Sappington, Mrs. P. L. Rumpsa, Mrs. C. F. Kenney, Mrs. B. M. Davis, Mrs. James A. Davis, Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. C. P. Anderson, Mrs. Paul Garber, Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, Mrs. C. W. Lee, Mrs. Barney Pearson, Mrs. W. H. Yates, Mrs. E. F. Armstrong, Miss Amy Starrett, Mrs. L. R. Nichols, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mrs. S. N. Reeves, Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. E. W. Eaton, Mrs. R. T. Seagraves, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. B. G. Williams, Mrs. Harold Davis, Mrs. Chas. Madeira.

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Mrs. Vann Honoree at Farewell Party

Mrs. E. B. Vann, beloved member of the First Methodist Church, who is leaving for Raleigh, N. C., to make her home, was the inspiration for the lovely party given by the Woman's Society of Christian Service, at the parsonage on Tuesday evening. The affair came as a complete surprise.

The rooms of the parsonage were aglow with effectively arranged bouquets of nasturtiums, in soft shades of early spring to emphasize an orange and green motif. The lace covered dining table was centered with a bowl of these colorful blossoms, flanked on either side by tall lighted green and orange candles, creating a mellow glow.

The punch bowl, at one end of the table, was graciously presided over by Mrs. T. H. Maxwell. Misses Charlotte Orr and Ann Vann assisted in serving the delicious refreshments of assorted canapes, small iced cakes and punch. Compotes on the table held candy buttercups.

Mrs. Vann was presented a shower of sheer and dainty handkerchiefs from friends sharing the occasion with her. As each colorfully wrapped package was opened the read the greeting card, on which was enclosed love and best wishes, and sincere regret at her departure to another state to reside.

Among those registered in the guest book, which was later presented to Mrs. Vann, as a momento of the evening, were Mrs. B. F. Willson, Mrs. Harry Jackson, Mrs. Ida May Ott, Mrs. Chas. Catlin, Mrs. Harry Gerdinier, Mrs. M. W. Davis, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. John A. Taylor, Mrs. E. Somers, Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood, Mrs. R. C. Jarrett, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mrs. G. S. Roberts, Mrs. Floyd Hougaboom, Mrs. Walter Martin, Mrs. Etta Kessler, Mrs. A. McKee Elwell, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. L. M. Orr, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, Mrs. J. O. Bridges, Mrs. I. W. Chandler, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mrs. T. H. Hughs, Mrs. John D. Raab, Charlotte Orr, Ann Vann, Betty Rose Ford, and Kathryn Jett.

Mrs. Haynie Has Dessert Bridge

Mrs. George Haynie chose a variety of lovely phlox, which she combined with greenery, to form the decorations at her home on Thursday afternoon, when she entertained the Trump It club at dessert bridge. Tempting fresh apple pie a la mode was served with coffee before the games.

High score award, when scores were totaled, was given to Mrs. J. C. DeShong, who received a bottle of fragrant perfume; second high, won by Mrs. Brisco Willis, was dainty tea towels, and Mrs. DeShong received a toilet accessory as the floating prize.

Those enjoying the party were Mrs. Virgil Hall, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. Brisco Willis, Mrs. J. C. DeShong, Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mrs. S. G. Patterson, and Mrs. Roy Felknor.

NOTICE

Highlands County State of Florida
March 2, 1942

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Section 9 Chapter 18296 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, known as the Murphy act, the following described land in Highlands County Florida, will be offered for sale at public outcry for the highest and best cash bid subject to the right of the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund to reject any and all bids, at the Court House beginning at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the 6th day of April 1942. Easement for road right of way 200 ft. wide will be reserved from any parcel through which there is an existing state road., to-wit:

NW¼ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NW¼ Section 9 Twp. 34 S Range 28 E

SW¼ of NE¼ Section 9 Twp. 34 S Range 28 E.

Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida.

H. T. PIETY
Agent Trustees I. I. Board
Highlands County

Birthday Party at Best Home

Charles Lee Best, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Best, was host at an unusually delightful party on Thursday afternoon, when he entertained a number of his friends, in celebration of his eighth birthday anniversary. The party hours were from four thirty 'til six o'clock. Pink geranium decorated the party rooms.

During the afternoon, a number of enjoyable games were played, under the capable direction of Miss Mildred Myers, home room teacher of the young host.

Later, the children were invited into the dining room, where they were served delicious refreshments of homemade ice cream and cake. The pretty birthday cake, that centered the dining table, was iced in pink, and was topped with eight candles, burning brightly. "Happy Birthday" was embossed across the outer edge of the cake, to further accent a pink and white color note. A gay array of pink and white balloons on the buffet, was surrounded by the many attractive birthday packages, which were opened and admired. The balloons, attached to a stick of candy were given as favors. Mrs Best was assisted in serving by Mrs. C. H. Best and Mrs. J. L. Scott, grandmothers of Charles Lee, and Mrs. Earl H. Ware.

Friends sharing this happy afternoon were Miss Mildred Myers, Sheila Bowman, Charlene Delegal, Joyce Hill, Patricia and Gloria Sheffield, Evelyn Waycoff, James Culpepper, Joe MacAfee, Edgar Pabor, Pete Ragsdale, Tommy Thayer, Mickie and Jimmie Ware, and Bobby Whitcomb.

In addition to these guests, Charles Lee's grandfather, C. H. Best was also present. His maternal grandfather, J. L. Scott of Ft. Myers; Mrs. Adele Causey, an aunt; and Mrs. C. G. Hall of Frostproof, another aunt were unable to be present, but remembered the occasion with lovely gifts. Mrs. Hall made and sent the birthday cake that was served at the party.

To The Voters of Highlands County

There will be a demand for the increasing of taxes at the next Legislature. If you consider that I am qualified to serve you as your lawmaker in Tallahassee and that I am sincere when I say that I will do everything I can to keep the tax burden from increasing and will support measures that will be for the good of all the people, I will appreciate your support and vote in the May 5th election.

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Lord's Day services.

10:45 a. m. Worship: Sermon topic, "How to Have a Good Meeting."

8:00 p. m. Preaching the Word: Topic, "The Way of the Cross."

Wednesday:

8:00 p. m. Devotional service..

Edward J. Craddock of Nashville, Tenn., will be the evangelist during a series of gospel meetings beginning April 5. Welcome to all our services.

Bridge Luncheon at Pine Crest

Among the lovely events of the early spring season, was the annual luncheon and bridge party enjoyed by members of the Thursday bridge club, which was held at Pine Crest Lakes club at one o'clock.

Bowls of fragrant roses, in pastel shades, were placed at intervals the length of the prettily appointed luncheon table. Tally place cards designating the place of each guest, were handmade, and embossed with miniature cut felt floral designs, in colorful shades. Favors were dainty little pink crepe paper cups filled with mints.

Three progressions of bridge were enjoyed in the lounge during the afternoon. When scores were totaled, high score for the day, a handsome white leather bag, embellished with a red and blue bow, was given to Mrs. George E. Symonds. High score award for the year, won by Mrs. Geo. Voorhees, was a raspberry linen luncheon set; and Mrs. H. A. Vickery received a folder of Defense Stamps for her score of the year.

Those enjoying this unusually delightful affair were Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. George Vickery, Mrs. S. V. Hunnings, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. E. F. Armstrong, Mrs. George E. Symonds, Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. Wm. Hauptmann, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. Eleanor Hoene, and Mrs. C. B. Bethume.

Methodist Party For Soldiers

The Jackson Circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church sponsored a delightful party for the soldiers on Thursday evening. The affair was held at the Hut, which was profusely decorated with phlox, bohenia and lilies.

Ben T. Stewart was master of ceremonies of an entertaining program, which opened with musical numbers by Saul Cutler, who played several selections on his guitar, assisted at the piano by Mrs. T. H. Hughs and Russel Farwell. Mrs. R. A. Gerrard led in prayer.

Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck gave several amusing readings, and little Miss Bertha Jane Maxwell gave a reading, "My Sunshine". Buddy Guynne, who is a master in tricks of magic, delighted the group with his skill.

Games and contests furnished pleasant entertainment for the remainder of the evening, and delicious refreshments of homemade pie and coffee were served.

Among those present were Miss Dot Walker, Miss Elizabeth Bradbury, Miss Jean Cannon, Miss Louise Bishop, Miss Ophelia Dean, Miss Margaret Smith, Mrs. Mattie Lee Hagan, Mrs J. O. Bridges, Mrs. T. H. Hughs, Miss Carolyn and Bertha Jane Maxwell, Holland, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Thomas Barbara Jean Bridges, Retha Mixon, Mrs. Floyd Hougaboom, Mrs. Booth Kirkwood, Miss Tom Martin, Miss Robbie Lee Hart, Miss Edna Earle Griffin, Mrs. Gale Farr, Miss Bertha Boney, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard.

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Theatre Party Friday Evening

Yvonne Head was an attractive hostess to members of her club, at a delightful theatre party on Friday evening. After enjoying the picture at the Park Theatre, the group returned to the Head home, where they played a number of games, and were served cookies and iced orange juice.

Those present were Barbara Lawhon, Sammy Longbottom, Betty Jo Wells, Johnnie Garber, Mae Porter Locke, Arthur Gregory, Jeanine Crews, Yvonne Head, and Glenn Whitcomb.

Mrs. Lawhon is Circle Hostess

Mrs. R. H. Lawnon was hostess to members of her circle of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Coen taught the lesson from John, the first chapter, 1-14 verses.

The hostess served delicious refreshments of chocolate chiffon pie with whipped cream, and coffee to those present who were Mrs. J. B. Coen, Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. R. L. Adams, and Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr.

Soldiers Dance Delightful Affair

The second of the very delightful dances for the soldiers at the armory was held at the Winter Guest club Friday evening, and was a marked success. The affair was under the sponsorship of the recreation committee, with Mrs. J. A. Johnson as chairman. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. Walter S. Betts, and Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb. Iced orange juice refreshed the dancers during the evening.

Girls attending from Avon Park: Miss Katherine Moree, Miss Vivian Murray, Mrs. Mary Rodgers, Miss Carolyn Holland, Miss Grace McConnell, Miss Ruby McConnell, Miss Harriet Sherertz, Miss Marguerite Loomis, Mrs. Harry D. Butler, Miss Yvonne Simon, Miss Joan Cypher, Miss Shirley Noland, Miss Dell Drawdy, Miss Alice Brunson, Miss Magdalene Sapp, Miss Ruthie Sapp, Miss Nita Bryant, Miss Thelma Davis.

Frostproof girls attending were: Miss Peggy Flood, Miss Thelma Pollard, Miss Dot Lefma, Miss Margaret Tison.

Sebring girls: Miss Frankie Rodriquez, Miss Marie Thompson, Miss Marie Davis, Miss Elizabeth Maxcy, Miss Ruth Davis, Miss Jim McRae, Miss Jerry Barrow, Miss Carolyn Lewis.

Wauchula girls: Miss Evalyn Johnson, Miss Joyce Ratliff, Miss Lib Thorpe, Miss Doris Spearman, Miss Geraldine Tyus, Miss Katherine Beatty, Miss Frances Wells, Miss Peggy Griffin, Miss Nan Dorsey, Miss Eris Griffin, Miss Winifred Wells, Miss Jeannette Roberts, Miss Mary Helen Spearman, Miss Nellie Schweigart, Miss Martha Newcomer, Miss Florence Baker, Miss Mildred Robertson.

Club Met Monday at Hunnings Home

The Now and Then club was entertained at a pleasant gathering on Monday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Hunnings. A tempting plate supper was served at 6:30, followed by an evening of cards, including bridge and pinochle.

Club members enjoying the affair were Mrs. Eleanor Hoene, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. C. B. Bethume of Lynn, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bovard, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Symonds, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Madeira.

Woman's Club To Meet Friday

Old and new wedding gowns will be modeled by a group of young girls at the April meeting of the Woman's club next Friday afternoon to feature an outstanding program at the meeting at the clubhouse.

It is planned to have on display wedding gowns of long ago, and those of more modern age and music in keeping with the theme of the program, will be heard. Mrs. H. C. Worden, program chairman for the year, will serve as chairman for the afternoon.



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Bicycle Party Enjoyed Tuesday

The senior BYPU of the First Baptist church held a bicycle party at the church on Tuesday evening. Soon after the arrival of the members, they enjoyed a delightful moonlight ride, after which they returned to the church where they were served tempting refresments of sandwiches, cookies and mixed soft drinks.

Those attending were Miss Willa McGiboney, Miss Louise Bishop, Miss Betty Touchton, Miss Jean Cannon, Miss Ophelia Dean, Misses Louise and Margaret Smith, Powell and Francis Skipper, Fred Foster, Chandler Wingfield, Malcolm Crews, Charles Polk, and Rev. J. P. Dalton and Paul A. McFarland.

Program Enjoyed Esther Jonsson

The warm enthusiasm which greeted Esther Jonsson, internationally known pianist, who appeared at the high school auditorium on Thursday evening, was proof of an extraordinary artistry, consummate technical skill, and charming personality. She is a pianist who possesses that indefinable quality in her playing which completely holds the audience in rapt attention. Several of her numbers were given in costume.

Music lovers in the city felt it indeed a privilege to hear this noted artist on this occasion. Mrs. Gordon Palmer, a girlhood friend, was responsible for her visit in this section, and the concert on Thursday evening was sponsored jointly by the Woman's Club and the P. T. A.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES
PALM SUNDAY

Holy communion, 8:00 a. m.
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.
Procession — Holy Communion and sermon, 11:00 a. m.
Y. P. S. L., 7:00 p. m.

Silver Tea at Elliott Home

The Ladies Aid of Union Congregational Church held the first of a series of Silver Teas on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. C. Elliott. The number of guests at each of the teas is to be limited by invitation from the hostess.

Twenty-two guests were invited by Mrs. Elliott and were entertained with games before tea was served at 4:30 P. M. Mrs. Harry Dilley poured and guests were served with sandwiches, datesticks, orange and fruit cookies. Floral decorations were bohenia, gladioli and marigolds. Mrs. John H. Hood will give the next tea on April 8.

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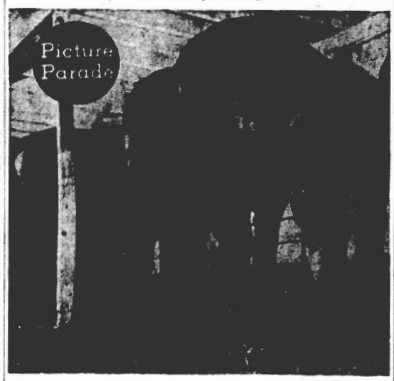

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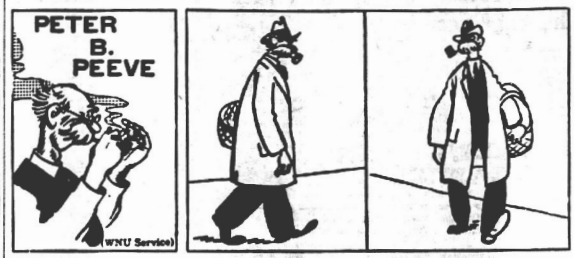







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Jeff talked ramblingly of past, present and future.

THE STORY SO FAR: Con Cameron is arrested as a robber and murderer when he rides alone into the town of Tivan. Someone had seen him on the trail with three fugitives, Lee Walsh and the two Ranlers. They were just casual acquaintances Con picked up in Fronteras, but circumstantial evidence is against him. The marshal, Nevil Lowe, apparently does not know that Con is the cowboy who saved his life a few days before in Wild Horse, when Lowe was nearly killed in a quarrel with Asa Brock, Dynamite Bowers, marshal of Wild Horse, and a deputy called "El Muchacho." Now jailed as a suspect, Con tells Lowe to wire Wild Horse and have his old trail boss, Buss Upperman, or his pal, Comanche Voar, identify him. Lowe does so, but neither Upperman nor Voar can be located. So Con and another prisoner, Jeff Allmon, know their only chance is to escape. They have just succeeded in dropping to the ground from a window in the supply room.

Now continue with the story.

CHAPTER VI

Flat upon their bellies in the ditch, the two waited. Jeff whispered to Con that his horse was in the corral behind the jail. He had heard Nevil Lowe order it brought there.

"So's mine. Corral gate's locked. So's the saddle-shed door. Our hardware's in a locked case in Lowe's office."

Clouds blanketed the sky, but occasionally the moon showed for a minute or two. In such an interval of pale light, they saw a dark group halfway between courthouse and cottonwoods, coming their way. Accompanied by furious snarling, the group moved nearer ditch and cottonwoods.

On the edge of the ditch above Jeff and Con some of the men halted.

Moonlight showed the grim business thirty yards from Con and Jeff; the dim shapes of horses under the giant trees; movement of the men beside them. Two men came at the trot from somewhere behind the building. Con stiffened automatically.

"Over?" one of the men panted. "We couldn't find them fellows downtown—"

"Half-over," Jeff grunted. "We been enough."

The pair broke into a run and Jeff indicated a door standing open, giving upon a dark room. He led the way inside and Con heard him fumbling, then the click that was beginning to be familiar, of a lock yielding.

"Come on!" Jeff commanded. "Pick your hardware!"

They moved fast and surely to loop their horses, and saddle.

Very quietly, they walked the horses away and past the farthest house of Tivan. Then at the mile-covering hard trot, Jeff led the way into the rough north.

At dawn, Jeff looked familiarly around and called it more than twenty miles to Tivan—about twenty-five.

"House ahead a li'l ways. Across that hogback. The man's all right. Friend of Dud Paramore's. We can eat there. Rest, too, if you're galled."

An hour later, they came to a squat adobe house on a hillside. Chickens, pigs, a couple of gaunt and savage hounds, moved about the yard. Under a ramada—an open-sided, brush-roofed shelter—a good horse dozed. In the doorway two fat and solemn youngsters stood with thumbs in mouths, black eyes wide. A big Mexican appeared behind them. His right hand, Con observed, was not in view. But when Jeff gave Dud Paramore's name, he grinned.

"Come in!" he said. "The house is your house."

While they ate beef and beans served by his smiling wife, he talked to Jeff. Con understood most of the words, but the pace was too fast for him. Jeff translated swiftly.

"Dud and his bunch had a fight three days ago at the Heart Ranch. Posse from Tonadura holed 'em up, there. Perez, here, he was with Dud. Dud killed one of 'em—peeler named Cree from the Slash O. He always passed for a friend of Dud's and Quill Hogan that rides with Dud."

They sprawled and drowsed while Perez rode off to see if anyone was in sight on their trail. Con heard the rest of the story of Paramore's fight at the Heart. Cree's killing had apparently shaken the possemen and the Paramores had got away.

Perez came back before noon, grinning. He had seen a dozen men riding across the flats below the foothills, evidently looking for a trail. But they had gone past the little trail that led here.

Con listened to Perez giving detailed directions to Jeff. So when they rode away from the house, leaving some of Con's silver with the woman and the children, he had as good idea as Jeff of their trail.

Memory came of the grave, concerned face of Janet Lowe, as she tried to look at him without being observed. And he had ridden into Tivan so gaily sure that he would be a friend of the Lowes as soon as he met them! Several times he had noticed her study of him—as if wondering how so much viciousness as he, in the role of Comanche, was charged with, could be masked by the face he wore.

They rode deeper into the Lobos along a narrow valley and made camp at a spring of which Perez had told Jeff. As they smoked after eating the food Perez had given them, Jeff talked ramblingly, always cheerfully, of past and present and possible future. Listening, Con added touches to the picture already formed, of his odd, lawless cowboy—and wondered.

They rode out of the valley next morning across a ridge and downslope toward another spur of the Lobos. On a dim cross-trail three Mexicans traveled with a train of burros lightly burdened. They had been to Tonadura to sell mesquite roots and were going home, still fifteen miles distant.

Con rode on, but Jeff stayed talking. When he came at the gallop to rejoin Con, he was roaring with amusement, carrying his hat, which jingled as he shook it.

"Fourteen dollars!" he gasped. "Was they took back when I put old Colonel Colt to gaping at 'em! I left 'em a dollar apiece so's they can buy drinks and forget trouble."

"Wait—a—minute!" Con cried. "You mean you robbed those poor, hard-working devils?"

"Let 'em grub some more mesquite!" Jeff said cheerfully. "It's good, healthy work. This ain't much, but every dollar of it's round and will roll. Ne' mind how you get it, if you get it!"

Con looked at the Mexicans fifty yards away. One sat upon the ground with heads in hands, the very image of utter despair. Jeff was serenely dividing the silver. He recalled what Martino Palafox had said of him, that if he were crossed he was dangerous. He thought he had best try persuasion—first.

"This is certainly going to make you out the New Jesse James, to Dud's forty-five calibre crowd," he drawled. "Dud'll ask you what you've been doing. You'll say: Why, we just stuck up three great, big, fierce mesquite grubbers, and looky what we got—fourteen real dollars!"

He shook his head as Jeff stared uncertainly, kneed Pancho over and took the hat. Pancho jumped into the gallop and the Mexicans looked up as he charged down at them.

"No tengo mucho Espanol!" he said, smiling at them. "I don't have much Spanish. But my friend make joke with this money. Here! You take. Good, now?"

The man who was still holding his head hopelessly looked up incredulously. Then he ran to Con's stirrup, waving his hands and fairly spluttering. A younger Mexican grinned at Con.

"He say got sick wife—got hunger—very much need hard work money this. Bad if other man take—one time he kill him. Now—muy bien! He good friend for you—make help sometime—"

They were still shouting thanks and goodbyes and waving when he and Jeff rode over the next ridge. Con looked expectantly at his companion, but Jeff seemed to have forgotten the matter. But when Con began practice of the quick draw, he watched critically.

"Por dios!" Jeff said at last. "You're plenty smooth and speedy. How-come you never slapped leather with Quirk Ellis—or them marshals in Wild Horse?"

"Scared to," Con told him solemnly. "They might be faster. Then where would I be? No . . I haven't got the slightest itch to be a gunfighter, or collect notches. But in a hard-case country, I'm going to be able to hold my own. When I was no more than knee-high to a short Winchester, I knew where my uncle kept his hogleg. I used to sneak it out and practice. But he caught me, when I was about seventeen. And—he showed me a handful of things; ways of cutting splits of seconds off the draw. He mustn've been hell on wheels, before he settled down."

They came in early afternoon to a log cabin on the bank of a swift, shallow creek, where five men played cards at the door.

A lanky, yellow-haired cowboy on the log doorstep grinned at them. The others turned to look them over. Con understood that their coming had been expected.

"Close squeak you had," the lanky cowboy said—as to old acquaintances. "Bet you heard hell gates a-flapping when the stranglers dragged out that illegitimate, Fant, and the rest, and just missed you-all."

"It was too close," Jeff admitted, swinging off.

"And when you got clear, you knowed there was just one safe place for you-all: with the only bunch that Johnny Laws ain't going to bother," Dud Paramore went on. He had a high, almost singsong, drawl, and his mechanical grin matched Jeff Allmon's. "So you come hunting me, huh?"

"You certainly got 'em eating out of your paw, Dud," Jeff told him admiringly. "I been telling Con, here, about your outfit, and how it was the only one to ride the Territory with. So I pulled out of Fronteras. All right for us to come here?"

"What you mean is—all right for you-all to stay," Dud corrected him. "Hadn't been all right to come, you-all would be biting daisies down the line right now." Dud gestured toward the other men:

"Most of the main bunch. Big Yager, that helped me rub out the sheriff and clerk at Tonadura."

The huge, stolid cowboy indicated grinned and jerked a thumb toward a slender Mexican whose short-chinned, flat-nosed face and beady eyes gave him a reptilian look.

"I reckon it was me and you poured the buckshot to 'em, Dud," he said in slow, husky voice. "But 'twas Snaky Gonzales that run out from behind the wall after we dropped 'em, to see what kind of fees they'd been collecting. I still think he held out on us. Hey, Snaky?"

Gonzales snarled. Then something about Con's expression seemed to infuriate him. He came to his feet with a wriggle, hand dropping to the pearl hilt of a dagger on his belt.

"Mabbe you don't like hah?" he cried. "You look by me and make face nose turn-up, hah? Me, I don't like your look. Mabbe I give you something nice—knife by your neck, hah?"

"Ah, Con's all right!" Jeff said hastily, with a quick side-glance at the grinning Dud, who was looking from man to man. "It's just a way he's got of looking at everybody. He ain't turning up his nose at nobody—"

"Keep out, Jeff," Dud drawled. "Every man kills his own snakes in the Paramore Bunch. If Con ain't man enough to hold his own, hell with him!"

"Kill him, Con!" Jeff snapped. "No fooling with fists—"

Gonzales darted in, cat-quick, shifted feet flashingly so that he swerved right, then left, stooped with the dagger held against his shirt, point out.

Con had only lifted on his toes. He twisted, even faster than the knifeman had done, to hook a terrific right to Gonzales' unprotected jaw just below the ear.

Gonzales' feet snapped from the ground. He seemed to hang bodily from Con's fist for the fraction of a second, then dropped sideways to the pine needles and sprawled motionless. Con took one step forward and stamped upon the thin blade of the dagger. Dud Paramore continued to grin mechanically. Then Big Yager slapped his leg resoundingly and whooped.

"Snaky forgot to ask Con could he please cut his heart out!" he cried, and Dud's grin widened slightly.

Gonzales moved jerkily, groaning. Con slid a hand to his Colt and watched coldly. The Mexican pushed himself up to sitting position and blinked stupidly around. Suddenly, he scrambled up with loud slap of hand on empty scabbard.

"Gonzales!" Con called sharply. "Mira! Look! It would have been more easy to kill you than to knock you down. But I let you live—that time. If you look at me again and touch knife or gun—"

He half-drew the pistol from his holster and Dud Paramore's singsong drawl cut in:

"Snaky! No mas! No more!"

Paramore announced, "We'll hit San Marcos tonight. Big baile there. Lots of liquor. Lots of pretty gals to dance around. Paramore bunch owns Marcos."

"He's what I said," Jeff muttered. "Plain hell on wheels!"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Speaking of Sports

ALTHOUGH the Chicago White Sox aren't too pleased with the pre-season build-up, they're the one team picked to make life slightly miserable for the Yankees during the coming months.

No less an authority than Connie Mack mentioned them as the team to knock off the Yanks. Two years ago Connie said the Yankees would finish third. They did. Last year he said they'd win the pennant. They did. The Sox are hoping the 1942 season will enhance his reputation as a seer.

Jimmy Dykes, manager of the Pale Hose, is a hustling, scrapping, smart individual whose main idea is to win ball games. He refuses to concede the pennant to the Yankees. He knows he can't overwhelm such men as DiMaggio, Gordon, Keller, Dickey and Henrich. But he knows his pitching staff can do much to silence their bats.

Dykes is quite certain that the Sox have the best chance to beat the champs—if they are to be defeated. Last summer his mound staff was the most effective, as a whole, in the American league, pitching the team into third place. This third place standing takes on added significance when it is remembered that the team chalked up no better than a .255 batting average.

Hitless Wonders

The Sox greatest need, of course, is offensive power. They need one or two .300 hitters to bolster their attack. The present Sox crew is slightly reminiscent of the 1906 "Hitless Wonders," with Walsh, Altrock



JIMMY DYKES

and White. The team, with a batting average in the neighborhood of .230, managed to win the American league pennant. Then they proceeded to demolish the famous Cubs, who, in turn, had wrecked the senior circuit.

Getting back to the pitching staff—Dykes probably will start the season with nine hurlers. As starting pitchers he has Thornton Lee, Dunk Rigney, Edgar Smith, Bill Dietrich, Johnny Humphries and Ted Lyons on Sundays.

Fighting for the relief berths are Orval Grove, Lee Ross, Joe Haynes and Ed Wieland.

Ted Lyons, who has spent 19 full seasons with the Sox, rates Thornton Lee as the greatest pitcher in baseball today. In 1941 Lee won 22 games and had an earned run mark of 2.37, topping all regular hurlers. Rigney, who won 13 and lost 13 last year, is a good bet to hit the 20 mark this summer. Last spring he was bothered by the flu and a strep infection. In addition, his personal life was not on its customary even keel.

The Outlook

Smith could win 20 games without the aid of a miracle. He pitched some excellent ball last year and is working hard to keep his weight down. Dietrich should play a better brand of ball than is indicated by his five victories of last year. Lyons, at 41, will win his share of games and Humphries, who didn't get in many games, should win consistently.

The Sox catching staff should be stronger. Mike Tresh is one of the best in the league and Turner and Dickey will have improved to a considerable extent.

Dykes is well known for his ability to get the best out of a player. He isn't the gentle, soft-soaping type. He doesn't worry about offending those on the other side. He has the idea that a man must be able to take it to belong. He knows his players aren't odds-on favorites to cop the American league pennant, but he knows too that they'll go down swinging—if they go down.

A great deal will depend on the infield. Joe Kuhel is still a real ball player at first. While Kolloway, Lodigiani and Kennedy aren't the strongest hitters in the game, they may take fire if the club is pointing towards the top.

Taft Wright is the shadow of a rock in a weary land. He is superbly confident that he will bat around .350 this season—and his reasoning has logic behind it. He spent three weeks in a hospital last spring and didn't regain his strength until the middle of June. He was hitting around .200 late in June.

JUST JESTING

Ready and Willing

Joe—You look sweet enough to eat.

Jill—I do eat. Where shall we go?

Their Luck

Mother—It says in the paper, dear, that every fifth baby born in the world is Chinese.

Father—Thank heaven, this is our first.

Clamp Down

"In these hard times we should put a bridle on our appetites."

"I would rather put a bit in my mouth."

Love is a beautiful tale—and marriage is a talkie version.

Overwhelming

At the breakfast table the sweet young thing's dad was rebuking her for having let her caller of the evening before, a sergeant-major, kiss her.

"But, daddy," she remonstrated, "I but yielded to the majority."

Do You Like Jingle Contests?

Raleigh Cigarettes are now running another series of weekly contests for those who can supply the best last line to a jingle. Over 100 liberal prizes each week. Watch this paper for details.—Adv.

ASK ME ANOTHER?

A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

The Questions

1. In what state in the United States is there a Thames river?
2. What is a hobbie-de-hoy?
3. From what source comes the expression, "Something is rotten in Denmark"?
4. What is a chanson?
5. How many hands high is a horse that is five feet tall?
6. Ascorbic acid is better known as what?
7. How do we determine the date of Easter Sunday?
8. What is the difference between ordnance and ordinance?
9. What state celebrates the 150th anniversary of statehood this year?
10. What great ocean liner sank on its maiden voyage, the Vestris, Lusitania or Titanic?

The Answers

1. There is a Thames river in the state of Connecticut.
2. A lad between boyhood and manood; an inexperienced, awkward youth.
3. "Hamlet" (Act I, scene IV).
4. A song.
5. Fifteen hands (a hand is four inches).
6. Vitamin C.
7. It falls on the first Sunday after the first full moon after the 21st of March.
8. Ordnance refers to artillery; military supplies or stores. Ordinance pertains to established rule; rite or law.
9. Kentucky (1792).
10. Titanic.

At the Best, Boys Were But Two Out of Three

Two brothers, in appearance very much alike, were being registered at school.

"Are you two twins?" asked the teacher, smiling at the boys.

"No, ma'am, we're not," replied the lads in unison.

"You certainly look alike," returned the schoolmarm.

Then as the brothers filled in their forms, the teacher noted that they gave the same birthday.

"But you said you weren't twins, yet you have the same birthday?" she queried.

"That's right, we aren't twins," replied one, "we're what's here of triplets."

More Raleigh Jingles

Raleigh Cigarettes are again offering liberal prizes in a big jingle contest to be run in this paper. One hundred and thirty-three prizes will be awarded each week.—Adv.

BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS

SMOKE RALEIGHS



HERE IS an outstanding blend of 31 selected grades of choice Turkish and Domestic tobaccos—made from the more expensive, more golden colored leaves that bring top prices at the great tobacco sales. This finer quality gives you a milder, finer-tasting smoke, yet Raleighs cost no more than any other popular-priced cigarette.

UNION MADE   PLAIN OR CORK TIPS

GET THESE FREE

THERE'S A VALUABLE COUPON on the back of every pack of Raleighs. Coupons are good in the U. S. A. for your choice of many beautiful and practical premiums. Write for the catalog that describes them.



Table Clock guaranteed by Hammond. Rare wood panel. 115-v. AC only. 7 inches high.



$1.00 Defense Savings Stamps may now be obtained through Brown & Williamson. Send 133 Raleigh coupons for each dollar stamp. Defense Stamp Album, shown above, free on request.



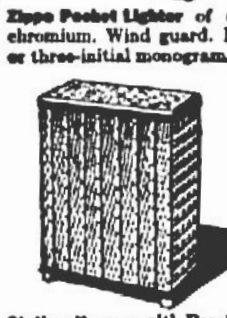
Zippo Pocket Lighter of satin chromium. Wind guard. Plain or three-initial monogram.



Tilt-top Table. Matched butterfly walnut center. Walnut borders. Marquetry inlay.



Pen and Pencil Set. Balanced and streamlined. Smart pearl and black striped effect.



Clothes Hamper with Pearl Pyralin lid. Airy. Removable laundry bag liner.

B & W coupons are also packed with Kool Cigarettes

TUNE IN *Red Skelton and Ozzie Nelson every Tuesday night, NBC Red Network*

$500 THIS WEEK *IN PRIZES*

WRITE A LAST LINE TO THIS JINGLE

HERE'S WHAT YOU DO

It's simple. It's fun. Just think up a last line to this jingle. Make sure it rhymes with the word "save."

Write your last line of the jingle on the reverse side of a Raleigh package wrapper (or a facsimile thereof), sign it with your full name and address, and mail it to Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corp., P. O. Box 1799, Louisville, Kentucky, postmarked not later than midnight, April 4, 1942.

You may enter as many last lines as you wish, if they are all written on separate Raleigh package wrappers (or facsimiles).

Prizes will be awarded on the originality and aptness of the line you write. Judges' decisions must be accepted as final. In case of ties, duplicate prizes will be awarded. Winners will be notified by mail.

Anyone may enter (except employees of Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corp., their advertising agents, or their families). All entries and ideas therein become the property of Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corporation.

"Raleigh is the brand to get!
Mild and tasty you can bet!
And the coupons help you save
— — — — — — — — —"

HERE'S WHAT YOU WIN

You have 133 chances to win. If you send in more than one entry, your chances of winning will be that much better. Don't delay. Start thinking right now.

First prize . . .	$100.00 cash
Second prize . . .	50.00 cash
Third prize	25.00 cash
5 prizes of $10.00 .	50.00 cash
25 prizes of $5.00 .	125.00 cash
100 prizes of a carton of Raleighs . . .	150.00
133 PRIZES	$500.00

Attorney Says Combine Road Funds, Work

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hands liable to work upon the roads. All oversers shall be of legal age and live within the sub-road district. Each overseer so appointed—shall superintend, direct and have charge of all persons summoned for road work and to take charge of all tools, implements, teams and other property placed in his charge by the county commissioners, all of which shall be charged to him and a record kept of it and a monthly report thereof made to the Board. —Each overseer shall receive for his services three dollars per day. All persons between the ages of 21 and 45 years of age, not paying a property tax is liable to work on the public roads in his district."

This old law has never been directly repealed, however, it is no longer used. Men between 21 and 45 years of age are still liable to work upon the public roads in their districts a certain number of days each year, unless he pays some kind of property tax. We know that this law is ignored, except for the purpose of appointing overseers, and overseers are not necessary and are not required, unless they are to summons men to do road work. Days work required being 6 in each year.

Section 2447 Compiled General Laws of 1927 authorizes:

"The board of county commissioners of the several counties to employ labor by the day or month as they may deem necessary to do road and bridge work."

Section 2448 Compiled General Laws of Florida of 1927, permits:

"The Board of county commissioners of the several counties to appoint an experienced and competent road builder, who shall be known as the superintendent of public roads, at a salary, not exceeding $125.00 per month. All road work on the public roads of the county shall be under the supervision of such superintendent, who shall be responsible to and subject to the direction of the board of county commissioners."

Section 2449 of said laws also "authorizes the Board to let the work on roads and bridges out on contracts, when in their judgment such work can be done to the advantage of the several counties."

The sources of revenue for road and bridge maintenance and construction in this county, are two, namely, from a tax levy and also from funds derived from race track expenditures as may be allocated for that purpose in the discretion of the Board.

The millage is levied on all taxable property in the county and is collected, without any legal regard for the district. However, it has been the custom of the Board to divide the tax levy as follows: Thirty per cent to the respective districts of 1 and 2, fourteen per cent to districts 3 and 4, and 12 per cent to district 5. Also it is the custom to equally divide the the race track funds among the five districts.

There is no law that directs such funds to be divided as stated. There is no law that requires tax money to be expended solely in the district in which it is paid. The commissioners as a Board, have the right to expend tax money and race track money as they see fit and proper and without regard to its source of payment.

I have examined the disbursement register of the County Commissioners for the fiscal year of October 1, 1940 to and including September 30, 1941, and from same I call your attention to the expenditures in the five districts during that one year period, as follows:

District No. 1:

Labor' $3492.57; gas and oil, $994.26; Maintenance Equipment, $598.26; Rent of Equipment, 83.24; Road Material, $899.78; Supplies, $134.08; Road Machinery $213.50; Paid to Avon Park $500.00.
Grand total expenditures $6,416.29
Grand total receipts, taxes and race track funds $9,941.02

District No. 2:

Labor $2780.70; Gas and oil, $1205.20; Maintenance equipment, $137.41; Road Material, $1730.54; Rent of Equipment, $914.37; Supplies, $422.13; Road Machinery, $922.50; Payment to Sebring, $1451.15.
Grand total expenditures $9,564.01
Grand total receipts, taxes and race track $9,941.02

District No. 3:

Labor, $2804.25; Gas and Oil, $1090.84; Maintenance equipment, $263.51; Rent of equipment, $25.00; Road material $593.10; Supplies, $69.56; Road Machinery, $838.02; Paid to DeSoto City, $100.00.
Grand total expenditures $5786.28
Grand total receipts, taxes and race track $6094.87

District No. 4:

Labor, $3175.10; Gas and Oil, $705.61; Maintenance equipment, $148.26; Rent of equipment, $316.-80; Road material $617.82; Supplies, $62.46; Road machinery, $722.40.
Grand total expenditures $5748.45
Grand total receipts, taxes and race track $6094.87

District No. 5:

Labor, $1829.15; Gas and Oil, $499.91; Maintenance equipment, $48.97; Rent of equipment, none; Road material, $811.72; Supplies, $242.89; Road machinery, $837.04.
Grand total expenditures $4069.68
Grand total receipts, taxes and race track $5671.02

Following is a list made as of March 1, 1942 properties of the several districts:

District No. 1: 1 light grader, one ½ in. brace and bit, two brush hooks, two lanterns, 12 No. 2 shovels, two picks, two grub hoes, two long rakes, two 8-lb mauls, one 6-ft saw, two 4½ lb. axes, one 1941 V8 Ford truck dump body, 4,000 feet of lumber.

District No. 2: One grader, one 1941 V8 Ford truck dump body, six shovels, two wrecking bars, one cross cut saw, one hand saw, one level, one foot adz, two axes, two mauls, two claw hammers, one 30-foot chain, one 7x10 canvas, five lanterns, one vice, two grub hoes, other small tools and wrenches.

District No. 3: one 1941 Chevrolet truck, dump body, six shovels, three grub hoes, three axes, one log chain.

District No. 4: one International truck, dump body, one grader, six axes, six shovels, two picks, two machetes, two grub hoes.

District No. 5: one 2-ton International truck, dump body, one No. 22 Caterpiller road grader, one large 20 ft. chain, one small 30 ft. chain, 12 shovels, four grub hoes, two axes, four weeding hoes, one wheel barrow.

County wide property in charge of Chaingang Captain:

One 1940 V8 Ford Truck, dump body, one 1938 Chevrolet truck, one International tractor, 15 shovels, eight axes, six grub hoes, one cross cut saw, two sledge hammers, three pinch bars, two yard sticks.

The total cost of operating the Chaingang for said year was $9,-416.07.

The total amount spent in all five districts for said year was the sum of $31,582.71.

Grand total expended on roads including said five districts and said chaingang for said year was the sum of $40,996.78.

It is noted that to spend said sum of $40,996.78 it cost the county and districts the total sum of $6,350.00 to do so, in salaries of the five county overseers and two men in charge of the convict camp.

CONCLUSIONS:

It is logical, and probably would be to the best financial advantage of this county, and leave more money for road construction, to dispense with the five separate district overseers, and in lieu thereof, hire a competent person as Road Superintendent and perhaps one assistant, to have charge of all road and bridge work in the county, including charge of the chaingang system. To do that would not mean that you would have to dispense with hiring local labor in each district. Local labor could be taken care of better and have more money to hire them if you had two men instead of seven in charge of the county system unified, with all machinery, tools, equipment and men in one organization, all of which, at all times should be under the direction of the entire Board and not left to the different members.

Past experience teaches us, as in district two a year or two ago, that it is not good business to allow a commissioner to conduct the affairs of a district without assistance from the other commissioners.

A commissioner's district is not a legal entity. It does not own the property or road equipment bought for the district, but the legal title to all equipment is in the county. All taxes and other funds belong to the county as a whole. The road of any district is the legal problem for the county and should be attended to by the entire board.

As contemplated by said law above cited, wouldn't it be better for the board as soon as is practicable, change from the old system, have a general road superintendent, lay out monthly at least, a program or road maintenance and construction, and direct from its table in the Commissioners' room where, when and how the money should be expended?

Now is a good time to accomplish this, while we have five able and efficient county commissioners.

Yours truly,
M. R. McDONALD,
County Attorney.

DEFEAT HITLERISM

Save Every Scrap of Paper Now

1 Newspaper would make three 26-pounder shell cups.

1 Popular Magazine would make interior components of two mines.

6 Old books would make one mortar shell carrier.

1 Soap powder canister would make four aero engine gaskets.

5 Medium sized cartons would make one shell fuse assembly.

60 Large cigarette cartons would make one outer shell container.

20 Breakfast creal cartons would make one case for 3-pounder shells.

6 Old bills would make one washer for a shell.

4 Assorted food cartons would make one box for aero-cannon shells.

1 Old envelope would make one cartridge wad.

12 Old letters would make one box for rifle cartridges.

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

Notice is hereby given, that Julian Mertadoca, holder of Tax Certificate No. 223, issued the 6th day of August A. D. 1905, 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 west of Kissimmee River of SW¼ of NW¼ and All West of River of SW¼ and All West of River of SW¼ of SE¼ Section 16 Township 35 S Range 32 East 160 Acres.

The assessment of 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 April, 1942, which is the 6th day of April, 1942.

Dated this 2nd day of March, 1942.

H. T. PIETY
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
March 7, 14, 21, 28.

A BRIDE'S PRIDE



STILL the supreme test of the bride's baking ability, baking powder biscuits are easily made in three steps recommended by the Rumford Kitchens. First, sift together 2 cups all-purpose flour, ½ teaspoon salt and 3 teaspoons Rumford Baking Powder.



Add 2 tablespoons of shortening to flour and mix until thoroughly blended. With a spatula or knife mix to a very soft dough with ⅞ cup of cold milk.



Turn onto well-floured board and roll out to about three-quarters inch thickness, handling as little as possible. Cut with biscuit cutter and place on lightly greased pan. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) 12 to 14 minutes. Makes 14 to 16 biscuits.

ORDINANCE NO. 341
AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE USING OF ANY STREET, SIDEWALK, ALLEY, AVENUE OR PUBLIC PARK WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF AVON PARK FOR THE PURPOSE OF STORING JUNK, ABANDONED OR USED AUTOMOBILE AND MOTOR VEHICLES.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Avon Park:

Section 1. That from and after the passage of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to use any of the streets, sidewalks, avenues, alleys or public parks within the corporate limits of the City of Avon Park for the purpose of storing junk, abandoned or used automobiles or motor vehicles. Provided, however, that this ordinance shall not and does not prohibit the temporary parking of motor vehicles on the streets and avenues of said City in places marked out for the purpose while said motor vehicles are in actual use and operation, but does prohibit the using of said places for exhibiting used motor vehicles held for sale.

Section 2. Any person guilty of the violation of this ordinance, shall upon conviction be subject to a fine not exceeding $100.00 or to imprisonment not exceeding sixty days, either one or both, in the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 3. This ordiance shall take effect upon it becoming an ordinance as provided for in the Charter of this City.

Section 4. All ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 5. That this ordinance shall be passed in one meeting the health and welfare of the City demanding same.

The foregoing ordinance was passed in regular session of the City Council of the City of Avon Park on the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1942.

E. A. DeLANEY
Pres. of City Council

ATTEST:
LOUISE B. ARMSTRONG
City Clerk

The above ordinance was presented to me and approved by me this the 23rd day of March, A. D., 1942.

M. R. COVINGTON
Mayor

Stanley Armstrong, who has spent the past several weeks in Avon Park, left Monday for Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hancock of Orlando spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Kinsey.

Office Space For Rent
IN SUN COURT BUILDING
Apply to
BARNETT BANK
OF AVON PARK

First Aid Class Starts April 2nd

Highlands County is being called upon for more trained first Aid workers. Ernest Wilson, County Chairman has secured the services of Mrs. Kate Spencer to teach this class, which begins next Thursday night at 8 P. M. at the Methodist Hut located back of the First Methodist Church.

This class is open to men and women over eighteen years of age. It will be a twenty hour standard Red Cross course.

First Aid workers in the time of a crisis can render a most valuable service to their community. Many lives are saved by the First Aider, it might be you, your neighbor, your friend or some one right in your own home. There should not be anything so important that would keep you from getting a knowledge that would enable you to be worthwhile to your community if and when the crisis comes.

Please remember the date and place and be present promptly at 8 P. M. Make a date with yourself right now so that you wont forget.

An Appeal To You!

The Red Cross War Relief drive for Highlands County will take place on Tuesday, March 31st.

WHY A RED CROSS RELIEF? REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR

At that time our President asked for a $50,000,000 War Relief Fund in behalf of the Red Cross. Since then it has been necessary to increase this amount to $65,000,000. An effort was made to raise our quota by voluntary subscription. However only a very few have responded to this call. Therefore we are far short of our goal.

So many have asked "What can I do?" Your contribution to the Red Cross on Tuesday March 31st., will give you this opportunity.

A volunteer worker will call on you at this time. If you find it impossible to be at home, please leave your donation with some one or take it to Mr. Longbottom at the Bank. Be prepared to give as much as you can. We have a large quota and we must not fail to do our part behind the lines.

AIR CORPS KATE!



The only instrument Charlie needs for safe landings in one whiff of Kate's freshest Marble Cake—and the only "instrument" you need to be sure of finer texture and lasting freshness is Rumford Baking Powder. FREE: new booklet of bright ideas, tested recipes, to improve baking. Address: Rumford Baking Powder, Box R, Rumford, Rhode Island.

Candidates Qualify

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ing for county committee were Mattielee Booth, Hettie H. Hetherington, J. Bert Turner, John Giddens, Carrie McGafaney, and G. E. Welch of Avon Park; P. M. Young, J. Lee Johnson, Pattie Mahan and M. R. McDonald, Sebring; Bert Bassage, DeSoto City; W. B. Lundy and Mrs. W. H. Cannon, Venus.

Joe D. Kinsey and Miss Edna Pearce qualified for State Executive committee.

Mrs. C. P. Worden of Winter Haven is the guest of her son, H. C. Worden and family.

LEAVE FOR BLANDING

The Highlands county draft board announced the following men will leave April 6 for Camp Blanding: Clifford Craft, Orrin Cothran, Randolph Bryant, Avon Park; Oscar Gibbs, Monroe McDonald, Leon King, Hubert Bricker, James Bogle, Sebring; Gilbert Barwick, Harvey Mitchell, Ernest Durrance, Cecil Dawson, Lake Placid.

S. S. REPRESENTATIVE TO VISIT AVON PARK

A representative of the West Palm Beach Field Office of the Social Security Board will be in Avon Park, Tuesday March 31, 1942.

Buy U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps, the I. O. U. of the Red, White, and Blue.

Cheer the boys in uniform. Buy U. S. Defense Bonds.

don't worry mother!

If your boy or girl just won't eat. If vegetables and other foods necessary for health cause daily arguments. Maybe their appetite needs encouragement. Vitamin B1 and Iron in pleasant-tasting VINOL helps promote appetite. Ask your druggist for VINOL.

TOUCHTON DRUG CO.

NOTICE

After April 1st 1942 the City of Avon Park is required by Court Order to collect or foreclose on all delinquent taxes and paving liens.

Tax Payers can save a considerable amount by paying their taxes before the above date.

By order of the
City Council

Louise B. Armstrong
Clerk and Collector

ATTENTION TAXPAYERS

Only one week left to apply for Homestead Exemption and to make your 1942 Tax Returns. Under the new tax laws a Penalty of 10% will be chraged against all Tax Payers failing to make Personal Tax Returns by April 1st.

FILE NOW !

APRIL 1st. LAST DAY!

P. G. GEARING
County Tax Assessor

THE FUTURE HOME

Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in Me — I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you unto Myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.—John 14:1-3.

THE ROSE BEYOND THE WALL

Near a shady wall a rose once grew,
Budded and blossomed in God's free light,
Watered and fed by morning dew,
Shedding its sweetness day and night.

As it grew and blossomed fair and tall,
Slowly rising to loftier height,
It came to a crevice in the wall
Through which there shone a beam of light.

Onward it crept with added strength,
With never a thought of fear or pride;
It followed the light through the crevice's length,
And unfolded itself on the other side.

The light, the dew, the broadening view
Were found the same as they were before;
And it lost itself in beauties new,
Breathing its fragrance more and more.

Shall claim of death cause us to grieve
And make our courage faint and fall?
Nay! let us faith and hope receive;
The rose still grows beyond the wall;

Scattering fragrance far and wide,
Just as it did in days of yore,
Just as it did on the other side,
Just as it will foreevermore.

—A. L. Frank.

Attend Sunday School and Church Sunday

"Remember the Sabbath Day to Keep it Holy"

Exodus 20:8

Gas Tax Money Should Be Used to Build New Roads

THE SCENIC HIGHLANDS SUN

Eat More Citrus For Your Health's Sake

VOLUME XVII—NUMBER 21 AVON PARK, FLORIDA, APRIL 4, 1942 SINGLE COPY; FIVE CENTS

Sun and Times Consolidation Effected

Purchase of Times by Gilbert Freeman Announced

Announcement is made by W. C. Beckett in today's Avon Park Times of the sale of his paper to Gilbert Freeman, publisher of the Scenic Highlands Sun. The sale was closed Wednesday, but Mr. Beckett is publishing this week's paper, and the new owner will take over Saturday.

The Times will continue to be published for the time being, fulfilling requirements for certain legal publications, after which the two papers will be consolidated.

Subscribers to the Times will continue to get their paper until the consolidation, after which unexpired subscriptions will be extended by the Sun.

Increased costs of publication due to the war, and curtailment of revenue from national advertising sources made the consolidation advisable, and follows the trend over the country.

Mr. Beckett, who has been engaged in the photographic business for several years, has built this line of his business to the point where it requires all of his attention. In quitting the printing and publishing business, he announces that he will devote all of his time to photography. He will move from the Times office to the Sun Court building, next door to Wells Hotel company, where he will install additional equipment and be better prepared to serve the public.

The consolidation of the Sun and Times will enable the publishers to give Avon Park better newspaper service than could have been possible with two papers. Improvements will be added as conditions warrant, and it will be the aim of the management to cover the field thoroughly and adequately.

Bombing Squad To Play Defense Team Here Sunday

There will be a baseball game Sunday afternoon at Head Field at 2:00 o'clock between the "Arc Sparks" of the defense training school and a team of the Bombing and Gunnery Range detachment.

Henry Mitchell, manager of the defense school team announced his lineup would be: Eide, p; Jack William, c; Jim Crosby, 1b; Doyle Williams, 2b; Milton Cook, ss; Harry McKnight, 3b; and Bradbury, Frizzell and Joe Cannon in the outfield.

Line up for the Bombing and Gunnery Range detachment is: Schoeffler, c; Koenigs, p; Suris, 1b; Kenneth, 2b; Ford, 3b; Lane, ss; Fath, lf; Melton, cf; Cooney, rf.

Pvt. Charles Suris, first baseman and manager of the detachment team formerly played with Moultry, Ga., in the Georgia-Florida league, and also with Miami in the Florida East Coast League. Koenigs, right handed pitcher for the squad played last season with the Lake Washington Ship Yard's team, Seattle, state champions in a semi-pro league.

There will be no admission charge, and the public is invited to attend.

WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY

The Woman's Club will meet Friday afternoon, April 10, having been postponed from the regular meeting date this week on account of Holy Week. Subsequently, both the Garden Club and the Book Club have been postponed a week. The Garden club will meet Friday morning, April 17 at 10:30 at the home of Mrs. J. A. Johnson, and the Book Club will meet on Friday of the following week.

TRAIN CHANGES TIME

The Sun Queen, Seaboard mail train which brings the afternoon mail from the north, will arrive at 1:51 p. m. instead of 2:26 as formerly, and going north, will arrive at 2:13 instead of 2:51 p. m. The change is effective April 6.

Sale of Stamps And Bonds Show Gain in County

The organization of the committee in Highlands county to promote the sale of Victory savings stamps and bonds, under the direction of Guignard Maxcy, has been completed and the sales have jumped from near the bottom of all counties in the state to slightly above the average of the state within the past four weeks according to estimates of some of the sub-chairmen of the county.

Mr. Maxcy stated this morning that he did not have complete reports on the total sales but expected to be able to make a report at the meeting of the county defense council to be held tonight at the court house.

He stated that practically every employer in the county and their employees are cooperating in the "payroll allotment plan" of taking part of their pay each pay day in Victory stamps. Those with only one employee are going along with the plan the same as the packing houses and other large employers of labor, Mr. Maxcy said.

Following is the county committee as set up by Mr. Maxcy and the county Defense Council:

Honorary chairman: Lee Crews, chairman board of county commissioners, Mayor Payne Sebring, Sebring; Mayor M. E. Covington, Avon Park.

Chairman, Guy Maxcy; Deputy Chairmans, N. A. Broking; banking and finance, Frank Williams, Sebring, Matt Pilcher, Avon Park.

Education, Colonel F. N. K. Bailey; Public Employees, T. J. Ward, (city, county, state and federal employees); industry, Harold Worden, Avon Park, (manufacturing and utilities); women's organizations (all women's clubs, religious and youth organizations) Mrs. J. M. Burch, chairman, Mrs. E. G. Todd, Avon Park.

Postmaster, (all post offices as outlined Guy Maxcy, Sebring.

Labor (all labor unions) Guy Maxcy. Agriculture (all farm organizations 4-H clubs) Louis Alsmeyer, chairman, J. F. Melton; trade, Mike Kahn, chairman (retail and wholesale assn's chamber of commerce, etc).

Speakers group, William Hauptmann, chairman, Avon Park; Judge T. A. McNicholas, Avon Park, Alexander Blair, Lake Placid; Colonel F. N. K. Bailey, M. M. Ferguson; Stanley Reeves Avon Park and A. B. Wilhite, Lake Placid.

Service clubs (all service organizations and vocational groups) V. G. Watters, Sebring.

Fattening Feed For Livestock To Be Discussed

Production of home grown carbohydrate of fattening feed for livestock will be discussed at the meeting of the Highlands County Cattleman's Association Tuesday night April 7th at 8 o'clock at the Court House.

Mr. A. R. Howard, Agricultural Agent for the A. C. L. Railroad, located at Jacksonville will be the main speaker and will present the information as to the production and drying of the new high starch content sweet potatoes. The production of these potatoes has recently been started in many parts of the South, and the results have been most satisfactory. They are especially important at this time because of the Agricultural Food for Freedom Program.

County Agent Louis H. Alsmeyer will also make a report on the results secured from growing dasheens and feeding same to cattle and hogs.

Post Office Open All Day Saturday

Beginning today, Saturday, April 4, the post office will remain open on Saturday afternoons until 6 o'clock, according to an announcement yesterday by Postmaster D. G. Perry, who stated that this new schedule will continue until futher notice. Effective immediately, all service men may mail their letters without postage. Their return address must be written on the left hand upper corner of the envelope, and marked Free on the opposite right hand corner. This service does not include the mailing of packages or papers.

Military Units To Hold Open House Monday

Lodwick and Armory Will Observe Army Day

Lodwick Aviation Military Academy and the Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment, Avon Park's two military establishments will observe Army Day, Monday, April 6, with open house, when the public is invited to inspect their quarters and get a first hand look at the way army lives and works.

Capt. Donald T. Bennink, commanding officer of Lodwick Aviation Military Academy has authorized the Sun to issue an invitation to the public to visit the barracks at Highland Lakes and the airport, both of which will be open to visitors Monday afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock.

Capt. H. R. Smith, in command of the Bombing and Gunnery Range detachment has announced open house at the armory at the same hours. The public is invited to inspect the quarters, which have recently undergone extensive alterations and improvements for the occupancy of the troops. Refreshments will be served at the armory during visiting hours.

The American Legion and Auxiliary have accepted an invitation to attend the armory open house, and the high school band will furnish music. The band and Legionnaires will meet at the band stand at 2 o'clock and will march to the armory. The public is invited to fall in and march with them. Several band numbers will be given at both places and a brief address will be made at the armory.

The public will be admitted at the airport, Capt. Bennink stated, and will be shown types of planes used and some of the operations, in conducted tours. The hours for both places are from 2 to 6 p. m. only. No cameras will be allowed.

Old-age Assistance Recipients Will Be Restored To Rolls

Highlands County recipients of Old-age Assistance who accept employment during the war period will be restored promptly to the rolls when their employment ends, according to announcement today of C. Parke Anderson, Chairman of District 8 Welfare Board.

In a formal statement, Mr. Anderson said: "The State Welfare Board, realizing that profitable employment may become available to many Old-age Assistance recipients as manpower is absorbed by the war effort, has adopted regulations providing that those who by working become self-supporting will have their names restored promptly to the rolls as soon as their employment ends. To make this plainer, they will not be required to await their turn in order to have their cases reconsidered and acted upon."

He added that if earnings are not adequate to provide support during employment, a cash grant will be continued to supplement the earnings.

"State and district welfare boards alike urge that no recipient accept employment without first being certain that he is physically fit and that work will not endanger his health," Mr. Anderson continued.

"Winning the war is the first duty and concern of every citizen," Mr. Anderson concluded. "The purpose and policy of the welfare agency is to make it possible for Old-age Assistance recipients to do their part, free from worry as to later loss of income resulting from the temporary halting of their grants."

Defense Workers At State Meeting

Connected with the Highlands County Defense Council, the following men attended the State meeting held in Bartow this week, Ben T. Stewart, Robert Massey, Wilbur Giddens and Harold Rowe of Avon Park and Allen Altwater, Howard Livingston, Austin Heacock of Sebring.

The meeting was a two day training course on bombs and gases.

County Defense Council

"We Are Defense"

Ben T. Stewart, County Defense Chairman confirmed the appointment of A. A. Altwater, of Sebring, as Commander of the 5 Action Division of the Defense Council. "Mr. Altwater has accepted this duty, along with all his other work, and is busy getting the work lined up at once," states Mr. Stewart.

Highlands County is in a strategic, position in the Florida peninsular, being about equi-distant from both coasts, in fact the position of the state is strategic and likely to prove quite a problem for Fire Defense in case of war emergency. Thus, then, realising the importance of a thorough knowledge of fire defense and the first aid attendant upon it, classes are being held in Highlands County with great interest shown.

P. G. Gearing, Division Chairman of Water Supply and Fire Protection says: "Sebring firemen recently completed a 17 weeks course in this vital work. Meetings were held twice a week for periods of 1 1-2 hours each. Thirty-four men completed the course and 19 of them had a perfect attendance record. Allen Altwater gave fire instruction and Ernest Wilson first aid. Other classes are being held at Avon Park and Lake Placid.

Now watch the sale of stamps and bonds rise;

Guignard Maxcy, Chairman of this Division says that the work is making progress and he expects soon to have an interesting county-wide report to make public. "Grove owners are being asked to purchase bonds when they sell their fruit," stated Mr. Maxcy. One grower recently purchased a hundred dollar bond as soon as this matter was brought to his attention and he stated that he would put aside ten cents on every box of fruit sold with which to buy bonds."

Recreation Divisions of the Council are getting under way with much energy:

Bingo games are being held in the Mall in Avon Park each Tuesday night, the proceeds of which are turned into the Recreation fund for service men, says Ben T. Stewart, County Chairman.

Sergeant F. W. Hailey, of the United States Army of the Bomb and Gunnery Range Detachment, stationed at Avon Park Armo states that the men of the Detachment enjoy the hospitality shown them in the Jacaranda city. They have a dance each Friday night at the winter guest house on Lake Verona, a weekly party given by the First Methodist Church, along with other entertainment.

"Recently we were guests at a delightful concert at the high school," says the Sergeant. "We are planning soon to have weekly stunt nights and will invite local talent to assist and also talent from other towns of this area. At a recent Bingo game we had a magician, one of our men, which was very interesting. We indeed appreciate the friendly attitude and courtesy shown us here in Avon Park by its citizens."

Highlight of the recreation division in Sebring for the week was an Easter egg hunt given in honor of the children of the Army personnel at Hendricks Field. Eggs were hidden on grounds of Stepping Stones, Courthouse and Tuscawilla Park. Some 1000 eggs were generously donated by Sebring citizens and dyed by the Girl Scouts, N. F. McGee was master of ceremonies and went through the grounds with a huge basket of candy eggs and gifts for those children who found only one egg.

Door prize was a live rabbit. Jimmy Wheeler was the proud winner of this exciting prize. Another feature was the riding of shetland ponies and all of the 300 or more children present enjoyed this sport. Hendricks Field Commander Col. McDaniel and his wife were present along with about 50 other adult guests.

Don't forget your sugar estimate, if you plan to can, which must be sent to Mrs. R. W. Boyce, 244 N. Lakeview Drive, Sebring right away. Also the collection centers for salvage materials throughout county and the bins in all drugstores for your old tooth paste, and ointment tubes and other tin junk.

Too little; too late; too bad! There still is time to buy U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps.

DO IT EVERY PAY DAY!



From Philadelphia Record.

War Relief Fund Is Still Short of Anticipated Goal

The Red Cross War Relief Fund, for which a special drive was made Tuesday is still about $100 short of what the committee feels should be raised, according to the chairman. Patriotic and public spirited citizens are urged to leave funds with S. F. Longbottom at the Barnett Bank. Those who have promised to give to this fund, and others who it was impossible to contact, as they were not at home when the worker called, or for any reason were not solicited, are asked to contribute as soon as possible. The committee wishes to express their appreciation to the generous response of the school children, each one who donated and the volunteer workers for their efforts.

Bennink Promoted To Captaincy at Lodwick Academy

First Lieut. Donald T. Bennink, commanding officer of Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, received a promotion this week to the captaincy, effective as of March 1. The promotion is the second since coming here, Bennink having been raised from a second lieutenant to first lieutenant in October.

Second Lieut. Earl D. Caton was also promoted to first lieutenant, it was announced Friday.

Recreation Defense Council Meeting

The regular meeting of the Recreation Defense Council was held Wednesday evening in the Florida Public Service Room. Mrs. H. C. Worden, chairman, presided, and reports were made by all the committee chairmen, and plans were discussed for the future entertainment of the soldiers stationed here. Members of the council present were: Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, A. McKee Elwell, Charles Sargent, C. Parke Anderson, Buddy Gwynne, S. C. Pardee, Jr., and Mrs. Al Rodgers, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Harold Rowe, Mrs. H. C. Worden, Durrh Martin, and Ben Stewart.

VISITORS IN CITY

Miss Louise Smith of Jacksonville, state secretary of the Baptist W. M. U., was the guest of her friend, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon and family Tuesday night. She was accompanied by a noted couple, the Rev. and Mrs. Peter Trutza, who were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawhon.

Rev. Trutza was former president of the Rumanian Baptist Student Union, returning to the United States, soon after the declaration of war. He is now continuing his studies at the Southern Baptist Seminary in Louisville, Ky., and is also serving as pastor of the Detroit Rumanian Baptist Church in Detroit, Mich. Mrs. Trutza was director of the James Memorial School of Rumania.

Keep 'em rolling! We mean dollars! Buy U. S. Savings Bonds and Stamps.

Charles Sherman Receives Honor At University

Charles Sherman of Avon Park is one of fifteen students at the University of Florida, who have been selected for the hall of fame of the Florida Seminole, university year book.

They were chosen because of their faithful and loyal service in a variety of student activities and their active leadership and good citizenship in the "university community".

Because the 1941-42 senior class is the largest in the university history, the hall of fame number was increased from 12 to 15.

Howard Maddox Is New Commander Of Highlands Post

Howard Maddox was elected commander of Highlands Post, American Legion, at the annual meeting Wednesday night. He succeeds W. J. Prevatt, present commander, and will be installed with other officers in May.

Other officers elected for the ensuing year are: Will Connell, first vice commander; L. P. Childer, second vice commander; C. H. Lewiston, sergeant at arms; A. McKee Elwell, service officer; John Hood, finance officer; H. R. Currie, chaplain; and D. G. Perry, historian.

Allen Altwater Is Action Commander

The Highlands County Defense Council elected Allen Altwater of Sebring to take charge of the five Action Divisions in the Civilian Defense set up. These action divisions are, Transportation and Communication, Civil Protection, Power and Fuel, Health and Housing, Water Supply and Fire Protection.

Ben Stewart, chairman of the Highlands County Defense Council states this county is very fortunate in having a man so thoroughly capable of handling this job. The men assigned to these action divisions will take training courses to enable them to render a real service to the county and its people if and when the emergency comes.

There are over 500 men and women already assigned for service in these action divisions and a big part of them have already taken first aid training. The entire set up will have to take the required training in order to be certified by the Office of Civilian Defense in Washington. Mr. Stewart stated also that he is very much gratified with the fine organization work already accomplished by the Division chairman, co-chairman and sub-chairman of the council.

HOWARD TODD IMPROVING

Friends of Howard Todd, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd, who underwent a major operation Tuesday morning in John Hopkins hospital in Baltimore, Md., will be pleased to learn that he is recuperating nicely. Mr. Todd returned to Avon Park Friday, but Mrs. Todd is remaining in Baltimore with Howard. Correspondence may be addressed to him at Room 118, Marburg, care of the hospital.

Bombing Range Opened Here Tuesday

First Practice Bombs Dropped on New Range

The Avon Park General Bombing Range was activated here Tuesday, when the first bombing mission from MacDill field dropped practice bombs on targets at the 111,000 acre tract, near here, recently acquired by the war department.

Col. P. Schwartz, in charge of ordinance, Third Air Force, Tampa, was present at the unofficial opening of the range, which will now be put into active use.

U. S. Army Engineers have set up headquarters on the range and draglines have been started to provide drainage for the airport which will be built as part of the large scale plan for development of the range.

Capt. H. R. Smith, in command of the bombing and gunnery range detachment, which has taken over the operation of the range, conducted a group of city and county officials and others to the range, to witness the first bombing. From a short distance, they watched directional bombs and a salvo of five bombs dropped. The bombs were 100 pounders, containing only two pounds of powder each. A flash and a puff of smoke marked each hit, but such a light charge of powder is used that the detonation can be heard less a mile away. The bombs made a hole in the ground about four feet across and two feet deep.

Some hits were scored by observers in three towers triangulating the target, and results radioed into Third Army Air Force headquarters, Tampa.

Invited guests attending the opening of the range were: Mayor M. E. Covington, W. S. Betts, president of Rotary and president of the chamber of commerce, Representative C. E. Lanier, Lee Crews, chairman of the Highlands county board of county commissioners, and Commissioners Austin Heacock and John Hood, S. E. Booth, R. R. Brown, F. A. DeLaney, president of city council, John Treadwell, of Arcadia, Lt. D. T. Bennink, commanding officer and Robert H. Austin, director of Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, Roy R. Riggins, in charge of U. S. Engineers, Ford Heacock, S. C. Pardee, Harry Price, Al Lodwick, S. C. Pardee, Jr., W. M. Hetherington, W. C. Beckett, and Gilbert Freeman.

Knights Templars To Hold Easter Service

The Knights Templar Easter service will be held Sunday night at 7:45 at the Sebring Methodist Church with Rev. R. W. Todd in charge.

This is the annual Easter service of Holyrood commandery No. 27 of Avon Park.

All Sir Knights having uniforms will wear same and others will wear ordinary suits. They will meet in the Men's Bible Class room in the Hut at 7:30 Sunday night. All visiting Sir Knights are urged to attend.

Sunrise Services at Baptist Church

An Easter Sunrise Service will be held on the lawn of the First Baptist Church, Sunday morning at 7 o'clock. A special program has been arranged. Everyone is cordially invited to attend the services.

TIRES AND TUBES GRANTED SINCE MARCH 20 TO APRIL 1:

Dr. Clifford Jackson Gay, Earl Clarence Hendry, William Franklin Ward, Earl Wilson Hatt, Ben Theadore Cox, Harley McCoy Keene, John William Payne, Jr., Earl Hendry Green, Mandis Stock Farms, Inc., Horace Lee Bryant, Henry Everett Godwin, Martha Clayton Bunting, Highlands Crate Coop., Dr. James Basil Hall, Otis Alexander Ford, City of Avon Park, Rev. Gladstone S. Roberts, John White.

QUOTA FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL:

PASSENGER:
Tires 4; Retreads 18; Tubes 13.
TRUCK:
Tires 14; Retreads 13; Tubes 1a.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS   By Edward C. Wayne

McNutt Lashes 'Disciples of Despair,' Calls for All-Out Attack on Tokyo; Pan-American Solidarity Increases; R.A.F. Reverses Tide in Malta Battle

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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LABOR:
Picture Complicated

The labor situation, in the other big battle which had centered in Washington, the fight over whether the 40-hour week should be retained or not, had complicated the New Deal picture tremendously.

On the one hand Secretary of Labor Perkins and the White House itself had been found apparently unwilling to scrap the 40-hour week, while Thurman Arnold, of the attorney general's staff, had issued the most bitter statement against labor unions as obstructing the war effort that had come out of Washington since the New Deal started.

Now, the unions were whole-heartedly against the move to end the 40-hour week, claiming that the only benefit their workers had from it was the extra half-time pay for the usual eight hours of overtime weekly, while business already was being accused of getting huge profits for its share of the war-time boom in industrial activity.

Congressional leaders were found urging, against business, that all profits over 6 per cent be recaptured for the government, and at the same time highly divided over the 40-hour week.

Tremendous mail was being received on the subject, convincing many congressmen that a definite nationwide campaign to have the 40-hour week thrown out was in progress.

One official high in the War Production board stated that the 40-hour week through overtime payments was adding 8 per cent to the cost of all war contracts.

'ATTACK TOKYO':
Pleads McNutt

Lashing out at "disciples of despair," Paul V. McNutt, social security administrator, had urged an "attack on Tokyo" as the "real defense of America."

He said:

"America's defense does not begin at wading depth on Coney Island, nor on the sundrenched sands of San Diego.

"America's defense begins with the attack on Tokyo. It is when flames roar through Yokohama



PAUL V. McNUTT
"More Leathernecks, fewer bottlenecks."

and the factories of the Ruhr are blasted and broken that Wichita, Kansas City and Omaha will be secure.

"The leathernecks of Wake island taught the Japs what it costs to lick only a few hundred marines. What this nation needs is more leathernecks and fewer bottlenecks."

BRITISH:
Gain Air Strength

The report of a British-German air fight around Malta, where the British had been taking a beating since the war began without giving in, had been a signal for the fact that the British R.A.F. had been steadily gaining strength.

In this assault, British Hurricane fighters and anti-aircraft gunnery had brought down 12 bombers and two fighters in a 24-hour assault on the island, the biggest bag in the war so far.

Most significant was the fact that the "ack-ack boys," the gunners on the island, were credited with knocking the two fighters and 8 of the 12 bombers out of the air.

The other four planes shot down were fighter-bombers, similar in plan to our "medium attack bombers," and they were all bagged by the R.A.F. fighting squadron.

LATIN-AMERICA:
Grows More Solid

Historians, pointing to the fact that 21 Latin-American nations either have declared war or have broken relations with the Axis, as compared with 13 in the last war, had expressed the belief that Chile would be the next one in, and that Pan-American solidarity was on the increase, boding well for hemispheric unity in the post-war period.

However, as President-elect Juan Rios had reached the threshold of his office following the election, Adolf Hitler had cabled him expressing the hope that "German relations with Chile might become even closer."

Chile and Argentina, at this point had remained the only two still maintaining relations with the Axis.

Hitler was quoted as cabling:

"I take this opportunity to express the desire that the relations of sincere friendship between Germany and the Republic of Chile will be



PRESIDENT-ELECT JUAN RIOS
Relations with Germany strained.

preserved during your term as president, and if possible, become even closer."

Yet, by contrasts, most Latin-American observers took this as a hint that relations were on the point of being broken.

JAPS:
Warn Aussies

The Japanese, apparently trying to undermine Australian confidence and trying to build up a lack of unity within the continent, were putting out "warnings to Australians" before they had tried a landing.

The grim determination of the Australians to defend their country, plus the appointment of Gen. Douglas MacArthur to the supreme command, was ample assurance that Japanese propaganda would fall on barren soil.

As the invaders of New Guinea were moving across the difficult and almost impassable terrain between Salamaua and Lae and Port Moresby on the southern coast, with prospect of a bitter battle at the end, they issued the following warning:

"Australia stands at the crossroads. She must choose between freedom and the fate of the Dutch East Indies.

"Japan has no territorial aspirations, and wants Australia to become a partner in the eastern Asiatic prosperity realm.

"Australia, with a population of only 7,000,000 cannot defend her long eastern coastline.

"The countries, Japan and Australia, economically supplement each other. One way leads to the end of Australia's existence and the other to wealth and peace," said the Japanese.

At the same time the Japs showed evidence of being jittery over possible attacks by American planes from Alaska via the Aleutians, Adm. Kayozo Nakamura having told the Japanese people in a broadcast:

"Fears that the United States in the spring will embark on surprise attacks on Japan by submarines and aircraft are unnecessary.

"The Americans have no adequate base."

European centers had placed little importance on the signing in Moscow of a renewal of the pact between Japan and Russia on the subject of fishing rights off the Siberian coast.

Refusal of Russia to have signed would have been viewed as a practical declaration of war. But few European observers took the signing of the pact, in existence for many years, as any special sign of friendliness.

VATICAN:
And Neutrality



ARCHBISHOP SPELLMAN
"The church is against atrocities."

The sending of a Japanese mission to the Vatican in Rome and its acceptance by the pope had brought statements from Washington and London that the Allies "had directed the attention of the pope to the unfortunate effects of allowing Japan to establish a mission at the Holy See.

While there was no direct answer to these representations from Pope Pius himself, the pontiff's close friend and American spokesman, Archbishop Spellman of New York, said:

"Leaders of nations who have tried to influence the Holy Father on one side or the other in this conflict must understand that the Holy Father has to be impartial.

"While there can be no neutrality between right and wrong, and the church is against atrocities, the Holy See must keep in contact with and aid the Catholics of every nation.

"The Holy See must accept the envoys who choose to make these contacts."

SUGAR:
A Week of None

The announcement that there would be a week of no sugar sales decreed by the government for the week of April 27, came when sugar rationing, ban on sales of new automobiles, and demands that auto graveyards give up their dead were holding the economic spotlight.

The East was having gasoline shutdowns, with rationing in prospect throughout this territory, perhaps also in the Pacific Northwest.

Washington told the people of 7,900,000 tons of sugar having been withdrawn from the market by hoarders, and told of plans to make sugar hoarders give up their supplies to the retail stores, selling them back at retail prices.

A campaign had been started to force used-car-lot junkmen to "turn over" their cars every 60 days or face the penalty of having the rusty metal requisitioned by the government.

In one eastern state of average size, it was said, the junkyards had 14,000 cars, enough metal to make 2,300,000 three-inch shells; 9,000 75-mm. howitzers or 6,000 anti-aircraft guns.

TRAINING PROGRAMS:
For Army Forces

War Secretary Stimson has announced that 100,000 men and women will be trained for civilian jobs—including overhaul and repair mechanics, production workers, inspectors at government factories, depots and arsenals—in government and state-owned schools and rented facilities of private technical schools. Eligible men must be outside the age and other selective service requirements. Students will be paid $900 to $1,400 a year in training. Courses vary from 15 weeks to four months. Applications may be made to any civil service commission local office.

The Army institute has been established at Madison, Wis., to provide for enlisted men with at least four months active service, correspondence study in more than 65 courses in English, social studies, mathematics, science, business and engineering at a cost of two dollars a course.

Army Ground Forces Commander McNair announced selection of a site "west of the Colorado river" for large-scale troop training in modern desert warfare, part of a program to develop task forces for mountain, airborne and armored warfare and for joint ground operations. The department said the replacement and school command will open headquarters at Birmingham, Ala., and the anti-aircraft command at Richmond, Va., before April 1. The former will include 14 schools and replacement centers, including officer candidate schools. A military police replacement training center will be established at Fort Riley, Kan., about April 8, to accommodate 1,800 trainees from all sections of the country. Mr. Stimson said the R.O.T.C. program will be maintained in colleges, but the army cannot supply material and personnel to provide pre-induction training at such institutions.

ATLANTIC:

Sinkings continued at a rapid pace along the Atlantic seaboard, though there were not so many on the regular sea-lanes carrying commerce between Britain and the U. S.

Yet there were favorable signs, and measures were being taken to make the lot of the submarine harder, and to cut down sinkings.

One of these was the dim-out or black-out of lights of cities and resorts along the coast, particularly along sea-lanes frequented by coastwise vessels.

HIGHLIGHTS . . . *in the week's news*

New York: One of the most definite reports of the sinking of a U-boat off the coast was reported by General Drum, who said that a patrol bomber returning after a photographic mission had seen a submarine, had dropped four depth-bombs and that the oil and debris which littered the sea made it definite that the submarine had been sunk.

London: The Times has reported that German heavy industry is paying Adolf Hitler a personal tribute of $12,000,000 a year for his own use, and that Hitler devotes a portion of this to buy support.

Philadelphia: One convict was killed and others injured in a riot at the penitentiary. The riot was started over a shortened ration of sugar in the convicts' coffee.

MacArthur's Australian Campaign Heightens Spirit of All America



General Douglas MacArthur
A fighting General for fighting mad people is he . . .

NOW you are going to see some real fighting.

That is what thousands of persons said, some of whom might have said it to you, when word was flashed from Australia that General Douglas MacArthur was down there to assume the supreme United Nations command in that region.

Ever since the war in the Pacific region began, the story of the ground warfare has been continually, and dishearteningly the same but with one exception.

Newspaper and radio accounts have related of continual retreats and, finally, surrenders by the Allied armies. But the brilliant exception to all this defensive warfare is and was the activity of General MacArthur, his aides, and his native and American troops fighting on the Bataan peninsula.

Not only did MacArthur stop the Japs—and thereby causing the commander, Gen. Masaharu Homma, to commit hara kiri—but he also put through two brilliant, strategical offensives which prevented further enemy advances at the time.

Reason for Australians' Respect.

Such immediate background of this brilliant general, this Number One officer of the United Nations, was the cause for the increasing clamor of the Australians to have MacArthur come down there and help them, with American, British, Australian, and native soldiers, resist the Japs in the last Pacific region stand. So, after receiving orders on Washington's birthday from the President to go to Australia, MacArthur made plans with his successor, Maj. Gen. Jonathan Mayhew Wainwright, a brilliant tactician, for further defense at Bataan.

'Mac's the Man.'

When a "roving reporter" for one of the outstanding Midwest newspapers went out to interview pedestrians as to how they felt about the new shakeup in military control in the Pacific region whereby General MacArthur was given complete military control, the consensus of opinion was, "Mac's the Man."

One fellow said that it was the best news he heard since the U. S. entered the war. A housewife said that, "MacArthur is the man for the job." A student on his way to his class at university said that if anyone can successfully "Slap the Japs," MacArthur is the one that can do it. A not too busy auto salesman said that the general's appointment was the most important move since the United States was stabbed in the back.

Such opinions as these of Mr. and Mrs. America reflect—it is almost certain to say—the opinion of this nation, and all Allied nations as a whole. Even in London, the newspapers there, commenting on the first time that a foreign general has taken command of defense in British dominions, had nothing but encouraging, hopeful, and optimistic words.

Fame After Career Ended.

Fame came to General MacArthur after his career had ended! For it was in 1936 that he retired from the army after making a "name" for himself as officer of World War I, and decorated for conspicuous courage. His decorations are reportedly more numerous than any other officer in the service.

Back in 1903 he was graduated from military academy, heading his class. Ever since then he has been showing his fellow officers and his men under him that he is "one of the men" who knows how to fight.

Son of a Civil war hero, Lieut. Gen. Arthur MacArthur, General Douglas went with his father as an aide when he went to Tokyo on a mission in 1905-'06. On three different occasions he saw extended army service in the Philippines. In 1935 he went to Manila as the commonwealth's president, Manuel Quezon's military adviser.

That his advisory capacity to President Quezon was of a successful nature is now seen in the successful manner in which American troops, Philippine scout professionals, and Filipino reservists, under his command, fought.

So, at the age of 56, after many years of active service, it looked as though General MacArthur's military life was at an end. It seemed that he was then destined for obscurity after being chief of staff for five years. But, it has often been stated, that it is the seemingly little incidents in a person's life which eventually develop into significant, extremely important matters. What would have happened had MacArthur, upon being "retired," not been sent to the Philippines to shape up a military force there is impossible to say.

Once again, MacArthur's life is showing that fact is oftentimes more interesting than fiction. Here, in MacArthur, you see a story book soldier, cool, even tempered, poised, admired by his staff and men, preparing to do a titanic job despite heavy odds against it.

Even the general's air-flight of 2,000 miles to Australia had a touch of the dramatic to it. For the zone over which he and his officers and aides flew in two planes, has been conceded as being the "hot spot" of the southwest Pacific. This is the zone where both enemy and Allied planes are continually on the alert. Fighters, bombers, and interceptors, always ready for battle. When you look at a map and see the territory you will fully realize that MacArthur has not lost any of his boldness. It is such daring, skill, and calm that has put all the confidence of the Allied nations' people directly on his shoulders. The Yanks, and Aussies, being what they are in temperament, and disposition as to being ready for a fight at all times, now have a man as their leader they know will not fail them.

Congressmen Behind Him, Too.

That this attitude even goes for officials and congressmen in the nation's capital is noted in the comment of various congressmen on the day that MacArthur's safe arrival was announced in a special official war department communique. Sen. Millard E. Tydings, (D., Md.) said that Australia now has real leadership . . . that he was very happy to know that MacArthur was down there where a man such as he is needed.

Rep. Joseph J. Mansfield, (D., Texas) put in a comment which all Americans fully understand. He said that MacArthur is sure going to "raise hell" with the Japs providing we can keep him supplied with a continuous line of supplies and men.

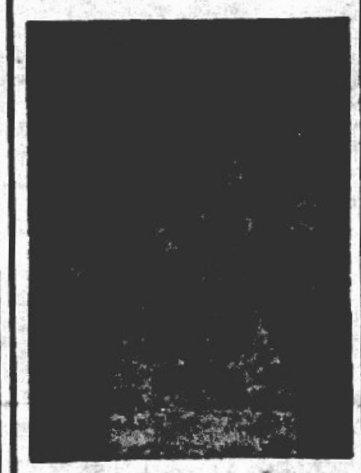
House Minority Leader Joseph W. Martin (R., Mass.), said he was happy to hear of the famous soldier's appointment. He further added that such an appointment will add to the confidence of the American people.

The day that MacArthur's appointment, and successful flight to Australia was announced, the President in his press conference also had words of encouragement for the American people. He said that the purpose of the transfer was not to develop further defensive measures, but primarily, and definitely to "win the war." President Roosevelt said at that conference that he felt, too, that every American man and woman held the same admiration for the fighting, brilliant general that he held.

Future General??

Little four-year-old Arthur MacArthur, son of General and Mrs. MacArthur, is starting early in a possible war career. Besides having a famous general as a father, Arthur's grandfather, a Civil war veteran after whom he is named, commanded a Manila brigade in 1898 when U. S. forces captured that city.

When war broke out in the Philippines little Arthur and his mother, the former Miss Jean Faircloth of Murfreesboro, Tenn., were reported safe on the island. The next word that came through as to their whereabouts was when their arrival in Australia with the general and his staff was announced.



Mrs. Douglas MacArthur
It is now up to her husband . . .



Since General MacArthur has taken his new command in Australia to stop, and then push back, the Japanese drive, Maj. Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright (left), shown talking with Gen. MacArthur, has been appointed to the command of the forces that outfought, despite 30 to 1 odds, the Jap forces on the Bataan peninsula in the Philippine Islands.

Like Father, Like Son

General Douglas MacArthur, and his deceased father, Lieut. Gen. Arthur MacArthur, experienced military lives exceedingly interesting because of their striking similarity as available information proves.

Lieut. Gen. Arthur MacArthur, like his son, Douglas, was advanced over the heads of many older officers to more important posts.

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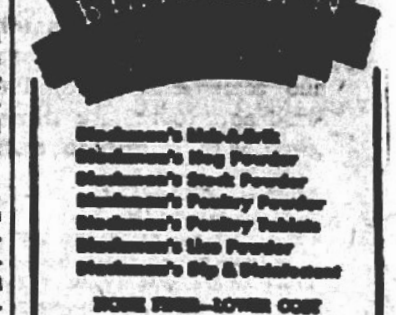

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War Munitions Are Made in Caves

Chinese Army Supplied by Hidden Workers Who Prove Efficient.

WASHINGTON. — How Chinese workers, inspired by patriotic determination to defend their country against Japanese aggression, are managing to meet the highest American machine-shop standards in the manufacture of war equipment in factories housed in caves and dugouts, was described today by A. Manuel Fox, United States representative on the five-man Chinese stabilization board.

Mr. Fox, who returned recently from an eight-month stay in China, is here mainly in connection with the $500,000,000 loan that the United States is granting to China in addition to the $500,000,000 that Great Britain has set aside for the same purpose.

The United States loan, because of both its size and the speed with which it was granted, will have a most reassuring effect in China, Mr. Fox said. It will be hailed, he said, as further evidence of American confidence in the Chinese nation and will have important effect in maintaining the value of the yuan.

Prices Increase.

Though there is nothing like uncontrolled inflation in China, Mr. Fox said, prices of manufactured articles have increased because of bombing and the cessation of imports. A pair of custom-made shoes, which cost $16 six months ago, cost $60 now. A suit by a tailor that cost only a few cents a year ago costs eight Chinese dollars to take a ride today.

Food prices, however, have been kept down by large government purchases of foodstuffs combined with the levying of taxes in kind, which assured the government of ample stocks until next September, with a bountiful harvest in sight, Mr. Fox said.

Another purpose of the loan, he pointed out, will be to foster increased industrial and agricultural production. The government, which has difficulty in finding the liquid assets because of war demands, will be able to grant credits to small manufacturers who, in little arsenals all over unoccupied China, are turning out munitions. There is very little probability that the loan will be used to pay the Chinese armies, he declared.

Chinese Morale High.

When he left China by a circuitous route, in the course of which he traveled more than enough miles to go half way around the world, Mr. Fox saw munitions pouring up the Burma road and Chinese soldiers pouring down. Chinese morale was high and there was complete confidence in the successful outcome of the war, especially now that the United States is in it, he reported.

Mr. Fox said he thought the physical transport of gold or silver bullion to China to implement the loan would be unnecessary. The official rate for the "fapi," the local currency in Chungking based on the China dollar, is about 20 to the American dollar. On the "black market" the rate is 40 to the dollar, but government control is so effective that the market is very thin.

'Fish' for the Enemy



These torpedoes (called "tin fish" by navy men), neatly arranged on racks at an Australian factory, are ready to deal death to the enemy. Powerful weapons of the submarine, they can be used with equal success by surface craft.

Some Stuff by Thornton W. Burgess

THE PATIENCE OF LONGLEGS THE BLUE HERON

Patience often wins the day When overhaste has lost the way.

IF THERE is one virtue which Longlegs the Heron possesses above another it is patience. Yes, sir, Longlegs certainly has got patience. He believes that if a thing is worth having it is worth waiting for, and that if he waits long enough he is sure to get it. Perhaps that is because he has been a fisherman all his life, and his father and his grandfather were fishermen. You know a fisherman without patience rarely catches anything. Of course, Billy Mink and Little Joe Otter laugh at this and say that it isn't so, but the truth is they sometimes go hungry when they wouldn't if they had a little of the patience of Longlegs.

Now, Grandfather Frog is another who is very, very patient. He can sit still the longest time waiting for something to come to him. Indeed, he can sit perfectly still so long and Longlegs can stand perfectly still so long, that Jerry Muskrat and Billy Mink and Little Joe Otter have had many long disputes as to which of the two can keep still the longest. Longlegs had come over to the Smiling Pool because Little Joe Otter and Billy Mink had told him that Grandfather Frog was sitting on his big green lily-pad fast asleep.

"He will make a splendid breakfast," thought Longlegs as very, very carefully he walked along the edge of the Smiling Pool so as to get right opposite Grandfather Frog. There he stopped and looked very hard at Grandfather Frog. Yes, he certainly must be asleep, for his eyes were closed. Longlegs chuckled to himself right down inside without making a sound and got ready to wade out so as to get within reach.

Now, all the time Grandfather Frog was doing some quiet chuckling himself. You see, he wasn't asleep at all, for Jerry Muskrat had warned him. He was just pretending to be asleep, and all the time he was watching Longlegs out of a corner of one of his big, goggly eyes. Very, very slowly and carefully, so as not to make the teeniest, weeniest sound, Longlegs lifted one foot to wade out into the Smiling Pool.



"He will make a splendid breakfast," thought Longlegs.

Grandfather Frog pretended to yawn and opened his big, goggly eyes. Longlegs stood on one foot without moving so much as a feather. Grandfather Frog yawned again, nodded as if he was too sleepy to keep awake, and half closed his eyes. Longlegs waited and waited. Then, little by little, so slowly that if you had been there you would hardly have seen him move, he drew his long neck down until his head rested on his shoulders.

"I guess I must wait until he falls sound asleep again," said Longlegs to himself.

But Grandfather Frog didn't go to sleep. He would nod and nod and then, just when Longlegs would make up his mind that this time he was really asleep, open would pop Grandfather Frog's eyes. So all the long morning Longlegs stood on one foot without moving, watching and waiting and growing hungrier and hungrier, and all the long morning Grandfather Frog sat on his big, green lily-pad, pretending that he was oh, so sleepy, and all the time having such a comfortable sun-bath and rest, for very early he had had such a good breakfast of foolish green flies.

Over in the bulrushes on the other side of the Smiling Pool two little scamps in brown bathing suits had waited and watched for the great fright they had planned for Grandfather Frog when they had sent Longlegs to try to catch him. They were Billy Mink and Little Joe Otter. At first they laughed to themselves and nudged each other at the thought of the trick they had played. Then, as nothing happened, they began to grow tired and uneasy. You see, they do not possess patience. Finally they gave up in disgust and stole away to find some more exciting sport. Grandfather Frog saw them go and chuckled harder than ever to himself.

(Associated Newspapers—WNU Service.)

Minute Make-Ups

By Gabrielle



The light in your eyes can be made more lovely by a few little make-up tricks. A dot of rouge (ever so tiny) just at the outer corner of the eyes makes them look larger. A very fine pencil line at the edge of the lashes gives you a wide-eyed look. Eye shadow blended up toward the eyebrows dramatizes the eyes.

Brown and green eye shadow blended, one over the other, is lovely with tweeds in the new spring colors. Blue eye shadow is always pretty over eyes of any color if there is a note of blue in the costume or accessories.

(Ledger Syndicate—WNU Service.)

Special Gift for Hirohito



PHOENIX, ARIZ.—Chinese cadets, receiving advance flying instructions here, are shown having a bit of fun during a classroom intermission. The blackboard, which has been written, "Ho Sally, Hirohito," is one similar to those which those future lieutenants in the Chinese air forces have hopes of dropping on their Japanese enemy. On the blackboard in the background the same message of regret to Hirohito is written in Chinese.

Sons of Indian Chief Enlist in U. S. Marines

SALT LAKE CITY.—Two sons of Indian tribal chief have declared themselves in on the scrap across the oceans, enlisting here with the United States marines.

The two real Americans are Russell Cuch, 27, and Alfred Powwinneet, 23, from the Uintah-Ouray reservation.

Blackout for Hen Houses; Normal Light for Laying

BERKELEY, CALIF. — Poultrymen who for years have illuminated their poultry houses in winter to fool the hens were advised to discontinue the practice during the war.

W. E. Newton, a specialist in poultry for the agricultural extension service of the University of California, explained that blackouts made it necessary to turn out the hen-house lights now and then. This confused the hens even more than the continuous wintertime illumination, and its results were less fortunate.

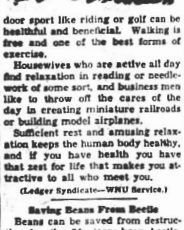
Artificial light, he said, advanced the period of peak egg production but it did not boost the total annual production and its irregular use was detrimental. During the war emergency, he declared, "total egg production is more important than seasonal production."

What to Do

BY PHYLLIS BELMONT

Everyone should have a hobby—something to do outside of the usual routine of his life. Hobbies may be participation in sports, writing, reading or creating, but they should be something that relaxes and rests the hobbyist.

If you spend six days a week in an office, on the seventh, some out-



door sport like riding or golf can be healthful and beneficial. Walking is free and one of the best forms of exercise.

Housewives who are active all day find relaxation in reading or needlework of some sort, and business men like to throw off the cares of the day in creating miniature railroads or building model airplanes.

Sufficient rest and amusing relaxation keeps the human body healthy, and if you have health you have that zest for life that makes you attractive to all who meet you.

(Ledger Syndicate—WNU Service.)

Saving Beans From Beetle

Beans can be saved from destruction by the Mexican bean beetle, Spraying or dusting the plants with a quick-acting insecticide is necessary.

NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Reviewed by CARTER FIELD

Roosevelt's Attitude on 'Unified Command' . . . Sea Otters for Light Shipping Not Yet in Production . . .

(Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)

WASHINGTON. — The President takes seriously the fact that under the Constitution he is commander-in-chief of the army and navy. It may be for that reason that he does not take kindly to the notion of a department of national defense, to include army, navy and air force, as advocated by Senator Bennett Champ Clark of Missouri and others.

The President's theory is that there is a "unified command" already, which is himself. Naturally he is fairly well satisfied with that, and considers the insertion of another executive between the present organizations and himself just the addition of that much unnecessary organization, with no resulting advantages to be had for the U. S.



Senator Clark

There is much to be said for his position. But there is also something to be said against it, though there is nothing new on either side of the argument.

The sharpest objection lies in our own form of government. Conceivably a man might make a fine President in all other respects, but not be a military genius. It is not fashionable to belittle Abraham Lincoln, or even to hint that he was not the essence of perfection in every respect. However, the fact remains that as commander-in-chief of the armed forces of the Union he blundered around for practically the first three years of the war, trying one general after another until in Grant, Sherman and Sheridan he found the right prescription.

President: Military Strategist

But the President of the United States is elected for a fixed term. Nothing can be done no matter how inept he may prove himself as a director of military strategy. Indeed, it is most unlikely that his ABILITY as a strategist would be the issue even when he goes to the country, at the end of a four-year term, in the midst of a war.

Thus when Abraham Lincoln faced George B. McClellan in the 1864 election the main issue was not that McClellan, as a soldier, would make a better war President than Lincoln, as would have been a logical enough campaign talking-point, but whether the war should be continued at all.

The Pacifists of that day wanted to stop the war and have peace. As they proposed that McClellan, if elected, should make peace, naturally they did not bother much to stress his qualifications as a military leader for continuing the war.

On the President's side is the present controversy, it is unthinkable to have a war President who would not have the right to appoint whom he pleased as head of the "unified command" should there be one, just as he has the right and power now to name the secretaries of war and the navy and the generals and admirals who shall direct the high strategy. So the President would not be divested of responsibility.

Realizing which, the President prefers to operate without the added office of Unified Command.

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Small Ships Would Release Larger Ones for War Work

Information as to what has happened to the Sea Otter is an experience as human as a man's liking to wear old clothes, or a woman wanting a new hat. It is the same type of thing which leads a city man, who has kept a few chickens in his back yard, to quit his job and start trying to make his living with a chicken farm.

Here was a very good idea for small craft, to supply a crying need for coastwise and short-distance water transportation, and which would release regular ships now in that sort of service for more important war work. So the naval designers get hold of it, and immediately begin to improve it. They saw how they could make the sea otters bigger, make them carry more. They began to think about using them in the transatlantic war supplies ferry service.

As a result the idea, very good for its original purposes, has gotten nowhere. Naturally, with the enlargement of the proposed ships, they drew more water. That made them, as the President pointed out, unavailable for the sort of ports for which they had originally been designed. Also, with the added notion of their crossing the Atlantic, or making similar long voyages, came the question of danger if sufficient supplies of gasoline were taken.

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DOCTORS CRUSH NERVE AND NOW PARALYTICS CAN WALK

LOS ANGELES.—Mason Hohl, 18 years old, was given a perfect rating in his medical examination at the University of California at Los Angeles. Doctors probably wondered how he got that two-inch scar on his right leg, just below the knee. But they didn't ask.

Young Hohl didn't mention that it was his only physical reminder that he barely was able to stumble along only 18 months ago, badly crippled by infantile paralysis.

Now he's a member of the R.O.T.C. unit and walks and runs as easily as any of his fellow cadets.

Dr. Anthonie van Harreveld and Dr. Harvey E. Billig Jr., a lieutenant in the navy medical corps, told how they discovered a polio treatment which effected marvelous results on five patients.

The treatment consists of crushing an entire nerve, degeneration of which caused paralysis in the muscle. As the nerve fibers struggle to re-establish connection with the muscle, they grow and multiply by division. Thus they eventually motivate not only the muscle fibers which the nerves supplied before the crushing but many times that number.

Hohl and the next three patients underwent operations in which incisions were made on their legs.

The fifth was a 42-year-old woman who became an infantile paralysis victim in 1906. Instead of surgery, manual pressure was exerted against the femoral nerve in the thigh. Muscles supplied by the nerve have improved so much that she now can straighten her knee.

The next step is to determine to what extent manual pressure will crush nerves and thus obviate surgery.

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State Press Comments

THE GASOLINE SITUATION

The country has now had examples of the wrong and the right way to handle the so-called "gasoline shortage" problem.

The wrong way was tried briefly some months ago along the Atlantic Seaboard. Apparently working with insufficient or inaccurate information, the government suddenly imposed "curfews" on service stations, and it was generally believed that rationing would follow. Then it was found that gasoline stocks were above normal in the area, and that all this was premature. The public had been unnecessarily inconvenienced and confused.

The right method to meet a gasoline emergency is now being put into effect in the Pacific Northwest and parts of the East. The public has been shown that lack of tankers makes normal deliveries of gas impossible to those areas. It was not confused by conflicting statements. Deliveries to service stations have been reduced. A gas rationing system will be started. The public has accepted these restrictions willingly.

In producing centers, gasoline stocks are reaching all-time highs and a serious storage problem is developing. The government is ordering increasing quantities of aviation gas and fuel lubricating oils. The manufacture of these automatically increases the production of ordinary gas. The difficulty is one of distribution to regions which depend on tanker transport. Many tankers have been destroyed; many more have been transferred to our Allies, and many more are being used by our own military forces.

In parts of the country where pipe lines, railroads and trucks have been the main source of transportation, the situation is entirely different. There is no need for rationing there and government agencies are cooperating to keep the wheels rolling.

THE ULTIMATE IN "PORK"

On March 11, the House of Representatives decisively voted down two harbor improvement and electric power development measures, which had been included in a war appropriation bill. On the same day, Congressional leaders said that they would "shelve temporarily" the $1,000,000,000 Rivers and Harbors Bill, due to the "temper of the Congress."

It will be a great thing for the taxpayers if that bill and others like it are shelved permanently—and it will be an even greater thing if a majority in Congress keeps its present temper. The billion dollar Rivers and Harbors Bill represents the very ultimate of "pork barrel" legislation. Experts who have analyzed it, say that only a very small proportion of the projects it deals with are genuinely necessary or desirable. The majority of the projects—and the most costly—would actually hamper the war effort, rather than help it.

For example, the bill would appropriate close to $300,000,000 to "start" the St. Lawrence Seaway and Power project. It would not produce a kilowatt of power or seasonal navigation facilities for several years to come. The area covered up by the project is already splendidly served by existing rail, motor carriers, and electric power plants. It would have a depressing effect on such basic war industries as the railroads, coal and the power utilities. And its ultimate cost would be several times the initial appropriation.

The bill would also appropriate more than $200,000,000 for the discredited Florida Ship Canal, which was abandoned for economic reasons long ago. And again, the public would have to cough up more tens of millions in the future to feed a political elephant whose hue is the purest white.

This bill is a mockery of governmental economy. It is an insult to taxpayers now staggering under war expense. In practically every case, the projects are unnecessary now and destructive to existing basic industry. In every case, they would take tremendous quantities of materials, labor and money which are vitally needed for real war purposes. If Congressional leaders are brazen enough to bring this bill up again, the House and the Senate should shout it down in jig time.

FIVE DECADES AND THEN—

(From the Okeechobee News)

Politics finally caught up with Harry M. Burch, even if it did take 55 years for the "bug" to swing him into the ring. Georgia-born, a son of Dublin's Mayor Francis Harlow Burch back in '86, Florida's gogetting candidate for the State Railroad Commission has sidestepped the hustings for more than five decades.

While as a mere lad he was a union steel construction worker helping build Atlanta's early skyscrapers and later selling business machines and building and operating the Nu-Grape bottling plant in Tampa, with branches in Lakeland, Ocala and Brooksville, back in the "boom" days.

True, he did take time out several times to push a friendly gubernatorial candidate, and when we met him for the first time he was really "booming" Jim Lee for reelection for Comptroller in 1936.

But at last—long last, it seems—he is head over heels in the game, and having learned the need for reducing Florida's outrageously high railroad rates (and he learned the hard way by paying the burdensome levies these arbitrary rates lay on Florida's progress), he is pledging himself to four years of service in this battle for Florida growers, shippers, businessmen, and last, but not least, Mr. Ordinary Consumer, for after all the folks who eat "pay the freight."

"TALKING TURKEY"

(From the Williston Sun)

We were astounded to see a political picture without a lodge button in the lapel—and when we went on down through the reading matter of Harry M. Burch's announcement for railroad commissioner and couldn't find a single word of appeal to fraternal or religious bias, prejudice or ism, we stopped a moment to take off our hat to a man who must be pretty much of a be-man to risk starting a new style in campaigning like this.

Why the man actually devoted his entire announcement to saying something about a problem vital to all Floridians—excessive and discriminatory railroad rates—and how he plans to intelligently go about relieving the situation.

What's more his program is a good one—no high-sounding blatant promises—it's sound, it's actually possible the way he's got it figured out. Apparently he's been thinking about something besides how he'll spend his salary after he gets there; and that indicates he'll do something besides just draw his salary.

It's more'n refreshing—it's downright encouraging.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY
By RUSSELL KAY

The deep throated voice of an aroused America growled threateningly the past foresight in a manner that caused genuine concern among congressmen and sent a chill of apprehension up and down the spines of arrogant labor leaders and selfish industrial tycoons.

The weak-hearted attempt of the administration to "laugh it off" as a synthetic expression instigated by a minority group failed miserably and the menacing growl arrescendoed into a mighty roar. America from border to border and coast to coast was aroused and made its feeling known in no uncertain terms. Despite a marked improvement in the production of war materials and the elimination of strikes in war industries to a minimum, America, from the grass roots to the metropolis, smarted her dissatisfaction with the war effort and demanded MORE, much MORE.

Organized labor, attempting too late to crawl back in line with a promise of future good behavior, was called to account for its consistent record of domineering arrogance, sanctioned racketeering, and all around cantankerous activities as the stinging lash of outraged public opinion finally crashed about its ears.

With equal relentlessness did the public cat-o-nine-tails descend upon the backs of selfish and greedy industrialists, profiteers and political puppets responsible for retarding the war efforts and attempting to advance their own private or political interests contrary to the public welfare.

Startled by the concerted volume of the national voice, the individual citizen, slow to realize his own contribution to it, listens in amazement to the echo and tries to understand. Spontaneous though it seemed, it really came as a result of long pent up emotions caused by the mis-use of power and for which America's deep-seated sense of justice and fair play demanded a remedy.

Industry, long dominant, had the policy of trampling roughshod over the rights and interests of the laborer and the public alike, using every means in its power to gain its ends as it surged ahead concerned alone with its own greed and selfishness.

This arrogant and heartless mis-use of power brought industry into disrepute, made possible the rapid growth of equally powerful labor groups, and caused government to take a hand with stringent and yet more stringent laws and regulations.

Shrewd political leaders took advantage of the situation to build fences as champions of the down-trodden laboring man. They flocked to labor meetings, insisted on a "label" on their literature, and thumped their manly chests as they hurled abuse at all employers.

Organized labor, under the wise and able leadership of Samuel Gompers, made rapid strides and gained in public esteem and sympathy. Government, encouraged, cracked down harder and harder on industry, at the same time going out of its way to coddle and cater to labor. Uncontrolled and unhampered by government, labor found itself as dominant a power as ever cracked a whip. Reckless and radical leaders replaced the level headed Gompers. Racketeers took over local union groups; gangsters in the guise of business agents or delegates stepped in to line their pockets at the expense of the worker and public alike. The right to work in certain industries deteriorated from a free American institution to a matter of cold tribute; dues and assessments increased. Strong lobbies intimidated legislators, demanded more and more protective legislation designed to tighten their grip on the worker and the public, with as little regard for the employer as was formerly shown for employee.

So the swinging pendulum gradually turned the tables to place labor in the seat of power and, like industry of an earlier day, failing to appreciate the advantage, labor mis-used that power to the end that all her gains are jeopardized as the war emergency has brought this fact forceably to the attention of the public.

America still has faith in the rank and file of those who work with their hands in defense of the country. She has no quarrel with the laborer, in or out of the Union But America is plenty fed up with the selfish and greedy leeches who in too many instances have used their position to bring the rank and file of their organization into disrepute, cause discord and disruption between employer and employee, pitted worker against worker, demanded outrageous tribute from citizens and laborer alike as they line their own pockets and are not even called on to give an accounting.

Unless organized labor rises in its might and cleans house in a big way, ridding itself of such unworthy leaders, and conducts its affairs with fairness to the employer and the public, America will surely pull its house down over its ears and it will awake to find itself stripped of the hard earned gains it now prizes. In his heart the average Union workman knows this truth, but fear of his job, fear of bullying overlords, has restrained his action. But he'd better wake up, for AMERICA already has.

Union Congregational Church
Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Start Easter well by attending Sunday School.

Easter worship service at 11:00 A. M.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Organ Prelude—"Ave Maria" by Bach-Gounod — Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves.

Introit: "Come, Let Us Adore Him"—Choir.

The Doxology—Choir and Congregation.

The Call to Worship—"Oh come, let us sing unto the Lord." Choir and Congregation.

Hymn, No. 161 "Christ the Lord is Risen To-day"

Invocation and The Lord's Prayer.

Gloria Patri.

The Responsive Reading—"The Risen Christ"—Selection, No. 42.

Violin Solo—Intermezzo "Cavalaria Rusticana" by Mascagni—Mrs. Curtiss Lawhon.

The Pastoral Prayer and Choral Response.

Offertory—Madrigale by Simonetti—Organ and Violin.

Consecration of Offering and Choral Amen.

Anthem—"He Lives Again" — Choir.

Sermon—"The Christ of the Emmaus Road"—Dr. A. C. Elliott.

Hymn, No. 160—"The Day of Resurrection"

The Benediction.

Dismissal—"May the Grace of Christ My Saviour"—Choir.

Organ Postlude — "Anthem's Victory" by Grunewald — Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves.

The Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the Church at 7:00 P. M. Yvonne Head will introduce the topic: "Challenging The Unworthy" Young people are cordially invited to join us in this hour of Pilgrim Fellowship.

The "Quiet Hour" service will be held on Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. A season for praise, prayer, meditation, with a brief address by the Pastor. Come share with us this hour of Christian fellowship and worship. It will enrich and bless you.

The Choir will meet for rehearsal at the Church on Saturday at 7:30 P. M.

Churches of Christ, Scientist
"UNREALITY" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, April 5.

The Golden Text is: "If a house be divided against itself, that house cannot stand" (Mark 3:25).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "I am the Lord thy God, which brought thee out of the land of Egypt, from the house of bondage. Thou shalt have none other gods before me. Thou shalt not bow down thyself unto them, nor serve them" (Deut. 5:6, 9).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The Israelites centred their thoughts on the material in their attempted worship of the spiritual They might appeal to Jehovah, but their prayer brought down no proof that it was heard, because they did not sufficiently understand God to be able to demonstrate His power to heal,—to make harmony the reality and discord the unreality" (p.351:27-32,11-4).

CHURCH OF CHRIST
O. E. Moss, Minister

Edward J. Craddock of Nashville Tenn., will be the evangelist during a series of Gospel Meetings beginning Sunday April 5th. Subjects brother Craddock will discuss are as follows:

Sunday 10:45 A. M. "Worship and Conquer"

Sunday 8:00 P. M. "The Unpardonable Sin—What?"

Monday 8:30 P. M. "Will God Destroy Hitler?"

Tuesday: When is a Man Saved?

Wednesday: "When and Where was the Church Established?"

Thursday: "Six Baptisms"

Friday: A Special service for young people, "Do Children Bare the Sins of the Parents?"

Saturday: Was the Thief Saved?

Sunday Bible Study Classes will meet at 10:00 A. M.

Brother Craddock is one of the most outstanding young evangelists among Churches of Christ. He has preached for churches in the United States and Canada with marked success. You owe it to yourself to hear this forceful and pleasing speaker on Bible themes.

Please note that evening services on Sunday begin at 8:00, thru the week at 8:30.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Rev. W. D. Croft, Pastor

Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.

Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.

Young People's Society, 6:45 p. m.

Evening service, 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

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Folks You Know . .

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Silbey spent last week in Miami with friends, returning home on Sunday. They were joined on Thursday for the week end by Mrs. Silbey's mother, Mrs. Charlotte Hagler and Mrs. C. E. Lanier. Mrs. Lanier was the house guest of Miss Dora Sewell.

Mrs. Chas Kempton and young daughter, Mikel, and twin sons, Bryan and Wayne of Key West arrived last week end to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sherertz, and Mr. Kempton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kempton.

Mrs. W. S. Rawlings and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Foster and small daughter, Betty Clair spent several days this week in Fort Benning, Ga., where they visited Lt. Lusby Rawlings, who is being transferred from there to another point.

Miss Jennie Gribble will spend Sunday in DeSoto City, where she will attend a meeting of the Spanish Veterans and Auxiliary. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ottie Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Worden, and son and daughter, Harold and Elaine, accompanied by Mrs. J. A. Johnson and daughter, Leila spent Sunday afternoon in Winter Haven.

C. W. Fabor left Sunday for Ft. Myers, where he will be superintendent of the building of several coast guard stations in that vicinity. He will be associated with the Paul Smith Construction company.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Peeples and daughter, Jackie returned to their home in Bradenton Sunday, after visiting Mrs. Peeples' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Delaney, Mrs. Peeples and Jackie have been here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bovard, who have spent the season at their home on Verona ave., will return next week to their home in Tarentum, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Vickery of Umatilla are spending the week end with Mr. Vickery's mother, Mrs. H. A. Vickery at her home at Highlands Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McGregor and two children, Honey and Dee-Dee, who have been enjoying a vacation at Lake Byrd Lodge, will return Sunday to their home in Pittsburgh.

Felton Causy arrived Thursday afternoon from Miami to spend the Easter holidays with his mother, Mrs. Adele Causey.

Lafty Brown and children, Josephine, Bunny and Kitty Lou Brown of Lakeland visited friends here last Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. F. Kenney will leave Monday for Washington D. C., where she will be the guest of Miss Lorraine Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Amos and Mrs. Ernest Lowe returned Sunday from Lincoln, Neb., where they have been for several days.

Miss Mary Lydia Stebbins of Lake Placid spent the week end here at her home.

Miss Louise Etheridge was the attractive week end guest of Miss Iva Phillips.

Hill Lambert, Miss Ernestine Cross and L. M. Shackelford of Wauchula were the guests Friday evening of Miss Louise Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Trent of Jacksonville spent the week end here with friends.

Miss Dot Hughs, senior at Florida Woman's College, Tallahassee, is spending the Easter holidays at her home.

Miss Helen Jarrett is spending the week end in Lakeland, as the guest of Miss Josephine Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Raab spent last week end in Orlando, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson.

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TEA SATURDAY AFTERNOON

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Auxiliary Met at At McKnight Home

St. Margaret's Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. George Scott McKnight on Wednesday afternoon, at which time plans were made for an Easter breakfast to be held at the parish house Sunday morning, immediately following the 8 o'clock communion. Church members planning on attending are requested to notify Mrs. Demos Mandis, it was announced.

The church Easter party will be held Monday afternoon, April 6 at 4 o'clock at the parish house, members were told.

It was announced that the Altar Guild will hold a silver tea on Wednesday afternoon, April 8 at the home of Mrs. Demos Mandis from 4 'till 6 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend this affair.

Following the meeting, the hostess served dainty refreshments to those attending the meeting who were Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. E. O. Knight, Miss Olive Knight, Mrs. Harriet Ottley, Mrs. W. A. Roberts, Mrs. Norton Smith, Mrs. F. A. Truan, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. E. D. Pitney, Mrs. R. H. Jordan, Mrs. Demos Mandis, Mrs. James Hearn, Miss Marjorie McKnight, Mrs. Chas F. Kenney, and Fr. R. I. Brown.

Two Are Honored at Birthday Dinner

Miss Allie Lee Belin and Mrs. R. A. Gerrard shared honors at a lovely dinner party Monday evening, given by a number of their friends, at the home of Mrs. C. H. Gerrard. The centerpiece for the table was a colorful arrangement of petunias, orange blossoms and lilies, with crystal candlesticks holding lighted green tapers, on either side. Asparagus fern marked the center length of the table.

"Happy Birthday" was sung to the two honorees, led by Saul Cutler and his guitar. Games, contests and music formed the enjoyable entertainment for the evening.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bridges, Mrs. Frank England, Mrs. C. H. Gerrard, Mrs. Claire Mann, Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood, Miss Allie Lee Belin, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, Ralph Gerrard, Carolyn Holland, Barbara Jean Bridges, Retha Mixon, Mrs. Mattie Lee Hagan, Mrs. Gale Farr, Charles Colbert, George Harrison, Lawrence Clubb, Saul Cutler, Jimmy Ford, Clifford Knowles, Charles Hurray, Charles Snyder, George Leffingwell, Buddy Guynne, Wilford Cohar, and Daniel T. Roller.

PTA POSTPONED

The P. T. A. has been postponed from next week to Thursday afternoon, April 16, due to a teacher's meeting in Tampa on the original date. Members are asked to note the change in date.

Miss Jennie Gribble, worthy matron of Leigh chapter, No. 86, Order of the Eastern Star, will leave Monday for Miami to attend Grand Chapter. The sessions will be held at the Civic Center, and will continue through Saturday. Other members of Leigh chapter, who also plan on attending Grand Chapter are Mrs. W. J. Prevatt, Mrs. Chas. Clements, and Mrs. H. W. Reddick.

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Mary L. Stebbins and Earl Bozeman To Be Married

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert A. Stebbins announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Lydia to Earl Franklin Bozeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bozeman of Lake Placid.

The wedding will take place Wednesday evening, April 22 at 9 o'clock at the First Baptist church. No invitations are being issued, but all friends of the families are invited to attend.

Miss Stebbins was born and reared in Avon Park, and received her early education in the schools here, after which she attended Southern college in Lakeland. She is now employed in the office of the Lake Placid Land company.

Mr. Bozeman was educated in the schools of Lake Placid, and is also connected with the same company, in Lake Placid, where the couple will make their home.

Mrs. Cloud Hostess at Dessert Bridge

Mrs. Virginia Cloud entertained members of the Sans Souci club, and a few additional guests, at a lovely party on Tuesday evening. A delicious dessert course, consisting of congealed fruit salad, hot rolls and coffee, was served in the cadet room, soon after the arrival of the guests. Places were designated by tally place cards, in a dainty spring flower design. The Easter motif was cleverly accented in the miniature yellow baskets filled with tasty salted nuts and Easter candies, which served as favors.

Bright flowers, in a blend of soft spring shades, were used to advantage to decorate the Customer's Room of the Florida Public Service company, where the tables were arranged for bridge. High and second high score prizes, when scores were totaled, were given to Miss Iva Phillips and Miss Janet Cook. They each received Defense Stamps for their skill. The high guest award, a Victory pin, was won by Mrs. H. C. Worden.

Those enjoying the party were Mrs. Philip Boardman, Mrs. Freed Peden, Miss Sarah Browning, Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Miss Elizabeth Green, Mrs. John Bunting, Miss Alma Hassell, Miss Julia Norfleet, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Miss Iva Phillips, Miss Mildred Myers, Miss Janet Cook, Mrs. H. C. Worden, and Miss Edna Tallman.

Choir Entertains Tuesday Evening

The Adult Choir of the First Baptist Church entertained the Young People's Choir at a delightful weiner and marshmallow roast, on the shore of Lake Verona Tuesday evening. The group met, at the church, after rehearsal, and heard an inspirational talk by S. F. Longbottom, in which he stressed the value of membership in the choir. E. L. Roberts, director, gave the response.

Weiners and marshmallows were roasted over an open grill, and served with rolls, cole slaw, and fruit juice.

Those enjoying the evening were S. F. Longbottom, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Rev. J. P. Dalton, Mrs. L. D. McGiboney, Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. E. C. Wever, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Noland, Mrs. M. M. Foster, Mrs. Harry Walker, Sammy Longbottom, Paul and Patti Rounds, Lena Mae Perry, Ruby Pate, Dorothy Lawhon, Dorothy Walker, Winifred Demorest, Malcolm Crews, Ruth Pendleton, Betty Touchton, Chandler Wingfield, Winifred Archer, Willa McGiboney, Ophelia Dean, Fred Foster, Margaret Smith, Junior Englemann, and Louise Bishop.

Mrs. John Proudfit of Miami is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bost.

Mrs. R. I. Brown returned home Thursday from a visit with friends in Tampa.

To The Voters of Highlands County

There will be a demand for the increasing of taxes at the next Legislature. If you consider that I am qualified to serve you as your lawmaker in Tallahassee and that I am sincere when I say that I will do everything I can to keep the tax burden from increasing and will support measures that will be for the good of all the people, I will appreciate your support and vote in the May 5th election.

HOWARD LIVINGSTON

Junior-Senior Banquet Friday

Highlighting social affairs of the spring season, was the annual junior-senior banquet, which was held Friday evening at the Jacaranda hotel. A nautical theme of deep sea blue and white was cleverly accented in the beautifully appointed banquet table, and floral decorations placed at advantageous points about the room. Blue anchors on the walls, and blue and white life savers on the tall columns in the center lent additional emphasis to the chosen theme.

The long table, where speakers for the evening were seated, was centered with a replica in detail of the Mayflower, with bowls of mixed blossoms on either side. Sprays of fern asparagus dotted with blue and white lupin and tiny pink carnations were interspersed the length of the table, and formed a colorful contrast against the white damask cloth. Small arrangements of spring blossoms combined with babybreath, were fashioned into colorful nosegays to adorn the center of the smaller tables.

Places for the guests were designated by blue mint baskets, with a miniature silver anchor design on the side, and the name card held in place by a silvered fish sticker, attached to the container by a narrow white ribbon. Blue and white "poppers" at each place were complete with silver nautical insignia and blue and silver fringe at either end, from which was pulled a blue crepe paper cap, and one's fortune. Over the entire group, a huge array of balloons, were suspended from the ceiling to complete an enchanting decorative note. Later in the evening when dancing was enjoyed, the balloons were released, and formed a beautiful blend of colors as they floated down over the dancers, vieing in brilliance with the many lovely pastel shaded formal evening gowns worn by the sub-debs in attendance.

In keeping with the chosen blue and white nautical theme, the menu, termed as "chow"; the program; and an additional space for autographs were presented in an attractive little program booklet at each guest's place.

The delectable "chow" consisted of:

Roast Turkey A La Gob
Dressing Cranberry Sauce
Aquamarine Peas
Torpedoed Spuds
Seaweed Salad
Frozen Sea Foam
Hot (we hope) Rolls
Java

The program given during the evening was:

Invocation—Admiral Bailey
God Bless America—All Old Salts
Welcome—Skipper Skipper
Sea Chantey—Nellie Schweigart
Toast to Seniors—Bert Delaney
Response—Long John Roberts
Toast to the Faculty—Midshipman Hood
Response—Capt. Mummau
Song—Mrs. R. J. Wood.
A Short Voyage—Commander Reeves
Vocal Solo "Asleep" in the Deep, E. L. Roberts
Toast to Sophomores—Popeye Heim
Response—Ollie Demorest
Toast to the Freshman—Torchy Fields
Response—Gob Gregory
"Over the Seas"—All Old Salts

The success of the delightful affair was attributed, in a large part, to the very efficient banquet committee composed of Willa McGiboney, Billie Heim, Mary Clements, Leon Delaney, class sponsor James A. Davis and Mrs. Davis, and several others who ably assisted in all the arrangements.

Those who attended were: Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Freed Peden, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wood, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Janet Cook, Miss Sarah Browning, H. J. Mummau, Miss Rosalie Clausson, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Shockley, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rowe.

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Mrs. Vickery Is Bridge Hostess

Mrs. H. A. Vickery was a cordial hostess to members of her club at a lovely dessert bridge at her home at Highland Lakes on Thursday. Garden flowers, in pastel shades, enhanced the beauty of the spacious living room.

A tempting dessert course, consisting of a delectable salad, small cakes, crackers and coffee was served before the games. High guest score award, in the bridge games that followed, was won by Mrs. E. P. Loomis, who received a dainty fingertip towel.

Club members and additional guests enjoying the party were Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. S. V. Hunnings, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. George E. Symonds, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. Eleanor Hoene, Mrs. C. B. Bethune, Mrs. E. P. Loomis, Mrs. R. H. Jordan, Mrs. S. N. Reeves, and Miss Helen Kroll.

Madge Pilcher Is Party Hostess

Miss Madge Pilcher, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Pilcher was hostess to a number of friends at a delightful party and dance at her home on Saturday evening. Dancing was enjoyed on the terrace, which was gayly illuminated with colored lights. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake, and iced orange juice were served.

Friends invited to share the occasion with Madge were Winifred Hood, Margaret Dilley, Polly Thomas, Ruby Pate, Bobby Keller, Leon Delaney, Billie Heim, Jimmie Hetherington, Jack Head, Charles Smith, James Perdue, Arthur Crews, and Billy Van Sickler of Sebring.

Easter Egg Hunt Thursday Afternoon

Mrs. T. H. Maxwell and Mrs. James A. Davis, room mothers of Mrs. C. E. Myers first grade, entertained the group at an enjoyable Easter egg hunt at the Maxwell home on Thursday afternoon. The most delightful feature of the affair was the search for the brightly colored eggs, which were hidden on the lawn.

Songs were sung and games played as additional means of entertainment. Later, delicious refreshments of assorted decorated Easter cup cakes and orange juice were served. Favors for each child were small Easter baskets filled with candy eggs. Prizes were awarded to Margaret Bryant and Alvin Sapp for finding the most eggs.

Dinner Party Thursday Evening

Dr. and Mrs. George Scott McKnight entertained at a delightfully informal dinner party at their home on Thursday evening. A three course dinner was served from the beautifully appointed table, which had for a centerpiece, a bowl of exquisite spring blossoms.

Bridge was enjoyed during the evening, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross McGregor, who scored high, were awarded a double deck of cards.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Ross McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Symonds, Mr. and Mrs. James Hearn, Miss Marjorie McKnight, and Dr. and Mrs. McKnight.

Dinner on Sunday Honors Birthday

Mrs. M. L. Rogers and Mrs. J. O. Bridges entertained at the home of the former, on Sunday at a birthday dinner, honoring Mrs. R. A. Gerrard. Phlox, in pastel shades, decorated the dining table, as an effective centerpiece. The menu consisted of fried chicken, and all the trimmings.

Covers were laid for Mrs. Gerrard, Mrs. C. H. Gerrard, Ralph Gerrard, Carolyn Holland, Mrs. Mattie Lee Hagan, Retha Mixon, Edith Hagan, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bridges, Barbara Jean Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rogers, and Jack Rogers.

Plants Wanted For Armory

The donation of shrubbery, palms of all kinds, including the yuccar variety, poinsettias, and annuals are requested by the Garden club for planting at the Armory. The soldiers are anxious to beautify the grounds there, and will set out and care for the plants. Mrs. J. A. Johnson, chairman of the Garden club, suggests jasmine, plumbago, sirinum cherries, and similar plants for use as a hedge. Anyone who will donate these plants is requested to call Mrs. Johnson, phone 6W, Mrs. Jack Head, phone 144, or Mrs. P. L. Rumpsa, phone 111., and inform them of what plants they wish to donate. This procedure is urged in order that a general plan for landscaping the grounds may be mapped out, and planting may be outlined accordingly.

Choir Practice Is Enjoyable Affair

Miss Willa McGiboney, leader of the Sunshine Choir of the First Baptist Church, entertained the group at a delightful all-day picnic last Saturday. It was orginally planned to have the affair at Lake Byrd, but due to the inclement weather, the group gathered at the church for picnic dinner. During the afternoon bicycle riding proved an enjoyable feature. Miss Betty Touchton assisted in entertaining.

Choir members and friends present included Lynn Longbottom, Margaret Lawhon, Jeanie Crews, Barbara Lawhon, Lou Jean Crum, Peggy Martin, Pat Crum, Lillie Mae Collins, Freddie Montsdeoca, E. C. Wever, Virgil Martin, Johnnie Garber, and Billy Collins.

IN APPRECIATION

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Murray, beloved couple of Avon Park, who celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Tuesday, March 31, wish to extend their deep and sincere appreciation to their many friends who remembered them so kindly on this auspicious occasion. They received scores of cards, all with beautiful sentiments, and as each tender greeting was read, the couple felt indeed grateful for the kind friends who sent them. Showers of good wishes and congratulations were heaped upon them from friends here and in other states, and many friends "dropped in" during the day to deliver personal messages of love and greetings. Relatives in Washington, D. C., and other points remembered the couple with lovely gifts, including those from "the children," which were augmented with an array of exquisite floral arrangements from nearby friends. The First Methodist church sent a bouquet of mixed blossoms intermingled with foliage, as a tribute of esteem for a couple, who, while they have retained their membership in another state, have affiliated with the church here, and have been loyal in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray have lived in Avon Park for the past twenty years. They own their home here, and have rental property and grove interests. Each summer they go back to Washington, D. C., for several months, but with the first signs of fall, they wend their way back to Florida with their ultimate goal as Avon Park, where their many friends always rejoice at their return.

NUTRITION
ENRICHED BREAD AND FLOUR

(By Miss Sarah Browning)

General use of enriched flour and bread, have brought in numerous inquiries about these new food products. We, who are confronted with similar questions can enlighten homemakers by explaining the needs for improvement of certain flours and breads.

It is a known fact that American people prefer white bread and flour to whole wheat, and the milling process discards some important minerals and vitamins. The vitamins are now being made commercially in the laboratory and consequently nutrition experts decided to replace certain vitamin B complexes and iron that had been lost in milling.

So now, just what is enriched flour? According to the committee's rcommendation, "enriched" flour is white or nearly white flour which has in it specified, at least two vitamin amounts of thiamin (B) and nicotimic acid, and one mineral iron. Enriched flour may also contain certain amounts of two other vitamins, riboflavin and vitamin D, and two minerals, calcium and phosphorus, but these are not required. In case some of the terms are unfamiliar it might be added that thiamin, riboflavin and nicotinic acid are all contained in the vitamin B complex.

So when you buy white bread and flour, remember to specify "enriched".

Party on Monday at Touchton Home

The W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church entertained at a lovely party and shower on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. C. Touchton, the affair being given in honor of Mrs. J. P. Dalton. A beautiful veriety of spring flowers in harmonizing tones, decorated the party rooms. A number of appropriate contests, arranged by Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, were enjoyed during the afternoon.

Two readings by Mrs. Otto Skipper, and vocal selections by Mrs. L. D. McGiboney added to the pleasure of the occasion.

Later in the afternoon, the honoree was given a shower of dainty and useful gifts, the array of packages being arranged in a pink and blue decorated bassinet, and presented by Karolyn Patterson and Clement McFarland.

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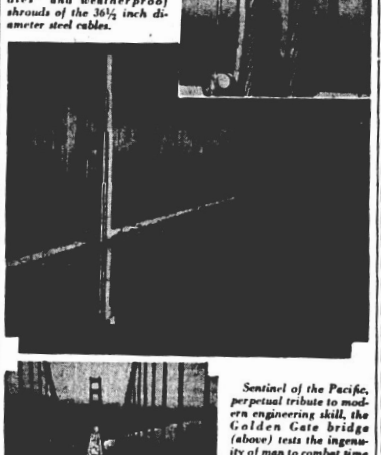



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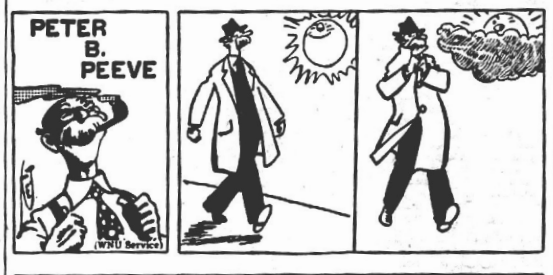







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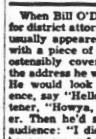

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RED RANGE

By EUGENE CUNNINGHAM

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THE STORY SO FAR: Con Cameron, an honest cowboy with no desire to shoot, is forced by circumstances to turn outlaw and join the Paramore gang, headed by one "Dud" Paramore. He had come into Wild Horse with the 20 Bar outfit and had immediately gotten into trouble with the town boss, Asa Brock, and his friends by defending another cattle man, Nevil Lowe, against Brock, Dynamite Downes and "El Muchacho." On the trail again he had met Lee Welsh and the Raniers. Welsh was killed by the Raniers, and when Con rode into Tivan, where Lowe is the new marshal, he was taken into custody as a murder and robbery suspect because of his association with the Raniers. He had thought Lowe was his friend, but public sentiment was against him, and Lowe had apparently forgotten about the Wild Horse incident. Con persuaded Lowe to wire Sam Upperman, his old trail boss, and Caramba Vear at Wild Horse, but neither man could be located. Knowing that he hadn't a chance of escaping any other way, Con broke jail with Jeff Allman and has now gone with him to join the Paramores.

Now continue with the story.



"He is outside in the darkness; he will kill you."

CHAPTER VII

Nearly a quarter-mile from San Marcos, Dud Paramore called a halt. He sent Gonzales ahead to scout the village and, while they waited, he talked to Con about the Raniers as he had been talking at the cabin. Apparently, his informers in Tivan knew all about official suspicion that Con Cameron and Comanche Linn were the same.

"Got no idee, huh, about what was on them Raniers' mind?" he asked for the tenth time. "Can't figure which way they'd head after they downed Welsh?"

"Nary idea," Con answered, a little wearily. "To hear 'em talk, you'd think nobody in the Territory stacked up ankle-high to a short snake. They are the hefty buscaderos, to hear 'em tell it. You and Ellis—just country boys."

The last he put in artfully, but maliciously. Dud's vanity was plain to be seen and it amused Con to prod him.

Gonzales came back at the gallop, a half-hour later. No officers were known to be around San Marcos, but Quill Hogan lay in one of the houses, terribly beaten by a stranger.

"Huh?" Dud cried incredulously. "Quill was whipped? Who's this done it?"

Gonzales shrugged and shook his head. He had seen the man, a big swaggerer, cock of the walk in the saloon. Turk was the name he went by. He had been in San Marcos when Quill Hogan rode in. Quill had picked a row and Turk had drawn his gun. But instead of killing Quill, Turk had merely pistol-whipped him up and down the plazita, then knocked him senseless.

"Come on!" Dud yelled to his followers.

He hooked his horse into a rocketing gallop and the others jumped their mounts after him. Into San Marcos they charged, to slide to a dust-wreathed halt before a long adobe. Dud was out of the saddle before his horse came down upon four feet, and darted through the door. Big Yager lumbered after him with Gonzales catlike at his heels. Catfish Coyle and Kinky Odom swung down more deliberately and Jeff and Con were last. So when they stepped into the long, dusky room, the others were already at the bar.

Dud stood beside a dark, beard-stubbled man who reminded Con of a gorilla, for thickness of body and length of arms. The Mexicans drinking at the pine counter gave Dud and this one room, and watched narrowly. But Dud only pushed a bottle to Turk.

Within twenty minutes the two had five drinks. Then Dud moved the bottle hospitably and when Turk's eyes went to it, Dud's right hand flashed to the white bone handle of Turk's Colt. He whipped it out, stepped quickly back and tossed it from right hand to left in legerdemain almost too fast for the eye to follow. Then, with high, shrill laugh, he stepped in again and replaced it in Turk's holster.

"Take your drink, fellow!" he drawled. "You—need it!"

He spat deliberately upon Turk's boots and turned his back. Turk's arm jerked. He drew fast and Dud turned back deliberately. Con scowled.

Then, instead of the roar he waited stiffly for, there was only a hollow click! and another as Turk recocked the Colt. It was Dud's pistol that bellowed as it snapped from the holster and flipped up. Three bullets, in all, Dud drove into the other's body. He leaned to knock the Colt from Turk's hand and slid back, head on one side, watching. Turk leaned heavily upon the bar, left hand upon the bloody front of his shirt. Then he crumpled and began to sag to the floor. Dud laughed shrilly.

"That's what always happens to folks that come a-hunting Dud Paramore! Hey, Nicolas! Take care of this beef. We have got some dancing to do, us Paramores!"

In another big house the dance was going when the Paramores came in. There were more women than men and eight or nine heavily powdered, overdressed girls looked expectantly at the newcomers and giggled.

Dud yelled shrilly. Big Yager and Catfish and Kinky and Jeff joined the wolfish chorus. They swept down, Con trailing, upon the girls. Automatically, Con selected one who seemed a little younger, less perfumed and powdered. He put out his hands to her and she smiled sidelong up at him. Then Gonzales snarled in his ear and caught the girl's sleeve.

"Es mio! She is mine! You take another—"

"You are his girl?" Con asked in halting Spanish, holding her wrist.

"I am yours, if you want me—and you can keep me!" she said.

Con whirled her deftly away from Gonzales and out among the dancers. She pressed close against him and looked wisely into his face.

Dance after dance Con kept her. Then Gonzales disappeared. He sat with her after the eighth or ninth dance, beyond the little bar. Jeff and his girl joined them for a drink and cigarette. The two girls chattered—chiefly about Gonzales' fury. Then a shabby Mexican appeared at Con's side out of the crowd. Con found his face vaguely familiar and tried to place him.

"I am your friend," the man whispered. "You gave back my money. Now, I pay: Gonzales will kill you! He is outside in the darkness. He will kill you, he has said to men at the door. So I slipped away to give you this word."

"I'll fix him!" he grunted. "I'll give him all the trouble he can pack!"

He shook his head at Jeff, who was getting up from between the two girls.

"Stay out of it," he said grimly. "This is my war."

He went with Jeff trailing across the end of the big room and to the side door. Someone muttered out there—a nervous sound. Then, from the right, away from the lounging group, there was the roar of a shot and a blast of flame. A bullet twitched Con's hair like a finger.

Automatically he drew his Colt, just as he had done a thousand times in practice. As it came level, pointing at the spot where that flame had blossomed, he let down the hammer, thumbed it back and loosed a second shot. Then he twisted inside the room.

The music stopped. The dancers cried out excitedly.

Then someone outside yelled that Gonzales was dead.

Con watched them carry Gonzales in. There was something about the sagging figure that reminded him of a dead rattler. A hand tugged at his sleeve. He turned to face Jeff —and take the tin cup Jeff held out. He lifted it and gulped down the drink, coughed and wiped his eyes.

"Thanks!" he gasped. "Well—Well, I feel better!"

"You hit him both times," Jeff said admiringly.

Dud shrugged; shook his head.

"Nothing to stop our dancing!" he cried, and Con could not tell, from his high singsong, what he really felt. "Let's go!"

Amelia took his arm and looked up at him with a kind of savage adoration. He shook his head.

"No more for tonight, querida. I will sit by the bar for a time. You go with Jeff or another."

She nodded and left him. He found himself a place in a dusky corner and watched almost without seeing while the dance continued as if Gonzales had not died. Then, about midnight, a boy came yelling for Dud and the music and stamping stopped short.

"It is Nevil Lowe and a posse!" the boy reported shrilly. "They come quietly."

Con followed Dud outside. The intermittent moonlight presently showed two men supporting a third, helping him onto a horse. This, Con learned by the talk, was the battered Quill Hogan. Dud yelled for the others.

"Come on, you nitwits! First thing you know that shooting posse'll be making red dollrags out of you-all!"

Catfish Coyle reappeared and mounted. But Big Yager and Kinky Odom were missing.

"Hightail!" Dud commanded shrilly. "Hear them horses? That's Nevil Lowe and his damn' posse! We can't wait for 'em! They'll just get us all killed. Hightail!"

"Come on, Con!" Jeff urged him. "We can't buck that many!"

Con whirled Pancho with a furious snarl, snatching at his carbine. He hooked the sorrel into a gallop and went racing to a house on the edge of San Marcos. In the pale moonlight he saw a dark mass of horsemen, not fifty yards away.

"Get back!" he yelled at them, sliding the Winchester out. "We've got you surrounded! Back, you nitwits! Back!"

As he began to shoot, holding low at the horses' legs, Jeff's voice lifted in a bellow, picking up the phrase Con had used. The mass of riders seemed fairly to blow apart as the carbine rattled. But a horse went down, and another. Scattered return shots came from the sides of the road.

"Come on," Jeff called to him. "Big and Kinky's gone!"

He spun Pancho, and together they thundered away, with other horses pounding ahead of them. Out of San Marcos they galloped, with lead whining waspishly about them but not too close. They overhauled Big Yager and Kinky Odom; passed them with an encouraging yell. But a mile of alternate darkness and moonlight had been covered before Con saw Dud, Quill Hogan, and Catfish skylined.

Jeff and Con overtook them. Dud and Catfish seemed to have better horses than any of the others—including Hogan. Or, Con thought, perhaps the beaten man was not in condition to get the most out of his mount. He lagged farther behind and made some indistinct answer when Dud yelled at him to keep up. The four spurred away from him, then became three when Catfish's horse slowed. As a trio, they slackened pace to a walk in the foothills of the Lobos and listened and let the blown animals get breath.

"Well, sir!" Dud drawled cheerfully. "Nevil Lowe, he will be a disappointed young sheriff, tonight. Who was that shooting, after we left town? Big and Kinky?"

"Like hell!" Jeff answered before Con could speak. "That was Con, stopping the posse."

"Listen!" Con grunted suddenly. "They're not so far behind right now. What do we do?"

"Why, I reckon the smart thing is to set right here and see about things," Dud answered.

They sat minute after minute, smoking, listening to the flat rattle of shots until the sound died and only the small night-noises of the hills could be heard. Dud grunted impatiently and moved his horse. Con checked him with a word.

"Wait! Somebody's coming. It might be our bunch."

"Just one horse," Jeff announced. It was Catfish and he was panting as if he, not the horse, had been running, when he came up to them. Dud called a sharp question.

"Rubbed out! Whole bunch!" Catfish answered. "That damn' Nevil Lowe! Knocked Quill out of the hull —right at my elbow. Swear I heard four slugs hit Quill's back. Then it was Big. Me and Kinky kept ahead —awhile. Lowe stopped again. Opened up. Got Kinky through the head."

"We'll make that son pay for it, boy!" Dud assured him fiercely. "Don't you never think we won't make Nevil Lowe remember tonight. Come on, now! No use crying about it."

They rode in silence by twisting trails to the cabin. Nobody was in talking mood when they reached the place. They rolled into their blankets, but Catfish took his to the point used as lookout. He said that he was not sleepy; he would stand guard.

They were up early, with the grim events of the night very heavy upon them all. Dud alone was cheerful—or pretended to be. He looked at them and swore that they were the sourest set of cowboys he had ever put eyes upon. From some hiding place he produced a jug of whisky and uncorked it.

The liquor brought no lightening of Con's disgust with this company. Instead, he thought of the misfortune which had put him here, as if in a trap.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Speaking of Sports

By Pat McShane

LARRY MacPHAIL, that charming citizen from Brooklyn, declares that in his considered opinion the Brooklyn Dodgers will repeat their National league victory of last year.

Neither MacPhail, president of the Dodgers, nor Manager Leo (The Lip) Durocher, can see how the Cardinals and Reds, their main competition, have improved over 1941. It is true that the Giants also have been mentioned in some quarters as a greatly improved ball club, but Brooklyn disregards this vague, unsubstantiated rumor.

MacPhail shyly admits that the Dodgers have improved in two ways —both of major importance. First, he says, the team is in the best possible physical condition. Every player has taken full advantage of the annual spring tune-up. Second, the team's spirit has soared to a new high. The latter improvement, according to President MacPhail, is the result of the drive down the stretch last fall. In an oratorical flight he stated that the pennant race gave the Dodgers a "new baseball soul. It brought them together. They are now all for one and one for all."

He admits that the Cardinals and the Reds won't be a soft touch, but figures they won't score enough runs to threaten the Dodgers. He called attention to the Cardinal infield and pointed out that Johnny Hopp's hitting dwindled to almost nothing at the end of last year. He also shrugged off Lon Warneke's pitching.

In fact, Larry has several criticisms to offer regarding the other clubs of the senior circuit. Most of them, sadly enough, have a basis in fact. The Giants haven't a great deal of pitching strength, as he points out. Nevertheless, quite a few of the experts have picked Mel Ott's boys either to finish fourth in the first division or to crowd out Dodgers, Cardinals or Reds from the 1-2-3 spots which have been tentatively assigned to them.



LARRY MacPHAIL

The Cubs are likely to show considerable improvement with better pitching and a more seasoned infield. Their hitting is the big question mark. Should Lou Novikoff come through, the Cubs may prove extremely dangerous before the season ends. MacPhail pointed out that Lou will have to smash quite a number of fences to make up for his weaknesses in other ways. "And," he remembered happily, "he wrecked very few fences last year in the National league."

MacPhail's purchase of Catcher Billy Sullivan from the Detroit Tigers did much to strengthen the boys from Brooklyn. In addition to being a good catcher and a good left-handed hitter, Sullivan is a competent third baseman and first baseman. Actually Sullivan's addition gives Brooklyn emergency strength at four positions, behind the plate and at first, short and third. Should anything happen to Pee Wee Reese, the shortstop, it would not be difficult to shift Arky Vaughn to Reese's post and use Sullivan as the third baseman.

Sullivan, who was 32 last October, has been in organized baseball since 1931. He went to the White Sox as a third baseman right out of college. He batted .275 his first year. In 93 games at first and third in 1932 he hit .317. He had a bad year in 1933 and was sent to Milwaukee. He went to the Reds in 1935 and was sold to the Indians in 1936, when he had his best season, batting .351.

Micky Owen will handle the regular receiving chores, of course, but Durocher doesn't want him to catch as many as 128 games again this year. Owen was tired out at the end of last season.

Another league victory for Flatbush would please a few million fans. More than any other team, the Dodgers have been adopted by the nation. A scrappy, colorful ball club, they won the hard way in 1941. MacPhail is optimistic about the present season—and with cause. The Dodgers have as much speed as any team in the league—and their striking power is second to none.

The Dodgers will be strong both offensively and defensively, and they are keen to get at least one more crack at the American league champs.

ASK ME ANOTHER?

A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

The Questions

1. What color is the bottom stripe of the American flag? And the top?
2. According to the 1940 census, what percentage of the U. S. population lives in urban centers?
3. A frugivorous man subsists on what?
4. While France spent $250,000 on the construction of the Statue of Liberty, how much did the United States spend on its erection?
5. A man who works per diem, does so by what?
6. What is the singular of "dice"?
7. What is meant by the astronomical term Penumbra?
8. In what year was the Dominion of Canada established?

The Answers

1. Red on top and bottom.
2. A total of 56.5 per cent.
3. Fruit.
4. The United States spent $350,000 on the pedestal and erection of the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor.
5. By the day.
6. Die.
7. Partial shadow.
8. 1867.

More Raleigh Jingles

Raleigh Cigarettes are again offering liberal prizes in a big jingle contest to be run in this paper. One hundred and thirty-three prizes will be awarded each week.—Adv.

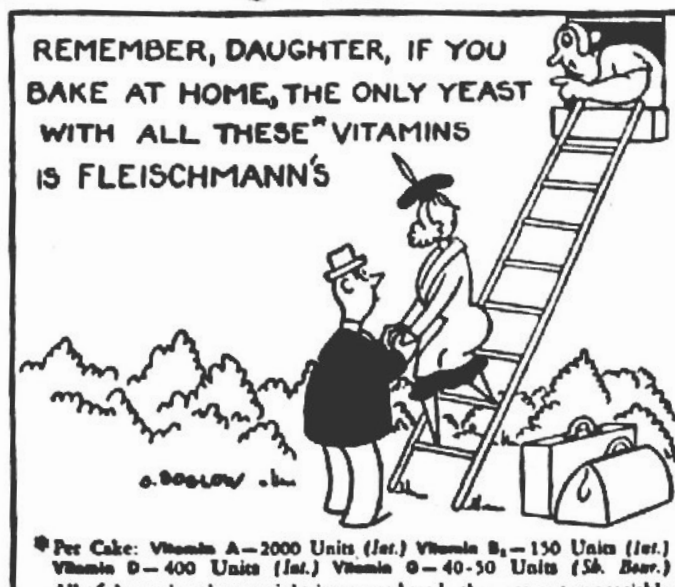
• Is Your Daughter Popular? •

Maybe she needs something to really bring out her charm. She can't be attractive if she's pale, underweight and scrawny. Encourage her appetite with Vitamin B1 and Iron, in VINOL. Your druggist has this pleasant-tasting tonic.

•.......VINOL.......•

Do You Like Jingle Contests?

Raleigh Cigarettes are now running another series of weekly contests for those who can supply the best last line to a jingle. Over 100 liberal prizes each week. Watch this paper for details.—Adv.



* Per Cake: Vitamin A—2000 Units (Int.) Vitamin B1—150 Units (Int.) Vitamin D—400 Units (Int.) Vitamin G—40-50 Units (Sh. Bour.)
All of these vitamins go right into your bread; they are not appreciably lost in the oven. Ask for Fleischmann's Fresh Yeast—with the yellow label.

SAVE A DIME A CARTON!

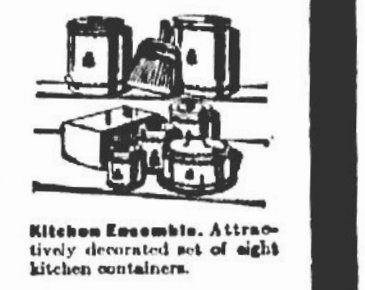


THE BEST BUY in popular-priced cigarettes today is a carton of Raleighs. You get a valuable coupon on every pack, good in the U. S. A. for ¾¢ in cash, or even more in luxury premiums of every sort. Get Raleighs by the carton and you get ten coupons—plus the two extra in each carton of Raleighs cork-tipped, or four extra with Raleighs plain. That makes a total coupon saving of 9¢ or 10½¢ a carton! Try Raleighs today—a better-tasting smoke plus . . . a dividend!

Raleigh coupons give you cash or luxury gifts like these . . .



Remington Double-Header for non-irritating shaves. 115-v. AC. De luxe leather case.



Kitchen Ensemble. Attractively decorated set of eight kitchen containers.



Coffee Table with inlaid top of beautifully matched walnut and mahogany.



$1.00 Defense Savings Stamps may now be obtained through Brown & Williamson. Send 133 Raleigh coupons for each dollar stamp. Defense Stamp Album, shown above, free on request.



Walnut Serving Tray with colorful inlay. 13¼" x 19". Beverage-proof. Very practical.

B & W coupons also packed with Kool Cigarettes. Write for premium catalog.

$500 THIS WEEK IN PRIZES
WRITE A LAST LINE TO THIS JINGLE

"Sailor Smith and Private Barton
Always buy the Raleigh carton.
Extra coupons in each one
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HERE'S WHAT YOU DO

It's simple. It's fun. Just think up a last line to this jingle. Make sure it rhymes with the word "one."

Write your last line of the jingle on the reverse side of a Raleigh package wrapper (or a facsimile thereof), sign it with your full name and address, and mail it to Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corp., P. O. Box 1799, Louisville, Kentucky, postmarked not later than midnight, April, 11, 1942.

You may enter as many last lines as you wish if they are all written on separate Raleigh package wrappers (or facsimiles).

Prizes will be awarded on the originality and aptness of the line you write. Judges' decisions must be accepted as final. In case of ties, duplicate prizes will be awarded. Winners will be notified by mail.

Anyone may enter (except employees of Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corp., their advertising agents, or their families). All entries and ideas therein become the property of Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corporation.

HERE'S WHAT YOU WIN

You have 133 chances to win. If you send in more than one entry, your chances of winning will be that much better. Don't delay. Start thinking right now.

First prize . . .	$100.00 cash
Second prize . . .	50.00 cash
Third prize . . .	25.00 cash
5 prizes of $10.00 .	50.00 cash
25 prizes of $5.00 .	125.00 cash
100 prizes of a carton of Raleighs . . .	150.00
133 PRIZES	$500.00

Next time get the pack with the coupon on the back...

RALEIGH CIGARETTES

TUNE IN RED SKELTON AND OZZIE NELSON EVERY TUESDAY NIGHT, NBC RED NETWORK

Highlands County Crop Spoilage Can Be Halved

Prevention of waste in food distribution will be a vital factor in the effort of Highlands county's 1,084 farm operators and workers to achieve their wartime food production goals, it was indicated today in a survey by a leading distributor of Florida farm produce.

At least half of the estimated $21,000,000 annually lost from spoilage and damage to Florida fruits and vegetables alone can be prevented by the use of better grading, packing and by better and more direct distribution methods, Earl R. French, marketing director for Atlantic Commission Company, A&P produce buying affiliate, declared in the survey's summary. He indicated that further savings could be realized from improved handling of other Florida farm products.

"If Highlands county farmers, working with distributors, cut by half the average 10 to 12 per cent of fruit and vegetable shipments lost through damage and spoilage, they will have achieved the equivalent of a 5 to 6 per cent increase in production without any extra acreage, seed, fertilizer, equipment or farm labor," French said.

"Under wartime conditions, use of efficient production methods and efficient distribution channels such as those developed by chain stores is becoming increasingly important," he continued. "For example, Highlands county's 447 farm family workers will find their job of increasing production made more difficult because of the shrinking farm labor supply, rising farm wages and limited availability of farm machinery and supplies.

"The latest census counted 637 regular hired hands in the county. Since that count was made, farm labor has decreased as much as 40% in certain areas and up to 25% in some Florida districts," French said.

But despite future labor curtailments, he said, past performance indicates the farmer can approach food production goals. In ten years, covered by recent government reports, the farmer had increased his productive efficiency by 25.2 per cent. The average farmer, the survey revealed, fed 11.7 persons in 1929 and ten years later was feeding 14.1 persons from his fields.

May Use Barge Canal To Transport Oil

Miami, April 2 (FNS)—Senator Ernest R. Graham, representing Miami at the nation's capital, reported last week that Petroleum Co-ordinator Harold L. Ickes has reacted favorably to the proposal to utilize the Ft. Myres-Stuart Canal and the intercoastal waterway for oil transportation.

Graham said conferences on the subject were continuing and pointed out that the use of this route would afford protection for petroleum shipments from Gulf points to the eastern seaboard for tankers that now risk being torpedoed in open waters.

Ben Herr of West Palm Beach, engineer for the Okeechobee flood control district, whose area the Ft. Myers-Sturart Canal traverses, will join Graham with full data for presentation to proper authorities.

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"DUMBO"
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Big Musical Cast

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THEY DIED WITH THEIR BOOTS ON
FOX NEWS

WIT-LESS HUMOR

(By GUM)

Bees, bees, bees? Our little darlings are flitting from flower to flower, extracting the elixir of sweet nothings from each buzzing cadet as he flutters through the door on the wings of synthetic love. My! Ain't love grand! Our little darlings in their flitting to and fro carry their stingers concealed but ready for instant use, and do they use them on each other!

A situation more rare than a peep at St. Pete in shorts unfolded the other A. M. One of the cute little honeys had backed a willing but blind cadet into the poverbial corner. He was just about to get the "stinger" put on him for one steak supper at the Columbia in Tampa when another cute "bomber" eased to an "on point" stop with landing gear well displayed. In the resulting melee the flash of daring stingers (well camouflaged with darling—honey—dear, etc. — most sweetly spoken) was so rapid that a thousand sabers thrown in the morning sun could not have been more irridescent. Our handsome hero with the cow-lick tuft of hair, calf eyes in anguish, saw his chances and by crawling under two chairs, managed to make his escape.

Late reports have it that he is now considered somewhat of an international hero. Any cadet who can survive two Blitz's at the same time, has to be good! He may run for Congress but more than likely will run for the nearest tree! The dog!

Speaking of the zero hour, it is rapidly approaching little bees! Orange blossoms will soon be gone, and all my sleuthing fails to indicate a single scalp hanging on Mama's back yard fence! The moon is full—the weather just right for snuggling in the buggy — a new armful of recruits are available for slaughter, and can they fly while on the ground! An easy dozen were practicing "take-offs" last Sunday right in front of the barracks. The "show-offs"! Of course, the upper class had to help a little on the turns and to keep their tail pieces from dragging!

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Marshseedless Crop Hits Better Market Commission States

Lakeland, Fla., April 2 (Special) —With declining supplies of grapefruit from other producing areas, amounting to about a 20% reduction from supplies available a week ago, plus a sharp reduction in the amount of available Florida Duncan seeded grapefruit—shipments of Florida Marshseedless grape fruit are now reaching the market in increasing daily volume.

The Florida Citrus Commission points out that many people prefer "seedless" grapefruit to the seeded varieties, and states that this is a consuming market made-to-order for Florida Marshseedless. The Commission's advertising and sales promotion plans call for special emphasis on the "seedless" angle during the Marshseedless shipping season.

The Commission further states that favorable growing conditions have combined to make this season's crop one of excellent quality, with high juice content and fine-textured meat; fruit that should find excellent public favor from the start. Initial sales reports bear out the Commission's thinking.

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Coral Gables Civic Club Saves Rubber

Coral Gables, April 2 (FNS)—Pledged to cooperate fully in the national "rubber conservation program," 25 members of the Coral Gables Kiwanis Club who attended last week's luncheon at the Coral Gables Country Club, left their automobiles at home and turned to bicycles and horses for transportation.

As most of the boys were "out of breath" on arrival, speeches were short and the program director pointed to this as an added benefit.

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

Notice is hereby given, that J. S. Di Giorgio Winter Haven, Florida holder of Tax Certificate No. 53, 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 following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lot 3 Block 1 Section 13 Twp. 33 S Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Sam Howell Jr.

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 May 1942, which is the 4th day of May, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of April, 1942.
H. T. PIETY
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
April 4, 11, 18, 25.

Florida Food Prices Lower Than Elsewhere

Tallahassee, April 2 (SDC Special)—Although retail food prices have advanced 19 percent during the past year and now 25 percent above pre-war levies, the Florida average still shows a decided saving for the buyer as compared to the national average.

E. J. Keefe, state chairman of the food division of the state defense council, reveals this favorable condition through the latest figures from the United States Department of Labor. Florida prices on most foods are from a fraction of a cent to four cents a pound lower than the national average.

The Florida housewife still has the best of it, according to Keefe. She buys her fresh fruits and vegetables (with the exception of spinach), her canned goods and her meats at prices considerably under those the rest of the country is paying. Butter, cheese and oleomargarine are cheaper, but flour and baked goods are a trifle higher on account of Florida's distance from the milling centers. Eggs are 20 percent cheaper in Florida, retailing here for an average of 34.5 cents a dozen while the national average is 42.2 cents.

So the cost of a good old fashioned, home-cooked beef-steak dinner, starting with a grapefruit cocktail and polished off with apple pie costs a family of four ten percent less in Florida than elsewhere.

A saving of 19 cents on a meal for four may not be anything startling, said Keefe, but a 10 percent saving on a year's food supply, multiplied by all the families in Florida should buy a lot of United States defense bonds.

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High School Music Festival In Tampa

Tampa, April 2 (FNS)—Tampa will again play host to young musicians of the state when the Annual High School Music Festival is staged here, April 16, 17, 18.

"Despite transportation difficulties," said John G. Pollard, director of the event, "all indications point to a well attended and successful festival this year."

Schools already entered include Robert E. Lee of Jacksonville, Leon of Tallahassee, Summerlin of Bartow, Hillsborough, Thomas Jefferson and Plant of Tampa, and Senior High Schools of Clearwater, Moore Haven, Manatee, Lake Alfred, Plant City and Sanford, while additional entries are being received daily.

"Music is recognized as a dominate force in the maintenance of national morale," said Pollard, "and the federal and state governments are doing all they can to encourage its promotion, particularly with the youth."

Tampans look forward to the entertainment of the state's music minded youngsters each year and arrangements for housing and entertainment are complete for the coming event.

Nobel Cain and William Powell Twadell, two outstanding musicians, have been engaged to judge the contests and assist in directing the event.

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Planning Industry Safety Program

Tampa, April 2 (FNS)— Recognizing the need for trained safety men in industry, the United States Department of Labor has created the "National Committee for Conservation of Manpower in War Industries," for the purpose of training in safety at no cost to management or employee.

A preliminary survey to determine the need of industrial safety training courses in this area was made recently by Hon. Judge John D. Petree, regional representative, and James M. Cobb, regional safety consultant, of Montgomery, Ala.

It was definitely decided that there is need for such training in this state and the University of Tampa, Tampa, and University of Florida, Gainesville, were designated as training centers.

Lawrence B. Tipton, National Safety Supervisor, will meet with industrial leaders in Tampa this week to outline the program.

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

Notice is hereby given, that Mrs. R. Richardson, Tampa, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 188, issued the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1941, 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 16, Block 4, Section 23, Twp. 33 S., Range 28 E.

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 on the first Monday in the month of May, 1942, which is the 4th day of May, 1942.

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1942.
(SEAL) H. T. PIETY
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
April 4, 11, 18, 25

Easter Services at Episcopal Church

Easter 1942
Holy Communion, 8:00 A. M.
Parish Breakfast, 9:00 A. M.
Choral Eucharist, 11:00 A. M.

The following music will be sung at this service:

Processional Hymn — Welcome Happy Morning.

Introit—Alleluia. The Strife is Oer.

Kyrie Eleison,—Loveday.

Gradual Hymn — Christ Our Passover is Sacrificed For Us.

Anthem — Hallelujah, Christ is Risen—Caleb Simper.

Hymn—Jesus Christ is Risen Today.

Sursum Corda, Sanctus, and Agnus Dei Loveday.

Hymn—Jesus, Thou Joy Of Loving Hearts.

Gloria in Excelsis—Loveday.

Sevenfold Amen—Stainer.

Recessional Hymn — Come Ye Faithful—Sullivan.

The Church School Easter Party will be held on Monday afternoon at 4:00 P. M. at the Parish House.

Richard I. Brown, vicar.

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Sale Defense Bonds In State Very Fine

Jacksonville, April 2 (FNS)—Reporting on results achieved in the sale of Defense Bonds and Stamps in Florida, deputy administrator Karl Lehmann revealed this week that up to Feb. 28 more than $42,000,000 worth of bonds and stamps had been purchased by Floridians, an average of over $1,-000,000 a week for ten months.

Florida had led all other Southern states in volume of sales up to December and was eighth in the United States in per capita volume of sales from May 1, '41 to February 28, '42.

Scattering reports on March sales indicate they have run in excess of $5,000,000.

State administrator John L. Fahs expressed himself as very gratified with results so far and stated that every effort would be made to see that Florida held an enviable position as a leading state in this national effort.

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Marineland Press Relations Officer Joins Naval Reserve

Marineland, April 2 (FNS)—W. Douglas Burden, President of Marine Studios, announced this week that an indefinite leave of absence had been granted Milton E. Bacon, Jr., who has served as press and public relations officer of the organization since 1937.

Bacon leaves his post on April 1 to enter the service with the public relations branch of the United States Naval Reserve.

Bacon ranks high among Florida publicity men, is immediate past president of the Florida publicity and Public Relations Association, and chairman of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce tourist committee.

Though his efforts thousands of feature articles, rotogravure pictures and other favorable Florida publicity has appeared in the newspapers and magazines of the country.

R. J. Eastman, for the past two years assistant to Mr. Bacon, will have charge of public relations work during his absence.

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Shriners Annual Easter Services

Tampa, April 2 (FNS)—Egypt Temple Shriners will stage their annual Easter Surirse Services in Plant Park at Tampa, Sunday morning at 7 A. M.

Our secret weapon: U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps. Buy them!

Valencia Oranges In Prime Condition

Lakeland, Fla., April 2 (Special)—Valencia, that beautiful city of Old Spain, once filled with the romance and laughter of gay-spirited people, would find heart again in the knowledge that her namesake is carrying on her tradition of filling life with "sweetness," for that was the charm of Old World Valencia.

Getting its name from that gay city of another day, is Florida's famous Valencia orange which, according to the Florida Citrus Commission, is well worthy of the name. This year's crop is now reaching the markets filled with the richness, the sweetness, and the romance that belonged to Valencia.

"Never has Florida produced a better crop," says Tom B. Swann, Chairman of the Citrus Commission. They are larger, heavier with juice and are of perfect eating quality. The public just can't help but take to this year's crop."

Big-size, two-fisted newspaper advertising will tell the housewife of the "goodness" and extra-quality of this season's crop, of the economy of the larger sizes and of the health values of Florida Valencias. The newspaper advertising has been doubled, and will run through the month of April.

The sales promotion department of the Citrus Commission urges the trade to make full capital of this special drive on Valencias. By the cooperation of all factors in the deal, a highly successful conclusion to the 1941-42 season is assured.

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Tampa Jaycees' "Don't Talk" Slogan Is Going Places

Tampa, April 2 (FNS)— The "Don't Talk" campaign, inaugurated by the Tampa Junior Chamber of Commerce, as a local effort to safeguard "war" activities in this area, has spread until it now seems destined to become a national movement.

Enthusiastically endorsed by Army and Navy officials, the idea quickly caught on. Press and radio gave their support; cartoonist George White of the Tampa Tribune featured it; Herb Griffis gave it a full column in his national syndicate column.

Other Jaycee groups, both in and out of the state, have adopted the plan and local club officials are gratified to have started a movement of such widespread significance and importance.

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Orlando Man Urges Saving Gas—Tires

Orlando, April 2 (FNS)—Walter L. Hayes, chairman of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce Safety committee, made public this week a letter from State Safety Director J. J. Gilliam, painting out the dire need for conservation of tires and gasoline on the part of Florida motorists.

Director Gilliam asks the state committee to do all in its power to impress motorists with the advantages to be gained in this direction through the exercise of greater caution and the reduction of speed.

Slower speed will not only make for safety but will also add many months to the life of cars and tires, the director said. He also urged all motorists to make a record of the serial numbers of their tires, and called attention to the fact that this serial number offers the only check by which his department can assist in checking up on stolen tires.

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We've got Axis to grind. Buy Defense Bonds and Stamps.

Short Florida Trip Proving Popular

Boston, April 2 (FNS)— New England travel bureaus report that there is a growing demand for shorter Florida tours and to meet it have arranged special 9-day trips that are meeting with marked success. Both the east and west coast are included in all-expense trips that include visits to St. Augustine, Marineland, Daytona Beach, West Palm Beach and Miami on one itinerary, or Silver Springs, Orlando, Bok Tower, Cypress Gardens, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Sarasota and Ft. Myers on another.

Summer school teachers' tours are now being planned and are creating unusual interest. Travel agents look for a brisk business all summer. These special tours travel via the Silver Meteor and Champion and by motor bus between Florida points.

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

IN COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.

In re Estate of
MARY EDNA COVINGTON

Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that on the 1st day of May A. D. 1942, We shall apply to the Honorable T. A. McNicholas, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for final discharge as Executors of the estate of Mary Edna Covington deceased. My final report and application for final discharge are now on file in the office of said Judge.

Dated April 1st A. D. 1942.
M. E. COVINGTON, Jr.
M. E. COVINGTON
EXECUTORS

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

Notice is hereby given, that J. E. Gilbert Lake Placid, Florida holder of Tax Certificate No. 863, issued the 2nd day of September A. D. 1935, 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 4 Block 2 Lakeview Heights Section 36 Twp 36 S Range 29 E.

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 May 1942, which is the 4th day of May, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of April, 1942.
H. T. PIETY
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
April 4, 11, 18, 25.

Despite the urging of friends and followers, Mark Wilcox decided againse entering the race for Congress from the Fourth District against Pat Cannon. B. F. Paty, however, has declared himself a contender, which should make it a real race.

Find Your Name In The Ads

If your name appears in one of the ads appearing in this issue of The Sun, you will receive a free ticket to the

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. . . will leave Avon Park, northbound, at 2:12 p. m.
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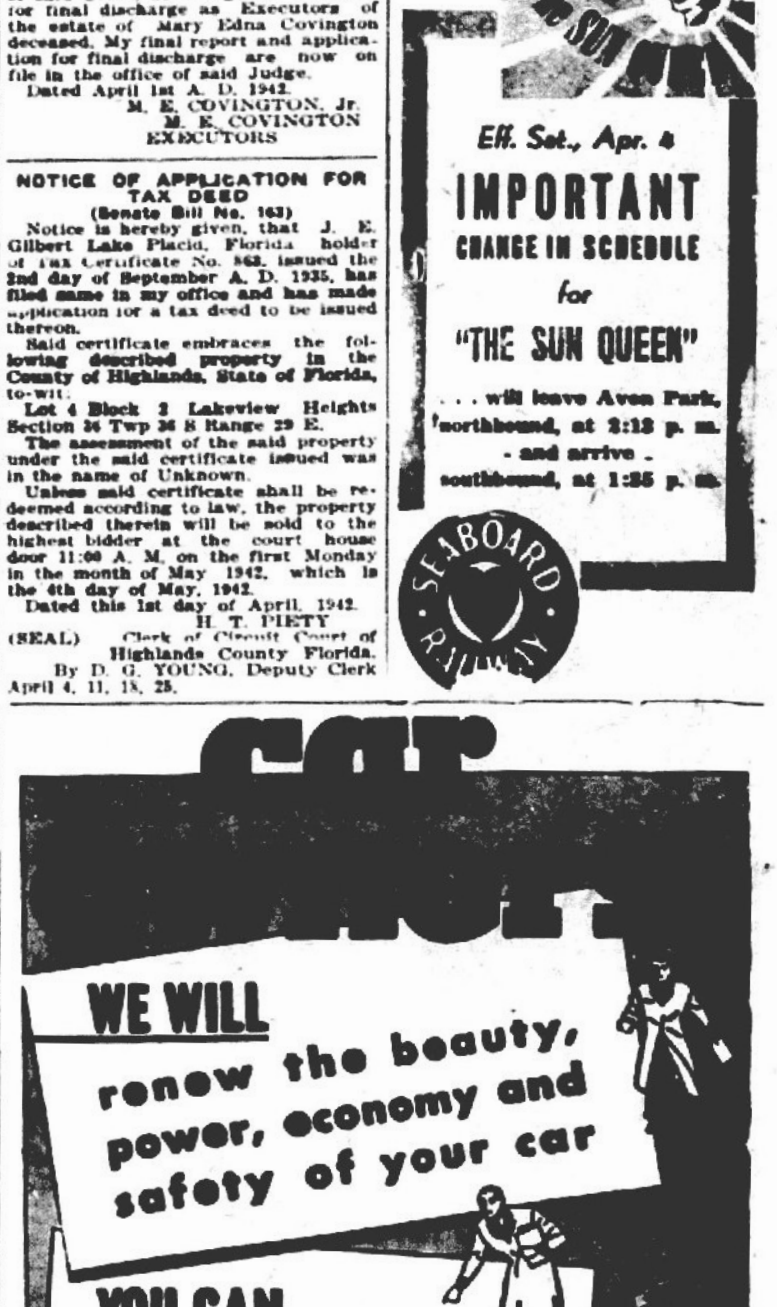

● Need brakes relined, clutch or engine repairs? Need a new battery . . . or perhaps a complete modernization job including new, lustrous body finish?

You can get any or all of your car needs now — *all at one time* on our new Pay-As-You-Drive plan. Low down payment . . . easy monthly terms.

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DEFEAT HITLERISM

Save Every Scrap of Paper Now

1 Newspaper would make three 26-pounder shell cups.

1 Popular Magazine would make interior components of two mines.

6 Old books would make one mortar shell carrier.

1 Soap powder canister would make four aero engine gaskets.

5 Medium sized cartons would make one shell fuse assembly.

60 Large cigarette cartons would make one outer shell container.

20 Breakfast creal cartons would make one case for 3-pounder shells.

6 Old bills would make one washer for a shell.

4 Assorted food cartons would make one box for aero-cannon shells.

1 Old envelope would make one cartridge wad.

12 Old letters would make one box for rifle cartridges.

Gas Tax Money Should Be Used to Build New Roads

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Highlands Man Heads County School Boards

Conway Is President Garber Executive Committeeman

T. V. Conway of Highlands County was elected president of the state association of county school boards in session in Tampa Thursday, and J. P. Garber of Avon Park another member of the Highlands county school board, was named to the executive committee of the association.

Conway, who is chairman of the county school board, will succeed Carl Widell of Palm Beach. B. Arnold of St. Lucie, was elected vice president. Widell becomes chairman of the executive committee, of which other members are Garber, Ted DeWitt of Duval, F. J. Frankenhoff of Collier, and D. D. Bass of Washington.

The association voted to leave the selection of its fall convention site in the hands of the executive committee. Invitations were received from several cities.

In its closing session at the Hillsboro hotel, the association endorsed a pending bill before congress to appropriate $300,000,000 a year in federal aid to the states for additional school facilities in defense and rural areas. Charles H. Tuster, of Pinellas county, reported the bill is now under study by a senate committee.

The association also adopted a resolution recommending physical examinations for all students entering high school and a health improvement program, and suggested that this year parents give war stamps and bonds as graduation gifts.

Volunteers Wanted To Entertain Men Stationed Here

The Defense Recreation Council is appealing to the girls and women of Avon Park and vicinity to assist in providing recreation for the men in uniform who are now stationed here.

The great variety of activities included in the program of the Defense Recreation Council makes it possible to use any talent or skill possessed by girles and women.

Not only are volunteer hostesses and social recreation leaders needed but volunteers for many other activities, such as groups for mending, for planning menus and programs, collecting reading material and sheet music, etc.

It is probable that recreation will have to be provided for a much larger number than at present. This means a greatly expanded program. Only foresight and preparation can meet these needs. Girls and women whose patriotism spurs them on to help in the Defense program can render real service by volunteering and registering at the Defense Recreation office in Chamber of Commerce bldg.

Schools To Open An Hour Earlier

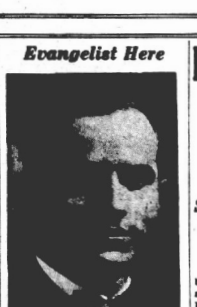
Begining Monday, the schools of Highlands county will open at 8.30, according to announcement this week by Col. F. M. K. Bailey, county superintendent of schools. The noon hour will be from 12 to 1 o'clock, and school will close at 3 p. m. This is the same schedule that was previously followed, before the clocks were set up one hour to observe war time.

Col. Bailey explains that the reason the schools have been opening at 9:30 and closing at 4:00 for the past several weeks, was to keep th children in the rural districts from riding the buses at dawn. The longer days now are making it possible fo revert to the former schedule.

LODGE TO MEET MONDAY

Eleanor Seaverns Rebekah Lodge, No. 65, will meet next Monday evening. All members are urged to attend, as Grand Lodge and Assembly convenes the following day in the palm room of the Tampa Terrace hotel. Mrs. Ben T. Cox will represent the local lodge, with Miss Mildred Wray as alternate. They will leave Tuesday, and be gone until Friday.

Evangelist Here



Evangelist Edward J. Craddock of Nashville, Tenn. who is doing the preaching in a Revival at Church of Christ. Brother Craddock's messages are adapted to the times in which we live. Services are being held at 8:00 p. m. on Sundays and 8:30 on week-day nights. He is conducting a special class for young people each evening at 8:15.

Election Officers Named for Primary By County Board

Election officials were appointed and polling places designated by the board of county commisioners Tuesday, for holding the Democratic primary, Tuesday, May 5. The following were named:

Avon Park

Precinct No. 1: Voting Place: Sun Court Building; Clerk: A. McKee Elwell; Inspectors; W. M. Reck, Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck, Mrs. Calvin Gerrard; Sheriff: F. E. Wray.

Precinct No. 1A: Voting place: Mid-State Hotel building; Clerk: Francis Shockley; Inspectors: J. B. Martin, Mrs. John Giddens, Albert Garrett; Sheriff: Charles Campbell

Precinct No. 1B: Voting place: West of R R on Mall, at Seaboard Gas Station; Clerk, Lester Armstrong; Inspectors: Charles Lewiston, A. E. Elder, Monk Langford; Sheriff, H. H. Douglas.

Sebring

Precinct No. 2: Voting place, City Hall; Clerk, H. K. Brown; Inspectors: J. Lee Johnson, Mrs. A. L. Butler, Mrs. Opal Harris; Sheriff, C. L. Elliott.

Precinct No. 2A: Voting place: Elton Weaver's Show Room; Clerk W. P. Corwin; Inspectors, Irene Kintzler, Hazel E. Lewis, Mr. R. C. Payne; Sheriff, Ray Coyle.

Precinct No. 2B. Voting place, Registration Room at Court House; Clerk, W. B. Crawford; Inspectors: R. E. Hartless, Mrs. J. W. Ingle Mrs. Mary K. Wheeler; Sheriff, E. M. Albritton.

DeSoto City

Precinct No. 3. Voting place, City Hall; Clerk, Charles Tysen; Inspectors: Mrs. Bessie Granger, Mrs. Mary Farmer, Mrs. Allie Mae Mason; Sheriff, J. C. Driggers.

Lake Placid

Precinct No. 4. Voting place, City Hall; Clerk, Mrs. Helen Hall; Inspectors: Cecil Meyer, Mrs. O. C. Parrish, Mrs. R. P. Dunty; Sheriff, Estey Kelley, Sr.

Venus

Precinct No. 5. Voting place, Canning Plant; Clerk, L. G. Crews; Inspectors: Mrs. N. E. Browning, Mrs. C. E. Tucker, Mrs. R. J. Hargrove; Sheriff, Ben C. Hope.

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Precinct No. 6. Voting place, Mrs. Whittaker's House. Clerk, Mrs. Bernice E. Whittaker; Inspectors: R. B. Franklin, Mrs. J. E. Wiggins, Mrs. Daisy Shackleford; Sheriff, Ceylon Carlton.

Basenger

Precinct No. 7. Voting place, Near school house; Clerk, L. L. Williams; Inspectors: C. B. Rauleson, G. T. Chandler, Grady Tomlison; Sheriff, J. M. Carter.

Brighton

Precinct No. 8. Voting place, Community House; Clerk, Mrs. Rosa Lee Pearce; Inspectors: Leo Bonner, Bertie Taylor, Lewis Waldron; Sheriff, Mose Lanier.

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Precinct No. 9. Voting place, School Lunch Room; Clerk, Lewis Taylor; Inspectors: Mrs. Janie Howard, Mrs. Etta Montsdeoca, Mrs. Lavone Robbins; Sheriff, H. D. Keen.

Buy U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps, the I, O. U. of the Red, White, and Blue!

New League of Six Teams To Be Formed

Soldiers To Put Four Teams in Highlands County Loop

Avon Park and Sebring will have baseball this summer—strictly on an amateur basis—in a six team league that will get under way with the opening games here and at Sebring Sunday, April 19. All games will be played either at Sebring or Avon Park, and one or the other will draw a doubleheader so that all six teams will play.

Details of the league were agreed upon at a recent meeting of baseball fans in Sebring, which elected E. C. Burton, jr., president, and Hayden Williams, secretary.

The new league supplants the old Orange Belt league, which will be out of existence this year, and probably for the duration. Meanwhile, the recreation division of the Highlands County Defense Council will sponsor, and soldiers in this area will furnish the bulk of the playing material. Hendricks field will put three teams in the league. The Avon Park General Bombing detachment will furnish a team, and the Sebring Firemen and the Avon Park Citrus Leafs, former Orange Belt outfits, will complete the sextet.

Game Sunday

The Bombing detachment team and the Citrus Leafs will play a practice game at Head field here Sunday afternoon, which will be free to the public. C. B. Martin has been elected manager of the Citrus Leafs and Coach Harold Rowe assistant manager. They are getting together all available local playing material and expect to put a creditable team in the field. There will be no admission, and the earnings from the games will go to the recreational fund. Durrh Martin is chairman of baseball activities under the recreational set-up, and he will be assisted by Lester Armstrong and James Davis.

Bernard Coker Is Appointed Band Instructor Here

Bernard Coker, of Sebring, was appointed band director and Spanish teacher of Avon Park high school by the county school board Tuesday. He succeeds E. L. Roberts, who resigned to teach music and direct the band at Rollins college.

Coker is the son of Mrs. Madge Coker of Sebring. He graduated from the Sebring high school, and received his musical education under Prof. P. J. Gustat. He is also a four year graduate of the University of Florida, where he also played in the band. He has been band director at Stuart in the East Coast for the past four years, and was offered his position for another term, but resigned to take the Avon Park offer.

Registration Books Here Today For Convenience Voters

Supervisor of Registration Roland X. Droit says that many voters all over the county who have failed to register, will be disappointed on election day, when they go the the polls to vote in the coming primary election. The registration books will close April 10. For the convenience of Avon Park voters, who have put off registering until the last minute, Mr. Droit will have the books at Touchton's drug store this afternoon (Saturday) from 2:00 to 8:30.

Mr. Droit feels that many voters apparently do not know that it is necessary for them to reregister this year, regardless of how many years he has lived in the county, and how many times he has voted before.

MRS. WORDEN AT CONVENTION

Mrs. H. C. Worden will return Sunday night from Winter Haven, where she has been attending the P. E. O. State Convention. Mrs. Worden is serving as a page at the convention, and will appear on the program in readings.

County Defense Council

Ben T. Stewart, Chairman, County Defense Council says: "All Divisions of the Council now have their work well under way. This is work which could not be organized and put in working order immediately. It has required much time and effort for full functioning. The outlook now is splendid for our County to put over all work in a big way."

Guinard Maxey, Division Chairman in charge of sales of Defense Stamps and Bonds has his division now fully organized and hard at work and the county is stepping up to its rightful place in this vital matter. Says Mr. Maxey: "Bonds sales in Highlands County one month ago were $83,000.00. Today, April 2, they are $133,334.00."

Says Secretary of the Treasury, Henry Morgenthau, jr.: "War is never cheap, but let me remind you, it is a million times cheaper to win than to lose. This whole world war struggle is our own war, we are all in it together.

"The cost of our war effort should frighten only our enemies. Our Treasury plans for financing the war are based on faith in the American people, that you will want to do the job in a voluntary way—it is up to you to prove it. You are not being asked to give your money to the Government, but to lend your money, to invest your savings for victory, which you do when you buy Defense Savings stamps and Bonds."

Regarding the salvage or scrap metal, L. H. Alsmeyer, co-chairman states: "This salvage collection is rolling along fine in the County but the problem of getting the material to market is still serious. Mr. Alsmeyer then quoted the following figures on scrap metal:

"A 30 ton carload of scrap will bring the Council about $9.00; 25 ton carload about $8.60 and a 20 ton load approximately $6.75," then with a twinkle in his eyes he finished, "and with a 15 ton load or less we lose our shirts."

Regarding the problem of waste paper salvage and preparation for market which has been facing the Sebring division, Mayor Payne M. Sebring says: "The Sebring city crew under supervision of Tom Dimberline has been assigned to this job. They will build a baler, make periodic collections of waste paper from merchants and bale for market."

Major W. Bramhall, Division Chairman of Communications and Transportation is most enthusiastic over the work; says he: "The Avon Park unit of truck organizations recently held a meeting with 40 men present. This was a large quota for Avon Park, but comparatively small for county-at-large. Similar meetings will be held in Sebring, Lake Placid and other towns and we expect the same enthusiasm."

Division Chairman of Civil Protection, N. A. Broking asks for volunteers; "It is necessary, very necessary to immediately organize a guide and messenger service but we are faced with a shortage of workers. We need 40 workers for this important duty. Volunteers will be appreciated, men, women, boys and girls."

Speaking of the Air Raid Warning Service, Mr. Broking stated: "This service is functioning now but is not perfected, as here too we lack the workers. We need 20 more men and women. This air raid service must be organized on a 24 hour basis. Volunteers are greatly needed."

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All schools in the county were closed Friday and Saturday while faculty members were attending the State Teachers' meeting in Tampa.

111,000 Acre Tract Named Avon Park General Bombing Range, and Ready For Use

The 111,000 acre tract recently acquired by the government in Highlands and Polk counties for a bombing range has been officially designated the Avon Park General Bombing Range by Maj. Walter H. Frank, commander of the Third Air Force, in Tampa this week, and he announced that it is ready for limited use by all units of his command.

The range is 10 miles east of Avon Park. Its 175 square-mile area is generally rectangular in shape, and lies between Lake Arbuckle and the Kissimmee river.

Dedicated to Training

Lieut. Col. Phillip Schwartz, Third Air Force ordnance officer who conducted most of the negotiations for the land, said it would be dedicated to the training of pilots and crews "to make the bomb meet the target."

In the past, Colonel Schwartz pointed out, the layman's idea of bombardment aviation has been that if the pilot is a good flyer, and if the navigator, bombardier and other crew members know their job, destruction of the enemy will be a natural result. However, now the emphasis is on precision bombing, with all members of the crew working together as a team to attain their single objective.

Deep within the boundaries of the huge range targets already have been constructed. Soon combat crews in the United States Air Forces' latest and best aircraft will start pummelling those targets with bombs ranging from the 15-pound practice charge to giant 2000-pound demolition bombs, loaded with half a ton of high explosive.

Objectives For Gunnery

Other targets in the area will provide ground objectives for aerial gunnery.

The war department has turned over to Third Air Force for use as realistic targets for bombardment and gunnery training a number of obsolete, out-of-commission tanks now at Barkdale field, La. The tanks will be shipped to the Avon Park range shortly for service as simulated enemy tanks.

The tanks and other targets on the range will offer the most thorough training of combat crews for precision bombing.

Avon Park Folks Tops With Army, Visitors Are Told

Avon Park citizens have shown every courtesy and consideration to the service men in the community, and it is the desire of the army to encourage these friendly relations, Capt. H. R. Smith, commanding officer of the Bombing and Gunnery range detachment told visitors at the armory Monday. Capt. Smith and his men held open house in observance of Army Day, and entertained the school children and several hundred grownups from two to six in the afternoon.

The observance started with group singing at the band stand, led by Miss Alma Harrell, and with music furnished by the school band. Highlands Post, American Legion, and Auxiliary participated and marched with the Legion at the head of the procession that proceeded to the armory to inspect the quarters and partake of the hospitality offered Defense Chairman Ben T. Stewart conducted a short program at the armory, Rev. G. S. Roberts offered an inspiring prayer for victory to our arms, fighting in the cause of right and justice, and Capt. Smith bade his guests welcome. Some six hundred school children and their teachers participated in the parade and ceremonies.

Open house was also held at the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy and visitors called during the afternoon to inspect the beautiful club hotel that houses the flying cadets. The airport was also opened to the public by Commanding Officer Capt. D. T. Bennink, and many visitors availed themselves of the opportunity of seeing the airport in operation, and watching the cadets fly.

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Grading on 19 To Be Delayed Year County Informed

County Attorney McDonald reported to the county commissioners Tuesday that he had been informed by the State Road department that no work would be done on grading of federal route 19 between Sebring and Avon Park for a year. He stated that the road camp will soon be moved as the grading is completed between Sebring and Lake Placid. The grading between Sebring and Avon Park will be a contract job, he said he had been informed.

Chairman L. C. Crews expressed opposition to spending funds to secure the right of way until the state is ready to go to work. But McDonald replied he had already filed condemnation papers and could get it set for a hearing on short notice, an proposed to continue with th suit.

The board instructed McDonald to request State's Attorney Grady Burton to start suit immediately to collect on the bond of former county commissioner W. W. Bell for the full amount of Bell's surety bonds for both terms, totaling $4,000. Unless action is forthcoming from Burton the board will instruct McDonald to start action to recover, it was said.

Representative C. E. Lanier appeared before the board and asked the county to furnish some one from the prison farm to take care of the fish hatchery. The board declined to appoint the yard man at the prison farm as caretaker of the hatchery for the time being.

Arbuckle Bridge Destroyed By Fire

The Arbuckle creek bridge at the Whatley crossing was completely destroyed by fire Wednesday, with loss estimated at between $6,000 and $8,000, which Commissioner A. C. Heacock said would be required to rebuild it.

The fire was discovered about mid-afternoon by J. C. Hart and reported to the Sebring fire department. The woods fire truck was sent out, but due to high wind and rich pine timber of which the bridge was built, it was impossible to save the structure. Origin of the fire was not determined.

IS THIS YOUR LAST PAPER?

If your subscription is past due we will not be permitted to send you any paper after this issue. The date on the address label is the date your subscription expired. If this date is past due, we must have your renewal before next Thursday, or it will be necessary to drop your name from the list. If the date on your label is later than April 15, you need not worry. Your paper will come along as usual.

Max Wild's Brother Dies Wednesday

Max Wild left Tuesday for Monticello where he was called by the serious illness of his brother, Herman Wild, who had suffered a stroke of parylsis that morning. Friends here will regret to learn that his brother passed away Wednesday afternoon.

Surviving relatives include a daughter, Mrs. J. H. Glover of Monticello, with whom he made his home; two sons, Herman Jr. and Lamar Wild, both of Monticello, and a sister, Mrs. Emily Ashley of Boston, Mass.

AUXILIARY TO MEET MONDAY

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Monday night at the F. P. S. company's Customers room. Election of officers for the ensuing year will be held at this meeting. All members are urged to attend.

POSTOFFICE TO CLOSE AT NOON SATURDAY

Postmaster D. G. Perry has been notified that the Avon Park postoffice does not qualify under the ruling to remain open for business on Saturday afternoon. Beginning today, the office will close at 12 o'clock Saturday, and remain closed until Monday morning.

Be a regular on the home front! Make regular pay-roll purchases of U. S. Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps.

Fish Hatchery Finished And Stocked

Fish and Game Club Get Fry From Welika

Between sixty and seventy-five thousand small fry bass were placed in the rearing pools of the Highlands County Fish and Game hatchery near Lakemont Tuesday. The fry were secured from the federal natchery at Welika and were from the season's spawn, said to be about three weeks old. The local club sent after the fry paying transportation expenses. They were hauled in barrels by truck, and very few were lost in transit and handling. An equal number of the fry were placed in the five rearing pools where they will be cared for, and used to restock Highlands county lakes.

The board of county commissioners Tuesday agreed to furnish supervision of the pools from the personnel of the prison farm, nearby.

A report of expenditures furnished by Brisco Willis, treasurer of the fish and game association, shows the purchase of the land, building of the pools, and other expenses incident to building the hatchery, cost a total of $4,696.92.

The items are listed:

State dues	$ 25.00
Purchase of land, 25 acres	1000.00
Rent	36.00
Test seining	15.00
Groceries	175.38
Surveying, clearing land, and digging pools	1271.60
Printing, legal, etc,	74.50
Labor on pools and grounds	1763.80
Building materials	395.64
	$4696.92

Mrs. Cowen Dies Saturday Night

Mrs. Lelia Isabella Cowen, 70, who was visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Platt near Summerfield, died Saturday night at the Munroe hospital in Ocala, after an illness of several days. Avon Park friends will regret to learn.

Mrs Cowen was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter B. Perry of Oxford. She was born April 13, 1872, in Oxford. She was a member of the First Methodist Church of Avon Park. Mr. Cowen passed away here several weeks ago.

Surviving relatives include two daughters, Mrs. Platt and Mrs. S. E. Blanton of Live Oak; three sons T. J. and G. P. Anderson of Pierce, Fla., and G. M. Anderson of Miami; one sister, Mrs. Mary Carruthers of Oxford; two brothers, Tyra Perry of Manatee, and Sidney Perry of Pedro; and 16 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at three o'clock Monday afternoon at the Baptist Church in Pedro. Interment was held in the family plot in Oxford.

Baptist Editor To Hold Revival At Baptist Church

Dr. Ed. Solomon, distinguished Baptist editor, Vice President of the Southern Baptist Convention, and Publisher of the Florida Baptist Witness will hold a revival meeting in the Baptist Church beginning April 27.

Dr. Solomon is much in demand among the Baptists of the South as a leader in evangelistic meetings. He has seen service in two wars, and has had a wide experience.

His coming is anticipated by church members. Plans are being made for a great revival meeting. Details will be published at a later date.

NEW AIR RAID WHISTLE

The new air raid warning whistle, recently ordered by the city council, was received this week and has been set up in the Lake Byrd garage. The new siren is a Westinghouse air horn, of a modern type now much in use over the country for warning signals, Chief Air Raid Warden M. G. Whitcomb stated.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS By Edward C. Wayne

Jap Failure to Overwhelm Australia Brings Revision of Pacific Timetable; Anti-War Feeling Grows in Bulgaria As Government Meets Nazi Demands

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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TIMETABLE:
Revised

There had been much talk about the Japanese timetable being awry, but to the man in the street this was hard to believe, since the Japs had swept the East Indies, including Singapore, but excluding Bataan and Manila Bay fortresses, in the unbelievably short period since December 7.

However, it had become apparent that the Japanese plans to enter the Australian mainland had suffered a severe setback in the arrival of thousands of American troops on the continent, in the all-out plane attacks on Jap concentrations in islands to the north of Australia, and in the reported reinforcements being received by the Aussies of their own blooded troops back from northern Africa.

These were signs all could read. The attacks on New Guinea had been going on far too long in comparison with those on other islands in the Indies without the Japs moving in for the Australian "kill."

It was inconceivable that the Japanese wanted to wait until the Americans and North African troops had landed, had become organized. They had not wanted MacArthur, and President Quezon to escape to the mainland.

Nor did they want their enemy to be holding onto Port Moresby at this late date, with its airfields and garrisons awaiting a Jap push over the almost impassable mountainsides to the southern part of the island.

Here, it was evident, the Japs had met serious delay. Many believed the attack on Australia was to be abandoned, thus setting the stage for a real Allied counter-offensive.

The Australians, however, particularly General Blamey, who had been placed in command of the Aussies under General MacArthur, believe that "We must arrange our strategy on the basis that the Japs are going to try an invasion."

BULGARS:
Reported on Move

The Bulgarian army had been reported on the move to the German eastern front, the government having acceded to the Nazi demands that it furnish troops for the offensive against Russia.

But the move, highly disturbing to Turkey as well as to the bulk of the Bulgar people, was not without sharp criticism from within, almost amounting to revolution.

An anti-war movement had been gaining in popularity, and when two divisions were withdrawn from the Turkish frontier, reportedly to move against Russia, one radio station kept broadcasting an appeal to the people to "rise and emulate brave Jugoslavia." It called for the throwing out of King Boris, who was described as "only a German pawn," and "in Berlin with Von Papen."



KING BORIS
Only a German pawn?

Cause of all this antagonism toward active entrance into the war on Germany's side was the blood kinship felt by Bulgars, as well as Jugoslavs, in the main, for Russians.

It was not considered unlikely that the government might be overthrown, and that the army itself might rebel against orders sending them into action against the Reds. A possibility was seen that they might only make a "token" of fighting, and surrender rather than meet the fate which mutiny would bring.

The Jugoslavs, who overturned their government, only to succumb to unpreparedness and Croatian defections, were still fighting in force, and a Jugoslav guerrilla force of 100,000 was reported about to start a "spring offensive" of its own against the Nazi army of occupation.

Chief worrier about the Bulgar situation was Turkey, who saw in this move of soldiery the war coming every nearer to her borders.

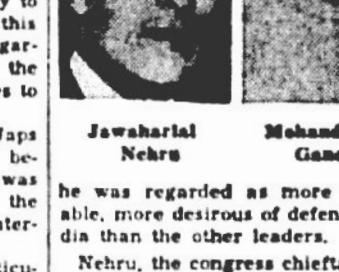
Political circles in Berlin suggested that King Boris might renounce his old east Thracian aspirations.

INDIA:
At Crossroads

While there had been no immediate indication that the Japs were to make India the supreme objective, and abandon any idea of an immediate invasion of Australia, the situation in Burma was serious enough to give poignancy to the visit of Sir Stafford Cripps and his offer of dominion status to India—after the war.

The sharp division of opinion in India placed three men and their followers in the forefront of the picture, Gandhi, Nehru and Jinnah. Gandhi, the Mahatma, leader of more Hindus than any other man, had been the first to confer with Cripps, and a two-hour conference had found the two men willing to admit that the basis of negotiations was "satisfactory."

But the handling of Nehru and Jinnah was a horse of another color. Despite the fact that Gandhi had been more than any other man the leader of resistance to British rule, he was regarded as more reasonable, more desirous of defending India than the other leaders.



Jawaharlal Nehru — **Mohandas K. Gandhi**

Nehru, the congress chieftain, prior to talking with Cripps had said that anything less than a promise of complete independence would be inadequate.

"Japan is offering us that," he said boldly. While he professed no "love for the aggressor," he said that British failure to offer independence would leave India no recourse other than to adopt a passive resistance to the Japs, which he admitted would be no practical resistance at all.

Nehru frankly did not believe the British could achieve Indian unity, blaming Jinnah, the Moslem head. He said that Jinnah was insisting on a divided freedom for India, and that while he, Nehru, was willing to "go along" with any type of freedom, he doubted that England was going to accede to Jinnah's demands.

Relations were worse at the time of Cripps' arrival than at any time in history, Nehru said, talking darkly of civil war being "just around the corner," an eventuality which most observers believed would be suicidal with Japan knocking at the nation's eastern borders.

COMMANDOS:
Hit Daring Blow

Britain's commandos, after a lull of several weeks during which they doubtless had been "cooking" another raid, had descended in full power on the German-held port of St. Nazaire, important submarine and naval base, with dire results.

Chief objective, outside of general demolition work around the port, had been the destruction of a huge dock, the only one on the European Atlantic coast capable of handling the 35,000-ton German battleship Von Tirpitz.

The commandos had attacked St. Nazaire under cover of an aerial bombing raid, using paratroops, destroyers, and motor torpedo boats. The Nazis denied all efficacy of the raid, but the British just as positively declared it to have been a huge success.

Chief item and most daring in the raid was the use of an overage U. S. destroyer as a swiftly moving bomb to ram the dock. The destroyer had been loaded with five tons of high explosive in its bow, fixed with a time fuse to permit the crew to get ashore and fight while the ship blew up.

British sources had reported that this was just what happened. The vessel rammed the dock and stuck there, later to blow up and put the structure out of commission.

The Germans said, however, that their coastal defense batteries struck the destroyer and caused her to blow up before reaching her objective.

The Germans, however, admitted that many of the raiders got ashore, but claimed they were all killed or captured. The British said there "were some casualties," but that the objectives were carried out, and that many members of the raiding forces returned in safety to England.

It was all part of the British spring offensive, which included practically non-stop raids against Germany and occupied France.

The U. S. destroyer found at her end a place in history along with the Vindictive and the blockships of Zeebrugge fame.

BATAAN:
More Bombs



MANUEL L. QUEZON
Relief not long in coming.

Gen. Jonathan Wainwright, picking up where General MacArthur left off, was continuing the Bataan campaign, and Corregidor had withstood the heaviest bombing attacks of the war.

The guns of Corregidor and her sister fortresses had hammered away at flights of Jap bombers, dropping four one day, two the next, with others "probably downed or damaged."

President Quezon, on his arrival with his family and cabinet in Australia, predicted that the iron stand of Wainwright's men soon would receive its reward, and that relief for the Philippine garrison would "not be long in coming."

The Filipino president had been variously reported as killed, dead of disease, and murdered on orders of General MacArthur. Actually, he had never left MacArthur's headquarters, and had flown to Australia to take his stand there again.

AMERICANS:
Cupid 'Down Under'

Most interesting while the American troops were training in Australia, becoming acclimated, and "meeting the people" was the flood of romance sweeping over the continent.

Literally scores of marriages were being performed, causing all sorts of reactions.

Some of the Aussie clergy deplored these "marriages in haste," and one cleric had the bad taste to say the "Americans came here to fight, not to get married."

The Australian public met the romances with whoops of joy, and the press was definitely on the side of young love.

One American commanding officer forbade his soldiers to get married, and drew down on himself howls of rage from the rank and file, and a reprimand from his superiors.

The war department in Washington capped this climax by issuing a statement that any American soldier had a perfect right to get married as long as he did his duty as a soldier, and obeyed the commands of his superiors—and was free to get married.

And that, after all, turned out to be the only major worry of those who watched Cupid's darts flying right and left in Australia—the fear that some enthusiastic lovers might forget that they had wives at home.

RUBBER-OIL:
German Patents

Congressmen had been looking with a wary and angry eye at the Standard Oil group which, it had been publicly charged, had possession of a superior rubber-oil formula, and had been negotiating with it, and turning its patents over to a German concern even after December 7.

For a time things had looked most serious, with Senator Truman saying: "It looks like treason and I'm going to give the Standard officials a chance to show why it isn't," but this feature of the case simmered down a couple of days later when he said he was "willing to let bygones be bygones."

But the aftermath was that Standard and its process for making rubber out of oil was on the spot, and its every move was being watched. Truman said he didn't like the looks of the deal whereby the government was constructing plants for making aviation gasoline.

"It looks as though the big companies are freezing out the little ones, and that they will make enough profit out of their contracts to pay for the government buildings," he said.

Another aftermath of the congressional probe into conditions surrounding the rubber-making deals with German firms was that Truman said in the future no foreign pacts of any sort might be made without government scrutiny and approval.

Congress didn't want to be caught napping again.

OFFENSIVE:

The oft-repeated question "where will Hitler's spring offensive strike" had been sufficiently answered by dispatches from Moscow.

Activity was definitely on the lull in North Africa.

Activity across the channel was largely from England to Germany, with the Nazis on the defensive.

But on the Russian front, both at Murmansk and all along the whole 2,000-mile line, the Reds themselves were admitting widely increased German activity.

Australia, Country of Fighting Men, Faces Greatest Struggle in History

Land 'Down Under' Welcomes Yank Assistance.

By CLIFF LANGE
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Australia, the last practical Allied base for attack against the Japs, is similar to the United States both in size and attitude of its people.

It wasn't but a few years ago — 1938 — that Australia celebrated its 150th anniversary. But now it is girding and ready for a battle to the death against the foe creeping down from the north, engulfing all territories and peoples before it, like the Biblical deluge.

Most of Australia's inhabitants are of British extraction. But in spirit the "Aussies" are just as American as they are British. The welcome given to American troops upon their arrival there, the demand for General MacArthur to lead the Allied forces in the fighting zone, all clearly show the attitude of the Australians.



Map by WNU Staff Artist

The above uncompleted railroad line, transversing the center of the Australian continent, (connected in its central part by the Defense highway), is the important artery of war which will be mentioned quite often in future war dispatches from there.

Australia's 7,000,000 population is spread over almost 3,000,000 square miles of territory as compared with the United States' total of 133,000,000 population in approximately the same amount of space.

Australia, like our state of Georgia, was first settled by English convicts. That both groups did a good job is evidenced by today's far-reaching developments.

Today most Australians live within a narrow 100-mile coastal belt along the south and east. About half of the population is in the nation's half-dozen largest cities. Sydney, having a million and a quarter inhabitants, is the largest; Melbourne, with a little more than a million, is next largest. Both of these cities are practically at the opposite end of the continent from Darwin, which has been bombed repeatedly.

Vital Defense Road.

From Darwin to the above mentioned metropolitan cities it is little more than 1,500 air-miles. Canberra, the nation's 15-year-old made-to-order capital, is located about 100 miles southwest of Sydney, on the road to Melbourne.

Australia's transportation system now playing a very important part in the nation's defense (and coming offense) is peculiar in that many of the railway lines extending inland come to an abrupt end.

It wasn't until but a few years ago that the railway extending southward from Darwin was connected, by a defense highway, with the railroad extending northward from Adelaide to Alice Springs. This road is the artery through which Australia supplies men and materials to the northern battle scene.

With the exception of most of the coastal regions, the greater part of Australia's central territory is flat, arid and semi-arid land which is practically defenseless. More than a third of it is actual desert. It is in the semi-arid zones that the nation's vast scattered ranches and large grain producing centers are located. As the huge stretches of land located here are irrigated, this section of Australia will be one of the most fertile zones when the war is ended.

As for natural resources, the nation has everything needed for war activity except oil. The oil industry is a recent development and not very encouraging insofar as amounts produced. Last year's production totaled only a few hundred barrels.

The European war curtailed agricultural and grazing activities, but operated to speed up the nation's expanding factory life. Towards the middle of 1939 there were nearly 27,000 plants employing more than a half million people. Reports since then have not been made public.

As gold helped considerably to develop California, its discovery in Australia helped to open up vast territories there. It was first discovered in 1843 and the influx of prospectors raised the population in seven years from around 200,000 to more than 500,000. A story is told about an Australian who crossed the Pacific to take part in the California gold rush. While prospecting in California he noticed that the gold bearing rock and soil of that state had a marked resemblance to territory he had seen in his native land. He found his hunch to be correct when he returned there to prospect.

The Commonwealth of Australia is a self-governing nation, sharing allegiance, along with the other British dominions, to the British king. The Commonwealth is comprised of six colonies called "Original States." They are New South Wales, Queensland, South Australia, Victoria, Western Australia, and the island of Tasmania—plus the Northern Territory and the Canberra Capital Territory.

It wasn't until 41 years ago that the six original states united to form a commonwealth. Up to that time there had been many inter-state quarrels—some of them going so far as to create trade barriers against each other.

Preparing Since '38.

The Australian federal government is similar to our own in many ways. It has a senate and a house of representatives. In case of a prolonged disagreement with the house, the senate can be dissolved and a new one elected. The house, too, can be dissolved under certain exceptional circumstances. A governor general—representing the king of England—is the executive head of the government.

Since the inception of the Labor party in 1938, the government has been vigorously building up the munitions and industries and expanding its land and air forces. In 1938, on down to the present day, the government, as part of its national defense policy, has been urging the manufacture of fuel oil and gasoline from its own coal, and the creation of large plants for the manufacture of industrial alcohol.

At no time during the Twentieth century has this spunky nation deluded itself as to what country was its coming enemy. Trouble, which all Australians saw on the southwest Pacific horizon, had been brewing ever since 1935. In that year the tariff laws which gave a marked preference to Great Britain in the sale of cotton goods in Australia. Japanese markets were practically smashed. As a result the Japs virtually boycotted Australian wool in retaliation.

Today the Australians are fully aware of how correct they were in their assumptions concerning the over-ambitious Japanese. Today, this scrappy little nation that covered itself with glory in World War I, is ready for a repeat performance. The Aussies are determined that their nation shall remain as they have always had it—a land of individualists, rugged and aggressive—a land free from the imprint of a tyrant's heel.



Prime Minister of Australia, John Curtin, who recently clashed with the London government over the selection of Australians who take part in imperial government affairs.

Still Has a Frontier Spirit.

The Yankees, "down under" in Australia, at least 7,000 miles from their native land, will be learning much about the Aussies, and the land they are helping to defend.

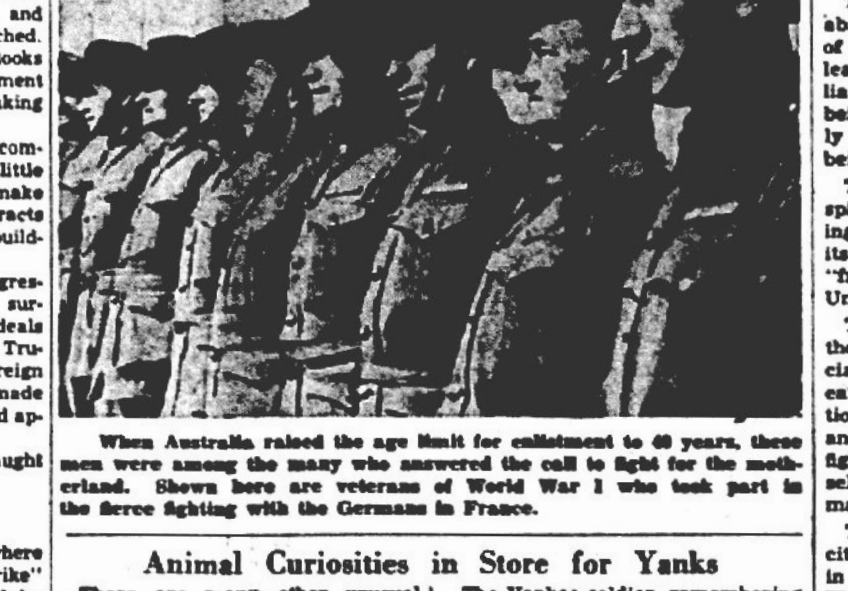
True, the Yank will have time to absorb but little of the past history of the nation. He will, however, learn all about present-day Australia for the Aussies, in addition to being excellent fighters, are definitely proud of their native land without being intensively nationalistic.

The Yank will understand the spirit of the country by remembering that Australia today—outside of its metropolitan cities—has the same "frontier" spirit which lived in the United States about 50 years ago.

The average American citizen and the average American soldier associates Australia with kangaroos, early experiments in social legislation, a national scourge of rabbits, and some remarkably courageous fighting men who covered themselves with glory battling the Germans during World War I.

Then the Yanks will see that the cities are just as modern as those in the United States. The East and West coasts of the United States, where the majority of large cities are located, is somewhat like the east and south coasts of Australia where the most important cities such as Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, Brisbane, and Maryborough are situated.

They will show the Yanks that despite their arming to the hilt, they aren't by nature warriors, nor do they have disturbing aspirations to be such saber-rattling people.



When Australia raised the age limit for enlistment to 40 years, these men were among the many who answered the call to fight for the motherland. Shown here are veterans of World War 1 who took part in the fierce fighting with the Germans in France.

Animal Curiosities in Store for Yanks

There are many other unusual animals which the Yankee doughboy might see in Australia.

Like the early days of the West in the United States, in the north section of Australia, live nomadic tribes who make fires with sticks and kill their game with spears. Like many tribes of Indians in early U. S. days, these nomadic people are quite harmless, some of them being friendly with the Australian "frontier" people.

The Yankee soldier, remembering his history, will be interested to learn that in the far north section of Australia, buffalo roam over an area as large as the British Isles, in a territory where few white men live.

There are many other strange creatures there that are peculiar to Australia. There is the wombat which burrows deeply, the dingo and the spotted native cat, and the mole, blind, deaf and dumb.

Household Hints

When making pie, bake the left-over crust on inverted muffin tins to make tarts for the next day's meal.

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When cleaning fish the blood should be wiped from the back-bone. If it is not properly cleaned the fish may have a musty flavor when cooked.

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Metal stains on linens or clothing usually can be removed by covering them with vinegar and salt, bleaching them in the sun, then rinsing them in warm water and washing the usual way.

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Boiled haddock is very tasty when served with mustard butter, a mixture of butter and prepared mustard well blended.

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A faint garlic flavor will give roast lamb an indefinable taste attraction that will make guests ask for seconds. Cut garlic into small pieces and insert them in slits made in the roast before you cook it. Four pieces of garlic will be plenty.

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More Raleigh Jingles

Raleigh Cigarettes are again offering liberal prizes in a big jingle contest to be run in this paper. One hundred and thirty-three prizes will be awarded each week.—Adv.

Pull the Trigger on Constipation, with Ease for Stomach, too

When constipation brings on discomfort after meals, stomach upset, bloating, dizzy spells, gas, coated tongue, and bad breath, your stomach is probably "crying the blues" because your bowels don't move. It calls for Laxative-Senna to pull the trigger on those lazy bowels, combined with Syrup Pepsin for perfect ease to your stomach in taking. For years, many Doctors have given pepsin preparations in their prescriptions to make medicine more agreeable to a touchy stomach. So be sure your laxative contains Syrup Pepsin. Insist on Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Senna combined with Syrup Pepsin. See how wonderfully the Laxative Senna wakes up lazy nerves and muscles in your intestines to bring welcome relief from constipation. And the good old Syrup Pepsin makes this laxative so comfortable and easy on your stomach. Even finicky children love the taste of this pleasant family laxative. Take Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Senna combined with Syrup Pepsin, as directed on label or as your doctor advises, and feel world's better. Get genuine Dr. Caldwell's.

Do You Like Jingle Contests?

Raleigh Cigarettes are now running another series of weekly contests for those who can supply the best last line to a jingle. Over 100 liberal prizes each week. Watch this paper for details.—Adv.

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Shake your Turkish towels vigorously before hanging up to dry. This removes wrinkles and raises the nap.

That Nagging Backache

May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action

Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling—feel constantly tired, nervous, all worn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

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Nation's Feminists Urge Defeat Of Mandatory Joint Income Tax

Women Declare Proposal Is 'An Attempt to Turn Back the Clock.'

WASHINGTON.—Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau's recent proposal for a mandatory joint income tax for husbands and wives has started a revolt among the nation's feminists.

Declaring that the proposal is an "attempt to turn back the clock for women" and to scrap all of their hard-won battles for the right of married women to hold property, women are bombarding the ways and means committee of the house of representatives with protests.

Last summer, when a similar proposal was presented by the secretary of the treasury to congress, congress rejected it. Now the proposal is up again and important groups of business men including the Merchants Association of New York and the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce are supporting the women's stand against the proposal.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt of New Rochelle, N. Y., who led the National American Woman's Suffrage association's campaign to give women the right to vote, was one of the first women to protest the measure. This Iowa born woman, who is now past 80, in a statement issued from her home in New Rochelle, appealed to women to rise against the proposal.



Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt

Are Women People?

She said: "I never thought I'd have to prove again that 'women are people,' but this proposed joint income tax return forces me to.

"I would like to urge the women of this country to prove to their representatives in Washington that we are not in the 'horse and buggy age,' when Blackstone declared that 'by marriage husband and wife are one person in law, that is, the very being or existence of the woman is suspended during marriage.'

"This mandatory joint return for husband and wife would indeed 'suspend' her freedom of choice and her inalienable right to the 'pursuit of happiness.' The government has manifestly no innate right to determine how a woman should compute her taxes. It is her business to follow the law and the government should consider her a human being."

Alice Duer Miller, novelist and Hollywood script writer, lifted her voice from Tucson, Ariz., to say that "the enactment of the proposed joint income tax measure for husband and wife will in many instances mean that when the wife has paid her share of the income tax her whole personal income will have gone. It encourages divorces."

Tax Expert Protests.

Mary H. Donlon, only woman trustee of Cornell university, lawyer and member of the Committee on Taxation of the New York County Lawyers association, pointed out that the Supreme court had once held the joint income tax return unconstitutional.



Mary H. Donlon

"American women know that substantially increased tax revenues are necessary, and they will submit to fair tax laws. They think the proposal for joint tax returns of husbands and wives is not fair," Miss Donlon said. "It is much more than a mere revenue measure, for it turns the calender back for women, in part, to the years before the married women's property acts. That this is so, can be stated on such high authority as the late Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes of the United States Supreme court. Discussing the inherent authority of the state to give the wife's property to her husband, when the Wisconsin law requiring joint income tax returns of husband and wife came before the Supreme court and was held unconstitutional, Justice Holmes said (Hoeper vs. Tax Commission, 284 U.S. 206):

"'The statutes are the outcome of a thousand years of history. They must be viewed against the background of the earlier rules that husband and wife are one, and that one the husband; and that as the husband took the wife's chattels he was liable for her debts. * * * In some states if not in all, the husband became the owner of the wife's chattels on marriage * * * and it would require ingenious argument to show that there might not be a return to the law as it was in 1800. It is all a matter of statute. But for statute the income taxed would belong to the husband and there would be no question about it.'

Constant Vigilance.

"Women struggled for long years to achieve the change of law which gave them their own income. They do not want to return to the law as it was in 1800. Doubtless the legislatures have the power to return women to their position under the law as it was in 1800. I am confident that the great majority of men and women of this country do not want to go back to that era. They understand, too, that constant vigilance is necessary to prevent the slow attrition of hard won freedoms. When the women of America understand that the legal justification for joint income tax returns is, as was stated by Justice Holmes, a return back along the road to where married women were in 1800, I believe there will be such vigorous protest, from one end of this country to another, as will be heard by every congressman and senator in Washington."

Oiling 'Inner Tube' of Wooden Tire



BROOKLINE, MASS.—Harry H. Johnson, chauffeur, Brookline, is shown with the tire he invented to make him independent of rubber. Inside the four-sectioned wooden "tire" is sawdust which takes the place of an inner tube. Johnson is pouring oil into the sawdust to keep it resilient.

Bedtime Story by Thornton W. Burgess

GRANDFATHER FROG JUMPS JUST IN TIME

BACK and forth over the Green Meadows sailed Whitetail the Marshhawk. Like Longlegs the Blue Heron he was hungry. His sharp eyes peered down among the grasses looking for something to eat. But some good fairy seemed to have warned the very little people who live there that Whitetail was out hunting. Perhaps it was one of Old Mother West Wind's children, the Merry Little Breezes. You know they are always flitting about trying to do someone a good turn.

> They love to dance and romp and play
> From dawn to dusk the livelong day.
> But more than this they love to find
> A chance to do some favor kind.

Anyway, little Mr. Green Snake seemed to know that Whitetail was out hunting and managed to keep out of sight. Danny Meadow Mouse wasn't to be found. Only a few foolish grasshoppers rewarded his patient search, and these only served to make him feel hungrier than ever. But old Whitetail has a great deal of persistence, and in spite of his bad luck he kept at his hunting, back and forth, back and forth, until he had been all over the Green Meadows. At last he made up his mind that he was wasting time there.



With a frightened "Chugarum," Grandfather Frog dived.

"I'll just have a look over at the Smiling Pool and if there is nothing there I'll take a turn or two along the Big River," thought he, and straight-way started for the Smiling Pool. Long before he reached it his keen eyes saw Longlegs the Blue Heron standing motionless on the edge of it, and he knew by the looks of Longlegs that he was watching something which he hoped to catch.

"If it's a fish," thought Whitetail, "it will do me no good, for I am no fisherman. But if it's a frog—well, frogs are not as good eating as fat meadow mice, but they are very filling."

With that he hurried a little faster, and then he saw what Longlegs was watching so intently. It was Grandfather Frog sitting on his big green lily-pad. Old Whitetail gave a great sigh of satisfaction. Grandfather Frog certainly would be very filling, very filling, indeed.

Now, Longlegs the Blue Heron was so intently watching Grandfather Frog that he saw nothing else, and Grandfather Frog was so busy watching Longlegs that he quite forgot that there might be other dangers. Besides, his back was to old Whitetail. Of course Whitetail saw this, and it made him almost chuckle aloud. Ever so many times he had tried to catch Grandfather Frog, but always Grandfather Frog had seen him long before he could get near him.

Now, with all his keen sight old Whitetail had failed to see someone else who was sitting right in plain sight. He had failed because his mind was so full of Grandfather Frog and Longlegs that he forgot to look around as he usually does. Just skimming the tops of the bulrushes he sailed swiftly out over the Smiling Pool and reached down with his great cruel claws to clutch Grandfather Frog. There he sat pretending to be asleep, but all the time watching Longlegs and deep down inside chuckling to think how he was fooling Longlegs and all ready to jump the minute Longlegs tried to get nearer. Just a teeny, weeny second more and the Smiling Pool would never again see Grandfather Frog.

Slap! That was the tail of Jerry Muskrat hitting the water. Grandfather Frog knew what that meant—danger. He didn't know what the danger was and he didn't wait to find out. There would be time enough for that later. When Jerry Muskrat slapped the water with his tail that way danger was very near, indeed. With a frightened "Chugarum!" Grandfather Frog dived headfirst into the Smiling Pool, and so close was old Whitetail that the water was splashed right in his face. He clutched frantically with his great claws, but all he got was a piece of the big green lily-pad on which Grandfather Frog had been sitting, and, of course this was of no use for an empty stomach.

With a scream of disappointment and anger he whirled in the air and made straight for Jerry Muskrat. But Jerry just laughed in the most provoking way and ducked under water.

(Associated Newspapers—WNU Service.)

Minute Make-Ups

By Gabrielle



A mask treatment puts your skin in condition quicker than any other treatment. Always keep a jar of mask on hand for quick refreshment.

Apply the mask over throat and face. Remove at the last minute with warm water, a dash of cold water. Then rouge, powder, lipstick. Your skin will look brilliant!

(Ledger Syndicate—WNU Service.)

3-Ton Keepsake Is Donated to Aid War

EAST LIVERPOOL, OHIO.—Bank President T. H. Fisher's contribution to the war effort is a 30-ton iron bridge.

"Hurl this at the Japs," he said in donating it to a scrap salvage committee. Fisher purchased the span for sentimental reasons after the county abandoned it. It was erected when he was a youth.

What to Do

BY PHYLLIS BELMONT



Could you give me a few ideas on giving a "kid" party? I would like to have a mixed crowd of about 20.

Answer—Send out your invitations on black paper, printed "kid fashion," in white ink, to resemble an old-fashioned slate. Remember to tell your guests to dress as youngsters. This always adds plenty of laughs, and you may, if you wish, offer a prize to the best-dressed "baby."

Naturally you will want to play all the kid games you can think of that used to be favorites of yours. If you have a playroom, mark off the floor for hopscotch, let them play jacks and shoot marbles. An old-time spelling bee can be loads of fun.

Your refreshments need not be child's fare; but you could serve your liquid refreshments in baby bottles, and have bibs and high chairs for the "children."

(Ledger Syndicate—WNU Service.)

Lad's Wish for Antlers Is Fulfilled by Deer

FORT COLLINS, COLO.—Aladdin rubbing his lamp couldn't have been more surprised than Lawrence Thompson, 17, who only rubbed his hands together.

Walking with his father in Poudre canyon near here, Lawrence saw a buck deer adorned by magnificent antlers.

"Boy, oh boy," said Lawrence, rubbing his hands together. "I wish I had those antlers to mount."

No sooner had he said it than first one, then the other antler dropped from the graceful buck's head. (Bucks shed them once a year.)

That's why the Thompson's have such nice antlers to show their friends.

'Night Blindness'

About one out of every 20 persons has a poorly functioning visual apparatus for night seeing. These persons, who in varying degrees are subject to the condition known as "night blindness," are not able to do anything much under the restricted lighting available in the streets during a blackout. Some night blind persons, it may be pointed out, have good daylight vision.

SCIENCE BOOSTS GASOLINE POWER FOR U. S. AVIATORS

CHICAGO.—Military aviation has demonstrated its utter necessity in today's war of rapid movement. Without planes, motorized ground forces would be blind, comparatively groping their mole-like ways, instead of dashing in upon opposing forces.

Behind the drama being written daily across the skies by the war planes, however, is a little heard-of group of men who, in reality, make these spectacular flights possible.

They are the American scientists and motor fuel chemists who first gave aviation its highly volatile gasoline, so essential to the speed of modern air fighters that zoom and dive, soar and rush through the skies at hundreds of miles per hour.

From their laboratories come constantly improved motor fuels for the planes of the Allied nations, giving the ABCD fliers an edge that well may become progressively better, as the Axis powers face the prospect that their motor fuels will not improve greatly, or that they might even retrogress, especially as compared with America's consistent improvement of the gasoline used by her fliers and those of her allies.

Particularly is this Allied advantage impressive, when contrasted with the necessarily desultory results Japan is getting in that nation's experiments to blend alcohol with gasoline, according to a recent report of the American Petroleum Industries. According to A. R. Daum, secretary of the organization's committee on motor fuels, Japan faces an acute shortage of good grades of gasoline. Besides, the price of gasoline in Japan is extremely high, as compared with prices in the United States.

History in the News

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Echo of a Forgotten 'War'

APRIL 9 of this year marks the 50th anniversary of an event that was a high spot in the history of the West—the battle which took place at the KC ranch on the Powder river in Wyoming on April 9, 1892. Perhaps "battle" is too pretentious a word, for it was only a frontier gun fight in which few men were involved. But in so far as it was a case of a man fighting to the death against odds of nearly 50 to 1, it had a certain Homeric quality which raised it above the level of such affairs.

The man's name, appropriately enough, was Champion—Nate Champion. His enemies said he was a rustler—and he undoubtedly was. So they killed him and, all unknowing, they also gave him a certain kind of immortality. For after his death he became a sort of Robin Hood hero, an almost legendary figure whose name and fame have been perpetuated in song and story.

The living Nate Champion was not an important person. But Nate Champion, dying, became a kind of symbol and as such was more significant. For the fight at the KC was the first battle in a "war" which "marked the dividing line between the Old West, under the rule of the cattle kings, and the New West of the pioneer homesteader."

The story of this conflict has been told many times and it is related again in a book published recently by the Caxton Printers, Ltd., of Caldwell, Idaho—"The Longest Rope—The Truth About the Johnson County Cattle War," by D. F. Baber, as told by Bill Walker. The principal interest and value of this addition to our store of Western Americana lies in the fact that the story is told by one of the few survivors of the "war" and possibly the only survivor of those present at the KC ranch fight.



BILL WALKER

The Johnson County war, also known as the "Powder River war," the "Rustler war" and "The Invasion," was the result of the cattle-stealing that was prevalent in Wyoming in the late eighties and early nineties. The big cattle outfits, the principal victims, decided it must be stopped and, rightfully or wrongfully, fixed upon their own method of doing it. Accordingly, a group of these cattlemen, accompanied by hired gun men from Texas, set out early in April, 1892, to invade Johnson county, which they regarded as the stronghold of the thieves, and to summarily execute certain men whom they looked upon as the leaders.

Their first objective was the KC ranch house on the Powder, occupied by Nate Champion, the "king of the rustlers," and his companion, Nick Rae. Bill Walker, "cowpoke" and trapper, and his partner, Ben Jones, had spent the night there and when they set out for an early start on a trapping expedition the next morning they were made prisoners by the "regulators" who had surrounded the ranch house.

Thus it was that the co-author of "The Longest Rope" became an eye-witness of the historic fight that followed. He saw Nick Rae shot down as he came out of the door a little later. He saw Nate Champion rush out, amid a hail of bullets, and drag his dying companion back into the cabin. He tells of Champion's rifle duel with his enemies, which lasted nearly all day, until they set fire to the cabin and forced him to flee. He "came out shooting" and died under their fire in a little gulch nearby. The leader of the "regulators" looked down at him—"Give me fifty men like that and I could whip the whole state!" he said.

After Nate Champion was killed, his assailants found on his body a little book in which he had written an account of his desperate last stand. A newspaper reporter, Sam T. Clover of the Chicago Herald, who had accompanied the "regulators," made a copy of this account which has been frequently reprinted under the title of "The Diary of the Rustler King" and widely circulated. It has perpetuated the fame of Nate Champion as has a poem, "Our Hero's Grave," written by one of his friends and set to music soon after his death

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The Questions

1. How much water can a thirsty camel drink at one time?
2. What is the origin of the abbreviation "lb." for pound?
3. The Constitution requires congress to assemble how often?
4. What bird uses its beak as a pantry?
5. Who was the first man on record to have his ship entangled in the weeds of the Sargasso sea?
6. What is the chief quality of an opaque substance?

The Answers

1. From 15 to 20 gallons.
2. From the Latin word libra, a pound.
3. At least once every year.
4. The pelican. Food is stored in the lower part of its bill.
5. Columbus.
6. It will not permit light to pass through.

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By JERRY LINK



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Folks You Know . .

Miss Dot Hughs and J. V. Crum Jr., were in Bartow on Saturday.

Mrs. J. D. Campbell of Greenville, Tenn., is visiting her brother, Frank A Truan.

Mrs. Christine Lowe of Tampa is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Crosby and family.

Miss Mary Kennerly of Bradenton was the house guest of Mrs. J. O. Bridges for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Drawdy spent the week end in Sanford with Mr. and Mrs. George Altman.

Miss Janet Cook spent the Easter week end at her home in Winter Haven.

Mrs. L. E. Thomas of Fort Lauderdale is the guest of Mrs. C. E. Crabtree at the Jacaranda hotel.

Mrs. E. C. Wever and Mrs. Bill Sachsenmaier were in Lakeland on Saturday.

Mrs. O'Cona Sheffield of Jacksonville spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Godwin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hart of Orlando were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Chandler on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wood have as their guest, Mrs. Wood's father, G. S. Golding. He is returning to his home in Lakeland today.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Howard of Winston-Salem, N. C. are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Godwin for two weeks, having arrived last Saturday.

Mrs. Barney Pearson, who has been visiting her daughter, Miss Millie Pearson for the past several weeks, returned to her home in Bailey, N. C., on Monday.

Miss Marie Hays of Newark, N. J., who was the guest for several days this week of Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck, left on Wednesday for other points of interest in Florida, before returning home.

Miss Josephine Brown of Lakeland is the week end guest of Miss Helen Jarrett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Delaney spent Sunday in Bradenton with their daughter, Mrs. G. S. Peeples and family.

Roogor and Louis DesPres of Chicago, Ill., are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Sue Gregory at Lake Byrd Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Freed Peden spent Sunday in Dade City with the former's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Peden.

Mrs. Louie Evers and children left Wednesday night for Charleston, S. C., to join Mr. Evers who is engaged in defense work at the Charleston Navy Yards.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Stirling of Gibsonia, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Norris of Tarentum, Pa., who have spent the season in Avon Park, left Tuesday for their homes.

Miss Mary Pardee, who is attending Stetson University in DeLand, spent Easter here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pardee.

Mrs. W. H. McCullough and young son, Billie have returned to Charleston, S. C., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McWhorter of Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Archer and son and daughter, Billie and Winifred spent Sunday in Sarasota with Mrs. Archer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Etheridge.

D. G. Perry has been named Entertainment Chairman of the Avon Park Defense Recreation Council of which Mrs. H. C. Worden is general chairman.

Miss Nellie Scheigart of Wauchula, an accomplished tap dancer, gave several numbers during intermission last night at the weekly dance for soldiers at the Winter Guest club.

Mrs. Bil Friedman returned Thursday from Bradenton, where she had spent several days. Mr. Friedman left from there for Camp Blanding, where he is reporting for army service.

Friends of Howard Todd, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd, who underwent a major operation in John Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, Md., last week will be delighted to know that he is improving each day.

Mrs. O. G. Knowles, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Worden and family, left Monday for DeLand, where she will visit, before returning to her home in Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. H. W. Porter and daughter, Miss Ann Porter, of Jacksonville, were visitors in Avon Park Saturday, stopping with their sister and aunt, Mrs. Kate C. Spencer. Mrs. Porter, formerly Miss Laura Chapman, was the first home economics teacher to teach in the Avon Park and Sebring schools.

Bob Rouse left Saturday for Gainesville, Ga., to resume his studies at Riverside Military Academy for the spring term, after spending several days at his home here. His mother Mrs. Nan Rouse and sister, Miss Alice Rouse spent several days last week in Hollywood, where the Academy has winter quarters, and while there attended the cadet dance, a formal social function. Bob returned with them to Avon Park for the Easter holidays.

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There will be a demand for the increasing of taxes at the next Legislature. If you consider that I am qualified to serve you as your lawmaker in Tallahassee and that I am sincere when I say that I will do everything I can to keep the tax burden from increasing and will support measures that will be for the good of all the people, I will appreciate your support and vote in the May 5th election.

HOWARD LIVINGSTON

Vera Garner Opens Shop This Week

Mrs. Vera Garner is announcing in this week's issue of the paper, the opening of an Altering and Dressmaking Shop at 7 Forrest avenue, in the place, formerly occupied by Louise Beauty Shop. Mrs. Garner, who is an expert dressmaker, also plans on making a specialty of alterations, and will make tailor-made button holes. She has had ten year's experience in this line of work, having been connected with shops in Sarasota, Miami, and Winter Haven. Later, she contemplates adding a line of dress lengths in the better materials; and also installing a button machine, for covering buttons and buckles. Mrs. Garner's location is just off the mall, back of Ragsdales' store. She will be pleased to have you come in her shop at your earliest convenience.

Church Notes

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. We have a class and a teacher for you. Join us!

Morning worship service and Holy Communion at 11:00 o'clock, with sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on: "The Altar and The Temple". Special music by the choir. Give worship of God a place in your life. Unite with us in this hour of inspiring worship.

The Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the Church at 7:00 p. m.

The "Covenant Circle" Woman's Missionary Society will meet on Wednesday at 3:00 p. m. at the home of Mrs. C. S. Donaldson. Mrs. Max Wild will have charge of the devotional period, and Miss Alice Davidson will introduce the topic: "The Way of Brotherhood in the Community." Visitors cordially invited to attend.

The "Quiet Hour" service for praise, prayer and meditation will be held on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. with a brief address by Rev. E. G. Todd. We invite you to come.

The choir will meet for rehearsal at the Church on Saturday at 7:30 p. m.

This is a time when all lovers of America should gather in their churches to pray for their country. Let us all come together to ask for God's help and blessing.

CHURCHES OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"Are Sin, Disease, And Death Real?" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, April 12.

The Golden Text is: "The prayer of faith shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up; and if he have committed sins, they shall be forgiven him" (James 5:15).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the World was God. All things were made by him; and without him was not anything made that was made" (John 1:1,3).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Now Jesus came to destroy sin, sickness, and death; yet the Scriptures aver, "I am not come to destroy, but to fulfill." It it possible, then, to believe that the evils which Jesus lived to destroy are real or the offspring of the divine will?" (p.474:18-23).

CHURCH OF CHRIST
O. E. Moss, Minister

Bible Study Classes 10:00 a. m.
Worship 10:45 a. m.

Sermon by Edward J. Craddock: "Almost."

Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

Sermon subject: "Has the Kingdom Come?"

Evangelist Craddock's subjects for the week—

Monday: "The Mark of the Beast."

Tuesday: "Will God Permit Divorce and Re-Marriage?"

Wednesday: "Can we Talk With Our Dead?"

Thursday: "Buried Alive."

Friday: "First Love and Two Demands"—A special message to young people, including a discussion of the merits and disadvantages of War Marriages.

Services on week-nights begin at 8:30.

Bro. Craddock's messages are being well received by interested audiences.

You need to hear these timely messages. They are vital to your spiritual and moral welfare in these times. You will find a hearty welcome awaiting you.

Mrs. W. M. Hetherington and children, Marjorie and Michael visited the former's mother, Mrs. S. F. Huckabay and other relatives in Dade City last Sunday.

RED CROSS INFORMATION

AN EDITORIAL

February 18th, 1942, the last day of the conference of the Committee on National Volunteer Service, the Chicago Sun printed this editorial:

"It takes all kinds of Copperheads to lose a war; and there are many kinds in this country. Among the lowest are those who criticise and slander the American Red Cross and the work it is doing for the men in service and their families.

"Venomous poison has been spewed at the Red Cross recently, and it has caused considerable grief and uneasiness to mothers of soldiers and sailors serving abroad. 'Knowing ones' whisper slyly that the Red Cross makes no accounting of the million of dollars entrusted to it by the public. This, of course, is not true. A report is published every year, after a careful audit has been made by the War Department. Others insinuate, and even sometimes boldly declare, that soldiers and sailors have to buy from the Red Cross whatever they need—are even charged for medical attention.

"The biggest job the Red Cross has is that of working with soldiers and sailores and members of their families, caring for the sick and the wounded, taking care of their helpless dependents, keeping the morale high, both in the camp and at home.

"It is important, most important, that morale be maintained. The Copperheads realize this. Hence their vicious and sly attacks on the integrity of the Red Cross. Destroy faith in the one civilian organization that should be, and is, above all suspicion—and you've destroyed morale."

League Party At Gerrard Home

A delightful party of Monday evening was given at the home of Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, when Charles Colbert, here with the Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment, entertained members of the Intermediate League of the First Methodist Church. The rooms were attractively decorated with pink gerberas and blue lupin, to emphasize an Easter color note.

A number of interesting games and contests were enjoyed during the evening. Later, delicious refreshments of ice cream, cup cakes, both devil's food and white, each topped with Easter symbols in pastel shades, and orange juice were served. Favors were chocolate candy rabbits.

Those sharing the party with their host were Retha Mixon, Jerry Witt, Barbara Bridges, Delores Crosby, Wanda Chandler, Lou Jean Crum, Charlotte Orr, Bob Crum, Bobby Hall, Betty Jo Wells, Barbara Lawhon, Fred Montadeo, ca, Jimmy Singletary, E. C. Wever, Arthur Carrett, Mary Elizabeth Hall, Jack Batton, Johnny O'Connor, Helen Bradbury, Jerry Connell, Marie Bassmore, Ralph Gerrard, James Bishop, Jack Rogers, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, and Mrs. C. H. Gerrard.

Bob Crum, on behalf of the league members and guests, expressed appreciation to the host of the evening, for the delightful party.

Mrs. Cain Honoree At Shower Party

Mrs. A. B. Thompson and Miss Ruth McGraw entertained at a lovely shower and party on Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Alber Cain, a recent bride. The party was given as a surprise, and was held at the home of Mrs. Cain's mother, Mrs. H. W. Harden.

The rooms were attractive with their decorations of spring garden flowers, intermingled with greenery, to suggest a pastel theme.

The array of dainty and useful gifts were presented, after which sandwiches, small cakes, mints and punch were served. The refreshments further emphasized the chosen motif.

About thirty-five guests attended, and shared the affair with the honoree.

Easter Egg Hunt On Baptist Lawn

The Primary, Beginners, and Cradle Roll departments of the Baptist Sunday School were entertained at a delightful party and Easter Egg hunt on the church lawn Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. After the merry search for the colored eggs, the children played games, and were served enjoyable refreshments of ice cream cups.

Mrs. W. C. Touchton, superintendent was in charge of the affair, and was assisted by other teachers in the departments, and several mothers present.

Use More Honey And Less Sugar

(By Barbara B. Dorsey)

Food conservation is a necessary part of Defense, yet a balanced diet is vital for health and the good health of our Nation is our first line of defense.

Sugar has been in the public eye for some time as one of the items to be rationed. Now that Chairman Nelson of the War Production Board and Price Administrator Henderson have jointly declared that "the sugar rationing program will proceed as scheduled," sugar is indeed in the public eye if not in the public mouth.

Sugar has long been considered a necessary food and often we are prone to use too much of it for good health. We can all now assist in its conservation for vital needs and at the same time promote better health by substituting honey for many of the sugar uses.

Honey as a food has been recognized by man from the beginning of time and has a Biblical significance. It has its own distinctive flavor and sweetness and combines well with our tropical fruits. Such combinations are far more healthful too than is sugar with fruit. Honey permeates the meat of the fruit without stirring and thus adds eye-appeal to salads and desserts. Bread, cakes, cookies, pies and other pastries baked with honey have a delicious flavor and keep well.

Children will enjoy (and so will you) cookies made thus:

1 cup honey, 2-3 cup fat, 1-2 tsp. salt, 2 cups rolled oats, 2 cups flour, 1-2 tsp. soda, 2 tsp. baking powder, 1 tsp. cinnamon, 1 cup chopped raisins.

Cream fat and honey together, add eggs. Mix dry ingredients and sift, add to wet mixture with oatmeal Dust raisins with flour and add, mixing well. Drop by teaspoonfuls on greased pan. Bake 10 to 12 minutes.

Honey Butter is delicious blended with chopped nuts or fruits. Use it for cake, pudding or ice cream topping; for toast, waffles or hot biscuit. Try it with nut bread for tea service.

2 parts honey, 1 part butter

Let butter stand at room temperature to soften, add honey and stir till thoroughly mixed.

For that birthday cake for the children try this Honey icing:

1 egg white, 4 tsp. water, pinch salt, 1 cup honey, 1 tsp. cream of tartar.

Combine all ingredients and cook slowly over low heat beating constantly till mixture stands up in peaks. Beat till creamy after removal from heat.

Delectable pies with honey:

Make an apple pie but use no sugar and bake without a top crust. After baked sprinkle immediately with 3-4 cup of honey over the apple filling and let stand till honey has permeated the apple pieces. Broken nut meats may be added. Loquats or peaches may be used instead of apple, and some people use mango meat.

Honey Sauce will add piquancy to your fruit and vegetable salads:

2 tsp. honey, 1 cup whipped cream, 1 tsp. prepared mustard, or 1 tsp. of lemon or lime juice.

Mix mustard, or fruit juice, (but not both in same recipe) with honey and stir in whipped cream. 2 ounces of American cheese may be added which makes a particularly fine dressing for English peas, tomatoe or asparagus salad.

Most any child or an invalid with finiky appetite will like this:

Mix one dip of ice cream with 1-4 cup of warm honey add 1 cup of milk and shake well. Delicious warm or cool.

And here's a Vitality Honey Cocktail good for all of us to start the day with:

6 oz. orange juice, yolk 1 egg, 2 oz. lemon juice, 2 oz. warm honey.

Beat ingredients together and drink at breakfast time.

Honey may be used in a large variety of ways with meats, vegetables and fruits. Now it's your turn: try various combinations with honey instead of sugar and give your family grand taste thrills.

A mild honey such as orange blossom or palmetto is preferable for best results in cookery. If it granulates it is not spoiled, that's Nature's way of preserving it. To reduce to liquid—If you must have liquid honey—place container in hot water (do not boil) for a short time.

Use more honey, less sugar, and thus conserve sugar and promote health. Get acquainted with Honey, Nature's own sweet, for health, for National Defense.

Hoods Entertain Tuesday Evening

An enjoyable affair of Tuesday evening was the bridge party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hood, when they entertained their club. Roses and spring garden flowers were arranged into bouquets to decorate the rooms, thrown ensuite for the occasion. A low bowl of pansies, in rich colors, combined with green foliage formed an especially pretty arrangement.

Scores for the evening were kept on tallies in an attractive spring blossom design. When totaled, Mr. and Mrs. Freed Peden were awarded high score prize; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morgan, second high; and Mrs. Lester Armstrong won the floating prize.

At the refreshment hour, the tables were overlaid with pastel colored papers in green, pink, yellow and blue. Delicious refreshments of apple pie ala mode and coffee were served. During the games, refreshing fruit punch was served from the punch bowl on the lace covered dining table, and candies were placed on each table.

Club members enjoying the party were Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Freed Peden, Mrs. J. L. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware, and I. H. Ford.

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B. P. W. Club Met Monday

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Tea on Saturd... of Carm...

The engagement of M... Elaine Booth, lovely d... Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Boo... Quintana, son of Mr. a... Quintana, 3400 Nebr... Tampa, was announced... given by her mother o... afternoon, from 3:30... o'clock. No date was ... for the wedding, which... place in June.

Guests were received... door by Mrs. D. G. Perr... presented dainty corsa... tel blossoms, to which... tached a card, insc... "Carmen-Joe". The co... were encircled with fri... of white tulle, and wer... Viva Katherine Tillis, ... the bride-elect; and C... nell, cousin of the ... both of Tampa, who ... pastel taffeta frocks... length.

The hostess, Miss ... Mrs. Quintana, moth... bridegroom received th... the reception room. ... wore an afternoon dr... lace with a contrasting... pink rosebuds; the bri... gowned in flowered ... with matching accessor... and Mrs. Quintana ... crepe, with which she ... sage of white roses.

Spring flowers in p... were used in profusion... ception and music r... gladioli, and snapdrag... mingled with greenery ... ing.

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Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE B. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Tea on Saturday Announces Engagement of Carmen Booth and J. L. Quintana

The engagement of Miss Carmen Elaine Booth, lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth, to J. L. Quintana, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Quintana, 3609 Nebraska ave., Tampa, was announced at a tea, given by her mother on Saturday afternoon, from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock. No date was announced for the wedding, which will take place in June.

Guests were received at the door by Mrs. D. G. Perry, and were presented dainty corsages of pastel blossoms, to which was attached a card, inscribed with "Carmen-Joe". The corsage trays were enclosed with frilly ruffles of white tulle, and were held by Viva Katherine Tillis, cousin of the bride-elect; and Carmita Nunez, cousin of the bridegroom, both of Tampa, who wore crisp pastel taffeta frocks, in floor length.

The hostess, Miss Booth, and Mrs. Quintana, mother of the bridegroom received the guests in the reception room. Mrs. Booth wore an afternoon dress of gold lace with a contrasting corsage of pink roses; the bride elect was gowned in flowered silk jersey, with matching accessories in red, and Mrs. Quintana chose beige crepe, with which she wore a corsage of white roses.

Spring flowers in pastel shades were used in profusion in the reception and music rooms, with gladiolas, and snapdragons intermingled with greenery predominating.

The tea table, beautifully appointed in silver and crystal, was laid with an exquisite lace cloth, and centered with a low arrangement of white sweetpeas and carnations, topped with a miniature bride and groom. Tall white tapers burning in silver candlesticks, on either side of the centerpiece, cast a soft illumination over the silver tea service at one end of the table. White calla lilies, combined with white stocks, was fashioned into a beautiful arrangement on the buffet, to complete the bridal motif, and was flanked on either side, by lighted wedding tapers.

Crystal and silver trays on the table held canapes, and individual decorated cakes, and crystal compotes were filled with salted nuts and green and white mints. Mrs. G. P. Thayer poured the first hour, and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, poured the second hour.

Others assisting in the dining room were Miss Clio Metcalfe, Mrs. Nan Rouse, Mrs. John Bunting, Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Miss Alice Howie, and Mrs. John Maxey of Frostproof.

Miss Booth was born in Cleveland, Ohio, but came to Florida in early infancy, and was reared here. On her maternal side, she is a direct descendant of the Tillis and Crum families, prominent pioneer families of Polk county. She was graduated from the Avon Park high school and attended Stetson University in DeLand for two years, where she was initiated into Delta Delta Delta Sorority and served as treasurer of the organization. She was graduated from Florida Southern college in Lakeland, and was a member of the Songsters' and the Vagabonds' Dramatic Society. While at Southern, Miss Booth, who is exceptionally talented in music and expression, appeared in several plays and vocal numbers over Radio Station WLAK, Lakeland. For the past three years she has lived in Tampa, where she is a member of the Little Theatre group, and has been given public recognition for her talents. She makes her home at the Venetian apartments, Davis Islands.

Mr. Quintana was born in Tampa and was graduated from Jesuit high school. He was graduated from the University of Florida, where he was a member of the Chi Phi fraternity and prominent in school activities. He studied languages abroad and was employed as credit manager of the Haverty Furniture company before entering the army. He is now studying at the officers' school at Fort Monmouth, N. J.

Guests invited to share this lovely affair were Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mrs. Nan Rouse, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Mrs. Horace Garner, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. C. H. Parsons, Mrs. W. M. Hetherington, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. John Bunting, Mrs. A. H. Able, Mrs. Walter S. Martin, Mrs. H. E. Godwin, Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mrs. E. P. Loomis, Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mrs. John D. Raab, Mrs. G. S. Roberts, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb, Mrs. Brisco Willis, Mrs. Sue Gregory, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. Freed Peden, Mrs. J. C. DeShong, Mrs. Crumley Bass, Mrs. Virgil Hall.

Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, Mrs. Francis Shockley, Miss Elizabeth Green, Miss Alma Harrell, Miss Verna Estes, Mrs. W. C. Tomlinson, Mrs. R. T. Seagraves, Mrs. C. E. Crabtree, Mrs. F. L. Rumpus, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mrs. S. F. Burt, Mrs. Earl W. Hardy, Mrs. T. J. Ward, Miss Alice Rouse, Mrs. J. V. Cross, Mrs. H. C. Worden, Mrs. T. H. Hughs, Mrs. Cyril Baldwin, Mrs. L. M. Orr, Miss Sarah Browning, Miss Eva Phillips, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. John Mead, Mrs. Jack Mead, Mrs. J. B. Francis, Mrs. H. E. Keller.

Out of town invited guests included those from Tampa who were Mrs. J. Quintana, Mrs. Fred Tillis, Mrs. M. C. Richardson, Miss Hein Lacotin, Misses Pauline and Ethel Kee, Miss Billie Bell, Mrs. Lester Coleman, Miss Jean Kelly, Mrs. J. Nunez, Miss Clara Turner, Miss Madalin Harlan, Mrs. Martha Tillon, Mrs. W. A. Hendricks, Miss Dorothy Sefton, Mrs. J. R. Bradford, Miss Jackie Jameson, Miss Mantyne Light, Mrs. A. J. Barnes, Mrs. W. E. Dechinecs, Mrs. R. P. Van Dame, Mrs. A. B. Gay.

From Frostproof: Mrs. John Maxey, Mrs. S. W. Keen, Mrs. Theron Keen, Mrs. Bill Saunders, Mrs. Sam Denton, Mrs. Guy Ruhl, Mrs. Latt Maxey, Mrs. P. J. Langford, Mrs. B. H. Griffin, Mrs. Ray Urie.

Others from out of town were Misses Mary Margaret and Joan Mills, Clearwater; Mrs. M. M. Tillis, Ft. Myers; Miss Dorothy Hodil and Mrs. Austin Hancock, Bering; Mrs. M. A. Wilson, Ft. Meade.

Class Picnic At Lake Byrd

The Overcomers' class of the First Baptist Sunday School and several invited guests, participated in a delightful all-day picnic at Lake Byrd on Thursday. The affair was arranged by Mrs. C. W. Pabor, class teacher, who was assisted by Mrs. Albert Demorest. Swimming was enjoyed during the day and a picnic lunch was served at noon.

Those attending were Ruby Pate, Madge Pilcher, Winifred Demorest, Ruth Pendleton, Dorothy Walker, Hilda Clark, Juanita Sauls, Barbara Turnbull, Patti Rounds, Elizabeth Bradbury, Cora Lee Thompson, Dorothy Lawhon, Lena Mae Perry, Peggy Jo Smith, Winifred Hood, Margaret Dilley, Polly Thomas, Dorothy Gribble, Mrs. Pabor, Anne and Edgar Pabor, and Mrs. Demorest.

Kellers Entertain Tuesday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keller entertained members of their club at an enjoyable bridge party at their home on Tuesday evening. Garden flowers, in lovely variety and harmonizing colors, were used to decorate the party rooms.

High score individual prizes, when scores were totaled, were awarded to Mrs. Walter S. Betts and Dr. Stanley N. Reeves. They were presented Defense stamps. The hostess served a dainty refreshment course after the games.

Those present includd Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, J. Paul Garber, Mrs. Walter S. Betts, and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield.

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From Report to Comptroller at the Close of Business April 4, 1942

RESOURCES

Cash and Due from Banks		$337,571.33
U. S. Securities		184,479.38
Listed, Municipal & Other Bonds & Securities	89,627.50	
Accrued Interest	3,165.81	$614,844.02
Loans and Discounts		103,564.66
Overdrafts		113.05
Furniture & Fixtures		6,450.21
		$724,961.94

LIABILITIES

Capital	$50,000.00	
Surplus and Undivided Profits	51,156.13	$101,156.13
Reserves		8,510.23
Bills Payable		None
Other Liabilities		121.58
DEPOSITS		615,174.00
		$724,961.94

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Sugar . . and Spice

(NOTE—This interesting local column, which has been conducted by Mrs. Anna Belle Worden in the Times, will be conducted in the future and will appear as a regular feature in both the Sun and Times, starting next week. The column has "caught on" with local readers in a big way and we feel it should be a definite asset for our advertisers. The columnist is vacationing for a few days, but promises to be back on the job next week, with a fresh amount of sugar and sufficient spice—and to hell with the rationing.)

Martha Wever and F. M. Thompson Married Friday

Miss Martha Louis Wever, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Crawford Wever, and Francis Marion Thompson, son of Judge and Mrs. Neal S. Thompson of New York city were united in marriage Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Foundry Methodist Church in Washington D. C. The single ring ceremony was performed by Dr. Harris, pastor of the church, before a large assemblage of relatives and friends.

Palms and tall floor baskets of spring flowers, arranged against the chancel, formed an effective background for the wedding party.

As the guests assembled, the church organist presented a program of nuptial music. The "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin was used as the processional, and during the ceremony, "I Love You Truly" was softly played.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her uncle, Frank L. Paulman of Roselle Park, N. J., was attractive in a navy blue French twill spring suit, with which she wore a matching hat, with draped veil. Her flowers were a shoulder spray of white orchids.

Miss Gwendolyn P. Wever, sister of the bride, was her only attendent. She wore a beige spring suit with jet accessories, and a corsage of talisman roses.

Stewart Thompson, cousin of the groom, served as best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at Hotel 2400.

After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will be at home at 223 North Glebe Road, Arlington, Va.

Mrs. Thompson was born in Bedford, Ind., coming to Avon Park in childhood. She received her early education in the schools of Avon Park, and attended Florida Woman's college in Tallahassee and Abbott's Art School in Washington D. C. She is employed in the Law Library of the Interior Department in Washington.

Mr. Thompson is a native of Chattanooga, Tenn. He was educated in the McCallie Preparatory School for Boys in Chattanooga, and attended the University of Tennessee. He was graduated from George Washington Law School, and is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. Mr. Thompson is now an attorney in the State Department in Washington.

Phun Klub Enjoys Supper Party

Members of the Phun Klub enjoyed a covered dish supper on Monday evening. The menu consisted of meat loaf, potato salad, macroni and cheese, sandwiches, rolls and butter, cheese, jelly, pickles, baked beans, cake and tea. An interesting feature of the evening was the awarding of the hand made centerpiece, that has been on display in Ott's window. Mrs. Elnora McRichie of Port Clinton, Ohio, was the fortunate recipient. As she has already left for her home, the package is being mailed to her. The Rebakah Lodge sponsored the presentation of the centerpiece.

The table, where the guests were seated, was covered with a white damask cloth, with a centerpiece of phlox and fern.

The delightful affair was enjoyed by Mrs. Blanch Dee, Mr. and Mrs. F. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Reed, Mrs. Floyd Hougahcom, Miss Marie J. Hays of Newark, N. J., Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck, Mrs Nancy Boraif and Mrs. Ben T. Cox.

Auxiliary Elects Officers for Year

Mrs. M. V. Pilcher was elected president of St. Margaret's Auxiliary for the ensuing year, at a recent meeting of the organization. Mrs. J. A. Johnson was elected vice president; Mrs. Chas. F. Kenney, secretary, and Mrs. F. A. Truan, treasurer. These officers will be installed in June.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Raab to Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary With Open House Monday, April 13

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Raab, who will celebrate their golden Wedding anniversary on Monday, April 13, will hold informal Open House at the Poinsettia hotel from three to five in the afternoon, and again in the evening from eight to ten. No invitations are being issued, but all friends of the couple are cordially invited to attend during the designated hours.

Maxine Doty and Fred Morrison Married Sunday

Miss Charlotte Maxine Doty of Avon Park, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Doty of Clewiston, and Fred McLeod Morrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Morrison of Mount Verde, were married in a beautiful service Easter Sunday afternoon at the Community Church in Clewiston. The ceremony took place at four o'clock, and was performed by the Rev. Kent Pendleton of Fort Myers, retired Presbyterian minister, before a large gathering of relatives and friends.

John Perry, baritone and Mrs. Doty, mother of the bride, pianist, rendered a program of nuptial music proceeding the ceremony. Mr. Perry's numbers were "Oh, Promise Me", "At Dawning", and "The Rosary." The traditional wedding marches were played.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, John W. Doty, was radiant in her wedding gown of white ninon lace, made princess style, with sweetheart neckline, and full sleeves, caught at the wrist with a ruffle of lace of self material. The full skirt extended into a long train. Her knee-length veil of sheerest illusion was caught to the hair with a halo of pearls and orange blossoms, and was inset with bands of lace to match the dress. Her flowers were a bouquet of calla lillies with a shower of real orange blossoms.

Her only attendent was Miss Lee Pigeon of Clewiston, who wore a sun-glo yellow dress in lace material, similar to the bride. The bodice was fitted, featuring a sweetheart neckline and short puffed sleeves. The bouffant skirt fell in soft folds, and she wore a spray of yellow jonquils in her hair. Her flowers were an arm bouquet of pastel blossoms tied with yellow satin ribbons.

George Swarth, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, attended him as best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride. Garden flowers were used in profusion in the rooms. The three tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom, formed the centerpiece for the bride's table, and was served with punch. Miss Florence Graham and Miss Edith Nell Cornette assisted in the dining room.

After spending some time with their guests, the couple left for a short wedding trip to Miami. The bride traveled in a red jersey dress designed with an accordion pleated skirt, with which she wore white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

They returned this week to Avon Park, where they are making their home.

Overall Club Has Enjoyable Dance

The Overall Club and their dates enjoyed another delightful dance on Friday evening, at the Brick-ell building. Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves and Mrs. J. L. Wells were chaperones for the evening. Refreshing orange juice and cookies were served.

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Altar Guild Tea On Wednesday

A lovely affair of Wednesday was the afternoon tea, given by the Episcopal Altar guild at the home of Mrs. Demos Mandis, west Pleasant street. A profusion of colorful spring garden blossoms, in pastel hues, were arranged into effective bouquets to decorate the rooms of the Mandis home for this occasion.

The tea table, in the dining room was overlaid with an embroidered Italian cutwork cloth, and centered with a low silver bowl filled with Sherokee roses. Mrs. W. S. Betts poured, and members of the Guild assisted in serving the dainty sandwiches, cookies, and individual cream puffs.

Mrs. R. J. Wood rendered several vocal selections to delight the guests, with Mrs. Sue Gregory as her piano accompanist. Another pleasant feature was conducted by Mrs. Mildred Allen, who told fortunes during the afternoon.

Over sixty guests attended the tea during the designated hours.

Frank Truan Gray of Princeton, New Jersey is spending his spring vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Truan.

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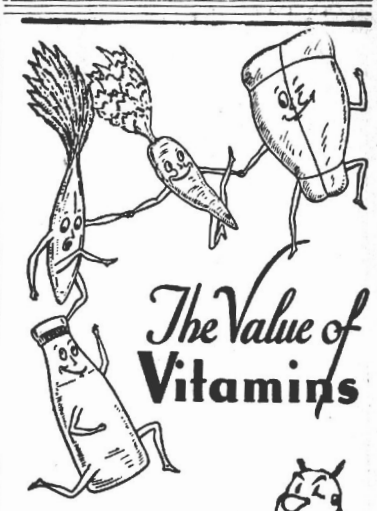
The Value of Vitamins
A great deal has been said about eating certain vegetables to obtain vitamins, yet if these foods are not handled correctly by the homemaker, the vitamin content is lost.
Nobody seems to know exactly what vitamins are, they furnish no energy; they build no tissue, yet they seem to be necessary in making the different organs of the body take advantage of the foods that we eat.
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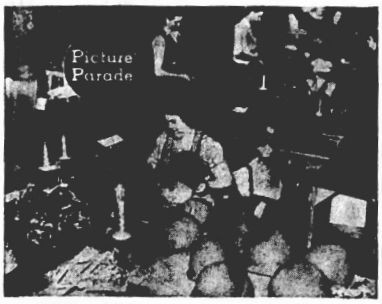
Making Martial Millinery

For today's lesson we take you to the Detroit plant of the McCord Radiator company where steel helmets for our bigger, better army are being turned out at the rate of 12,000 a day. The new model is pot-shaped. It comes down over the forehead and covers the back of the neck, giving added protection to the entire head and sides of the face. Note how the martial millinery rolls off the assembly line.



SEWING . . . What sewing can there be on a steel helmet? The chin-strap. Strap-hooks have already been welded to the steel shell, and the women shown in this picture are sewing on the straps.



EDGING . . . The brim of a steel helmet is practically non-existent, but there's a tiny turned-up edge, and you see that edge put on here. Machine that does the job is called a spank press.



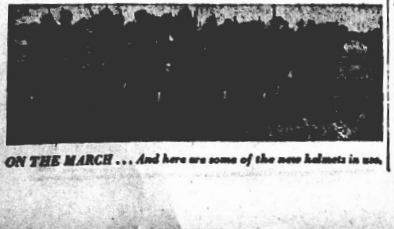
WEIGHING . . . Here's something different in government inspectors — pretty Marjorie Thompson, who checks finished helmets for weight. Nothing goes over 2 pounds, 7⅞ ounces.



QUADRUPLE CHECK . . . Finished helmets pass on a conveyor belt before the critical eyes of no less than four government inspectors. Flaws don't get by.



HAT RACK . . . In this store room at the McCord plant are some of the thousands of helmets that await shipment to army centers.



ON THE MARCH . . . And here are some of the new helmets in use.

Speaking of Sports

By Bob Ruhl

IT WILL COME as no great shock to American league followers to read that the New York Yankees are considered quite a strong ball club.

In fact, several reputable individuals have advanced the unhappy theory that the Yankees have only one thing to fear—overconfidence. They hold that the Bombers are so accustomed to victory that they have lost the keen urge to win. The old college try will be lacking.

Such a thing is possible, of course. But it's highly improbable. They may not have the drive peculiar to the Chicago White Sox or the Brooklyn Dodgers, but there is good reason for that. They haven't been in the underdog's role for so many years. If victory is a habit, Manager Joe McCarthy's men are slaves to it.

The Yankees have suffered little so far from the draft. Their overall strength is as great as ever, both offensively and defensively.

Witness the case of ace Joe DiMaggio. The Yankee hitter's six-year mark is .346. He hit .357 in 1941 and has his batting eye focused on the .400 mark. He hovered around that mark in large part of the 1939 season, finishing with .381.

Yankee Power

As a team the Yankees hit .286 last season. Boston and Washington led the league with marks of .283 and .272 respectively. DiMaggio and Rizzuto were the Bombers' leading hitters. The latter hit .307 for the season.

McCarthy has few worries concerning his mound division. With Ruffing, Chandler, Gomez, Russo,



JOE GORDON

Bonham, Donald, plus a few others in the stable, the boss man can concentrate on other problems.

On the defensive side, the Yankees are on top. Joe Gordon, though not the most dependable hitter on the team, is one of the best defensive second basemen in history. He can smear more base hits than any infielder in other league. He is lightning fast and is absolutely free from tension.

With Dickey behind the plate, Gordon on second base and Joe DiMaggio in the center field spot, the Yankees have the strongest "pennant line" in baseball.

The number one assignment of every other team in the circuit is, of course, to beat the Yankees. New York's domination of the league has not been particularly healthy. The Yankees are too strong for most of their competition.

Changing Picture

Fortunately, there are no absolute certainties in any branch of sport. Changing world conditions—meaning the war—have served to confuse the picture even more. Connie Mack, who heads the Athletics, claims the White Sox have the best balanced team in the league outside of the Yankees. He thinks the flag may win the pennant if McCarthy's club "stubs its toes this summer."

In speaking of the seven other clubs of the league, there's usually an "if." If the Yankees lose a few key players, or if the champions become overconfident, then the predetermined train of events may jump the track.

It isn't unlikely that the Yankees will gain a long lead comparatively early in the season, and then disappear from sight. Perhaps they can be stopped, but only through the efforts of one or two teams. The White Sox may cause considerable trouble, thus preventing what would be no more than a stiff race for second place.

The best interests of sports in general will be served if the race is a close one. The future of professional sports is none too secure. The enthusiasm which would be engendered by a real flag battle might be invaluable during the darker days which are sure to come.

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¶ Johnny Kotz of Wisconsin, Bob Faught of Notre Dame and George Rung of Great Lakes were unanimous choices for places on the all-opponent cage squad chosen by Marquette basketball players.

¶ John Stoltz, sophomore on Northwestern university's golf team, broke 80 when he was 13 years old.

¶ Jimmy Adair, former Chicago Cub infielder, has been named manager of the Springfield Three-Eye league club.

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A neighbor, watching him chastise the boy, noticed with admiration that Bernard gave no outward indication of pain.

"Don't you ever cry when you're beaten, Bernard?" he asked.

"What's the use?" retorted the small boy. "The old man's deaf!"

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"That'll no excuse for desertion, Mose," said the judge. "The law gives a woman the right to talk all she wants to."

"Yassuh, Judge. I knows it do. Only Lucy she never stop talkin'. She keep it up ridd'y, mo'nin', noon and night, till I cain't stan' it no mo'."

"She does? What does she talk about?" inquired the court.

"Judge, suh," Moses said, "she don't say."

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RED RANGE

By EUGENE CUNNINGHAM

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Con mounted calmly and rode over the ridge.

THE STORY SO FAR: To save his life, Con Cameron is forced to join a band of outlaws headed by Dud Paramore. Because he was seen with the Bentons, who are wanted for robbery and murder, he is suspected of being one of their gang, of being a certain Comanche Lim. Arrested when he rides into Tivan, he is not released in spite of the fact that he had saved the life of the marshal, Nevil Lowe, only a few days before. Knowing that he must escape or be hanged, Con breaks out of jail with Jeff Allison. On their way to join Paramore they meet a group of Mexicans, and Jeff takes their money. Con insists that he return it. One of the Mexicans promises to help him if he has a chance, and a little later, in the nearby town of San Marcos, he does so. One of Paramore's men, Gonzales, has threatened to kill Con. The Mexican warns him in time, and Con kills Gonzales first. They are surprised in San Marcos by Lowe and a posse. In the fight that follows Lowe kills some of Paramore's crowd, and Dud swears vengeance. It is few minutes later.

Now continue with the story.

CHAPTER VIII

"Now, Con," said Dud, "he's kind of like Big in one way—nothing on the shoot, but kind of fancying himself with his fists. Of course, Big was really something at fist-and-skull and Con—Say! You wouldn't think you're as good as Big was, Con? Would you?"

"Why, certainly not!" Con cried loudly. "How could I be, if he was somewheres around as good as you are? You let me be just next after him, will you? Even that makes me second to you and I couldn't ask more."

"We'll see!" Dud told him, flat, singsong drawl almost a whine. "You and me'll try a li'l' tussle—friendly, of course. Kind of see where you do stack up when you ain't bucking somebody like poor li'l' Snaky Gonzales."

"This is certainly obliging of you, Dud," Con drawled humbly.

Dud leaped a yard from the ground with a scalp yell and cracked his heels together. He dropped lightly and rushed Con with another yell, flailing terrific blows from all angles. Con slid to the side and let him go by.

"Of course," Con went on evenly, "I never did see Big—"

Again he evaded the bull-like charge and Dud fell flat.

Con watched him scramble furiously to his feet and charge with the ferocity of an animal. He increased his speed, trying to hammer down the smaller man.

Con hummed "Buffalo Gals! can't you come out tonight?" and jabbed his left into Dud's face to snap his head back, hooked a right to the belt that doubled him over, then turned and walked to where the gaping Jeff and Catfish sat.

"If it's all the same to you," he said, "I think that's just plenty for a friendly mill. I'm all out of wind!"

Dud walked shakily to where Catfish held his pistols, but when he sank to the ground he could only pant open-mouthed for minutes.

"If you was—half as good—with your cutter—as you are with your fists," he said at last, "you'd be somebody! Yeh!"

Dud gestured toward the whisky jug.

"Take a big snort of that tarantula blood, you-all. We're going out in society. Yes, sir! We'll hit Nevil Lowe a lick that'll knock the book right out of the hand of that college professor grandpa that started the NL. We're going visiting him; going to strip the NL clean. If he ain't home—that's what we want."

They packed food into their saddle pockets before mounting. Jeff and Catfish and Dud seemed to pick up cheerfulness during the day as they rode across the mountains.

From thinking of the gunman, Con moved naturally to thought of that other artist with the Colt, gray and silent old Hugh Norris.

They stopped before dark at the house of a Mexican rancher, set on the divide that marked the long drop down to Lobo Valley—that held Tivan forty-odd miles westward. While he ate, and after the meal as they lounged about the door in pine-scented darkness, he listened to the talk of Dud, Catfish, and Jeff, and the ranchero and his two lean, handsome vaquero sons.

"Many! and fine!" the rancher answered Dud's question about Nevil Lowe's horses.

When they rode away from the ranchero's next morning, Catfish led the way across foothills until they came to a one-room adobe with a small pole-corral beyond it. A tall man with binoculars at his eyes studied them, then lowered his glasses. He stepped from the doorway into the yard and waited. When they came up to him he nodded.

"Howdy, Dud," he greeted them. "Hello, Catfish. Looking for a meal? Or just riding by?"

"Rode by to see if you-all wanted to come along with us and help Nevil Lowe out with his horses. Seems terrible, them horses running wild just because Nevil's so busy sheriffing he can't round 'em up. I got some other notions, too."

"We had something like that in our heads," the other said calmly. "Coming over to wawa with you. Pickings are awful slim with us. Be with you in a shake. Saint! Come on down."

"Coming!" a cheerful voice said—from directly overhead.

A blond head lifted at the edge of the dirt roof. They stared as the lanky cowboy gathered a Winchester and shotgun under his arm and swung easily to the ground beside his dark, older partner. He laughed at Con's disgusted expression.

"We like to be ready for company. So when we sighted you-all, I cached myself up there. If you'd wiggled a finger at Dandy, the four of you would have waked up in hell!"

"What we need is about eight nursemaids — two apiece!" Con drawled. "Somebody is going to steal the clothes off of our backs and the horses from under us, in this wicked world."

"Hell! I guessed he was up there," Dud said quickly. "Well, let's get going," he grunted, when Con laughed.

By early afternoon they were out on a great flat where mesquite and greasewood studded the long grass. A cut wire lay behind them and they began to gather horses and move them slowly forward. At last they halted in a cottonwood motte in what Catfish said was Nevil Lowe's small holding pasture.

"House is just across the ridge," Dud announced. "Catfish, you and Con stick here to keep an eye on our horses. Rest of us'll round up the ranch. You say the Boy Sheriff's just working two boys, huh, Dandy? Reckon we—can take care of 'em. May not be anybody there."

He led the diminished band across the ridge and Catfish and Con smoked and waited. When an hour dragged past, Con looked at the sun.

"I'm going up to see what's happened," he told the patient Catfish. "You're enough to watch the horses, in this pasture."

Catfish began to object. Dud had said—Con mounted calmly and rode over the ridge. The gang's horses stood outside of a neat, white plastered house set in a grassy yard shaded by big trees and bordered with flowers. Con rode down the slope and into the yard, to swing off and let the reins trail.

"Well!" Dud cried, when Con walked into a large, clean kitchen. "Thought there was something said, Con-Comanche, about you sticking with the horses . . ."

"While you-all sit easy and gobble everything in sight, huh?" Con countered, grinning. "I left Catfish. He's a nice doggy—fool enough to sit up and bark and be glad if he's flipped a bone."

They were gathered comfortably at a big table covered with dishes. But evidently their meal had been finished; two quart bottles and tumblers were in the foreground and Dud and the big, dark Dandy were drinking. Con made himself a sandwich of steak and loaf bread and looked around. In a corner, very quiet and strained of expression, two young cowboys sat with backs stiffly against the wall.

While he ate, Con loafed curiously about, looking at the tidy place. He could see the hand of Janet Lowe, he thought. He went outside and around to look at the front. One door opening off the living room was open. Through it he glimpsed a bed—and two slender feet, oddly bundled about the ankles . . .

He went noiselessly across to look in. Janet Lowe was tied hand and foot with saddle strings. Her white, horror-stricken face was turned toward him; dark eyes were widened, glazed. He drew a long breath and slipped into the room, hand going mechanically into a pocket.

"What's all this about?" he breathed in her ear. "I—I didn't know what Dud was up to—"

"He—he's going to take me with him! He hates Nevil. He's afraid of him. He says this will fix Nevil—"

Con stood and looked desperately about. The casement window in the thick wall was open and outside he could hear the horses stamping lazily. He went swiftly back to the bed, opening his stock knife. The whangs about Janet's wrists and ankles dropped away from the sharp edge. He put an arm around her and helped her up. She began to work her hands, move her feet, staring at him.

"Come on!" he whispered. "There's a good horse out there for you. You know the road to town. Ride it!"

He kept his arm around her shoulders as they crossed the room. Then he went easily through the window, reached through and caught her wrists. The small noises she made did not stop the talk in the kitchen. On the ground, outside, she watched him as a child might have done, expectantly—trustfully!

"Quiet!" he warned her.

There was a kitchen window to pass, before he could reach Jeff's horse. Someone would certainly be facing that way. He moved down the wall, dropped to hands and knees and crawled under the line of that sill. Erect again, he moved toward the horse. It opened its eyes and stiffened. When he put out a slow hand toward the trailing reins, it moved back a step. He edged closer. Another pace and he would be past the corner and in view of anyone looking through the kitchen door. Again he reached for the reins and the horse lifted a foot.

He caught the reins and pulled. The horse followed easily—even when he got down to crawl beneath the window. But inside the kitchen Dud said:

"Saint! That damn' caballo of yours is a-walking off. Better catch him. We'll be leaving quick."

Con stood and went faster toward the girl. He drew his pistol and faced the corner of the house while he put down a hand to help Janet mount. But Jeff's voice came lazily:

"Ain't Saint's horse. Mine. He won't go nowheres."

In the saddle, color seemed to come back to Janet's face. She looked frowningly at Con.

"Come with me! No matter what it is that you have to face, I don't think that you're—what—You—I'll make Nevil help you! He's not so sure of himself since that awful night when you and Jeff got away and—the others—Come with me! Please!"

"Reckon not. Now, you walk on off, slow. Get over that slope, then give him the leather."

"I wish you'd leave that awful Paramore!" she whispered, staring down at him with lip caught between her teeth. "I know you're not their kind. But—goodby!"

She bent suddenly from the saddle and her lips brushed his cheek. Then she straightened and sent the horse off at a slow walk toward the gate in the front fence.

Footsteps on the veranda sent Con swiftly to that corner. But it was Jeff coming from the front door. His mouth was tight and his eyes narrow. He looked furtively behind him, then at Con again. He beckoned imperatively.

"Boy! You have got to take your foot in your hand and light a shuck! Dud and that big, mean, new fellow, Dandy, they have had their heads together. Dud says to Dandy, when I ain't supposed to hear, that there's one in the bunch he aims to get shut of: And it's your tail feathers he aims to collect! Dandy says he would as soon do it as not—today."

"Because of—that?" Con asked frowningly.

Jeff stared in the indicated direction. Through a gap in the trees Janet showed, going over the ridge that would hide her perfectly from the house, once passed.

"You—you let her loose!" he breathed. "And give her my horse! Hell! You ain't got five minutes. Dud'll look into that bedroom. Then he'll kill you! Man—Dud was plumb crazy about her first time he ever laid eyes on Janet. Here! I'm going back in and I'll stall Dud all I can. You slide around and grab Pancho and go on back to Catfish. Tell him—oh, anything! Then you ride like hell and don't you never let Dud catch up with you, no time! And—luck, kid! I never met a man I liked better!"

Con slapped him on the shoulder and ran noiselessly around the house, to drop and crawl beneath the window and so get to Pancho with the careless bearing of a man weary of idling.

"I'm going back to the horses, Dud," he called. "Want Catfish to come down and eat?"

"Yeh. He might's well," Dud answered, leaning so that he looked through the door, grinning.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Reviewed by CARTER FIELD

Government Anxious To Keep Non-Essential Buying Down . . . Most Manufacturers Want More Restriction on Themselves . . .

(Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)

WASHINGTON.—There is probably more to be said in favor of a sales tax at the present moment than at any time in this country's history. Incidentally, the most formidable group of opponents the sales tax has ever had, the large store owners, have virtually flopped over to its favor, while the chief argument against it—the one which has always moved President Roosevelt—has disappeared for the duration.

Let's consider the President's previous objection. It was that a sales tax was not only a tax on people least able to afford it, but that it cut down consumption, and hence helped to restrict unemployment.

This argument vanishes into thin air for the duration. The government is anxious for people not to buy things they do not have to have. The government wants this for two reasons. First, it wants to limit all non-war production as far as possible. Second, it wants the savings effected by the people NOT buying these things translated into government bonds.

There is no question of employment—for the duration. The government needs the work of every man and woman possible for war production. It will continue to need them, more and more, so long as the war lasts.

Sales Tax Advantages

Thus in so far as a sales tax operates to curtail buying of nonessentials—and perhaps even some things that are ordinarily regarded as essentials—it is all to the good.

But what must be considered here is the effect of all this AFTER the war. This does not mean that anything that will help in the war should be stopped because of worry about its later effects. But it does mean that congress should consider what steps must be taken immediately after hostilities are over.

When this war ends, whether soon or late, and assuming of course that we win the war, for otherwise nothing will make any difference, we are going to be faced with a terrific and almost inconceivable debt. So taxes must continue at a rate which will continue to hold down improvement in our standards of living.

BUT—when that time comes there will be a need for every possible encouragement to employment—to greater national income so as to spread the tax burden thinner. So it might well be that the thing to do about the sales tax would be to eliminate it the moment hostilities stop, and the swing back to normal from the war effort sets in.

There will be a magnificent market, with the public starved of things it wanted during the emergency eager to buy. But there will be MILLIONS of men returning to private employment, not only from the army and navy, but from industry engaged in war work.

And they must have jobs.

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Few Stockholders Hurt by Profit Slash

One of the shrewdest attacks on the attitude of certain labor leaders that has yet been made came naturally enough, from Rep. Howard Smith of Virginia.

There is no intent here to accuse Mr. Smith of trying to deceive, but he set up as an "attack" on profits by capital a straw man which can easily be knocked down.

The point is that the alleged great profits of manufacturers on war contracts are nothing like so dear to the hearts of the manufacturers and their larger stockholders as the union labor leaders would have the public believe. Most of them would be delighted at some restriction by the government which would cut those profits down to what almost anyone would consider a very reasonable figure indeed.

They want this for three different reasons. One is that it would tend to take them out of the hot spot, where they are the target for every demagogue, be he labor leader or politician, in the country.

They might be able to stand such criticism if they were benefiting substantially, but it irks them considerably when they know perfectly well that just a few years back they could have made much larger profits in peace time.

The second reason is that they fear continuance of the present situation would make the probable wave of inflation certain. No one in business wants to see that.

Still a third reason is that the manufacturers are looking forward to after the war. They know that labor conditions imposed on them NOW will continue, and continuing, make trouble, during what may be a very trying period of reconstruction.

NEW IDEAS for Home-makers

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS



LONG before we were threatened with the necessity of blackouts window draperies were hung well over walls to give rooms a sunny spacious effect. The same idea may now be used to keep light in at night. A cornice taking the place of a picture moulding is smart for both modern and traditional rooms and gives anchorage near the ceiling for rod, or pole.

This sketch shows how one homemaker made cheerful, soft green sateen blackout draperies, repeating a tone in the chintz of the new slip covers. They are edged with cotton cord fringe in a darker tone.

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Origin of Dumdum Bullet

A dumdum bullet is a partially steel-cased bullet with a soft core that expands as it tears through flesh, says Pathfinder. Because of the mushrooming of the core it aggravates the injury of the wound.

Use of dumdum bullets was officially condemned by the International Peace conference of 1899. Their name derives from Dum Dum, a town near Calcutta, India, where they were first manufactured by the British for use against fanatical native tribesmen who refused to be stopped by ordinary steel-jacketed bullets.



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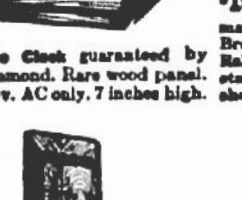
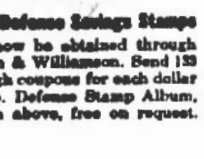


Table Clock guaranteed by Hammond. Rare wood panel. 115-v. AC only. 7 inches high.



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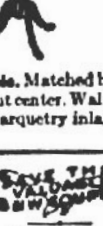
Zippo Pocket Lighter of satin chromium. Wind guard. Plain or three-initial monogram.



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First prize . . .	$100.00 cash
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100 prizes of a carton of Raleighs . . .	150.00
133 PRIZES	$500.00

Lee Cites Law For Collection of Intangible Tax

Tallahassee, April 9 (Special)—Advised of Attorney General Tom Watson's effort to halt the state's search for and collection of unreturned and past due intangible taxes State Comptroller J. M. Lee pointed to the words of statute itself which requires him to seek out unreturned intangible property and see that taxes are levied and collected.

The mandate of the statute is direct and unequistable Comptroller Lee says quoting Section 19, of the intangitable tax law which requires the work and authorizes payment therefor.

Sec. 19. DUTY OF COMPTHOLLER. The Comptroller shall make independent investigations concerning the Intangible Personal Property assessment rolls and he shall ascertain by diligent search and inquiry whether all persons, firms or corporations have made proper returns and whether all intangible personal property subject to taxation has been assessed, and advise the Tax Assessors of his findings. The Comptroller may employ such persons as may be necessary to enable him to perform his duties under this Act. The Tax Assessors shall utilize the information furnished by the Comptroller.

"I am not unmindful," Comptroller Lee stated, "that it is not popular to seek out property which has not been returned for taxes and require the payment of taxes thereon. Neither am I unmindful of the fact that the people elected me to do this job and required that I take an oath that I would do this job. Therefore, I am merely choosing between what I might do in order to court popularity and what I must do if I am to live up to the obligations of the office I have assumed.

"I will not be swerved from this purpose by sniping, regardless of the source or the means. I am going to collect taxes due the State of Florida to the last penny to the best of my knowledge and ability—no more, no less.

"I am not going to persecute anybody and I am not going to attempt to collect a thin dime that doesn't belong to the State of Florida. I have been enforcing tax collections against Tom, Dick and Harry and I am not going to quit just because of the delinquents have money to hire lawyers. The courts are perfectly capable of passing on any matters and I have always been more than willing to follow their mandates.

"The great majority are willing to pay their taxes and the only way to relieve these consistent taxpayers is to collect from whose who do not pay their full share. If these latter have the ability to employ lawyers to fight these claims, I must do likewise—and the law gives me that authority and I am proceeding accordingly."

Cattlemen Told of New Feeds to Improve Quality

Highlands County cattlemen have an opportunity to try out several new home grown carbohydrate feeds which look very promising, according to a talk made by A. R. Howard at the meeting of the Cattlemans' Association Tuesday night at the Court House. With better feed you will have an opportunity to secure better markets for your cattle was a further suggestion given by W. J. Sheely, Extension Animal Husbandman.

Mr. Howard stated that recent experiments with the new method of shredding and drying sweet potatoes indicated that this feed was 90 per cent as efficient or valuable as ground corn meal. Three bushels of regular potatoes will make one bushel of the new type feed. Thus, an average production of 150 bushels of sweet potatoes would be equivalent to 50 bushels of corn per acre. This new development in feeding indicates that the dried sweet potatoes can be fed to practically all types of livestock.

Mr. Sheely stated that with the Food for Victory Program in progress it was becoming increasingly important to have a good calf crop every year and then have proper feed and also other methods for the cattle so as to get the most efficient use of the capital and labor involved.

County Agent Alsmeyer reported that there was an increasing demand for dasheens for planting as a food crop and indications are that they would be of similar value to sweet potatoes, but that they can stand much more water. He further stated that Rex Beach is building one of the new type shredding machines and expects to have same in operation soon.

Offers Plan



BARNEY J. COHEN

Cohen Proposes Plan To Pay For Med Fly Damage

Citrus growers in this and other counties have received with enthusiasm a plan for the federal government to immediately pay Med-fly eradication loosers in U. S. bonds. The author of the plan is Barney J. Cohen of Orlando, Democratic candidate for congressman-at-large.

As the situation stood at the time Mr. Cohen made his plan known, grove owners were disheartened by reports that final action would be held up until after the end of the war. Owners in this section of Flornda had lost entire groves in 1929 when the federal government sought to check a reported Med-fly plague. Recently a congressional committee recomended damage payment.

Mr. Cohen has advised friends that he will be glad to appear before any local group and explain in detail his plan and how it would immediately aid this community. He is receiving inquiries from all sections of the state.

Recreation Council Extends Thanks

Some five weeks ago the Defense Recreation Council molded into shape a program that if the merchants and business men of Avon Park would cooperate they could build a fund sufficient at the present time, to furnish entertainment and recreation for the soldier boys in our midst. The Defense Recreation Council, with but few exceptions, met with whole hearted support among the merchants and business men of Avon Park, in donating a prize equal to $1.00 in value each week for five weeks, to be played off at the bingo game every Tuesday night. This dream has been realized. The program was a success, and we wish to take this opportunity to sincerely thank each and every firm or person that contributed to this program.

Prizes were contributed by the following:

Wells Motor Company, Avon Park Theatre, Bert Turner, J. S. Francis, O. C. Wilkes, O. R. Perry, W. T. Connell, Wiley Sauls, Demos Mandis, Dr. I. W. Chandler, Dr. W. C. Touchton, Alex Cafe, Cyril Baldwin, Avolon Grill, Sappington Hardware Co., W. S Betts, Earl Green, E. H. Ware, Cities Service Station, C. E. Lanier, C. E. Crabtree, Fred Smith, Stewart Thayer, B. & B. Grocery, Western Auto Supply, Avon Park Cafe, I. H. Ford, Bill Beckett, Wolf's Department Store, Leon Ragsdale, Dr. M. E. Jordan, Jordan's Jewelry Company, A & P Company, Touchton's Drug Store, Barnett Bank, W. R. Carter, Ott & Son, Davis 5 & 10c Store, Hall Dry Cleaners, L. R. Nichols, Bill Bennett, Stewart's Men Shop, H. G. McArthur, The Sun.

By these contributions from the above named merchants and business men, Recreation Council is enabled to create a fund of approximately $200 to carry on entertainment and recreation for the boys in uniform. All this money will be spent exclusively for this purpose. The bingo games will be carried on and hereafter prizes will be bought from the contributors as far as possible. The Defense Recreation Council solicits your cooperation and participation at all times.

If by error we have failed to mention any contributor, please accept our regrets and thanks also. It was almost impossible to keep a correct tabulation.

Too little; too late; too bad! There still is time to buy U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps.

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Madge Pilcher

Noted Producer Makes Visit to Lodwick School

Gilbert Miller, New York and London producer of stage plays, flew to Lakeland last Saturday to visit Albert I. Lodwick and inspect the Lakeland School of Aeronautics and the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, Avon Park.

Miller, an ardent aviation enthusiast, has been a sportsman pilot for many years, having piloted his own plane not only in this country but in Europe. He was well pleased with the flying schools owned and operated by Lodwick and was particularly enthusiastic over the Lakeland setup, where British students are in training. Having lived in England for years, where he operates two theatres, he enjoyed visiting with the Britishers.

"Ollie" Davis, aviation sales representative of the Texaco company, New York City, flew Miller from Palm Beach to Avon Park in his Northrup low wing monoplane in 38 minutes. After making a thorough visit of the Avon Park school, Davis and Miller flew to Lakeland in 15 minutes in the fast, all metal monoplane, which was formerly used by TWA in experimental stratosphere flying. The plane has a top speed of more than 200 miles an hour.

Lodwick and army air corps officers at the local flying school entertained Miller at luncheon, after which they showed him Lakeland and its various points of interest. It was the theatrical man's first visit to Lakeland. He flew back to Palm Beach late yesterday afternoon.

Miller has produced some of America's and England's most famous plays, including "Nothing But The Truth," "Victoria Regina" "Journey's End," "The Age of Innocence." He has been producing stage plays since 1916, having started in the theatrical business as a stage manager in 1907. He was for many years vice president of Charles Frohman, Inc.—Lakeland Ledges.

Soldiers Do Not Understand "Free Mail," Letters Held

Because men of the armed forces apparently misunderstand a new postal regulation granting them "free mail" priviliges, a large stack of letters and other matter has already accumulated at the Post Office, according to Postmaster Perry.

"Only first class mail—ordinary letters—may be sent without postage," he said, "and it is absolutely necessary that the sender put his return address, including rank and branch of service, in the upper left hand corner of the envelope. The word 'FREE' must be written where the stamp is ordinarily placed.

Since many soldiers and sailors have not complied with the regulation, much of the mail can neither be sent to its distination or returned to the sender, the Postmaster said.

"Some men have sent picture folders," he continued, "but such matter is not first class mail and does not come under the new regulation." In some cases the Post Office sends a card to the addressee asking for sufficient postage, but because of the mounting volume, this cannot be done in all cases, he explained.

Bonds buy bombs, Stamps buy bullets! Buy U. S. Defense Bonds or Stamps every pay day!

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

IN COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.

In re Estate of
MARY EDNA COVINGTON

Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that on the 1st day of May A. D. 1942, We shall apply to the Honorable T. A. McNicholas, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for final discharge as Executors of the estate of Mary Edna Covington deceased. My final report and application for final discharge are now on file in the office of said Judge.

Dated April 1st A. D. 1942.

M. E. COVINGTON, Jr.
M. E. COVINGTON
EXECUTORS

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

Notice is hereby given, that J. E. Gilbert Lake Placid, Florida holder of Tax Certificate No. 563, issued the 2nd day of September A. D. 1935, 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 4 Block 2 Lakeview Heights Section 36 Twp 36 S Range 29 E.

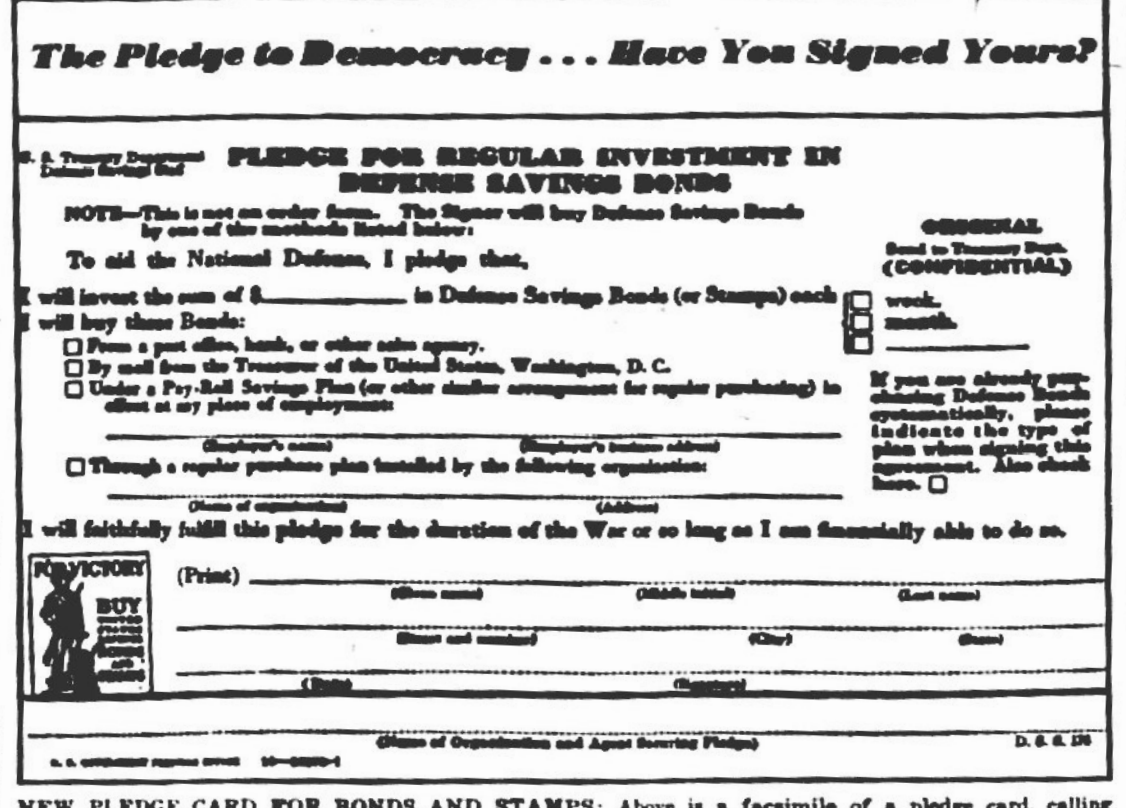
The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Unknown.

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 May 1942, which is the 4th day of May, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of April, 1942.

H. T. PIETY
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
April 4, 11, 18, 25.

The Pledge to Democracy . . . Have You Signed Yours?



U. S. Treasury Department Defense Savings Staff

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Five Supervisors Named Friday for Istokpoga District

The election of the five supervisors of the Istokpoga Soil Conservation District will be held this Friday at the Lake Placid Progressive Club and the Lorida Post Office.

Those who have been nominated for this election are G. A. DeVane, T. Jesse Durrance, A. L. Hall, J. W. Kelly, W. H. Melvin, Austin Pearce, Ralph Richardson, Mrs. Geo. B. Waggerman.

A qualified elector under the Soil Conservation Districts Acts include any person qualified to vote in general elections under the Constitution and statutes of this state, who, in addition to such qualifications, is a landowner within the district.

The district involved in the Istokpoga area is, roughly, starts at the south west corner of Section 35, Township 38 South, Range 30 East, runs north to State Road 8, then west to Lake Childs and north to the Coast Line Railroad track through Lake Placid where it crosses the range line south of Hendricks Field, then north including Hendricks Field and Earl Hartt's ranch and up to the south end of the bombing range and then east to the range line between ranges 30 and 31 East, then south to the Seaboard tracks along to the Kissimmee river and down the Kissimmee River to the county line and then along the county line west to the point of beginning. The main purpose for the formation of this District is better water control.

Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr. and daughter, Nancy are spending the week in Zephyrhills with Mrs. Ginn's mother, Mrs. F. W. Ames and brother, Bryum Ames. Mr. Ginn accompanied them to Zephyrhills for the week end, and returned to Avon Park Sunday.

The USO on May 11 will launch its national campaign for $32,000,000 to provide recreation to the troops. For cigarettes alone, Americans annually spend $1,350,000, or forty-two times the USO quota.

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

Notice is hereby given, that Mrs. R. Richardson, Tampa, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 188, 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 16, Block 4, Section 23, Twp. 33 S., Range 28 E.

The assesent 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 on the first Monday in the month of May, 1942, which is the 4th day of May, 1942.

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
April 4, 11, 18, 25

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

Notice is hereby given, that J. S. Di Giorgio Winter Haven, Florida holder of Tax Certificate No. 58, 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 following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lot 3 Block 1 Section 13 Twp. 33 S Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Sam Howell Jr.

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 May 1942, which is the 4th day of May, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of April, 1942.

H. T. PIETY
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
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Nutrition Notes
(By Miss Sarah Browning)

In discussing diet, we could never over emphasize the importance of the food elements we call the vitamins. Let us consider very briefly the portion of them called the vitamin B complex. This little family is made up of three members namely, niacin or nicotinic acid, riboflavin, and thiamin.

The first of the group is a vitamin found in such foods as wheat, lean beef, chicken, liver, and lesser amounts in milk, green peas, tomato juice, and turnip greens. It is in no way related to and has no connection with nicotine as found in tobacco.

Riboflavin, the next member, is found in milk, cheese, eggs, lean meat, liver, nuts, kale, spinach, and other greens.

Thiamin, the third member but quite as important a food element, is found in goodly amounts in whole wheat flour, oatmeal, and other whole grain cereals, beans and peas, nuts, and lean pork products.

In conclusion, let me stress the importance of this family of foods in your diet, by quoting a statement by Dr. Lydia J. Roberts, who is chairman of the Home Economics department of the University of Chicago. Dr. Roberts says that there are 3000 deaths annually in our country, from pellegra, and there are 200,000 cases of it present to greater or lesser degree. Pellegra is a disease caused by insufficient vitamin B.

Let's get our Vtamin B and do our part to maintain a nation of strong healthy people.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Skipper announce the birth of a baby son, weighing nine pounds, who arrived Sunday, April 5 in a Sebring hospital. The young man has been named Lewis Stephen.

BAPTIST WORKER HERE

Miss Mary Wilson of St. Petersburg, state mission worker for the Baptist W. M. U., has been here this week, conducting Sunbeam and Adult study courses at the First Baptist Church. While in Avon Park, Miss Wilson was a guest at the R. H. Lawhon home.

Face Powder vs. Gun Powder

In 1942, USO will seek $32,000,000 for recreation for the troops. In 1937, America spent $146,024,000 for cosmetics.

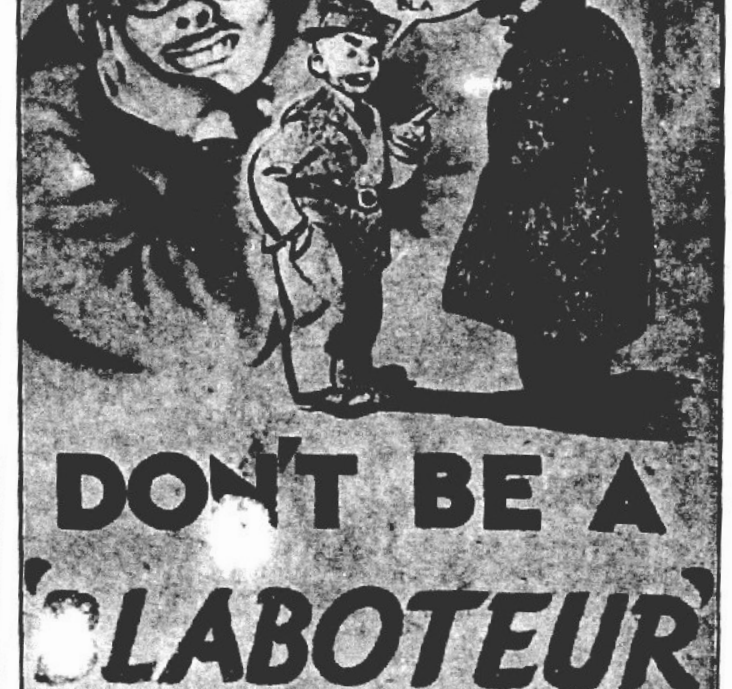
Matthews Makes Active Campaign Over the State

Tallahassee, April 10.—Major Eugene S. Matthews, senior member of the Florida Railroad Commission, is travelling extensively over the State in the interest of his candidacy for re-election.

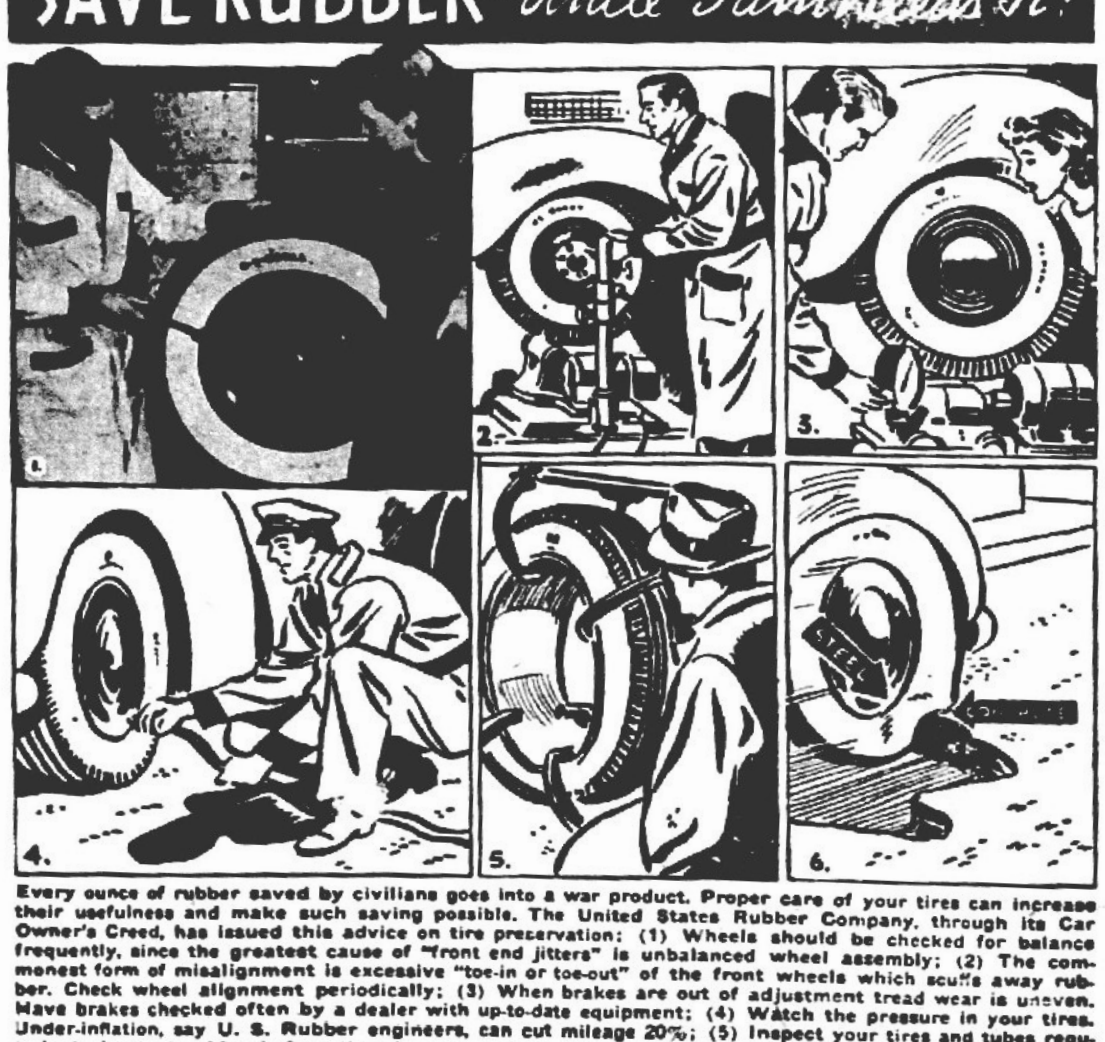
Reports reaching Tallahassee from the section he has visited indicate that he is being most cordially received everywhere, and that he is being assured of cordial support from people in all walks of life in all sections of the State. As one well-known Florida citizen expressed it, "His long experience as a newspaper publisher, legislator and railroad commissioner has given him such a wide knowledge of the State's affairs that he is looked upon as the 'all Florida' candidate. He was born in Bradford County and has lived the whole of his adult life at Starke, a point almost exactly midway between Miami on the South and Pensacola on the West. From this vantage point he has been able to know and to understand the interests and aspirations of all sections of our State."

Commissioner Matthews has an unusually strong background of public service and his long tenure as a member of the Railroad Commission has given him intimate acquaintance with the complex questions which the Commission has to solve. His broad experience with transportation and communication problems gained from his service on the Commission are everywhere considered invaluable to the people of the State of Florida.

JEEPTOONS By Fighting Men



Men of the fighting services are adept with pen and brush, as proven in art groups in USO clubs. USO presents examples of their work in a series of "Jeeptoons."



Every ounce of rubber saved by civilians goes into a war product. Proper care of your tires can increase their usefulness and make such saving possible. The United States Rubber Company, through its Car Owner's Creed, has issued this advice on tire preservation: (1) Wheels should be checked for balance frequently, since the greatest cause of "front end jitters" is unbalanced wheel assembly; (2) The commonest form of misalignment is excessive "toe-in or toe-out" of the front wheels which scuffs away rubber. Check wheel alignment periodically; (3) When brakes are out of adjustment tread wear is uneven. Have brakes checked often by a dealer with up-to-date equipment; (4) Watch the pressure in your tires. Under-inflation, say U. S. Rubber engineers, can cut mileage 20%; (5) Inspect your tires and tubes regularly to locate troubles before they become serious. When cords are broken inside the tire you can't see them but they may cut the tube if not located; (6) Avoid sharp impacts with curbs or curb stones or other objects. Severe impacts may be absorbed by the tire but they are often deadly. Rim cuts kill tires.

Gas Tax Money Should Be Used to Build New Roads

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Eat More Citrus For Your Health's Sake

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County Sales of Bonds, Stamps Are $176,293

Plans Laid For Canvass Week, April 17-24

Highlands County purchased a total of 176,293.00 worth of Defense stamps and bonds up to March 31, according to a report by Guinard Maxcy, division chairman of Defense Savings Stamps and Bonds in Highlands county, just made public.

A total of $136,795.75 in bonds have been sold and $39,497.25 in stamps. The Tropical State Bank, Sebring topped all bond sales with $78,125.00, and the Sebring office was high in stamp sales, reporting $37,162.50 stamps sold.

Prefacing the Every American Canvass Week, declared by Governor Holland as of April 17-24 for the purpose of recording how much will be spent for national defense in purchase of stamps and bonds, Mr. Maxcy makes the following report as of March 31:

Barnett Bank of Avon Park, stamp sales, none, bond sales $52,875.00; Tropical State Bank, Sebring, stamp sales $200.00, bond sales $78,125.00; DeSoto City post office, stamp sales $350.00, no bond sales; Avon Park post office, stamp sales $1784.75, no bond sales; Sebring post office, stamp sales $37,162.50, bond sales $5,795.75.

Linton E. Allen, chairman of the State committee directing this canvass, states: "Every citizen with a regular income must decide this week whether our most to will be: 'too little and too late,' or 'on time for victory.'"

Maxcy asking the cooperation of the public in the forthcoming canvass, said: "We hope to make a great record in Highlands County during Every American Canvass Week. Be sure to pledge all you can possibly afford, thus you are saving money at interest and also helping to fight and win the war. It is important that every wage earner pledge the utmost. We cannot win this war with pennies. It will take dollars and lots of them.

"Of course we will be 'On Time For Victory,' said Maxcy. "There is just no other way to be. Sales have been making a steady advance in our County recently and we expect to make a grand and glorious record this week.

"This is not a canvass to sell the stamps and bonds right now, all anyone is asked to do is to sign a card pledging a certain amount of their income for purchase of stamps and bonds during the year. This is merely lending your money to the Government and you will be paid interest on it too, explained Mr. Maxcy.

"Let us all enlist in this fight for freedom," continued Mr. Maxcy, we can't all join the armed forces of our Country, but we can all fight for freedom by buying Defense Stamps and Bonds. Pledge all you can possibly afford toward the saving of our priceless possession—Freedom.

"Remember:

The more bonds we buy
The more bombers will fly."

Navy Recruiter Will Be In Sebring Every Two Weeks

O. J. Purdom, U. S. Navy recruiter will be in Sebring every two weeks on Wednesdays, located in the office of the Sebring American building, on the following dates:

April 29, May 13 and 27, June 10 and 24, July 8.

Anyone desiring information, or desiring to enlist in the U. S. Navy, the U. S. Naval Reserve or the construction regiment of the U. S. Naval Reserve should contact the Navy recruiter in Sebring on the above dates.

Colored boys are urgently needed by the Navy for mess attendants, Purdom said. They must be single, between the ages of 17 and 40, with a sixth grade or better education. Pay ranges from $21 to $150 per month, with retirement.

Too little; too late; too bad! There still is time to buy U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps.

Friends Offer Congratulations—



MR. AND MRS JOHN DAVID RAAB

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Raab Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary Monday

Mr. and Mrs. John David Raab, celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary on Monday, April 13, with Open House at their home at the Poinsettia hotel, No invitations were issued, but friends were invited to call in the afternoon between the hours of three and five, and again in the evening, from eight 'til ten. About two hundred friends called during the designated hours, to share this auspicious occasion with this esteemed and devoted couple, who have made their home in Avon Park for the past twenty-two years.

The couple received their guests in the reception room of the hotel which had been transformed into a veritable flower garden, with the colors of gold and white predominating. They stood beneath an archway of palms, dotted with orange blossoms, cherokee roses and sprays of Queen Anne's lace, against a background of pedestal baskets filled with Eucharist lilies, white stafice, and gerberas, in soft golden shades.

Mrs. Raab, gracious and charming wore a white evening gown fashioned of white lace and crepe, and a shoulder corsage of orchids. She wore a strand of white Richelieu satin beads, the gift of a close friend. Mrs Edward Raab of Washington, D. C., sister-in-law of Mr. Raab, and her son, John David Raab, assisted the couple in receiving.

The soft glow of many lighted tapers, burning in gold holders, cast a soft illumination over the many beautiful spring blossoms placed at advantageous points about the room. An exquisite arrangement of snapdragons and gerberas in golden tints, combined with Queen Anne's lace in a gold container, graced the mantel, and was flanked on either side by lighted tapers. Deep yellow nasturtiums in a blue bowl, with blue bird figurines were at one end of a console table, and a gorgeous massed bouquet of talisman roses, in a container on the piano, was tied with a huge bow of golden satin ribbon. Many other lovely bouquets, which added a note of color and distinction to the decorations, had been sent to the couple from friends here, and in other cities. Mrs. Katherine Bristol and Mrs. Chas Weigle of Sebring welcomed the guests upon their arrival.

The tiered wedding cake, frosted and decorated in gold, and topped with a miniature bride and groom, beneath a golden wedding bell, composed the centerpiece for the bride's table, overlaid with a lace cloth. Silver trays held homemade ice box cookies, and crystal compotes were filled with yellow mints. The white napkins were embossed with The Raabs, in gold lettering.

Mrs. L. M. Orr, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, and Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, alternated in presiding at the punch bowl and assisting at the refreshment table, during the afternoon and evening.

Mrs. G. P. Thayer presided over the handsome gold moire guest book, inscribed on the cover with gold lettering. Back of the guest book table was a hand painted sampler, designed with blue forget-me-nots, and "Grace and John, 1892-1942, the gift of a friend.

Guests were presented favors of small golden wedding rings, attached to a miniature white dove, bearing the date of 1942.

Occupying a conspicious place was a panel picture in a gold frame, fashioned of 50 gilded wish bones, of various sizes, in butterfly and star designs, made against a background of black velvet, on which was a picture of the Raabs. The unusual design was made and presented to the couple by an Avon Park friend.

Adding a delightful note to the occasion were the solos sung at intervals throughout the evening by David Raab of Washington D. C. He sang two favorite selections "I Love You Truly" and 'Because.'

Friends who assisted in the hospitalities, during the reception hours, were Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. C. R. Mingledorff of Jacksonville, Mrs. G. S. Roberts, Mrs. A. C. Wester and Mrs. A. McKee Elwell.

Over two hunured guests called during the reception hours to convey their love and respect to this estimable couple. The Raabs were married in Chicago, fifty years ago. Since coming to Avon Park, they have, by their endearing ways, sincere christian characters, and indomnitable spirits won the admiration and esteem of a host of friends, who were most happy to extend congratulations on this occasion, and to wish them many more years of happiness.

Among those from out-of-town attending the celebration were the Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Mingledorff of Jacksonville. Rev. Mingledorff was formerly pastor of the First Methodist church in Avon Park. Scores of cards and telegrams were received by the Raabs from friends in Florida and other states.

PTA HEARS FINE PROGRAM THURSDAY

H. J. Mummau Named President For Coming Year

Among the most entertaining and delightful PTA programs of the school term was given at the auditorium on Thursday afternoon, when pupils of Miss Iva Phillips fifth grade presented a Spanish Playlet, under the capable direction of Mrs. Curtis Lawhon. The young people taking part were attired in typical costume, and all songs, dances, and dialogue were in Spanish.

The meeting opened with assembly singing of two Spanish songs, led by Miss Alma Harrell, with Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr. at the piano. Rev. J. P. Dalton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, conducted the devotionals. Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, program chairman, announced the numbers.

Mrs. R. H. Stodden, president, presided at the business meeting, following the program.

H. G. Mummau was elected president of the organization for the ensuing year. Other officers elected were Mrs. J. E. Spencer, vice president; Mrs. T. J. Ward, secretary; Mrs. Jas. A. Davis, treasurer. This report of the nominating committee was given by Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, chairman. It was announced that Mr. Mummau had been a member of the high school faculty since 1919.

The president named Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mrs. W. A. Roberts, Mrs. Demos Mandis, and Mrs. W. C. Touchton a committee in charge of the senior breakfast, which

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Air Force League Opens Here Sunday

Avon Park Plays Hendricks Medicos At Head Field

The Air Force baseball league, recently organized with six teams, will open its season at Head Field Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, when the Medicos from Hendricks field play the Avon Park town team. The other four teams will play a double bill at Firemen's Sebring, when the Bombers from Avon Park play the Hawks, and the Mercurys play the Sebring town team. Sebring games start at 2 o'clock.

Next Wednesday's schedule: At 2 P. M. Avon Park vs. Hawks, and Medicos vs. Bombers, in double header; 8:15 P. M. Sebring vs. Mercurys at Sebring.

The games will be played in Avon Park every Wednesday afternoon and one game at Sebring on Wednesday nights. The Sunday two games will be alternated between Avon Park and Sebring.

The season will be played in two halves, with the winner of the first meeting the winner of the second half for the title.

To further expand its activities, the Defense Recreation Council will sponsor the Avon Park club. It is the purpose of the council to create every worthwhile activity possible in providing entertainment and recreation for the army men. All funds earned by these activities will go for recreation.

DWELLINGS MAY BE REMODELED IN NEW RULING

Avon Park Named In Critical Area Due to Camps

Owners can remodel dwellings to provide extra accomodations in critical war housing areas, the Regional Information Office for Emergency Management has announced. Avon Park is included in the towns in Florida classified as critical housing areas, due to the establishment of military camps in this area.

A new WPB order give preference rating to such projects when the cost of scarce materials does not exceed a remodeling average of $100 per room and $800 per structure. Rent ceilings apply to the remodeled units.

This order applies only in localities already designated as critical housing areas. These include:

In Florida Arcadia, Avon Park, Clewiston, Cocoa, Jacksonville, Key West, Lakeland, Ocala, Opa Locka, Orlando, Panama City, Pensacola, Sebring, Starke, Tallahassee, Tampa, Valpraiso.

Father of Mrs. Wyckoff Dies in Davenport, Apr. 4

John H. Willcox, 71, father of Mrs. O. F. Wyckoff, Avon Park, passed away at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. W. Sherrill in Davenport on Saturday, April 4, friends here will regret to learn. Funeral services were held from the chapel of Carey Hand funeral home, Orlando, and following cremation, the remains were sent to Billings, Montana, to be placed beside his wife, who passed away in 1934.

Mr. Willcox formerly lived in Illinois, going from there to Montana in 1910. Previous to that time, he had been engaged in farming and raising livestock on a farm, which he operated near Billings, Montana, for 23 years. He came to Davenport in 1937 to live with his sister.

He was always an active church member, belonging to the Methodist church most of his life. He was a steward of the Methodist church at Davenport, and was superintendent of the Sunday School at the time of his death.

Surviving relatives include two daughters, Mrs. Wyckoff, and Mrs. Lee Yates of Fishtail, Mon., two sons, Rev. William J. Willcox, Castle Rock, Col., and Edward K. Willcox, Chicago, Ill.; two sisters, two brothers, and seven grandchildren.

Captain Smith Promoted to Grade of Major

Captain Harry R. Smith, commanding officer of the Avon Park Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment was notified Saturday, April 11, of his promotion to the grade of Major in the A. U. S. with the Air Corps.

Formerly of Albany, New York, Major H. R. Smith was associated with the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company prior to being called to active duty in the armed forces, April 5, 1941.

He was ordered to MacDill field, Tampa, took command of the Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment and has held this command ever since. This is not Major Smith's first active duty.

He has been on active duty as an Infantry Officer and has served in the following localities: Underhill Center, Vermont; Fort Williams, Maine; Camp Dix, New Jersey and Plattsburg Barracks, New York. Upon being recalled to active service, Major Smith was temporarily transferred to the Air Corps under the recent expansion program.

When the Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment was designated as a separate station, divorced from MacDill Field, several weeks ago, Major Smith was invested with the command of the station which is now known as the Avon Park Bombing Range.

Work is the only hobby which Major Smith enjoys.

Respectfully referred to as "the old man" by members of this detachment, Major Smith puts in many hours at his desk as well as on the range and holds the confidence of his men. Under his able direction, the 111,000 acre range is progressing well ahead of schedule.

Major Smith resides with his wife and their two children, Harry R. III and Judith E., on Lotela Lane, Avon Park.

Buddy Gwynne's Feats of Magic Amuse Rotary

"Swami" Betts and his mind reading act was the stellar attraction at the Rotary Club luncheon Wednesday noon. Betts was chosen for the Swami role by Buddy Gwynne, magician with the Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment, who said that all mind reading acts definitely required a Swami. Betts was decked out with two of Crabtree's tablecloths and several pieces of colored silk and was likened by some to Mahatma Ghandi.

Gwynne demonstrated several clever tricks of sleight of hand which mystified the Rotarians. He also appeared on the program last week and this was a return engagement for him before the Rotarians.

Also on the program was Saul Cutler and his guitar. Cutler is also a member of the B and G Detachment and accompanied himself in some vocal numbers. He received considerable applause and was forced to give an encore.

City Adopts Modified Plan To Refund Bond Debt

To Refund at Par With Reduction In Interest Rate

The city council Monday night adopted a modified plan for refunding its bonded indebtedness, as prepared by Henry L. Johnson, Winter Haven attorney, who has succeeded R. E. Crummer & Company as the city's fiscal agent.

The modified plan is founded upon and substantially embodies the provisions of the former refunding contract entered into January 17, 1942, between the city and Johnson.

Under the agreement, the principal bonded debt of $830,000 will be refunded at par. The bonds will be 30 year obligations, dated January 1, 1942, callable on or after January 1, 1954 and the city has the privilege of purchasing the bonds at any time there is on hand in the interest and sinking fund any surplus after payment on semi-annual interest and after provision has been made for the payment of the next semiannual maturing coupons, at the lowest quotered prices.

The present interest rate of six per cent will be reduced to the following schedule: 2½ for two years; 2 1-2% for the next three years; 3½ for the next three years; 3 1-2% for the next six years; 4% for the next 11 years; and 5% thereafter until paid.

To produce funds for these interest payments, and to provide a sinking fund out of which bonds may be retired, levies will be made in amounts sufficient to produce the respective sums of money as follows: $25,000 annually for the first interest period; $30,000 per year for the next period; $35,000 per year for the next period; $37,500 per year for the next period; $40,000 per year for the next; and a maximum levy of $42,500 for the remaining years. These levies are based on an anticipated collection of 95 per cent.

Accrued interest in default in the sum of approximately $300,000 will be met without additional levies, under the plan. Outstanding uncollected delinquent taxes for 1940 and prior, amounting to about $150,000, are pledged to pay the back interest. These are to be collected by the city and deposited to the account of the escrow agent, who shall retain the moneys in special funds for four six-months periods. At the end of each six-months period the funds on hand for that period shall be used to pay off, pro rata, the accrued interest at discounts as follows:

During first period, at 60% discount; second period, 55½ discount; third period, 50% discount; fourth period, 45% discount.

At the end of each period, the escrow agent shall pay on a pro rata basis to the owners of evidences of interest, respective percentages as follows: First period,

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To Hold Revival



DR. E. D. SOLOMON

DR. SOLOMON WILL CONDUCT REVIVAL HERE

Noted Preacher To Speak Daily For Baptists

Dr. E. D. Solomon, vice-president of the Southern Baptist Convention, and editor of the Florida Baptist Witness, will conduct a series of revival services at the First Baptist church, beginning Monday, April 27, according to announcement of Rev. J. P. Dalton, pastor of the church.

E. L. Roberts, high school director and Baptist choir leader, will lead the singing. Services will be held each evening at 8 o'clock and each morning at 9:30.

Dr. Solomon, guest evangelist for the revival, is a noted preacher and editor, and is much in demand as a speaker, having held revival meetings all over the South.

He is a veteran of both the Spanish-American and World War I. He was for many years editor of the Louisiana Baptist paper, and for the past nine years has been editor of the Florida Baptist Witness, during which time the circulation of the paper has greatly increased. He is one of the prominent men of the denomination.

BOOK CLUB TO MEET APR. 24

The last meeting of the Book club for the season, will be held Friday morning, April 24, at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. H. Porterfield. Miss Julia Norfleet will review "The Moon is Down," John Steinbeck's latest book. Mrs. M. V. Pilcher will give a short review of "Mangrove Coast" by Karl Bicket. All members are urged to attend.

YOUNG AMERICA LOOKS ON—



Army Air Force Corporal explains to Mickie and Jimmie Ware, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware, some of the complexities in the control cabin of a Flying Fortress. The occasion, Army Day, April 6, when army posts throughout the nation held open house. The place, the Air Force's Crew Training School, Hendricks Field, near Sebring.

—Photo by Southeast Air Corps Training Center

Folks You Know . .

Mrs. W. H. Yates left Friday for Washington D. C., to visit her niece, Mrs. Agnes Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Archer of Sparta, Ga., will arrive next week to visit their son, W. B. Archer and family.

Mrs. R. H. Jordan was in Winter Haven last Friday and Saturday to attend the state P. E. O. convention.

Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr. and daughter, Nancy have returned home from a visit with relatives in Zephyrhills.

Mrs. H. A. Thompson, who has been visiting her daughter, Miss Betty Thompson for the past several weeks, left Thursday for her home in New Bois, Pa.

Mrs. Bruce Campbell of Tampa was the guest of Mrs. C. Parke Anderson and family last week. Mr. Campbell joined her here for the week end.

Miss Louise Bishop of Miami spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bishop.

Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Picotte, who have spent the season at their home on Prospect street, are returning to Ishpeming, Mich. for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worden are spending the week end in Jacksonville.

Don Croft, son of Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Croft, has gone to Washington D. C., where he plans on joining the navy department.

Mrs. Al Zender left Thursday for New Orleans to spend about three weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Louis W. DesPrez of Chicago, Ill., has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sue Gregory at Lake Byrd Lodge.

Gerald Buchanan left Wednesday for Dallas, Texas, where he will enter an Air Corps replacement center as a cadet.

S. Miller Mack of Elkins Park, Pa., will arrive here this week end to join his father, I. H. Mack. They will return to Elkins Park Monday.

Ralph M. Turner, who is connected with the Schenectady Gazette in Schenectady, N. Y., is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Turner.

The many friends of Mrs. J. Paul Garber, who has been ill at her home at Lake Byrd for the past ten days, will be pleased to know that her condition is much improved.

Willie J. Bishop, who has been vacationing in Washington D. C., spent last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bishop, enroute to Miami, where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hammond left Tuesday for their home in Rock Point, Md., after spending the season at their home here on Lake Ave. They plan on returning to Avon Park in the early fall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sbitt, who have spent the season in Avon Park where they have been comfortably located at the H. H. Shipherd apartment, will return Saturday to their home in Lansdale, Pa.

Mrs. John W. Proudfit left Wednesday for Newport News, Va., where she will join her husband Sgt. Proudfit at Langley Field. She has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bost here for the past three weeks.

Yeoman Charles Vernon Lanied, who is stationed at a United States Naval Air Station, is spending a ten day leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier.

Find Your Name In The Ads

If your name appears in one of the ads appearing in this issue of The Sun, you will receive a free ticket to the

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To The Voters of Highlands County

There will be a demand for the increasing of taxes at the next Legislature. If you consider that I am qualified to serve you as your lawmaker in Tallahassee and that I am sincere when I say that I will do everything I can to keep the tax burden from increasing and will support measures that will be for the good of all the people, I will appreciate your support and vote in the May 5th election.

HOWARD LIVINGSTON

SCOUT NEWS

The local Scout Troop No. 57, joined over 700 other Boy Scouts from the West Coast of Florida in their Annual Camporee at the Bok Singing Tower near Lake Wales, Thursday and Friday, April 9th and 10th.

The Annual Camporee marks the opening of the Spring and Summer Camping Season and provides opportunity for the Scouts to review their Camping technique and get an idea of improvements needed.

The Boy Scouts Camp by Patrols, which are the Natural neighborhood groups, and each Patrol has its own boy Patrol Leader. The Campooree opened at 2 o'clock Thursday with Personal Inspection of Scouts and their packs and equipment and throughout the 24 hours camping period their performance was judged by Scout Leaders and Commissioners from the Twelve Counties participating. They were judged on personal inspection, Campcraft, improvised or home made equipment, food and Patrol demonstration. There was a total score of 500 points to be earned. Each Patrol was competing against it's own possible score and not against any other Patrol or Troop. Patrols qualifying for 425 points or more were recognized as Advanced Camping Patrols and were given the special honor of going to the top of the Bok Singing Tower under the guidance of Major H. M. Nornabell. The Patrols qualifying for 350 to 425 points rated Standard Camping Patrol. Patrols qualifying for 250 to 350 points are rated as Merit Camping Patrols. The Patrols from Avon Park of Troop No. 57 were the Pine Tree, the Panther, the Pathfinder and the Beaver, and their rating were Standard Camping Patrol. The Beaver patrol, with David Lanier as leader, made the highest score in Troop 57.

The high point of the Camporee for the general public was a mass Campfire with near 1000 Scouts and visitors under the direction of Camp Chief W. C. Pederson.

Special guests at the Campfire were Major H. M. Nornabell, Director of the Mountain Lake Sanctuary, who gave the history and legend of Bok Tower, and Mr. Anton Brees, Carrillonneur, who described the Carrillon bells and had the Scouts request selections that they would like to have played at the 9:30 recital given especially for the Scouts.

710 Scouts participated in the activities and served as aides. 106 patrols representing 51 different Scout Troops.

Avon Park scouts attending, in care of R. E. Maysack were: Beaver patrol, David Lanier, Ernest Bryant, Billy Connell, Glenn Whitcomb, Bill Stoll.

Panther patrol: Billy Archer, Roger Sappington, Darwin Stoll, Sonny Hagan, Bill Langford, Fred Montgomery.

Pathfinder patrol: Sammy Longbottom, Dick Stodden, Gene Mathis, Harold Garrett, John Garber, Ed Sturdivant.

Pine Tree patrol: Billy Helm, Bobby Keller, Jack Head, Arthur Crews, James Perdue.

DEFENSE RECREATION

Through the Defense Recreation committe some of the soldiers in the Armory are starting a camera club and will use a space furnished them by the Winter Guest Club for a dark room. They will need camera supplies of all kinds to operate their club successfully and the Recreation Committee is requesting the people of Avon Park to aid them in securing these supplies. Among the articles most needed are: washing trays, chemicals used for developing, any type of enlarger, developing paper and old cameras for the use of the boys who do not have cameras with them.

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With the temporary conversion of the Winter Guest Club into a Service men's club, furnishings for the club will have to be provided. An appeal is being made for three large size rugs to be used in the main hall, and some sofa pillows also would be appreciated. Any one having articles of this kind that can be spared will help materially to create comfort and a homelike atmosphere for the men in uniform. Please notify Defense Recreation Committee in the Chamber of Commerce building, phone 221, if you wish to lend or donate these articles.

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Red Cross

A Standard First Aid class had its second meeting Tuesday night in the Methodist Hut with Mrs. Kate C. Spencer as instructor. Members of this class are Mrs. J. O. Bridges, Mrs. Ivey C. Crumley, Mrs. R. G. Farr, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, Mrs. Mattie Lee Hagan, Mrs. Charles P. Kempton, Mrs. Helen D. Mann, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Morrell, Mrs. W. J. Prevatt, Mrs. E. Sapp, Mrs. W. W. Sherertz, Miss Rebecca Holton, Mrs. W. A. Roberts, D. D. Smith, Miss Kathleen Smith and John N. Gibbons. This is the regular 20 hour course and upon its successful completion, students will receive Red Cross certificates.

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Regular Wednesday night 'date' dances for the soldiers in the Armory have been inaugurated by the Defense Recreation Committee at the Winter Guest Club in accordance with the Committee's rules for dances of this kind. The dances will be informal with the hour from 8:30 to 9:30 devoted to instruction in dancing for those men who wish to have instruction. Several volunteer dancing hostesses will be present at this time to assist in this instruction, and after this, the remainder of the evening will be spent in dancing, with refreshments served later. Last Wednesday night's "date" dance, the first of this series, was enjoyed by over fifty soldiers, and Buddy Gwynne dispensed the hospitalities.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madeira will leave next Wednesday for Stony Creek, Conn., after spending the winter in Avon Park at their home on Lake Lotela.

Miss Mary Lydia Stebbins and Earl Bozeman of Lake Placid visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Stebbins Saturday evening.

Mrs. C. B. Bethune, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. A. Vickery for the past month, will leave next Tuesday for her home in Lynn, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Symonds left Thursday for Highlands, N. C., to spend the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bishop and children, Willie, Louise, James and Walton spent Sunday in Tarpon Springs with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bishop.

Mrs. Boyett Hayes of Blakely, Ga., and Mrs. Fred W. Beazley Jr. of Dallas, Texas are visiting their sister, Mrs. Ellis Elder and getting acquainted with their niece, little Miss Martha Gene, who arrived March 31 at a Sebring hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Baldwin returned home Wednesday from Tampa, where they have been visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Baldwin Jr. They were accompained home by Mrs. Baldwin Jr. and their granddaughter, little Miss Linda Baldwin, who will spend several days here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Flemion Jr. and son, Phillip will leave Wednesday for their home in Lima, Ohio, after a pleasant visit here with Mrs. Flemion's sister, Mrs. S. S. Thayer and family, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Patterson at their home in Lakeland.

Mrs. Cora Longest, who has spent the winter here as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Nellie White, left Monday night for her home in Mt. Carmel, Ill. She was accompanied by Mrs. White, who will spend the summer with her in Mt. Carmel.

I. H. Mack returned Saturday from a two weeks vacation with friends in Miami. While there, he enjoyed a deep sea fishing trip, and landed a Wahoo, unusual species of fish, which weighed 30 pounds. Mr. Mack said it took him thirty minutes to land the "big fellow." He is justly proud of a citation awarded him by The Annual Metropolitan Miami Fishing Tournament, on his splendid catch.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Flemion Jr. and son, Phillip of Lima, Ohio, who have been the guests of Mrs. Flemion's sister, Mrs. S. S. Thayer and family, left Wednesday for Lakeland to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs Fred Patterson, before returning home. They were accompanied by Mrs. Thayer and her young daughter, Tirzah, who spent Wednesday and Thursday in Lakeland with her parents.

Advanced Course First Aid

A class in Red Cross advanced First Aid under leadership of Mrs. Evelyn L. Shenk will begin Thurs. day, April 16 at 7:30 at the fire station recreation room in Avon Park. This will be a 10 hour course, and is open to all those who have passed the standard course. Mrs. Shenk has been conducting a first aid class in Wauchula, and is well qualified for the work. Those eligible are urged to take advantage of the opportunity to take this course.

Church Notes

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Topic: "Growing Tension With False Leaders."

Morning worship service at 11:00 o'clock with sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on: "The Spirit of Enquiry" Music by the choir. Come and worship with us.

The Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the Church at 7:00 P. M. Winifred Hood will lead the meeting and Madge Pilcher will introduce the topic:

"The Cradle of Democracy." Young people are cordially invited to attend.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the Church on Wednesday at 3:30 P. M. A full attendance of members is requested. The "Quiet Hour" service will be held on Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. Brief address by the Pastor. A service you will enjoy.

It is reported that the churches in Russia are filled to overflowing with worshippers. The Russians are doing the best they can for themselves, but they know where their help lies. Why are so many of our American people never seen in church, praying and worshipping? Have they forgotten that our "help cometh from the Lord which made heaven and earth?" These are days when prayer is needed.

CHURCHES OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"Doctrine of Atonement" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, April 19.

The Golden Text is: "Christ is not entered into the holy places made with hands, which are the figures of the true; but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God for us" (Hebrews 9:24).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And not only so, but we also joy in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom we have now received the atonement" (Rom. 5:11).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Jesus aided in reconciling man to God by giving man a truer sense of Love, the divine Principle of Jesus' teachings, and this truer sense of Love redeems man from the law of matter, sin, and death by the law of Spirit,—the law of divine Love." (p.19:6-11).

Bombers Blast Independents

The Bomb Rangers scored a clean win over the Avon Park Independents Sunday afternoon. Scoring first on a walk and two solid hits by C. B. Martin and Coach Rowe, the Independents started away with honors.

This couldn't go on so our Rangers retaliated in the last half of the third inning with singles by Suris and Koenigs, a walk by Stevens and a home run by short stop Kanach.

It was in the first half of the seventh that the Independents came to life again, tying the score at five all. The score continued through the last half of the tenth inning with out change when third sacker Ford worked Coach Rowe for a walk and came across on a hard hit single by Wogan.

A medium sized crowd of enthusiastic spectators attended the game. This was just a prelude to the expected attendance for next week's game which opens the first round of a new league.

Starting Lineup:

2B Lane, 3B Ford, SS Kanach, LF Fath, RF Coleman, C Stevens, 1B Suris, CF Kelly, P Koenigs.

Other Outfielders Playing:

RF Wogan, LF Camp, LF Clark, CF Melton.

Other Infielders Playing:

P Thornton, 1B Lawrence, 1B Williams.

Leaves For Special Training

Pfc. John Cooney shipped out last Saturday night for Rochester, New York where he will study photography at the Eastman Kodak Company's Training School.

Upon completion of 35 days training, Pfc. Cooney will be assigned to the Signal Corps Headquarters in Washington, D. C. for duty. The entire Detachment wishes him the best of luck and success in his new work.

Mrs. W. J. Prevatt spent Wednesday in Winter Haven.

Miss Mary McNicholas left Tuesday for Tampa to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware were in Orlando on Thursday.

Bridge Luncheon Honors Visitors

A lovely affair of Monday was the bridge luncheon given by Mrs. S. S. Thayer at her home, honoring her sister, Mrs. C.E.Flemion Jr., of Lima, Ohio, who is her house guest. An effective springtime atmosphere was created in the colorful bouquets of seasonable flowers, in harmonizing shades.

The prettily appointed luncheon was served at one o'clock, followed by several enjoyable progressions of bridge. High score award was given to Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, and second high, to Mrs. J. A. Johnson.

Guests sharing the courtesy of the hostess with the honoree, Mrs. Flemion were Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, Mrs. J. L. Abbott, Mrs. E. L. Lowe, Mrs. W. C. Pidgeon, Mrs. Bill Armes, Mrs. J. W. Goode, Mrs. E. F. Singleton, and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree.

Dessert Bridge at Kempton Home

The Thursday afternoon bridge club enjoyed a dessert bridge this week at the home of Mrs. W. H. Kempton. The hostess chose beautiful bauhinia and Tree of Gold blossoms to decorate the party rooms.

Preceding the bridge games, the guests were served a tempting dessert course, of frozen strawberry pie, mints and coffee.

Those playing were Mrs. L. E Bass, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. S. V. Hunnings, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. E. F. Armstrong, Mrs. Eleanor Hoene, Mrs. Wm. Hauptmann, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. C. H. Bethune, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. C. A. Clark.

Baptist Circle Met at Crosby Home

Circle number two of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. J. E. Crosby Monday afternoon. Mrs. D. T. Lockett, chairman, opened the meeting, and Mrs. C. W. Pabor offered prayer.

Mrs. W. C. Touchton, teacher, taught the lesson from the study book, "The Word Overcoming the World". Those taking part on the Program were Mrs. Anna Lawhon, Mrs. E. C. Wever, and Mrs. Touchton. Mrs. Wever closed the meeting with prayer.

Delicious refreshments of ambrosia, cookies and orange juice were served to the following members: Mrs. Touchton, Mrs. C. W. Pabor, Mrs. Wever, Mrs. Lawhon, Mrs. H. J. Davis, Mrs. Lockett, and Mrs. Lena Clements.

Church Members to Attend Convention

Father R. I. Brown, W. M. Reck, and Mrs. G. S. McKnight are official delegates from the Episcopal Church, to the semi-centennial convention of the Diocese of South Florida at Orlando, April 21 to 23, inclusive. Other members of the church who will attend the convention are Mrs. Dennis Mandis, Mrs. W. S. Betts, and Mrs. S. S. Thayer.

Speakers at the convention will be Bishop Tucker, the presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church, and Bishop Campbell Gray of northern Indiana. Bishop Gray is the son of Bishop William C. Gray, first bishop of South Florida.

Father Brown will act as master of ceremonies at all the services.

Mrs. Flemion Is Luncheon Honoree

Mrs. C. E. Flemion, sr., of Findlay, Ohio was complimented on Tuesday with a delightful luncheon party, given by Mrs. S. S. Thayer at her home, 143 north Lake ave. Spring garden flowers decorated the attractive rooms, and formed a pretty setting for the dainty one o'clock luncheon.

Those sharing the courtesy with Mrs. Flemion and her hostess were Mrs. Dennis Mandis, Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. H. G. Thompson, Mrs. W. H. Ayers, Mrs. G. F. Thayer, Mrs. Fred Patterson of Lakeland.

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

Notice is hereby given, that J. E. Gilbert Lake Placid, Florida holder of Tax Certificate No. 883, issued the 2nd day of September A. D. 1935, 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 4 Block 2 Lakeview Heights Section 36 Twp 35 S Range 29 E.

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 May 1942, which is the 4th day of May, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of April, 1942

H. T. PEETY

(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County Florida

By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk

April 4, 11, 18, 25.

Nutrition Notes

(By Mrs. Margaret Stewart)

Many people have made the remark that grandfather lived without vitamins, so why can't we? Grandfather knew nothing about vitamins, but he did not live without them. As a matter of fact, he consumed more of them, that we do. We ate unrefined foods. Today we eat so many refined foods, especially cereals, sugars and refined fats, that our diets are deficient in what we call the Vitamin B complex, and other vitamins.

Last week you read in our nutrition article, just what foods you may eat to obtain this valuable Vitamin B complex. This week, we will briefly discuss another member of the vitamin family, namely Vitamin A. We associate this vitamin with the eyes, nasal chambers, throat and lungs. Because of a deficiency of Vitamin A, the eyes cannot readily adapt themselves to sudden changes of light and dark. Many automobile accidents could have been avoided had the driver had a sufficient supply of Vitamin A. Cases of the common cold would be lessened, also influenza.

Large quantities of this vitamin are contained in the precious fish liver oils, egg yolk, butter, cream, cheese, whole milk, the yellow vegetables, the green leafy ones and tomatoes.

Let us remember that it takes twenty people behind every soldier and these people must be well fed to carry on. Do your part by eating properly.

Mrs. Selden R. Allen of Brookline, Mass., will arrive Monday to visit her aunt, Mrs. H. A. Vickery.

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Supper For Soldiers Thursday Evening

A most enjoyable affair of Thursday evening was the supper given at the parish house by members of the Episcopal Church, for the soldiers at the armory. The delicious supper featured pancakes and sausage, apple pie, and coffee.

Throughout the evening, the guests were treated to an impromptu musical program with Walter S. Betts and M. V. Pilcher in charge.

Those on the program and the instruments they played were Mrs. Curtis Lawhon, saxophone and clarinet; W. C. Pidgeon piano; Pvt. Saul Cutler, guitar; and Ralph M. Turner, Schenectady, N. Y., piano. Their numbers included popular music. In addition to this program, Pfc Buddy Gwynne, who is most adept in the feats of magic performed many of these tricks, for the amusement of the guests.

Thirty five soldiers from the Avon Park Bombing Range Detachment enjoyed the evening, as guests of the church.

Methodist Circle at Turner Home

The Gerrard circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. T. P. Turner Monday night, with Mrs. Reason Shivers, co-hostess.

Mrs. R. A. Gerrard taught the lesson study from the book, "Christians are Learners." Mrs. L. M. Orr closed the program with prayer. During the short business meeting, plans for future activities were discussed.

Delicious refreshments of angel food cake and punch were served during the social hour to those present who were Mrs. L. M. Orr, Charlotte Orr, Mrs. M. W. Davis, Mrs. C. H. Gerrard, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, Mrs. Ida Ott, Mrs. A. McKee Elwell, Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood, Mrs. M. L. Rogers, Mrs. H. W. Reddick, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. G. B. Hall, and Mrs. J. T. Lamb.

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Of Washington, D. C., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wever, Avon Park, who prior to her marriage in Washington last Friday, was Miss Martha Wever.

Mary L. Stebbins Announces Plans For Wedding

Miss Mary Lydia Stebbins, whose marriage to Earl Bozeman of Lake Placid, will be an event of next Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock, at the First Baptist church, has announced plans for her wedding.

The Rev. Jack P. Dalton, pastor of the church, will perform the ceremony, and the bride will be given in marriage by her father, Gilbert A. Stebbins. Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., and E. L. Roberts, vocalist, will be in charge of the nuptial music.

Miss Elizabeth Hetherington will serve as maid of honor, Miss Dot McNicholas, as bridesmaid, and Jeanine Crews and Barbara Lawhon will be junior bridesmaids.

The groom will be attended by his brother, James Bozeman as best man, and Malcolm Crews, Tom Bozeman Jr., and L. C. Davis will serve as ushers.

No invitations have been issued to the wedding, but all friends of the families are invited to attend.

Dessert Bridge on Tuesday Afternoon

Mrs. W. H. Kempton entertained members of the Tuesday afternoon bridge club, and additional guests at an enjoyable dessert bridge at her home on Lake Isis this week. Spring flowers, with pastel gerberas predominating, decorated the party rooms.

A tempting dessert course, consisting of frozen lemon pie, and tea or coffee was served before the games. Each of the small tables was centered with miniature bouquet of white bridal wreath, blue ageratum and red verbenas to emphasize a patriotic motif.

When scores were totaled, after an afternoon of bridge, Mrs. S. C. Pardee was given high club award and Mrs. W. H. Ayers, guest high score prize.

Those enjoying the party were Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. C. B. Bethune, Mrs. W. H. Ayers, Mrs. Chas. Madeira, Mrs. A. E. Hollingsworth, Mrs. John Goodman, and Mrs. W. H. Yates.

Mrs. Edward Raab and son, John David Raab of Washington D. C., who have spent the week here with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Raab, will return home today. Mrs. Raab is a sister-in-law of Mr. Raab. They came especially at this time to attend the Golden Wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Raab, which was held at the Poinsettia hotel Monday.

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Woman's Club Sees Wedding Gown Display

Wedding gowns in lovely array, in both the "quite old" and the more modern design, fascinated members of the Woman's club and their guests on Friday afternoon, when a group of attractive sub-debs modeled many intriguing creations.

The club house was transformed into a rose garden as a background for the unusual display, with quantities of Cherokee roses, combined with rich, green foliage, placed at advantageous points.

To add emphasis to a realistic wedding scene, Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves played the traditional wedding march as the models appeared. Mrs. Robt. J. Wood, vocalist, sang "Oh Promise Me", "Sweetest Story Ever Told," "I Love You Truly," and "L' Amour Toujours L'Amour."

Little Misses Tirzah Thayer and Leila Johnson, dainty flower girls, preceded the group of models, each carrying a decorated basket, filled with rose petals. Tirzah wore a yellow dotted swiss frock, and Leila, a pink embroidered silk.

An interesting note was emphasized, as each model appeared and the owner of the wedding gown, the date and place where it was worn, was announced.

Sub debs modeling in the wedding gown display were: Peggy Mandis, wearing her grandmother's wedding gown in which she was married in Benton Harbor, Mich., in 1880; Gloria Hughs, Mrs. Sue Gregory's mother's wedding gown, worn in Savannah, Ga., in 1883; Polly Thomas, Mrs. R. J. Wood's aunt's wedding dress, which she wore in Chicago, Ill., in 1890.

Nita Bryant wore Mrs. Sue Gregory's gown, in which she was married in New York, N. Y. in 1923; Madge Pilcher modeled her own mother's wedding dress, worn when she was married in Louisville, Ky. in 1923; and Ouida Fields appeared in Mrs. James A. Davis' wedding dress, in which she was married in Arcadia in 1935.

Winifred Hood was wearing Mrs. S. S. Thayer's wedding dress, in which she was married in Avon Park in 1934; Martha McNicholas wore Mrs. John Bunting's gown, worn at her wedding in Lakeland in 1936; and Dorothy Lawhon modeled Mrs. R. J. Wood's wedding gown, worn when she was married in Lakeland in 1939. Each of the youthful "Brides" carried either a beautiful wedding bouquet or a white prayer book, showered with orange blossoms caught in narrow satin ribbons.

Preceding the program, Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, president of the club, presided at the business meeting. The club voted to accept the Revised Constitution and By-Laws, after hearing the final reading.

It was announced that the Garden club would meet Friday, April 17 at the home of Mrs. J. A. Johnson, and that the Book Club would meet Friday April 24 at the home of Mrs. R. R. Porterfield.

The president requested that all officers and committee chairman have a written report prepared for the May meeting.

Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb was elected corresponding secretary in the place of Mrs. S. N. Reeves, who resigned.

Mrs. Adams Hostess to Baptist Circle

Circle three of the Baptist W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. R. L. Adams on Monday afternoon. Mrs. David Stuckey presided. Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr. taught the lesson study from John, first chapter, beginning at the 15th verse.

The hostess served dainty refreshments of tuna fish salad, saltines and iced tea to those present who were Mrs. J. B. Coen, Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr., Mrs. Connell, and Mrs. R. H. Lawhon.

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

Notice is hereby given, that J. S. Di Giorgio Winter Haven, Florida holder of Tax Certificate No. 53, 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 following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lot 3 Block 1 Section 13 Twp. 33 S Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Sam Howell Jr.

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 May 1942, which is the 4th day of May, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of April, 1942.

H. T. PIETY
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
April 4, 11, 18, 25.

Sugar . . and Spice

Ladies and gentlemen . . . unaccustomed as I am to writing for the Sun . . . 'tis a pleasure, indeed.

My mama done tole me . . . if all columnists were laid end to end . . that's exactly where they ought to be.

The tale is going around that . . . Dr. McArthur is allergic to billy-goats . . . Who wouldn't be . . . when confronted with one staring you in the face . . . at the most unexpected times . . . Mac says he'll take pink elephants any day, thank you.

Your attention is called to the fact that . . . Alma Harrell always looks pretty in purple.

Thought they might be selling . . . viatmin P. U. (Phew to you) . . . in the A and P the other day . . . but smiling Manager Sam Patterson . . . assured me 'twas some rotten cabbage . . . Wonder if that odor could be bottled . . . and sent to Hitler?

Strictly confidentially . . . (and everything is strictly confidential in this column) . . . Lil Bost Proudfit, the blonde that's cut cute as a cookie . . . stopped all activity . . . the minute she promenaded into the Cadet room Sat. night . . . Am told the cadets were all goggle eyed . . . You know Lil . . . she's built like a miniature Mae West.

Some women step out on their husbands, . . . just to prove to them . . . they're not the kind of a woman . . . other women are.

Howard Todd writes that he is feeling grand . . . and he adds . . . "You can put that in the paper" . . . Nice going, Howard . . . you can't keep a good man down . . . and we'll have a hearty welcome all ready and labeled for you . . . when you return to Avon Park.

If it' impossible to retread girdles . . . there's gonna be a whale of a big inflation . . . in some parts . . . Soooo, heave yourself heftily, honey . . . if you'd hoist off hippiness.

Why are some people so proud of the title Colonel? . . . When I went to school . . . that word meant . . . the inside of a nut.

—A. B. W.

Buffet Supper Is Given for Couple

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Flemion Jr, of Lima, Ohio, were honor guests at a dutch buffet supper on Tuesday evening, given by Mrs. Flemion's sister, Mrs. S. S. Thayer and a group of friends. The delightful affair was held in the cadet room at the Jacaranda hotel.

The delicious supper was served from an attractively appointed L shaped table, laid with a white damask cloth, and centered with an arrangement of lilies. Dancing was enjoyed during the evening.

Those sharing the occasion with the Flemions were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mr and Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Shockley, Capt. J. B. Hall, Mrs. Ruby Bass, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crabtree, Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Stanley Boyer, Buddy Gwynne, and Tommie Drew.

Club Party Is Delightful Affair

Attractive bouquets of spring garden blossoms decorated the apartment of Miss Iva Phillips on Tuesday evening, when she was hostess to the Sans Souci club at an enjoyable bridge party. Upon arrival, each guest was presented a miniature nosegay to match her frock.

Scores for the evening were kept on novelty tallies in an original design. At the conclusion of the games, high and second high awards were given to Mrs. Freed Peden and Mrs. Raymond Dilley. In several interesting games of Bingo, Mrs. Virginia Cloud was the winner of high score. All prizes were Defense Stamps.

At the refreshment hour, the card tables, overlaid with dainty cloths, were each centered with a miniature pitcher filled with pastel shaded star phlox. The hostess served a delicious cream cheese salad on lettuce, with potato chips, olives, ritz chackers, cashew nuts, individual devil's food cake, and iced tea.

Invited guests included Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Alma Harrell, Miss Sarah Browning, Miss Elisabeth Green, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Miss Janet Cook, Miss Julia Norfleet, Mrs. Freed Peden, Miss Mildred Myers, Mrs. Chas Sherman, Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Mrs. John Bunting, Mrs. Phillip Boardman, Miss Edna Tallman, and Miss Frances Larvey.

Covenant Circle Met Wednesday

The Covenant Circle of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Union Congregational Church met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. S. Donaldson. In the absence of Mrs. A. C. Elliott, Mrs. Wm. Hauptmann presided.

After the short business meeting, Mrs. Max Wild conducted devotional exercises, and Miss Alice Davidson took charge of the program. The topic for the afternoon was "The Ways of Brotherhood in Our Community."

Interesting talks were given by Mrs. R. H. Stodden concerning the work accomplished by the PTA., and that being done in the quarters, by Miss Elizabeth Smith; also reports of what is being accomplished by the Woman' club, and by the Rotary club.

After the meeting, delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were Mrs. E. F. Armstrong, Miss Alice Davidson, Miss Elizabeth Smith, Miss Daisy Smith, Mrs. Wm. Hauptmann, Mrs. Jordon, Mrs. Eva Nesbitt, Mrs. E. L. Thomason, Mrs. Max Wild, Mrs. E. O. Williams, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. R. E. Maysack, Mrs. Beulah Osgood, Mrs. Chas. Madeira, Mrs. R. H. Stodden, Mrs. C. S. Donaldson, Miss Lily Hixson, Mrs. Edgar Smith.

PARTIES FOR BRIDE ELECT

Miss Mary Lydia Stebbins, bride elect, will be the honoree at a party and shower at the home of Mrs. R. H. Lawhon Monday evening, given by the Young People's Department of the Baptist Sunday School. Miss Stebbins was formerly a teacher in the department. She was also guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower on Friday evening, given by a group of matrons, at the Lake Placid club house.



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Class Party at Mrs. Wells Home

The Philathea class of the First Baptist Sunday School was entertained at a delightful party on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. L. Wells, with Mrs. Brisco Willis, as co-hostess. The already attractive rooms of the Wells home, were decorated with arrangements or roses, snapdragons and garden flowers, in harmonizing shades.

Several contests were enjoyed, an "original menu" contest, proving most entertaining.

Late in the evening, the hostesses served a delicious refreshment course, consisting of fruited gingerbread topped with whipped cream, and coffee.

Class members participating in the hospitality of Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Willis on this occasion were Mrs. C. L. Davis, Mrs. W. B. Archer, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. E. C. Wever, Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr., Mrs. Ray Wells, Mrs. Harold Guerndt, Mrs. Irma White, Mrs. Durrh Martin, and Mrs. S. F. Longbottom.

Auxiliary Elects Mrs. Currie As New President

Mrs. H. R. Currie was elected president of the American Legion Auxiliary for the ensuing year, at the annual election of officers Monday night. Other officers elected were Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, vice president; Mrs. Mary Holcomb, secretary; Mrs. Ed Welch, treasurer; Mrs. David Stuckey, historian; Mrs. Howard Maddox, sergeant-at-arms; Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Chaplain; Mrs. C. H. Lewiston, assistant chaplain.

Plans were discussed for formal initiation of newly elected officers, and for entertaining the service men in the city. No definite date was set for either event, but will be decided upon at a later meeting.

Thos present were Mrs. H. R. Currie, Mrs. C. H. Lewiston, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. Ruth Clowe, Mrs. Chas. Sherman, Mrs. W. J. Prevatt, Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. Demos Mandis, and Mrs. Walter S. Martin.

Mrs. H. R. Hoffman Jr. and baby son, H. R. III, and Mrs. Robert Rowell arrived Thursday from Selma, Ala., to visit Mrs. Hoffman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Beckett.

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Mrs. Dalton is Hostess to Circle

Mrs. J. P. Dalton was hostess to circle one of the Baptist W. M. S. Monday afternoon at her home. Mrs. B. F. Martin, chairman, presided, and Mrs. Otto Skipper taught the lesson from the first chapter of John.

During the social hour, Mrs. Dalton served dainty refreshments of individual strawberry shortcakes and iced tea to those present who were Mrs. Skipper, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. H. L. Bishop, Mrs. Ernest Spencer, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. Mark Smith, Mrs. J. D. Sherman, and Mrs. M. M. Foster.

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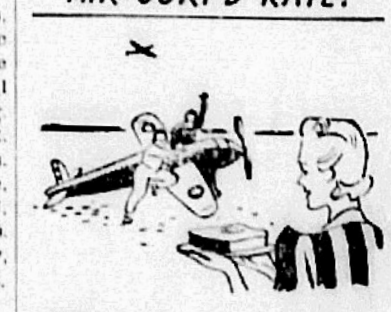
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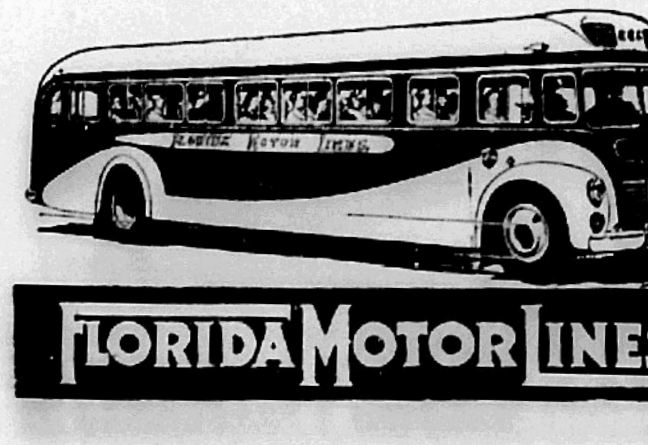

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FIFTY-SIX ARE QUALIFIED FOR FIRST AID

Many More Are Urged to Take Course

For public information the Highlands County Defense Council reports fifty six persons in Avon Park have thus far qualified themselves for First Aid Duties in the event of an emergency.

The following named persons have received their Standard First Aid Certificate from the American Red Cross:

Mrs. Mary Myers, Miss Alma Harrell, Mrs. Alice Sherman, Mrs. Chas Shepherd, J. Harold Rowe, E. L. Roberts, Dr. S. N. Reeves, Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Miss Iva Phillips, Mrs. Freed Peden, Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. Muriel Boardman, Miss Sarah Browning, Miss Rosalie Clausen, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Mrs. Lelia W. Singletary, Mrs. E. C. Wever, Robt. J. Wood, Miss Edna Earl Griffin, Miss Mildred Myers, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Miss Janet Cook, Miss Julia Norfleet, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., James A. Davis, Miss Elisabeth Green, Mrs. Ruth Drawdy, Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck, Mrs. Harriet Stodden, Mrs. Edyth Maddox, Mrs. Zarada Watford, Miss Nell Williford, Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb, Mrs. Albena Thomas, Mrs. Ben Stewart, Mrs. Cecil Best, Mrs. R. I. Brown, Wm. B. Friedman, Mrs. Dorothy Franks, Mrs. C. J. Gay, Mrs. Mary C. Holcomb, Miss Marjorie Merwin, Mrs. Wilford Hill, Miss Olive Knight, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Jr. Mrs. R. E. Maysack, J. W. Marshall, L. J. McConnell, Dean Marshall, Mrs. Joy Ragsdale, Miss Elton Perry, Mrs. Juanita Spencer, Mrs. Peter Sights, Mrs. L. W. Smith, Mrs. Dorothy Martin, Mrs. Hazel Guerndt, and R. E. Maysack.

Avon Park should be proud of this army of First Aid workers who have equipped themselves with a knowledge of rendering a service to their community and nation in the time of a crisis.

We need more first aiders. Avon Park should have at least three hundred. Wont you take this training? If so, please register your name either by phone 221 or drop in at the Chamber of Commerce building and register, or drop us a card and we will gladly enroll you just as soon as possible. The time is precious, act now. It could happen to you or some one right in your family.

MELTON IS COMMANDER WAUCHULA POST

E. E. Melton of Wauchula, formerly of Avon Park, has been elected commander of Herger Williams Post, American Legion, of that city, friends here will be interested to learn, Mr. Melton, an active legionnaire, served with General Douglas MacArthur, in the Rainbow Division, during World War One.

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

IN COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.

In re Estate of
MARY EDNA COVINGTON

Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that on the 1st day of May A. D. 1942, We shall apply to the Honorable T. A. McNicholas, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for final discharge as Executors of the estate of Mary Edna Covington deceased. My final report and application for final discharge are now on file in the office of said Judge.

Dated April 1st A. D. 1942.

M. E. COVINGTON, Jr.
M. E. COVINGTON
EXECUTORS

Bert Turner

PTA Hears Fine Program Thursday

(Continued from page one) will be held Tuesday, May 26.

It was voted that the lunch room committee could make any improvements necessary which they deemed advisable, using the lunch room funds.

Mrs. E. C. Wever, who has served efficiently as manager of the lunch room for several years, was again elected to this position, by a vote of the organization.

The welfare committee, Mrs. A. C. Wester, chairman, announced 196 meals served and 18 garments distributed during the past month. This did not include 15 students, who assist daily at the lunch room, in return for meals.

Mrs. Wester also announced the pre-school round-up to be held Monday, April 27. She said to watch the paper for further announcement concerning the clinic.

The president requested all officers and committee chairmen to bring written reports to the next meeting, which will be the last for this school year.

In the room count, attendence prizes were awarded to Miss Phillip's room in the grammar school, and Miss Millie Pearson's tenth grade home room in the high school.

The program for the May meeting will be presented by the Home Economics' department, under the direction of Miss Sarah Browning.

The Star Spangled Banner was sung, as the closing number on the program.

Wells Motor Co., Can Advise If You Can Buy New Car

Supplied with application blanks and official government instructions on the rationing of motor cars and trucks, Wells motor Co., Dodge-Plymouth dealers, are now in a position to assist the busy local rationing boards in determining who may or may not purchase new motor vehicles under the war rationing program.

The complete instructions enable officials of the Wells Motor Co., to advise prospective purchasers of passenger cars or trucks whether or not their vocations fall within the 19 classifications eligible for consideration by the local rationing boards as purchasers of new vehicles. In many cases, it is said, they are finding that the latest regulations permit the filing of purchase applications by persons who, under orginial rationing instructions, were not believed eligible to purchase new vehicles.

Les Collier Opens The Airport Grill

Les Collier has opened a new place across from the airport on the Wauchula road, which he recently built and will operate under the name of the Airport Grill. He announces that chicken and steak dinners will be a specialty. The Grill opened a few days ago, and is enjoying a good business from cadets and airport attendants, as well as the general public.

Basketball Girls Receive Senior Award Sweaters

Members of the Girls' Basketball team, who have received the senior award sweaters for their basketball activities are Tom Martin, Mildred Barnard, Martha McNicholas, Marjorie Wells, Dorothy Welch, and Robbie Lee Hart. The awards were presented at a recent chapel program.

This Is Not A Penny War

By BARBARA DARSEY
Florida Writers Project, WPA

The week of April 17-24 is Every American Canvass Week, which means that you will probably have a visitor who will ask you to sign a pledge card stating just how much money you will use for the purchase of Defense stamps and bonds during the year.

This is Uncle Sam's way of finding out to what extent he can depend on us, how many dollars he will have to fight this war to a winning finish. It takes money to win, dollars, many, many of them, so let us all pledge just as much as we feel we can and then pledge some more. War is never cheap; victory is cheaper though it costs untold millions of dollars.

Most war efforts mean a sacrifice for us, often a great heart-rending sacrifice, but this is one effort, and a vital one too, which entails no sacrifice whatever. Uncle Sam is not asking us to give our money to him, he merely requests us to lend it to our Government and he is offering us interest on the loans. This then is an excellent way to practice thrift, to teach our children to save and at the same time to be patriotic and strike a decisive blow for victory and "this form of government we cherish."

This war is a fight to a finish, our freedom is at stake, we must awake, we must act to shorten this war, to save the lives of American Soldiers, to save our Country from privation, to bring this war to a quick, victorious close—we can do all these things by subscribing to the purchase of defense Stamps and Bonds, we can thus become American civilian soldiers in action.

Five Are Elected Soil Supervisors

A. L. Hall, Lake Placid, and Ralph Richardson, Lorida, led the candidates in the election of the Board of Supervisors for the Istokpoga Soil Conservation District. Each of these received 33 votes. Mrs. Geo. Waggaman received 32 votes and Albert DeVane and J. K. Kelly received 30 votes each and these comprise the Board of Supervisors. T. Jesse Durrance received 29 votes, W. H. Melvin 20 votes and Austin Pearce 18 votes.

The main office of the organization will be at Lake Placid and the new supervisors start work within a short time according to an announcement made by County Agent Louis H. Alsmeyer.

James Lee Aboard Destroyer in Pacific

James Ralph Lee, son of Rowland H. Lee, who joined the Navy on November 3, has been going places since he left home. A letter to his father tells that he has just returned from a 13,400 mile trip in the Pacific. He is in convoy duty aboard a "tin can," which is Navy slang for a destroyer, and reports he has been promoted to second class seaman, and is getting along fine.

FORMER RESIDENTS HERE

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Mingledorff of Jacksonville were in Avon Park on Monday to attend the Open House given by Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Raab in observance of their Golden Wedding anniversary. Rev. Mingledorff was formerly pastor of the First Methodist church here. Mrs. Mingledorff assisted in the hospitalities of the anniversary celebration. The couple received a warm welcome from their many Avon Park friends.

SENTRIES PATROL PACIFIC COAST





ALONG the pebbled and sandy beaches of British Columbia, where thousands of Americans have enjoyed vacations, the Canadian army now maintains a ceaseless patrol. Thousands of men, with their faces turned westward keep vigil from sentry posts, while up and down the beaches, Bren Gun carriers rumble on patrol, night and day. Under Canada's system of voluntary enlistment for service anywhere in the world, every two minutes of every day since the outbreak of war, a man has volunteered and has been accepted for service in Canada's Navy, Army or Air Force. Such enlistments now exceed 400,000. This number is supplemented by the men called up under Canada's draft system for national defense. After these men are given four months' training, they are detailed for duty with the army in Canada until the end of the war. Any draftee has the right at any time to volunteer for service outside of Canada and thousands have taken advantage of this privilege.

WIT-LESS HUMOR

From LAMA

(By GUM)

All is lost! Our ships have been scuttled, and the life rafts have been burned.

Our gorgeous blond—so rumor has it—has finally landed her men! She will hold a public drawing, the last of the month of showers (linens included) to see what man she will take for a housekeeper!

Notice has been served on all and sundry—included cadets one to five hundred—that small inexpensive gifts like bonds, houses and row boats will be acceptable, and they had better be good!

Little did the upper class think that a kitten so velvety and purring could suddenly display the claws of an all-consuming huntress! The young gentlemen in question, little suspected that in their buzzing to and fro, they were being calously weighed in the balance—and were "off-beam"!

Those little bon-motts so carelessly penned—just before taps—proved to be the final straw where their personal safety was concerned! No spider ever spun a web more carefully for the un-weary drones! A threat to publish these same love notes (as bank notes) brought all of them on bended knees! An unconfirmed whisper going the rounds says that just as soon as financial reports are received from Bum and Blatt Street the drawing will be held!

The steady dripping of water on the head used to be great indoor sport a few days ago. Now our innocent eyed queen carelessly erases the remaining days from the calendar one at a time. The dripping of water you hear, is not coming from the roof of the house, but are those large drops of cold prespiration falling from the brows of the love smitten gentry.

Which reminds me!

Considerable conjecture is being had as to a possible successor for our champion! Who will take her place—if such a thing is possible! What will she look like? Will she accelerate well on the turns or will she close your throttle in a bank? Read next week's thrilling episode before it comes out in this paper! The adventures of ditto will be all inclusive and instructional! Read all about it!

BINGO

Bingo games held every Tuesday evening, on the Mall, are exceedingly popular with the citizens of Avon Park as well as the men of this Detachment.

According to Pfc. "Buddy" Gwynne, the co-operation of Avon Park merchants and the Highlands County Defense Council, under the chairmanship of Mr. Ben Stewart, unite in making the Bingo games a huge success. Proceeds from the weekly games will be used in furnishing a club room for service men stationed in and about Avon Park.

Members of the Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment enjoy these Tuesday evening games and Pfc. Gwynne stated, "We wish to openly thank all the merchants of Avon Park for their earnest efforts in making our first five weeks of Bingo a success. Their generous contributions of beautiful and useful gifts appeal to all."

Bingo games will continue until further notice, which will be printed in this paper.

THANKS, FOLKS!

The Girls' Basketball team, and especially those senior girls, who received the senior award sweaters for their basketbball activity, wish to thank the individuals and organizations for their generous contributions, toward making the awards possible.

Those contributing were J. S. Francis, L. D. McGiboney, Ben T. Stewart, W. R. Carter, Virgil Hall, Dr. W. C. Touchton, Carl Vickers, Don Croft, James Anderson, W. W. McFarland, I. H. Ford, F. E. Johns, Boys' Overall club, Barnett Bank.

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

Notice is hereby given, that Mrs. R. Richardson, Tampa, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 138, 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 16, Block 4, Section 23, Twp. 33 S., Range 28 E.

The assessent 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 on the first Monday in the month of May, 1942, which is the 4th day of May, 1942.

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
April 4, 11, 18, 25

Leave War To Leaders

(By Dr. John H. Sherman)
President of Webber College

Babson Park, Fla., April—"The Devil can cite Scripture for his purpose"—and many an effective job for Hitler and Goebbels is done in the name of American patriotism.

Right now it is in the perfervid efforts to tell the Commander in Chief just how he should wage this war. If he happens to be moving that way, the would-be strategist cannot know it but stands in hope of much credit as an expert for having guessed right.

And of course if the President does not act along the lines of his unsought advice, he marks himself as incompetent. That he is in possession of the more complete information, and advised by the most experienced and competent military men the United Nations can muster, makes no difference. The armchair strategists pose as men who know. Usually their editors introduce them as "experts," possessed of exclusive inside information and profound strategic insight.

Of course the Inter-Allied staffs and the Chief of Staff of the United States Army are incompetent to guide the Commander in Chief. They are "brass-hats." If you doubt this, peruse most any daily paper.

Almost as bad are those more truly expert men who busy themselves in efforts to guess and predict what is about to happen. This makes reading and radio material very interesting to the public, so well paid by editors and sponsors. The expert usually works with official information which the army and navy have allowed to become publicly known. They are technically within their rights.

But into his interpretation of permissible data the expert projects a wealth of intimate personal knowledge of the attitudes of officials, the technical capabilities of troops, the morale of armies and of religions, the peculiarities of terrain, the traditions of organizations, any one or all of which may be (and frequently are) of inestimable value to the enemy agent who is undecided as to which items to include in the abbreviated report which he can get through to his chief.

City Adopts Motified Plan

(Continued from page one)

33 1-3% of face value of such evidence of accrued interest; second period, 33 1-3% of face value; third period, 40% of face value; and fourth period, 45% of face value.

If any accrued interest remains unpaid at the end of the fourth six-months period, the city will issue 10-year Series B refunding bonds for the balance.

The plan provided that the fiscal agent shall pay all expenses of the refunding program, including all court costs, validation fees, attorney's fees, escrow and exchange charges and any other costs which may be legitimately incurred, costs, compensation and expenses not to exceed $30.00 per bond on the outstanding bonds to be refunded, all such costs and expenses subject to approval of the bankruptcy court in which the petition for the composition of the city's debts is filed.

Our secret weapon: U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps. Buy them!

Mrs. W. A. Drawdy

FORMER RESIDENT PASSED AWAY

Arthur Gregory, former Avon Park resident, passed away Wednesday in Atlanta, following a short illness, friends here will regret to learn. Funeral services were held from the Springfield Funeral chapel in Atlanta, with interment in Bonaventure cemetery in Savannah, Ga., where graveside services were held.

PAGE AT GRAND CHAPTER

Mrs. W. J. Prevatt spent last week in Miami where she attended Grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star. She served as one of the Grand Pages at the meeting, which is considered an outstanding honor.

FORMER RESIDENT WINS HONOR

ReubenMarsden, son of Mrs. Mae Purvis of Tallahassee, formerly of Avon Park, placed in first division, baritone solo, in the Sixth District Festival, held in Tallahassee, April 9, 10, 11, friends here will be interested to learn. His accompanist was H. L. Levy, who also resided in Avon Park, before moving to Tallahassee.

NOTICE UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME LAW

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, pursuant to the "Fictitious Name Statute" House Bill No. 1175, Chapter No. 20953, Laws of Florida, 1941, will register with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, in and for Highlands County, Florida, upon receipt of proof of publication of this notice, the fictitious name, to wit: Jacaranda Coffee Shop, under which we are engaged in business in the City of Avon Park, Florida.

That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:

JACARANDA COMPANY.

Dated at Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, April 17, 1941.
April 18,25 May 2,9.

NAVY SHIPS

Whenever you hear the name of a Navy ship, and do not know what class of ship it is, just remember: Battleships are named after states; crusiers after cities; airplane carriers after famous battle grounds; destroyers after famous men; submarines after fish; and auxiliaries are named after most anything.

GETS RECREATION POST

Fred Wild, instructor in the Sebring high school, was recommended for the position of the Sebring recreation director at a joint meeting of the defense recreation council and the defense recreation committee in Sebring last Friday night.

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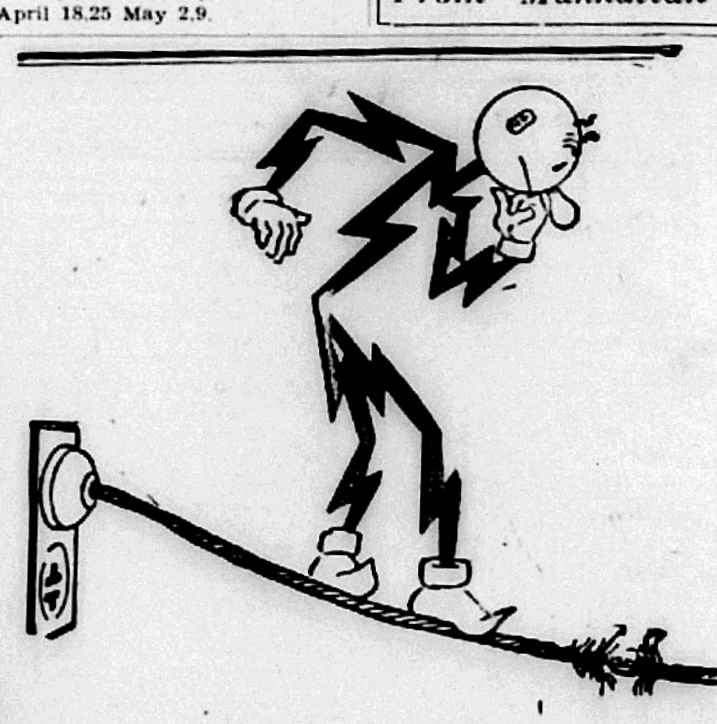

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Avon Pledges to Buy $77,004 Bonds, Stamps

Three Day Drive Adds Impetus to Bond Sales

Avon Park closed its three-day Every American Canvass Monday with a total subscription of $77,004.69 pledged for the purchase of Victory bonds and stamps. Co-chairmen Charles O. Locke and W. S. Betts handled the drive in Avon Park, with the active assistance of a large committee of men and women, who manned booths on the sidewalk and in prominent places and urged the public to sign up their pledges.

The drive was well organized with loud speaking announcements made throughout the drive by Al Rogers, and public speaking addresses in the theatre by Wm. Chaptman.

Other workers were: Mrs. Chas. O. Locke, Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mrs. L. D. McGiboney, Mrs. W. S. Betts, Mrs. W. J. Head, Francis Shockley, Miss Hilda Reddick, C. R. Ginn, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, M. G. Whitecomb, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. F. W. Hartt, Mrs. Demos Mandin, W. C. Pidgeon, H. R. Brown, L. D. McGibboney, R. G. Beeler, C. E. Emerson, Mrs. M. C. Whitcomb, Mrs. R. R. Brown, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. Nan Rouse, a group of school teachers and others.

The co..... people of Avon Park subscribed $588.50, this part of the drive being handled by Principal Williams and assistants.

HOOD HEADS DRIVE FOR NAVY RELIEF

Committee Will Solicit Funds in Week's Campaign

James R. Stockton, State Chairman of the Florida Citizens Committee in its drive to raise funds for the Navy Relief Society, announced at his headquarters in Jacksonville that Mr. John H. Hood had accepted the chairmanship for the Navy Relief Campaign in Avon Park.

The local drive will start in Avon Park Saturday, April 25 and will continue until next Saturday, May 2. Mr. Hood stated. He has appointed Frank Armistead, O. C. Wilkes, C. F. Kenney, S. C. Pardee, O. R. Perry and W. J. Prevatt to assist him with the drive.

"I want to highly commend the patriotism of Mr. Hood for his generous offer to help with this great cause," said Stockton. "There is no better way to show the men of the Navy now fighting on the far-flung battlefronts of the world that we are behind them."

Stockton stated that the Navy Relief Society has always pledged that no widow, orphaned children, or families of Navy, Marine, or Coast Guard personnel would suffer hardship without receiving assistance.

"To the men who are fighting and dying today, this pledge means much—we must make it come true," said Stockton.

Stockton went on to tell that this is the first time that the Navy has needed outside help to perpetuate the function of the society. "Always in the past the Navy has cared for its men, but with the tremendous increase in personnel today, it is impossible for them to do it all. The Navy itself is conducting its own drive and will raise much of the fund, but we must give it a helping hand."

"President Roosevelt has urged the people of the country to do their utmost to make this drive a success. I am sure the people of Avon Park, under Mr. Hood's leadership, will respond to help the Navy do its part in our victory drive," declared Stockton.

PROMOTED TO STAFF SGT.

Joe Bridgewater of Avon Park, who is stationed at Camp Bowie, Texas, with the 31st Signal Corps, has been promoted from pfc to staff sergeant. The promotion being made within a week's time.

DR. DONALDSON TO PRESENT HONOR KEYS

Gen. MacArthur, Madame Kai-shek Are Recipients

Dr. John Donaldson of Avon Park and Washington, figures prominently this week end in presentation ceremonies of the National Honor Key by the National Social Science Honor Society, Pi Gamma Mu, to two important world personages, Madame Chiang Kai-shek, and General Douglas MacArthur.

The presentations will be made Sunday at the close of the annual convention of the society, in absentia, Madame Kai-shek to be represented by a member of the Chinese legation, and Gen. MacArthur by a general of the army.

Dr. Donaldson, who makes his home part time with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Donaldson, in Avon Park, is national vice president of the National Social Science Honor Society and chairman of the board of the Academy of World Economics. He will appear on Sunday's program delivering the address of welcome to delegates who will attend from all over the country. Dr. Donaldson is professor of political economy at George Washington University, Washington, D. C., and is the author of several important books on economics.

In accepting the citation, General MacArthur sent the following cablegram to Dr. Donaldson:

CABLEGRAM

(via Postal Telegram from Montreal: from U. S. Government War Department Headquarters, Australia, official message dated April 18, time 1900, sent through British Imperial Cables to Montreal, and relayed to Washington, D. C. April 18, 1:22 p. m. 1942).

Dr. John Donaldson
George Washington University
Washington, D. C.

Am greatly moved by your radiogram. I send the following greeting.: "I deeply appreciate the unique favor that your distinguished Society is conferring upon me. The ceaseless quest for knowledge shown in the study of pure science has been the keystone of the arch upon which has been reared our modern civilization. From the tireless efforts of scholars, from the toil and sweat and labor of their acquisitive thirst for learning for what Kipling called "The way and the Truth and the Light", has come that most priceless heritage, our way of life. It is that which we now fight to preserve and to which we have pledged all our honor and all of our blood. With a deep sense of obligation, I accept the Honor Key of Pi Gamma Mu.

MacArthur"

Following are the MacArtnur and Kai-shek citations:

"The National Social Science Honor Society"

Citation

General Douglas MacArthur

"Soldier, Scholar, brilliant and beloved leader; defender of democracy; destined to victory: creator of courage and confidence in the cause of civilization within the hearts of Americans and millions in many lands:

"Upon you, as author of imperishable pages in the history of human valor and liberty, The National Social Science Honor Society, Pi Gamma Mu, confers Honorary Membership, and bestows the symbol of its highest distinction, its National Honor Key."

"The National Social Science Honor Society"

Citation

Madame Chiang Kai-shek

"Heir of an ancient culture, co-creator of a China blender of thought of East and West; cheerful and courageous counsellor of a people in their sorrows and successes: twentieth century stateswoman:

"Upon you, as a prominent participant in the intellectual and spiritual renaissance of a nation, The National Social Science Honor Society, Pi Gamma Mu, confers Honorary Membership, and bestows the symbol of its highest distinction, its National Honor Key."

Madame Kai-shek's acceptance is expected before the end of the week.

The Navy rumor about what happened to the Normandie was accidental may have been a mistake in spelling or pronunciation . . . maybe it should have been "Axisdental."

Registration Monday, Ages From 45 to 64

Last Call for Man Pawer in All Out Effort

Registration of men between the ages of 45 and 64 years has been set for Monday, April 27, and the Highlands County Selective Service Board reports that all arrangements have been made for carrying out the registration in this county.

Places of registration in each community of the county are the same as in previous registrations. School faculties will conduct registration of whites, and the American Legion will handle the colored registrants. School houses will be used as heretofore as places of registration for both white and colored.

With the local boards throughout the state of Florida reporting all in readiness for the registration on April 27 of men between the ages of 45 and 64 years, inclusive, Brig. Gen. Vivian Collins, State Director of Selective Service, today pointed out that there are only three main requirements for this registration.

The General summarized these major requirements thus:

(1) Every male citizen and every male alien residing in Florida other than persons excepted by the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended, who had attained the 45th anniversary of the day of his birth on or before February 16, 1942, and has not attained the sixty-fifth anniversary of the day of his birth on or before April 27, 1942, is required to present himself for and submit to registration on April 27, 1942.

(2) Registration should be made at a designated registration place of the local board area in which the registrant has had permanent home, or in which he may happen to be between the hours of 7 a. m. and 9 p. m. on April 27. This registration place may be the office of the local board having jurisdiction in the area, or other public place properly designated by the local board.

(3) Registrants must answer all questions asked by registrar for notation on the registration card. It is important that the registrant describe his place of residence in detail as well as give full particulars as to the address at which he will be sure to receive mail or other communications. Anyone who is unavoidably away from his home on April 27 may register at the registration place most convenient on that day, the General said, but all registrants are urged to make every effort to register with their own local boards to avoid possible confusion in the future. Any person who must register away must carefully specify his home address so that his registration card may be forwarded promptly to his own local board.

Special registrars also will be provided to register men who can not appear at a designated registration place because of illness or other incapacity, the General stated, but it is incumbent upon these men to advise a registrar in their local board area of their inability to appear at a registration place.

A registrant who has more than one place of residence may choose which one he wants recorded as his place of residence, but no transient address may be recorded, General Collins said, to avoid possible confusion in the future. Any person who must register away must carefully specify his home address so that his registration card may be forwarded promptly to his own local board.

After the registrant has answered all questions and signed his name to the registration card, he will be given a registration certificate signed by the registrar. This certificate must be in the personal possession of the registrant at all times. Failure to possess this certificate, or to show it to authorized persons constitutes a violation of Selective Service Regulations and is considered prima facie evidence of failure to register.

General Collins pointed out that those who register on April 27 are not liable for military service under the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended. They will be required later to fill out an occupational questionnaire concerning their civilian qualifications and skills, but that is for the purpose of obtaining information only.

GEO. B. WELLS BELIEVED TO BE WAR PRISONER

Was In Forces Defending Guam, Believed Captured

Boatswain George Bernard Wells, U. S. Navy, who was among the defending forces at Guam, which held the Japanese at bay for two weeks before capitulating to superior forces, is probably a prisoner of war, Mrs. Lucy Wells Blum, his mother, was informed in a letter from the War Department yesterday.

Guam fell on December 23, after a heroic fight by the small garrison of naval and marine forces and the fate of the survivors of the battle has been in doubt ever since. Mrs. Blum, unable to get a word from her son, who was stationed on the island, wrote the war department for information, and received the following reply:

Mrs. Lucy Wells Blum
Avon Park, Florida
Dear Mrs. Blum:

The Provost Marshall General has directed me to reply to your letter of April 3, 1942, written in regard to Boatswain George Bernard Wells.

This office has been notified by the Navy that he is probably a prisoner of war. So far, we have received no names of American prisoners of war held by Japan.

Information reaching this office through the Protecting Power and the International Red Cross is that American prisoners of war are well situated and as comfortable as can be expected under the circumstances. They made no serious complaints when visited by representatives of the Swiss Legation and the International Red Cross.

Rest assured that your Government is doing everything possible to assure proper treatment of its citizens held by the enemy. You are advised to keep in touch with the local chapter of the American Red Cross, which will inform you when messages and packages can be sent.

If any information reaches this office in regard to your son, you will be informed at once.

Sincerely yours,
Howard F. Bresee
Lt. Col. A. G. D.
Chief, Information Branch

Today a wise guy is one who leaves his hat and coat outside in the car and takes his spare tire inside with him and checks it!

Lodwick Builds Additional Barracks at Lakeland School

Part of Expansion Program, Says Lodwick

An expansion program calling for the construction of an additional barracks to house an undisclosed number of additional British flying students who will be given primary flight training in Lakeland for the RAF was announced last Saturday by Albert I. Lodwick, owner and operator of the Lakeland School of Aeronautics, says a story in the Sunday Lakeland Ledger.

"The new barracks will be approximately the same size and type as the buildings now being used, with the exception that the recreational rooms will be located at the end of the building overlooking Lake Parker," Lodwick said in making the announcement.

"Details as to the number of students to be accomodated in the new structure are not permissible under military censorship. It is, however, possible to say that the new facilities will take care of a considerable number of new flying students. This means that additional instructors will come to Lakeland, as well as mechanics, linemen and other personnel to take care of the expansion program," Lodwick said.

The expansion of the Lakeland school is part of the new training facilities program announced by President Roosevelt a few weeks ago. The Lakeland school will begin its second year of operation here in September. Its monthly operation brings into the community approximately $55,000.

According to Lodwick, the new barracks will be of two story frame construction and will be located east of the south barracks. It will be ready for occupancy June 3 when the new class of Britishers are expected to arrive from the southeast air corps training center, Maxwell Field, which is supervision over the local school's activities.

Work of laying the foundation for the new building began yesterday.

Capt. J. G. Merrill of the U. S. Air corps is commanding officer at the school.

When first started, the school trained American fliers, but switched to RAF cadets when President Roosevelt announced a plan to train the Britishers under the lend-lease act.

Improvements have been made steadily since the school was started, and it is now rated one of the finest in the south.

Revival Services Begin Monday at Baptist Church

Dr. E. D. Solomon, noted evangelist, will open a series of revival services at the First Baptist church, beginning at 8 o'clock Monday evening, April 27. Thereafter, throughout the revival services will be held each morning at 9:30, and in the evening at 8:00.

The church choir, under the direction of E. L. Roberts, and the Sunshine choir, directed by Miss Willa McGibboney, will sing at the evening services. The Young People's choir will sing on Wednesday and Sunday evenings. Everyone is cordially invited to attend the services.

Industrial Sugar Users To Register

Dr. S. N. Reeves Has Charge for Avon Park

Retailers, wholesalers, restaurants, hotels, boarding houses, cafeterias, confectioners, ice cream manufacturers, drug stores, and all other individuals and firms who serve sugar to the public in any form will register April 28-29 according to Dr. Reeves, who has been appointed as registrar for Avon Park. All the above named individuals and firms will go to the office in the High School Building, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 28-29, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 5 P. M. All individual consumers who use sugar in homes will not register until the following week, that is, May 4-7.

All retailers please have the following information before registering:

1. Gross sales of all meats, groceries, fruits, vegetables, etc., for the week ending April 25, 1942.

2. Sugar delivered and accepted by retailer during month of Nov. 1941.

3. The number of pounds of sugar now owned by retailers.

All wholesalers please have the following:

1. Number of months in which sugar was sold during 1941.

2. Amount of sugar usually received at one delivery on or about Dec. 1, 1941.

3. Quantity of pounds of sugar now owned by wholesaler.

Hotels, restaurants, boarding houses, and other similar places should know the amount of sugar used per month during 1941 and also the purpose for which the sugar is used.

Dr. Reeves stresses the fact that this registration April 28-29, is for retailers, wholesalers, institutions, and industrial users only. Individual consumers will register the following week and should not under any condition, come by the school next week for any information, as he will be busy with the retail trade registration and will not have time to discuss the sugar rationing with any individual. Information concerning individual consumer rationing will be given in the next weeks paper.

ARMY BOMBER, CREW MISSING OVER WEEK

Believed Lost In Gulf While on Flight to Texas

A crew of six men aboard an army bomber which has been overdue at Hendricks Field, Air Force Combat Crew school, since the afternoon of April 15, is still missing. The bomber and crew were on a graduation round-trip flight from Hendricks Field to Brownsville, Texas. A number of other bombers and crews had been dispatched individually for the flight on the same day.

The finding of an empty fuel tank and a life raft in the Gulf of Mexico, about 60 miles southwest of Egmont Key, has spurred the search and given a faint glimmer of hope. The tank was brought in and reported to the Coast Guard Station at St. Petersburg by the captain of the fishing schooner, "Santa Lucia." MacBill Field at Tampa was notified by the captain of a fishing boat out of Passa-Grille of the finding of the raft. The raft and tank have not been definitely established as part of the missing plane's equipment. A check of their markings is being made. The tank evidently had been released from a plane.

When advised by Col. Carl B. McDaniel, commanding officer, that the bomber was missing, Major General George E. Strateme-yer, commanding the Southeast Air Corps Training Center, Maxwell Field, Ala., ordered all stations under his jurisdiction to join in the hunt for the plane. He requested and received the cooperation of all available departments.

Army, coast guard, navy and Pan-American Airways planes have been combing the Gulf from the Mexican to the Florida coasts and also the Florida East Coast. The search is being directed by Capt. Audrin R. Walker, Hendricks field director of training.

A board of officers has been appointed to investigate the accident with reference to the cause and final results, and every bit of information and evidence is being thoroughly sifted to complete as far as possible the record of the accident.

Col. McDaniel announced that the members of the crew and their next of kin who have been notified of the bomber's disappearance, are as follows:

Captain T. C. Kennington, Jr., instructor; wife, Sebring, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Kennington, Panama, City.

1st. Lt. Robert G. Gross, pilot; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert F. Gross, 211 Platt st. Toledo, Ohio.

2nd Lt. Earl W. Clifton, co-pilot; wife, 623 Gulf st., San Antonio, Texas, and mother, Mrs. G. C. Clifton, Lakeview, Ohio.

2nd. Lt. James R. Rizzolo, navigator; father, Fred Rizzolo, Media, Pa.

Staff Sgt. Daniel J. Maloney, aerial engineer; father, Peter Maloney, 714 North st., Jackson, Miss.

Staff Sgt. Phillip H. Wenk, radio operator; mother, Mrs. Mary L. Wenk, 2685 Ludlam Road, Miami.

The relatives of the crew have been advised daily of the results of the intensive search which has been underway since a short time after the scheduled time of the ship's return.—Sebring News.

Tax Roll Closes April 30; Office To Close Half Day

The Highlands County tax roll will close April 30, and on and after that date, penalties of 3% plus advertising and costs will be added to the tax bill, County Tax Collector Ruth Bass Hylton announced this week.

In order to expedite the work of preparing the delinquent tax roll for publication, Mrs. Hylton said she would be forced to close the office at noon each day after May 1, in order to devote half of each day to this work. The delinquent tax roll will be published in the Avon Park Times starting with the first issue in June, and the sale will be held the first Monday in July.

RUMMAGE SALE TODAY

The Catholic Woman's club of St. Catherine's Church in Sebring, will hold a rummage sale Saturday, on the lower floor of the building that was formerly Ebi's Bakery.

Council Names Perry Murray City Attorney

Frostproof Lawyer Will Serve Out Unexpired Term

Perry Murray of Frostproof was elected city attorney for the unexpired term by the city council at an adjourned meeting last Friday night, and will take immediate charge of city legal affairs, involving bond refunding, tax collections, mandamus suits and other matters requiring the attention of an attorney.

Mr. Murray is attorney for the City of Frostproof and served as representative in the Legislature from Polk county during the last session.

The city granted as easement over city streets to the Rural Electrification Administration, of the Wauchula office, for building a power line from the plant of the Florida Public Service company to to Avon Park General Bombing Range east of town. The REA has a contract to build the line, and the Florida Public Service company will furnish the electricity, it was stated.

The council discussed bond refunding, and agreed to contact R. E. Crummer & Company, former fiscal agents, and holders of a large block of Avon Park bonds, with a view to securing the company's approval of the new proposed refunding agreement. The clerk was instructed to ask Crummer for a conference in Orlando to discuss refunding.

HIGHLANDS REGISTRATIONS TOTAL 3537

Avon Park Leads All Towns With 1370 for Primary

Registrations for the May primaries closed Saturday, April 18, with a total of 3537 voters registered in Highlands county. Of this number only 25 Republicans registered, believed to be the smallest Republican registration in the history of the county.

Avon Park continued to lead all other towns in the county, with the largest number of voters, registering a total of 1370 in its three precincts. Sebring, close second, has 1215 registered voters in its three precincts.

Registration by precincts:

Avon Park, 1	374
Avon Park, 1-A	531
Avon Park, 1-B	465
Sebring, 2	610
Sebring, 2-A	341
Sebring, 2-B	264
DeSoto City, 3	161
Lake Placid, 4	396
Venus, 5	110
Hicoria, 6	31
Bassenger, 7	49
Brighton, 8	21
Lorida, 9	184
	3537

Free Picture On How to Deal With Bombs

Next Monday morning April 27, starting at 10 o'clock, the Park theatre will show free of charge, a new sound picture, "Fighting the Bomb," which shows and tells you how to deal with incendiary bombs. It is educational and tells just what to do and what not to do, in the event your home or store or office is hit by incendiaries.

The picture is sponsored by both the state and county defense councils. There will be two shows Monday morning, one at ten o'clock and the other at 11. The public is urged to attend.

Social Security Men Coming

A representative of the West Palm Beach Field Office of the Social Security Board will be in Avon Park, Wednesday April 29, 1942. He will be stationed at the Post Office at 11:00 A. M. Persons desiring information should call there at that time.

Folks You Know . .

Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves left last week end for Vidalia, Ga., to visit relatives.

Mrs. F. W. Klpp left Thursday for Columbus, Ohio, to visit her son, Frederick, Jr., who is employed at the Curtis Wright Airplane plant.

H. F. Sachsenmaier of Philadelphia, Pa., arrived Sunday to visit his son, Bill Sachsenmaier and family for several days.

Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood and Betty Rose Ford are spending the week end in Tampa with the former's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Booth Kirkwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Peacock of Orlando and Miss Francis Hargrove of Bartow, were the guests of Mrs. Virginia Cloud Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Francis and baby daughter, Jane, will leave Sunday for Montgomery, Ala., to spend a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Thompson.

Mrs. W. W. Kloth and son, Buddy of Tarpon Springs, are the guests of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Campbell.

Mrs. Julia H. Baldwin, who has been spending the season at her home here, will leave next Wednesday for Meriden, Conn., to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Forbes, who have spent the winter at their home on west Bell St., left this week for their summer home in Stanton, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert F. Willson left this week for West Lawn, Pa., for the summer, after spending the winter at their home on Highlands Ave.

Claud J. Mann left Wednesday for Jackson, Mich., where he will spend some time with relatives. While away, he will undergo a major operation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hill are leaving today for their home in Toledo, Ill. They have spent the season in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Radcliffe and son, Johnnie Reese of Cornelia, Ga., spent Tuesday here with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wever and family. Mrs. Wever is Mr. Radcliffe's sister.

Mrs. J. L. Wells and daughter, Miss Marjorie Wells spent the week end in Americus, Ga., where they visited Mrs. W. E. Morgan, of Avon Park who is confined to a hospital there.

Vernon Lanier, yeoman in the U. S. Navy, who has been spending a ten day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, left Wednesday to return to his duties at the U. S. Naval Air Station, where he is stationed.

Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr., is spending the week end in Miami with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Williams, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worden returned home Thursday morning from Jacksonville, where they have spent the past several days.

Miss Agnes Stanton of Jacksonville, arrived Wednesday to spent the remainder of the week here, as the attractive house guest of Mrs. T. H. Maxwell and family. She has been in Miami attending the state missionary conference. Miss Stanton is president of W. S. C. S. in her church in Jacksonville.

Mrs. D. L. Griffin and daughter, Miss Edna Earle Griffin returned Saturday from Vidalia, Ga., where they were called last Tuesday by the death of Mrs. Griffin's sister, Mrs. R. F. Williford. Funeral services were held in Vidalia on Thursday.

Lieut. and Mrs. G. D. Godwin arrived Thursday afternoon from Fort Sill, Okla., to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Godwin and Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Baldwin. After their visit here, they will go to Camp Blanding, where Lieut. Godwin has been transferred.

Mrs. Lem Bowers and daughter, Miss Mary Frances Bowers of Ft. Meade spent Tuesday in Avon Park, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Roberts. They were enroute home from Miami, where they had been visiting their son and brother Harold Bowers.

W. E. Morgan has returned from Americus, Ga., where he was called last week end by the serious illness of Mrs. Morgan, who is visiting relatives there. While Mrs. Morgan will be confined to a hospital in Americus for several more days, friends here will be delighted to know that her condition is improving.

Mrs. Emma E. Pate Dies Thursday at Sebring Hospital

Mrs. Emma Elizabeth Pate, 65, died at a Sebring hospital Thursday morning, following a two months' illness. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at three o'clock at the Stephenson Funeral Home, with the Rev. Herman Collins of Lake Wales in charge. Burial was in Bougainvillea cemetery following the services.

Active pallbearers were: Dave Stuckey, J. L. Collins, John Giddens, Gordon Palmer, George Johnson and Elijah Lamb of Frostproof.

Mrs. Pate, a devoted wife, mother, and sister was beloved by all who knew her for her friendly and kindly disposition. Throughout her long suffering during her last illness, she was ever patient and thoughtful of others.

Survivors are: W. J. Pate, her husband; two sons, Jim Pate of Avon Park, and Pearl Pate of Worth County, Ga.; five daughters, Mrs. L. P. Childers, Avon Park; Mrs. J. W. McGill, Lake Wales; Mrs. J. B. Collins, Cocoa; Mrs. Cora Eleazer, Lake Wales; Mrs. Alex Barnes, Babson Park; five brothers, J. A. Champion, Paintha; J. C., C. C. Dave and George Champion of Georgia; and a sister, Mrs. J. A. Bridges, of Georgia.

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DOG'S NICE, TOO



Here is attractive Candy Jones, better known as Miss Atlantic City, on that famous resort's Boardwalk wearing a patriotic slacks outfit. The sweater is red, slacks are white and the coat is blue.

AVON PARK IS LEADING AIR FORCE LEAGUE

Will Meet Wings From Hendricks Here Sunday

Avon Park Citizens are leading the Air Force league with two wins and no losses, as they prepare to meet the Hendricks field Wings, in a featured double header at Head field here Sunday afternoon. The Hendricks Medicos and the Bombers will furnish the added attraction for the twin bill. The games start at 2 p. m. Admission charge has been set at 25 cents for civilian adults, and 10 cents for soldiers and children under 16. Proceeds go the recreation fund to provide entertainment for soldiers of this area.

Avon Park Civilians, the Wings and the Hawks are bracketed in a three way tie for first place after the first weeks play. The Hawks play Sebring Civilians at Sebring Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

AIR FORCE LEAGUE STANDING

	W	L	Pct.
Avon Park	2	0	1.000
Hendricks Hawks	2	0	1.000
Hendricks Wings	2	0	1.000
Avon Bombers	0	2	.000
Sebring Firemen	0	2	.000
Hendricks Medicos	0	2	.000

Wednesday's Results — Avon Park 8, Avon Park Bombers 1. Hendricks Field Hawks 11, Hendricks Medicos 8; Hendricks Field Wings 15, Sebring Firemen 0.

Avon Park's scrappy young civilian team collected its second successive Air Force League baseball victory by trouncing the Bomber Detachment club, 8 to 1, in the nightcap of a doubleheader on the Avon Park field Wednesday afternoon.

Harold Rowe, Avon Park high school athletic director, pitched two-hit ball and his youthful mates plastered the offerings of three Bomber hurlers for enough hits to win handily. Rowe gave up a single to Lane in the first inning and another to Joe Koenigs in the seventh. That was all, and he struck out nine batsmen.

Avon Park's runs came in pairs and pairs only, in the first, third, fifth and sixth innings. Third Baseman Skipper maced out two of the winners' seven base blows.

Thornton, starting Bomber pitcher, couldn't find the platter and walked Rutledge, Williams and Rowe in succession to start the first inning. An infield out, a passed ball and a stolen base by Williams came at opportune enough moments to produce a pair of runs before Koenigs, who relieved Thornton, retired the side.

In the fourth frame Rutledge drew a walk off Koenigs to start more scoring. He watched Williams and Rowe strike out, but First Sacker Hines smashed a long double into right field to send Rutledge accross the rubber and scored himself when Skipper singled.

Pitcher Rowe singled off Chambers, third Bomber hurler, with one out in the fifth. Hines was safe on a boot by Third Baseman Ford. Then Skipper singled to score Rowe. After that Hines stole home with the inning's second counter.

Final two-run canto for Avon Park was the sixth, when Rutledge and Williams smashed out successive singles and two errors in a row by Shortstop Kanich of the Bombers allowed both to dent the platter.

The lone Bomber run off Rowe was unearned and came after the Avon Park hurler had struck out the first two batters in the fourth inning. Kanich scored in on errors by Shortstop Williams and Catcher Smith, with a stolen base sandwiched in between.

In the first game of Wednesday's twin bill at Avon Park the Hendricks Field Hawks pushed over eight runs in a big third inning and outscored the Hendricks Field Medicos, 11 to 8. The Hendricks Field Wings blanked the Sebring Firemen, 15 to 0, at Sebring Wednesday night.

	R	H	E
Avon Park	202 002 0	8	7
Bombers	000 100 0	1	2

Batteries—Rowe and Smith; Thornton, Koenigs, Chambers and Stevens.

WINGS BEAT SEBRING 15-0

The Hendricks field Wings defeated the Sebring Civilians, 15-0, in Sebring Wednesday night. Feature of the game was Magans' three hits for four times at bat for the Wings. The score:

	R	H	E
Sebring	000 000 0	0	4
Wings	424 104 x	15	12

Cove, High and Gearing Hoyt; Tomlinson, Stroupe and Foldes.

ATTENDS STATE MEETING

C. Parke Anderson spent Sunday and Monday in Miami, where he attended a meeting of the state welfare board, for all district chairman. Mr. Anderson is chairman of the 8th district.

TIRES, TUBES AND RETREADS GRANTED SINCE MARCH 31 TO APRIL 17

Horace Lee Basemore, Nathaniel Ownes Burkett, Henry Miller, Lake Byrd Citrus Pkg. Co., Dr. Clifford Jackson Gay, Rufus Jackson Rhymes, Thomas Jefferson Harris, Clarence Earl Hendry, Ben Theodore Cox, Samuel Verner Hunnings, Gerald Graham Foster, S. Y. Hartt & Son, Inc., Leroy Nelson, William Bryant Lundy, Dr. George Scott McKnight.

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Church Notes

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Topic: "Requirements For Christian Discipleship." Classes for all ages and a trained teacher for each class. A welcome awaits you.

Morning worship service at 11:00 o'clock, with sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on: "The Friend of Sinners." Music by the choir. Soloist, Cadet David Lawrie, of the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy. You are cordially invited to attend this service and enjoy with us this hour of inspirational and reverent worship.

The Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the Church at 7:00 P. M. William Hood will have charge of the devotional service and Charles Bennett will introduce the topic: "How Far Can Jesus Be Our Pattern?" Young people welcome.

A Silver Tea will be given to invited guests by Mrs. John H. Hood at her home on Wednesday, April 29, at 3:00 P. M. The "Quiet Hour" service for praise and prayer will be held at the Church on Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. Brief address by the Pastor. America needs praying men and women today. We invite you to join us.

There will be no choir rehearsal this coming Saturday.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

O. E. Moss, Minister

10:00 A. M. Bible School.

10:45 A. M. Worship. Sermon Topic, "What it Means to Be a Member of the Church."

8:00 P. M. Evening service: Topic, "A Man God Arrested."

Wednesday 8:00 P. M.: Mid-week service.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"Probation After Death" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, April 26.

The Golden Text is: "He that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved" (Matthew 24 :13).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Thomas saith unto him, Lord, we know not whither thou goest; and how can we know the way? Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me" (John 14:-5-6).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Progress is here of experience. It is the ripening of mortal man, through which the mortal is dropped for the immortal. Either here or hereafter, suffering or Science must destroy all illusions regarding life and mind, and regenerate material sense and self. The old man with his deeds must be put off. Nothing sensual or sinful is immortal" (p.296:4-10).

M. T. Merwin and granddaughter, Miss Marjorie Merwin left Monday morning for Blue Mountain Lake, N. Y., to spend the summer. They have been spending the season at their home on W. Pleasant Street.

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Bride Elect is Party Honoree

Miss Mary Lydia Stebbins, attractive bride of the week, was the honoree at a party on Monday evening, given by the Young People's department of the Baptist Sunday School, at the home of Mrs. R. H. Lawhon. Miss Stebbins was formerly a teacher in the department.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with arrangements of spring garden flowers, in harmonizing pastel shades. A particularly attractive bouquet on the lace covered dining table, was composed of roses and Queen Anne's lace.

The guests autographed a white Bride's book, which was tied with streamers of white and pink ribbons caught with miniature wedding rings.

The department presented the honoree with a handsome automatic electric iron, the presentation being made in a novel manner. She was invited to search for the hidden treasure, and at various intervals came upon small cards, upon which was written clever verse in rhyme, concerning her future. At last, she came to the end of her search, and found the attractively packaged gift.

A delicious refreshment course, composed of pink and white brick ice cream and cake, was served late in the evening.

Those sharing the party with the honor guest were Miss Margaret Smith, Miss Ophelia Dean, Miss Louise Smith, Miss Willa McGiboney, Miss Betty Touchton, Miss Garland Turnbull, Francis Skipper, E. L. Upton, Harold Risher, Fred Foster, Chandler Wingfield, Malcolm Crews, Erle Pabor, Powell Skipper, Dale McFarland, Wendell Smith, and Earl Bozeman of Lake Placid.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Elder have as their guests E. H. Hayes of Jakin, Ga. A. H. Hayes and Clark Reeves of Blakely, Ga. and Staff Sgt. Harvie Thomas of Camp Blanding. Mrs. A. B. Hayes, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Elder and family for the past month, will return to Blakely with Mr. Hayes.

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Club Entertained at Brown Home

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Brown entertained the Thursday evening bridge club, with a delightful party at their home this week. Attractive arrangements of spring garden flowers were used by the hostess to decorate the party rooms.

High and second high score prizes for the evening were awarded to Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, and Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry. The prizes were Defense Stamps. A dainty refreshment course served after the games, consisted of fudge cake, ice cream, and coffee.

Those enjoying the party included Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, E. G. Todd, and Mrs. Sue Gregory.

ARRIVES IN AUSTRALIA

Pvt. Harry Randall Douberly, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Douberly of Lakeland, has arrived in Australia for duty with the air corps, according to a cablegram received by his parents Pvt. Douberly formerly lived in Avon Park, where he was connected with Carter's Groceteria, and has many friends here, who are interested in news of him.

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This equipment is simple, costs little, in fact, many people have all this on hand, but it must be placed in a convenient location where it can be quickly reached in the event of need.

The occupants of every house, office and store room are also requested to provide and have in a convenient location at least two galvanized buckets, half full of sand and one flat-nose shovel, for use in putting out fires caused by incendiary bombs.

Have your fire extinguisher inspected and recharged if needed. Your local fire department will render this service.

An inspection of every building will be made very shortly and we hope that everybody will promptly and willingly cooperate without the necessity of further check-ups. These precautions are essential to the welfare of your community. THIS WORK MUST BE DONE.

Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Mary Lydia Stebbins and Earl Bozeman Marry Wednesday at Baptist Church

Characterized by beauty and simplicity, the marriage of Miss Mary Lydia Stebbins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert A. Stebbins and Earl Franklin Bozeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bozeman of Lake Placid, took place Wednesday evening at nine o'clock at the First Baptist Church. The Rev. Jack P. Dalton, pastor of the church, officiated in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends. The single ring service was used.

Sprays of fern asparagus banked against the choir rail formed an effective background for the wedding party. In the center of the greenery, was placed a standard basket of stately white gladioli, pink snapdragons, and Queen Anne's lace flanked on either side by tall white tapers, burning in branched candlelabra. White gladioli and Queen Anne's lace, in low containers were on pedestals at each end of the choir rail, and roses, pink snapdragons and Queen Anne's lace, marked the entrance to the choir loft.

Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. James B. Coen Jr., pianist, and E. L. Roberts, soloist, presented a program of nuptial music. Mr. Roberts sang, "Because" (d'Hardelot). The traditional processional and recessional wedding marches were played.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was radiant in white starched lace, with panel inserts of a floral design in the same material. The fitted bodice was finished with a small collar, and caught at the neckline with an exquisite cameo pin, an heirloom in the family. She wore a large milan hat, with a grosgrain bow on the crown, and her flowers were a corsage of orchids.

Attendants in Pastel Shades

Miss Elizabeth Hetherington, maid of honor, wore a beige pebble crepe. The fitted bodice was embroidered with silk braid, with tiny covered buttons extending from the convertible collar to the low waistline, attached to the full skirt by a narrow band of self material. Her flowers were a corsage of talisman roses and blue cornflowers, tied with narrow gold satin ribbon.

Miss Dorothy McNicholas, bridesmaid, was gowned in poudre blue silk crepe, with front draped bodice and short puffed sleeves. The very full skirt was attached to the bodice at a low waistline. Her flowers were a corsage of delicate pink and white carnations, tied with narrow white satin ribbon.

Miss Jeanine Crews, sister of the bride, and Barbara Lawhon, were junior bridesmaids. Jeanine wore a sky blue dimity frock trimmed with tiny white lace ruffles, and tied with a wide sash. The bow in her hair matched her dress, and she carried a nosegay of sweetheart roses and blue cornflowers. Barbara was dressed in an embroidered organdie, the delicate blue design of the embroidery matching the bow in her hair. The frock was finished with a narrow collar, and sash of self material. She carried a nosegay of sweetheart roses and blue cornflowers.

James Bozeman of Lake Placid, brother of the groom, served as best man, and ushers were Malcolm Crews, brother of the bride, L. C. Davis, and Tom Bozeman Jr., brother of the groom.

Mrs. Stebbins, mother of the bride, wore a hyacinth blue silk crepe, with fitted bodice, ending in a peplum. The blouse was appliqued with tiny felt flowers in a deeper shade, and her hat had a flower trimmed crown. Her flowers were briarcliff roses and cornflowers, in corsage.

The groom's mother chose an aqua tailored crepe, with which she wore a matching felt hat. Her corsage was of briarcliff roses and blue forget-me-nots.

The couple left during the evening for a short wedding trip which they will spend in Orlando and Fort Myers. They will be at home after May first at their apartment in Lake Placid.

Baptists Entertain Service Men

The First Baptist Church was host to the service men in the city, at an enjoyable party on Tuesday evening, given in the social room of the church basement. W. W. McFarland was general chairman of the party; E. L. Roberts was in charge of the entertainment program, and Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, chairman of the refreshment committee.

The program opened with the invocation by Rev. Jack P. Dalton, pastor of the church, followed with the address of welcome by S. F. Longbottom. The group singing of "Old favorite melodies, "Swanee River" and "Old Black Joe"

Miss Marjorie Wells, soprano was followed with two readings given by Mrs. Otto Skipper, soloist, gave two vocal selections, and Rev. Dalton, a short talk.

Saul Cutler, with the Avon Park Bombing Range Detachment, gave three vocal numbers, accompanying himself on his guitar. Two of his selections were original compositions.

E. L. Roberts sang two numbers "Asleep in the Deep" and "When the Bell in the Lighthouse Rings". The program closed with group singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "Star Spangled Banner.

Delicious refreshments of assorted sandwiches, homemade cake, and orange juice were served to over two hundred attending the party, and included service men and members of the church.

Overall Club Has Supper Dance

Members of the Overall club and their dates, enjoyed a delightful buffet supper and dance on Friday evening. The affair was held in the Brickell building.

The supper consisted of sandwiches, weiners and rolls, potato chips, slaw, cookies and orange juice. Games including ping pong, and dancing furnished pleasant entertainment for the evening. Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O. Locke and Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McGiboney. About fifty young people were in attendance.

Mrs. Lena Kean and Mrs. Emma Pagel of Detroit, Mich., who have been staying through the season at the Wm. Langenbahn home, left this week for their home.

Four Are Hostesses at Country Club

Mrs. D. E. O'Connor, Mrs. Albert Devane, Mrs. Corretta Cannon, and Mrs. John Coleman of Lake Placid entertained at a miscellaneous shower at the Lake Placid Country club last Friday evening, in honor of Miss Mary Lydia Stebbins, whose marriage to Earl Bozeman, was an event of this week at the First Baptist Church, Avon Park.

A bridal motif was reflected in the floral decorations of spring garden flowers, which were arranged at points of vantage throughout the club house.

The shower of attractively packaged gifts were arranged on a large table, centered with a bouquet of orange blossoms. The four hostesses presented the honoree with a Westinghouse sandwich grill.

Games and contests, that suggested a bridal theme, were enjoyed during the evening. Delicious refreshments of white brick ice cream and individual decorated cakes were served.

About fifty friends shared the pleasure of the occasion with the bride elect.

BPW Club Has Enjoyable Party

Mrs. H. C. Bigsbie and Mrs. Margaret Chandler entertained members of the B. P. W. club at a delightful party on Monday evening, at the social room of the F. P. S. company. Bowls of fragrant red roses formed the attractive decorations.

Three progressions of bridge were played and high score prizes were awarded to Mrs. Ben T. Stewart and Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck. Each received Defense Stamps as their prize. Delicious refreshments of pineapple-cheese salad on lettuce, crackers, devil's food cake and orange juice were served after the games.

Those enjoying the party, as guests of the two hostesses were Mrs. Phillip Boardman, Mrs. Freed Peden, Miss Kate Tompkins, Miss Mattie Tompkins, Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck, Miss Margaretha Vogt, Miss Sarah Browning, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Miss Millie Pearson, and Mrs. Bill Friedman.

Mrs. Hall Hostess at Dessert Bridge

Spring garden flowers, in colorful shades, with bouquets of phlox predominating, were used by Mrs. Virgil Hall to decorate her home on Wednesday, when she was hostess to members of the Trump It club, and additional friends, at a lovely dessert bridge.

The tempting dessert course served before the games, was composed of fruit jello with whipped cream, cookies and iced tea.

When scores were totaled, following the enjoyable progressions, high award was given to Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, who received a wall plaque of the Singing Tower; second high, a "reminder" book, was won by Mrs. Harold Rowe; and Mrs. W. R. Carter received a glass ash tray, as the floating prize.

Those playing were Mrs. George Haynie, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mrs. W. M. Wright, Mrs. Brisco Willis, Mrs. James A. Davis, and Mrs. Harold Rowe.

Circle Luncheon at Booth Home

The Raab circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church was delightfully entertained at a luncheon at the home of Mrs. S. E. Booth at one o'clock on Tuesday. Mrs. W. S. Rawlings was co-hostess for the affair.

The dainty luncheon was served at the prettily appointed table, centered with a low bowl of spring flowers in pastel shades.

Mrs. J. D. Raab presided at a short business meeting in the afternoon. Mrs. A. McKee Elwell conducted the opening devotional.

Those present were Mrs. J. D. Raab, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mrs. A. McKee Elwell, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Rose Willett, Mrs. Chas. F. Catlin, Mrs. Harry Gordinier, Miss Furlow Anderson, and Mrs. A. C. Wester.

The May luncheon meeting of the circle will be held at the home of Mrs. Katherine Bristol, with Mrs. Raab, co-hostess.

C. B. Martin left last week for Springfield, Ohio to spend the summer. He will be catcher for the Springfield baseball club in the Middle Atlantic League.

Sugar . . and Spice

In the absence of the writer of this well seasoned column . . . I bribed the editor to let me add a dash of salt and pepper . . . won't you agree with me . . . fellow sufferers . . . that she (the columnist) needs a bit o' saltin' down?!

So-o-o step right up all you "spiced and sugared" victims for your revenge . . . (Or do you need First Aid?)

FOR . . .
She has flattered some, 'tis true
But M' How she's teased us, too.
Exposed, preplexed, and made some blue,
And even vexed. Now, that won't do.
But . . .

I'll have to admit she's clever . . . full half fun . . . good company . . . Don't tell her I said so, tho'.

Some druggist would like to check on an ice water and chewing gum gag . . . and the post master's wife wonders what she knows about compasses.

This spottin' on Air Raid Spotters is not in order . . . They said so . . . Or did they?

P.s.s.t.t . . . Had you heard? . . . They're doing snake dances at the Friday night hops . . . If you don't think so . . . ask one of the chaperones . . . No wonder . . . you should uv heard that music . . . make any snake want to dance.

Believe in personality plus? . . . See that dark haired, black eyed musician with either a saxaphone or a clairnet.

Speaking of chaperones . . . Some one wants to know who chaperones the chaperones . . . Ya got me! . . . Unless . . . of course . . . it's their husbands.

Invited on a bicycle picnic . . . but some poor sap wanted to bicycle . . . so I come home tired . . . Sure enough. Saw some ten or more headed out the Sebring Road . . . tongues hanging out . . . This said, instead of saving rubber, they used a good fraction off of some ones tires . . . picking up those who guv out along the way . . . even after stoppin' at every fourth house to refuel . . . with ice water . . . Maybe they gave out of houses.

All this promotion for Captain and Major has me confused . . . can't keep the title's straight when they're changed so often . . . and by the way . . . have you Major (made your) pledge for defense stamps? . . . if you escaped Saturday, you're good . . . They had ladies every three yards . . . mostly . . . Try and get by 'em . . . just buy 'em.

Oh,h- shakers giving out . . . your Filler Inner hopes that A. B. W. won't see this and that the readers won't need treatment for shock after wading through it.

BETTS GIRLS IN OPERA CHORUS

Gainesville, Ga. Misses Barbara and Nancy Betts, senior and sophomore, respectively, at Brenau College, and the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Betts, of Avon Park will be presented in the Opera Chorus by Professor Gordon Farndell, director, in the annual Opera Festival of Brenau College from April 30 to May 3.

Mrs. Hartt Elected President of Garden Club

Mrs. Earl W. Hartt was elected president of the Garden club at the April meeting, held on Friday morning at 10:30 at the home of Mrs. J. A. Johnson. Mrs. Johnson was elected vice president, and Mrs. Walter S. Betts, secretary-treasurer.

The president stated that the club was gratified with the response from the public for donations of plants and shrubs to be used for beautifying the grounds of the armory. It was decided to buy seeds for several annuals to be planted there at this time. Mrs. Hartt, in turn, it was announced, had offered a beautiful phoenix palm to be planted on the grounds.

Father R. I. Brown gave an interesting and informative talk on "Victory Gardens". Those living near lakes where the ground is rich, were urged, he said, to plant vegetables. Others living where the soil is sandy, and will need much fertilizer and water, had best not turn to a garden of this kind. To keep up the morale of the public, in general, Father Brown said, everyone should have well kept lawns and blooming flowers. He also urged the planting of fruit trees.

Members present were Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. M. V. Pitcher, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, and Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb.

The May meeting will be held at the home of the new president, Mrs. Hartt.

Jackson Circle at Methodist Hut

The Jackson circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church was entertained on Tuesday afternoon at the Hut with Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood and Mrs. J. O. Bridges, as hostesses. Mrs. G. S. Roberts led the devotional that opened the meeting.

Mrs. Jackson, circle leader, conducted the meeting. It was decided by the members, to give a party for the soldiers at the Hut on Thursday evening, April 30.

During the social hour, the hostesses served a delicious refreshment course, consisting of egg salad on crackers and iced tea. The Hut was attractively decorated with bouquets of amaryllis and spring garden flowers.

Those present were Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. C. H. Harris, Mrs. R. C. Jarrett, Mrs. J. O. Bridges, Mrs. Walter Martin, Mrs. T. H. Hughs, Miss Furlow Anderson, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. Harry Jackson, Mrs. G. S. Roberts, Rev. G. S. Roberts, and Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood.

CANOEING TO GULF

Flight Instructors Marcus Covington and Al Parnell are taking a canoe trip this week end down Peace river to the gulf. They put their birch canoe in at the bridge in Hardee county and are making the trip the entire length of the river. They expect to be gone four days.

Mrs. Lillian Lampman of Orlando is the attractive house guest this week of Miss Iva Phillips.

Rebekah Lodge Is Honored

Mrs. Fannie Spink of Leesburg, formerly of Avon Park, Grand Herald of the Rebekah Assembly of Florida from this district, directed the opening ceremony at the state meeting held in the Tampa Terrace hotel last week. She was assisted by Mrs. Jennie Phillips, Kissimmee, assistant Grand Herald. The ceremony followed the President's and Grand Master's annual banquet at the Hillsboro hotel.

Mrs. Spink is a charter member of Eleanor Seaverns Rebekah Lodge No. 65, Avon Park, and the local chapter felt that her appointment to the office was a distinct honor.

Miss Mildred Wray was honored by serving as assistant marshal at the session.

Mrs. Ben T. Cox represented the local lodge, and was honored, by being asked to serve on the Appeals and Grievances committee. While in Tampa they were the guests of Mrs. Cox's daughter, Mrs. E. C. Carver, who is well known in Avon Park.

Pedens Entertain at Club Party

Mr. and Mrs. Freed Peden were hosts to members of their bridge club on Thursday evening, at a delightful party. The rooms of their lovely home were decorated for the occasion with arrangements of snapdragons, double petunias, carnations and phlox, to create a typical springtime motif.

Four tables were in play during the evening, and the players enjoyed candies, nuts, and punch during the games. When scores were totaled, Mr and Mrs. Lester Armstrong were found to hold high, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley, second high, and E. L. Roberts won the lucky prize.

The hostess served dainty refreshments of pineapple chiffon pie and iced tea in the evening to those enjoying the party who were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs Milford Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Mrs. J. L. Wells, W. E. Morgan, and Mrs. Chas. Sherman.

D. L. Griffin, foreman of the S. A. L., accompanied by Mrs. Griffin and their daughter, Miss Edna Earl Griffin left this week for Madison, where Mr. Griffin has been transferred and where they will make their home.

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

Notice is hereby given, That J. S. of Georgia Winter Haven, Florida holder of Tax Certificate No. 43, 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 following described property in the County of Highlands, State of Florida, to-wit:

Lot 2 Block 1 Section 18 Twp. 33 S Range 28 East.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of Sam Howell Jr.

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 May 1942, which is the 4th day of May, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of April, 1942.

H. T. DUFTY

(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida

By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk

April 4, 11, 18, 25.

Wanda Chandler

Ruth McGraw and Pvt. R. McDonald Marry Saturday

Miss Ruth McGraw of Avon Park, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McGraw of Lakeland and Pvt. Robert McDonald of Jersey City, N. J., were married in a simple ceremony on Saturday evening at the H. W. Harden home. O. E. Moss, minister of the Church of Christ, officiated.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cain. Mrs. Cain is a cousin of the bride.

The bride wore an attractive soldier blue crepe, with luggage tan accessories, and her flowers were a corsage of sweetheart roses and blue cornflowers. Mrs. Cain wore a two-piece aqua ensemble, made with a short coat. Her flowers were a corsage of talisman roses and blue cornflowers.

Mrs. McDonald graduated from high school in Kathleen. She has been making her home with her aunt, Mrs. Harwen and family for the past several months. Pvt. McDonald received his education in the schools of Jersey City. He is attached to the Avon Park bombing range detachment. The couple is making their home at an apartment at the Hardens.

Mrs. Hartt Hostess at Bridge Breakfast

Lovely in each detail was the bridge breakfast, given by Mrs. E. H. Hartt on Wednesday morning at 10:30, when she entertained members of her club, and several other friends.

The delicious breakfast, in three courses, was served at the perfectly appointed table, centered with a bowl of exquisite roses and gerberas. The place cards were in a floral design.

Three progressions of bridge were played, in which Mrs. J. A. Johnson and Mrs. C. Parke Anderson scored high. They were each awarded Defense Stamps for their skill.

Those present were Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. Paul L. Rumpsa, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mrs. Chas. O. Locke, and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield.

Miss Peggy Bryant left Friday for Albany, Ga., to visit friends.

PARK THEATRE
AVON PARK, FLORIDA

20c SATURDAY 9c
Charles Starrett
—in—
"Royal Mounted Patrol"

SATURDAY 11:45
Midnight Show
A Warner Bros. Hit
"Bullet Scars"

9c SUN.-MON. 25c
Bud Abbott
Lou Costello
—in—
"Ride 'Em Cowboy"
A Laugh a Minute

9c TUES.-WED. 20c
Lupe Velez
—in—
"Honolulu Lu"

Coming Thurs.-Fri.
"TO BE, OR NOT TO BE"

All Florida Turning
— TO —
WILBUR C. KING
Of Hardee County
The Producers' Candidate for
R. R. Commissioner
(Jerry Carter Group No. 2)

1. PEOPLE ARE WAKING UP to the importance of this Commission, which deals with RATES and SERVICES of Railroads, Trucks, Buses and Telephones.

2. PRODUCERS (they pay the freight) NEED HIM. An Active Farmer, Citrus Grower, Merchant —HE is the man to give Producers, Representation and fight for Rate Reduction—which will leave more money in Producers' pockets and bring more Industries to our State.

3. THE PEOPLE NEED A FIGHTER. He has fought his way by Hard Work, Common Sense and Persistence. Of the people, he is FOR the people—AND HE DOES. N'T SURRENDER.

4. HIS ENTIRE RECORD is one of Unselfish Public Service, Soberness, Fairness, Honesty and Courage.

5. AS RAILROAD COMMISSIONER he will be on the job for the people—and promises that, while in that office, he will NOT run for any other.

6. Thru OLD friends—and NEW ones, sold on his merits—

King Is In Front

He Will Deeply Appreciate
Your Vote and Active Support
(Political Adv.—Paid by Friends)

WOMEN!
Modern facts
+
61 years of use
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Housewife's Important Job to Keep Home Front Well Fed for Victory

TANKS and planes and guns make for eventual victory. Vitamins and minerals and proper nutrition make a strong people capable of managing this eventual victory.

So, the soldier in the field and the housewife in the kitchen each has a job to do, he to hold the defense line, she to maintain the nutritive value of the food America eats for victory in the new war economy.

Today's need for careful budgeting, which entails buying in greater quantities than usual, brings new problems of storing and preserving foods so as to retain the maximum of their original mineral and vitamin content which has a tendency to do a "disappearing act" if given half a chance.

The wise housewife is aware of this tendency and knows that her refrigerator is the most potent weapon in fighting it.

Canned foods, dried foods and quick frozen foods all require different storage methods, according to Mabel Stegner, Home Economics Consultant for the Philco Corporation. Many people, Miss Stegner says, wonder if it is safe to store opened tinned foods in the refrigerator. The Bureau of Home Economics of the United States Department of Agriculture says: "Yes. Food spoils no faster or no slower in the open can than in other open containers. It is just as safe to leave the food in the can as to transfer it to a dish. The same care should be taken to keep it cool and covered."

The best method of refrigerator storage for open canned foods is to follow the same rules laid down for fresh foods. Store evaporated or condensed milk in the coldest part of the refrigerator. Store left-over canned meat or fish in the meat keeper or in the coldest part of the refrigerator. Cover to avoid evaporation and to avoid odor.

Store left-over canned vegetables in the moist cold compartment or store in the dry cold compartment of the refrigerator in a tightly covered jar or in the can with an oil silk cover or wax paper held in place with a rubber band. Evaporation of the liquid causes loss of color and probably loss of vitamins in the vegetables.

Dehydrated and dried fruits and vegetables should be stored in a cool, dry place. In hot, humid weather, store them in the dry cold compartment of your refrigerator. This avoids mold and bugs.

Quick frozen foods should be kept in the freezing compartment of your automatic refrigerator. Quick frozen foods should not be defrosted before cooking because defrosting causes loss of vitamins and minerals.

If quick frozen foods are to be eaten raw, remove the package from the freezing compartment and leave it in the regular dry cold compartment for a few hours before serving. Quick frozen meats, poultry and fish may be defrosted by removing them from the freezing compartment before using and replacing them in the regular dry cold compartment. It is not necessary to defrost these foods before cooking but if they are not defrosted, remember to allow extra time for broiling, pan-broiling and roasting.

These simple storage rules are more important than they first appear because in the ultimate, it's the properly fed people who win the wars . . . the underfed only participate in the battles.

Maybe You're Past 40 but you can keep people guessing a long time if you watch your health. A few lovely pounds can make such a difference in your looks! VINOL has Vitamin B1 and Iron to help promote appetite. Get pleasant tasting VINOL from your druggist.
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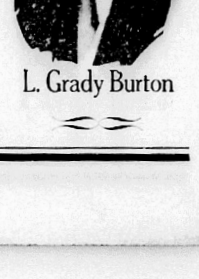

L. Grady Burton

SCHEDULE FOR AIR FORCE LEAGUE

Winners of Halves To Play For Championship

Following is the official Schedule of the Air Force League as announced by league headquarters today:

APRIL

22—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Medicos and Hawks, Bombers and Avon Park; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Wings.

26—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings and Avon Park, Medicos and Bombers; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Hawks.

29—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings and Bombers, Hawks and Medicos; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Avon Park and Sebring.

MAY

3—2 p. m. at Sebring, Medicos and Wings, Bombers and Sebring; 3 p. m. at Avon Park, Hawks and Avon Park.

6—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings and Medicos, Bombers and Hawks; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Avon Park.

10—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings and Hawks, Avon Park and Bombers; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Medicos and Sebring.

13—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Avon Park and Wings, Bombers and Medicos; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Hawks and Sebring.

17—2 p.m ; at Sebring, Bombers and Wings, Sebring and Medicos; 3 p. m. at Avon Park, Avon Park and Hawks.

20—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings and Hawks, Medicos and Avon Park; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring and Bombers.

24—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Avon Park and Medicos, Bombers and Hawks; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Wings.

27—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Hawks and Medicos, Avon Park and Bombers; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Wings and Sebring.

31—2 p. m. at Sebring, Hawks and Sebring, Bombers and Medicos; 3 p. m. at Avon Park, Avon Park and Wings.

JUNE

3—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Bombers and Wings, Medicos and Hawks; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Avon Park.

7—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Avon Park and Hawks, Wings and Medicos; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Bombers.

10—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Medicos and Wings, Avon Park and Sebring; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Hawks and Bombers.

14—2 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Medicos, Hawks and Wings; 3 p. m. at Avon Park, Bombers and Avon Park.

17—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Medicos and Bombers, Wings and Avon Park; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Hawks.

21—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings and Bombers, Hawks and Avon Park; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Medicos and Sebring.

24—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Hawks and Wings, Medicos and Avon Park; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Bombers and Sebring.

28—2 p. m. at Sebring, Hawks and Bombers, Wings and Sebring; 3 p. m. at Avon Park, Avon Park and Medicos.

JULY

1—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Medicos and Hawks, Bombers and Avon Park; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Wings.

(Second Half)

5—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Medicos and Bombers, Wings and Avon Park; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Hawks.

8—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings and Bombers, Avon Park and Sebring; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Hawks and Medicos.

12—2 p. m. at Sebring, Medicos and Wings, Bombers and Sebring; 3 p. m. at Avon Park, Hawks and Avon Park.

15—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings and Medicos, Bombers; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Avon Park.

19—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings and Hawks, Avon Park and Bombers; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Medicos and Sebring.

22—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Avon Park and Wings, Bombers and Medicos; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Hawks and Sebring.

26—2 p. m. at Sebring, Bombers and Wings, Sebring and Medicos; 3 p. m. at Avon Park, Avon Park and Hawks.

29—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Hawks and Wings, Medicos and Avon Park; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Bombers.

AUGUST

2—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Medicos and Avon Park, Bombers and Hawks; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Wings.

5—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Hawks and Medicos, Avon Park, and Bombers; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring Wings and Sebring.

9— p. m. at Sebring, Hawks and Sebring, Bombers and Medicos; 3 p. m. at Avon Park, Avon Park and Wings.

12—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Bombers and Wings, Sebring and Avon Park; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Medicos and Hawks.

16—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Avon Park and Hawks, Wings and Medicos; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Bombers.

19—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Avon Park and Sebring, Hawks and Bombers; 8:15 at Sebring, Medicos and Wings.

23—2 p. m. at Sebring, Hawks and Wings, Sebring and Medicos; 3 p. m. at Avon Park, Bombers and Avon Park.

26—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Medicos and Bombers, Wings and Avon Park; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Hawks.

30—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings and Bombers, Hawks and Avon Park; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Medicos and Sebring.

SEPTEMBER

2—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Hawks and Wings, Medicos and Avon Park; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Bombers and Sebring.

6—2 p. m. at Sebring, Hawks and Bombers, Wings and Sebring; 3 p. m. at Avon Park, Avon Park and Medicos.

9—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Medicos and Hawks, Bombers and Avon Park; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Wings.

13—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Medicos and Bombers, Wings and Avon Park; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Sebring and Hawks.

16—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings and Bombers, Hawks and Medicos; 8:15 p. m. at Sebring, Avon Park and Sebring.

HARDEE COUNTY IS PROUD OF WILBUR C. KING

(From Hardee County Herald)

The publisher of this newspaper in 15 years newspapering has never before editorially endorsed a political candidate but there occasionally comes a time when custom may be, and can be ignored.

One of the first persons the publisher met after coming to Hardee County to make his home was Wilbur King of Zolfo Springs, and the occasion of that meeting was a celebration in Zolfo Springs marking the completion of one of the most favorable bond refunding programs ever achieved by an overburdened town. Zolfo Springs that night burned a bushel of boom time bonds and substituted therefor an issue totaling a mere 10 per cent of the original.

Credit for that difficult and highly successful refunding operation went almost solely to Wilbur King who had literally sweated blood and tears for many long months tracing and buying in the old bonds and substituting an issue the town could service.

Since that celebration we have learned a good deal more about Wilbur King's ability, tenacity, industriousness and unselfishness in serving his town, community and state as town and county official and as president of the state association of county commissioners. And all that we have learned about him has been favorable.

Wilbur King is a candidate for State Railroad Commissioner and the publisher of this paper is convinced Florida could not elect a better man. Of his honesty there can be no question; in ability he will equal or exceed any other aspirant for the job; in capacity for hard work and sticking to a purpose he cannot be excelled; he has probably never touched a drop of liquor; and above all else he's just naturally interested in the unfortunate and the little fellow.

Attend Conference In St. Petersburg

Dr. A. C. Elliott, pastor of the Union Congregational church, accompanied by Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. L. H. Park, spent several days last week in St. Petersburg, attending the annual state conference of Congregational Christian churches of Florida. The sessions were held at the First Congregational church.

The meeting opened Tuesday evening with a Fellowship supper. The mayor of the city gave the welcome address, and Dr. Geo. Chindall of Winter Park responded. Dr. Willey Scott of Miami Beach led the devotional. The speaker for the evening was Dr. Dwight L. Bradley of New York, who addressed the assemblage on the subject, "I See Our America Preparing." The meeting closed on Thursday morning, with communion services led by Dr. Bradley.

CLYDE JARRETT SOLOS AT FLYING SCHOOL

Clyde Jarrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Jarrett, who is with the Air Corps at Brayton Flying School in Cuero, Texas, made his first solo flight this week, his many Avon Park friends will be interested to learn.

WIT-LESS HUMOR

From LAMA

(By GUM)

Shivering catfish whiskers! What a day Saturday turned out to be! First thing, the dog did not die and the son (or sun) overslept! Which . . . you can admit . . . is a start. Or is it?

Well it seems that along about 10:00 A. M. of the same day, the house mother informed one and all that a sweet little number dressed in a tan had just arrived. She dribbled to a stop out front in a car so long it had hinges in the middle for getting around corners. (Could have been a Model T with trailers).

Stepping forth with all curves a-quiver, she started for the lake. Talk about a torrid number, and there is plenty of talk . . . that's all . . . the grass curled up and burst into flame as she passed! You see she was dressed up in a sarong (or was it so-wrong) made of thin white silk. By the time she had passed three clumps of oleanders (which immediately started to bloom) over seventeen cadets were claiming her as their sister from Sebring.

Mr. Hybred Homer, being of an amorous disposition, ventured too close and had all the whiskers singed off his ugly mug. He withdrew in haste, and just in time, for all the cadets, except one in a cement-plaster cast, made a dash for the dock to see the fair vision hop in.

Being rather old, and not able to run fast, your reporter was fourth on the dock when blue eyes fluttered through a couple of inside loops and kissed the water. The water hissed, sputtered, steamed and started to boil!

By now there were so many cadets on the dock that the piling gave way, the dock fell with a splash and all the young gents received their first turkish bath. One came up with a broiled bass in his mouth, complaining that it was not quite done. A few had their eyebrows signed off and their faces blistered from being too close to the lake!

Our butter-fly splashed around in the water, gave a few squeals of delight, and gurgled with amusement when she hit one of the cadets in the face with a fried turtle. Needless to say all the cadets immediately withdrew to a respectful distance of two or three inches and asked for her telephone number. I am not divulging any military secrets when I say that her number is West Frost-proof Oh Oh Oh!

Which permits these few words of useless wisdom . . . never stick a lighted match in a gas tank or try to untie a knot when it is sarong.

ACCOMPLISHED MUSICIAN

Ralph Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Turner, Highland Lakes, who has been visiting his parents for a week, returned to his home in Schnectady, N. Y., Saturday. While in Avon Park, Mr. Turner, who is an exceptionally accomplished musician, delighted groups with his music. He played for the cadets at Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, at a party the Episcopal church gave for the service men, and at the Winter Guest club on a program for the soldiers at the armory. While he was formerly a student at the University of Missouri in Columbia, he played on popular radio programs. Mr. Turner is now connected with a newspaper in Schnectady.

THE VIOLET'S AWAKENING

Mrs. G. S. Roberts

Beautiful in its majesty
With fragrance rich and rare
Like little scraps of Heaven
Found blooming here and there.
After a long winter's slumber
Beneath the cold, cold sod
The Violet's awakening
Is a mircale of God.
From Heaven's throne. He flung her
Behind her leafy screen
To live and bloom and give
As angels give—unseen.
Then may we live and learn
And so depart and sing
Within our wiser heart
Long live the Violet.

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

IN COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.

In re: Estate of
MARY EDNA COVINGTON

Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that on the 1st day of May A. D. 1942, We shall apply to the Honorable T. A. McNicholas, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for final discharge as Executors of the estate of Mary Edna Covington deceased. My final report and application for final discharge are now on file in the office of said Judge.

Dated April 1st A. D. 1942.

M. E. COVINGTON Jr.
M. E. COVINGTON
EXECUTORS

Must Fight Rail Rate Increase on Citrus, Burch Says

"Headlines in Sunday papers telling us that the government has commandeered the remaining ships still in the hands of their owners brings to a head a crisis the citrus industry has been fearing for some time." Harry M. Burch, candidate for the State Railroad Commission in Group 2 said yesterday.

"Ever since water competition forced the reduction of rates on citrus several years ago, shippers and growers have been fearful that something might happen, and now that "something has happened." he said. "The order makes it imperative that Florida elect to the Florida Railroad Commission a man plainly outside the railroad sphere.

"The answer can only be found in a militant hard-hitting railroad commissioner who will fight any increase in rates, not only before the Interstate Commerce Commission but through all other courts in the land, carrying on to Congress if necessary, and even to the President himself. How else can the babes of our underprivileged one-third secure the life-giving body building citrus they so badly need with prices increased due to higher freight rates.

"If railroads can carry citrus to the market for 70 cents a box now, they can carry it for 70 cents next year.

"The fight must be started by the people and started soon. The ballot box on May will not be one moment too soon."

Mrs. Will Bennett and sons, Cary and Jimmie, Mrs. A. K. Moore, and Mrs. Dixie Yancy left Monday morning for a visit with relatives in Owenton, Ky.

Jest Jokin'

Then there is the fellow who keeps up-to-date about everything . . . he even calls his sweetie "Sugar" now because she's hard to get!

The English language is funny. Tell her that time stands still when you gaze into her eyes, and she'll adore you, but try telling her that her face would stop a clock.

A dusty son of Alabama was busily engaged in a cootie hunt.

When asked by a sergeant what he was doing, he replied, "Tae a-hunting for dem 'rithmetic bugs."

"Why do you call the maritime tic bugs?"

"Cause dey add to ma misery, dey subtracts fum ma pleasure, dey multiply like de dickens!"

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

(Senate Bill No. 143)

Notice is hereby given, that J. E. Gilbert Lake Placid, Florida, holder of Tax Certificate No. 185, dated the 2nd day of September A. D. 1935, has filed same in my office and has made application of 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 4 Block 2 Lakeview Heights Section 26 Twp 36 S Range 29 E.

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 at 11:00 A. M. on the first Monday in the month of May 1942, which is the 4th day of May, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of April, 1942.

H. T. PIETY
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
April 4, 11, 18, 25.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

(Senate Bill No. 143)

Notice is hereby given, that Mrs. R. Richardson, Tampa, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 193, dated 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 16, Block 4, Section 23, Twp 33 S., Range 28 E.

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 on the first Monday in the month of May, 1942, which is the 4th day of May, 1942.

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1942.

H. T. PIETY
(SEAL) Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
April 4, 11, 18, 25

Winifred Demorest

NOTICE UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME LAW

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, pursuant to the "Fictitious Name Statute" House Bill No. 1175, Chapter No. 20953, Laws of Florida, 1941, will register with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, in and for Highlands County, Florida, upon receipt of proof of publication of this notice, the fictitious name, to wit: Jacaranda Coffee Shop, under which we are engaged in business in the City of Avon Park, Florida.

That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:

JACARANDA COMPANY.

Dated at Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, April 17, 1941.

April 18,25 May 2,9.

Negress Jailed For Possession Of Moonshine

Lizzie Mae Willis, negress in the colored quarters, was arrested Wednesday afternoon by Chief R. S. Massey and George Haynie on a charge of possessing and transporting liquor illegally. Massey said they found a three-gallon jug of moonshine liquor in her car, when she was arrested as she was leaving her home. She was jailed and bond placed at $100. Hearing has been set in Mayor's court Monday.

MRS. RAWLING'S NEPHEW DIES

John C. Rawlings, 39, of Plains, Va., nephew of Mrs. W. S. Rawlings, passed away this week in a hospital in Washington D. C., friends here will regret to learn. He is survived by his wife, and other relatives.

Mrs. Carlton Mashburn of Blakely, Ga., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Charlie Moore.

Pre-School Clinic Monday, April 27

A pre-school clinic for children from nine months old and up, will be held at the grammar school building Monday afternoon, April 27, beginning at 2:00 o'clock. Mothers are requested to come with their children, to receive the diagnosis. The welfare department of the PTA will be in charge of the clinic, and a state health doctor and the county nurse will be there to examine the children.

COVINGTONS RENOVATE HOUSE

Mayor M. E. Covington has finished remodeling and renovating his Highlands avenue house, and now has it ready for occupancy. The house has been thoroughly done over inside and out, and is a model of what can be done along this line, with the proper mixture of materials and paint, and good workmanship, plus proper planning, which the Mayor and his son, Marcus, furnished. Rex Reed had charge of the work.

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

Highlands Hammock Company, A Corporation, Plaintiff.

Paul W. Beeman et al, Defendant.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of a Final Decree issuing out of the Circuit Court of the 10th Judicial District in and for Highlands County, Florida, the undersigned Special Master will sell at public outcry at the South Door of the Court House, Sebring, Florida, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 1 p. m. on the 15th day of May, 1942, the following described properties.

For the First: The SE¼ of the NE¼ and the S½ less the NE¼ of the SW¼ and less 24 acres in the S½ of the SE¼ and the SE¼ of the SW¼ south of the Highway, and less the NW¼ of the SW¼ and the N½ of the N½ of the NW¼ of the SW¼ all in Section 2, Township 34 South, Range 28 East, Highlands County, Florida.

For the Second: NW¼ of the SW¼ and the N½ of the NE¼ of the SW¼ of the SW¼, Section 2, Township 34 South, Range 28 East, Highlands County, Florida.

The said sale being made to satisfy liens accruing under certain State of Florida Tax Certificates set out and described in the Bill of Complaint filed in the cause.

W. L. LONG,
Special Master

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS, Solicitor
Betts Building
Avon Park, Fla.
Apr 24 May 1

Your Vote and Support Respectfully Solicited



To the Democratic voters of the 10th Judicial Circuit: Upon my record as a lawyer and prosecuting officer, I respectfully seek your vote and support, and if honored with the important office of State Attorney, I pledge:

1. To attend to the duties of the office as provided by the Constitution and the laws of Florida.

2. Prosecute fairly, impartially, and fearlessly in a just manner.

3. Always bear in mind that public office is a public trust.

4. Never use the office for the political advancement of any person or persons.

5. Personally investigate all murders committed within the jurisdiction, immediately when committed.

Manuel M. Glover

For State Attorney

FOR DEFENSE BUY UNITED STATES DEFENSE BONDS AND STAMPS

If You Eat---You Pay The Freight; If You Eat In Florida You Pay TOO MUCH FREIGHT

Harry M. Burch, (businessman—salesman—working man) learned—the hard way—the necessity of revising excessive railroad rates. While engaged in bottling business in Tampa (1925-29) he paid this arbitrary burden laid on Florida progress. Traveled entire state out of Jacksonville and Tampa (1907-25) as state manager Monarch typewriters and later southeastern manager Alexander Hamilton Institute. Apartment-house owner and business machine broker, Tallahassee past 10 years. Georgia-born (1886) son of Dublin's lawyer-mayor, F. H. Burch, left Eastman public school to join Atlanta Steel-workers Union when father's death threw burden of supporting large family on his shoulders working on Piedmont, Chandler, 4th National and Fulton National buildings.

Put "YOUR MAN"

Harry M. Burch

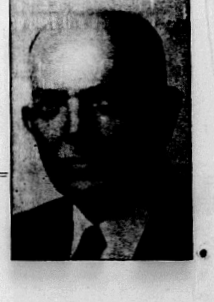
ON THE **RAILROAD COMMISSION** GROUP 2

"I Am Going To Give The Railroad Commission Back To The People"

"However, Burch is an honest-to-goodness go-getter, a sucessful man and is not dependent upon the salary for a living and need not play politics to keep his job after getting it. Further, one of his main platform planks is reduction of railroad rates which should sell him to every Florida voter."

—Orlando Reporter-Star.

"The general impression is spreading that if (the perpetual candidate) is to take a licking, and so many of us want him to, it will have to be Harry Burch" (who does it).—Brooksville Sun.



Gas Tax Money Should Be Used to Build New Roads

THE SCENIC HIGHLANDS SUN

Eat More Citrus For Your Health's Sake

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You Register May 5, 6, 7 For Sugar

Sign Up At School House For Rationing

Individual consumers in Avon Park will register next Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, May 5, 6, and 7 for sugar rationing cards, Dr. Reeves, who is in charge of the registration, states that the hours for registering will be from 2:00 to 7:00 P. M. on these days.

School will begin on the above days at regular time, dismissing for a short lunch period from 11:45 to 12:15 and dismissing for the day at 1:45.

Any adult member of the family may register for the entire family. Each individual is under oath to give the exact quantity of sugar on hand. There is a severe penalty and prison term for any one giving false information.

All white families will register at the High School Building. Colored families will register at the Colored School Building. Hours for both races will be the same.

Highlands County Sends Car Load of Scrap Iron

A solid carload of scrap iron moved out of Highlands county Thursday night, on its way to Tampa, where it will be resorted and salvaged as a part of the National Defense program, County Agent Louis Alsmeyer announced today. The car contained approximately 30 or 35 tons of scrap material.

Mr. Alsmeyer stated that the miscellaneous metals and salvage materials included up until noon Thursday 27 pounds of ammunition; 101 pounds of brass; 114 pounds of copper; 30 pounds of rubber, and 16 pounds of lead. The largest amounts of old metal were made in old stoves, pumps, and pipes. Several contributors donated their scrap material, while others are accepting Defense Stamps in payment.

Another car will be loaded in a week or two, Mr. Alysmeyer said, and he urges everyone to be gathering and sorting out their scrap material, so it can be picked up for the next shipment. For further information, contact Byrum Shockley, Avon Park, or Louis Alsmeyer Sebring.

Rev. A. J. Turner to Enter Army As Chaplain

Rev. Alexander J. Turner of Gainesville, and now a student at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas, has received his commission for active duty, and will report to Fort McClellan, Anniston, Ala., May 13.

Chaplain Turner completed his college work at T. W. C. with a B. S., and will receive his B. D and M. R. E. degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in May of this year. He has done the equivalent of six years work in four years, and has pastored full time church work.

Rev. Turner is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Lockett, Avon Park, Jr., and baby son will remain here with her parents, while Rev. Turner is in Alabama.

Covington to Plant Palms in Cemetery

Mayor Covington has 100 Cocos Plumosas palms which are now ready to be set and he intends setting them in the cemetery. The palms were given the city by Dr. W. C. Touchton about 18 months ago. Mayor Covington potted them and now has them ready for transplanting. He is asking for donations of $15.00 to cover cost of fertilizer and labor in setting and heads the list with $1 contribution. He wants to put them out as soon as the rains start.

SILVER TEA THURSDAY

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the Woman's Club Silver Tea on next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Earl W. Hartt. The affair is being given for the benefit of the library fund. Calling hours are from three until five o'clock.

DEATH TAKES STEVE SKIPPER MONDAY

Funeral Services on Tuesday For Pioneer Resident

Funeral services for Stephen Skipper prominent pioneer resident of this section, who died at his home on the Wauchula road Monday morning, were held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Hart cemetery. The Rev. Jack P. Dalton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, conducted the services in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends. The church choir sang favorite hymns of the deceased.

Pallbearers were Elton Crews, L. D. Roberts, Avon Park, Ike Hart, Sebring, Martin Roberts and John Skipper, Wauchula, Hubert Lanier, and Francis Roberts, Zolfo, Jim Simmons, Orlando, and R. O. Skipper, Miami. The many beautiful floral pieces were a silent tribute to the respect and esteem in which the deceased was held in the community.

Mr. Skipper was one of the oldest residents of this section. He was born May 2, 1859 in old DeSoto county, near the spot where he spent his entire life, and had he lived a few days longer, he would have observed his eighty-third birthday. He brought his bride to a log cabin, which he built just back of the house, into which they later moved, and where they had always made their home, with the exception of about two years, when they moved to a home they owned in Avon Park. He had engaged in the cattle business on a wide scale, before his retirement. Mr. and Mrs. Skipper celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary, July 17, 1940.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Cornelia Skipper; three daughters, Mrs Mark Smith and Mrs. Ida Collins, Avon Park, Mrs Willard Smith, Williston; two sons, Herman and Clinton Skipper, Avon Park; two sisters, Mrs. M. A. Roberts, Zolfo, and Mrs. Mary Hart, Ft. Meade; two brothers, W. O. Skipper, Avon Park, and Joe Skipper, Lakeland.

Hendricks Field Holds First Graduation

Hendricks Field held graduation ceremonies for a class of student officers at this Air Force Combat Crew School Saturday morning, April 25.

After an overture by the Post Band, an invocation and blessing was asked for the graduates by Chaplain Verne H. Warner.

The Graduation Address was given by the Commanding Officer, Colonel Carl B. McDaniel. He stressed the meaning and importance of the missions in which these officers would soon be activated.

The last words of his speech showed the sincere affection of the Commanding Officer for the graduate when he bade them farewell with "I hope I shall see you all again some day."

After the formal presentation of diplomas a Benediction was delivered by Chaplain Warner.

The Ceremonies were concluded with the Air Corps Song and the National Anthem.

Rotarians Attend Convention at Hollywood

Three Avon Park Rotarians spent several days this week at Hollywood Beach attending the Rotary district convention, convening there on Monday and Tuesday. The local club was ably represented by J. S. Francis, C. R. Ginn Jr., and Francis Shockley.

Fairfax Haskins, Sebring attorney, who has served as district governor for the past year, was succeeded in office by Doc Melton of Lake City, brother of James Melton of Sebring. Mrs. Haskins was presented a sterling silver service from the district Rotary organization.

ATTENTION KNITTERS

The local Red Cross has just received wool for knitting army and navy sweaters, wristlets and mufflers. Knitters may secure wool at the production room in the city hall on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. The room is open from two until five o'clock.

Hendricks Hawks Lead Aviation Loop

Wings Drop to Second; Avon To Third

AIR FORCE LEAGUE STANDING

(Including games of Wednesday)
Unofficially compiled by Public Relations Office, Hendricks Field.

	W	L	Pct.
Hendricks Hawks	4	0	1.000
Hendricks Wings	3	1	.750
Avon Park	2	2	.500
Hendricks Medicos	1	3	.250
Avon Bombers	1	3	.250
Sebring	1	3	.250

A bombshell exploded in the Air Force baseball league Wednesday afternoon, and the explosion occured at Head field in Avon Park.

The hustling Hendricks Field Medicos touched off the fuse for the noise heard 'round the circuit. They edged out the previously unbeaten Hendricks Field Hawks, 10 to 9, in the nightcap of a double-header.

The first half of the twin program was every bit as close and better played, but the also-unbeaten Hendricks Wings avoided an upset defeat by pushing over a run in the seventh and final inning to shade the much-improved Avon Park Bombing Detachment team, 2 to 1.

The Medicos started with a big five-run bang in the first frame against the Hawks, and finished with a payoff tally in the seventh. Third baseman Spinelli scored the winning counter after being hit by a ball pitched by Corp. Kneblick, third Hawk hurler.

Spinelli stole second base, stayed there as Lawson went down on strikes, then took third on Catcher Armstrong's infield out. When Kneblick unfurled a wild pitch, Spinelli galloped home and the ball game was over.

Lefty Tom Dadino went the mound route for the Medicos and gave up seven hits, one less than the Docs gleaned off the combined deliveries of Watson, Mickey and Kendlick. Pvt. Dick Curry, Medico shortstop, was the game's top hitter, with a long home run, a double and a single in four official trips to the plate. Dadino also collected two safeties, as did Woolschlager and Kratzel of the Hawks.

Pvt. Charlie Surls pitched three-hit ball for the Avon Bombers in the opener, but his performance was exactly matched by the chucking of Tommy Tomlinson of the high-flying Wings, and a hit in the clutch by Corp. Jim Foldesi, chubby Wing catcher, decided the issue in favor of the Hendricks field entry. With the count knotted at 1-1, Surls walked Pitch Hitter Leonard Zrinkowith one out in the seventh. Zrinko stole second and took third on Catcher Schoefler's overthrow. Ziegler, batting for Adkins, struck out, but then Foldesi lined a hit into left field, scoring Zrinko.

The Wings scored in the first inning on a triple by Corp. Johnny Jaggars and an error by Lane at second base, but the Bombers tied the score in the second on a single by Righthfielder Kelly and errors by Adkins and Zingara.

The short scores:

		R.	H.	E.
Wings	100 000 0	2	3	2
Bombers	010 000 0	1	3	3

Batteries—Tomlinson and Foldesi; Surls and Schoeffler.

Hawks	130 104 0	9	7	3
Medicos	500 301 1	10	8	6

Batteries — Watson, Micky, Kneblick and Britton; Dadino and Armstrong.

AVON PARK LOSES

Harold Rowe and his Avon Park Citizens dropped a heartbreaking 2-0 decision to the Sebring Firemen in an Air Force league game at Sebring Wednesday night.

Rowe, who has been carrying the entire hurling load for Avon Park so far this season, twirled an excellent five hit game, fanning eight and issuing only two walks, but it wasn't good enough. Max Long, veteran Sebring left hander set the Citizens down with three hits and set a new league strike out mark of 17 men for a nine inning.

Although charged with only one error, imperfect fielding was largely responsible for the pair of Sebring runs.

Bim Elder, Fireman left fielder,

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SOUNDING THAT VICTORY NOTE!



Army men go all out with brass, reed and strings in melodious proof that they enjoy their off-duty jam sessions at one of the 400-odd larger USO service men's clubs. USO's 1942 program, to be carried out through the $32,000,000 War Fund Campaign, May 11-July 4, calls for operation of 450 clubhouses and 225 other units at Army camps and Navy stations.

CIVILIANS LEARN TO FIGHT BOMBS

Demonstrations Given Throughout County

(By Barbara B. Darsey)

In order to acquaint the people with incendiary bombs the Civilian Defense Council with U. S. Army approval is presenting a moving, talking picture. This was shown in Sebring at courthouse, Monday night April 27, under auspices of County Defense Council. Ben T. Stewart, Chairman. It will be shown throughout the county during the week.

Fire Chief A. C. Heacock had charge of the meeting and made a most interesting talk, explaining the nature of the incendiary bomb, and the necessity of being prepared to fight these in case of an air raid.

Incendiary bombs are about 14 inches long and 2 in diameter. A casing or shell of magnesium is filled with thermit (chemical preparation of iron oxide and granular aluminum. In the nose, which is screwed on is a fuse and cap for exploding the thermit into flames. A tail aids in sending the bomb downward nose first to strike and cause ignition, tail also causes a horrid, weird screaming, which, like the raids tends to destroy morale and strike the populace with terror.

"The chief aim of these air raids is of course to cause much destruction of property," said Chief Heacock, and also to terrorize the people with ensuing loss of morale and complete demoralization of citizenry.

"Though fighting with these bombs is fairly simple and they can be quickly controlled with the proper instruments, yet air raids are frightful things and one of these bombs, less than two feet in length and only 2 inches in diameter can start a fire that will burn up a whole city and cause great loss of life."

Chief Heacock then gave the following directions for control of incendiary bombs:

"Be sure to have your preparations made at once. This is absolutely necessary and there is no time to lose. After an air raid begins it is too late to start gathering up the necessary items. Fighting incendiary bombs must begin simultaneously with the falling of them.

"All you need is two buckets of dry sand, a long-handled, blunt-nose shovel, a fire extinguisher or garden hose all placed near the doorway or ladder leading to attic or roof.

"Wait at least one minute before attacking the bomb for about one in every 30 will explode. First put out the fires on walls, curtains or furniture which the bomb has started, there is no purpose in smothering the bomb and letting your home burn up. Then after one minute turn your attention to the bomb, first use the sand on it laid on carefully with the shovel, then a fine spray from the fire extinguisher or hose. Either water or the chemical extinguisher are

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1534 Men Registered in 45-64 Age Group In Highlands County

According to an announcement made Wednesday afternoon by the county draft board, 1534 men between the ages of 45 and 65 registered in Highlands county Monday. This figure exceeds that of any other previous draft registration.

The high figure was largely due to out-of-county laborers whose registration will be transferred to their home boards.

David C. Barrow Died in Sebring Hospital Monday

David C. Barrow, 67, co-founder of DeSoto City, former city mayor, prominent citrus man and active churchman died in a Sebring hospital Monday night following an illness of several days.

Mr. Barrow was taken ill last week after returning from West Palm Beach where he attended the state convention of the Florida Horticultural Society of which he was an active member.

In 1924, Mr. Barrow and the Late Senator E. Ethereidge came to Highlands county and began the development of DeSoto City. Since that time Mr. Barrow was an active participant in civic affairs, had developed an extensive amount of citrus property and other real estate. He was proprietor of the DeSoto City Nurseries at the time of his death.

When the county organization of the Bee Line Highway was begun, Mr. Barrow was elected president.

Soon after his arrival here, Mr. Barrow became an influential member of the Baptist church. He was appointed deacon and has been one of the two church trustees for the past six years.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Emily Barrow and the following children: Lt. David C. Barrow Jr., Hamilton Field, Calif.; Lt. Tom Lee Barrow, Moody Field, Valdosta, Ga., Jean T. Barrow, U. S. Engineers, Canal Zone; Joseph E. Barrow, DeSoto City; and Miss Emily Barrow, student at F. S. C. at Tallahassee. He is also survived by his mother, Mrs. A. J. Barrow, Pelham, Ga., a sister Mrs. James Barrow, Atlanta, Ga., and a brother, T. A. Barrow, Lakeland.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Baptist church with the Rev. R. C. Floyd officiating. Interment was held at Pinecrest cemetery.

Active pallbearers were V. G. Watters, C. H. Scatterwhite, A. K. Hallett, J. H. Twitty, Owen Godwin and D. D. Lewis.

Honorary pallbearers were A. M. Smith, C. L. Foster, Ivey Futch Major Amos Tyree, Col F. N. K. Bailey, A. M. Wolff, J. B. Boring, Frank Morgan, J. M. Whitaker, James Foster, C. M. Hamrick, and Charles Longbottom. — Highlands County News.

Worried Mother: "How old are these hostesses my boy is apt to meet when he goes to camp?
Draft Board Official: "Old enough to be discreet, madam."
Worried Mother: "Don't lie to me, Sir, No woman ever lived that long."

JUNIOR AIR RESERVE UNIT FORMED HERE

Aviation Training To Be Given Youth By Lodwick Men

Avon Park now has a Junior Air Reserve unit formed to do its part in the National Aeronautic Association's Air Youth Program. During the past several weeks plans were set up for the organization and many local boys and girls have shown their willingness to serve their community by seeking membership in the Junior Air Reserve and receiving aviation training and instruction.

The aviation training given the members will include model building, Airplane Structures, Navigation, Engines, Meteorology, by W. C. Pidgeon, F. E. Setzer, W. W. Harwood, G. J. Husek, and R. E. Thomson, ground school instructors at the Lodwick Academy. These instructors have offered their services to the Junior Air Reserve and will meet the various flights one night each week for classes.

Two Flights in the Boy Scout Troop have been formed and are headed by Senior Flight Leaders: M. G. Whitcomb, E. G. Todd; Flight Leaders: Bobby Keller, Jimmy Heim; and Assistant Flight Leaders: Howard Todd and Sammy Longbottom.

Any boy or girl between the ages of 12 to 21 are eligible for membership by making application to the Junior Air Reserve with two letters of recommendation; one from their minister and one from their school teacher showing their scholastic standing.

Applications for membership may be obtained from the Jacaranda Drug Store or the Chamber of Commerce Building. After completing the application, mail it to 1st. Lt. Ferrell, Personnel Officer, Avon Park, Florida.

Members of the Junior Air Reserve who are high school graduates will be eligible to compete for Air Youth Scholarships in the leading aviation pilot and mechanic schools.

The only cost to members will be approximately 10c each month. Listen to the Air Youth for Defense over N. B. C. Saturday afternoon.

Armory Canteen Moved to Winter Guest Club

For the further convenience of the men stationed here, officers of the Bombing Range Detachment have had the Armory canteen removed to the Winter Guest club which will serve as a Service Men's center beginning May first. The usual line of supplies and refreshments will be carried.

At an early date it is planned to have the clubhouse interior refreshed with new window drapes, cushions and chair covers, and to have the floors refinished. Writing desk and chairs will be supplied; stationery is regularly furnished the soldiers by the recreation committee. Some are beginning to spend their leisure time here and find it a pleasant place to write letters, read, listen to the radio and to amuse themselves as they wish.

Political Rally In the Mall Saturday Night

Candidates Will Be Given Chance To Be Heard

Avon Park's one and only political speaking, which will give candidates in the May 5th primary an opportunity of addressing the voters, will be held on the Mall, in the bandstand Saturday night at 7:30. The meeting is sponsored by the Highlands County Democratic Executive Committee.

Judge T. A. McNicholas will act as master of ceremonies, introducing the speakers, and will himself make a brief talk on Victory Bonds.

Candidates for state and county offices have all been invited to speak in person or be represented on the platform.

Local interest centers in the Representative race between Charlie Lanier, who is running for re-election, and Howard Livingston, Sebring attorney who opposes him. These two will speak. Other local candidates are unopposed, but may also have a few remarks to make.

State Attorney Grady Berton, who is a candidate to succeed himself, and Claud M. Glover of Lakeland, who opposes him, have accepted the invitation to speak. As this office serves Highlands county, along with Polk and Hardee, the race is also attracting considerable interest here and throughout the county.

Thus far, state candidates have been unable to create much of a stir among voters, due principally to preoccupation of the average voter's mind, with the war and other allied troubles, like rationing and the high cost of living.

However, the public is invited to come out and hear the candidates, and get election-minded, even if for only a day.

FIRE BOMB PICTURE IS SHOWN HERE

Demonstration Is Given in Mall by Fire Chief

Approximately four hundred persons saw the "Fighting the Fire Bomb" picture on the Mall Wednesday night, making a total of about a thousand altogether in Avon Park who saw the picture, which was shown several times during the week at the Park theatre, with a big free show Monday morning. The Highlands County Defense Council sponsored the picture here and elsewhere in the county.

Allen Altvater of Sebring, commander of the citizens defense corps, gave a brief talk at the showing Wednesday night, telling the crowd the purpose of showing the picture was to actually demonstrate how, with a little preparedness, the fire bomb could be combated. "If it should happen here, we will be ready," Altvater said. "I do not recomend that you go out and spend a lot of money. Most of you have the necessary materials at hand I do urge you to get prepared. It could happen right on your house. You should have two buckets of dry sand and a square nose shovel or spade in a handy place and altogether. You should see that there is provided a quick way into your attic. You should see that your attic is cleaned out, eliminating as far as possible all fire hazards.

"There will soon be an inspection of your house and attic and we hope that you will have every thing in order when the warden arrives. Your cooperation is necessary.

Following Mr. Altvater's talk, Wilbur Giddens, Avon Park Fire Chief took over and demonstrated in practice incendiary bomb and asked for two volunteers to assist in the demonstration. This job was successfully done by two young men. The hot fire from the bomb clearly showed what would happen if not properly handled. One plane carries 2500 of these bombs, which can be broadcast over a five mile area, and are liable to land any place.

Folks You Know . .

Mrs. F. M. Wolf will leave Sunday for Washington D. C. to visit relatives.

Mrs. Bill Friedman has been spending this week in Miami.

Mrs. R. C. Baldree of Starke is visiting her mother, Mrs. Dollie Skipper and other relatives here.

Mrs. Al Zender returned home Sunday from a visit with relatives in New Orleans, La.

Mrs. L. R. Marlin and daughter, Barbara of Tampa, spent Saturday in Avon Park.

Mrs. S. N. Reeves returned home Saturday from a week's visit with relatives in Vidalia, Ga.

Lieut. and Mrs. G. D. Godwin left this week for Camp Blanding, after spending several days here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head and son and daughter, Jack Jr. and Yvonne were visitors in Tampa on Monday.

Mrs. C. T. Glisson of Washington D. C., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Peeples at the Midstate hotel.

Mrs. Virginia Cloud spent Monday in Orlando with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Peacock.

Mrs. Lena Bleumenthal will leave next Friday for her summer home in Cleveland, Ohio. She has been spending the season here at her home on east Pine street.

Mrs. W. R. Ogg and attractive young daughter, Kay of Knoxville, Tenn., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Hagan and family.

Mrs. J. C. DeShong and daughter, Sandra spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ballenger in Lakeland.

The regular Wednesday night date dance was held this week at the Service Men's club, with about forty enlisted men in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Archer returned to their home in Sparta, Ga., Sunday night, after a short visit with their son, W. B. Archer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Collins and daughter, Louise of Titusville, were the week end guests of the former's brother, J. L. Collins, and Mrs. Collins.

Mrs. C. B. Bethune, who has been the house guest of her sister, Mrs. H. A. Vickery for the past several weeks, has returned to her home in Lynn, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Betts, who have been located at Lake Byrd Lodge for the winter months, have returned to their home on Pinecrest road.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hern, who have resided in Avon Park for the past several months, left Saturday for Key West to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Longbottom and son and daughter, Sammy and Lynn, spent the week end in Tampa with Mrs. Logbottom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wills.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Connell and son, Layton, who have been residing in Tampa, have returned to Avon Park to make their home. They have moved into the Spink home on north Central ave.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lyons of Buffalo, New York, who have spent the season at the Walter S. Betts home, which they leased, left Monday for their home in Buffalo.

Robert H. Graham, who is stationed at Camp Gordon, Augusta, Ga., has been visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kempton at their home on Lake Isis. He has spent ten days here, recuperating from an appendix operation.

Mrs. C. E. Crabtree, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Seagraves in Osceola, Ark., will return home this week end. Mr. Crabtree will leave today for Jacksonville to join her on her return.

Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Chandler were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hart in Orlando Tuesday afternoon. Avon Park friends of the Harts, who formerly resided here, will regret to learn that Mr. Hart is quite ill.

Bill Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hall, who has been taking a training course in aviation mechanics at Shepherd Field, Texas, writes that he has completed his studies and is ready for assignment. Hall was a recent volunteer in the army.

Mrs. E. G. Todd and son, Howard, returned home last week end from Baltimore, Md., where they have spent the past several weeks, and where Howard recently underwent a major operation. His scores of Avon Park friends are pleased that he is convalescing so rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wright and daughter, Sylvia, who have been residing at the Freed Peden home, are moving to Bartow, friends here of the family, will regret to learn. Mr. Wright is connected with the state road department, and has been transferred to that point.

Avon Park friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Peacock of Orlando, will be interested to learn that they have gone to Bel Mar, N. J., to spend the next three months, and where Mr. Peacock will take a special course in work pertaining to the National Defense program. Mrs. Peacock was Miss Frances Cloud, daughter of Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Avon Park prior to her marriage.

Charles Kempton of Key West spent the week end with relatives in Avon Park. Mrs. Kempton and three children, Mikel, Wayne and Bryan, who have been visiting her parent's, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sherertz, and parent's, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kempton for several weeks, are remaining for a longer visit.

Mrs. Ivor Farnell and son, Ronny arrived Wednesday from Tampa to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Weisheyer, and Mr. Farnell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Farnell. They will be joined here during the week end by Mr. Farnell, and they will return to Tampa Sunday. Avon Park friends will be quite interested to learn that Mr. Farnell, who has been connected with the All States Lumber company as architect and draftman, has accepted a position with the United States engineers at Drew Field, Tampa.

Capt. Fleischer: "Sgt. Block where did you get all those plants and shrubbery?"
Sgt. Block: "I got them at the nursery Sir."
Corp. Goebel: "Oh, so you are robbing the cradle, nowadays!"

Find Your Name In The Ads

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

Olsen - Johnson
Martha Raye
"Hellzapoppin"

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S. S. THAYER, Pharmacist

To The Voters of Highlands County

There will be a demand for the increasing of taxes at the next Legislature. If you consider that I am qualified to serve you as your lawmaker in Tallahassee and that I am sincere when I say that I will do everything I can to keep the tax burden from increasing and will support measures that will be for the good of all the people, I will appreciate your support and vote in the May 5th election.

HOWARD LIVINGSTON

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

IN COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE HIGHLANDS COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.

In re Estate of
MARY EDNA COVINGTON
Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that on the 1st day of May A. D. 1942, We shall apply to the Honorable T. A. McNicholas, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for final discharge as Executors of the estate of Mary Edna Covington deceased. My final report and application for final discharge are now on file in the office of said Judge.
Dated April 1st A. D. 1942.
M. E. COVINGTON, Jr.
M. E. COVINGTON
EXECUTORS

Your Vote and Support Respectfully Solicited



To the Democratic voters of the 10th Judicial Circuit: Upon my record as a lawyer and prosecuting officer, I respectfully seek your vote and support, and if honored with the important office of State Attorney, I pledge:

1. To attend to the duties of the office as provided by the Constitution and the laws of Florida.

2. Prosecute fairly, impartially, and fearlessly in a just manner.

3. Always bear in mind that public office is a public trust.

4. Never use the office for the political advancement of any person or persons.

5. Personally investigate all murders committed within the jurisdiction, immediately when committed.

Manuel M. Glover

For State Attorney

CIVILIANS LEARN TO FIGHT BOMBS

(Continued from page one) staisfactory but don't use a stream this will scatter the flaming bits of thermit and cause more fire.

"Be sure to fill your bathtub with water when the alarm sounds as a precaution in case the city's water supply is bombed. And, be sure, to take the precautions outlined for protection of your life and property."

Chief Heacock in conclusion stated: "It is not the purpose of our County Council or our Fire Defense Committee, in giving these instructions, to say that people must do these things. We are however making an effort to acquaint everybody with the dire necessity for such measures for we will be subject to a raid. Much more costly precautions could be described, such as flooring the attic and adding a covering of two inches of sand, but we have tried to suggest measures within the reach of all, items which nearly all families have on hand, and we do ask you to prepare them for instant use and thus protect yourself and your neighbor."

After the meeting Chief Heacock, assisted by members of the Sebring fire department demonstrated with a live, incendiary bomb on the cement walk in front of courthouse. The bomb was ignited and as it burned the firemen showed the proper procedure to render it useless.

Howard Livingston, County Air Raid Warden states that the time of the next practice blackout is not yet known. "A request has been placed with headquarters for such but as yet we have no definite plans. Everyone should make it their duty to be alert and to be prepared for incendiary bomb raids. We never know when an attack may come when it comes there is no time to get ready for it, so make your preparations now and thus save your life and property."

"The car on Lakemont siding is gradually being filled with scrap metal and rubber," announces County Agent Louis Alesmeyer who is also Division Chairman of Agriculture and Co-Chairman of Salvage of County Defense Council. "There is a great need for rubber so bring in all your old tires, inner tubes, overshoes and the like.

"We expected more scrap metal than has been received but probably we will reach our planned quota of 30 tons before we must ship. This car will go to Tampa where junk dealers will assort the scrap and dispose of it. Come on in with all your scrap metal and rubber, or call our office at Post Office," concluded the genial County Agent.

"More volunteer workers are greatly needed in the county defense set-up," says N. A. Broking, Chairman of Civil Protection.

"Some people are now doing the work of four or five, while some are doing nothing to help. If war strikes us here one person can fill only one position or post to advantage. There is a great need for several to take training for the same post in the advent that one should become ill or meet with other adversity preventing them from duty. Every citizen in the county can do some work for defense and should be training for it now."

Ben T. Stewart, County Chairman points out the necessity for larger training classes: "membership in all training classes should be increased which means there should be more volunteers for defense work. We must not wait till we have an air raid and the enemy is here —let's get busy now and all voluntter for some of the phases of defense work. There are plenty of posts for every citizen and the need for you is great."

HOSTS AT DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hern entertained informally at a delicious dinner at the Jacaranda Coffee Shoppe on Friday evening. Covers were laid for Dr. and Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Miss Marjorie McKnight, Mrs. George Voorhees, and Mr. and Mrs. Hern.

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Church Notes

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Topic: "The Prince of Peace." "A timely topic! More and more are the thoughts of men turning to Christ as the world's hope for the abolition of war. When Christ a spirit of love fills men's heart's, wars will cease.

Morning worship service at 11 o'clock, with sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on: "The Parable of The Talents." You are urged to hear this message. Music by the choir. Join us in this hour of helpful and reverent worship.

The Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the Church at 7:00 P. M. William Hood will lead the worship service and Chas. Bennett will introduce the topic: "How Far Can Jesus Be Our Pattern?" Young people welcome.

The "Quiet Hour" service for praise and prayer will be held on Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. A season of inspiring Christian fellowship, with brief address by the Pastor. Come, and join in prayer for America and the world. Prayer is needed.

The choir will meet for rehearsal at the Church on Saturday at 8:00 P. M.

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.

NOMINATED TO PHI KAPPA PHI

Charles Sherman Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Sherman, was among the 37 students at the University of Florida, who was nominated for membership in Phi Kappa Phi. The honor in receiving the nomination is based on superior scholastic attainment.

CHURCHES OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"Everlasting Punishment" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, May 3.

The Golden Text is: "The Lord is known by the judgement which he executeth: the wicked is snared in the work of his own hands" (Psalms 9:16).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. For he that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting" (Gal. 6:7,8).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "They, who know not purity and affection by experience, can never find bliss in the blessed company of Truth and Love simply through translation into another sphere. Divine Science reveals the necessity of sufficient suffering, either before or after death, to quench the love of sin (p.36:1-6).



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NUTRITION NOTES

In previous issues we have told you of two important members of the vitamin family namely vitamins A and the B complex. Today we shall tell you a little of another equally important one, Vitamin C.

A marked deficiency of this vitamin causes a disease known as scurvy. There are few actual cases of scurvy in the United States today but it is prevalent among the orientals. We do, however, suffer from insufficient quantities of this vitamin. If the gums seem tender and bleed easily it may be you are not getting your share of vitamin C. Vitamin C is the most unstable of the vitamins. Heat is quite destructive to it. Cook cabbage five minutes and there is some loss, cook it an hour and the vitamin C is a total loss. Wilted vegetables have also lost some of their vitamin C content.

The citrus fruits both canned and fresh, tomatoes either raw or canned and guavas are our best sources. It is widely distributed also among fruits and vegetables but beware of overcooking them if you are depending on them for vitamin C.

Your body cannot store this vitamin so get your supply daily. A glass of fresh orange juice will more than supply your body's daily requirement of this important vitamin.

Highlands County Nurition Committee.—By Margaret P. Stewart, Chairman.

Broadway is a place where people spend money they haven't earned to buy things they don't need to impress people they don't like.

She. "I hear your boy friend wants to settle down and get a home."
Her: "Well, he's got a good start. I gave him the gate last night."

NOTICE UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME LAW

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, pursuant to the "Fictitious Name Statute" House Bill No. 1175, Chapter No. 20953, Laws of Florida, 1941, will register with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, in and for Highlands County, Florida, upon receipt of proof of publication of this notice, the fictitious name, to wit: Jacaranda Coffee Shop, under which we are engaged in business in the City of Avon Park, Florida.

That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:

JACARANDA COMPANY.

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In order to protect life, limb and property in the event of an emergency, you are hereby requested by your State Defense Council and by your local Defense Council to do the following at once:

To immediately provide what is known as a scuttle hole, if your building does not at this time have such an opening into the attic or onto the roof, and there be provided at the scuttle-hole, either a permanent stairs, a permanent ladder or step ladder at a very convenient location so that the attic or the roof can be immediately reached in the event of fire. Under conditions facing the State of Florida at this time, your prompt cooperation is very necessary.

This equipment is simple, costs little, in fact, many people have all this on hand, but it must be placed in a convenient location where it can be quickly reached in the event of need.

The occupants of every house, office and store room are also requested to provide and have in a convenient location at least two galvanized buckets, half full of sand and one flat-nose shovel, for use in putting out fires caused by incendiary bombs.

Have your fire extinguisher inspected and recharged if needed. Your local fire department will render this service.

An inspection of every building will be made very shortly and we hope that everybody will promptly and willingly cooperate without the necessity of further check-ups. These precautions are essential to the welfare of your community. THIS WORK MUST BE DONE.

Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 51

Book Club Elects Officers For Year

Mrs. R. H. Jordan was elected chairman of the Book Club, and Mrs. D. G. Perry, secretary-treasurer, at the final meeting of the season, at the home of Mrs. R. R. Porterfield on Friday morning. Mrs. Perry was co-hostess. The club will begin the meetings in the fall, with the newly elected officers officiating.

Miss Julia Norfleet, librarian at the school, in a very gracious manner, reviewed the new book, "The Moon is down" by John Steinbeck.

Equally delightful, was the short review, given by Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, president of the Woman's club, of "Mangrove Coast" by Kark Bicked.

Mrs. Porterfield donated a quite new and splendid book, "The Life and Achievements of Renowned Don Quiota" by D La Moncha.

It was brought to the attention of members that ten of the newest books in current fiction had been donated this season to the city library, which is sponsored by the Woman's club, of which the Book Club is a department.

The meeting was held in the attractive living room at the Porterfield home, where arrangements of garden flowers, from the hostess' own garden, created an atmosphere of springtime. During the social hour, the guests were served refreshing orange juice on the lower screened porch, overlooking the lake.

Those present included Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mrs. Fred Stevens, Mrs. Frank Truan, Mrs. R. H. Jordan, Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. Paul L. Rumpsa, Mrs. Perry and Mrs. Porterfield.

Sans Souci Club Enjoys Lovely Party Tuesday

Lovely in each detail was the bridge party given by Miss Mildred Myers on Tuesday evening at the social room of the F. P. S. company, when she entertained members of the Sans Souci club and a few additional friends.

The chosen motif, to denote the approach of May day, was accentuated in the colorful bouquets of phlox in pastel shades, and arrangements of forget-me-nots, placed at points of vantage about the spacious room. Five tables were in play during the evening.

Previous to the games, a dainty dessert course, composed of lemon chiffon pie, cream cheese squares, dipped in nuts, and iced tea, was served. A dainty pastel color note was observed in all of the appointments at each of the tables, chosen shades of pink, blue, green, rose, and yellow being used. The centerpiece was a gay miniature May pole, the streamers extending to tiny mint cups, in a corresponding color, at each place.

The place cards in a spring motif, and the table markers, table covers, plates, napkins, glasses, and even the card table chairs were in perfect match, to create a beautiful effect, and to accent the chosen theme.

High score club prize was won by Miss Iva Phillips, and second high, was given to Miss Alma Harrell. Each received Defense Stamps for their skill. Miss Edna Tallman who scored guest high, was presented a dainty handkerchief.

Club members and guests enjoying the party included Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Alma Harrell, Miss Janet Cook, Miss Sarah Browning, Miss Elizabeth Green, Miss Julia Norfleet, Mrs. Fred Peden, Mrs. Chas. Sherman, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Miss Iva Phillips, Mrs. John Bunting, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. Phillip Boardman, Miss Edna Tallman, Mrs. G. W. Oliver, Mrs. Harold Rowe, Mrs. Ruth Clowe, and Mrs. Mary Holcomb.

Star Members Hear Report of Grand Chapter Meeting

Miss Jennie Gribble, worthy matron of Leigh chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, presided at the regular meeting of the organization on Thursday evening. She gave a spendid report of Grand Chapter, which recently convened in Miami. Miss Gribble, also announced, the honor conferred on Mrs. Agnes Cox of Avon Park by her election as vice president of the Mamie Lander club of Grand chapter. Mrs. Lander, it will be remembered is a former resident of this city, and is a charter member of Leigh chapter.

EPISCOPAL AUXILIARY TO MEET WEDNESDAY

St. Margaret's Auxiliary of the Episcopal church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. M. S. Swearingen on Tulane circle. All members invited to attend.

Tea on Wednesday at Hood Home

Mrs. John H. Hood and her mother, Mrs. Harry Dilley were hostesses, at the home o fthe former on Wednesday afternoon, when they entertained at one of the series of delightful silver teas, which are being given by the Ladies' Aid of the Union Congregational Church. The rooms were filled with an abundance of spring garden flowers, in which soft pastel shades predominated. The calling hours were from three 'til five o'clock.

Mrs. H. C. Worden and Miss Clio Metcalfe, who are both most talented, and are always a pleasant addition to any program, assisted the hostess in entertaining the guests. Mrs. Worden gave two readings, and Miss Metcalfe a group of vocal selections.

The tea table was overlaid with a handsome lace cloth, and centered with a low crystal bowl of roses and babybreath. Mrs. A. C. Elliott graciously presided at the gleaming tea service at one end of the table. Large trays held assorted sandwiches, homemade cookies, and small cakes, and crystal compotes were filled with pastel tinted mints. About twent-five invited guests called during the tea hours.

Rebekah Lodge Honors Founder

Eleanor Seavern's Rebekah Lodge No. 65, observed the 134th anniversary of their founder, Thomas Wildey, at their meeting this week. Mrs Cora Wray, Noble Grand; Mrs Lillian Bridges, Vice Grand; and Mrs. Helen Mann took part on the program.

Mrs. Ben T. Cox gave a very interesting report of the recent meeting held in Tampa, highlighting her talk with many vital statistics that gave members a splendid idea of the work that is being accomplished. Mrs. Cox was special representative to the meeting from the local Rebekah Lodge.

Legion Auxiliary Met Monday

The American Legion Auxiliary met at the Customer's room of the F P S company on Monday evening for the regular monthly business meeting. Mrs. Ruth Clowe, president, presided.

It was decided to hold a joint installation with the Legion on May 20. This will be a supper meeting it was announced, and will be held at the Legion home. Mrs. Chas. Sherman, past president of the local unit, will install auxiliary officers.

A committee, composed of Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. Earl W. Hartt and Mrs. D. G. Perry, was appointed to make arrangements for the auxiliary to entertain the service men in the city.

Following the meeting, Mrs. Walter S. Martin treated those present to delicious ice cream sundaes.

Members attending were Mrs. Ruth Clowe, Mrs. Chas. Sherman, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. W. J. Prevatt, Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. H. R. Currie, Mrs. R. C. Jarrett, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Mrs. Walter S. Martin, Mrs. Ed Welch.

Sugar . . and Spice

That over worked quotation . . . Even your best friend won't tell you . . . is false . . . Did you read this column last week? . . . Kathleen wouldn't let her named be signed . . . to such trash as this . . . That gal just about . . . wrote me out of a job . . . You wish.

Another friend talked me into letting her cut off all of my hair . . . Woe is me . . . Have you ever seen . . . an aged shaving brush . . . each bristle pointing in a different direction . . . as if it had been badly frightened? . . . Take a look at my hair . . . What's that brown hair doing . . . in with all of those grey ones?

A certain handsome soldier . . . at a Friday night dance . . . asked to be introduced . . . to the "good looking, brown eyed, young girl" . . . 'Twas Mrs. Jack Head . . . on duty as a hostess for that evening.

Don't be amazed if you see . . . a flock of flattering, flattering, females following Stan Reeves down the street . . . They're wanting plenty of sugar . . . the kind you eat . . . when and if you get it . . . Stan is on the rationing board . . . He gave notice . . . that this column . . . is to contain only spices from here on . . . Doesn't he know that sugar is merely sprinkled lightly herein . . . as the spice will be censored . . . (And all of the sugar in town didn't get a certain paragraph by this week . . . .)

After watching Walter, Brownie and Matt . . . riding by on bicycles . . . I decided this advice had better be clipped and hung in each home . . . How To Escape Approaching Bicyclist . . . Briefly stated . . . Shimny up the nearest lamppost . . . and stay there until the peril is passed . . . Keep your fingers crossed . . . so they won't knock the post down.

For be it from this writer . . . to insinuate . . . hint . . . or call out names . . . but 'pears to me that . . . Harold Barwick is still interested in . . . attractive married women . . . Where does one go to get attractive? . . . Any fool can get married.

In the absence of that effecient Mary Holcomb . . . Ye writer acted as pinch hitter . . . in her office one A. M. this week . . . The Boss . . . Joe Prevatt . . . blusters in with a twinkle in his eye . . . and Quote He . . . "Let's get to work." . . . Quote Me . . . "Most secretaries start out by sitting on the lap of the boss." . . . Quote He . . . "We can start out like that . . . but I don't know where we'd end."

Fourth Grade Has Graduation Program Friday

"Graduation" exercises by pupils of Miss Alma Harrell's fourth grade, formed the unusual and very delightful chapel program for the grammar grades at the auditorium on Friday afternoon. The fourth grade will "graduate" into the "big building" at the close of this school year, and the program was "in miniature" of the ones given by the older graduating classes.

The class sat in small chairs arranged in a semi-circle on the stage. Gloria Bowman announced the various numbers.

The program opened with the class history by Marjorie Hetherington, followed with the class will by Helen Knowles, and two piano solos by Anna Vilkaitis.

Margaret Lawhon recited the class poem and the entire group sang the class song. The class prophecy was read by Joan Clements. The little girls, Joyce Basemore and Joyce Davis each sang a vocal number, after which Kenneth Armstrong, guitarian presented Miss Harrell and each of the former teachers of the class, with a colorful nosegay. The program closed with group singing by the class.

Miss Harrell who originated the idea wrote the various parts of the program. Mrs. Frank Morgan, public school music director, was piano accompanist for the numbers.

The other section of the fourth grade, taught by Mrs. J. H. Singletary, who will also "graduate" into the high school building at the close of the year, marched to the stage, and sang the State song to an appreciative audience.

Raymond Davis of Limestone, Here Seeing Voters

Raymond J. Davis, of Hardee and DeSoto counties, who lives at Limestone, and is a candidate for Railroad Commissioner, group 1, was greeting friends here this week.

Mr. Davis spent three years as attache in Congress with Herbert J. Drane, of Lakeland. He was member of the board of county commissioners of Hardee county for eight years and for four years was chief deputy of the Motor Vehicle Commissioner of Florida. He is a fruit grower and farmer.

Mrs. Voorhees Is Bridge Hostess

The Thursday afternoon bridge club was pleasantly entertained this week by Mrs. George Voorhees at a delightful dessert bridge. Petunias and phlox, in attractive shades were formed into bouquets to decorate the party rooms.

Lemon chiffon pie, tea or coffee, mints and salted nuts, were served as the tempting dessert course, before the games.

The afternoon was devoted to the usual number of enjoyable progressions of contract, in which Mrs. A. L. Bicker was successful in scoring high for guests of the club for the afternoon. Her prize was a bottle of fragrant perfume.

Club members and guests sharing the hospitality of Mrs. Voorhees on this occasion were Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. A. C. Clark, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. H. E. Armstrong, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. Wm. Hauptmann, Mrs. A. E. Hollingsworth, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. H. E. Godwin, Mrs. A. L. Bicker, and Mrs. Eleanor Hoene.

Tuesday Club Has Dessert Bridge

Mrs George Scott McKnight was a gracious hostess at her home on Tuesday afternoon, when she entertained members of her club, and additional friends, at a lovely dessert bridge. Three tables were in play. The rooms were tastefully arranged with bouquets of petunias and phlox, in harmonizing shades.

Before the games, the hostess served a dainty dessert course, consisting of a congealed salad, marguerites tea, mints and salted nuts.

High score club prize, when scores were totaled at the close of several interesting progressions, was awarded to Mrs. G. P. Thayer, who received a wall plaque. Guest high award, a handkerchief, in a colorful design, was presented to Mrs. H. E. Godwin.

Those enjoying the party were Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. H. E. Godwin, Mrs. W. H. Ayers, Mrs. A. L. Bicker, Mrs. A. E. Hollingsworth, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. C. H. Pardee.

FORMER RESIDENT IN CONCERT

Miss Martha Marsh of White Springs, formerly of Avon Park, and highly talented musician, was violinist at a concert given by The Stephen Foster Music Club at the high school auditorium in White Springs on Sunday afternoon, April 12, friends here will be interested to learh. Miss Marion Worley, pianist, and Wendel Waters, cellist, were other members of the club, who appeared in the concert.

Miss Marsh has been residing in White Springs for the past five years, and has been active in the Stephen Foster Memorial Association there. She is a graduate of The Conservatory of Music of Rollins college, Winter Park.

RED CROSS INFORMATION

Everyone interested in taking a Red Cross home nursing course, is asked to register with Miss Margaretha Vogt at W. S. Betts office, next door to the post office, as soon as possible. It is hoped to begin classes within ten days or two weeks.

If there is anyone in Avon Park who is qualified to teach a Red Cross Staff Assistant's course, please contact Mrs. Walter S. Betts at once. The local Red Cross is very anxious to start such a class here. A staff assistant helps in many different kinds of field work; acts as registrar in case of disaster; in First Aid and casulty stations, she registeres casulties and injured; notifies families, and answers questions regarding food, shelter and medical aid; does typing and filing. In New York, the Rationing Administrator is utilizing these workers in the local rationing board offices throughout the city.

WINTER VISITOR DIES

Irving N. Fowler of Middlefield, Conn., died Saturday, April 25 at a hospital in Middlefield, Conn., friends here will regret to learn. Funeral services were held the following Monday afternoon, with interment in the Middlefield cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Fowler have spent several winters in Avon Park as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bradley at their home on east Verona circle.

Math Club Enjoys Annual Picnic

The high school Math Club enjoyed their annual outing, with a delightful picnic and dance at Lake Byrd Lodge on Friday. The group took advantage of the cooling waters of Lake Byrd for a swim, before they partook of a tempting picnic supper of potato salad, sandwiches, pickles and olives, cookies and cake, and orange juice. The evening was spent in games and dancing at the Lodge.

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HENDRICKS HAWKS LEAD AVIATION LOOP

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reached first on a walk in the last of the third. Then, with two out and Elder advanced to second on Powers force of Creel at third, Hoyt Ewing smashed a long fly to center field which fell for a triple when Tyre misjudged the ball.

Sebring scored again in the last of the seventh when Max Long walked and scored on Heacock's double to left. The hit was a screaming line drive that bounced out of E. Elder's glove.

A couple of breaks and the ball game might be going yet. Had Tyre been able to camp under Ewing's fly, and had Heacock's drive struck in the webbing of Elder's glove, it might have been another story entirely.

The Citizens had men in scoring positions three times during the game, but couldn't come through with base hits in the clutch.

In the first inning Williams singled to center, went to second when a throw to first by Long went through Gearing, and galloped to third on Rowe's bounder to short. Long forced Akin to pop to the infield to end the inning.

They had men on first and second with none out in the top of the second when M. Hathis reached first on an error and advanced on E. Elder's base knock to left, but Smith and Tyre fanned and Mathis was caught off the bag on a peg from Long to Heacock.

The last Citizen threat in the eighth when Smith walked, went to second on a bad throw by Firemen catcher Creel, and to third on a wild pitch. He died there as Long struck out Tom Mathis, pinch hitter Gifford, and Rutledge, the latter for the fourth time in the game.

The short score:

		R.	H.	E.
Avon Park	000 000 000	0	3	1
Sebring	001 000 10x	2	5	3

Batteries—Rowe and Akin; M. Long and Creel.

AVON SPLITS TWIN BILL

Avon Park teams gained an even split in Sunday's Air Force League doubleheader, Harold Rowe's team losing to the Hendricks Field Wings, 15-4, in the first game, and the Avon Park Bombers showing fine form in the nightcap to smash the Medicos from Hendricks, 21-1.

Wednesday's doubleheader at Head Field will bring together the Wings and the rejuvenated Bombers in the opening game, and the Hendricks Hawks, tied with the Wings for the league lead, and the Medicos in the nightcap.

The defeat by the heavy-hitting Wings was the first lose of the season for Avon Park, and dropped them into third place in the league standing.

Rowe, who arrived at Head Field but a few minutes before the game began, evidently didn't have time to get properly warmed up, and therein lies the story of the ball game.

He gave up two walks and was guilty of a wild pitch in the first inning, which coupled with a pair of errors, sent the Wings off to a two run lead. In the second and third frames the Wings pounded him for nine hits and as many runs to ice the ball game.

The Avon Park pitcher settled down in the last four innings, holding the Wings to five hits and four runs. His mates, in the meantime, found the offerings of 'Chowhound' Zeigler, big Wing southpaw, for seven hits and four runs. Rowe contributed a single and a double to his team's attack.

The game was cut to seven innings by mutual agreement of the managers.

The Bombers showed a surprising reversal of form in walloping the hapless Medicos. Manager Surls drilled his club on hitting all week, and the results showed in the 18 solid hits the bomb range boys smashed out against five ineffective Medico hurlers.

Joe Koenigs, classy Bomber hurler, whiffed 12 while limiting the Medicos to four hits, and might have had a no hit game. Two of the blows were scratch infield singles, one was a Texas League blopper to center, and the fourth was a sunfield triple that, but for the glaring sun, would have been an easy out.

Lane, Ford, and Schoeffler led the Bombers at the plate, each getting three hits. Ford was the big gun, with a single, double and triple in four times at bat.

The only Medico run came in the top of the first on a wild throw by Kanach, a muff at first by Surls, and an infield out.

The short scores:

Team		R.	H.	E.
Wings	254 020 2	15	14	0
Avon Park	021 010 0	4	7	6
Second game		R.	H.	E.
Medicos	100 000 000	1	4	12
Bombers	251 115 51x	21	18	2

Admission is twenty-five cents for civilians, soldiers will be admitted free.

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Sunday, May 3, at Sebring, 2 p. m.—Medicos vs. Wings; Bombers vs. Sebring.

At Avon Park, 3 p. m.—Hawks vs. Avon Park.

Wednesday, May 6; At Avon Park, 2 p. m.—Wings vs. Medicos; Bombers vs. Hawks.

At Sebring, 8:15 p. m.—Sebring vs. Avon Park.

LEADING AIR FORCE LEAGUE HITTERS

(Including players at bat 10 or more times)

	G	AB	H	Pct.
Rowe, Avon Park	4	13	8	.615
Magans, Wings	4	16	7	.438
Foldesi, Wings	4	14	6	.429
Ziegler, Wings	4	12	5	.417
Merrill, Wings	4	17	7	.412
Arthur, Wings	4	15	6	.400

DO YOU REMEMBER?

Let's recall for a moment the America of yesterday when:

Most Americans did not know where rubber for their tires came from.

Sugar was just another item on the grocery list.

Hawaii suggested only music, sugar cane and pineapples.

Singapore was merely a setting for adventure movies.

Statesmen were asserting that no American would ever again fight on foreign soil.

Guam, Wake and Midway islands would have been good $40 questions.

New Zealand was just somewhere over there near Australia.

Washington was glad to welcome visitore.

A man in military uniform was conspicuous.

Hitler appeared to be just a passing exhibitionist.

The Maginot line was believed impregnable.

The alphabet had not given us NRA, PWA, WPA, WPB and the others.

The national debt was getting perilously close to $40,000,000,000.

Automobile salesmen came around too soon to tempt you with a new car.

A bicycle was something you were going to buy for your youngster the next Christmas.

You had to think twice before giving the names of the secretary of war and the secretary of the navy.

Germans in the United States were regarded as musicians or scientists instead of fifth columnists.

The Japanese were funny little people we could lick before breakfast.

South America was just a vast area to be exploited instead of a group of nations to be persistently wooed.

France was Gay Paree instead of an RAF target.

Greece was the cradle of the classics instead of the land of the starving.

Scrap iron was something to be sold to Japan.—Lakeland Ledger.

"Hello, Hello, is this you Jack?"

"Yep."

"Is this Jack McCurr I'm talking to?"

"This is he."

"Well, I'm in a fix. I want to borrow five dollars."

"O. K. I'll tell him when he comes in."



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L. Grady Burton

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

Highlands Hammock Company, A Corporation, Plaintiff.
vs.
Paul W. Beerman et al, Defendant.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of a Final Decree issuing out of the Circuit Court of the 10th Judicial District in and for Highlands County, Florida, the undersigned Special Master will sell at public outcry at the South Door of the Court House, Sebring, Florida, between the hours of 11 a. m., and 2 p. m., on the 15th day of May, 1942, the following described properties:

For the First: The SE¼ of the NE¼ and the S½ less the NE¼ of the SW¼ and less 28 acres in the S½ of the SE¼ and the SE¼ of the SW¼ south of the Highway, and less the NW¼ of the SW¼ and the N½ of the N½ of the N½ of the N½ of the SW¼ of the SW¼, all in Section 2, Township 34 South, Range 28 East, Highlands County, Florida.

For the Second: NW¼ of the SW¼ and the N½ of the N½ of the SW¼ of the SW¼ Section 2, Township 34 South, Range 28 East, Highlands County, Florida.

The said sale being made to satisfy liens accruing under certain State of Florida Tax Certificates set out and described in the Bill of Complaint filed in the cause.

W. L. LONG, Special Master.

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS, Solicitor
Betts Building,
Avon Park, Fla.
Apr 24, May 1

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

Notice is hereby given, That Harvey E. Howard, Sebring, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 743, issued the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1935 and Tax Certificate No. 518, 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:

Cert. 743 for 1935 covers S½ of SE¼ of NE¼ Section 3 Twp. 35 S Range 29 E.

Cert. 518 for 1938 covers N½ of SE¼ of NE¼ Section 3 Twp 35 S Range 29 E.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of L. L. Gifford and E. G. Wing.

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 June, 1942, which is the 1st day of June, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1942.
(SEAL) H. T. PIETY
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
May 1-8-15-22

WE FIGHT INCENDIARIES

(By Barbara B. Darsey)

A request—it might well be called an order so necessary it is—a request, so cheap and simple that we can all accede to it, has been sent to house and building owners by our State and Local Defense Councils, throughout our county to provide facilities for fire fighting. This calls for an opening to attic or roof; flat, long-handled, snub-nosed shovel; two buckets of dry sand; a fire extinguisher or garden hose.

Nearly all of us have these articles on hand; should we need to buy one or two items the cost is very little, very little indeed compared to the damage that may ensue from incendiary bombs and other fires.

What is all this for? Why is it necessary? We hear those questions every day now. All this is necessary as a precaution against fires and incendiary bombs. Our Country is liable to attack at any time; our Florida is most vulnerable, due to its exposed location and lack of coastal fortifications.

One small incendiary bomb can start a fire that will entail great loss of life and entire property destruction. Can any of us do less than prepare these simple percautions. By having these things in readiness we can do much to prevent the horror of airraids, we can help to save not only our own lives and property but that of our neighbor and our city as well.

Incendiary bombs are designed to penetrate the roof and lodge in attic. Occasionally they may go through to the next floor, especially if the attic is not floored properly. They are easily controlled with the necessary implements if we have them at hand. They are not controlled if we must rush around digging up dry sand, emptying buckets in which to put it, finding the shovel (which then probably turns out to be the wrong kind, not the blunt-nosed, long-handled one we are sure we had in the garage); not controlled if we must run out to the garden to drag in the hose after attaching it to the faucet under the front window; not controlled if we lose the key to the attic stairs or misplace the ladder to the roof. All these things should be prepared and kept in a special place handy to attic or roof.

Can't we call the fire department for help? Ordinarily, yes; under stress of an air raid, no. In such a case each fireman will have his hands full and more than full and every call cannot be promptly answered. We must depend on our own ability and equipment to fight fire and incendiary bombs. A raider plane carries about a ton of incendiary bombs in racks of 10 or 20 each, which are dropped every second from an altitude of about 2 miles. When we consider this, surely we can realize the tremendous task facing the fire department thus we should be properly prepared to fight for ourselves and not frantically calling the fire men for aid.

Incendiary bombs must be taken care of within two minutes after they ignite, else they spread fire past control. Walt one minute for some of them explode, then get to work. Use the waiting minute to put out the fire in curtains and furniture which the bomb may have started for there is no point in smothering the bomb while the house burns down. Then dip sand over the bomb's fire with the shovel, later the water or fire extinguisher may be applied in a fine spray—never, never use a stream on the burning bomb for this scatters the particles of burning thermit and causes more fires.

Be prepared! It costs so little; we can all take these simple precautions and thus save our own lives and our city. Remember; an accessible opening to attic or roof; two buckets of dry sand; long-handled, blunt-nosed, flat shovel; garden hose or fire extinguisher—all placed handy. How simple! In prepardness we win!

Need a Laxative? Take good old

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Sherman Warns True Patriotism More Than Words

By Dr. John H. Sherman
President of Webber College

Babson Park, Fla., March 26 — Nothing is so dangerous to a country at war as that blind optimism which assumes that men are loyal because they say they are patriotic. Deeds and effects count in wartime; not words and protestations.

Pearl Harbor did not unite our nation. President Roosevelt's Washington Birthday address did not. A viciously malignant minority remains active.

Their activity no longer takes the form of mass meetings and openly seditious utterances. The "American First Committee" has had two meetings, but they were held in attempted secrecy which was bungled and the participants are now known and under watch. The seriously dangerous activities are more difficult to control.

The President hit at one of those activities in his broadcast. He pointed out that those who urge and agitate for the scattering of our forces along our long coast lines in imaginary defense of coast cities, are playing Hitler's game and aiding the Japs.

The reason the offensive has all the advantage in modern warfare is that an army or navy organized for defense must spread itself so thin that the enemy can be entirely sure of having superior strength at any point he may select for attack.

Another aid to Hitler and the Japs is afforded by those enemy agents who adroitly play upon the old isolationist fallacy by urging that we withhold supplies from our allies, reserving them for our own soldiers to use. That sounds plausible to a small child, or an idiot, or an unthinking "400% patriot" of the sort who thinks America can lick the world without allies, and doesn't care what becomes of our friends. But to one who realizes how far our soldiers still are from true readiness, it is plainly a bid to let the Axis continue to conquer the civilized nations one by one.

The people who thus agitate disloyality to our allies are intelligent and possessed of full information. They know that they are causing division and that they are shaking the faith which our green troops have for their generals. That is exactly what they want to do.

Every one of them is consciously disloyal. Some of them desire the defeat and subjection of America. These are definitely Axis agents. But most of them are people whose political prejudices and personal hatreds are such that they think they can embarrass the Administration and hamper the high command in the name of Americanism. They are the people Hitler has counted upon from the first.

They are numerous in every section of the country and in all classes of society, but chiefly in the so-called better classes. Probably some of them have talked to you. They relied upon you to assume that they were only earnest loyal Americans who distrust "that man" in the White House. Usually, also they let you in on the fact that they have inside information or first-hand experience to share with you. They know that mistakes are being made. They tip you off that unnecessary sacrifices are being demanded.

They are not just foolish: they are dangerous.

They are not merely gossips: they are traitors.



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(Paid for by friends of T. T. Turnbull)

Attention Men: The U. S. Coast Guard Needs You

Young men between the ages of 17 and 35 are urged to investigate the many opportunities offered by the U. S. Coast Guard. At this time there is an acute need for men qualified to hold ratings of Radioman, Ship's Cook, Motor Machinist's Mate and Machinist's Mate. The Coast Guard needs Good Men, who can pass the required physical examination and are qualified in all respects. Applicants for original enlistment must have a High School Education, however, applicants who are particularly desirable because of civilian or other training may be accepted provided they have completed Grammar School. Men who have had previous service may be enlisted provided they pass the physical examination and last discharge was under honorable conditions. Ex-Coast Guard and ex-Navy men under 45 years of age, may be re-enlisted in the same rating held at time of discharge. Married men may be accepted for enlistment provided their wives will sign the necessary papers giving consent.

Men who are interested in serving their country in this branch of our Military Service should apply or write to the U. S. Coast Guard Recruiting Office, 209 Stovall's Professional Building, Tampa, Fla.

Urge Polk Farmers Join Federation

Winter Haven, April 2 (FNS)—Holding the Farm Bureau Federation up as the potential successor to all farm organizations in the state, George Fullerton, president of the Florida organization, at a meeting here last week, urged all Polk county farmers to get behind the campaign to organize the Bureau in this state.

Fullerton, outlining its activities, said the Bankhead amendment to the price control law passed recently by Congress, was drawn by the Bureau and that its passage could be considered the result of Bureau efforts. (The Bankhead amandment provides that farm prices should be fixed at not lower than 110 percent of parity).

He said that the Federation has 600,000 members with organizations in 41 states and Puerto Rico.

All Florida Turning — TO —

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(Jerry Carter Group No. 2)

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He was decorated for gallantry in World War 1.

He achieved national fame as a football coach at the University of Florida.

He immediately became a lawyer of recognized ability.
He is now an outstanding Circuit Judge.
He deserves a promotion to the Supreme Court.
He will be an outstanding Supreme Court Justice.

VOTE FOR

H. L. (Tom) SEBRING

(Political advertisement written and paid for by friends of H. L. (Tom) Sebring)

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Eat More Citrus For Your Health's Sake

This Week In Avon Park

(By W. M. H.)

Results of the election just passed did not suit a good many people, and there is more beefing than common over the outcome. Those citizens who went to the polls and exercised the good old American right and privilege of selecting their officials, may if they choose, continue to growl in a harmless sort of manner for that, too, is the American way. But those who failed to take enough interest to vote, passed their buck along to the other fellow to do their voting for them, have no complaint if the other fellow failed to get the desired result. He did his part, and that was all he could do. The record shows that something like 57 per cent of Highlands voters cast their ballots, and while this is a majority, it is a way under par for the brand new registration list which should have brought out a 90 per cent vote.

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Avon Park voted below the county average, casting only 46% of its registered strength. This is partly explained by the fact that there were no local or district contests, the only race of especial interest locally being the representative's race. The factional fight that usually prevails at Avon Park elections was lacking, and without the usual fanfare and ballyhoo, the folks went looking the other way. It is a sad commentary on existing political conditions, but without a scrap, our people just don't vote.

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In contrast, it is noted that 4451 sugar rationing books were issued in Avon Park in three days, and the board ran out of cards before supplying the demand. On election day, hundreds stood in line to get sugar for their bellies, while election officials had ballots to burn.

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We wonder what the "battling bastards of Bataan" would think of that lack of interest in the much touted "American way if life," the very foundation of which rests on the free exercise of the right to vote, and for which thousands have already given their lives, and thousands more are risking their necks daily. The forces of Bataan and Corregidor probably ran out of sugar days ago, but they kept up the fight until they ran out of bullets to fire and the strength to shoot them.

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The home front had better take stock, and look this very serious situation in the face, and determine whether or not they are living up to the same standards that they expect from their fighting forces. Certainly, the demonstration of indifference shown on election day would prove no tonic to our hard-pressed soldiers to bare their breasts to the bayonet, when the cause for which they are struggling is held so lightly by the people at home.

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The fact that the Winter Guest Club has donated the use of its building and premises for soldiers as a recreational center does not mean that activities at the club will be curtailed in any way next season, according to committeemen who have this matter in charge. It was a generous and patriotic gesture of the club to turn over the facilities for the summer. The set-up is ideal and ready-made for the purpose, and for temporary use, nothing could be better. But the many visitors who make Avon Park their headquarters in the winter season must be cared for next winter, and they have the assurance that the club house will be available for their use. Meanwhile, other facilities will be needed, and definite steps must be taken now to provide new and additional quarters for the soldiers when the tourists return in the fall. Present quarters at most, would not be adequate, anyway, to care for the expected increase in personnel, when the bombing range gets fully under way.

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Congratulations to Howard Livingston on his election to the Legislature. He beat a mighty good man, and our sincere wish is that he will make as good a representative as Charlie Lanier did the past session.

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Perry Murray, of Frostproof recently elected city attorney is winner in the Polk county representative race. Nice to know the home folks appreciate him, too.

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Reports from the city hall are that the lion and the lamb are about to lie down together, and there is every indication that something is going to be done about the bond situation. After all

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4451 Sugar Books Issued Up to Friday

Blanks Give Out; Registration Is Continued Friday

The sugar rationing board ran out of cards Thursday afternoon at five o'clock, after issuing 4451 books, and the registration is being continued today (Friday), Dr. S. N. Reeves said today. More supplies were expected in Friday and registrations would be continued through Friday afternoon, starting at two o'clock, he said.

Hundreds stood in line during the three-day registration to get their books, and school teachers worked furiously to get the big job done. The work was speeded up by Boy Scouts, who gave out slips to registrants, who filled out the necessary data for the application blanks. This information was then copied by the teachers on the blanks, and saved time of asking and answering the numerous questions for each registration.

Colored people registered at the colored school house under supervision of white school teachers, and this section of the registration was handled smoothly, under direction of W. I. Williams, member of the rationing board.

Mrs. Duffie Ruhl Died Monday in Lake Wales

Mrs. Duffie Ruhl, 74, mother of Mrs. G. B. Hall, Avon Park, passed away Monday in a Lake Wales hospital, following a prolonged illness. Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church in Frostproof, Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Burial was in the Frostproof cemetery.

Mrs. Rhul and her late husband, Peter A. Ruhl, founded and published newspapers in a number of communities in the state. Among them were the Sebring Whiteway, the Fort Myers Press, the Umatilla Exponent, the Union County Times, Okeechobee News, and the Highland News, Frostproof. The couple took leading parts in publishers' meetings, and Mrs. Ruhl was especially recognized for her homespun style of writing in her editorial columns.

Besides Mrs. Hall, the deceased is survived by another daughter, Mrs. Duane Cox, Tampa; two sons Postmaster Guy P. Ruhl, Frostproof, Dan H. Ruhl, Ft. Myers; and a sister, Mrs. E. K. Norwood, Jacksonville.

Among those from Avon Park attending the funeral services were Mrs. L. M. Orr, Miss Charlotte Orr, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, and Mrs. S. E. Booth.

Methodist Church Will Observe Mother's Day

Mothers Day will be observed at the Methodist Church, with special music by the choir, and by the use of the congregation of old hymns sung by mothers when they were growing up, and in younger life such as How Firm a Foundation, Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing, and others. The pastor will preach a sermon appropriate for the Day. Flowers will be given at the door to each one who attends, white or red as will follow the custom. The Day will also be observed in the Sunday school. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to be present at both the morning and evening service.

TIRES AND TUBES GRANTED FROM APRIL 17 TO MAY 1

Lake Byrd Citrus Packing Co., Ottis Crouch Wilkes, Dr. George Scott McKnight, City of Avon Park, Gerald Graham Foster, Garner P. Emerson, Highland Crate Coop.

Retreads or Recaps

Lake Byrd Citrus Packing Co., John William Payne Jr., Ottis Crouch Wilkes, Ridge Fuel Co. Inc., Highland Crate Coop., Charles Snyder Donaldson, Arthur James O'Berry, Horace Lee Bryant, Chandler Reaves Wingfield, Virgil Lee Hall, Love Dean McGiboney, James Allison Johnson, Burton Alexander McMillian, Garner P. Emerson, Stewart Robert Sealover.

Grandpa Straubel Will Celebrate 101st Birthday

H. A. "Grandpa" Straubel, veteran of the War Between the States, who turned the century mark last May, will celebrate his 101st birthday at his home on Lake Lotela, Monday, May 11. His friends are invited by his granddaughter, Mrs. Nan Rouse, to call at his home from four to six in the afternoon. The traditional birthday cake will be cut, and light refreshments will be served.

SCHOOL BOY WINS FOR AVON SUNDAY

Citizens Win From Hawks in Overtime Game

AIR FORCE LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
Hendricks Wings	4	1	.800
Hendricks Hawks	3	1	.600
Avon Park	3	2	.600
Hendricks Medicos	2	3	.400
Sebring	2	3	.400
Avon Bombers	1	4	.200

Gene Mathis, an eighth-grade schoolboy, played the hero's role as Avon Park's Citizens upset the Hendricks Field Hawks, 9 to 8, in a 10-inning Air Force league baseball struggle on Head field Sunday.

It was the little Mathis boy who drove in the tying run in the last half of the 10th and later scored the winning marker. It happened after the Hawks had taken an 8 to 7 edge in the top half of the extra canto on the strength of a long home run by Shortstop George Wollschlaeger.

Marion Mathis, Gene's brother, was first up in the Avon Park 10, and he gained base on Wollschlaeger's error. Elder sacrificed him up a sack. Then Gene Mathis batted for Third Sacker Smith. He hit sharply to third base. Third Baseman Quarrie put the Hawks fielded the ball cleanly but threw wild to first, and Marion dashed home.

Gene Mathis took second on the error, moved to third as Alberton grounded out and scampered across the platter with the winning run as Rutledge pounded a single into right field.

It was a see-saw battle all the way, with Avon Park holding the upper hand a majority of the time after the fourth inning. Bo Akin, who tossed off his catching equipment and moved out to the mound in the third, trading places with Harold Rowe, was the winning pitcher. Hits favored the losers, 13 to 9.

The Hawks started proceeding as if they expected to mop up the field with the Citizens. They tallied four times in the opening inning, on hits by Eddy, Frieberg, Buchener and Wollschlaeger. Avon

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Assembly Program To Feature Drive For Defense Stamps

The assembly program on Friday, May 15 at 9:20, will be given by the music department of the elementary grades. The program will consist of group singing, a patriotic skit by Mrs. Singletary's room, and a Mother Goose play by Mrs. C. H. Shepherd's room.

There will be no admission charge but the grades are sponsoring a Defense Stamp drive, and would like for each person attending, to buy himself at least one Defense Stamp at the door. The P. T. A. will give a prize for the room buying the most Defense Stamps at school that week, from Monday through Friday. Each person should state to which room they desire credit to be given for the stamps they buy.

Annual Club Picnic to Be Held May 18

Plans for the annual club picnic, were made by the B. P. W. club when they met at the city hall on Monday evening for their regular meeting. The picnic will be held Monday evening, May 18 at the home of Mrs. Katherine Bristol on Lake Letta. An evening of bridge will follow the picnic supper.

Livingston and Burton Elected In Light Vote

Second Primaries In Three Districts In County

Howard G. Livingston, Sebring attorney, defeated Representative Charlie Lanier in Tuesday's election, in the lightest vote in the county in many years, probably in the history of the county.

With a total county registration of 3537, there were 2058 votes cast in the representative race, which was about the top number of ballots voted, as this was the only county wide local race. Livingston received 1127 and Lanier 931.

Avon Park's light vote of 640 ballots out of 1370 registered, less than 50 per cent, was held responsible for Lanier's defeat, according to local dopesters. Sebring outvoted Avon Park for the first time, and gave Livingston a big lead. Avon Park voters who went to the polls showed their preference for Lanier in about the same ratio, but too many stayed away.

Latest returns from over the tenth circuit show Burton to be leading Glover by over 3,500 votes, and is reelected state attorney. Burton is leading in all three counties, with a majority of 780 in Hardee and 1946 in Polk, besides a two to one majority in Highlands county.

George E. Sebring and John W. Schumacher will run it off in District 2 for county commissioner. W. Z. Carson, former clerk of the court was eliminated.

Lee Crews lacked 13 votes of getting a majority in the first primary, and will run off with A. C. McAuley, for county commissioner in District 4.

T. A. Cason defeated W. H. Canon, incumbent member of the county school board from District 3. The vote was Cason 374, Canon 321.

Sol McClelland and R. L. Stokes will enter the second primary for county commissioner in District 3. McClelland received 137, Stokes 100, Waldron 70 and Waggaman 35.

Referendum vote to declare Lake Istokpoga a fresh water lake, and thus close it during the closed bass season, carried by a vote of 752 to 346, incomplete returns showed.

Gas Defense School Starts Next Week

The Highlands County Defense Council is rapidly concluding their Defense Training in order to be certified by the ODC. After each member has finished his required training in First Aid, Fire, Gas and etc. he will be certified as a genuine official member of the Civilian Defense Corp.

The Gas Defense School will start in Avon Park Tuesday night May 12, 8 p. m., at the Fire Station.

The Council has secured the services of W. C. Pidgeon and W. W. Harwood of Lodwick Military Academy as instructors. These men are throughly able and capable of giving our members a good five hour course in chemical warfare. Highlands County Defense Council is very grateful for the voluntary services of these gentlemen.

This Gas Defense training primarily effects the members in the Action Division (Citizens Defense Corp.) and each member in these divisions is urged to be present. The registration will start promptly at 7:15. School starts promptly at eight p. m. If every member will cooperate, the citizens defense corp. will wind up this Gas training next week, in Avon Park. The School goes to Sebring the following week, then to Lake Placid the next week following Sebring.

Allen Altvater, Commander of the Citizens Defense Corps, is very anxious that the members will realize the importance of carrying this program through as quickly as possible, and that they will lend their full cooperation to this end.

Highlands County Defense Council.

By Ben T. Stewart, Chairman.

Bonds buy bombs, Stamps buy bullets! Buy U. S. Defense Bonds or Stamps every pay day!

Former Resident Died Saturday in Orlando

John Bankston Hart, 62, of Orlando, formerly of Avon Park passed away in a sanitarium, there Saturday morning, following a lingering illness, his scores of friends here were grieved to learn. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock from Ebeleteln Waggington Home for Funerals in Orlando. Dr. L. E. McNair, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, conducted the services. Interment followed in Greenwood cemetery.

Dr. I. W. Chandler, Dr. G. S. McKnight, W. R. Carter, and L. E. Stewart of Avon Park, and Glenn Spink, formerly of this city, served as pallbearers.

The deceased was born December 30, 1879 in Atlanta, the son of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Hart. His mother was the former Cynthia T. Bankston. He spent his young manhood in Atlanta. He was married to Frances Henderson of Jackson, Miss., Dec. 22, 1904. The couple had one daughter, who is now Mrs. Alice Hart Leppert of New Orleans, La. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

Before coming to Avon Park early in 1927, Mr. Hart was associated with Joseph Fromherz, contractor, in New Orleans, La. When his health began to fail, he and Mrs. Hart came to Avon Park to make their home. He was an expert in cabinet and upholstery work, and later opened a small shop here, which he conducted, until the couple moved to Orlando about two years ago.

While his health was not the best while he lived here, he was up and about his work each day, and only a few knew that he was not well, as he never complained, but always had a pleasant word for everyone with whom he came in contact. His genial and kindly disposition won many friends for him and these splendid characteristics, coupled with Mrs. Hart's charming personality, created a warm relationship with a wide circle of friends.

Beside his widow and daughter, he is survived by one brother, C. C. Hart Jr., of South Gate, Cal., who is the only surviving child of a family of ten children. Mrs. Hart's sister, Mrs. E. L. Rogers of Jackson, Miss., came to Orlando to be with her at this time.

Among friends from Avon Park attending the funeral services on Monday were Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Carter, Dr. and Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. George Voorhees, and L. E. Stewart.

R. T. Seagraves Died Friday in Osceola, Ark.

R. T. Seagraves of Osceola, Ark. father of Mrs. C. E. Crabtree, died Friday May 1 at his home, shortly after returning there from Avon Park, where with Mrs. Seagraves, he had spent the season. Mrs. Crabtree had accompanied her parents to their home in Osceola, and was returning to Avon Park. Mr. Crabtree met her in Jacksonville last Friday, and they received word there that night of her father's death. They immediately returned to Osceola. Mr. Seagraves had spent many winters in Avon Park, and the many friends he made while here, deeply regret to learn of his passing. Beside his widow and daughter, he is survived by a son, Edward Seagraves of Osceola.

Navy Changes Recruiting Schedule

U. S. Navy Recruiter O. J. Purdom, who has been coming to the county at stated intervals, advises that, due to circumstances beyond his control, it has become necessary to change the recruiting schedule to visit nearby stations on the following dates:

Lakeland, May 11, 26.
Lake Wales, May 12, 27.
Sebring, May 18.
Arcadia, May 19.
Ft. Myers, May 20.
Sirasota, May 21.

Leave For Air Corps Service

Walton Touchton, Desmond Roberts, and Francis Skipper, who recently enlisted in the Air Corps, have been called to active service, and are leaving today for Camp Blanding. They will be sent from there to a primary school for training.

Buy U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps, the I. O. U. of the Red, White, and Blue.

Tourists Club Opened As Soldiers Recreation Hall

The soldiers moved in to the Winter Guest Club this week which was so graciously donated by the club for the boys recreation during the summer months.

"Renovations, such as new interior decorations, recovering furniture, and refinishing floors," stated Mrs. Kate Spencer, local recreational advisor of the Highlands County Defense Council, "will be accomplished as soon as is possible." Mrs. Spencer is arranging her present duty hours in order that she may spend a few hours each day in the Recreation Hall as Acting Hostess. She will be in charge of supplying soldiers with stationery, playing cards and sundry games.

The P. N. (Post Exchange) has been moved lock, stock and barrel, from the Armory, further adding to the soldier's service and pleasure. All articles, candies, soft drinks and ice cream are sold at reduced prices.

It is hoped a library consisting of magazines and books will be augmented by donations from the Citizens of Avon Park. At present the library contains but few books and periodicals having a general reading interest for the service men. Other donations asked for the Recreational Hall are small scatter rugs, and used photographic equipment for a dark room and cameras to loan soldiers. Donations will be received by Ben Stewart, Chairman, Highlands County Defense Council.

Citizens of Avon Park have been very generous with flowers for the Armory. In fact, the Recreation Hall benefits from these donations and is made more home-like by their cheer-adding hugs and aroma.

Pvt. E. J. Cieslinski, former dancing instructor, will give lessons each Monday night, in the Hall, for all soldiers desiring to improve their foot work. Local Avon Park girls are welcome to attend these affairs and to help the men of the Armory learn new steps.

Gasoline Rationing Registration at School, May 12-14

Highlands county schools will participate in the registration for the gasoline rationing program which will take place May 12, 13, and 14. The registration will be held from 3:00 p. m. to 9:00 to eliminate interruption of the school program.

In a letter received by Col. F. N. K. Bailey from the state department of education, announcement was made that this registration has been arranged through the United States Office of Education and the Office of Price Administration. The rationing program will be conducted through the rationing board and the school system.

Cards will be furnished only to the owners of motor vehicles.

Service Men Will Be Dinner Guests on Mother's Day

All service men in the city, who attend church next Sunday, Mother's Day, will be invited home to dinner by a member of the congregation of the church, which they attend. This splendid gesture, on the part of the local churches, will be appreciated, not only by the service man himself, but by his mother "back home," with whom he will be unable to spend the day. Churches who are extending these invitations are Baptist Church, Christian Scientist, Church of Christ, Episcopal Church, Methodist Church, Nazarene Church, and Union Congregational Church.

Will You Help Improve the Cemetery Grounds?

Mayor M. E. Covington needs more donations for beautifying the cemetery grounds, and asks the cooperation of everyone interested, in coming to his assistance as soon as possible, so that the work may be begun. He needs at least $15.00 or more, and feels that anyone who has a loved one resting there, should be especially interested in improving the entire appearance of the cemetery. Those donating one dollar to the fund to date are: T. A. McNicholas, M. E. Covington, Dr. I. W. Chandler, S. S. Thayer, Earl W. Hartt, and Mrs. S. E. Roberts, Zolfo Springs.

Appeal Court OK's Airport Expenditures

Rules City Got All Benefits From Bond Money

The United States District Court of Appeals, New Orleans, has reversed Judge Akerman in Federal Court, and held that the five members of the former Avon Park city council were not personally liable for the return to bondholders of monies spent on the airport, it was announced today.

Earl H. Ware, president of the former council received word of the decision today from their attorneys Davis & Davis of Orlando.

The U. S. District court held that the city received all of the benefits from the $65,000 expended by the former council, and that they were not responsible to bondholders for the return of the funds.

The funds spent were part of a bond sinking fund, which had been held by the city under its refunding program. When the United States Supreme Court turned thumbs down on the refunding plan, the city council took the position that the bond funds accumulated under refunding could be spent for other city purposes, and used about $65,000 as the city's sponsorship of the WPA paving, grubbing and enlarging project, and for claying between runways, which made possible the completion of the present airport.

Bondholders contended the money belonged to them, and brought suit in Federal Court to compel the individual members of the former council to replace the funds. Judge Akerman upheld their contention, and issued an order holding the individuals personally liable for the return of the money. This decision is now reversed and the former councilmen are vindicated in their action.

In the same case, the Court of Appeals upheld Judge Akerman's decision, dismissing charges against the Barnett Bank, city depository of the funds, for allowing withdrawal of the money by the former council, ruling that the bank had the right to pay out the funds on order of the former council.

The funds were expended previously to the establishment here of the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy. The city was faced with the necessity of taking quick action in completing the airport, so that the Lodwick training programs could get under way. Bond funds were lying in the bank, and when the refunding plan was knocked out, the city spent the money and rushed the airport to completion. Members of the council were Earl H. Ware, Dr. G. S. McKnight, Max Wild, Miss Mattie Tompkins and C. Parke Anderson.

Currie Buys Nursery Stock From Mrs. Orr

H. R. Currie announced this week that he had purchased the ornamental nursery stock of the Avon Park Nursery at Highland Lakes from Mrs. L. M. Orr. The stock consisting of palms, shade trees, shrubbery, pot plants, bulbs and miscellaneous items will be moved to and supplement the stock of Avon Gardens, on state road 8, one block north of the mail. Mrs. Orr will represent Avon Gardens as selling agent for remaining stock at her nursery, during this month, it is announced.

Mr. Currie is a landscape gardener and enjoys an enviable reputation for the class of work he does. He is thoroughly familiar with Florida plant life and conditions, and is competent to take charge of any landscaping work.

Red Cross First Aid Class to Meet Tuesday

The Red Cross First Aid class that meets in the Methodist Hut on Tuesday night will meet as usual next Tuesday, May 12th, at 8 p. m. This class is the Standard twenty-hour class and its graduates will receive Red Cross cards. It is necessary to complete this work in order to qualify for the Advanced First Aid class. Mrs. Kate C. Spencer is the instructor.

Folks You Know . .

Mrs. Walter S. Martin spent Monday in Tampa.

Mrs. M. L. Rogers spent last week end in Lake Placid with her daughter, Mrs. Asbury Sapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Boosey left Tuesday for Detroit, Mich., to spend several weeks.

Mrs. G. C. Metcalfe and Mrs. Paul Wilson and son, Paul Jr. of Bartlow were week end guests of Miss Clio Metcalfe.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Gentry of Vero Beach were guests for the week end of Mr and Mrs. W. M. Hetherington and family.

Mrs. Alma Rogers and grandchildren, Betty and Allen Rogers of Lakeland visited the M. L. Rogers family here on Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Napier and Mrs. Harry Arnold arrived Friday to spend a month at the Napier home on Lake Letta.

Mrs. S. E. Booth returned home Saturday from Tampa, where she has been visiting her daughter, Miss Carmen Booth.

Mrs. S. F. Huckabay, Mrs. Catherine McIntosh and Miss Martha Anne Gast of Dade City were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hetherington and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Walton Touchton spent the week end with relatives in Miami.

Miss Carmen Booth of Tampa was the attractive house guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth, several days this week. She returned to Tampa yesterday.

Miss Gloria Hughs spent the week end in Tallahassee with her sister, Miss Dot Hughs, who is a senior at Florida State College for Women.

Mr and Mrs. E. F. Armstrong left this week for their summer home in Hicksville, Ohio. They have enjoyed the season at their home on Butler avenue.

Staff Sergeant Joe M. Bridgewater, who has been at Camp Bowie, Texas, has gone to the east, where he is attending a Signal Officers' Training School.

Miss Marion Weyer, returned to Charleston, S. C., where she holds a government position, on Thursday, after spending several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Weyer.

Mrs. James Luxton left this week for Stratford, Ontario, Canada, where she was called by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Joseph Spencer. Mr. and Mrs. Spencer returned to their home in Canada about three weeks ago, after spending the season in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Kipp and son, Henry and daughter, Rosemary, who have resided in Avon Park for the past several years, have gone to Cocoa, where they will spend the summer. They will go on to Pennsylvania in the fall, where they will reside. The many friends of the family regret their decision to move to another state.

R. H. Bovard, Herron Bovard, Emory Christy, and John Harper, all of Tarentum, Pa., have enjoyed a short vacation in Avon Park this week. R. H. Bovard, who owns his home here, with Mrs. Bovard had recently returned to their home in Tarentum, and he came back with "the boys" for a little vacation, that included some fishing.

A real smart girl is one that can get a future out of a present and a present out of a past!

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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

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No one has ever defined woman's sixth sense, her power of intuition, the gift by which she reaches the right conclusions without deliberation or known reason . . . Grandmother who led a sheltered life could sit at her spinning wheel and weave threads of truth from skeins of gossip . . . Granddaughter, however, need not depend on rumor. Telephone, radio, movies and the press keep her fully posted. She can stick to her stitchery, or knitting and keep in touch with the world. . . . Woman's intuition is aided in our time by every mechanical blessing and labor-saving convenience to keep her better informed than were her foremothers. The American woman is a superlative by-product of a superior system of private enterprise and public vigilance unknown to any other period of history. In a great contest millions of men are now called to the colors to regain our freedom, that our way of life and thought may be handed down to our children, as we received it, unimpaired. As soldiers, sailors and fliers fight with traditional heroism for the preservation of this great ideal American women provide the first line of home defense.

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RED CROSS INFORMATION

Dear Mrs.

Your letter to Mrs. Roosevelt regarding Red Cross garments for the Armed Forces has been sent to me. The garments made by the Red Cross are given, not sold, to men in the Service. Nothing is ever sold by the Red Cross. Everything is given free.

This is the type of rumor that women should be very careful never to repeat, and I am therefore delighted that you took the trouble to write to obtain correct information. I believe you will be rendering a service not only to the Red Cross but to your country if you run down the source of this statement, report who told you, and find out who told them. Any information that you can give me along these lines will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

(signed) Pauline Sabin Davis

Mrs. Dwight Davis

Director, Volunteer Special Services.

Obviously, the Red Cross must scrupulously observe the same precautions followed by the personnel of the War and Navy Departments with reference to the safeguarding of military information and the use thereof.

Some Don't's

Do not discuss number of ships, troops, air craft, trains or trucks of the armed forces.

Do not discuss military or naval forces, their armaments or equipment.

Do not mention plans and forecasts or orders for future operations, whether known or surmised.

Do not mention marks used for identification of baggage or material.

Do not discuss any destination of troops, known or surmised.

Do not mention shipments of supplies to overseas stations.

Do not discuss military transportation facilities such as railways, roads, etc., which may be handling military materiel.

Urge your friends and your family back home not to publish your letters in the newspapers.

All Red Cross personnel are cautioned to be continually on the alert and should they observe actions of a suspicious nature, they should refer the matter to their superior Red Cross officer for appropriate action by the military or civil authorities.

$1788.11 was collected for the Red Cross War Emergency fund of which $13.81 was contributed by the Junior Red Cross. Highlands County quota was $2,000.

PTA to View Annual Fashion Show Thursday

The final meeting of the P. T. A. during the present school year will be held Thursday night, May 14 at the auditorium. Miss Sarah Browning's Home Economics department will present its annual fashion show, and newly elected officers will be installed. All officers and committee chairmen are requested to have written reports ready. All members and visitors are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Prickett left the first of the week for Blountstown, Ala., where they will spend the summer. They have been making their home while here at an apartment at the Floyd Hoagboom home. Mr. Prickett has been connected with the meat department at Carter's Groceteria, and Mrs. Prickett has been cashier for the store.

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HONEY COOKERY

(By Barbara B. Darsey)

Now is the time for all good cooks to begin to use honey for "sweetenin."

We sign up for our sugar supply this week but what we are allowed won't give us much leeway for use in cooking so let's be wise and turn to honey. We need not suffer for "sweetenin" if we have plenty of honey. Nature's own and oldest sweet on hand.

Honey, a natural, wholesome sweet lends itself readily to our cookery needs and takes a very definite place now in our war effensive. It is easily assimilated and possesses small amounts of minerals and vitamins so necessary for good health. It will not harbor bacteria, in fact it actually kills them by its hygroscopic action.

Honey has many uses. Flower honeys are excellent for use in cooking in place of sugar. Candy making, the curing of tobacco, brewing, in medicine and in the manufacture of wines and vinegar, it is also useful.

Give your family a new thrill in bread with this. Be sure to bake lots of it for the children will bring in all their little friends for a taste):

HONEY NUT BREAD

3 4 cup honey, 1 egg, 1 cup milk, 1 cup flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1 cup chopped nut meats.

Mix all ingredients, place in greased, floured pan. After standing for 1 hour bake in slow oven from 40 to 60 minutes. Serve with Honey Butter or granulated honey spread and you have a party dish indeed.

Here's a refreshing Honey drink to go along with the bread:

HONEY ORANGE COCKTAIL:
(1 recipe serves one person)

8 ounces of orange juice, warm with Florida sunshine, 6 tablespoons of honey, several grains of salt and shreds of orange peel. Mix well. Decorate with tender, young orange leaves. May be chilled before serving.

Add a honey salad to these and have a feast:

HONEY TROPICAL SALAD

Equal parts of pineapple, orange and grapefruit meat cut in small pieces to make three cups. Sprinkle with three teaspoons of honey and let stand half hour, then mix with this **Honey Dressing:**

2 egg yolks, pinch salt, 1.2 cup of sweet or sour cream, whipped, 1-4 cup hot (not boiled) honey, tablespoon lemon juice, 2 and 1.2 tablespoons salad oil, few grains paprika.

Beat egg yolks, add hot honey. Cook for a minute beating continuously, then fold in salad oil, lemon juice, whipped cream and paprika.

Next week let's have meats and vegetables cooked in honey. Use more honey, less sugar, promote good health.

MISS HUGHS ACCEPTS POSITION

Miss Dot Hughs, daughter of Mr and Mrs. T. H. Hughs, has accepted a position as a member of the faculty of the Walsh School of Business Science in Fort Lauderdale. friends here will be interested to learn. Miss Hughs will graduate from the Florida State College for Women, Tallahassee, with a B. S. degree in commerce, the latter part of this month. She will spend a short time at her home in Avon Park, after graduation, before going to Fort Lauderdale June 15 to assume the duties of her new position.

NOTICE UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME LAW

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, pursuant to the "Fictitious Name Statute" House Bill No. 1175, Chapter No. 20953, Laws of Florida, 1941, will register with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, in and for Highlands County, Florida, upon receipt of proof of publication of this notice, the fictitious name, to wit: Jacaranda Coffee Shop, under which we are engaged in business in the City of Avon Park, Florida.

That the party interested in said business enterprise is as follows:

JACARANDA COMPANY.

Dated at Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, April 17, 1941.

April 18,25 May 2,9.

Woman's Club Has Annual Luncheon Meeting

Though there was no special celebration of May Day in Avon Park, to the members of the Woman's Club, it was an outstanding day in the history of the club. The annual meeting, which is also the closing meeting of the club year, always is held the first Friday in May—this year it came on May Day.

At one o'clock the annual luncheon was served by the hospitality committee, in the club house. A large table for outgoing and incoming officers, and smaller tables for members and guests, had been daintily decorated and arranged for the delicious luncheon prepared and served by Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. S. N. Reeves, Mrs. Nan Rouse, and assistants.

After the luncheon, Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, the president, opened the business meeting with the usual Salute to the Flag; "America the Beautiful," and repeating the Collect. Reading of the minutes of the last meeting, and of the board, followed.

As there are a number of Catholics among the officers, instructors, and cadets at Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, also at the Avon Park Bombing Range Detachment, and gas and tire conditions make it almost impossible to take so many to church in Sebring, the Avon Park Catholics petitioned the use of the club house for Sunday services. On recomendation of the board, the members voted to grant this privilege.

It was brought to the attention of members that during the past year, three valued members of the club, have been summoned to the Great Beyond; Mrs. M. E. Covington, June 18, 1941; Mrs T. A. Nicholas, October 19, 1941; Mrs. Ola L. Head, December 6, 1941. The club sincerely mourns these beloved members.

President Pilcher called on the chairmen of all committees for their reports for the year. Program, Mrs. H. C. Worden; ways and means, Mrs. D. G. Perry, welfare, Mrs. W. S. Betts; library, librarian, Mrs. J. D. Raab, chairman of library board, Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Girl Scouts, Mrs. S. N. Reeves, hospitality, Mrs. C. P. Anderson; publicity, Mrs. E. G. Todd; history and landmarks, Mrs. W. M. Reck; Garden club, Mrs. J. A. Johnson; Book Club, Mrs. Jack Head.

The following officers gave reports: Mrs. S. S. Thayer, secretary; Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Earl H. Ware, treasurer; Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, registrar; and Mrs. Pilcher closed with her report.

Limited space forbids publishing these interesting reports in full, but members were most gratified at the splendid resume of the year's accomplishments, as shown by the various reports. This is the only woman's purely civic organization in town, and whatever work, at any time is to be done for the benefit of the town, the members of the club, are right there to assist.

If they did nothing more than manage and help support the library, the Club's existence would be justified but it is active in welfare, Red Cross, Girl Scouts, every year putting on the Halloween celebration; and sponsors the Garden Club which influences citizens to cultivate flowers and plant shrubbery; and the Book Club which aids in keeping up a literary standard, and adds "best sellers" of the time to the library each year.

In fact, ever since the early days when the members of the Woman's Club first influenced the city council to inaugurate "Clean-up, Paint Up Week, it has been a factor in improving and benefitting the town.

A Woman's Club is never a money raising organization, but beside managing so many helpful features, the club financially aids girls wishing to continue their education beyond high school; contributes to Children's Homes, and delinquents; furnishes Thanksgiving and Christmas baskets to needy families; gives Christmas wreaths to shut-ins, who would have no such cheers; aids in furnishing lunches at school for the undernourished; and contributes in other ways to the welfare of the community. From the day of its organization, the club has been an active, constantly working, aid to the community.

At the close of the reports, the following recently elected officers for the coming two years, were installed, with the Federation ceremony, by Mrs. Anna Kipp Stevens, a former president: Mrs. G. P. Thayer, president; Mrs. J. Paul Garber, first vice president; Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, second vice president; Mrs. S. S. Thayer, secretary; Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Earl H. Ware, treasurer; Mrs. C. F. Kenney, registrar.

Church Notes

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Topic: "Recognizing Christ's Authority. "We have a class for you and we cordially invite you to join us on Sunday morning.

Morning worship service at 11 o'clock, when Mother's Day will be observed. Dr. Elliott will speak on: "A Mother of Nations." Officers, cadets, enlisted men, and others are invited to attend this service in honor of their mothers. This friendly Church will be happy to have such as its guests.

The Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the Church at 7:00 P. M. Yvonne Head will lead the worship service and Marjorie McKnight will introduce the topic: "How To Pray In The Twentieth Century." Young people welcome.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the Church on Wednesday at 3:00 P. M. The "Quiet Hour" service will be held on Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. A service for praise and prayer, with a brief address by the Pastor. A helpful service you will enjoy.

Choir rehearsal at the Church on Saturday at 8:00 P. M.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

O. E. Moss, Minister

Sunday Services: 10:00 A. M. Bible Study Classes.

10:45 A. M. Worship Sermon subject: "Fellowship" Col. Carl B. McDaniel directs the congregational singing.

7:15 P. M. Young People's Training Class.

8:00 P. M. Evening service: Subject: "Millions Now Living are Already Dead."

Wednesday: 8:00 P. M. Community Bible Class. Lesson Revelation Second Chapter.

A welcome awaits all, especially the men in the Service. This church invites all Service Men to worship with us on Mother's Day. Entertainment in the homes of the members provided for all men who attend.

Accepts Position in York, S. C.

Miss Barbara Betts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Betts, has accepted a position as office secretary and supervisor of public school music in York, S. C., friends will be interested to learn. She will work under the direction of Dr. S. N. Reeves, who will be Superintendent of Schools in York. Miss Betts will graduate with high honors, the latter part of the month, from Brenau College, Gainesville, Ga.

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To immediately provide what is known as a scuttle hole, if your building does not at this time have such an opening into the attic or onto the roof, and there be provided at the scuttle-hole, either a permanent stairs, a permanent ladder or step ladder at a very convenient location so that the attic or the roof can be immediately reached in the event of fire. Under conditions facing the State of Florida at this time, your prompt cooperation is very necessary.

This equipment is simple, costs little, in fact, many people have all this on hand, but it must be placed in a convenient location where it can be quickly reached in the event of need.

The occupants of every house, office and store room are also requested to provide and have in a convenient location at least two galvanized buckets, half full of sand and one flat-nose shovel, for use in putting out fires caused by incendiary bombs.

Have your fire extinguisher inspected and recharged if needed. Your local fire department will render this service.

An inspection of every building will be made very shortly and we hope that everybody will promptly and willingly cooperate without the necessity of further check-ups. These precautions are essential to the welfare of your community. THIS WORK MUST BE DONE.

Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Woman's Club Has Annual Silver Tea at Hartt Home

The annual silver tea, given by the Woman's club, for the benefit of the library fund, was held on Thursday afternoon from three 'til five o'clock, at the beautiful home of Mrs. Earl W. Hartt. The rooms were aglow with exquisite arrangements of spring garden flowers, with shades of blue predominating. Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, club president greeted the guests at the door. Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield assisted in the hospitalities.

The tea table, overlaid with a snowy white cloth, was beautifully appointed in silver and crystal. The centerpiece was a low crystal bowl placed on a reflector, and filled with gerberas, in pastel shades. Mrs. Blanch Williams and Mrs. C. S. Donaldson poured the first hour, and Mrs. R. H. Jordan and Mrs. A. C. Elliott, poured the second hour. Mrs. W. C. Pidgeon, Mrs. J. L. Abbott, Mrs. Wm. L. Amos, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. W. Jack Head, and Mrs. C. Parke Anderson assisted in the dining room.

Throughout the afternoon, Mrs. R. J. Wood delighted the guests with a number of vocal selections. Mrs. S. N. Reeves was her piano accompanist.

Guests also enjoyed a stroll through the lovely garden of the hostess, which is abloom with scores of colorful spring blossoms, augmented with rich foliage and shrubbery.

Among the guests registering were Mrs. John Goodman, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. Alfred S. Mancuy, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. A. C. Elliott, Miss Lily Hixon, Mrs. C. S. Donaldson, Mrs. W. H. Yates, Mrs. B. G. Williams, Mrs. John L. Abbott, Mrs. Wm. L. Amos, Mrs. L. R. Silkey, Mrs. W. C. Pidgeon, Mrs. J. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Rose Willett, Mrs. John D. Raab, Mrs. H. C. Worden, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. E. P. Loomis, Mrs. E. L. Dells, Mrs. P. L. Rumpsa, Mrs. R. H. Jordan, Mrs. R. E. Maysark, Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. B. S. Keller, Mrs. F. W. Jackson, Mrs. E. F. Singletary, Mrs. Ralph Herring, Mrs. Allen Zender, Mrs. W. Byane Wood, Mrs. Walter Martin, Mrs. C. R. Winfield, Mrs. I. H. Park, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. J. W. Napier, Mrs. Harry Arnold, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, Mrs. A. C. Elliott, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. W. Jack Head, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. R. J. Wood, and Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves.

Bride Elect is Honoree at Party and Shower

The S. C. Pardee home was the scene of a lovely party and miscellaneous shower on Friday evening, given in honor of Miss Allie Lee Belin, whose marriage to Pvt. Harold Winn Riggs was an event of the following day. Mrs. J. O. Bridges, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, and Mrs. Frank England were co-hostesses with Mrs. Pardee.

A rainbow theme was chosen for all party appointments, the rooms, ensuite for the occasion, being decorated with arrangements of gerberas, fluffy ruffled petunias, lilies, and other garden flowers in the colorful shades of the season. The games and contests planned for the evening, also emphasized the rainbow motif.

A miniature May pole centered the lace covered dining table, the gaily colored streamers of tulle, extending to the edges of the table. The array of beautiful gifts, all attractively packaged, were piled high about the four arrangement. At one end of the table was placed the four tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, and decorated with wedding bells, horseshoes, and wishbones, fashioned of white frosting. The wording Allie-Harold was inscribed on one side of the cake.

The punch bowl on the serving table was the gift of the bride elect's mother, the punch at her own wedding having been served from the same bowl.

The delicious refreshments consisted of homemade cookies, cake, decorated in rainbow colors, and iced punch.

Friends invited to share the pleasure of the occasion with the honoree and the four hostesses were Miss Betty Thompson, Miss Helen Tuten, Miss Grace McConnell, Miss Ophelia Dean, Miss Bertha Boney, Miss Hilda Reddick, Mrs. Mallory Tillis, Miss Hattie Lee Delaney, Mrs. Rex Reed, Mrs. Viola Walker, Miss Verna Heim, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. Clare Mann, Miss Elton Perry, Miss Carrie Pearson, Miss Eloise Dickinson, Miss Harriet Sherertz, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. C. Belin, Mrs. Ralph Rogers, Mrs. Mattie Lee Hagan, Mrs. C. H. Pardee Jr., Mrs. Horace Basemore, Mrs. Ida Ott, Mrs. F. M. Wolf, and Mrs. Sallie Raines, Wauchula.

Anna Beth Skipper to Marry in Avon Park This Summer

Mrs. Lola Crews Skipper of Ocala, and David Gandler Skipper of Avon Park announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Anna Elizabeth, to Frederick Herbert Vogt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Vogt of Ocala. The marriage will take place in Avon Park in early summer.

Couple Is Married Sunday Evening

Miss Victoria Fordham of Sebring and Ernest Gore of Avon Park were married at 9 o'clock on Sunday evening at the Church of Christ, with O. E. Moss, minister, officiating. The single ring ceremony was used. The couple is residing in Avon Park.

Thursday Club Has Delightful Party

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd entertained members of their club, and additional friends, at a lovely party at their home on Thursday evening. Five tables were in play.

The rooms were attractive with arrangements of lilies, plumago and purple bougainvillae.

When scores were totaled, following the enjoyable progressions, high club award was given to Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield; second high, was won by Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hartt; and the guest high award, was presented to Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves. All prizes were Defense Stamps.

Following the distribution of prizes, the hostess served a dainty refreshment course of sherbert, homemade cookies and coffee. Iced orange juice was served during the evening from the dining table.

Club members and guests attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, T. A. McNicholas, Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves, Mrs. Chas. O. Locke, Mrs. Sue Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worden, Capt. and Mrs. Donald Bennink, and Major and Mrs. H. R. Smith.

Trump It Club Has Delightful Party Wednesday

Mrs. Paul McFarland was hostess to the Trump It club, and a few other friends, at a delightful party at her home on Wednesday afternoon. The rooms were decorated with pretty arrangements of nasturtiums, roses and petunias.

Before the games, Mrs. McFarland served a refreshment course, consisting of Pink Salad, cocktail crackers, and iced tea.

High score prize for the afternoon, it was won by Mrs. Virgil Hall, who received a double deck of cards; second high, a red card table cover, was given to Mrs. W. W. McFarland; and Mrs. James A. Davis was awarded the floating award, a jar of homemade prach conserve.

Those enjoying the party were: Mrs. Virgil Hall, Mrs. Geo. Haynie, Mrs. S. G. Patterson, Mrs. James A. Davis, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mrs. Devon Reddick, and Mrs. T. J. McGinnis.

Soldier Weds Avon Girl

Pfc. Cecil M. Teague and Miss Elala Batson were married in Wauchula last Thursday night. The young couple is receiving the congratulations of their friends.

Sugar . . and Spice

Hey You, and You, and You . . . Whatcha doing for the defense of your country? . . . Just sittin' and thinkin' . . . that the little you could do . . . would be just a . . . drop in the bucket? . . . So, why bother, see you . . . Didya ever stop to figure out . . . that the place for the drop is . . . In The Bucket.

Dame Rumor reports . . . that the Pilcher family . . . is leaving town shortly . . . Quite a blow . . . to loose four grand citizens . . . all at one whack . . . Young Jackie has a secret love . . . Helen Bradbury is the beautiful lass . . . The boy inherits . . . an eye for appeal.

Last week Allie Lee Belin . . . said "I Do" . . . to Pvt. Harold Riggs . . . thusly becoming his . . . bride and joy.

No wonder Earl Ware has such a delightful family . . . He deserves it . . . He's not hard to look at either . . .

Betcha the man with the most experience in town . . . is Grandpa Straubel . . . who observes his 101 birthday on Monday . . . Open House to you all . . .

A dream walkin', talkin', and dancin' . . . is none other than Polly Beckett . . . with a figure short and sweet . . . superlovely long dark hair . . . and a skin you'd love to touch.

Attention everyone . . . Keep that flag flying . . . Keep those colors . . . very red, white, and blue . . . Help get that far-away look . . . out of some soldier's eyes . . . Make him welcome . . . here in Avon Park . . . So that he can write home . . . "Dear Mom, I like it in this town."

Mayor Covington and son Marcus . . . are operating as The Covington Brothers, Inc. . . . The Mayor . . . is much too youthful to claim a grown son.

Mattie Norton . . . is eye-catching in a dress . . . as well as a sweater . . .

Someone in uniform that . . . a gal could write about . . . is Gene Strickland . . . He's tall . . . He's blond . . . He's irresistable . . . (Who's that reading over my shoulder? . . . EEEK! . . . 'tis my husband).

Now, let me see . . . Where was I? . . . Oh yes, . . . as I was saying . . . Right This Way folks . . . Gather Around . . . Has everyone seen Howard Todd's spleen? . . . As Julie would say . . . That reminds me . . . What will we have for supper?"

'Scuse please . . . my stummick's full of little yellow butterflies . . . Bye now . . . A. B. W.

Allie Lee Belin and Pvt. Riggs Marry Saturday

Miss Allie Lee Belin, daughter of Mrs. C. Belin, and Pvt. Harold Winn Riggs of Seattle, Wash., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Riggs, of Wenatchee, Wash., were married at 7 o'clock Saturday evening, May 2, at the Baptist parsonage. The Rev. Jack P. Dalton, pastor of the church, officiated, in the presence of relatives and a few close friends.

Mrs. Frank England attended the bride as matron of honor, and Pfc. James Payne served as best man.

The bride wore a petal pink triple sheer ensemble. The dress was tailored, and the short fitted jacket featured bracelet length sleeves. Her accessories were in white and her flowers were a corsage of sweetheart roses and snapdragons.

Mrs. England wore a new spring redingote in white, designed with a kelly green coat. She wore white accessories, and pink and yellow snapdragons, in corsage.

Mrs. Riggs was educated in the schools of Avon Park, and after taking a secretarial course, has held a position for the past six and one-half years, in the law offices of S. C. Pardee.

Pvt. Riggs received his education in the schools of Seattle. He was with the U. S. Marines for four years, and is now attached to the Avon Park Bombing Range Detachment.

The couple will make their home here, at an apartment on Lotela avenue.

T. J. Ward spent several days this week in Jacksonville on business.



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Announcing the purchase of the Ornamental Nursery Stock of the Avon Park Nursery at Highland Lakes from Mrs. L. M. Orr.

This Stock consisting of Palms, Shade Trees, Shrubbery, Pot Plants, Bulbs and miscellaneous will be moved to and supplement the Stock of Avon Gardens, situated on State Road No. 8, one block North of the West End of Avon Park MALL.

During this month, Mrs. Orr will represent Avon Gardens as selling agent for stock remaining on the grounds of the Avon Park Nursery.

This is an excellent opportunity for you to purchase some additional items or to plan your landscaping.

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. . . sugar-cane products are of great importance to successful prosecution of the war.

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Cut your sugar consumption even below the allowable ration and thus make doubly sure your food will always be flavored by the precious sweetness of liberty.

When you look at your sugar ration card, smile . . . smile sweetly—so you may appreciate to the fullest your right and your liberty to smile!



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PRESS ACCLAIMS BITTING PLAN FOR RUBBER

Wants "Go Ahead" On New Synthetic Rubber Process

Florida's press has not only greeted enthusiastically, but is demanding official action on the proposal by Clarence R. Bitting, president of United States Sugar Corp., at Clewiston, that the Everglades be permitted to produce from plant life some 10 per cent of the nation's synthetic rubber needs.

Details of the $75,000,000 program, in which hundreds of independent growers would participate have been told in more than 1,200 daily newspapers of the nation, and makes "the Everglades area major news again," according to the Lakeland Ledger, which says, in part:

"Certainly the government should give close attention to the matter . . . It appears that this man Bitting is resolved to keep on shouting until the sleeping giant known as the Everglades has been fully awakened and put to work at full capacity. The rich dirt has been waiting upon men with imagination, energy and money. Bitting has all three and it's possible that he is about to get tremendous results."

"This is no idle dream or promotion stunt," emphasizes the Tampa Morning Tribune. "Bitting already has submitted the project to the WPB officials and other leaders in Washington . . . a 'go ahead' signal now would result in actual production by next January. It is to be hoped government officials will give the proposal most careful consideration. Surely a project which holds promise of freeing this nation from the dependency of lands half-way around the globe for a vital product merits the fullest and most serious investigation. Go to it, Mr. Bitting!"

"When this war is over science and the brains of America will have solved many of our problems which have been brought about by our dependence upon other countries for essential materials, because we will find a way to supply them or manufacture substitutes," predicts the Orlando Reporter-Star, which asserts "the results to be obtained justify the fullest cooperation on the part of U. S. government officials."

Bitting's proposal is described by the Fort Lauderdale Times as "one of the most promising projects suggested to relieve the rubber shortage . . . We can rest assured that anything that has the backing of this company is not the usual type of promotion project. They deal in actualities, nothing bes. When its president submits a proposal we can be sure he is not theorizing."

"This is an ambitious, far-seeing project," editorializes the Miami Daily News," and a credit to the imaginativeness and research genius of Mr. Bitting and his engineers. Everyone in Florida who has a voice in Washington should get behind it promptly and strenuously."

A "great agro-industrial development" for the Everglades is seen by the Glades County Democrat in reasoning that "with the sugar company leading the way we may be sure that when the war is over and the age of plastics begins the Everglades will experience the great agro-industrial development of which it is capable."

"Everything that makes for the development and utilization of Florida's resources excites our interest and support," says the Orlando Sentinel, "so we hail the plan of the U. S. Sugar Corp., to enter more deeply the field of chemurgy. President Bitting, of the corporation, after months of study and planning, now proposes to grow crops suitable for conversion into rubber of a type suitable for many purposes."

Discussing the U. S. Sugar Corporation's experiments in chemurgy, Agnew Welsh's "Current Comment" column in the Sanford Herald and other Florida newspapers opines: "Wise old Ben Franklin's advice to 'put all your eggs in one basket and watch the basket,' may have been good for his day, but it will not apply to South Florida farming."

Cartoonist Robert Epstein's "Diary of the Week," in the Sunday Miami Herald depicts the U. S. Sugar Corp., strolling under a self-harnessed Florida sun with a "rubber production plant" in hand. The Bradenton Herald finds the proposal "interesting, while the Florida Grower asserts "this will lead to a sound economy in the Everglades. Much credit is due this corporation for its pioneering."

THIS WEEK

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these years, it is about time. City officials have been conferring with Crummer and other bondholders, and it is believed an agreement is about to be reached which will put the city's fiscal affairs in a much more favorable position. No single achievment could contribute more to the city's welfare than to straighten out its tangled debt situation.

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It was a tough campaign for the outs and a snap for the ins, in state races. General lack of interest brought on by preoccupation of the average voter with the war and its attendant problems, precluded any chance of "smoking up" the campaign, and the unknowns couldn't get a chance to be heard, while the incumbents coasted in without any difficulty.

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We hasten to explain to our readers that we have investigated the rumor that a bombing range is being established east of town, but due to the war, etc., etc., no information can be divulged that might give aid and comfort to the enemy.

Home On Leave

Six soldiers of headquarters Battery are home from Camp Bowie, Texas, on a ten-day furlough. They are Sgt. T. L. Williams, Pfc. Merriwether, James Ward, Walter Sherertz, and Clayton Fields.

Fire Destroys Trucks

H. O. Murphy lost three trucks by fire, Thursday of last week while engaged on a defense job at Davie on the East Coast. He had four trucks on the job, one of which he saved. Two of the trucks were covered by insurance, the other was a total loss.

Enroll in Home Nursing Course

Enroll now with Miss Margaretha Vogt at W. S. Betts' office, for the Red Cross home nursing course, to begin in a short time.

Rookie: "Here, hold my gun a minute, will ya'?"
Officer: "Hey, I'm a Lieutenant!"
Rookie: "That's okay—I'll trust ya!"

She (driving her car) "Wanna see where I was vaccinated?"
Corp.: "Yeah—Sure!"
She: "Okay, keep your eyes open. We'll drive by there pretty soon."

Sgt.: "I'm looking for someone to lend me five dollars."
Pvt.: "Well, it's a nice day for it."

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SCHOOL BOY WINS FOR AVON SUNDAY

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countered with one tally in the first, when Akin's hit drove in Rutledge, who had walked.

In the third the Civilians went ahead as they pounded Deaton Ellis' pitching for hits enough to score three times. Marion Mathis, Williams and Rowe provided the most important stickwork.

Back boomed the Hawks to knot the count at 5-all in the seventh, on a walk to Ripp and McIntyre's double. Then in the eighth Avon Park stepped out in front by two runs, when Skipper Marion Mathis and Alberton all hit to rush accross two runs and make it 7 to 5 for the Citizens.

In the ninth the Hawks tied the count with two runs on a single by Ripp, a triple by McIntyre, and a timely squeeze play bunt by Currie that sent McIntyre over the rubber.

In other Sunday Air Force league skirmishes the Hendricks Field Medicos upset the league leading Hendricks Wings, 8 to 7 and the Sebring Firemen nicked the Avon Park Bombers, 6 to 5.

The short score:

	R	H	E
Hawks 400 000 102	8	13	5
A. Park 100 400 020	7	9	4

Ellis and Britton; Rowe, Atkin and Akin, Rowe.

Sunday's Results—Avon Park 9, Hendricks Hawks 8 (10 innings) Hendricks Medicos 8, Hendricks Wings 7, Sebring 6, Avon Park Bombers 5.

Next Sunday's Schedule—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings vs. Hawks, Avon Park vs. Bombers; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Medicos vs. Sebring.

Leading Air Force League Batsmen:

	G	AB	H	Pct.
Rowe, Avon Park	4	18	9	.500
Wollschlaeger, Hawks	5	19	9	.474
Foldesi, Wings	5	16	7	.438
Merrill, Wings	5	21	9	.428
Frieberg, Hawks	5	17	7	.412
Arthur, Wings	5	15	6	.400
Magana, Wings	5	18	7	.389
Curry, Medicos	5	18	7	.389
Eddy, Hawks	5	18	7	.389
Schoeffler, Bombers	4	13	5	.385
McIntyre, Hawks	4	16	6	.375
Ziegler, Wings	5	16	6	.375
Ewing, Sebring	4	15	5	.333
Cavanaugh, Medicos	3	12	4	.333

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By RUSSELL KAY

The approach of "Mother's Day" brings me a letter from Mrs. Alma Allen of Oldsmar, reminding me that a column on this subject might not be amiss.

On other occasions I have called attention to the "Adopt a Mother" plan inaugurated by Mrs. Allen some years ago in an effort to bring a bit of cheer and sunshine into the lives of lonely, heartsick mothers, and told how the movement had spread and the good it had accomplished.

This year "Mother's Day" takes on a new significance for America. Millions of mothers throughout our land have sent their boys to the colors with a cheery smile and brave front when their hearts were aching. They have turned away as the lad departed in order to hide their sorrow. Courageously they've choked back their sobs and hid. den their tears.

Never was there a greater opportunity to show our appreciation than now. Here in Florida we have thousands of boys in our training camps. Boys who have anxious mothers at home wondering how they are getting along, what they are doing, and the countless other questions that mother-love presents to an anxious mind.

Other mothers do not even know where their boys are. The business of war is exacting and oftimes mail is long delayed and no one knows the pain and suffering that mothers experience in times like these.

"Mother's Day" will have a new meaning this year for thousands of boys who find themselves away from home for the first time in their lives. Some will write letters, send flowers or gifts—but that won't heal the loneliness in their hearts.

Why not get in contact with the camp nearest you and arrange to have a boy or two as your guest on "Mother's Day." Many of them would enjoy attending church services and being in a real home once more. Invite them to dinner, arrange for them to meet the young folks of your home and neighborhood.

You will be surprised how much genuine pleasure it will give you. And you can add to it by securing the names and addresses of their parents and taking a little time to write a "Mother's Day" letter telling their folks how you enjoyed having their boy with you, injecting little personal things that can mean so much—like what he said about his "Mom" and "Pop."

Such a letter will come as a delightful surprise and will gladden their hungry hearts. They get letters from their boy, it is true, but boys, busy with war, have a way of forgetting to say the little things that mothers long to hear. Then they always have a feeling that the boy isn't telling them of his troubles as he doesn't want to worry or bother them, and your assuring letter telling how well he looked, and describing how he enjoyed his day, will mean more than you ever know.

'Round about you are Florida mothers who have boys away from home. They will be thinking about them more than ever this "Mother's Day." You can help a lot by letting them know that you, too, think of "Bill" or "Jack" or "Sam". They will appreciate your friendly inquiry about him and get a happy thrill in showing you his picture in uniform or maybe reading you bits from some of his letters.

Getting back to my friend Mrs. Allen—every day is "Mother's Day" with her. She is devoting her life to searching out weary and neglected mothers and administering to their needs, not so much with money, for she has little, but with something that means much more—her love and thoughtful attention.

She "adopts" mothers and administers to them in many ways, and the best part of it is that these favored mothers do not know they have been "adopted". They only know they have found a kind and sympathetic friend who always seems to appear at the right moment and never fails to cheer and uplift them.

Air Force League Pitching

	W	L	Pct.
Tomlinson, Wings	3	0	1.000
Dadino, Medicos	2	0	1.000
Mickey, Hawks	1	0	1.000
Eide, Sebring	1	0	1.000
Akin, Avon Park	1	0	1.000
Ellis, Hawks	2	1	.667
Rowe, Avon Park	2	2	.500
Ziegler, Wings	1	1	.500
M. Long, Sebring	1	2	.333
Koenigs, Bombers	1	2	.333
J. Cave, Sebring	0	1	.000
Knauf, Medicos	0	1	.000
Cox, Medicos	0	1	.000
Lott, Medicos	0	1	.000
Surls, Bombers	0	1	.000
Knedlick, Hawks	0	1	.000
Thornton, Bombers	0	1	.000

How Are You? Tanked?

(By Tom B'Hend)

Biggest event to take place in Avon Park since Dewey captured Manila and the B. & G.s. trek here from Tampa, was the arrival of flat cars bearing antiquated tanks for use on Avon Park Bomb Range.

Service men and citizens flocked to the Seaboard's freight depot to see the wonders of World War I and all seemed pleased with exception of Sgt. Woocrow Brein, of whom we shall presently speak, and a little boy, whose wits were badly shaken. Thinking the Japs had invaded Avon Park, he ran home crying and in his wake left six families frantically digging bomb shelters, caused a complete sell-out of black-out curtains and the fire department was called out three times because someone thought a scorched earth policy necessary.

Anticipating a show for the local populace, frightening horses, people and dogs, Sgt. Brien and Cpl. E. D. "Pappy" Crimm arrived at the station in great spirits. Brien climbing aboard one of the tanks, "Pappy" being rather corpulent remained aground, opened the engine compartment, took a gander at the motor, shut the door and walked on to the next tank. At last, with the big smile growing smaller at every tank looked into, Brien scratched his head and with that what-the-expression, turned to Crimm and said. "Well I'll be, "Pappy" our playhouse is done tore up."

Putting on a show for the public might have been crude sport but when it came time to unload the tanks it was brutal pleasure. Standing on the sidelines giving freely of their advice, (absolutely no cost to the government what-so-ever) "Sidewalk Engineers" advanced theories for unloading the creepers.

"Slide 'em off, get a crane and lift 'em off," were two ideas whipped out of a fog. So Cpl. Irving Rousel, while awaiting an estimate for large nails, constructed a ramp. By 11:30 A. M. all was in readiness to acquaint the tanks with terra firma when up the railroad tracks comes one of the gasoline put-puts. Skidding to a stop, which brought the put-put to a complete halt in Lake Wales, a railroad official walked over to Sgt. Brien suggesting the leading flat cars front wheels be removed to form a larger ramp. Thereupon, Roussel's ramp went tearing off down the track, insulted because it had been rejected and off came the flat car's wheels.

Lest the reader forget, 'tis now 7:30 P. M. and the first tank starts toward terra firma. (No silly, we didn't push 'em off, we towed 'em!) Would it reach the ground? Would someone fall beneath the crushing juggernaut? Breath taking, isn't it? Be sure and tune in tomorrow—Oh pshaw, that's getting away from our topic —or is our topic getting away from us? To make a short story long, the tank rolled to the ground in favorable condition. Alas, woe is me, and sink the Navy team—Sgt. E. A. Lancer boarded the next tank and commenced guiding it down the ramp. All went well until Lander tried to zig and the tank, being contrary by nature, tried to zagg. There they were, the tank and Lander, zigging and zagging, fighting for victory, so to speak, with a huge crowd cheering them on. A can opener from the Armory kitchen enabled Lander to cut his way out. The tank, meanwhile, lay there splitting it's sides. It knew La ner would forget to duck and could be canned.

The tanks, weighing 13 tons each, now stored on a vacant lot adjacent to the Armory, will be removed to the Avon Park Bombing Range for use as targets. Citizens are cautioned against dropping nickles in to make the creatures crawl. One man thought it would be fun and dropped his five cent piece in. As it struck the speedometer, fifty soldiers were injured in the rush.

The Papa: "What's this young man doing here at this hour?"
The Daughter: "He's doing fine."

LIBERTY LIMERICKS



There was a machinist
named Harry
Who worked in a steel mill
at Gary,
And always on pay day,
Instead of a play day—
He bought all the BONDS
he could carry!

You can help keep the strongest army in the world! Whether a 10c Defense Stamp or an $18.75 Bond—buy regularly!

UNOFFICIAL PRIMARY RETURNS

	1	1A	1B	2	2A	2B	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
Congressman at Large:														
COHEN	11	14	13	14	9	8	15	19	...	1	5	1	14	124
GREEN	76	113	113	190	97	73	58	93	25	6	12	7	60	923
OVERSTREET	43	52	32	73	44	43	26	80	...	11	11	7	13	435
TERVIN	29	26	21	35	29	12	14	47	...	2	2	...	17	234
Supreme Court:														
SEBRING	99	137	105	251	140	102	29	157	...	17	15	11	81	1144
TURNBULL	51	74	58	62	40	33	22	68	35	1	11	3	19	477
R. R. Com. Group 1:														
DAVIS	32	50	45	69	38	28	19	95	20	8	8	3	22	437
MATTHEWS	60	74	56	139	75	54	60	71	14	8	8	11	45	675
STEWART	41	54	38	54	40	31	20	35	...	1	6	1	16	337
R. R. Com. Group 2:														
BURCH	36	39	28	32	16	15	26	24	...	1	4	1	13	235
CARTER	78	101	114	201	106	76	61	118	35	8	19	14	76	1007
KING	34	65	39	62	41	41	17	80	14	11	3	...	9	416
SWEGER	10	10	5	5	5	3	6	16	5	...	4	...	11	80
State Attorney:														
BURTON	107	152	131	242	129	110	73	69	53	19	18	14	96	1213
GLOVER	52	78	62	99	61	50	38	97	19	1	17	...	32	606
Representative:														
LANIER	130	194	152	59	59	50	65	120	15	2	19	7	59	931
LIVINGSTON	46	51	49	313	164	120	50	151	55	21	17	10	80	1127
Declaring Istakpoga Fresh Water:														
FOR	106	132	78	190	...	90	57	...	21	4	17	5	52	752
AGAINST	19	37	35	81	...	26	48	...	18	16	7	4	55	346
Com. District 2:														
SEBRING	...	...	...	183	96	73	...							352
SCHUMACHER	...	...	...	115	71	61	...							247
CARSON	...	...	...	91	63	37	...							191
Com. District 4:														
CREWS	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	155	...	...	...	8	...	163
HENDERSON	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75	...	...	...	6	...	81
McAULEY	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	92	...	...	...	3	...	95
School Board District 3:														
CANNON	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	162	43	16	12	7	33	321
CASON	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	72	102	38	7	23	7	125	374
Com. District 3:														
McCLELLAND	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	...	...	...	27	...	62	137
STOKES	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	...	...	5	...	78	100
WALDRON	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	54	...	...	...	2	...	14	70
WAGGERMANN	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	6	...	17	35

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

Highlands Hammock Company, A Corporation, Plaintiff.
vs.
Paul W. Herman et al, Defendant.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of a Final Decree issuing out of the Circuit Court of the 10th Judicial District in and for Highlands County, Florida, the undersigned Special Master will sell at public outcry at the South Door of the Court House, Sebring, Florida, between the hours of 11 A. m. and 2 p. m. on the 15th day of May, 1942, the following described properties:

For the first: The SE¼ of the NE¼ and the S½ less the NE¼ of the SW¼ and less 28 acres in the S½ of the SE¼ and the SE¼ of the SW¼ south of the Highway, and less the NW¼ of the SW¼ and the N½ of the N½ of the W¼ of the SW¼, all in Section 2, Township 34 South, Range 28 East, Highlands County, Florida.

For the Second: NW¼ of the SW¼ and the N½ of the N½ of the SW¼ of the SW¼, Section 2, Township 34 South, Range 28 East, Highlands County, Florida.

The said sale being made to satisfy items accruing under certain State of Florida Tax Certificates set out and described in the Bill of Complaint filed in the cause.

W. L. LONG,
Special Master

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS, Solicitor
Betts Building
Avon Park, Fla.
Apr 24, May 1

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

Notice is hereby given, That Harvey E. Howard, Sebring, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 745, issued the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1938 and Tax Certificate No. 818, 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:

Cert. 745 for 1935 covers S½ of SE¼ of NE¼ Section 3 Twp. 35 S Range 29 E.

Cert. 818 for 1938 covers N½ of SE¼ of NE¼ Section 3 Twp. 35 S Range 29 E.

Assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of L. L. Gifford and E. G. Wing.

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 June, 1942, which is the 1st day of June, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1942.
(SEAL) H. T. PITTY
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
May 1-8-15-22

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Eat More Citrus For Your Health's Sake

This Week
In Avon Park
(By W. M. H.)

Greed is the root of most of the evils of the world. There is plenty of everything to go round, and a chance for everybody to get a decent share of this world's goods, and have some to spare, but there are a few who haven't their share and want to steal from those who have. These are the sentiments of 101-year-old Grandpa Straubel, who had his friends call at his home Monday afternoon, in celebration of his birthday, and who has seen a lot of water go over the dam in his day. Asked what he thought of the war, he replied, "I think the world is full of lunatics."

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Grandpa Straubel has lived in "a great time in our history," as he puts it. He reads the headlines and keeps up in a limited way. His greatest regret is that he cannot read more of the papers. He had cataracts come on his eyes 40 years ago, and at that time, he said specialists told him not to become alarmed—he might live to be a hundred years old and not go blind. "I did better than that," he chuckled.

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German born, he was brought to this country at the age of four. He grew up here, fought to preserve the Union, and found his place in the new northwest country. "This is the greatest and most glorious country of all time, but it has become badly involved. I hate to see it," he observed. His grandson, Major Austin Straubel was among the first to give his life for his country in the Japanese invasion of Java. We could use more Germans of the Straubel type.

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Acknowledgement is being made through the press of the high order of service the teachers have been rendering the country in the registration of its citizens, first for the draft, and now for rationing of various kinds. The suggestion has been made, from outside the teachers ranks, that they should now get a rest. But nobody has heard the teachers complain. They have a job to do, and being good soldiers, they do it, setting a good example for the rest of us.

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There is a mad dog scare in town, and every precaution should be taken during the emergency, until the danger period is over. Dogs must be kept confined or they will be shot by police, Dr. Reeves has declared war on stray dogs, and will have any dog shot that shows up on the school grounds. This is the only thing to do.

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Sunday, April 24, will see the inauguration of total prohibition in Avon Park, when the sale of beer on Sundays is outlawed by ordinance. Responsible breweries throughout the country have been carrying on an institutional advertising campaign for months, warning beer sellers to clean up, to avoid these restrictive measures. It will be remembered the last war brought on national prohibition. The cry is again going up, and policing of the industry is necessary, if the people want to continue to have something cold on tap.

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Marjorie Wells soloed a few days ago, and therein lies a story worth the telling. Her father, J. Lawler Wells, was probably the oldest pilot in this part of Florida, and before his death a year ago, promised that Marjorie could solo on her 16th birthday. He was out of town on her birthday last May 25, and met his untimely death two days later, without seeing his promise fulfilled. When Bob Alexander, Lodwick instructor, heard the story he took over and said he would get the kid ready before her next birthday. Last Friday, he let her take it around by herself, and as he puts it, "she's a natural." She beat the deadline, with ten days to spare. Marjorie has serious ambitions to "keep 'em flying," and hopes to continue aviation as a career.

BARBARA BETTS TO GRADUATE MAY 25 AT BRENAU COLLEGE

Gainesville, Ga.,—Scheduled to graduate at Brenau College at the Sixty-fourth Annual Commencement exercises Monday, May 26, receiving A. B. Degrees, is Miss Barbara Betts, daughter of Mr and Mrs. W. S. Betts of Avon Park, Fla., a member of Delta Delta Delta, national social sorority.

Miss Betts is vice-president of Lorelei Club, a local music club; director of the freshman and senior choirs; a member of Mu Phi Epsilon, national honor music sorority; chairman of the welfare committee and a member of the Y. W. C. A. cabinet.

New Draft of Refunding Plan Is Submitted
Interest Rate Would Start At 1½ Percent

A new draft of the bond refunding plan was presented to the city council Monday night by Henry L. Jollay, fiscal agent for the city, and with a few minor changes it was tentatively approved, and is expected to be ready for adoption at the next meeting.

Under the new plan, the principal, interest and judgements are to be refunded in one issue, at par, with 30 year callable bonds, dated April 1, 1942.

Interest rates call for 1 1-2 per cent for three years; 2 per cent for three years; 3 per cent for five years; 4 per cent for ten years; and 5 per cent thereafter. The interest rates are slightly reduced from the first plan.

To create a sinking fund to retire bonds and interest, the city agrees to make the following levies:

From 1942 to 1946, $40,000; 1947 to 1951, $45,000; 1952 to 1956, $50,000; 1957 and thereafter, $60,000.

The city can buy bonds at any time sufficient funds are available by advertising for sealed bids.

The new plan was drawn by R. E. Crummer & Company, after conferences by city officials and Crummer representatives. Crummer makes clear its position in the proceedings, in accordance with a recent decision of the United States Supreme Court, to obviate any further complications.

Delinquent taxes would be settled under a plan to be agree upon 30 days after signing the contract, which would give delinquents 12 months to pay up before foreclosure proceedings would be instituted.

Crummer agreed to sell coupons to the city at the rate of 50 per cent of face value for the first six months, and at 60 per cent for the next six months, and agreed to furnish the city $100,000 worth of coupons at these figures. In the interim, before the bonds are exchanged, Crummer agrees to furnish coupons at 33 1-3 per cent.

Following the recent court decision, which released city officials from responsibility for spending bond funds on the airport, Crummer & Company had the city served with a show cause order, returnable May 23, impounding the balance of bond funds amounting to $34,000. This was explained as a precautionary measure, to assure that the bond funds now held would be used in the new refunding plan.

The amount of bonds, interest and judgments to be refunded was said to be nearly a million and a half dollars. The exact amount will be determined by audit before the plan is adopted.

REGISTER FOR HOME NURSING COURSE

"Register just as quickly as possible for the Red Cross Home Nursing Course," says Mrs. Walter S. Betts, local chairman of the American Red Cross. This request is urgent, in order that plans may be made for beginning the classes, and a decision may be reached as to the time they will be held. Mrs. J. C. Ragsdale, who holds a Red Cross teacher's certificate in home nursing, will conduct the classes. Mrs. Paul L. Rumpas is chairman of the Home Nursing committee. Those desiring to take the course, are requested to register either with Mrs. Rumpas, or Miss Margaretha Vogt, at the office of Walter S. Betts.

The National Red Cross urges all women to take either the course in First Aid or the Home Nursing course.

4720 SUGAR CARDS ISSUED

Final figures for the registration on sugar rationing, completed here last Friday, show that 4,720 sugar rationing cards were issued to the people of Avon Park. Of these 1250 were issued to negroes.

Miss Merion Weaver, who has been employed in Charleston, S. C., has returned to her home in Avon Park, and has accepted a position at the Sebring Air Base.

DRY SUNDAYS IN PROSPECT FOR SWIGGERS
Ordinance Bans Sunday Sale Of Beer In Avon Park

The sale of beer on Sunday is prohibited in Avon Park after this week end, by an ordinance passed by the city council Monday night.

The ordinance, following the state law for dry counties, prohibits the sale of intoxicating liquors at any time, and the sale on Sunday of beer, containing more than one percent alcohol. As there is no one percent beer on the market, the ordinance makes the sale of any beer on Sunday prohibitive. The new ordinance will go into effect immediately after publication in the Times, April 19, and Sunday prohibition will thus go into effect Sunday, April 24.

Action was taken at the request of the Ministerial Association of the city, which presented the council with a resolution calling for enforcement of existing laws against liquor selling, or asking that if there are no such laws to have same enacted and enforced "at the earliest possible moment." Rev. J. P. Dalton, spokesman for the Ministerial association, said liquor was sold openly in the heart of the city, and called upon the council to stop such sale.

President E. A. Delaney told the delegation that the subject of drunkenness has been under consideration for some time, but places selling liquor were operating as clubs, under the law, and the city had not been able to stop them.

City Attorney Perry Murray told the council that following repeal of the 18th amendment, all local liquor laws had also been repealed, and it was necessary to pass an ordinance covering all phases of liquor selling, in conformity to state laws as affecting dry counties. He had prepared such an ordinance, at the request of the council, and the prohibitive clause on Sunday beer selling was included as a further tightening down on drinking.

The rules were waived, and the ordinance was passed as an emergency measure, Ware, Tompkins, Booth and Delaney voting yes, and Anderson voting no.

Anderson explained his vote by saying the ordinance would take the business from local merchants and would force customers outside of the city, where they could get all they want, and would not improve sobriety.

The following resolution, Passed by the Avon Park Ministerial Association in special session at the Methodist Church, May 8, was presented to the council:

RESOLUTION

Whereas, there are alleged to be at the present time, in the City of Avon Park, Fla., certain violations of the State Beverage laws, which have to do with the sale of alcoholic liquors in dry counties, and Incorporated Cities inside such Counties:

And considering that Avon Park is an Incorporated City, in it's own right, within the bounds Highlands County, which is supposed to be thus protected. That the said City of Avon Park has laws or ordinances which have been enacted for the regulation of various kinds of behavior.

We, the Avon Park, Florida Ministerial Association naturally assume that there are ordinances to prohibit or regulate the sale of spirituous or intoxicating liquors within the bounds of the corporate limits of this City.

And whereas: we believe the sale of alcoholic liquor to be detrimental to the physicial and moral well being of the citizenry of any city.

Be it therefore resolved: That Representations be made to the City Council, of Avon Park, Florida, asking that, if there are laws or ordinances forbidding the sale of intoxicating liquor in the City of Avon Park, Florida, such laws be rigidly enforced.

Be it further resolved; That if there are no laws of this nature at the present time existing, we earnestly request that such a law be enacted at the earliest possible moment. And that the necessary steps be taken to enforce such laws as may be passed.

And that copies of this resolution be tendered to the City Council of the City of Avon Park,

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Installation Marks Close Of PTA Year
Farewell Courtesy Extended To Dr. And Mrs. Reeves

Installation of officers for the ensuing year, and a farewell courtesy to Dr. and Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves, highlighted the P. T. A. meeting at the auditorium on Thursday evening. Dr. Reeves, who has been supervising principal of the Avon Park schools for the past six years, will be Superintendent of Public Schools in York, S. C., next year.

A resume of the accomplishments of the organization for the past year, as contained in the history prepared by Mrs. R. C. Jarrett, was most gratifying to members. With "Health" as the main objective, and 177 members, every officer and committee functioned in a most cooperative and efficient manner.

The welfare department reported 3685 free meals in the lunch room, 277 garments distributed, 2 tonsillectomies, and 68 examinations at the pre-school round-up. Because of better working conditions in the community, the need for welfare work has been considerably less than in previous years.

Mrs. E. G. Todd in her "Reminiscences for the Past Six Years" gave a complete outline of every phase of the P. T. A. She stressed the splendid progress that the school has made under the capable direction of Dr. Reeves, and mentioned the various departments which have been added, since he has been at the head of the school.

Six members of the faculty, including Dr. Reeves, have resigned, much to the regret of the entire school, Mrs. Todd said, but all have the best wishes of the community in their new ventures. H. J. Mummau, head of the science department, since 1919, retires under the teacher's retirement plan. E. L. Roberts, band director, has accepted a position in the Conservatory of Music at Rollins college, winter Park. Miss Elizabeth

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POLICE KILL MAD DOG HERE SUNDAY
Mayor Orders All Dogs Confined for Emergency

A mad dog was killed here Sunday by police, and the head sent to the State Board of Health, which reported Tuesday that the dog was "positive for rabies"

Before the dog was killed, it was said by police to have bitten several other dogs, and was followed several hours before it could be killed.

Mayor Covington has issued orders that all dogs be kept confined for the next ten days, and has instructed police to kill all dogs found running at large. Dog owners are warned to keep their dogs tied up or confined at home, as the order will be strictly enforced, as a precautionary measure.

Stanley N. Reeves, supervising principal, said any dog found on the school grounds would be shot during the danger period.

NOTICE TO THOSE WHO USE SOLID FUEL:

Ernest Wilkerson, Division Chairman of Power and Fuel, County Defense Council makes the following important announcement.

"We have received a letter from Geo. Burr, of State Defense Headquarters, Tallahassee, stating that all who use solid fuel, such as coal and coke, for heating or cooking, should lay in their supply within the next three months. After that time the supply will probably be greatly limited due to lack of transportation facilities as priority will be given troop transportation on all railroads. So do it now, lay in your supply of solid fuel for domestic purposes, such as heating and cooking, without delay."

Canadian Tanks in Mass Production



MASS produced in the Angus Shops in Montreal, these infantry tanks have trundled off the assembly line and are being fitted with a powerful 2-pounder machine gun, flame thrower and other equipment. Consisting of 40,000 separate parts and costing about $90,000 each, these Valentines weigh around 20 tons and have a top speed of 25 miles per hour. More than 3,500 men are employed in their construction at the plant. The factory runs 24 hours a day—6 days a week. "Valentine" is now the correct designation of this type of infantry tank. Canada has sent many of these to Russia. A second plant in Canada is now turning out many tanks of a heavier type daily.

EPISCOPAL CAMPS TO OPEN HERE IN JUNE
Will Operate Three Camps at Trout Lake

The Episcopal Diocese of South Florida opens a series of camps at Camp Wingmann on Trout Lake, beginning Monday June 8. These camps for various ages of boys and girls will extend through July 18.

The first camp, Camp St. Mark, for boys and girls ages 15 to 21 runs from June 8 to June 20. Rev. Martin J. Bram is director. Morton O. Nace, secretary and assistant treasurer, will look after the business affairs of all camps. Rev. R. I. Brown, Avon Park, will teach a faculty course, 'The Life of Christ'.

Camp St. Mary for girls, ages 9 to 14, begins Monday, June 22 and ends Saturday, July 4 under direction of Miss Alcesta Tulane.

Camp St. Andrew, for boys, ages 9 to 14, begins Monday, July 6 and runs to Saturday July 18. Morton O. Nace is director; Rev. William L. Hargrave is chaplain; Rev. R. I. Brown will have charge of athletics. Other courses will be hand work, music, programs, scouting and first aid, waterfront and classes.

The adult conference for men and women will be held in the Cathedral school in Orlando from June 14 to June 20.

FLORIDA SEMINOLE INDIAN PROGRAM FOR SOLDIERS:

The Seminole Indian Agency of Florida in cooperation with Florida Writers and Recreation Projects of WPA, will present a Seminole Program, Friday May 15 at 7:45 p. m. at the Armory for soldiers of the Bomb and Gunnery Range Detachment.

William D. Boehmer of the Seminole Indian Agency, Glades County Reservation, and Mrs. Barbara Darsey of Florida Writers Project will give short talks on the Seminoles and will wear typical Seminole dress. A number of young girls will model the old and the new in Seminole costumes; a group of children will sing patriotic songs and present tableaus.

Feature of the program is the colorful pictures showing the Florida Seminoles at home on the Reservation. These pictures demonstrate some of the important phases of work being done by Federal Government to rehabilitate its Seminole Indian citizens. The public is invited.

Wize chikins dont spent no time foolin round with a bad egg speshuly whin he is broke. . . . The Yard bird.

SERVICES FOR R. T. SEAGRAVES IN ARKANSAS
Was Prominent Landowner and Gin Operator

Funeral services for Robert Taylor Seagraves, prominent landowner and gin operator of Osceola, Arkansas, who died suddenly at his home in Osceola May 1, were held from Osceola Baptist church at 3:30 the following Sunday afternoon, with burial in Ermen cemetery.

A dispatch from Osceola to the Memphis Commercial Appeal, has the following:

Services were conducted by the Rev. Harold B. Tillman, pastor, assisted by the Rev. Ralph Douglas, pastor of Luxora Baptist Church.

Mr. Seagraves, who was 54, had been in ill health for over two years and with Mrs. Seagraves had returned only 10 days ago from Avon Park, Fla., where they spent each Winter. Their daughter Mrs. C. E. Crabtree of Avon Park, accompanied them home in order to drive for her father and had left for her home Thursday reaching as far as Jacksonville, Fla., when the message of her father's death reached her. Mr. Crabtree joined her in Jacksonville for the return to Osceola.

Born and reared in Dyersburg, Tenn., he came to Mississippi County 30 years ago and became one of the county's most successful farmers and gin operators. In addition to his own holdings he operated the 3000-acre Hightower Plantation at Burdette owned by former Gov. Frank O. Louden of Illinois.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Eula H. Seagraves; one son, S. E. Seagraves of Luxora; a daughter, Mrs. C. E. Crabtree of Avon Park, Fla.; one brother and two sisters, G. H. Seagraves and Mrs. A. E. Thorne of Osceola, and Mrs. J. W. Cartwright of Memphis. His mother, Mrs. Sherrod Seagraves of Trenton, Tenn., also survives.

Eastern Star To Meet

Leigh Chapter, No. 85, O. E. S. held their regular meeting Thursday evening at the Masonic Temple Attention, all Eastern Stars: Chapter meets first and third Thursday nights of each month.

Secretary To Rationing Board

Miss Elizabeth Green, who has been a member of the grammar school faculty for several years, has resigned to accept a position as secretary to the rationing board.

Gas Rationing Cards Issued to 970 Motorists
Over Third of Car Owners Get Minimum Cards

Registration of automobile owners for gas rationing was completed in Avon Park Monday, and a total of 970 gas rationing cards were issued in the five classifications.

A cards were issued to over a third of the motorists. The allotment for these motorists, who use their cars solely for pleasure is 21 gallons until July 1, when a new schedule will be adopted. There were 360 A cards issued here.

The next largest group received B—3 cards, which entitled drivers who travel more than 15 miles daily to his job or for business, to purchase 57 gallons up to July 1.

B—1 cards, entitling holders to purchase 31 gallons for the period, were issued to 96 car owners, and B—2 cards, allowing 45 gallons, were issued to 93 motorists.

X cards, issued to motorists who are entitled to unlimited purchase of gasoline, were issued to 141 car owners. This latter group included trucks engaged in essential work. Vehicles and owners eligible for this classification are ambulances and hearses; taxis, buses, or vehicles for public rental; ministers in their religious duties; nurses and doctors, cars used for essential government business; trucking, freight service, messenger service; vehicles for the transportation of material and equipment for construction or essential maintenance and transportation of construction workers.

Public school teachers have conducted the registration for the rationing. At the completion of the rationing, the applications are turned over to the local rationing boards. The cards given the applicants are pending the approval of the rationing board. Any person who desires, may make an appeal to the local board for a reclassification.

Grandpa Straubel Observes 101st Birthday

C. A. (Grandpa) Straubel, beloved citizen of Avon Park and Green Bay, Wis., celebrated his 101st birthday anniversary on Monday afternoon from four until six o'clock, with Open House, at his home on Lake Lotela. His granddaughter, Mrs. Nan Rouse was hostess for the afternoon.

Mr. Straubel greeted his friends on the comfortable screened porch, overlooking the lake, and appeared in the best of spirits for this momentous occasion. Though slightly hard of hearing, he conversed with his friends throughout the afternoon.

During the calling hours, refreshments of canapes, small decorated cakes and punch were served. The beautiful birthday cake that centered the lace covered dining table, was adlow with one red candle, burning brightly. Daintly bouquets of spring garden blossoms were on either side of the cake, to effect an attractive arrangement. Mrs. Earl H. Ware and Mrs. Dennis Mandis assisted in the hospitalities.

Besides friends celebrating the occasion with Mr. Straubel, three of his grand children, were present to assist in receiving. They are the three daughters of Mrs. Rouse, Alice, Mary and Jane.

Game Warden Bigbie Warns Istokpoga Closed

There will be no more bass fishing in Lake Istokpoga during the remainder of the closed season, as a result of the 50th primary, when by referendum the people of the county voted to close the lake and put it back into fresh water status. Game Warden H. C. Bigbie said today that the Fish and Game department had given instructions not to allow bass fishing in the lake until the morning of May 20, when the closed season comes to an end. Bigbie stated that the law would be enforced, and the notice through the press should be sufficient notification to the public. He asks the cooperation of the public until the season opens, which will be next Wednesday.

Folks You Know . .

Mrs. A. O. Kinsey is visiting relatives in Miami this week.

Mrs. Roy Humphreys of Georgia is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnett.

Mrs. Jennie Pickler of Miami is visiting her son, Chas. A. Sargent and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Childs spent the day Wednesday in Orlando.

Mrs. S. Y. Hartt left last week end for Miami to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keune.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Harris left Monday for a visit of several weeks with relatives in Jamestown, N. Y.

Mrs. J. C. Wright and baby daughter, Sammie Louise returned home Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Moultrie, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rogers of Miami are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rogers.

Mrs. Grady Powell of Frostproof was the guest of her cousin, C. R. Wingfield and family on Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Booth Kirkwood of Tampa spent the past week end in Avon Park with Mr. Kirkwood's mother, Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber are leaving today for a two weeks' visit with relatives in Washington, D. C., and Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschell W. Dalton and baby son, Herschell Jr. of Memphis, Tenn., spent the week end with the former's brother, Rev. J. P. Dalton and family.

Mrs. Robert Murray and son, Robert Murray Jr., of Lake Wales, visited her mother, Mrs. A. S. Wingfield, and brother, C. R. Wingfield and family on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Conner moved to Tampa this week, where Mr. Conner will be employed at the shipyards.

Mrs. H. R. Hoffman and her baby son, H. R. Hoffman III, left Sunday for their home in Selma, Ala., after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Beckett.

Mrs. Walton Touchton left this week for Miami, where she will remain with relatives, while her husband is in training as a cadet in the Air Corps.

Mrs. S. B. Wells, and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wells of Lake Wales, spent the week end in St. Petersburg with Mrs. Irving Morgan and family.

Claud J. Mann, who underwent a recent major operation in Jackson, Mich., is convalescing, his many friends here will be pleased to learn.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Longbottom and son and daughter, Sammy and Lynn, spent last week end in Stuart with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Longbottom and family.

Mrs. Mary N. Fields had as her guests on Sunday, Mrs. A. F. Swift and son, Bobby of Winter Haven, and Mrs. W. C. Grainger and daughters, Gwendolyn and Marie, and Mr. and Mrs. William A. Grainger of Wauchula.

Miss Mary McNicholas returned home Tuesday from Tampa, where she has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Sherer for the past several weeks. Mrs. Sherer was formerly Miss Mabel Seytert of Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Betts leave next Thursday for Gainesville, Ga., where they will attend the commencement at Brenau college. Their daughter, Miss Barbara Betts is a member of the graduating class.

Capt. Clarence W. Rice left Wednesday for Maxwell Field, Ala., where he will take a special course in navigation. Capt. Rice was formerly a civil engineer with the state road department in South Carolina.

Adam Schaffer and daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth McGuinnes and her son, Adam, left Monday for their summer home in Ballston Lake, N. Y. They have been spending the season at their winter home at Highland Lakes.

Boyd Rutledge of the U. S. navy who has been spending a five day furlough with his sister, Mrs. R. Elder and his brother, H. C. Rutledge, left Friday for a naval base in Virginia, where he is stationed.

Mrs. S. E. Booth was in Tampa on Wednesday to attend a luncheon, given in honor of her daughter, Miss Carmen Booth, bride elect, which was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Tillis, 3815 San Pedro street.

Miss Ruth Bradley of Barranquilla, Colombia, South America, has just left for home in Castile, New York, after spending over two weeks here visiting her friend Mrs. Albert Demorest and family. Miss Bradley teaches in the Americo Colegio in Barranquilla, and is on her six months furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ellis Wray of Montgomery, Ala., will arrive Sunday to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wray. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wray are connected with the Alabama Power Corporation in Montgomery. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wray and baby son, Larry of Miami will also arrive Sunday for a week's visit with the Wrays. They will spend a week here with Mr. Wray's parents.

Ryland Reck, of Lakeland, formerly of Avon Park, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reck, and his aunt, Mrs. E. G. Todd and family here on Thursday. His many friends here will be interested in learning that he is transferring from the regular army into the Air Corps, and will soon leave for a primary school in Texas, for further training.

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Men of the fighting services are adept with pen and brush, as proven in art groups in USO clubs. USO presents examples of their work in a series of "Jeeptoons."

Rebekah Lodge Honors Mothers

Eleanor Seaverns Rebekah lodge at its meeting Monday night, observed Mothers' night. An impressive candle-light service was held in memory of members, who have passed, and as Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck, acting conductor, quietly lit the candles at each station, these words were given by Mrs. Agnes Cox, acting noble grand:

OUR MOTHER

To her through whom God gave us life
A loving Father's loving wife,
The sunshine on our early way,
All hail to her, all hail today,
Our Mother.

How smooth her way for tender feet,
And on her bosom rest how sweet;
Who taught out little lips to pray
And made us what we are today,
Our Mother.

The angel in our early home,
That follows us where we roam
Who gave us love and earnest prayer,
Who never ceased her loving care,
Our Mother.

The one whose blood beats in our vein,
Whose sacrifice to us was gain;
Her tears more eloquent than word
Her apron-string the strongest cord,
Our Mother.

Her whitened hair and wrinkled brow
May show that she is aged now,
Yet in that bosom warm and fair,
We know she never changes there,
Our Mother.

Or if she went to Heaven above,
She'll not deny her mother's love;
For you and me she'll ever wait
To greet us at the pearly gate,
Our Mother.

Thank God for Mothers good and true
Such as He gave me and you;
Would that each child where shines the sun
Could have a mother as this one,
Our Mother.

It is the virgin's highest aim,
And every country's need and claim
A woman's calling highly blessed;
'Tis motherhood like she possessed,
Our Mother.

Thus let the banner be unfurled
To honor her that rocks the world,
Whose loving arms and smiling face
Are holding all in sweet embrace,
Our Mother.

Yea, place the garland on her brow,
Where God has honored, honor now
Make any day a Mother's Day,
As one has done in love's own way;
Our Mother.

Mrs. Cora Wray, noble grand of the lodge, was introduced and presented a colonial bouquet in which was concealed a handkerchief, and a gift from her children. In her welcome was a trop down memory's lane to the present time. After which the acting conductor introduced Mrs. Oscar Bridges, Mrs. Nancy Boraff, Mrs. Floyd Hougaboom, Mrs. Mary Reed, each being presented with a wrist corsage, in which was concealed a handkerchief. The mothers of the lodge were surprised, this being planned by several members.

After the meeting, a social hour was enjoyed. The hall was beautifully decorated with spring flowers. Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cookies and root beer were served.

Attention, Rebekahs! Lodge meets Monday nights, the second and fourth.—Contributed.

Rookie: "Here, hold my gun a minute, will ya?"
Officer: "Hey, I'm a Lieutenant!"
Rookie: "That's okay—I'll trust ya!"

Breathes there a man with soul so dead who has never turned around and said, Hm.m-m.m.not bad!

Corp: "Have you seen one of these instruments that can tell when a man is lying?"
Rookie: "Seen one? I married one!"

EVERYONE MUST WORK OR FIGHT TO WIN THE WAR

Deferred Men May Be Drafted If Not Doing War Work

Many Selective Service registrants who have been deferred from military service solely because they have dependents will eventually be inducted unless they become engaged in activities essential to the Nation's war effort, Brig. Gen. Vivian Collins, State Director of Selective Service, declared today.

"We are rapidly approaching the stage where everyone must be working or fighting to win the war," the General asserted. War requirements—the demand for manpower by essential industries as well as the armed forces—will compel many local boards within the next several months to find selectees for their quotas among registrants who have dependents.

"Right now local boards are reclassifying all registrants with dependency deferment for two major purposes. The first is to eliminate from this class all men who cannot prove that their dependents need their earned income for support in a reasonable manner and all who cannot prove that they did not acquire dependents to avoid military service. The second purpose is to distinguish between men who have dependents but are not engaged in activities aiding the Nation's war effort and those who are contributing for victory by their work as civilians.

"By making this distinction between those engaged in essential activities and those whose civilian occupations are not contributing to the war effort, it is desired to induce a voluntary movement of the latter into essential activities and thus to release for military service men without dependents who must be deferred as 'necessary men' until they can be replaced at their work."

Persons engaged in nonessential activities, however, should not cease their present employment until their services are needed in some essential activity, the General warned. He said:

"This voluntary movement from nonessential to essential activities should be a gradual, orderly, and economically sound transfer of manpower. The Federal Government will make known, from time to time, the opportunities for training and employment in activities essential to the war effort so that this shift of employment may be made without unnecessary disturbance to the welfare of the community, the family, and the individual. Each registrant, however, knows or should inquire into his own capabilities and the opportunities for employment in war industry, and should seek employment without waiting for specific instructions from the Government.

"When men with dependents are considered for military service, the General emphasized, local boards will have regard for occupation together with the degree of dependency. Registrants who have the greatest degree of dependency, such as a dependent wife and children will be the last group sought for military service, he said, provided that they have become necessary men in war production or supporting activities.

She (driving her car) "Wanna see where I was vaccinated?"
Corp.: "Yeah—Sure!"
She: "Okay, keep your eyes open. We'll drive by there pretty soon."
Sgt.: "I'm looking for someone to lend me five dollars."
Pvt.: "Well, it's a nice day for it."

Church Notes

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday After Ascension
Holy Communion ..... 8:00 A. M.
Sunday School ..... 9:30 A. M.
Holy Communion and Sermon 11:00 A. M.—Richard I. Brown, vicar.

UNIOU CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Topic: "How Do We Reject Christ?" Classes for all ages. We have a class for you, and invite you to join us in this discussion. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on: "A Confession of Hunger." Officers, cadets and army men are cordially invited to worship with us and to hear this message. Help keep the spiritual forces of the nation vigorous and active. "Where there is no vision the people perish."

The Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the Church at 7:00 P. M. Yvonne Head will lead the worship service and Dr. Elliott will introduce the topic, "How Can We Make Democracy Work?" Young people are invited to attend.

The "Convenant Circle" Woman's Missionary Society will meet on Wednesday at 3:00 P. M. at the home of Mrs. W. H. Yates. Mrs. Eva Nesbit will have charge of the devotions and Mrs. C. S. Donaldson will introduce the topic; "The Way of Brotherhood in the Bible." All members are urged to be present at this meeting.

The "Quiet Hour" service will be held on Wednesday at 8:00 P. M. A season of quiet waiting upon God in praise and prayer, with a brief address by the Pastor.

CHURCHES OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"Mortals and Immortals" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, May 17.

The Golden Text is: "They that are after the flesh do mind the things of the flesh; but they that are after the Spirit the things of the Spirit" (Romans 8:5).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For thou has delivered my soul from death: wilt not thou deliver my feet from falling, that I may walk before God in the light of the living?" (Ps.56:13).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "God expresses in man the infinite idea forever developing itself, broadening and rising higher and higher from boundless basis. Mind manifests all that exists in the infinitude of Truth. Mortals have a very imperfect sense of the spiritual man and of the infinite range of his thought. To him belongs eternal Life" (p.258:13.16.25.27).

RED CROSS INFORMATION

ANNUAL REPORT HIGHLANDS CO., CHAPTER A. R. C.

April 1, 1941-March 31, 1942.
Garments-Sewing 3081.
Garments-Knitted 1249.
Garments finished Jan.-March 31, Include:

On new quota 91 total 4421.

Hours in room, 5,000; sewing hours outside room, 2,265; knitting outside room, 14,595; total hours, 21,860.

Number workers registered for production: sewing 384; knitting 184; administration hours, 5200; roll call hours, 500; war relief drive hours, 200; home service hours, 500.

Articles made beyond quota: 350 bedside bags hospital, and Camp Wheeler; 85 pillow covers for Base Hospital; 5 lap robes for wheel chairs, hospital; 10 pillows for wheel chairs; 48 christmas bags for Army and Navy; 100 soldiers garments repaired; 80 articles in emergency closet; 3 toniletcomics in county; 205 graduated in First Aid; 41 graduated in home nursing; 56 pairs curtains for Base Hospital.

"Why so sad fellow?"
"My friend was just run over by a truck."
"Boy, that's tough."
"You're telling me. He was wearing my best suit!"

Mechanical Engineer: "Do you know what knee action is in a car?"
She: "Yes, and don't you try it."

The old-fashioned girl took two drinks and went out like a light; the modern girl takes two drinks and out goes the light.

HONEY COOKERY

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

We are in our first week of sugar rationing and already we hear complaints of not enough sugar for making the usual cookies, cakes and pies and for other cooking.

Why not try honey? It is a wholesome, natural food; keeps indefinitely; gives flavor and sweetness in cookery; promotes energy; is easily assimilated; contains small amounts of minerals and vitamins; is slightly laxative; is an ideal milk modifier; will not harbor bacteria. So let's cook with honey.

Vegetables such as carrots, green and wax beans, turnips squash, beets and sweet potatoes are delicious cooked with a small amount of honey, yes delicious and healthful too. Use a teaspoonful of mild honey to a cup of such vegetables.

HONEY BUTTERED BEETS

2 1-2 cups of beets, cooked and sliced or diced, 1-2 cup of boiling water, 1 tablespoon of flour, 1-2 to 3-4 cup honey, warmed, 3 table spoons of butter, 1 teaspoon of salt, 1 tablespoon of lemon juice. 1-2 to 3-4 cups honey, warmed.

Blend butter and flour, add hot water and stir till smooth. Add other ingredients and pour over beets in a buttered baking dish. Cook 20 minutes in moderate oven.

HONEY SWEET POTATOES

Bake medium sized sweet potatoes till soft. Then with sharp knife cut across top. In opening drop 1 tablespoon of honey then press in half marshmallow. Return to oven and heat till marshmallow is toasted very lightly. The hot sweet potato absorbs the honey at once which lends a delicate, delicious flavor to the potato. Delicious served with roast pork, baked ham or chicken.

HONEYED HAM

1 lean ham (about 7 pounds), 15 cloves, celery leaves from 1 bunch of celery, 1-2 cup of honey, 2 eggs beaten, 1 teaspoon of cinnamon, 1 quart of honey vinegar or pickle juice, Honey raisin sauce, soda, boiling water.

Prepare ham for cooking. Place celery leaves, cloves, cinnamon honey vinegar and 1-4 cup of honey in kettle of boiling water. Then put in ham and simmer till tender (usually about 5 hours). Remove skin when ham is cooked, brush ham with beaten egg and honey (the 2 eggs blended with 1-4 cup of honey). Stick in cloves and brown in very hot oven. Serve with honey raisin sauce.

HONEY RAISIN SAUCE

1 cup raisins, 1 cup honey, 1-2 cup water, teaspoon lemon juice.

Cook raisins in water till soft, add honey and lemon juice, blend well and serve over ham slices.

Let's Clean House For Victory

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

"Do your spring house cleaning and fight for Uncle Sam at the same time," says Mrs. George E. (Gene) Sebring jr., Division Chairman of Salvage. "A clean house reduces fire risk, and promotes good health. The usual accumulation of junk which faces every housewife at cleaning time can well be used by our Government in war work."

Continued Mrs. Sebring: "Metal, rubber and rags are especially requested at present time. When cleaning be sure to put aside all discarded metal furniture such as old beds, chairs and tables; electric cords and wires, electrical appliances, such as radios, fans, stoves, coffee pots and cookers; phonograph and auto parts; copper and iron pipe and fittings; batteries, tires, tubes, garden hose, broken tools and other items of metal and rubber. Save all rags too. Many such items have long since been discarded by the household and the Government greatly needs them.

"So give your house a good spring cleaning and send such articles to our depots, or get in touch with me, phone 21, and arrangements will be made to get them.

"Clean up for victory! Your discarded articles will help build a bomber, a tank, guns, warships."

"Son, I wish you'd steer clear of wine, women and song when you get out of the Army."
"Okay, Dad. I'll probably be sick of them by that time, anyway."

Hank: "How do you like the electric washer you got in Noo Yawk?"
Spunk: "Not too good. Hank. Everytime I get in the darn thing the paddles bowl me over."

Cattlemen And Growers to Serve As Representatives

A group of 15 leading growers and cattlemen have been appointed by the University of Florida to serve as special agriculture and horticulture representatives during the war and post-war period.

Those selected for this important work were: Earl W. Hartt, Harold Worden, and Byrum Shockley of Avon Park, Guy Maxcy, Jesse Vaughn, and W. B. Crawford of Sebring. A. K. Hallett of DeSoto City, Albert DeVane, A. L. Hall and C. L. Crawford of Lake Placid, C. H. Shackelford of Hicoria, T. Jesse Durrance of Brighton, and C. L. Reynolds and T. A. Cason of Lorida.

These men were recommended to the University by the members of the Highlands County Agricultural Planning Council at their meeting at the Court House last Friday night. These men, who will work closely with County Agent Louis H. Alsmeyer, will be known as Volunteers for Agricultural War Work. Each of these men will be supplied with the latest agricultural information. Additional members or substitutes will be appointed as conditions develop.

The County Agricultural Council at the meeting also approved plans for presentation of the work and program of the American Farm Bureau to the growers and cattlemen of Highlands County during the fore part of June.

The matter of securing a Home Demonstration Agent for the county came up for additional discussion and it again received favorable consideration. A special committee to handle this matter was appointed by E. G. Todd.

Members of the new Board of Supervisors of the Istokpoga Soil Conservation District were present at the meeting and participated in the discussion.

Blanks for applications for permission to build farm dwellings costing more than $500.00 per farm or other farm buildings costing less than $1000.00 per farm can be secured at the County Agent's office in the Sebring Post Office Building.

Regulations provide that new buildings or new constructions greater than the above minimum must be recommended by the Highlands County U. S. D. A. War Board and the State War Board, and approved by the War Production Board.

Chairman C. Parke Anderson said today, "This new Federal Construction Order L-41 has several important phases which will effect most growers and cattlemen and they should be thoroughly familiar with same before starting any construction."

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt appreciation to our many friends, for their kind expressions of sympathy at the time of our recent bereavement. The beautiful floral tributes were also a source of great comfort to us.

Mrs. Stephen Skipper
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Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Engagement of Dot McNicholas and L. C. Davis Announced at Lovely Tea

Among the loveliest of affairs of the spring season, was the tea, given on Tuesday afternoon from four 'til six o'clock, by Mrs. S. S. Thayer, to announce the engagement of Miss Dorothy Theresa McNicholas, daughter of Judge T. A. McNicholas, and the late Mrs. McNicholas, to L. C. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin W. Davis.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Thayer, Miss McNicholas and Mrs. Davis. Mrs. Walter S. Betts and Mrs. Sue Gregory assisted in the reception room, where delicate shades of garden blossoms were combined to create a pastel motif.

A bridal theme predominated in the dining room, where the tea table, beautifully appointed in gleaming silver and crystal, was overlaid with a lace cloth. A heart shaped arrangement at one end of the table was fashioned of stately Easter lilies and Queen Anne's lace in a low crystal bowl, encircled with gladioli sprays, and caught with a fluffy bow of white tulle, augmented by a bride and groom figurine, in miniature.

A crystal bowl on the buffet, was filled with Easter lilies combined with Queen Anne's lace, flanked on either side by tall white tapers, burning in low crystal holders.

Silver trays on the tea table held dainty sandwiches and small cakes, iced in pink, green and yellow and tall crystal compotes were filled with pastel tinted mints. Gracing each refreshment plate, was a miniature pink or blue tulle bag, tied with narrow ribbons, in contrasting shades, to which was attached a card bearing the announcement. "Dot-L. C.-June". Mrs. John H. Hood poured the first hour, and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, the second hour. Others assisting in the dining room were Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. Earl H. Ware, and Mrs. Demos Mandis.

Guests invited to call during the designated hours included Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. Blanch Williams, Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves, Mrs. Harry Dilley, Mrs. John H. Hood, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Mrs. Paul L. Rumpus, Mrs. Chas. O. Locke, Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb, Mrs. H. C. Worden, Mrs. E. P. Loomis, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr., Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, Mrs. T. H. Hughs, Mrs. Walter S. Martin, Mrs. G. A. Stebbins, Mrs. Demos Mandis, Mrs. C. E.-Lanier, and Mrs. Earl H. Ware.

Mrs. E. A. Delaney, Mrs. D. T. Lockett, Mrs. A. J. Turner, Mrs. H. E. Godwin, Mrs. L. D. McGibney, Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. Nan Rouse, Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mrs. W. M. Reck, Mrs. T. J. Ward, Mrs. J. L. Wells, Mrs. John D. Raab, Mrs. I. L. Hall, Mrs. Steve Roberts, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. L. M. Orr, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. I. W. Chandler, Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mrs. Ernest Spencer, Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mrs. Chas. Sherman,

Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mrs. Floyd Johnson, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. W. M. Hethering-ton, Miss Elizabeth Hetherington, Miss Mildred Myers, Miss Alma Harrell, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Sarah Brown-ing, Miss Janet Cook, Miss Iva Phillips, Miss Elisabeth Green, Miss Julia Norfleet, Mrs. C. H. Shepherd, Mrs. Phillip Boardman, Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. G. P. Thay-er, Miss Betty Thompson, Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mrs. Sue Gregory.

Invited guests from Lake Placid were Mrs. Mary Roberts, Miss Mae Lewis, Miss Doris Stidham, Mrs. Virginia York, Miss Florence Brooks, Mrs. A. B. Wilhite, Mrs. Ethel Seaverns, Miss Patty Whitman, and Miss Annie Mae Smith.

Miss Gwendolyn Wever of Washington D. C., has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wever, and her sister, Mrs. Bill Sachsenmaier and family, this week.

Miss Janet Cook Hostess to Club

Miss Janet Cook entertained the Sans Souci club, and several additional friends at a lovely bridge party at Lake Byrd Lodge on Wednesday evening. The tables for bridge, were arranged on the screened porch, overlooking the lake. Punch was enjoyed during the progressions. Bouquets of spring garden flowers lent emphasis of a colorful atmosphere.

High and second high club prizes for the evening, were won by Mrs. Raymond Dilley and Miss Millie Pearson. They were each given Defense Stamps for their skill. Guest high award, a vase of flowers, was presented to Mrs. Harold Rowe.

After the games, delicious refreshments of grape sherbert and cake were served in the private dining room. The table was centered with an arrangement of pastel gerberas, with the glow of lighted candles on either side, casting a soft illumination.

Those enjoying the evening, as guests of Miss Cook were Miss Alma Harrell, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Sarah Browning, Miss Iva Phillips, Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. Freed Peden, Miss Evelyn Clements, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Miss Julia Norfleet, Miss Mildred Myers, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Mrs. Phillip Boardman, Mrs. E. L. Lowe, Mrs. Wm. L. Amos, and Mrs. Harold Rowe.

Garden Club Met With Mrs. Hartt

The Garden club met on Friday morning at the home of the newly elected chairman, Mrs. Earl W. Hartt. A delightfully informal atmosphere prevailed in the meeting when members were seated about the daintily appointed table, and were served coffee and sandwiches by the hostess.

Plans for the Garden club year were discussed, and it was decided to hold future meetings in the F. P. S. company's Customer's Room, thereby providing a more central location.

Chairmen for the different meetings for the coming year will be named at the June meeting.

Those present were Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. R. I. Brown, Mrs. Margery Church, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, and Mrs. Hartt.

Wedding Saturday at Baptist Church

Miss Barbara Jean Carnes of Dallas, Texas and Provost John O. Newberry of Arlington, Ga., were married at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the First Baptist Church. The Rev. Jack P. Dalton, pastor of the church, officiated, in the presence of a few close friends.

Mrs. Harold Dean of Tampa, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and Sgt. Lee J. Laiche of Acy, La., served as best man.

The bride wore an attractive afternoon dress of soldier blue, with accessories in matching shades, in the same color. Her flowers were a corsage of white gardenias.

The matron of honor wore a blue spring print ensemble, and gardenias in corsage.

Among those witnessing the ceremony were First Sgt. F. W. Hailey, Sgt. Richard Paden, Miss Dottie Sefton of Tampa, Sgt. Louis Thornton, Harold Dean of Tampa, and Cpl. Aubrey C. Hansen.

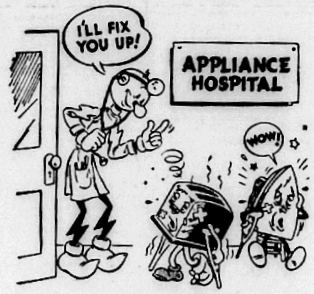
Dorothy McNicholas and L. C. Davis To Wed in June

Judge T. A. McNicholas announces the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter Dorothy Theresa, to L. C. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin W. Davis. The wedding will be an event of early June.

Miss McNicholas is a graduate of Avon Park high school, and of Mary Washington college in Fredericksburg, Va., where she received her L. I. degree. She is a member of the school faculty at Lake Placid.

Mr. Davis was educated in the schools of Avon Park, and attended Stetson University, Deland. He is connected with Lodwick Aviation Military Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lander of Raiford spent the week end with the latter's mother, Mrs. L. E. Bass and other relatives here. Their son, Joe Allen will spend the summer with his grandmother in Avon Park.



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While tea-ing at the home of Mrs. Stu Thayer on Tuesday—(for details, read Hettie's account)—learned that in the month of June—Dot and L. C. would combine their rationing cards—Has been stated before—in and out of this column—how utterly lovely Dot is—Let's also put it in print—that L. C. is quite a handsome red-headed somebody—They will no doubt be called—that good-looking Davis couple.

At the same tea—Sue Gregory looked simply stunning—in a blue jersey afternoon gown—studded with large jeweled buttons.

That sun-kist blond with the large blue eyes—Madge Pilcher—is most attractive in her coat of tan.

While chatting with Francis Browne—the girl that has a flair for dramatic clothes—and has the verve and curve to wear them—questioned her about the fever blister on her lip—Her story is—"too much sun"—which brought up another question . . . who's son?

Will venture to forecast—that Gloria Garber—the blond youngster—so talented in music—and so much at ease before the public—will climb the ladder to fame—in a few short years—If it is in radio—may we then have television.

A certain couple in town—were greatly puzzled over an addition to their family—being a live chicken—that arrived clucking—Lo, and behold—before long, the thing started crowing—Says the lady of the household—We could'nt figure out whether it was a rooster—a pullet—or a pullet-rooster.—so to prevent futher complications—we ate it—One good way to dissolve a mystery.

A certain female in this town—himpartial.

Who is flypaper plus—to a high army officer here?

One of the service men—proudly boasted that he could—play the piano by ear—Thornton pipes up and says—That was nothing—his grandfather usta—fiddle with his beard.—A. B. W.

Francis Skipper Honored at Party

The Young People's department of the Baptist Sunday School entertained at a delightful party at the C. R. Wingfield home on Friday evening, the affair being given in honor of Francis Skipper, who was leaving in a short time for army service in the Air Corps.

Garden flowers, in a variety of colorful shades, with a patriotic color predominating, decorated the party rooms. Several games were enjoyed during the evening, and the honor guest was presented with a handsome gold watch band as a gift from the department.

Delicious refreshments of straw-berry ice cream and cookies were served. The cups and napkins were in a patriotic design, and a miniature airplane was on each plate.

Those sharing the occasion with Francis were Betty Touchton, Louise Smith, Powell Skipper, Jewell Turnbull, Dale McFarland, Fred Foster, Malcolm Crews, Ophelia Dean, Willa McGibboney, Margaret Smith, Chandler Wingfield, I. H. Ford, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wingfield.

Baptist Circles Met on Monday

Circles two and three of the Baptist W. M. S., met at the home of Mrs. Paul A. McFarland Monday afternoon. Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr. taught the lesson from the third chapter of John. Mrs. W. C. Touchton closed the meeting with prayer.

During the social hour, the hostess served tempting refreshments of angel food cake and punch to those present who were Mrs. David Stuckey, Mrs. Anna Lawhon, Mrs. J. B. Coen, Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr., Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, Mrs. J. E. Crosby.

Annual Picnic of Sophomore Class

The sophomore class held their annual picnic and frolic at Lake Byrd Lodge on Friday afternoon and evening. The members of the class enjoyed a swim in the lake, after which they were served a picnic supper on the screened porch of the lodge. Dancing during the remainder of the evening, concluded the festivities. Chaperones were Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. Freed Peden, and Mrs. Walter S. Martin.

Two Are Hostesses at Bridge Luncheon

Mrs. C. H. Pardee and Mrs. S. C. Pardee were hostesses to members of the Tuesday club, and a few additional friends, at a lovely bridge luncheon at the home of the former on Tuesday at one o'clock. Lilies and flufty ruffled petunias were fashioned into attractive bouquets to decorate the rooms.

The centerpiece for each of the three tables, where the guests were seated, was a cluster arrangement of small red roses. The dainty two-course luncheon consisted of baked ham, escalloped potatoes, cinnamon apples, hot rolls and butter, jam, iced tea, strawberry ice cream and sponge cake.

The afternoon was devoted to bridge, in which Mrs. George Scott McKnight, who scored high, was awarded a metal waste paper basket; second high, a novelty ornament, was won by Mrs. Margery Church; and the guest high award was given to Mrs. A. L. Bicker, whose prize was a box of dusting powder.

Those enjoying the luncheon and bridge were Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. W. H. Yates, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. Margery Church, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. A. L. Bicker, and Mrs. H. E. Godwin.

Party and Shower Delightful Affair

Mrs. Paul Conner was hostess on Monday evening, at a party and shower, given at her home of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Porter, in honor of Mrs. Vernon Bass. A color note of pink and blue was chosen for details of the party, and was reflected in the attractive bouquets of spring garden flowers, placed about the rooms.

Several interesting games were played, resulting in prizes being awarded to Mrs. C. H. Ellis, Mrs. Howard Maddox, and Mrs. Harry Walker.

Following the presentation of the shower of dainty gifts, the hostess served a tempting refreshment course, consisting of sandwiches, cookies, and iced tea.

Those present were Mrs. E. E. Shoemaker, Mrs. Howard Maddox, Mrs. T. Rollins, Mrs. R. M. Kelsey, Mrs. P. T. Carlisle, Mrs. A. P. Hansen, Mrs. Gayle Farr, Mrs. Alice Tuten, Mrs. G. T. Bigbie, Mrs. H. A. Walker, Mrs. H. L. Williford, Mrs. H. W. Reddick, Mrs. Mamie Lake, Mrs. Marshall Reynolds, Mrs. M. H. Grice, Mrs. J. W. Porter, Mrs. Mary Lunsford, Mrs. Alma Ellis, Mrs. Imogene Hart, Mrs. C. E. Mann, Mrs. Bass, and Mrs. Conner.

Grady Parrish Is Married to Texas Girl

Friends here will be interested to learn that Pvt. Grady Parrish, Lake Placid, now at Camp Bowie, Texas, and Miss Susan Ann Mobley of Anadarko, Texas, were married Friday, May the first, at the First Baptist Church, in that city.

Miss Mobley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Mobley, 2604 Magnolia, Ave., Anadarko, Texas, and was employed by the Western Union at Wynn, Texas, before her marriage. She is now residing in Brownwood, Texas, to be near her husband.

Pvt. Parrish's home is in Lake Placid, but he was employed in Sebring before entering the service.

Mrs. Sappington Hostess to Circle

Mrss. R. F. Sappington was hostess to circle one of the Baptist W. M. S., at her home on Lake Tulane Monday afternoon. Mrs. B. F. Martin conducted the business meeting, and Mrs. W. W. McFarland taught the lesson from the 3rd chapter of John. Mrs. C. W. Pabor led in prayer.

After the meeting, the hostess served refreshing orange juice and ritz crackers to those present who were Mrs. C. W. Pabor, Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. J. D. Sherman, Mrs. M. M. Foster, Mrs. Brisco Willis, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. J. A. Bishop, Mrs. N. G. Langford, and Mrs. Ernest Spencer.

NURSE IN AUSTRALIA

Miss Dorothea Chaddock daughter of Mrs. C. W. Chaddock of Benton Harbor, Mich., and cousin of Mrs. Demos Mandis, Avon Park, is a nurse with General MacArthur's forces in Australia, friends here will be interested to learn. Mrs. Chaddock and her two sons resided in Avon Park several years ago, and news of the family is of cordial interest.

Sgt: "What time is it?"

Daisy: "It's getting late, you'd better get started."

Sgt: "All right, turn out the lights."

Roberts are Hosts to Bridge Club

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts entertained their bridge club at a delightful party at their home on Friday evening. Four tables were in play. Easter lilies were arranged into attractive bouquets and placed at points of vantage, to emphasize a color scheme of yellow and white chosen by the hostess for all party appointments, including the tallies, scorepads, prize wrappings and refreshment course.

Mr. and Mrs. Freed Peden scored high for the evening; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, second high, and W. E. Morgan won the floating prize. A dainty dessert course was served late in the evening, and punch was served during the games.

Those enjoying the party were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Freed Peden, Mrs. J. L. Wells, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware.

Philathea Class Enjoys Party

The Philathea class of the First Baptist Sunday School enjoyed the annual monthly party at the home of Mrs. C. R. Wingfield on Tuesday evening. Spring garden flowers were used to decorate the party rooms to pleasing advantage.

Mrs. E. C. Wever, vice president of the class, conducted a short business meeting. The evening was devoted to games and contests, which proved delightful entertainment.

The hostess served a delicious refreshment course of ice cream soaks, pineapple cake, and salted nuts.

Those present were Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr., Mrs. Durrh Martin, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. Harold Guerndt, Mrs. J. P. Dalton, Miss Evie Canup, Mrs. L. D. McGibsney, Mrs. E. C. Wever, Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. M. M. Foster, and Mrs. A. S. Wingfield.

Special Music Sunday at Methodist Church

The Young People's Choir of the First Methodist Church will furnish the music at the Sunday Morning church service. The choir is under the capable direction of Miss Alma Harrell.

The numbers they will sing are: "Legende" (Tschaikowski); "There Were Ninety and Nine" (Wilson); quartette, "Show Us the Way" (Drake), Marie Basemore, Elizabeth Hall, LouJean Crum, Mary Basemore; "I Love to Tell the Story" (Herman von Berge); "The Lost Chord" (Sullivan).

Miss Harrell will present attendance awards to the following choir members: Joyce Basemore, first; Bobby and Elizabeth Hall, second; and Coram Lamb, third.

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Mrs. Hoene Hostess at Dessert Bridge

Mrs. Eleanor Hoene was hostess on Thursday to members of the Thursday afternoon bridge club, at a lovely dessert bridge. When the tempting dessert course, consisting of ice cream, cake and coffee, was served, the three small tables were each centered with a miniature arrangement of cactus blooms. Bon bon dishes held delicious candies.

The afternoon was devoted to several progressions of bridge, in which Mrs. George Scott McKnight, high scorer, was awarded a cosmetic case containing a hand crocheted dollie; Mrs. Wm. Hauptmann received two wall plaques for her score.

Those enjoying the party as guests of Mrs. Hoene were: Mrs. Wm. Hauptmann, Mrs. George Scott McKnight, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. S. V. Hunnings, and Mrs. Ruth Staggers, of Morgantown, W. Va.

Auxiliary Plans Installation With Legion

The American Legion Auxiliary planned joint installation with the Legion, at their regular business meeting on Monday evening. The newly elected officers of both organizations will be installed at a supper meeting, beginning at 6:30 on this date, at the Legion Home. Other plans discussed, included entertaining the service men in the city, and summer activities.

Those present were Mrs. H. R. Currie, Mrs. C. H. Lewiston, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Mrs. Chas. Sherman, Mrs. Ruth Clowe, Mrs. Ed Welch, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. John H. Hood, Mrs. Demos Mandis, Mrs. D. G. Perry, and Mrs. W. M. Hetherington.

Mrs. Ruth Staggers of Morgantown, W. Va., is building a home next door to her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Hunnings, where she will reside. She is leaving next week for Maine to visit her son, who will enter the service, but plans on returning to Avon Park in the early fall.



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CIVIES LOSE BIG CHANCE IN AERO LEAGUE

Blow 7-Run Lead To Avon Park Bombers

Avon Park's Civilians muffed a chance to move into a three way tie for the league lead when they blew a seven run lead in the night-cap of Sunday's Air Force League double bill at Head Field, finally losing to the Avon Park Bomb Rangers, 12-7.

After exploding for six runs in the first in a rally touched off by Harold Rowe's titanic circuit clout to deep center, and adding another in the second off Joe Koenigs, the Civilians went down before the Bomber wizard's right handed offering without so much as a scratch single in the last five innings.

Skipper, the only Civilian to reach first in those last five frames, got there on a walk, and was immediately extinguished on an attempted steal.

In the meantime the Bombers were unleashing their second real batting attack of the season, battering Rowe off the hill with a five run outburst in the third, tieing the count with three hits off Bo Akin in the fourth, and racing across five runs in the sixth on a single, three walks, and a quartet of errors.

The loss cost the Civilians a chance to move into the top deadlock, as the Hawks had handed the league leading Wings an unexpected 11-3 pasting in the first game, putting the two Hendricks Field teams in a tie for the lead.

Harold Rowe increased his lead in the league batting chase, a third inning double, added to his homer, raising his average to .480.

Bo Akin also got two hits, a triple in the first and a single in the third, in three trips to the plate.

Kanach led the potent Bomber attack, collecting three singles in four trips. Catcher Schoeffler had a single and a triple in four attempts.

After a shaky start in the opener, the Hawks came with a rush in the final inning to gain a decisive victory over a Wing team weakened by a walkout by five key players, including manager Sgt. G. B. Taylor.

Slim Deaton Ellis went the route for the Hawks, limiting the opposition to seven hits and fanning 16, one short of the league record.

The Hawk's 15 hit attack was led by Currie, with four for five and Heredia, with a single, double and triple. Ellis helped to win his own ball game with a fluke tripple and two singles.

The short scores:

Team	R.	H.	E.
Wings 201 000 000	3	7	5
Hawks 101 024 12x	11	15	4

Batteries—Zeigler and Foldesi; Ellis and Britton; Creco.

SECOND GAME

Avon Park 610 000 0	7	8	7
Bombers 005 205 x	11	12	1

Batteries — Rowe, Akin and Akin, Rowe; Cieslinski, Clark, Koenigs and Schoeffler.

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AIR FORCE LEAGUE STANDINGS:

	W	L	Pct.
Hendricks Wings	5	2	.714
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Avon Park	4	3	.571
Hendricks Medicos	3	4	.429
Sebring	2	5	.286
Avon Bombers	2	5	.286

Sunday's Results—Hawks 11, Wings 3; Bombers 12, Avon Park 7; Medicos 3, Sebring 0.

Wednesday's Results—Wings 4, Medicos 1; Hawks 7, Bombers 4; Avon Park 4, Sebring 3.

Sunday's Schedule—2 p. m. at Avon Park, Wings vs. Hawks, Avon Park vs. Bombers; 3 p. m. at Sebring, Medicos vs. Sebring.

AIR FORCE LEAGUE BATTING LEADERS

	G	AB	H	Pct.
Rowe, Avon Park	7	25	12	.480
Currie, Hawks	5	20	9	.450
Tomlinson, Wings	6	12	5	.418
Schoeffler, Bombers	6	17	7	.412
Magana, Wings	5	18	7	.389
Cavanaugh, Medicos	5	18	7	.389
Wollschlaeger, Hawks	7	26	10	.385
Elder, Avon Park	5	13	5	.385
Merrill, Wings	7	29	11	.379
Kanach, Bombers	7	25	9	.360
Foldesi, Wings	7	23	8	.348
Kornaski, Wings	7	26	9	.346

AIR FORCE LEAGUE PITCHING

	W	L	Pct.
Tomlinson, Wings	3	0	1.000
Dadino, Medicos	3	0	1.000
Mickey, Hawks	1	0	1.000
Ripp, Hawks	1	0	1.000
Elde, Sebring	1	0	1.000
Stroupe, Wings	1	0	1.000
Ellis, Hawks	3	1	.750
Akin, Avon Park	2	1	.667
Rowe, Avon Park	2	2	.500
Koenigs, Bombers	2	3	.400
Ziegler, Wings	1	2	.333
M. Long, Sebring	1	3	.250
J. Cave, Sebring	0	1	.000
Knauf, Medicos	0	1	.000
Cox, Medicos	0	1	.000
Lott, Medicos	0	1	.000
Surls, Bombers	0	1	.000
Knedlick, Hawks	0	1	.000
Thornton, Bombers	0	1	.000
Hollenburg, Medicos	0	1	.000
Delgado, Sebring	0	1	.000

Civilians Wear Top As They Beat Firemen

Avon Park's civilian baseball team remained near the top rung of the Air Force league ladder by squeezing out a 4-3 victory over Sebring's Firemen in Sebring Wednesday night.

By their triumph the Avon Parkers stayed just one game behind the league leading Hendricks Field Wings. Tied with Avon for second are the Hendricks Hawks, who defeated the Avon Park Bombing Detachment team, 7 to 4, at Head field Wednesday. In the other half of that doubleheader the Wings beat the Hendricks Medicos, 4 to 1, in a tilt that went an extra inning.

Shortstop Williams was the hitting star for Avon Park, with two blows in three official trips to the platter. Bo Akin, on the mound for Avon Park, limited Sebring to three hits, and Max Long, Sebring hurler, gave up seven.

Sebring rushed over a pair of runs in the first inning, but Avon Park came back with one in its half, on hits by Williams and Akin. Then the winners went ahead in the third, when Williams and Rowe smashed out triples. In the fifth Sebring knotted the count with a run made possible by Near's triple, but Avon Park boomed back in the last half of the inning with what turned out to be the payoff tally. Hits by Rutledge and Elder maunfactured it.

The short scores:

	R.	H.	E.
Sebring 200 010 0	3	3	4
Avon Park 102 010 x	4	7	5

Long and Creel; Akin and Rowe.

Bombers 110 002 0	4	5	4
Hawks 100 105 x	7	6	1

Koenigs and Stevens, Schoeffler; Ripp and Greco.

Wings 100 000 03	4	5	4
Medicos 000 000 10	1	4	5

Stroupe and Foldesi; Hollenburg and Armstrong.

Dry Sundays In Prospect For Swiggers

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Florida, and to all existing publications in this city. And that a copy be spread upon the minutes of this organization.

(Signed) JACK P. DALTON, President.
W. D. CROFT, Secretary.

McCALL RESIGNS

Carey McCall, night patrolman, presented his resignation, effective May 15, which was accepted. McCall stated his resignation was not the result of a recent trouble with soldiers, but he expected to secure a defense job as welder in the near future. He has been taking training at the Sebring vocational school, which course he has finished and is now ready to enter defense work, he said.

Installation Marks Close of PTA Year

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Green, sixth grade teacher, will be secretary of the local rationing board; Miss Janet Cook, girl's director of physical education, has accepted a similar position at Queen's college' Charlotte, N. C. and James A. Davis, high school instructor of Spanish and other subjects, has accepted a position with an insurance company.

Walter S. Bates, spoke of the asset that both Dr. and Mrs. Reeves have been to the school and community and the wonderful school system that has been built up under his leadership. He stressed the special interest that Dr. Reeves has always maintained in the youth of the city. At the close of his talk, he presented Dr. Reeves, on behalf of the P. T. A., with a handsome clock.

Dr. Reeves responded, and expressed his appreciation to everyone for the fine spirit of cooperation, which has been an inspiration to him in his capacity as head of the Avon Park schools. He urged a continuance of this cooperation to the new supervising principal, Arthur S. Wilhite of Lake Placid.

Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb presented Mrs. R. H. Stodden, retiring president, with a past president's pin. In her response to this gesture, Mrs. Stodden thanked all officers, committee chairmen, and members of the organization for their support during her term in office. She, also, expressed appreciation, on behalf of the P. T. A., to Dr. Reeves for the many courtesies he has extended, and for the close feeling of friendship that he has maintained between the school and the home.

Attendence prizes were awarded to Miss Alma Harrell's room for the elementary grades, and to Miss Millie Pearson's home room in the high school.

Mrs. Whitcomb, past president, installed officers for the year 1942-43. They are; H. J. Mummau, president; Mrs. J. E. Spencer, vice president; Mrs. T. J. Ward, secretary; Mrs. James A. Davis, treasurer. They were each presented dainty corsages, with a boutonniere for Mr. Mummau.

The new president announced the following committee chairmen: Mrs. Durrh Martin, welfare; Mrs. J. R. Parrott, room representative; Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, finance; Mrs. Albert Demorest, band; Mrs. Milford Dilley, lunch room; Mrs. W. M. Hetherington, publicity; Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, hospitality; Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, social; Mrs. C. E. Lanier, program; Mrs. Nan Rouse, membership. The historian will be announced later.

In a short program, Miss Alma Harrell announced the dedication of three songs that were sung. "Carolina Moon" was dedicated to Dr. and Mrs. Reeves, who are moving to the Carolinas; the state song, "Swanee River" was dedicated to Band Director E. L. Roberts and Mrs. Roberts, who are moving elsewhere in the state to reside; and a patriotic song, "God Bless America" was sung in dedication to Mr. Mummau, incoming president.

Following the meeting, a social hour was enjoyed in the band room. Refreshments of punch and cookies were served from a lace covered dining table in the band room.

Charles Sherman and Ralph Heim To Receive Degrees

Edward T. Sherman, a graduating senior of Avon Park High school, has made application to enter the University of Florida this summer.

He, and others who are expected to enroll, will leave here for Gainesville June 10 for the opening of the first term the following day.

Avon Park will be in the graduation limelight at the university May 25 when Charles Daniel Sherman, Jr., receives the degree of bachelor of science, and Ralph William Heim receives the degree of bachelor of electrical engineering.

Six Avon Park boys have been members of the University of Florida student body this school year.

The university's war-time program is giving to high school graduates the opportunity to start their college careers in June, rather than wait until the traditional opening in September.

Every phase of the university, including the basic military and ROTC program, will operate this summer on a full-time basic, just as in regular sessions, and many high school boys from all parts of the state are expected to enroll next month.

"Mother, may I keep a diary?
"Yes, dear, you may."
"Then may I do the things to write in it?"

HIGHLANDS COUNTY DEFENSE

Florida Writers Project, WPA
(By Barbara B. Darsey)

Highlands County Defense Council met Thursday night, May 7, at courthouse, Sebring. Ben T. Stewart, chairman, opened the meeting with announcement that all departments are in good working order but more workers are needed. "All citizens," said he, "are urged to volunteer for this vital Defense work."

He also announced that all buildings in the county will be inspected the first week in June to ascertain whether or not owners have complied with State and County Defense Council's request for fire and incendiary bomb fighting equipment. "Names of all persons who have not complied with this very necessary request will be sent to Tallahassee," said he.

"There will soon be held at Tallahassee a two weeks training course for Negroes in civilian defense work. Our Council will select an outstanding representative each from Sebring and Avon Park to take this course. All expenses will be paid," said Stewart.

"Lay in your winter supply of solid fuel, coke and coal, now for domestic cooking and heating," says Ernest Wilkerson, Division Chairman of Power and Fuel. "Mr. Burr of State Defense Council writes that this is necessary within the next three months as after that time all transportation facilities will give troops transportation priority and it may be difficult to secure these supplies."

County Agent Louis Alsmeyer, co-chairman of Salvage is much pleased over the response of county citizens for scrap metal and rubber. The first car load weighing 36 tons has just been shipped to Tampa where it will be sold to junk dealers. "Part of the proceeds of car's sale will be used to buy Defense Stamps to pay those who brought in scrap and wish payment for it," stated Alsmeyer.

"We shipped 36 tons which consisted of the following: 68,850 newly elected officers of bits or-pounds of scrap iron; 100 pounds light copper; 60 pounds light brass; 56 pounds of aluminum; 8 pounds zinc; 21 pounds lead; 10 pounds die casts; a 21 pound radiator; 1 junk battery; 2760 pounds old tires; 6 pounds inner tubes.

"It was lots of hard work, but lots of fun too, and we went over with this car load in a big way. To gather much of the scrap we drove through the county in trucks and picked up quantities of it along the roadsides, we also acquired a real good hot sunburn too, which we couldn't ship to Tampa with the junk.

"Let us not forget that this car-load is only the start, we must continue this salvage as long as there is a piece of scrap in Highlands County. Rubber is particularly needed at this time for tire retreads. Hunt up all your old tires inner tubes, garden hose, overshoes, raincoats and the like and bring them in. Let's all get together and work for a larger car next time," concluded Mr. Alsmeyer.

Mrs. George E. (Gene) Sebring, Jr., Division Chairman of Salvage says: "We are now calling all housewives to combine your cleaning with salvage. Clean out your closets, attics and basements and send the junk to us. Homes will be less of a fire risk and more sanitary with such rubbish gone and the Government needs it all."

N. A. Broking, Division Chairman of Civil Protection, commenting on his phase of Defense work, says: "There are still vacancies in the Air Raid Warning Service of National Defense. Volunteers are asked to get in touch with me, phone 765. Workers in this branch are under the direction of the U. S. Army. The Local Defense Council merely organizes the workers for service under the Army."

Allen Altvater, co-chairman of the 5 action divisions of the Council announces that the various training schools or classes in county are drawing to a close. "After an individual has completed the required training in First Aid, Fire, Gas, etc., he will then be certified as an official worker in Civilian Defense Corps and entitled to wear an arm band with insigna designating his branch of service," stated Mr. Altvater.

P. G. Gearing, Division Chairman of Water Supply and Fire Protection tells us that Gas Defense training schools are scheduled for our County this month: Avon Park, May 12 and 14; Sebring, May 19 and 21; Lake Placid, May 26 and 28. "Schools will begin promptly at 8 p. m. and all members are asked to be present as it is necessary to carry this program through to a finish," said Mr. Gearing.

WIT-LESS HUMOR
From LAMA
(By GUM)

Goldie Locks and the Three Bears

Did I ever tell you about Goldie Locks? I did? Well imagine that! Well, here it is again without the celery and sand.

Once upon a time there was a nice, sweet, good looking number who knew all the answers. (She read the book you know). Well, life got pretty dull around the still so Goldie decided to see what life looked like on the other side of the tracks.

After scouring her grandmother's face with moss and sand, she polished up the rough spots with a "croker" sack, placed the snuff can handy and "took-off". She detoured slightly to take a long pull from the jug (just to cut the dust off her tonsils you know) straightened her eyebrows and ambled into town. Effecting a slight movement with the hips and shoulders, produced a small retinue of followers within the first block, when to and behold our first bear—drooling at the mouth—lunged through the line. Bowing and scraping, he offered to show our violet the sights of the town. She being very innocent and timid, accepted with eagerness (not that she was hungry you know).

Barging into the Cafe Super-Deluxe they secured immediate service by knocking the bar flies off the stools! The moaning of one "lug" when she stepped in his face was so heart-rending that our other two bears came out of the kitchen where they had been engaged in some pleasant assorted crime and sculdduggery, to see what was going on.

Viewing with delight this gentle creature from Alley Cat Swamp, they joined the party, first carefully counting the knives and pistes on the counter. Our blushing violet smirked and beamed on first one and then the other. The conversation ranged from opera to hog swill. One of our bears finally noticed the minions of the law gathering in force outside, so he suggested that they retire to the recreation hall upstairs. Eagerly assenting, our Cobra took the stairs in one jump, affording the ladies only a glimpse of suntan in the right places. Our bears carefully nailed the door shut behind them, perfumed their breath with an extract of corn and ambled upstairs.

One bear suggested they play a game.

They all agreed that the game should be "strip-poker."

Our alley cat agreed, provided they teach her the game.

Cards were shuffled and dealt.

Goldie Locks lost a few nicknacks the first hand. The second go-around the bears lost their watches, shoes and shirts. The third hand left Goldie Locks hiding behind a shirt with the three bears running a temperature! While the fourth hand was being shuffled, Goldie leaned well over the table, exposing a fair amount of creamy white skin. All three bears failed to substitute aces for duces and fours. Our dimpled little wildcat, beaming and cooing, carefully removed four aces from her shorts and bet her all against what they had!

When the three "lugs" came out of their coma, Goldie Locks had everything. And this is the story of Goldie Locks and the Three Bears.

K. P.: "Huh, you can't fool me. I know they've got potato-peeling machines in this man's army."
Sgt. Ott: "Yeah, smart guy, and you are the latest model."

Mother: "Quiet, dear, the sandman is coming."
Modern Child: "O. K., Mom, I won't tell pop."

Pvt: "Do you know the secret of popularity?"
She: "Yes, soldier, but mother said I mustn't."

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Staff Officers for Junior Air Reserve Are Announced

During the past week the staff for the direction of Junior Air Reserve activities was announced as follows: Group Commander, W. C. Pidgeon; Adjutant, Dr. R. H. Jordan; Executive Officer, R. R. Brown; Personnel Officer, D. G. Perry; Supply Officer, E. R. Wells; Intelligence Officer, M. V. Fulcher; First Squadron Leader, W. S. Betts; Senior Flight Leader of "A" Flight, M. G. Whitcomb; Senior Flight Leader of "B" Flight, J. A. Johnson.

It may be interesting to note that during the first three months of 1942, a period of unprecedented activity for American aviation, National Aeronautics Association's Air Youth Division doubled in size. The Junior Air Reserve forms a part of this division and from the applications received by Mr. Perry during the past few days and interest shown, it is no wonder such an outstanding record has been made.

A large supply of Model Airplanes has been obtained and the necessary equipment for handling the work. All of this material will be used by members of the Junior Air Reserve in their regular class periods in model building.

All parents and members of the J. A. R. are urged to listen to the regular Radio Program each Saturday over N. B. C. Red Net Work at 3:15 P. M. Eastern War Time. This "Air Youth For Victory" Program is one of the most outstanding programs of its kind.

Western Auto's Bass Contest Starts May 20

An added incentive to fishermen to go after the "big ones" this year is the Sixth Annual Big Bass Contest sponsored by Western Auto Supply Co. Prizes totaling $4500 in cash value will be awarded to lucky anglers throughout the country. The contest, well-known among veteran fishermen, is open to all—men, women, boys and girls—in the 38 states in which a Western Auto Store or Western Auto Associate Store is located.

All first prize winners in Florida and each of the 38 states will receive fishing tackle with a list value of $40; second prize will be a rifle with a list value of $30; third prize, tackle valued at $25; fourth prize, $15 value and fifth prize, $12 value.

Free entry blanks with complete instructions are available at the local Western Auto Associate Store. The contest is free and open to all; there are no obligations or purchase necessary.

Official opening date of the contest is May 20. Entries are eligible from that date until September 30, when the contest closes. All entries must be sworn to before a Notary Public or verified by a Western Auto Store manager or Western Auto Associate Store owner.

Old Age Grants Amount to $3358 During April

Jacksonville, May 15. (Special) —Cash grants paid to Highlands County recipients of public assistance, (Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Blind and Aid to Dependent Children) during April aggregated $3,358.00, or at the rate of $40,296.00 per year, according to announcement here today from the state office of the State Welfare Board.

Recipients included 208 cases, or an even larger number of individuals, as in the Aid to Dependent Children group each case represents all the children in a family who receive cash benefits.

For the entire state, April disbursements to 49,199 cases aggregated $756,350 or at the rate of $9,072,420 per year, the announcement said. The amount paid out was the largest for a single month since the federal state welfare program was launched in July, 1937. The expansion resulted from new revenues provided by the 1941 session of the legislature through the imposing of additional taxes for Old Age Assistance and Aid to Dependent Children.

In addition to cash grants, State Welfare Commissioner Leland W. Hiatt explained, the state welfare program directly benefits Florida's needy through surplus commodity distribution, the Food Stamp Plan and the School Lunch Program.

Attend School of Instruction

Eastern Star members spending the day Wednesday in Wauchula to attend a School of Instruction of district 15 were Miss Jennie Gribble, worthy matron, who served as warder; Mrs. Lena Clements, Ruth; Mrs. Agnes Cox as marshal, and Mrs. Loca Stuckey, Mrs. Thelma Willis, and Mrs. Nina Prevatt.

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

Notice is hereby given, That Harvey E. Howell, Sebring, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 114, issued the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1938 and Tax Certificate No. 519, 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:

Cert. 743 for 1935 covers SE¼ of SE¼ of NE¼, Section 3 Twp. 35 S Range 29 E.

Cert. 518 for 1938 covers N½ of SE¼ of NE¼, Section 3 Twp 35 S Range 29 E.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of L. L. Gifford and E. G. Wing.

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 June, 1942, which is the 1st day of June, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1942.
(SEAL) H. T. PIERPY
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. O. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
May 1-8-15-22



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Notice To DOG OWNERS

Owners of dogs in the City of Avon Park, are notified to confine their dogs immediately, and keep them off the streets for the next ten days, on account of danger of spread of rabies.

Any dogs found running the streets, after publication of this notice, will be ordered shot.

By order of the Mayor.

M. E. COVINGTON, Mayor
City of Avon Park

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This Week In Avon Park

(By W. M. H.)

Nine big bombers roar out of the dusk on the take-off from a nearby field and inject a discordant note that interrupts a fisherman's reverie at sundown. Content with the day's catch—whether large or small, for to him that is unimportant—he stays on, reluctant to quit the peaceful quietude of that hour "when curfew tolls the knell of parting day.'

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Out of the east and into the west fly the gray forms on some training mission perhaps — out over the gulf—or on to the West, and ever West, until they reach that destination for which their crews have been preparing.

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The drone of motors grows fainter, and is lost in eternity . . . a bass strikes in a nearby tuft of grass . . . cover of darkness brings out teeming timid creatures who start their nightly serenade on shore . . . the sun, now gone, reflects an erie tinge on the tip of a low-hung cloud, and a new moon sails on high . . . a cool breeze stirs in the east, and it looks like it might rain before morning . . . peace and quiet return to the scene . . . and the fisherman knows why he sought the comforting solitude of the open, where God's peace ever decends on those who seek it, and where Nature, with her all-encompassing charm bids him to come and rest awhile.

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Mayor Covington is asking assistance in a program of beautifying Bougainvillea cemetery. His appeal should, and undoubtedly will, receive the support of the public. The cemetery, at present, is in a run-down condition and needs immediate care. The mayor has just directed the planting of over a 100 new palms. Other palms and ornamentals need fertilizer and work, and the mayor is asking assistance in this good work. Certainly those who have loved ones buried there will help, and every public-spirited citizen should take sufficient interest in the project to see that the cemetery gets the care and attention that it deserves.

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The chamber of commerce is again officially coming back into action, after a layoff of over a year, and new life is about to be injected into the organization. While officially the chamber of commerce has been inactive it is only fair to say that a group of civic-minded individuals have been functioning 100 percent for Avon Park, and through their energetic efforts the interests of the city have been cared for in many public matters that required action. These individuals have had no funds to draw on, and whatever expenses have been incurred have been met by the individuals themselves. These same efforts will continue to further promotion of Avon Park's interests, and it is indeed fortunate that such a group is ready and willing to give their time in the public interest. Others who have not been so active, are now invited to join this group and cooperate in a larger movement that will bring still further benefits to all of us. The new membership campaign is open and will continue until June 2. Get in now and do your part.

School Children Invest $2000 in Stamps and Bonds

Last week was stamp week in the Avon Park Public Schools. The week ended with a program given in the auditorium by pupils of the elementary school under the direction of Mrs. Frank Morgan, the music supervisor for the grades. Prize for the most stamps and bonds purchased by one home room, went to Miss Alma Harrell's fourth grade room. This room purchased a total of $1417.75 worth of stamps and bonds.

After a final check up it was discovered that approximately $2,000 had been invested in stamps and bonds by the pupils of the schools. The office of the school announces that $7,173.00 have been invested in stamps and bonds by the pupils and teachers of the school during the school year. The office has kept stamps on sale for the pupils at all times, thus giving pupils opportunity to purchase these stamps while at school. The office announces that an average of $5.00 per day has been sold the students throughout the year, with the largest day's sale amounting to $105.00. All teachers and pupils are to be complimented on this splendid showing in the investment in the future of America.

C. of C. Opens Membership Campaign

Annual Dinner Meeting To Be Held June 2

Following a period of inactivity, the chamber of commerce got off to a fresh start last Friday night with a barbecued chicken supper at Hartt's Desire, when a new membership campaign was launched and enthusiastically supported by fifty or more present. Over $1200 was reported subscribed in cash and pledges, and the drive will be continued until June 2, when the annual meeting will be held, and new directors and officers elected.

The old board of directors met at the chamber of commerce room Wednesday afternoon, and President Walter Betts appointed a membership committee consisting of Wiley Sauls, Harry Price and O. C. Wilkes.

It was voted to have the annual meeting a dinner meeting to be held at the Jacaranda hotel at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, June 2. E. H. Ware and R. R. Brown were appointed as a dinner committee. Ladies will be invited to attend.

The chamber of commerce is engaged in making a survey of available machinery, equipment and tools, which it is proposed shall be pooled, and go after war contracts for small articles that could be manufactured here. A shop committee was appointed composed of E. Ray Wells, Charlie Lanier, Ed Gough and Irwin Ford, and a motor pool committee of John Hood and Harry Price was appointed. It will be their business to make a survey of the prospects and present their findings to proper government departments in an effort to get contracts here. The plan was proposed by Charlie Lanier, who attended a recent Polk county meeting and brought back information of procedure.

The old board voted to pay outstanding bills.

Agricultural Leaders Appointed For Highlands

In order to assist in the agricultural situation for the duration of the war and post war period, County Agent Louis H. Alsmeyer has announced the appointment of the following persons to serve in the various communities: Earl W. Hartt, Harold Worden, Byrum Shockley, C. Parke Anderson, E. G. Todd, Mrs. J. C. Ragsdale, Hayes Maxwell, P. C. Morrell and R. H. Lawhon of Avon Park, Guy Maxcy, Jesse Vaughn, W. B. Crawford, F. C. Payne, A. M. Wolfe, Mrs. R. W. Boyce, V. G. Watters, I. C. Hart, Dr. J. D. Hodge, Floyd Schumacher, Lewis Green, S. J. Rudasill, H. O. Sebring and A. L. Butler of Sebring, A. K. Hallett, Phillip Correll, Frank Tauchen, Mrs. Allie Mae Mason of DeSoto City, Albert DeVane, A. L. Hall, C. L. Crawford, Ivey E. Futch, W. J. Kelly, John Smoak and Mrs. Frank Lewis of Lake Placid, C. H. Shackelford of Hicoria, T. Jesse Durrance of Brighton, C. L. Reynolds, T. A. Cason, Julian Montsdoca, V. H. Crutcher, Mrs. Geo. Waggamann and Ralph Richardson of Lorida, Miss Edna Pearce of Bassinger and Mrs. N. B. Jackson and Jim Hargrove of Venus.

The above agricultural leaders are appointed with the approval and recommendations of the County Agricultural Planning Council, and they do constitute a regular group who will keep informed on the agricultural situation as it affects the Program to win the war. Additional numbers will be appointed to this as the need develops.

AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP

Miss Betty Touchton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Touchton, has been named as one of the winners of the recent competition scholarship contests, which were held in several States in April, and which entitles her to a $1,000 scholarship to Brenau college at Gainesville, Ga., The scholarship is divided over a period of four years, $250.00 a year.

AUSTRALIANS WRITE PARENTS ABOUT SOLDIER

Eugene Martin Billeted With Aussie Family

Eugene Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Martin, who joined the army about five months ago, is stationed in Australia, and with a companion, was entertained for several days at the home of Alex B. Wilson, Ballarat, Victoria, Australia. The Martins are in receipt of a very interesting letter from the folks from "down under," expressing pleasure at having had the boys with them. Their letter:

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Martin,

We recently had the pleasure of billeting your son Eugene Martin and his companion James Hirt in our home for six days.

It was one of the greatest pleasures we have ever had, and words can hardly describe how much we appreciated their company. Upon the arrival of their convoy in Melbourne, they were sent inland to Ballarat, approximately 70 miles north west of the Capital for a refresher. The citizens of Ballarat undertook to billet your splendid boys, two being allotted to each home. The conduct of your boys was of such high order that it is the chief topic of conversation, and when a further contingent arrived later, they were twitted with the fact that they had a reputation to live up to, but they readily answered "We can do it."

This is a fulfillment of a promise that I would write. We felt the parting very much, but the job in front of your lads and ours is a big one, and time is precious if we are to keep the enemy out of this land of ours. We are confident this can be done now that we have the U. S. A.'s assistance at hand.

In their short stay we did our utmost to show them our Garden City, they were delighted with what they saw, and I am sure that they will remember for all time what they had the opportunity of seeing.

Eugene and Jim will come to us if it is at all possible for them to do so whilst in this part of the globe, and we can assure you that they will have an unprecedented welcome, and our utmost care. They have promised to write us as often as opportunity permits them to do so.

We also had a very welcome visitor Henry Miller, a pal of Eugene's and Jim's. He was billetted at a nearby neighbor's, but was a constant visitor.

Enclosed are a few snaps of the boys, and our little household which will serve to introduce us to you. We now have a joint interest in the American boys, and all Australia welcomes the opportunity of reciprocating in the efforts that United States is making for our survival and safety.

Eugene was in excellent health and spirits, and he wanted to let you know where he was.

I trust that we will hear from you in due course.

With kindest regards from my wife, daughter, and self.

I remain,
Yours sincerely,
Alex B. Wilson

Thanks For Seminole Program

Mrs. Barbara B. Darsey, Florida Writers Project, WPA, wishes to express herewith her deep appreciation to the following friends who so kindly cooperated with her in presenting the Florida Seminole Indian Program for the Service men of the Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment at Avon Park last Friday night: Ben T. Stewart, Chairman Highlands County Council, Mesdames Ward and Coen, Miss Kate Spencer of WPA Recreation Project, the Misses Nell Ross, Corine Pate, Rebecca Holton and Josephine Farr, and the Scenic Highlands Sun, all of Avon Park; Little Miss Nancy Beth Heacock and her mother, Mrs. Ford W. Heacock, Mesdames Mitchell Ferguson and Bob Twitty, and the Staff and Book Club, all of Sebring; Mr. and Mrs. William D. Boehmer, Brighton Indian Day School, Glades County Reservation, of Seminole Indian Agency of Florida.

Legion and Auxiliary Hold Installation

Ed. R. Bentley Installs and Addresses Vets

Ed R. Bentley, of Lakeland, past department commander of the American Legion, installed officers of Highlands Post No. 69 and its Auxiliary, at a supper meeting at the Legion home on Tuesday evening.

Post officers installed were: Howard Maddox, commander; W. T. Connell, 1st vice commander; L. P. Childers, 2nd vice commander; C. H. Lewiston, sergeant at arms; A. McKee Elwell, service officer; John H. Hood, finance officer; H. R. Currie, chaplain; D. G. Perry, historian.

Auxiliary officers installed were Mrs. Kathleen Currie, president; Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, vice president; Mrs. Mary Holcomb, secretary; Mrs. Frieda Welch, treasurer; Mrs. Edith Maddox, sergeant at arms; Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, chaplain; Mrs. C. H. Lewiston, assistant chaplain.

Mrs. Ruth Clowe, retiring president of the auxiliary, was presented a past president's pin. Corsages were given to each of the retiring officers.

Mrs. W. J. Prevatt presented her husband, retiring Commander Prevatt with a past commander's pin.

The oficer's table held a beautiful arrangement of red rambler roses and blue cornflowers. Lilies, roses and other seasonable flowers, decorated the club house.

Mr. Bentley gave a stirring address in which he said that Americans must wake up to the fact that we are in a long and hard fight which will be waged on two fronts—the home front and the battle front. The home front is an important factor in this war, as statistics show that civilian casualties are as heavy as among the soldiers in battle. We must tighten up and get in the fight.

The present conflict is an outgrowth of the first World War, peace terms of which were bungled, and failure of this country to take part in the League of Nations, he charged. "Woodrow Wilson was as much a victim of the war as was any soldier killed on Flanders field, and shallow-minded politicians of this country contributed to his death, by refusal to take part in the League, and use the resources and power of this country to prevent another war."

H. C. Price, district commander, and others attending gave reports from the recent state convention. J. S. Francis spoke briefly on the present situation.

Following the meeting, a bountiful chicken pillau supper with all the trimmings was served.

Touchton Drug Store Undergoing Improvements

The Touchton Drug Store is being thoroughly streamlined this week, and will be entirely modernistic in every respect, when completed. The entrance to the store on the right side, has been replaced with large plate glass windows to offer a view of a most attractive interior.

A number of new tables, with comfortable leather upholstered chairs have been added, augmented by booths, with matching leather seats, which are placed down the rear center of the store.

The prescription department has a new glassed in front, and all showcases have been rearranged to allow more space to the interior, which is illuminated with newly installed flourescent lighting.

J. L. Sherry of Clearwater, a registered pharmacist, has been added to the personnel of the store, and Mrs. H. D. Butler has accepted a position as cashier and assistant in the store.

Buy War Bonds Every Pay Day
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Let's Double Our Quota

Beautification of Cemetery Is Under Way

Mayor Asks For Funds To Assist With Work

This week Mayor Covington had 100 Cocos Plumosus palms set out in Bougainvillea cemetery as a start on his program of beautification, in which he will add new plants and shrubs and bring back to their former beauty the hundreds of palms and plants in the plot.

As there are no city funds for the purpose, the mayor is asking the citizens of Avon Park, and those who have relatives buried there to assist him by sharing the expense of his program.

The palms were donated by Dr. W. C. Touchton a year and a half ago and were potted and raised by Mr. Covington. Dr. Touchton has again donated more small palms, which the mayor will raise until they are large enough to transplant.

Mayor Covington feels strongly the need of taking care of the cemetery, and thinks it a disgrace that such little care has been given it. "It burns me up with shame when I see how we neglect the resting places of our dear ones who have gone on," said the mayor. "We need a ton of fertilizer and I make a special appeal to the grove owners and caretakers to give us this fertilizer to fertilize the hundreds of palms that are gradually dying for want of care. There are about 200 Sago palms that must be sprayed, or they will be gone.

"I have engaged H. R. Currie to spray them at once and they must be sprayed three or four times. When I know how beautiful the cemetery could be made, I know the people are going to respond to this appeal and give me the money to have this work done. Make contributions directly to me or leave at either drug store. Leave fertilizer with Mr. Currie at Avon Gardens, just north of the mall on road 8.

"Cut this article out and mail to someone who you think will make a donation. A hundred dollars spent now will work wonders. It will take a man a week to cut the grass from around the palms, so they can be fertilized. This will cost money. Let us have your contributions now."

Mayor Covington acknowledges cash contributions from the following: M. E. Covington, T. A. McNicholas, Dr. I. W. Chandler, Thayer's Drug Store, Earl Hartt, Mrs. S. E. Roberts, Jordon & Son, Wm. Hauptmann, B. F. Martin, D. F. Canfield, R. I. Harris, E. N. Griffith, J. C. Ragsdale, O. R. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morrell, C. E. Crabtree, Mrs. L. M Orr, Fred Smith, Hall's Dry Cleaners, Carter's Groceteria, Mrs. H. W. Hardin, Irving Ford, Mrs. Ida Ott, Mrs. Theo. Weisheyer, Ray Wells. A 200 pound sack of fertilizer was given by: John Giddens, W. E. Morgan, J. H. Jones, Hayes Maxwell and E. G. Todd.

TIRES OR TUBES GRANTED FROM MAY 1 TO MAY 20

Charles Krause, Irving H. Ford, T. J. Harris, W. D. Croft, Dr. W. C. Touchton, H. L. Bryant, S. Y. Hartt & Son, Earl Green, C. Victor Smith, Charles Guerndt, H. C. Bigbie, Willie Martin.

Retreads or Recaps

Mandis Stock Farm, W. D. Croft, Dr. W. C. Touchton, B. A. Cox, M. G. Whitcomb, Earl Green, Charles Guerndt, W. C. Pidgeon, Frank Armistead, G. B. McEachern, Ridge Fuel Co.

GEO. TRAUTMAN MARRIED

George M. Trautman, Columbus, Ohio, president of the American Association of Baseball Clubs, was married to Mrs. Jane Daly Asbury of Valdosta, Ga., on May 8.

Mr. Trautman, formerly president of the Columbus Red Birds, spent several seasons in Avon Park, and was here last winter in his present position as head of the American Association.

Our boys at the front need a steady flow of supplies. You can assure this by systematic purchase of U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps.

32 PASS TESTS FOR GAS DEFENSE

Take Course In Chemical Warfare

Last week thirty-two Civilian Defense Workers of Avon Park passed the Gas Defense Training Course.

The Highlands County Council secured the services of Mr. W. W. Harwood and Mr. W. C. Pidgeon of the Lodwick Military Academy, to give this training in chemical warfare. These able instructors so completely conducted this five hour course that every member that enrolled passed the examination. The Defense Council is very grateful for the fine work these gentlemen are doing throughout our county, in the interest of training the Civilian Defense Workers in chemical warfare.

This week the school was carried to Sebring and sixty-seven members were enrolled for this gas defense training. Mr. Harwood stressed the importance of this work and it would no doubt be instrumental in saving and protecting lives in the event we are raided with gas bombs. He thoroughly explained the different types of gases and their effect upon the human body. He also explained that in many cases a less persistent gas was used shortly before an invasion. The most potent gases were generally used for the destruction of the population.

"Our enemies are not too good to bring this affliction on us with gas. They have already done so on other nations. The least and best we can do is to be prepared and not asleep on the job" quoted Mr. Harwood.

Next week the Gas Defense School will be carried to Lake Placid, by the same instructors.

The following men who are members of the Citizen Defense Corps, known as the Action Divisions, took this training in Avon Park:

Monroe E. Powell, T. W. Bramhall, Otto Skipper, J. M. Davis, H. C. Warren, M. G. Whitcomb, Tom Childers, F. W. Shockley, R. H. Lawhon, W. T. Connell, J. O. Bridges, Bill Sachsenmaier, Jimmie Johnson, R. A. Carver, Ben T. Stewart, Jesse Russ, W. D. Fletcher, W. W. Giddens, C. H. Shepherd, G. C. Daly, Mark Smith, S. G. Patterson, W. T. Connell, Jr. W. W. Sherertz, M. W. Davis, R. I. Brown, I. L. Hall, J. B. Martin, Milford Dilley, Joe Prevatt, Wilford Hill, R. R. Porterfield, T. J. McGinnis, John Elwell, Howard Maddox, F. H. Morrell.

All the above with the exception of S. G. Patterson, Howard Maddox, Bill Sachsenmaier, W. D. Fletcher, and H. C. Warren have also had First Aid Training.

Because of the heavy rains which were present on the nights for the school, in Avon Park, it will be necessary to bring another week's training period here. It is the desire of the Defense Council to have all their men in the Action division thoroughly trained in all the courses that are required by the middle of June.

Any member that does not take part in these training courses will not be recognized in Washington as a bonafide member of the Civilian Defense Army. They will not be privileged to wear the official insignia of their particular division of work. Therefore, the Defense Council sincerely urges all members in the Action Division to take these training courses, not only to be a certified member, but in order to be able to render a better service to their community when, and if it is needed.

Ben T. Stewart, Chairman
Highlands County Defense Council.

Three New Faculty Members Named

Three new members of the faculty for the Avon Park schools have been anounced this week as follows: Mrs. H. H. Shepherd will teach science, formerly taught by H. J. Mummau; Miss Louque of Perry, a graduate of Florida Woman's College, Tallahassee, will teach physical education, health, and history, which has been taught by Miss Janet Cook; and Miss Barbara Hunter, a graduate of Stetson will be director of the band and glee club.

Largest Class Will Graduate From Hi School

Doyle Carlton To Give Address To Seniors

Graduation exercises for the Avon Park High School will begin Sunday night May 24 in the School Auditorium with O. E. Moss, Minister of the Church of Christ delivering the sermon. All churches of the city will unite as usual in this service by dismissing regular church service for that night. All ministers of the city will take part on the program.

Monday morning, at 9:20, during the regular assembly hour the senior class will have its class day exercises. This is the usual program and will be as follows: Class history, Robbie Lee Hart, Martha McNicholas, Tom Martin, Louise Bishop; Class Prophecy, Tommy Bryant; Class will, Lillian Kelley, Powell Skipper; Class giftorians, Peggy Mandis, Betty Touchton, Gloria Hughs,

Tuesday morning at 8:00 the P. T. A. will give the high school faculty and senior class a breakfast, at the parish house. This feature of commencement has become a tradition as the P. T. A. has given this breakfast since 1937. It is the most unusual affair given the seniors and they look forward to it each year.

Tuesday night, May 26, at 8:00 Ex Governor Doyle E. Carlton will give an address to the senior class. This is the night of graduation and awards for outstanding service will be given the seniors that night as well as diplomas the members have worked for twelve years. There are 37 members of the class this year. This is the largest class in the history of the school.

The band will give a program of music as the audience is assembling, and will play as the Processional, "Avon Park March" (Roberts). Theinvocation will be given by the Rev. Jack P. Dalton, pastor of the First Methodist Church.

The band will be heard in a musical number, "America Overture" (Buchel), preceding the speaker for the evening, who will be introduced by Col. F. N. K. Bailey, superintendent of Highlands county schools.

Class honor students, who have made a "B" average, or better are Mildred Barnard, Louise Bishop, Mary Carratt, Allie Dixon, Gloria Hughs, Lillian Kelley, Margaret Mandis, Martha McNicholas, Edward Sherman, Powell Skipper, Betty Touchton, Dorothy Welch.

The class roll is as follows:

Thomas Bryant, Milton Cook, Sanford Hartt, Desmond Roberts, Leon Sheumaker, James Williams, Louise Bishop, James Bradbury, Alta Frizzell, Erle Pabor, Edward Sherman, Powell Skipper, Jack Witt, Catherine Bryan, Joe Cannon, Earl Cook, Daymon Sadler, Albert Wester, Jack Williams, Jean Cannon, Mary Carratt, Jewell Collins, Robbie Lee Hart, Juanita Hunt, Peggy Mandis, Martha McNicholas, Juanita Crosby, Eloise Hill, Lillian Kelley, Irene McCullers, Mildred Barnard, Naomia Dixon, Gloria Hughs, Tom Martin, Betty Touchton, Dorothy Welch, Marjorie Wells.

The ninth grade, or Junior high school graduating class will hold its graduation exercises Tuesday morning at 10:00 in the school auditorium. The program will consist of an address by Dr. R. H. Jordan and awarding of diplomas which will admit the members to the senior high school. Members of the class are as follows:

Bessie Ames, Roy Bennett, Arthur Carratt, Billy Connell, Marjorie Flowers, Mary Elizabeth Hall, Audrey Hershburger, Johnny O'Conner, E. J. Johns, David Lanier, Joe McConnell, Donald Moore, Alice Rouse, Velma Stewart, Dewey Tew, Howard Todd, Effie Lee Williams, Winifred Archer, Ernest Bryant, Wanda Chandler, John Elwell, Joy Gandy, Bobby Hardin, Ruth Holloway, Bill Hood, Cooledge Knowles, Sammy Longbottom, Billy Meeks, James Perdue, Juanita Sauls, Richard Stodden, Pauline Thomas, Julia Trowell, Edna Willis, Jeanette Barker, Gordan Carlisle, Geraldine Connell, Alfred Engleman, Arthur Gregory, Betty Lynn Helms, T. F. Hunt, Betty Landress, Gene Mathis, Re-

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Folks You Know . .

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tappan of Lake Placid are located temporarily at the Todd apartment.

Mrs. E. P. Loomis spent the past week end in Columbus, Ga., with her daughters, Miss Marguerite Loomis and Mrs. D. D. Martin.

Mrs. Gertrude Starkey of St. Petersburg spent last week with her sister, Mrs. L. E. Bass, returning home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lander, who have been visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. L. E. Bass, and other relatives here, returned to Raiford Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Roberts returned home Tuesday from Ocala, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dutton and family for several days.

Rev. J. P. Dalton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, returned home this week end from San Antonio, Texas, where he has been attending the Southern Baptist Convention the past week.

Walton Touchton, Desmond Roberts, and Francis Skipper, who enlisted in the Air Corps and recently went to Camp Blanding, have been transferred to Maxwell Field, Ala., for military training.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Reninger left this week for their home in Norfolk, Neb., after spending the season in Avon Park. Mr. and Mrs. Reninger are the parents of Mrs. Frank Costine.

Mrs. B. T. Crosby spent last week at the bedside of her father, L. M. Stokes of Wauchula. Mr. Stokes died Sunday, his funeral being held Monday afternoon at the Coker Funeral Home, with interment in the Wauchula cemetery.

Mrs. Laura P. Ward and daughter, Mary Susan will arrive today from Crawfordville to spend the summer with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pardee. Mrs. Ward has been a member of the faculty of the Crawfordville school for the past several years, but has accepted a position to teach in the Lake Placid school the coming term, her many Highlands county friends will be delighted to learn.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hughs will leave Sunday night for Tallahassee to attend the graduation ceremonies at Florida State College for Women. Their daughter, Miss Dot Hughs will graduate, with a B. S. degree in Commerce. Miss Hughs has accepted a position on the faculty of the Walsh School of Commerce in Fort Lauderdale, and will leave about the middle of June to assume her duties. She will return home with her parents from Tallahassee on Tuesday.

HONEY COOKERY

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

Don't deny your children wholesome cookies and candies because sugar is now rationed. Use Nature's own wholesome sweet. Honey, in place of sugar. Honey will provide a delicious flavor of its own and will aid in keeping cookies moist and crumbly as well as in prolonging their keeping qualities but made with honey they'll taste so good you won't be able to keep them long.

The flow of Palmetto Nectar has recently been stored by the bees as honey and harvested at apiaries and is now o the market. This is a most delicious, light colored honey, which imparts a distinctive flavor to cookery.

DATE BARS:

1 cup honey, 3 eggs, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1 cup flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1 cup dates, cut fine, 1 cup meats, chopped.

Beat eggs well, add honey slightly warmed, salt and vanilla and mix well. Mix and sift flour and baking powder, add dates and nuts, then combine this with egg mixture. Pour in greased, shallow pans to depth of one-fourth inch. Bake in moderate oven 30 to 40 minutes. Cut in strips and store in cake box or jar for few days as this improves taste.

HONEY COOKIES

1 cup honey, 1-4 cup butter, 1-3 cup pecan meats cut small, grated rind, 1 lemon (Florida lemon) 1-2 teaspoon ground cinnamon, 1-2 teaspoon ground cloves, 1-2 teaspoon cardaman seed, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 2 1-4 cups flour.

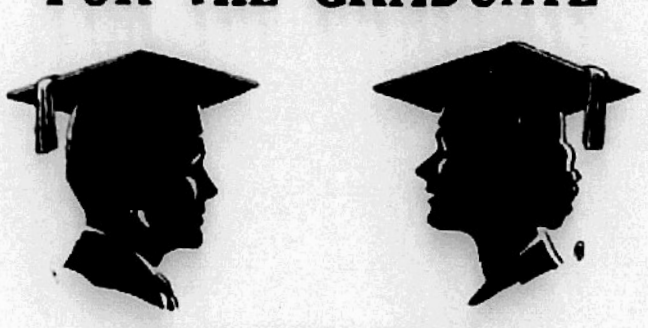
Mix honey and butter and heat for about 5 minutes (be sure not to boil); add all other ingredients except baking powder and mix well. Let cool then sift in baking powder and mix again. Let this stand over night at room temperature. Roll thin and cut cakes in size and shape as desired. Bake on greased baking sheet or in shallow pan till an ambar color, usually 8 to 10 minutes at 350 degrees F. These are delicious for children's parties.Cut in attractive shapes and iced or decorated with candied fruits and frosted nuts.

HONEY DROP COOKIES

1 cup fat, 1-4 cup sugar, 1-2 cup honey, 2 cups flour, 2 eggs, 1-2 teaspon soda, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-2 teaspoon vanilla, 2 drops almond extract, 1-2 cup nut meats, chopped, 1-2 cup seedless raisins, cut in half, or plumped.

Cream fat and sugar, add honey, beaten eggs and flavoring. Sift flour, soda and salt together and add to first mixture; drop in nuts and raisins and combine all thoroughly. Drop by dessert spoonfuls on oiled baking sheet or in shallow pan. Bake in moderate oven (350-375 degrees F.)

FOR THE GRADUATE



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THAYER'S
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Piano Recital

BY THE PUPILS OF
Mrs. J. B. Coen, Jr.
AT THE HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
THURSDAY, MAY 28
8:00 P. M.

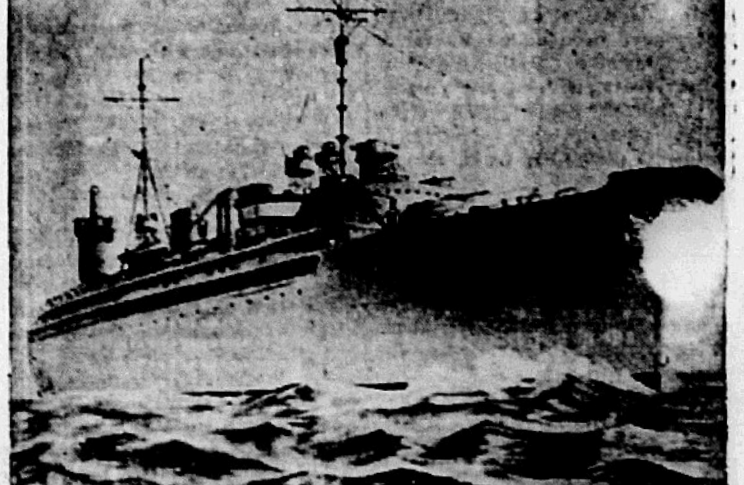
Song of the Mermaids / Flute: Merry Millstream — John M. Williams
MICKIE WARE
The Dream Boat — John M. Williams
Dolly's Bedtime Song — Robert A. Hellard
SHEILA BOWMAN
Summer Time Frolic — Mildred Adair
The Jolly Cobbler — Louise E. Stairs
ARDEN ANDERSON
The Curtsey — Cedric Saxon
MARGARET LAWHON
Duett—A Little Prayer — Bernice Rose Copeland
MARGARET AND PATRICIA
Grasshopper's Frolic — Bryan Dority
PATRICIA SMITH
Hear the Old Bozooka — N. Louise Wright
JACK WARD
Duett—Oh! Susanna — Stephen Foster
JACK AND TED
On a Bright Blue Sea — Milo Stevens
TED WARD
Menuet — J. S. Bach
Moths — John Thompson
ANNA VILKAITIS

TRANSPOSITIONS

Little Miss Springtime — Helen W. Porter
GRETA NEWSOME
Duett—Climbing Roses — Frances Terry
GRETA AND ONA FAYE
Sparkles — Ella Ketterer
ONA FAYE WILLIAMS
The Bee and the Clover — Adam Geibel
Chasing Moonbeams — Bert R. Anthony Op. 214, No. 1
ANN PABOR
A Merry Game and Song — Walter Rolfe
KATHRYN JETT
Duett—The Old Sundial — Frances Terry
KATHRYN AND LYNN
Elves — James H. Rogers Op. 50, No. 1
LYNN LONGBOTTOM
The Butterfly — N. Louise Wright
MARY ROUSE
Duett—Bouree from 'Cello Suit No. 3, — J. S. Bach
MARY AND GLORIA
Voice of Spring — Ronald O'Neil
GLORIA GARBER
(Please applaud only between groups)

FRIDAY, MAY 29

A Woodland Story — Eula Lindfors
March of the Clowns — Cedric W. Lemont Op. 9, No. 4
E. C. WEVER
Swiss Yodeler — G. A. Grant-Schaefer
BILLY CONNELL
Duett—Jack-o-Lantern Parade — Marie Rapelje
BILLY AND JERRY
The Marionette — John Thompson
JERRY CONNELL
White Orchids — James Francis Cooke
DOROTHY EDWARDS
Duett—May Day Dance — Frances Terry
DOROTHY AND BETTY LYNN
Ballade — Fredrick Burgmuller
BETTY LYNN HELMS
German Song — P. Tschaikowsky Op. 39, No. 17
BARBARA LAWHON
Duett—Waltz of the Flowers — P. Tschaikowsky
BARBARA AND BETTY JO
Spider Dance — Helen L. Cramm Op. 14 No. 2
BETTY JO WELLS
Will-o-the Wisp — Cedric W. Lemont Op. 16 No. 5
EDITH CROFT
Duett—With Muted Strings — August Noelck
EDITH AND DOT
Crinoline Days — Gerald F. Frazee
DOT GRIBBLE
An April Shower — Cedric W. Hemont Op. 8, No. 1
YVONNE HEAD
Duett—Parade March — Josef Low
YVONNE AND ROGER
Poupee Valsante (Dancing Doll) — Ed Poldini
ROGER SAPPINGTON
Mazurka No. 2 — Felix Borowski
DAVID LANIER
Duett—Minute From Symphony in E Flat — W. A. Mozart
DAVID AND SAMMY
Gigue Bretonne — G. Bachmann
SAMMY LONGBOTTOM
Humoresque — P. Tschaikowski Op. 10, No. 2
MARY ELIZABETH HALL
Minuet from Sonata Op. 7, — Edward Grieg
MARY ELIZABETH AND WINIFRED
Romance / Whims — Robert Schumann
WINIFRED DEMOREST
Villanelle — James H. Rogers Op. 33, No. 2
DOROTHY LAWHON
Duett—Two Spanish Dances Op. 12, Nos. 1 and 2 M. Moszkowski
DOROTHY AND MADGE
Waltz in D Flat — Fredrick Chopin Op. 64, No. 1
MADGE PILCHER
Shattentanz (Shadow Dance) — Edward Mc Dowell
Lento — Cyril Scott
BETTY TOUCHTON
Duetts—Dark Eyes, Russian Gypsy Air Transcribed by Rob Roy Peery
Hungarian Dance No. 5, — Johames Brahms
Betty AND PEGGY
Gavotte / Musette — Eugene D'Albert
PEGGY MANDIS
(Classes conducted during June and July)



SUBMARINE MOTHER SHIP—This is an artist's conception of a new submarine tender, one of several such ships being rushed to completion for the United States Navy. Each of these vessels will be used as a supply base and mother ship for a fleet of submarines in action against the Axis powers. Both the main and auxiliary engines in these vessels are General Motors Diesel engines. Such service demands high speed, ready maneuverability and exceptionally wide cruising range.

Church Notes

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"Soul And Body" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, May 24.

The Golden Text is: "Why art thou cast down, O my soul? and why art thou disquieted within me? hope thou in God: for I shall yet praise him, who is the health of my countenance, and my God" (Psalms 42:11).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Return unto thy rest, O my soul; for the Lord hath dealth bountifully with thee. For thou hast delivered my soul from death, mine eyes from tears, and my feet from falling" (Ps. 116:7,8).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Life is the law of Soul, even the law of the spirit of Truth, and Soul is never without its representative. Man's individual being can no more die nor disappear in unconsciousness than can Soul, for both are immortal." (p.427:2-7).

UNIOU CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Topic: "The Last Day With the Disciples." Classes for all ages. Start Sunday well by attending Sunday School. A welcome awaits you.

Morning worship service at 11 o'clock, when Memorial Sunday will be observed as a tribute to those heroic men and noble women who suffered and died for America in order to preserve our liberties and secure to us our American way of life. Let us show our appreciation of the great sacrifices they made by honoring their memory in this service. "They live forever" and we must never forget them. Sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on: "They Died That We Might Live."

The Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship will not meet on Sunday evening on account of the baccalaureate service at the High School at 8:00 P. M., when the sermon will be preached by the Rev. O. E. Moss. All citizens are urged to attend this service.

The "Quiet Hour" service for praise and prayer, with a brief address by the Pastor, will be held on Wednesday at 8:00 P. M. Everybody invited to be present.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. G. S. Roberts, pastor of the First Methodist Church, will speak on the subject, "The Value of Church Ordinances" at the 11 o'clock Sunday morning service. There will be no services in the evening, as the congregation will attend the Commencement Sermon at the high school auditorium.

A picnic is being planned for the Young People's Choir, and the entire Sunday School, the date and place to be announced Sunday morning.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Communion 7:30 A. M.
Sunday School 9:30 A. M.
Holy Communion and Sermon 11:00 A. M.
Richard I. Brown, vicar.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass at Avon Park Woman's Clubhouse Verona Ave.

Sunday morning, May 24 at 8:30 A. M. Father Cann, Pastor.

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Ben Stewart, owner of Stewart's Men's Shop stated that Lewis Nader was almost born a good shoemaker, in his life of forty-seven years he has tried at various times other means of livlihood, but his love for shoe making always brought him back to the bench.

Mr. Nader's home is in Sanford, he has a wife and four children, two boys and two girls. His oldest son is joining up with Uncle Sam in the Navy after school is out this term.

"My customers shoe repair problems in the hands of Lewis Nader will be cared for in the most up-todate manner and methods of shoe rebuilding," stated Mr. Stewart.

Have you heard about the private who went to the CQ and asked for four bits because he understood that he was in charge of quarters?

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

Highlands Hammock Company, A Corporation, Plaintiff.
vs.
Paul W. Beerman et al, Defendant.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of a final decree and amendment thereof, issuing out of the above entitled Court and in the above entitled cause, the undersigned Special Master will offer for sale at public outcry at the south door of the Court House, Sebring, Florida, between the hours of eleven o'clock A. M. and two o'clock P. M., on Monday, June 1, 1942, the following described property located in Highlands County, Florida, to-wit:

FIRST: The SE¼ of the NE¼; and the S½, less the NE¼ of the SW¼ and less 28 acres in the S½ of the SE¼ and the SE¼ of the SW¼ south of the highway, and less the NW¼ of the SW¼ and the N½ of the N½ of the N½ of the N½ of the SW¼ of the SW¼; all in Section 2, Township 34 South, Range 28 East;

And

SECOND: The NW¼ of the SW¼ and the N½ of the N½ of the SW¼ of the SW¼, Section 2, Township 34 South, Range 28 East.

The said sale being made to satisfy liens accruing under certain State of Florida Tax Certificates set out and described in the Bill of Complaint filed in this cause.

W. L. LONG, Special Master

MATTIE W. TOMPKINS, Solicitor
Betts Building,
Avon Park, Fla.
MAY 22-29

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Ar.	ORLANDO	10:50 AM	7:45 PM
Ar.	JACKSONVILLE	3:15 PM	11:45 PM
Ar.	TALLAHASSEE	4:45 PM	12:59 AM
Ar.	LAKE CITY	2:25 PM	1:10 AM
Lv.	AVON PARK	3:05 PM	9:10 PM
Ar.	JACKSONVILLE	3:45 AM	9:15 AM

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Lv.	MIAMI	10:00 AM	2:00 AM
Ar.	AVON PARK	3:55 PM	7:15 AM

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Tea Dance Ho… Betty Toucht…

Miss Betty Touch… daughter of Dr. and … Touchton, was the ho… informal tea dance, g… and Mrs. Fred Jackso… McArthur, from 6:30 … on Tuesday evening … club.

The club was deco… occasion, with beauti… of summer garden bl… especially artistic … of rambler and radian… lilies. Miss Touchton … a smart frock of jer… with a pleated white … blouse in pastel shad…

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Clubs and Parties . . .

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Tea Dance Honors Betty Touchton

Miss Betty Touchton, lovely daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Touchton, was the honoree at an informal tea dance, given by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jackson and H. G. McArthur, from 6:30 until 9:30 on Tuesday evening at the Lotela club.

The club was decorated for the occasion, with beautiful bouquets of summer garden blossoms, with especially artistic arrangements of rambler and radiance roses and lilies. Miss Touchton was wearing a smart frock of jersey, designed with a pleated white skirt, and blouse in pastel shades.

Dainty sandwiches, canapes olives, and punch were served from the tea table, where vases or roses were used to pleasing advantage.

Guests invited to share this especially delightful occasion with honoree and hosts for the evening included Misses Willa McGibboney, Martha McNicholas, Peggy Mandis, Gloria Hughs, Marjorie Wells, Mary Clements, Ruby Pate, Tom Martin, Robbie Lee Hart, Louise Bishop, Margaret Dilley, Madge Pilcher, Joan Cannon, Juanita Crosby, Mary Carratt, Winifred Demorest, Helen Jarrett, Nita Bryant, Winifred Hood, Mildred Barnard, Dot Welch, Ouida Fields, Dolly Thomas, Elizabeth Hetherington.

Albert Wester, Jimmie Hetherington, Bobby Keller, Charles Lawhon, Jack Witt, James Williams, Edward Sherman, James Perdue, Jack Head, Jr., Walter Martin, Erle Pabor, Tommy Bryant, Leon Delaney, George Gribble, Jimmie Bradbury, Charles Locke, Jr., Billy Heim, Sanford Hartt, Arthur Crews, Fred Foster, Paul Vitkalitis, Chanller Wingfield, Leon Sheumacker, Cecil Skipper, R. P. Delaney, Daymon Sadler, Jack Beeler, Hugh Hicks, and Tommy Hatcher.

Chaperones, who assisted Mr. and Mrs. Jackson and Mr. McArthur in entertaining were Mrs. L. D. McGibboney, Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rowe, Dr. and Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves, and Mr. and Mrs. Basil Keller.

Dot McNicholas Bride Elect Is Party Honoree

Miss Dorothy McNicholas, attractive bride elect, was the inspiration for the party and shower given yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. E. Lanier, with Mrs. E. G. Todd, co-hostess. The spacious rooms, so ideally adapted to entertaining, were decorated with lovely arrangements of summer garden flowers, to emphasize a color motif of pink and white.

An enjoyable feature of entertainment for the afternoon, included musical selections by Miss Betty Touchton, and vocal numbers by Miss Marjorie Wells.

The bridal note was stressed with the presentation of the shower gifts, when attractive little Misses Patricia and Gloria Shefield, dressed as a miniature bride and groom entered the room to the strains of the wedding march. As they stood on either side of the honoree's chair, their brother, Johnnie, entered with a decorated basket, filled with an array of dainty and useful gifts. The honoree shared her pleasure with the guests, by opening the many packages.

Small cakes, in pastel frostings, and iced punch were served from the beautifully appointed dining table. On one corner of the table, which was centered with the punch bowl, a miniature bride and groom figurine was surmounted with a bridal bower, fashioned of snowy white Easter lilies, to form an artistic arrangement.

The hostesses were assisted in serving by Misses Mary and Martha McNicholas, Miss Betty Touchton, and Miss Marjorie Wells.

Invited guests included Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. E. N. Brown, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. John H. Hood, Mrs. Chas. O. Locke, Mrs. C. H. Shepherd, Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mrs. W. M. Reck, Mrs. Blanch Williams, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. R. R. Brown, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. H. E. Godwin, Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mrs. W. M. Hetherington, Miss Elizabeth Hetherington, Mrs. M. W. Davis, Mrs. I. W. Chandler, Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mrs. J. L. Wells, Misses Mary and Martha McNicholas, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. E. P. Loomis, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Miss Betty Touchton, Miss Marjorie Wells, Mrs. W. M. Amos, Mrs. Larry Silkey, and Mrs. Earl Bozeman of Lake Placid.

Miss Jennie Gribble returned home Wednesday night from West Palm Beach, where she attended the Encampment of Spanish War Veterans and Auxiliaries. Miss Gribble represented the auxiliary of Richard Hobson Post, U. S. W. V., of Highlands county, and Bert Bassage of Sebring represented the Post.

BPW Club Has Annual Picnic

The annual picnic and party of the B. P. W. club was held on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Katherine Bristol on Lake Letta. The delectable supper was enjoyed on tables near the lakeside, which furnished an ideal spot for the congenial group. The menu consisted of fried chicken in abundance, baked beans, devilled eggs, pickles, olives and other picnic delicacies, and for dessert, fresh coconut cake and apple and cherry pie.

A number of progressions of bridge were played during the evening at Mrs. Bristol's home, which was decorated for the occasion with bouquets red roses. High and second high prizes, Defense Stamps were won by Miss Millie Pearson and Mrs. Freed Peden. Mrs. Bill Friedman was given the floating prize.

Club members participating in the pleasures of the occasion were Mrs. Freed Peden, Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Miss Margaretha Vogt, Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. Phillip Boardman, Mrs. Ten Eyck, Mrs. Margaret Chandler, Mrs. H. C. Bigbie, Miss Kate and Miss Mattie Tompkins, Miss Sarah Bevoni, ing, Miss Almetta Shad, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Miss Verna Heim Mrs. Bill Friedman, and Mrs. Bristol.

The club voted to make a contribution to help keep the library open this summer.

Evelyn Clements Party Hostess

Miss Evelyn Clements entertained members of the Sans Souci club, and other invited guests, at a delightful party at her home on Wednesday evening. Summer garden flowers, with phlox predominating, decorated the party rooms, to emphasize a patriotic color scheme, which prevailed in the bridge appointments.

When scores were totaled, after the interesting progressions, high and second high club prizes were awarded to Mrs. Raymond Dilley and Mrs. Freed Peden. Guest high score prize was given to Miss Virginia Sumner. All of the awards were Defense Stamps.

The hostess served delicious gingerbread with whipped cream, iced tea and mints late in the evening.

Those enjoying the party were Miss Iva Phillips, Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Miss Mildred Myers, Mrs. Alma Harrell, Miss Millie Pearson, Mrs. Chas. Sherman, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Miss Julia Norfleet, Miss Janet Cook, Miss Sarah Browning, Miss Elisabeth Green, Mrs. Freed Peden, Miss Virginia Sumner, Mrs. Louise Taylor, and Mrs. Frankie Campbell.

Wares Entertain at Bridge Party

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware were hosts to members of their club at a lovely party at their home on Thursday evening. The rooms were beautifully decorated with roses and petunias.

Fruit punch was enjoyed by the guests during the games, and late in the evening, the hostess served a delicious refreshment course, consisting of congealed chicken salad, saltines, potato chips, and iced tea.

High score award for the evening, a pair of novelty book ends, in an owl design, was won by Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong; second high, a piece of Roseville pottery, was given to Mr. and Mrs. Freed Peden, and Mrs. M. V. Pilcher received the floating award, a double deck of cards.

Those enjoying the party were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Freed Peden, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hood, Mrs. J. L. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, and Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Pilcher.

Overall Club Has Bicycle Picnic

The Overall club enjoyed a bicycle picnic and dance on Thursday afternoon and evening at Lake Byrd Lodge. The afternoon hours were devoted to swimming, tennis, and games of ping pong. The delicious picnic supper consisted of weiners, rolls, slaw, cookies, and cold drinks. Dancing was enjoyed in the lounge of the Lodge until a late hour.

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Have been eating off the mantel ever since my first ride in a "jeep" . . . which occured this week . . . Speaking about an attack from the rear . . . after each bump . . . one is caught on the rebound . . . and rebounced . . . If those things ever were equipped with springs . . . they've been sprung.

Ed Sherman is a perfect example of that phrase . . . tall, dark and handsome.

Local girls could please copy . . . the sweet smile and manner of Odean Bishop.

Have heard several members of the fair sex . . . young and old . . . talking about Sgt. R. W. Paden . . . and each comment made . . . was something nice about him . . . If it is really true . . . what we hear about the Tampa attraction . . . one or two of our town girls . . . would like to break it up.

Carmen Booth . . . the girl with the bubbling personality . . . will be in town next week.

Don't fuss, honey chile, if people gossip about cha . . . it provides amusement . . . for dull people . . . And what dull people need . . . is a good dose of Carter's little liver pills . . . or something to pep them up . . .

The refurnishing and redecorating of Touchton's Drug Store . . . is not the only added attraction to make people want to go there . . . Mrs. Butler is another good reason.

Corky Pardee . . . owns and operates a smooth line of chatter . . . Next week . . . school's out . . . in this column . . . we'll peep behind each name . . . on the graduating list . . . In other words . . . we'll Sugar and Spice the Seniors.

Delightful Party Thursday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McGinnis entertained members of the Trump It club and their husbands at a lovely party at the social room of the F. P. S. company on Thursday evening. Easter lilies and nasturtiums were used to pleasing advantage in decoration.

During the games, the guests were served mints and iced grape juice, and later were served refreshments of apple pie ala mode. In keeping with a patriotic note, chosen for all appointments, a small flag, graced each refreshment plate. The same motif was observed in the tallies, scorepads, and prize wrappings.

High score ladies' prize was won by Mrs. W. R. Carter, who received a box of talcum powder; second high, a handkerchief, was won by Mrs. Virgil Hall. Men's high, a bottle of lotion, was given to J. C. DeShong, and W. R. Carter received a linen handkerchief, as second high award. The floating prize, a novelty salt and pepper shaker, was presented to Mrs. John Bunting.

Those enjoying the affair were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. DeShong, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. John Bunting, Mr. and Mrs. Brisco Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hall, Mrs. Devon Reddick, Mrs. Vera Garner, and Mrs. George Haynie.

A LETTER from HOME



IN THIS NEWSPAPER

Peggy Bryant and Lt. S. A. Dennis Married April 29

The many Avon Park friends of Miss Peggy Bryant, who formerly resided here, will be interested to learn of her recent marriage to Lt. Stephen Anderson Dennis, which took place at the Catholic Church in Albany, Ga., on April 29. When she resided here Mrs. Dennis held an office position at Lodwick Aviation Military Academy. Lt. Dennis took his basic training as a cadet, in Avon Park, and it was here that the young couple first met. The following clipping is from the Sanford Herald:

Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Puleston are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Elizabeth Bryant, to Lt. Stephen Anderson Dennis of Saginaw, Mich., on Wednesday, April 29.

The wedding was performed in the St. Theresaas Catholic Church in Albany, Ga., by the Rev. Father James A. King.

Mrs. Dennis received her education at St. Agnes Academy and the San Jacinto High School in Houston, Texas, from which she was graduated in 1939. She is the daughter of Mrs. S. Puleston and the late William Francis Bryant of Houston.

Lt. Dennis is the son of Mrs. Mary Dennis and the late Michael Dennis of Caspian, Mich. He was graduated in 1941 from William and Mary College in Williamsburg Va. where he became a member of Sigma Rho fraternity.

Lt. Dennis was recently commissioned at Turner Field in Albany, where he received his advanced training in the Army Air Corps at the Southeast Air Corps Training Center. He is now stationed at Langley Field, Va., where he and his bride are residing.

Club Officers Are Luncheon Guests

Mrs. G. P. Thayer, president of the Avon Park Woman's club for the ensuing year, who was recently installed at the annual luncheon meeting, entertained members of the outgoing and incoming executive boards, at a luncheon at her home on Friday. The dainty luncheon was served at one o'clock, and a round table discussion included tentative plans for activities of the club.

Members of both boards who were present were Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, Mrs. H. C. Worden, Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb, Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mrs. W. M. Reck, Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mrs. D. G. Perry, and Mrs. G. P. Thayer.

Hartt's Entertain Thursday Club

Four tables were in play at the delightful party given by Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hartt at their home on Thursday evening, when they entertained members of their club, and a few additional guests at bridge.

Fragrant magnolias, at their loveliest at this season of the year, were supplemented with bouquets of summer garden blossoms to create a colorful almosphere, in the party rooms.

Defense Stamps, high and second high score awards, were given to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier and Dr. and Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves, following the totaling of scores.

Frozen punch was enjoyed during the games, and later, the hostess served a dainty salad course, with cake, and coffee.

Those sharing the hospitality of the Hartts on this occasion were Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd, T. A. McNicholas, Mrs. Chas O. Locke, and Dr. and Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves.

RISING WAR COSTS HIT UTILITIES

Florida Public Head Issues Statement

Electric utilities in Florida and throughout the nation are being faced with innumerable problems since the beginning of America's all-out war effort according to a statement released by H. R. Cloud, vice president of Florida Public Service Company.

Copper that ordinarily would be used for new power lines to city homes and suburban tracts in this growing area is now being converted into bullets and other vital military and naval production in keeping with runings of the War Production Board. No longer can lines be extended to rural areas nor can extensive installations be made to serve stores or industries without the approval of the WPB.

Mr. Cloud, in commenting about the charge being made for trouble calls, said, "This Company has always maintained high standards of service to our customers—24 hours a day regardless of the season or the distance to be traveled to reach a customer in need. In a country at war the desire to maintain this service continues, but the means have been limited by circumstances beyond our control. Nearly every item entering into the production of gas and electricity has gone up in price and other increases in this costs are expected. Fuel oil, an important element in cost of generating electricity and making gas, will cost us in excess of 100,000 more money this next year than in the past one. The rationing of automotive equipment and tires has curtailed our use of all but essential equipment. So with these problems in mind and in an effort to eliminate all unecessary calls, effective May 15, we are forced to place a minimum charge on trouble calls which are caused by defects in customers' equipment—such as blown fuses, open switches, etc."

Mr. Cloud further stated that since no one knows how long the war will last, the Florida Public Service Company's automotive equipment is being used sparingly so that there will be no interruption of service to customer, city or to the nation. According to the Eligibility Classification for tire rationing, utilities are last on the list and tires and tubes will be available for service trucks only.

"The Florida Public Service Company is doing everything possible to aid this nation's war effort, and we pledge our every effort to a cotinuation of this cooperation," said Mr. Cloud. "To date over 45 of our employees have joined the armed forces while those remaining, are subscribing liberally to the purchase of War bonds and stamps. We all have a job to do, and we intend doing the best we can with what we have and we ask for a continuation of the splendid cooperation of our customers."

Mrs. Pardee Is Circle Hostess

The Jackson Circle, of the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. C. H. Pardee on Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, co-hostess Mrs. Harry Jackson, circle leader, presided, and Mrs. T. H. Hughs led the devotional. Mrs. Virginia Cloud taught an interesting study of the book, "Exploring th, Bible," by Ernest G. Hoff.

The hostesses served dainty refreshments of homemade cookies and punch to those present who were Mrs. J. O. Bridges, Mrs. T. H. Hughs, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Mrs. Walter S. Martin, Mrs. R. C. Jarrett, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. Harry Jackson, Mrs. G. S. Roberts and Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood.

Circle Luncheon at Bristol Home

Members of the Raab Circle of the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church enjoyed a luncheon on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Katherine Bristol, with Mrs. John D. Raab, co-hostess. The dainty luncheon was served at one o'clock the guests being seated at small tables. The rooms were filled with early summer garden flowers.

Mrs. Raab, leader of the circle, presided at a short business meeting, after which the class took up the study of the book, "Exploring the Bible."

Members present were Mrs. A. McKee Elwell, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mrs. I. W. Chandler, Mrs. W. S. Rawlings, Miss Furlow Anderson, Mrs. Raab and Mrs. Bristol, and two visitors, Mrs. C. A. Clark, and Mrs. Rose Willett.

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CIVILIANS LOSE TO HAWKS 10-5 SUNDAY

Wings Leading League; Avon In Third Place

Avon Park's civilian entry suffered a 10-5 defeat at the hands of the Hendricks Field Hawks in an Air Force league baseball game at Head field Sunday.

The soldiers had an easy time with an Avon Park team which included only a few regular players. The Hawks ran up a 10-run lead in the first five innings. In the sixth four errors gave Avon Park its opportunity to score five times and ruined a shutout for Hawk Pitcher Bob Ripps.

Ripps, a lefthander, allowed the losers only four safeties, while the Hawks pounded "Pig" Elder for nine. First Baseman Ed Heredia, with two hits, led the winners at bat.

The Avon Park Gunnery and Bombing Detachment team lost, 16-8, to the Hendricks Field Wings at Sebring, In the other half of a Sunday doubleheader there the Hendricks Medicos defeated Sebring, 4-1.

The short scores:

	R.	H.	E.
Hawks 240 040 0 10	9	4	
Avon Park .. 000 005 0 5	4	5	

Ripps and Britton; Elder and Smith, Welch.

Bombers ... 101 011 103 8	9	7	
Wings 064 010 05x 16	11	3	

Koenigs and Schoeffler; Tomlinson and Foldsei.

Sebring 100 000 0 1	1	1	
Medicos ..... 100 111 x 4	8	2	

Elde and Creele, Dadino and Cox.

FIREMEN, MEDICOS WIN

Sebring's Firemen and the Hendricks Field Medicos won Wednesday's games in the Air Force baseball league.

The Firemen scored in the 12th inning to squeeze out a 5-4 victory over the Hendricks Hawks. The Medicos shaded the Avon Park Bomb Rangers, 5-4.

It took an error and a wild pitch with one in the 12th, followed by a long outfield fly, to give Sebring its winning run in a long mound duel between Max Long, Sebring southpaw, and Deaton Ellis, Hawk righthander.

Lefty Walter Hollenberg pitched the Medicos to their win at Head field, edging out Charlie Surls in a hillock duel.

The short scores:

	R.	H.	E.
Sebring 030 100 000 001	5	8	5
Hawks 111 100 000 000	4	7	5

M. Long and Creel; Ripps, Ellis and Linn.

Medicos ... 111 002 000 5	9	4	
Bombers ... 000 020 200 4	5	4	

Hollenberg and Cox; Surls and Schoeffler.

AIR FORCE LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
Hendricks Wings	5	2	.714
Hendricks Hawks	5	3	.625
Avon Park	4	3	.571
Hendricks Medicos	4	4	.500
Sebring	3	5	.375
Avon Bombers	2	6	.250

Leading Air Force League batsmen:

	G	AB	H	Pct.
Rowe, Avon Park	7	25	12	.480
Tomlinson, Wings	6	12	5	.412
Currie, Hawks	6	25	10	.400
Magana, Wings	5	18	7	.389
Wollschlaeger, Hawks	8	30	11	.367
Koenigs, Bombers	8	28	9	.357

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Fortunately, millions of American homes are especially well prepared because they have the help of modern, efficient and economical electric kitchen appliances. All families with such appliances can easily save food, time and money if they will use them wisely and completely.

The National Nutrition Program is gathering momentum on all fronts, and America's homemakers have taken the consumer's pledge for National Defense. The nation's kitchens are on the march preserving and preparing the foods to help keep America strong, and electricity is playing a strong leading role.

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Canning Is Aid To Victory

(By Barbara Darsey)

Even though many small Victory gardens produce hardly more than enough vegetables for immediate table use, it will be worthwhile to can any surplus which you may have. A few cans of home grown tomatoes are so satisfactory and full of food value and they will come in handy a little later. Tomatoes and beans, cauliflower and beets are flourishing now in gardens and we find them plentiful and fairly cheap in markets. Corn is coming in. All these are easy to prepare, why not can them for Victory thus insuring food conservation, an ample supply when fresh vegetables are scarce, and health promotion all together. And with great pride you can serve your Victory canned fruits and vegetables.

The favorite method for conserving most home garden vegetables except of course watercress, lettuce and potatoes, is by processing and canning. This is an inexpensive way in which nutritional values are retained and the vegetables remain in good condition for almost any length of time. The fresher the vegetables are when canned, the better the results.

Facilities for the home canner are not necessarily expensive. Al most every housewife has such essentials as measuring cups and spoons, trays, knives, sieves, bowls brushes, funnels, wire baskets and jar lifters. A lard can, wash boiler, or any large tin may be used for holding cans or jars during processing.

Canning methods include: water bath, hot pack, oven process and steam pressure. Steam pressure is of great value in processing and canning many vegetables, especially the non-acids such as beans, corn, peas and asparagus, but it is more expensive as it requires a steam pressure cooker with pressure gauge and this equipment is not found in every home.

Now that cans are in demand for immediate war purposes glass jars are preferable for home use and they are simpler to use for cans require a can-sealing apparatus. However glass jars should be wrapped in dark paper after filling and cooling or stored on dark shelves else the vegetables within will lose their color.

Be careful in home canning! Indifference, ignorance or carelessness during the process may result in dangerous food poisons forming in canned vegetables. The processing and canning of vegetables is to some extent simple, and to the experienced housewife very easy, yet certain established rules must be followed by all, and the novice must exercise especial care, in order to attain success and health promoting foods.

For detailed instructions the home canner should write for:

Free Bulletin No. 103, State Home Demonstration Department, Tallahassee, Florida. The time is at hand, vegetables are ready, conserve them now for Victory.

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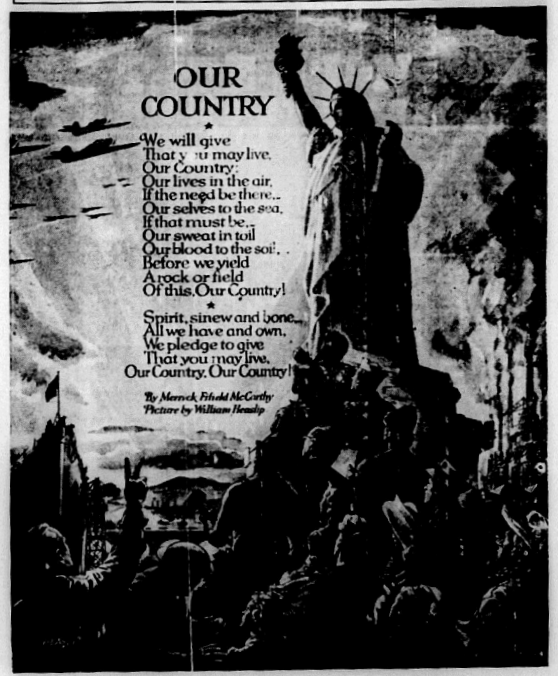

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"Our Country" was written by Dr. Merrick Fifield McCarthy of the University of Cincinnati for Bundles for America, Inc., as his gift to this national organization which is furnishing comforts to men in the armed forces of the United States, their families and others adversely affected by war conditions. William Heaslip, noted American artist, conceived and executed the striking illustration. A revised version of the poem has been set to music by Jacques Wolfe, author of "Glory Road," "Shorty's Bread" and other delightful melodies, and published by G. Schirmer, Inc., of New York. Post card size reproductions of the illustrated poem will soon be available through branches of Bundles for America where they are to be sold to raise funds to help carry on its manifold services.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By RUSSELL KAY)

The term "Inflation" don't mean much to the average citizen. All he knows is that it is necessary and important as far as his tires are concerned and is also applied to balloons.

For years economists have been jumping out from behind pillars and shouting "Inflation" at him, until he had come to take it as a matter of course. He vaguely understands that it is supposed to have something to do with the cost of living but he's been so blamed busy trying to earn one he hasn't had time to worry much about it.

Now and then some learned individual would appear before the Rotary Club or Chamber of Commerce and spoil what otherwise might have been a good program with a long-winded speech on the subject of "Inflation" that to the average listener was just about as clear as a rainy day.

In the back of the room Bill Jones (classification, retail hardware) nudges Sam Smith (classification, stevedore) and asks: "What's he talkin' about?" Sam yawns and answers: "I don't know —he ain't sayin'."

In the meantime Mr. Average Citizen went about his business as usual, trying to pay his debts, his taxes, buy war bonds, meet the payroll and outsmart the well known wolf.

Tearing down the broad and pleasant Highway of American Life at 70 miles an hour with nothing to worry about but an occasional road patrolman, he suddenly ran bang smack into a barricade marked "Slow—Inflation Ahead."

It was annoying, of course, but with a war on a fellow had to expect a detour now and then. He plunged into the rough. Boy, what a road! He had all the sensations experienced by a cockroach running hellbent over a slab of Swiss cheese. Every few feet some guy with a badge or a red flag would step in his path and say "Take it easy, Buddy" or "Get back in line there, You."

A kind and benevolent government, in the wisdom of its knowledge that the average ciczen is a pretty dumb sort of a cluck, has set about the task of protecting him against himself. It has grasped the gentleman cow by the horns and undertaken the gigantic task of mapping out a new Way in Life, which for a time may prove mighty rough traveling but in the end is supposed to get us where we are going.

Now far be it from me to attempt to explain "Inflation." A lot of guys a darn sight smarter have been tryin' to do that for years with little success. I'd just as soon try to untangle the Einstein Theory.

All I know is that like smallpox or the plague, it is something to steer clear of and is more dangerous to a nation than all the bombs an enemy might drop, since it saps our life-blood and destroys our morale, profiting no one but the speculator, the hoarder and the profiteer. And even they, in the end, must perish, as did Sampson, from the house they pull down on all through their own selfishness and greed.

According to those who are supposed to know, we are facing inflation today and unless we meet and deal with the problem courageously and unselfishly the consequences may haunt us and our children for years to come.

The establishment of price ceiling, with prices of countless commodities frozen as of March 1942, together with the limiting of installment buying and the encouragement of investing in government bonds and savings, are the remedies that have been invoked so far in an effort to prevent living costs from mounting higher.

The problem of "freezing" prices on such a gigantic scale is extremely difficult and business as a whole, large and small, faces the most trying period in its history. If reason and common sense are employed by those charged with enforcing the new regulations, much misery and injustice can be avoided. But if bureaucrats, drunk with the power entrusted to them, seek to enforce regulations with a blacksnake whip and brass knuckles, the plan will not only fail but we will find ourselves worse off than we were before.

Even at best, before we get through with this thing a lot of poor guys now on the ragged edge and cowing behind the eight-ball, will wind up in a straight jacket, just plumb Nuts from tryin' to keep from being Frozen to death.

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

Notice is hereby given, That Harvey E. Howard, Sebring, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 748, issued the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1935 and Tax Certificate No. 518, 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:

Cert. 748 for 1935 covers S½ of SE¼ of NE¼, Section 3 Twp. 35 S Range 29 E.

Cert. 518 for 1938 covers N½ of SE¼ of NE¼, Section 3 Twp 35 S Range 29 E.

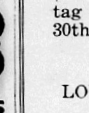
The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of L. L. Gifford and E. G. Wing.

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 June, 1942, which is the 1st day of June, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1942.

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

By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
May 1-8-15-22



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tha Mixon, Virginia Spencer, Edward Sturdivant, Eva Talbert, Lillian White, Jerry Witt, Henry Foster, Lyndel Reeves.

Sixth grade promotional exercises will be given Wednesday morning, May 27, at 10:00 o'clock. This will be the final program for the year. The class is composed of the following members:

Harold Baker, William Miller, Kenneth Sumner, Billie Walker, Virginia Crenshaw, Ethelle Hardin, Christina Lewis, Jimmie Barrington, Julius Collins, Edward Hill, Billy McConnell, Charles Rowland, Garth Spencer, Philip Bruce, Patricia Crum, John Childers, Sidney Selph, Harold Reeder, Edward Whitehurst, Wansley Culpepper, Jeanette Jones, Dorothy Simpson, Eldred Bass, Billy Cravy, Coram Lamb, Charles Partin, Edgar Rutherford, Teddy Ward, Mary Basemore, Geneva Richardson, James Jackson, Lollie Sherouse, J. C. Walker, Charles Howze, Betty Joe Dickinson, Lorraine Kopta, Mavis Capps, Harry Carratt, Edward Harnage, Howard Peacock, Blakes Lee Smith, Charles Davis, Doris Cannon.

Immediately after this program all students will go to their respective home rooms for report cards. School will dismiss at noon each day next week in order to give teachers sufficient time to make out grades, fill out report cards and get in their final reports.

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NOTICE
TO DOG OWNERS

Dr. Cary Carlton, licensed veterinary surgeon will be in Avon Park on May 27 and 30th at the Fire Station to inoculate dogs against hydrophobia, which is an annual requirement as a safety measure. Metal tags with a certificate of inoculation are furnished at a total cost of $1.00. Stray dogs without proper tag will be impounded after May 30th.

By order of the Mayor,

LOUISE B. ARMSTRONG, Clerk

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Sugar . . and Spice

Martha McCord in town for graduation . . . a love of a blonde with plenty of life.

This week the seniors of APHS said farewell to . . . pranks that got them in a jam . . . exams that surely made them cram . . . quizzes for which they didn't prepare . . . subjects for which they didn't care . . . grades for which they said a prayer . . . subjects they had a snap in . . . and class rooms they took a nap in . . . farewell to all these in parting . . . and good luck to them . . . in what they're starting.

Let us relate the characteristics of the seniors . . . as seen by Sugar and Spice.

Ed Sherman . . . brilliant . . . popular . . . energetic.

Al Wester . . . breezy . . . bold . . . boyish.

Jimmie Bradbury . . . fair . . . flippant . . . frank.

Mildred Barnard . . . intelligent . . . industrious . . . interesting.

Martha McNicholas . . . darling . . . delightful . . . desirable.

Betty Touchton . . . sincere . . . studious . . . sweet.

Sanford Hartt . . . mannerly . . . mannish . . . modest.

Marjorie Wells . . . luscious . . . lovely . . . luring.

Mary Carratt . . . dark . . . demure . . . devastating.

Juanita Crosby . . . pretty . . . pouty . . . independent.

Robbie Lee Hart . . . determined . . . quick . . . pensive.

Juanita Hunt . . . silent . . . reserved . . . timid.

Naomia Dixon . . . carefree . . . good natured . . . jolly.

Dorothy Welch . . . tall, shapely . . . attractive.

Thomas Bryant . . . silent . . . settled . . . stand-offish.

Milton Cook . . . vital . . . dark blithe.

Desmond Roberts . . . musical . . . romantic . . . good dancer.

Lillian Kelley . . . dashing . . . deserving . . . dependable.

Earl Cook . . . dauntless . . . deliberate . . . definite.

Joe Cannon . . . polite . . . plucky . . . pleasant.

Leon Sheumaker . . . likeable . . . lively . . . loyal.

James Williams . . . good looking . . . tall . . . dark.

Louise Bishop . . . chubby . . . cute . . . clever.

Alta Frizzell . . . he-man . . . friendly . . . agreeable.

Erle Pabor . . . good swimmer . . . good musician . . . good guy.

Powell Skipper . . . well liked . . . book-worm . . . smart.

Jack Witt . . . ladies man . . . sportsman . . . devilish.

Catherine Bryan . . . dark . . . quiet . . . remote.

Daymon Sadler . . . jitterbug . . . stylish . . . smooth.

Jack Williams . . . master of basket-ball . . . foot-ball . . . pool.

Jean Cannon . . . attractive . . . alive . . . alert.

Jewel Collins . . . meek . . . moody . . . mysterious.

Eloise Hill . . . winsome . . . willing . . . witty.

Irene McCullers . . . sensible . . . solemn . . . serious.

Peggy Mandis . . . appealing . . . alluring . . . artistic.

Gloria Hughs . . . chic . . . cheery . . . charming.

Tom Martin . . . athletic . . . angelic . . . ambitious.

Whoops! . . . fresh out of adjectives . . . but there 'tis . . . and each personality has something to be envied by someone else. Each diploma represents work well done . . . each one of you . . . receive from me . . . a wish for . . . Happy Landings.—A. B. W.

Airplane Models by Vocational Class Displayed

Fifty airplane models have been completed during the past school year by the vocational training class of Avon Park high school, under direction of J. E. Crosby, vocational director, and a group of various models are on display at the Touchton drug store. They will be there through the week end, when they will be sent to Washington, D. C., for use of the Army and Navy in military instruction.

The models reflect the fine training the boys of the class were given, and shows the painstaking effort made to duplicate the various types of fighters and bombers.

The following models have been made: Lockheed P-38, Bell P-39 Senito 00-1 (Jap), Baku 99 (Jap dive bomber), Mitsubitske 96 (Jap Navy fighter), Messersmitt 109 (German fighter), Consolidated PBY-2 (U. S. Navy), North American A-20-A (U. S. Navy attack bomber), Vought Seversky (U. S. Navy) Brewster Buffalo (U. S. Navy), Boeing B-17-E (U. S. bomber), and several others.

Ordinance Prohibits Sunday Beer

Council Passes Measure Over Mayor's Veto

Sale of beer on Sunday is prohibited by an ordinance passed by city council Monday night, over Mayor Covington's veto. The ordinance was passed the first time, two weeks ago but the mayor refused to sign it. When he was advised the measure would become law without his signature, he vetoed it Monday night. But the council urged by members of the ministerial association, promptly repassed the ordinance, by vote of four to one. Councilman Anderson cast the only dissenting vote.

Mayor Covington has issued the following statement setting forth his position:

MAYOR'S STATEMENT

To the People of Avon Park:

There has been so much discussion of the ordinance prohibiting the sale on Sunday of any beverage containing more than 1% of alcohol, that I feel that a statement of my reasons for my veto, and my present position should be made.

I favored the sections forbidding the sale of beverages of high alcoholic content, and would gladly have signed the bill, if it had not been for the Sunday Prohibition.

My reasons for opposition to this clause were that I felt that it was much better to permit the sale of a mild beer in places which are subject to police visitation and regulation, than to drive people who wish to drink beer, outside the city limits, where they will not only be without police supervision and protection, but will be exposed to other things much more damaging to public morals.

If I had believed that the ordinance as drawn would improve the morals of the people of Avon Park and result in an increased sobriety and temperance, I would gladly have signed it. Since I did not believe this, I felt that it would be better to keep this Sunday business in the hands of Avon Park merchants, whom we know, and therefore I vetoed the ordinance.

My present position is simply this. The council has seen fit, by a vote of 4 to 1, to pass this ordinance over my veto. I am responsible for seeing that city ordinances enforced. I shall therefore expect the police department of the City of Avon Park to make the utmost effort to see that no alcoholic beverage containing more than 3.2% of alcohol is sold at any time, and no beverage containing more than 1% of alcohol is sold on Sunday, in the City of Avon Park.

The ordinance is general in nature, and covers all phases of the sale of intoxicating liquor and beverages, and was drawn in conformity with the state law affecting dry counties, according to City Attorney Perry Murray, who prepared it.

It prohibits transportation or possession of any intoxicating liquor or beverages, on which U. S. revenue had not been paid. The Sunday beer provision prohibits the sale on Sunday of any beverage containing more than 1 per cent of alcohol by weight. Sunday is defined as the 24 hour period beginning Midnight of Sunday morning and ending at midnight of Sunday night.

Exempted by the ordinance are ethyl alcohol intended for use for scientific, chemical, mechanical, industrial or medical purposes; patent medicines, pharmaceuticals etc., and flavor in extracts.

Penalty for violation, provides a fine of $100, or imprisonment of 60 days, or both fine and imprisonment.

The ordinance is published in full elsewhere, and becomes effective Sunday, May 31.

DEFENSE COUNCIL MEETING WEDNESDAY

The regular monthly meeting of the Defense Recreational Council will be held Wednesday evening June 3 at 8:30 at the social room of the F. P. S. company. All committee members are urged to attend.

Our secret weapon: U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps. Buy them!

Another Technicolor Movie Being Made At Fla. Cypress Gardens



WINTER HAVEN, FLORIDA—The two Chambliss sisters, Sylvia and Barbara, will be starred in the aquatic sport reel being made at Cypress Gardens in technicolor by Twentieth Century Fox's famous Magic Carpet photographer, Jack Kuhne of Hollywood. The camera crew and the big technicolor outfit arrived on Saturday and several weeks will be spent shooting this picture. The theme through out will be patriotic for the dozen aquatic stars will wear red, white and blue bathing suits and the aquaplanes, skis and bials are all painted in this same color scheme.

NEED MORE AIRCRAFT WATCHERS

Aircraft Warning Service Asks For More Help

More help is needed to man the towers in the Aircraft Warning Service, which is being conducted on a 24-hour basis under the direction of the First Interceptor Command, and an urgent call is sent out by R. R. Brown, chief observer for volunteers who will assist in this important work.

Under the Avon Park set-up there are 26 regular teams, 15 of which are men and 13 women. The warning service required a minimum of four teams of two each every day, and every member of the service goes on duty at least once every 6 1-2 days. The woman's watch is for five hours, and the men stand 7 hour shifts.

In order to spread the work out, more watchers are needed to provide relief and substitutes for those who sometimes find it impossible through sickness, or other reasons beyond their control, to take their regular turns.

The Aircraft Warning Service is in direct communication with the filter center, and reports every aircraft that comes over the city during the 24 hour period.

Assisting Mr. Brown in directing this work are C. R. Ginn, assistant chief observer for the men, and Mrs. John Abbott, assistant chief observer for the women. Those wishing to join the service should apply to any of these for duty.

Pilcher Resigns From Bank To Take Up Flying

M. V. Pilcher, vice president and a director of the Barnett Bank since 1937, has resigned that position, effective June 1, and will go to Tampa June 15 to take a refresher course for instructors, under the CAA.

W. R. Barnett, of Jacksonville, a member of the board of directors, has been named vice president, and S. F. Longbottom, cashier, will be local officer in charge. W. D. Dorminey of Jacksonville, former resident, is moving back, and will assume the position of assistant cashier. Mr. Pilcher has been connected with the bank since its organization in 1930.

Mrs. Pilcher and young son, Johnnie, will leave Sunday for Sarasota to make their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cardwell, while Mr. Pilcher is away, and will be joined there later by Madge Pilcher, who will spend the summer at a Girl Scout camp in Cloudland, Ga.

COMMENCEMENT SERMON SUNDAY

The commencement program began on Sunday evening, when city-wide services were held at the auditorium. O. E. Moss, minister of the Church of Christ, delivered the baccalaureate sermon. All ministers of the city took part on the program.

Class day exercises were held Monday morning. The class history was given by Robbie Lee Hart, Martha McNicholas, Tom Martin, and Louise Bishop. Tommy Bryant gave the class prophecy; Lillian Kelley and Powell Skipper, the class will, and class gifttorians were Peggy Mandis, Betty Touchton, and Gloria Hughs.

The Overall Club presented Dr. Reeves with a beautiful gold tie clasp, in appreciation of his cooperation and friendliness with the club. Charles Locke, president, presented the gift.

NINTH GRADE GRADUATION

The ninth grade graduation program opened on Tuesday morning with singing "America the Beautiful", followed by scripture reading by Rev. Dalton, and invocation by Rev. G. S. Roberts, pastor of the First Methodist Church.

Dr. R. H. Jordan, retired professor of Cornell University, and now a prominent resident of Avon Park, gave the address of the morning. His talk was preceded by a piano duett by David Lanier and Sammy Longbottom.

Dr. Reeves presented the diplomas to the class of fifty-two graduates. The program closed with a piano solo by Mary Elizabeth Hall, and the singing of "America."

SIXTH GRADE GRADUATION

"Keep on Keeping On" was sung by Miss Elisabeth Green's sixth grade room to open the program for their graduation on Wednesday morning. A quartette from Mrs. Phillip Boardman's room sang "In the Evening by the Moonlight," followed with a piano solo by Ted Ward. Arthur Gregory and Winifred Archer were awarded the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary medals. The girl's medal is based on courage, companionship, character service and scholarship. The boy's medal is chosen on a basic of honor, courage, scholarship, leadership, and service.

Following the song, "The Glow Worm" by pupils of Mrs. Board man's section, and announcements and presentation of certificates by Dr. Reeves, the program closed the schools of Avon Park officially for this term.

Floyd Theatres Have Anniversary

Floyd Theatres are celebrating their second anniversary this month, and have crowded all of the biggest and best pictures they could secure into the June program in celebration, starting the week off with Rex Beach's "The Spoilers," showing here Sunday and Monday. Watch the program advertisements for additional features for the month.

MEMORIAL SERVICES HERE SUNDAY

Conducted By Legion; Burton Will Speak

Memorial services for the dead of all wars, will be conducted in Bougainvillea cemetery Sunday afternoon at four o'clock, under the auspices of Highlands Post 69, American Legion, with Post Commander Howard C. Maddox in charge. The American Legion Auxiliary will decorate the graves and assist in the services.

State Attorney L. Grady Burton, prominent Legionnaire, of Wauchula, will deliver the memorial day address at the cemetery. The impressive American Legion service will be conducted by Post officers, assisted by a firing squad and buglers from the Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment.

During the service a plane will drop flowers on the graves, and later will scatter a wreath as a token like in memory of the departed soldiers and sailors of all wars.

The public is cordially invited

Sebring, Crews, McClelland Are Elected Tuesday

The second primary election held in three of the five commissioners district of the county attracted more than the usual proportion of the first primary votes and resulted in the nomination of Geo. E. Sebring, Sol. McClelland and L. C. Crews.

Sebring won in District 2 over John W. Schumacher by a majority of 188 votes polling 468 against 280 for Schumacher who picked 33 votes over his total in the first primary while Sebring picked up 116.

In district 3 Sol. McClelland defeated R. L. Stokes by two votes according to returns. McClelland received 174 and Stokes 172.

In District 4 Lee C. Crews, present chairman of the board of county commissioners were renominated by a majority of 21 votes over A. C. McAuley. Crews vote being 155 to 134 for McAulay Crews lacked eight votes of receiving as many as he did in the first primary and McAulay picked up 36.

OPEN HOUSE AT ARMORY

Everyone is cordially invited to attend company open house at the armory this afternoon (Saturday) from 2 to 5 p. m. as guests of the Avon Park Bombing Range Detachment. Refreshments will be served at the Recreational Center during these hours.

LODWICK HAS EXPANSION APPROVAL

New Buildings to Greatly Increase Scope of School

Specifications have been prepared and approved for new buildings at Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, the Army Air Forces Training Detachment at Highland Lakes. Details call for completion of all buildings within the next sixty days, more than doubling the capacity of the school.

The expansion program is in keeping with the determination of the Army to have an Air Force second to none. The Lakeland School of Aeronautics was also largely increased in size under the program, according to recent announcement by Albert I. Lodwick, owner of the schools.

The Air Force is continuing its original plans of making a thoroughly trained pilot of each man. Intelligence reports are said to indicate that Germany is rushing her pilots through without sufficient training per man. Our ally, England, believes as we do; train a man well, give him the best in planes, enough of them, and the answer is certain.

Welding Class Fails To Get Diplomas

Graduation was marred for a group of senior boys of Avon Park high school Tuesday night, when they were denied their diplomas because they had not finished their welding courses in the county vocational defense training school, according to requirements a minimum of 360 hours were necessary in order for the boys to get proper credit on their school work.

Dr. Stanley Reeves, supervising principal, stated that he had not been notified of the hours made until May 27, day after graduation. He received this information from C. F. Jolley, director of the defense school, which gave the following report, showing the number of hours credited to each Avon Park student:

Sanford Hartt, 345 hours; Milton Cook, 360; Albert Wester, 265; Damon Sadler, 230; James Bradbury, 305; Joe Cannon, 310; Alta Frizzell, 320; Jack Williams, 320. All will receive diplomas upon completion of the required time, Dr. Reeves stated.

Milton Cook was the only boy of the group having the required hours and later received his diploma.

Eight Sebring students made the required number of hours, according to the same report, and Sebring school authorities were notified in time to deliver them their diplomas, as their graduation occurred a day after Avon Park's.

The eight senior boys could have been spared the embarrassment of going off the stage empty-handed, if authorities had been properly informed of the requirements.

METHODIST CONFERENCE TO MEET

The fourth quarterly conference of the Methodist Church will convene Wednesday night at 8 o'clock, at the church with the Superintendent Rev. J. W. Blake of Lakeland presiding. Church officers who will hold for the year 1942-43, will be elected and various items of business will be transacted.

Two moreSundays remain before Annual Conference which meets June 10th, at Florida Southern College. Bishop Moore of Atlanta Georgia will preside over this large, body, which is composed of more than six hundred members and delegates. This conference is of importance and holds chief place in the thinking of all Methodists, as it transfers the ministers from and to the various churches throughout its bounds.

COVINGTON ASKS HELP

Mayor Covington says if you intend to give any money to improve the cemetery please, do so now as it is urgently needed. Those promising fertilizer are asked to phone H. R. Currie at Phone 27-W, and he will call and get it. Gregg Maxey, C. H. Walker and T. H. Maxwell have delivered fertilizer. Please, don't put this off. If you intend to help, do it now, says the Mayor.

Graduation Tuesday of Class of '42

Ex-Governor Carlton Is Speaker

Former Governor Doyle E. Carlton of Tampa told the graduating class of 1942, at the annual commencement program at the auditorium on Tuesday evening, that the stage of life they were entering was likened unto a drama, with each participant fitting into the part that he or she played the best. He said there was no substitute for work, and in playing the game of life, each one should do the best "you can with what you have." Success depends upon developing one's opportunities, Dr. Carlton said.

He spoke of education as a wise investment, preparing the individual to broaden his talents, and to meet the problems of life as they present themselves. A person must have mental training to start in life, he continued, for the world is challenging keen and noble minds today.

Preceding the program, the band gave a concert of music, followed by the Processional "Avon Park March" (Roberts), as the thirty-seven seniors, stately and dignified in their caps and gowns, marched to the stage. They were ushered by Miss Helen Jarrett and Miss Willa Pearl McGibbony, wearing formal evening gowns. The Rev. J. P. Dalton, pastor of the First Baptist Church gave the invocation. Preceding Dr. Carlton's address, the band played "Americana Overture" (Buchel).

Dr. Stanley N. Reeves presented to outstanding seniors, the honor medal being given to Edward Sherman. Dr. Reeves remarked that this same honor was bestowed on his brother, Charles Sherman, four years ago.

Louise Bishop received the valedictorian' medal, and Lillian Kelley and Mildred Barnard toed for the Salutatorian's medal. Dr. Reeves announced that Louise Bishop had never been absent or tardy, and had made straight A's since she entered junior high school.

Peggy Mandis and Powell Skipper were awarded the Bailey medals, for the boy and girl in the senior class who were judged most thoughtful of others, this selection being made by fellow class members.

The three officers of the class, President Desmond Roberts; Secretary Mary Carratt; and Treasurer Lillian Kelley were each given a medal in honor of the office they had held throughout the year. Desmond's award was given to his mother as he has entered military service.

The boys' athletic medal was won by Albert Wester Jr., and Tom Martin and Mildred Barnard tied for the girl's medal in this group.

Betty Touchton and Mildred Barnard were awarded the girl's activity medals and Edward Sherman, the medal for boy's activity.

Leon Sheumaker won the distinction of winning the school spirit medal; and Powell Skipper, the boy's science medal, as the outstanding science student.

Honor students of the class, who have made an average of 'B' or better are: Mildred Barnard, Louise Bishop, Mary Carratt, Naomia, Dixon, Gloria Hughs, Lillian Kelley, Peggy Mandis, Martha McNicholas, Edward Sherman, Powell Skipper, Betty Touchton, and Dorothy Welch.

On behalf of the band, Walter Martin presented E. L. Roberts with a leather traveling case, and Charlie Lawhon presented Leon Sheumaker, manager of both the basketball and football teams this year, with a gift from the teams.

The class gift to the school was two handsome silk flags, the American flag, and the Christian flag, both on stands. J. H. Ford, chairman of the board of trustees, accepted the gift, on behalf of the school.

The presentation of diplomas to the class was made by Col. F. N. K. Bailey, county superintendent of schools. The senior class roll was as follows: Mildred Barnard, Louise Bishop, Jimmie Bradbury, Catherine Bryan, Tommy Bryant,

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Folks You Know . .

Miss Nellene Cannon of Miami spent Tuesday ight in Avon Park to attend the graduation program. She was accompained back to Miami on Wednesday morning by Miss Eleanor Meadows of Greenville, S. C., who has been visiting Miss Cannon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Cannon and family.

Mrs. J. M. McCord and daughter, Miss Martha McCord of Winter Park were in Avon Park the first of the week to attend the graduation program of the Avon Park high school. While here, Mrs. McCord was the guest of Mrs. H. A. Vickery, and Martha visited several of her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Moss left Tuesday for points in Mississippi for a visit, after which Mr. Moss will engage in evangelistic work in several southern states. Mr. Moss has served as minister of the Church of Christ for the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Delaney, of Punta Gorda, who have been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Delaney, left Friday for Adel, Ga., to visit Mrs. Delaney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Thompson.

Charles Shepherd, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shepherd, arrived this week from Gainesville, where he is attending the University of Florida, and will spend the summer here at his home.

James Jordon and Glenn Sheumaker, who have completed their second year in the study for the ministry at Freed Hardemon college, Henderson, Tenn., have arrived home to spend the summer.

Phillip LaFlam returned home this week on a thirty day furlough after spending 27 months in the Canal Zone, where he has been stationed in the army. At the end of his leave he will report for foreign service.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jordon and small daughter, Jo Ann of Lakes Wales were guests for the week end of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Jordon and his sister, Miss Edna Jordon.

Miss Furlow Anderson will leave next week for College Park, Ga., to visit her sister, Mrs. J. T. Gresham. She will go from there to Turnerville, Ga., to spend the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Peeples and daughter, Jackie, returned to their home in Bradenton Wednesday night, after visiting Mrs. Peeple's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Delaney and family.

Elmer Hoyt and Miss Verna Weems of Sebring were in Moore Haven Wednesday evening to attend the graduation of Miss Ann Skinner.

Weyman Carver, University of Florida student, arrived home last week end from Gainesville, to spend the summer here at his home.

Mrs. Charles Sherman and son, Edward were in Gainesville over the week end to attend the graduation of Charles Sherman from the University of Florida.

Mrs. S. Y. Hartt returned home last week end from Miami, where she has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keune.

Mrs. G. W. Bolt, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bolt for the past several weeks, left Tuesday for her home in Beckley, W. Va.

Mrs. H. C. Worden and two children, Harold Jr. and Elaine are spending several days with Mr. Worden's mother, Mrs. C. P. Worden in Winter Haven.

Miss Millie Pearson left Thursday for Bailey, N. C., to spend the summer at her home.

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Church Notes

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"Ancient and Modern Necromacy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, May 31.

The Golden Text is: "The idols have spoken vanity, and the diviners have seen a lie, and have told false dreams; they comfort in vain" Zechariah 10:2.

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, nnd he will flee from you. Draw nigh to God, and he will draw nigh to you. Cleanse your hands, ye sinners; and purify your hearts, ye doubled minded" (James 4:7.8).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Who is telling mankind of the foe in ambush? Is the informer one who sees the foe? If so, listen and be wise. Escape from evil, and designate those as unfaithful stewards who have seen the danger and yet have given no warning" (p.571:10.14).

UNIOU CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M., with classes for all ages. Topic: 'From Gethsemane to Pilate's Court.' We invite you to study with us the most famous trial in history. Did Pilate judge Jesus or did Jesus judge Pilate? What do you think?

Morning worship service at 11 o'clock, with sermon by Dr. Elliott who will speak on: "The Closed Door". You are cordially invited to attend this service and hear this message. The significance of the closed door depends on which side of the door you stand. Inside, light and joy; outside, darkness and bitter wailing.

The Young People's Pilgrim Fellowship will meet at the Church at 7:00 P. M. Topic: "Where Does Democracy Begin?" to be introduced by Winifred Hood. Young people of high school age are specially invited to join this discussion group.

The "Quiet Hour" service will be held on Wednesday at 8:00 P. M. A service of praise and prayer, with a brief address by the Pastor. Christian patriotism calls upon all Christian people everywhere to join in prayer in these days of the world's agony and trial. What are you doing to help keep the spiritual fires of the nation burning?

CHURCHES OF CHRIST

Bible Study 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 10:45 A. M.
Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.

Evangelist Glenn Sheumaker will preach at both the morning and evening services.

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HONEY COOKERY

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

Chemists have proven that honey contains minerals which are health promoting. Honey is chiefly fruit sugar therefore easily digested and assimilated. More honey as a food is indeed health promoting.

HONEY CREAM WAFFLES

1 egg beaten very lightly, 4 teaspoons baking powder, 2 cups flour 1 teaspoon salt, 2 cups milk, 1-4 cup butter or oleomargarine, 3 tablespoons honey.

Mix shortening, honey (slightly warmed)and salt with beaten egg. Sift baking powder and flour together, then mix in alternately with milk till all is added. Nuts minced ham or dried fruits may be added to this batter for delicious varieties.

HONEY DOUGHNUTS

1 egg, 1 cup honey, 2 teaspoons baking powder, flour, 1 cup sweet milk, 2 tablespoons shortening, 1 teaspoon salt.

Cream honey and shortening, add well beaten egg then other ingredients. Mix well add sufficient flour to roll and cut easily. Fry in hot fat. Honey doughnuts will keep moist and hold their delicious flavor for some time.

HONEY SPONGE CAKE

1 cup cake flour, 1-2 cup sugar, 1.2 cup honey, 5 egg whites, 5 egg yolks, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 1.2 teaspoon vanilla, 3.4 teaspoon cream of tartar, 2 tablespoons boiling water.

Sift and measure flour and sugar Beat egg yolks till thick and lemon colored. Add sugar and beat well, then add honey beating or folding in lightly. Add boiling water a tablespoon at a time. Beat mixture 1-2 minute, add flavoring and flour, fold in egg whites beaten stiff. Bake for 50 minutes in moderate oven (300 degrees F.) Cool before removing cake from pan.

Delicious with honey icing:

Honey Cocoanut Meringue Icing

1.3 cup honey, grain of salt, 2 egg whites, 1-2 cup toasted or plain cocoanut.

Heat honey till it spins a thread. Pour very slowly into stiffly beaten egg whites, beating constantly while pouring. Add salt and beat till mixture is fluffy and holds shape. Spread on cake and sprinkle with cocoanut. Return cake to oven for 10 minutes to set meringue.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Spurlock are announcing the birth of a baby son, Donald Larry, who arrived last Thursday. The young man weighed nine and one-half pounds at birth.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass at Avon Park Woman's Clubhouse Verona Ave.

Sunday morning, May 24 at 10:00 A. M. Father Cann, Pastor.

Harry Norton and Harry Norton Jr., of Bartow, and Miss Ruth Norton of Winter Haven were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson and family on Tuesday.

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Skipper-Vogt Wedding Here June 4

The wedding of Miss Anna Beth Skipper and Fred Vogt, both of Ocala, whose engagement was recently announced, will take place in Avon Park on June 4 at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McGiboney, uncle and aunt of the bride-elect.

Miss Skipper will have as her only attendant her cousin, Miss Willa McGiboney of Avon Park. Bob Keeney, of Ocala, will serve as best man for Mr. Vogt.

The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. T. O. Baldwin, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Vero Beach, and a life-long friend of the bride-elect's family.

Miss Virginia Lee Crews of Lake Placid, another cousin of Miss Skipper, will present a program of piano selections preceeding the ceremony.

Following the ceremony a reception will be held for the guests, who will include relatives and a few close friends.

Bride-Elect Honored at Buffet Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin Jr. of Columbus, Ga., entertained at a buffet supper at the Jacaranda hotel on Thursday evening, honóring Miss Marguerite Loomis and Lieut. William H. Bewick, whose marriage was an event of Friday afternoon.

The centerpiece for the table, from which the dainty supper was served, was composed of summer garden flowers, in delicate pastel tints. Place cards bore the names of the couple with the date of the wedding on the reverse side.

Those sharing the affair with the honor guests, and the host and hostess included Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Loomis, parents of the bride elect, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Martin of Columbus, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. Ruby Bass, Miss Elizabeth Hetherington, H. G. McArthur, Mrs. Sue Gregory, W. E. Morgan, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Carson and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Wilkes, Sebring.

Graduation Dance Tuesday Evening

Following the graduation program on Tuesday evening, members of the senior class entertained at a party and dance in the band room. The patriotic colors of red, white and blue were reflected in the colorful streamers draped at intervals about the room, and caught with bright balloons in the same colors. Crepe paper horns and novelties were favors given each guest. Delicious refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and punch were served late in the evening.

The senior class presented their sponsor, E. L. Roberts with a leather bill fold, containing two crisp bills, as a memento of appreciation.

Miss Carmen Booth of Tampa is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth.

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HIGHLANDS COUNTY DEFENSE

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

"Gas defense instruction schools for air raid wardens have just been completed in our county," says Allen Altvater, coordinator of the five action divisions, "but the attendance was poor, not more than 25 percent of the Council workers attended. We hope soon to have such training for all citizens, as it is a vital part of our defense."

These schools were held through the courtesy of W. W. Harwood and W. C. Pidgeon of Avon Park Lodwick Aviation Military Academy. Both men are special instructors in chemical warfare and gave their services to the Council.

Mr. Harwood conducted the school in Sebring, last Thursday night and his talk was indeed graphic. He described the chief gases; naming phosgene-lung irritant; mustard-blistering; adamsite-nose and throat irritant; chloracetophenone-tear; hydrocyanic acid-systemic poison, as typical of each group. So realistic was Mr. Harwood's talk that some people began to cough. sneeze and gasp, and several members of the class are really still complaining of shortness of breath wheezing and throat irritation. It is to be deplored that every citizen did not take advantage of this school of instruction for much valuable data was disseminated.

A number of people have asked: "What are the action divisions of the Defense Council?" they are listed herewith: Civil Protection, Health and Housing, Communications and Transportation, Power and Fuel, Fire Defense.

Ben T. Stewort, Chairman of the Council states that plans are being perfected for the inspection of all buildings (public and private) in county to determine the fire and incendiary bomb fighting facilities early in June. "Every citizen and building owner should provide this simple equipment," said Stewart. "It consists of two buckets of dry sand, a long handled, snub-nosed shovel, ladder and either garden hose or fire extinguisher, all placed adjacent to an opening in attic or roof. Don't wait. Make preparations now for your own protection. When a raid occurs it will be too late." "The work of coordinating the five action divisions is going forward. Members of each division have received data on the duties of all others, thus each worker knows what is expected individually and as a whole and how his work fits in. Thus the work will be expected and many problems eliminated," P. G. Gearing, Division Chairman of Water Supply and Fire Protection states.

County Agent Louis Alsmeyer, co-chairman of Salvage, and Mrs. George E. (Gene) Sebring, jr., are much gratified over the county's response to Salvage for Victory. Alsmeyer says that a car is now being loaded at Avon Park, and will be shipped soon. It will probably equal, perhaps exceed the first car in weight. Everyone is asked to contribute scrap metal and rubber and it will be called for if you notify him, or Mrs. Sebring. "As soon as this car is shipped, we will start another, we want to get all the scrap metal and rubber in our county," says Mrs. Sebring: Paper has been removed from the salvage list at present. There was such a splendid response to this demand that there is now a surplus of waste paper. Should the need for such arise again there will be another campaign.

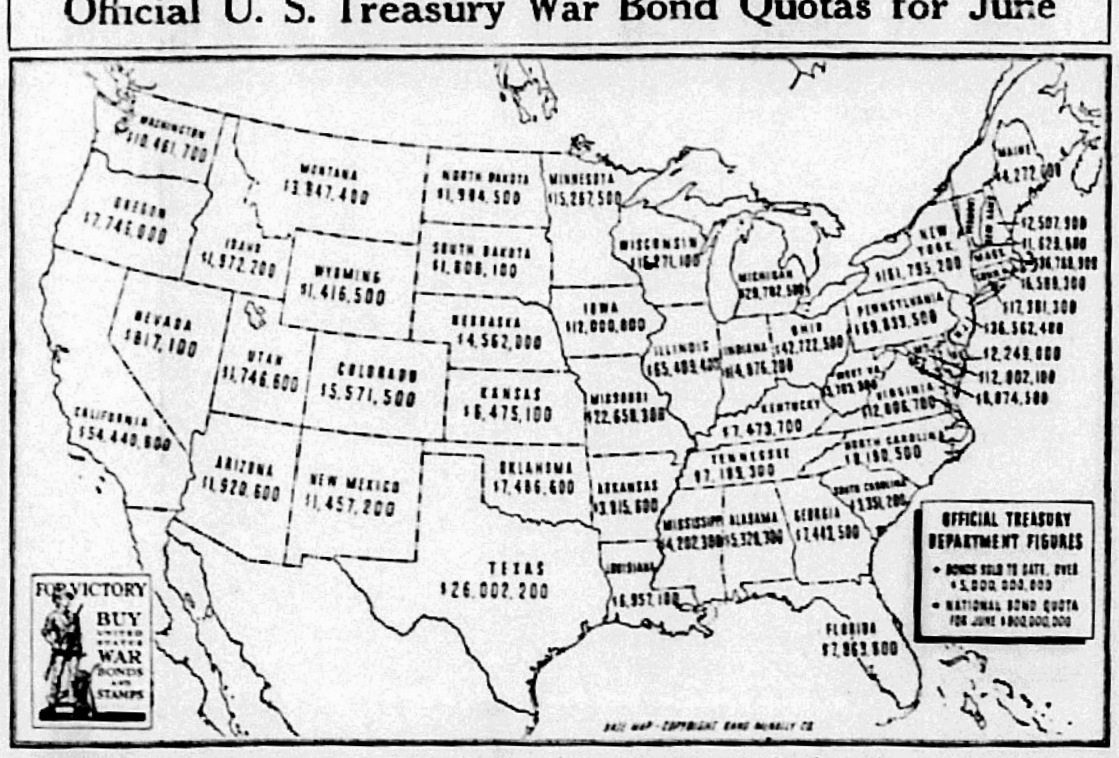
"Scrap metal and old rubber now hold the spot light. Rubber is in particular demand. Save all your old scrap rubber no matter how old and worn it may appear. Old rubber gloves, aprons, raincoats and hats, jar rubbers, overshoes, hot water bottles, tires, tubes, bath mats, food scrapers, even pencil ends are greatly needed. When you have a quantity of rubber or metal, or both, call Mr. Alsmeyer, or get in touch with me and arrangements will be made to collect it.

"Our first carload of scrap metal and rubber weighed 36 tons, Let's all get busy and increase the weight of each car that leaves our county, we can do it for there is plenty of metal and rubber yet to be salvaged."

Guignard Maxcy, Division Chairman of Stamps and Bonds Sales says the sales are increasing throughout county. For April he gives the following report from Post Offices:

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware spent Tuesday in Orlando, and were accompanied home by Mrs. Frank Alchin, who is the house guest of Mrs. Nan Rouse.

Official U. S. Treasury War Bond Quotas for June



The above map of the country shows the War Bond Quota by states for the month of June totalling $800,000,000. Everybody every pay day is expected to invest at least ten per cent of his income in War Bonds to aid in financing America's offensive against the Axis powers.

The ultimate quota for the nation will be on a basis of one billion dollars per month effective in July. This sum is necessary to provide for all-out production of planes, guns, ships and munitions adequate to arm our fighting men with the tools necessary to win the war.

ORDINANCE NO. 242

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO DEFINING AND REGULATING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND BEVERAGES; PROHIBITING IN THE CITY OF AVON PARK, IN THE COUNTY OF HIGHLANDS AND STATE OF FLORIDA, THE MANUFACTURE, SALE, OFFERING FOR SALE, KEEPING FOR SALE, BARTARING, AND FURNISHING AT PUBLIC PLACES ANY SUCH INTOXICATING LIQUORS OR BEVERAGES; PROHIBITING THE TRANSPORTATION OR POSSESSION IN SAID CITY OF ANY INTOXICATING LIQUOR OR BEVERAGE WITHOUT THERE BEING AFFIXED TO THE IMMEDIATE CONTAINER THEREOF ANY AND ALL STAMPS REQUIRED TO BE AFFIXED THERETO BY ANY LAW OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA OR THE UNITED STATES AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEIZURE AND DESTRUCTION OF ANY SUCH INTOXICATING LIQUOR OR BEVERAGE SO TRANSPORTED OR POSSESSED; MAKING IT UNLAWFUL TO SELL OR CAUSE TO BE SOLD OR TO ASSIST IN SELLING ON SUNDAY IN SAID CITY ANY BEVERAGE CONTAINING MORE THAN 1 PER CENT OF LCOHOL BY WEIGHT; PROHIBITING THE SALE IN SAID CITY OF ANY BEVERAGE CONTAINING MORE THAN ONE PER CENT OF ALCOHOL BY WEIGHT; WITHOUT THERE BEING STAMPED OR PRINTED UPON THE CONTAINER THEREOF IN LEGIBLE TYPE THE PERCENTAGE OF ALCOHOL IN SUCH BEVERAGE; PROVIDING THAT NONE OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE SHALL APPLY TO ETHYL ALCOHOL INTENDED FOR USE AND/OR USED FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES; AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Avon Park in the County of Highlands and State of Florida, as follows:

Section 1. That such liquors and beverages, whether spirituous, vinous or malt or fruit juices, as are now or may hereafter be declared to be intoxicating liquors or beverages by laws of the State of Florida, shall be deemed to be intoxicating liquors or beverages under the terms and provisions of this ordinance.

Section 2. That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to manufacture, sell, offer for sale, keep for sale, barter or furnish at any public place, any such intoxicating liquor or beverage or any of them in any quantity or at any time in said City.

Section 3. It shall be unlawful for any person in said City to transport or possess any intoxicating liquor without there being affixed to the immediate container thereof any and all stamps required to be affixed thereto by any law of the State of Florida or of the United States.

Section 4. When the Chief of Police or any officer of said City has reasonable grounds to believe that any person is transporting in any vehicle in said City any such intoxicating liquor without there being affixed to the immediate container thereof any and all stamps required to be affixed thereto by any law of the State of Florida, or of the United States, it shall be the duty of said Chief of Police or of such police officer to search such vehicles and seize any such intoxicating liquor being so transported in violation of this ordinance and, after being used as evidence, such intoxicating liquor shall be publicly destroyed under order of the Mayor's Court of said city.

Section 5. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell or cause to be sold or assist in selling on Sunday in the City of Avon Park in the County of Highlands and State of Florida any beverage containing more than 1 per cent of alcohol by weight.

Section 6. The word "Sunday" as used herein shall mean the twenty-four hours beginning at midnight of Sunday morning and ending at midnight of Sunday night.

Section 6A. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell in said City any beverage containing more than 1 per cent of alcohol by weight without there being stamped or printed upon the container thereof in legible type the percentage of alcohol in such beverage.

Section 7. None of the provisions of this ordinance shall apply to ethyl alcohol intended for use and/or used for the following purposes: (A) for scientific, chemical, mechanical, industrial and/or medicinal purposes; (B) patented, patent, proprietary, medicinal, pharmaceutical, antiseptic, toilet, scientific, chemical, mechanical and/or industrial preparations or products unfit for beverage purposes; (C) flavoring extracts and syrups, unfit for beverage purposes.

Section 8. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof in the Mayor's Court of said city, be punished therefor by a fine or not more than $100, or by imprisonment at hard labor in the jail of the said City for not more than sixty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 9. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 10. This ordinance is an emergency measure and is hereby found and declared to be necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and welfare and shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor or upon its becoming an ordinance without such approval and upon its being published one time in a newspaper published in said City.

Passed in regular session of the City Council of the City of Avon Park in the County of Highlands and State of Florida, this 25th day of May, 1942.

(SEAL) E. A. DELANEY,
President City Council.

Attest:
LOUISE B. ARMSTRONG,
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By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Marguerite Loomis Bride of Lieut. William Bewick

Miss Marguerite Loomis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Loomis, and Lieut. William H. Bewick of Fort Benning, Ga., son of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Bewick of Madison, Wis., were united in marriage in a beautiful and impressive ceremony on Friday afternoon at three o'clock at the Episcopal church. The Rev. Richard I. Brown read the marraige vows in the presence of relatives and a few close friends.

Stately calla lilies and shasta daisies on the altar, illuminated by tall burning tapers, cast a soft reflection on the altar rail, entwined with fern sprays, and dotted with tiny white statice blossoms.

Miss Barbara Betts, organist, presented a program of nuptial music preceding the ceremony, and the traditional wedding marches were used.

The couple was attended by the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Martin of Columbus, Ga., as best man and matron of honor.

The bride given in marriage by her father, was lovely in her sister's wedding gown of white net. The fitted bodice featured a sweetheart neckline and short puffed sleeves, caught with tiny bows of self material. The very full skirt was attached to a low fitted waistline. Her fingertip veil, of sheerest illusion, was caught to the hair with a wreath of orange blossoms, and she carried a white prayer book showered with a cluster of gardenias and valley lilies.

The matron of honor wore an afternoon gown of white silk jersey, the slight fullness of the bodice gathered at the v shaped neckline. The bouffant skirt was fitted to the hips and terminated in tiers of tiny ruffles of lace. Her flowers were a nosegay of white carnations and roses.

The bride's mother was gowned in a printed silk chiffon, with which she wore a large picture hat, and a corsage of sweetheart roses.

Reception at Home

Immediately following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Loomis entertained members of the wedding party and a few close friends, at a reception at their home at Highland Lakes. The rooms were decorated with summer flowers to emphasize a bridal motif. Miss Faye Gordon of Sebring, presided at the bride's book.

The bride's table in the dining room, was overlaid with a handsome lace cloth, with a centerpiece fashioned of summer garden flowers, gerberas, asters and daisies, predominating. The ices were in the shape of wedding bells, and were served with individual cake squares. Miss Barbara Allen Marlin of Tampa and Mrs. W. Z. Carson of Sebring, assisted in the dining room.

After spending some time with their guests, the couple left during the late afternoon for Texas, where they will reside temporarily, while Lieut. Bewick is located at Kelly Field.

The bride is travelling in a smart black linen, a row of tiny white flowers appliquing the edge of the sleeves, the collar, and the hem of the skirt. Her accessories are in black and white, and she is wearing the gardenia corsage from her prayer book.

Among the out of town relatives and friends attending the wedding were, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin of Columbus, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Marlin and Miss Barbara Allen Marlin of Tampa, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. James and Mrs. J. H. Yost of Orlando, Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Carson and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Wilkes of Sebring, and Mrs. W. H. McCarthy and Miss Mary McCarthy of Frostproof.

Mrs. Bewick received her early education in the schools of Avon Park, and attended Sullins college in Bristol, Va., and a secretarial school in Columbus, Ga.

Lieut. Bewick is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin law school, and is a member of Phi Psi fraternity. Before entering the service, he was engaged in the practice of law in Jamesville, Wis. He has been stationed at Fort Benning, but has transferred to the Air Force, and will receive further training at Kelly Field, Texas.

Miss Julia Norfleet left Thursday for Bradenton to spend the summer at her home.

Pfc. J. W. Tuten Jr. of Camp Bowie, Texas, is spending a furlough at his home. He will return to Texas June the first.

Carmen Booth, Bride Elect Is Party Honoree

Miss Carmen Booth, charming bride elect of June, was the honoree at a lovely bridge party and miscellaneous shower, given by Mrs. C. E. Lanier and Mrs. D. G. Perry, at the home of the former, on Tuesday afternoon. Tastefully arranged bouquets of summer garden flowers, in pastel tints, were used to decorate the living room and sun porch. Guests kept their scores for the afternoon on tallies in a harmonizing design.

High score prize for the afternoon was given to Mrs. Nan Rouse and second high, to Mrs. John Bunting. Each received a pastel linen handkerchief.

The refreshment table, in the dining room, was overlaid with a white cloth, and centered with the crystal punch bowl. Silver trays held small cakes iced in pink and green, and small bouquets of pansies, in rich tones, were at the opposite end of the table.

Mrs. T. J. Ward sang "I Love You Truly", accompanied at the piano by David Lanier, preceding the entrance of the "bridal party", who presented the attractively packaged gifts to the bride to be. To the strains of the traditional wedding march, little Misses Patricia and Gloria Sheffield, dressed as a minature bride and groom entered the room. The youthful bride wore a floor length dress and a veil of pink illusion, caught to the hair with tiny ruffles. Her flowers were a nosegay of sweetheart roses and gerberas, tied with silver and pink ribbons. The "young groom" wore a white linen suit. They were followed by their brother, Johnnie, who carried a huge pink decorated basket, piled high with a variety of dainty and useful gifts.

Those sharing this delightful affair with Miss Booth, included her mother, Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mrs. John Bunting, Mrs. H. E. Godwin, Mrs. E. P. Loomis, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. Nan Rouse, Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mrs. Sue Gregory, Miss Phyllis Phillips, Miss Alma Harrell, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Mrs. Freed Peden, Mrs. Vera Garner, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Miss Elizabeth Green, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mrs. H. E. Kilpatrick, Miss Sarah Browning, Miss Mary McNicholas.

Mrs. J. W. Sheffield, Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mrs. Fred Smith, Mrs. John D. Raab, Miss Verna Heim, Mrs. Walter S. Martin, Mrs. L. M. Orr, Mrs. W. M. Hetherington, Miss Elizabeth Hetherington, Mrs. T. J. Ward, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. Harold Epps, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mrs. Brisco Willis, Mrs. J. C. DeShong, Mrs. Austin Heacock and Miss Dorothy Hodil of Sebring, Mrs. B. H. Griffin, Mrs. John Maxcy, Mrs. P. J. Langford, Mrs. Ray Urie, of Frostproof.

Jackie Peeples is Three Years Old

Little Miss Jackie Peeples, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Peeples of Bradenton, celebrated her third birthday anniversary at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Delaney, on Wednesday afternoon from 3:30 'til 5:30. A pink and white color scheme was chosen for the decorations and refreshments.

The rooms were filled with bouquets of roses, ruffled petunias, snapdragons, and other summer flowers. A group of gaily colored balloons in the center of the living room were released, and caused much merriment as they floated down over the happy group. Games were played, and children's stories were enjoyed by the young guests.

Late in the afternoon, the children were invited into the dining room, where they were served delicious punch and cookies. The pretty birthday cake, that centered the table, was frosted in white, topped with three small pink candles, and inscribed with the word ing "Happy Birthday to You." Pink and white napkins emphasized the chosen color note. Mrs. Delaney and Mrs. Peeples were assisted in entertaining by Lena Mae Perry, Fay Luke and Mrs. Jack Delaney of Punta Gorda.

Young friends sharing the happiness of the occasion with Jackie were Betty Childers, Patricia, Betty and Jeanette McGinn, Gloria Davis, Delores and Jimmie Martin, Sandy DeShong, Jimmie Mathis, Jimmie Durkman, Sammy Perry, Joline Martin, Nancy Ginn, Michael Hetherington, Peggy Martin, Sarah Lou Perry, Jerry Goodman, Barbara Buchanan, and Gayle Geiger.

Elton Perry and Pvt. C. Colbert Married Thursday

Miss Elton Perry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Perry, and Pvt. Charles Colbert, son of Mrs. Minnie Kohen of Mobile, Ala., were married on Thursday evening at eight o'clock at the parsonage of the First Methodist Church. The Rev. G. S. Roberts, pastor performed the double ring ceremony, in the presence of relatives and a few close friends.

The couple was attended by Mrs. Cleve Green of Live Oak as matron of honor, and Dupont D. Smith brother-in-law of the bride, who served as best man.

The bride was radiant in a navy blue triple sheer ensemble. The short jacket was fastened with large white buttons and finished with a square collar, edged in narrow ruffling outlined with a touch of red in pleasing contrast. She wore a large picture hat of natural straw with red grosgrain ribbon bow, and her gloves and shoes were in shades of red. Her flowers were a corsage of red and white carnations.

Mrs. Green wore a frock of printed jersey, and her flowers were white carnations, in corsage.

Mrs. Perry, mother of the bride, chose a figured summer silk, with which she wore a corsage of pink rosebuds.

RECEPTION FOLLOWING CEREMONY

Immediately following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Arm, strong entertained members of the wedding party and a few close friends at a reception at their home on Lake Isis.

Stately calla lilies were arranged at points of vantage in the reception rooms, where the host and hostess, the bridal couple, and the bride's parents greeted the guests.

A green and white bridal motif prevailed in the dining room, where cake and punch were served. The table was overlaid with an embroidered linen cloth, and centered with the three tiered wedding cake surmounted with a minlature bride and groom, flanked on either side by tall white tapers, burning in crystal holders. Tiny white blossoms twinkled among the sprays of sprengeri fern in a flat arrangement on the table, and entwined a snowy white magnolia blossom at each end of the table.

The punch bowl on the buffet was encircled with fragrant magnolias and foliage. Mrs. J. L. Wells, Miss Marjorie Wells and Miss Frances Broome assisted in the dining room. About fifty guests attended the reception.

The couple will be at home after June first at the Perry apartments.

Faculty Enjoys Rib Roast at Hartt's Desire

The Avon Park school faculty entertained on Monday evening at a rib roast at Hartt's Desire, in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves, and members of the faculty, who have resigned this year, to take other positions. These members are H. J. Mumman, James M. Davis, E. L. Roberts, Miss Janet Cook, and Miss Elisabeth Green.

The group gathered at six thirty o'clock, and enjoyed ribs, prepared to a delicious turn, which were served with potato salad, pickles, rolls, coffee and ice cream.

The faculty presented Dr. Reeves a handsome desk pen set to match the clock, given him by the PTA.

Those sharing the delightful occasion included Dr. and Mrs. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, Mr. Mumman, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Miss Cook, Miss Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Freed Peden, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Singletary, W. I. Williams, I. H. Ford, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Sarah Browning, Miss Julia Norfleet, Miss Mildred Myers, Mrs. C. E. Myers, Mrs. Virginia Cloud, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Miss Rosalie Claussson, Miss Iva Phillips, Mrs. W. A. Drawdy, C. D. Noland.

Junior Class Has Annual Picnic

The Junior Class held their picnic and frolic at Lake Byrd Lodge on Friday. The group arrived during the afternoon, and enjoyed various amusements, including swimming, tennis, and ping-pong, after which they were served a picnic supper. Dancing formed entertainment for the evening. Chaperones were Dr. and Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Davis, and Coach Harold Rowe.

Dot McNicholas Honoree at Lake Placid Party

Miss Dorothy McNicholas, whose marriage to L. C. Davis will be solemnized in June, was the lovely honoree at a "Rainy Day" shower at the Lake Placid Country Club last Thursday evening, with Mrs. Harvey G. Roberts and Miss May Lewis as hostesses.

Miss McNicholas wore a frock of poudre blue crepe; Mrs. Roberts chose a dusty pink sheer; and Miss Lewis was wearing a floral print. As each guest arrived she was presented a tiny white parasol as a favor.

The clubroom was lighted by the glow of many candles, and reflected an especially pretty arrangement of trailing vines, entwined among the burning tapers on the mantel.

A contest, suggesting things to do on rainy days, resulted in Miss Peachie Lewis winning a bag of aquamarine crystal mints as the prize. Mrs. E. T. Flanders presented a minature hat model to the bride elect, and an illustrated booklet of menus suggested for rainy days.

Carrying gay floral parasols and wearing figured bathing suits, Joyce Cass and Jean Flanders brought in the gifts, as confetti was showered upon the recipient. A folder listing the gifts, also carried the signatures of the guests. The many dainty gifts were open, and received a great share of admiration.

Late in the evening, delicious refreshments of sandwiches olives, crackers, date-nut bread, and fruit punch were served. The refreshment table was overlaid with an Irish lace cloth, and centered with an arrangement of Bermuda lilies, pink radiance roses, Queen Anne's lace, coral vine and fern in a crystal epergne, flanked by three branched silver candlelabra holding burning white tapers. Crystal bonbon dishes held green and white mints.

The hostesses were assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Frank Lewis, Miss Peachie Lewis, Mrs. A. K. Fleming, and Mrs. Maurice York, who played several instrumental selections during the evening.

Those sharing the delightful party with Miss McNicholas were Mrs. W. M. Roberts, Mrs. W. A. Cass, Mrs. E. A. Bowers, Mrs. Maurice York, Mrs. A. B. Wilhite, Mrs. John Phay, Mrs. A. K. Fleming, Mrs. Frank Lewis, Mrs. P. D. Moore, Jr., Mrs. Joe Edwards, Mrs. Earl Bozeman, Mrs. Charles Crawford, Mrs. Lee Crews, Mrs. Herbert Seavems, Mrs. E. R. Flanders, Mrs. Frank Morgan, and Misses Mary and Dorothy McNicholas Avon Park, Kate Keast, Annie May Smith, Florence Brooks Parrish, Lewis, Doris Stidham, and Patty Whitmore.

Swimming Party Honors Mary Rouse

Mary Rouse, daughter of Mrs. Nan Rouse, who is leaving next week for Green Bay, Wis., to make her home, was the honoree at a delightful swimming party and picnic, given by Mrs. Earl H. Ware on Monday afternoon at the Straubel dock. Mrs. Ware was assisted by Mrs. Harold Epps.

Swimming and taking pictures formed enjoyed diversion, after which the group were served a tasty picnic lunch. Mrs. Ware presented Mary with a heart charm bracelet, as a going-away gift.

Friends enjoying the afternoon with Mary were Virginia Spencer, Arden Anderson, Gloria Garber, Anne Pabor, John L. Delegal, Bill Beckett, Harold and Glenn Reeder, and Virgil Martin.

Garden Club Honors Two Members at Friday Luncheon

The Garden Club entertained at a luncheon on Friday at the home of Mrs. J. A. Johnson, in honor of two valued members, Mrs. Stanley N. Reeves and Mrs. M. V. Pilcher, who are moving to other points to make their homes.

The luncheon table was prettily appointed, and had for a centerpiece, a clever arrangement, that emphasized the patriotic note in colorful detail, and was suggestive of the ultimate reason for each of the honoree's departure. Mr. Pilcher will enter training for instructor in the Air Forces, and Dr. Reeves will be superintendent of schools in York, S. C.

A miniature railway track outlined the center of the table, complete with small train, and the little red school house fashioned of red turk's cap petals. A miniature airplane covered with blue cornflowers and red carnation petals formed a striking contrast against the white cloth, and sign posts marking directions, completed a colorful and original arrangement.

Red and white carnations filled a low bowl on the buffet, and garden flowers, in pastel shades, decked the living room. Each of the honorees were given, dainty bow-knot corsages, fashioned of cornflowers.

Mrs. F. G. Todd read an original poem, written by her mother, Mrs. W. M. Reck, and dedicated to Mrs. Pilcher and Mrs. Reeves:

"Flowers short, flowers tall,
Flowers that come in spring or fall,
Flowers of dainty or gorgeous hue, we grow them all and love them, too.
They add pleasure to life, there is joy untold, watching each miniature leaf unfold;
They trim homes and grounds with beauty rare, their delicate fragrance perfuming the air.
In going thru life, there are friends we greet, that remind us of flowers whenever we meet,
Their sweet and fine qualities bear and far, scattering kind deeds and joy, wherever they are.
Communities blossom when under their care, their fine gifts of character so freely they share.
Friendly greetings here, good counsel there.
Excuse me, girls, I wanted to flare on "Transplanting" and "Green fields so fair."
Yes "New Opportunities extending afar" but Pegasus stalled and gave me a jar.
As a club we all have worked with a zest, with Margie and Olin helping us do our best,
Now we hope that both will return ere long, and that this will be the theme of their song.
"This is my own, my native clime, our lives again with yours entwine,
No more to roam for this is home."
In childish doggerel let us add:
Those little flowers we give you today,
We hope to you will ardently say:
"We'll miss you, miss you, miss you so,
But you have our best wishes wherever you go."

Those present to share the occasion with the Mrs. Reeves and Mrs. Pilcher were Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. Margery Church, Mrs. E. W. Hartt, Mrs. Jack Head, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. Good, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. Paul L. Rumpus, Mrs. Nan Rouse, Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. F. A. Truan, Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mrs. C. F. Kenney, Mrs. E. L. Lowe, Mrs. J. L. Abbott, Mrs. W. C. Pidgeon, Mrs. W. L. Amos, and Mrs. J. A. Johnson.

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Senior Breakfast Tuesday Morning at Parish House

Yellow and green, the senior class colors, were cleverly emphasized in the annual senior breakfast given on Tuesday morning at the parish house, by the P. T. A. The table, in V shape, was daintily appointed in these colors, a flat arrangement of Florida elder with its green foliage marked the center, augmented with small bouquets at intervals the length of the table. Green and yellow napkins were at alternate places for the guests.

Rev. R. I. Brown gave the invocation, and Powell Skipper, on behalf of the seniors expressed the appreciation of the class, for this delightful courtesy.

The delicious breakfast consisted of grapefruit halves, fried chicken, grits and gravy, hot rolls, jelly, coffee and chocolate milk.

Covers were laid for the thirty-seven seniors, members of the high school faculty, and a few invited guests, and included Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves, W. I. Williams, Mr. and Mrs J. E. Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wood, Miss Millie Pearson, Miss Janet Cook, Mrs. Freed Peden, Miss Sarah Browning, and C. D. Noland.

Methodist Choir and Sunday School Has Picnic

The Young People's Choir of the First Methodist Church, and their director, Miss Alma Harrell, were honored by the Sunday School, with a picnic in Donaldson Park on Wednesday afternoon. A most delicious picnic supper was spread on the long tables on the lake shore for the enjoyment of those present. Games on the lawn provided entertainment for the younger members of the group.

Madge Pilcher Is Party Honoree

Miss Margaret Dilley entertained at a farewell party at her home on Wednesday evening, in honor of Miss Madge Pilcher, who is leaving Avon Park this week. The rooms were filled with summer garden flowers in colorful shades.

Dancing was enjoyed during the evening, and later delicious refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and punch were served from the prettily appointed table, covered dining table, centered with a bowl of pastel blossoms.

Those sharing the party with Madge and the hostess were Misses Ruby Pate, Polly Thomas, Winifred Hood, Jimmie Hetherington, Bobby Keller, Jack Head, Charles Lawhon, and Leon Delaney.

The girls remained for the night to enjoy a slumber party, as the guests of Margaret.

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

Highlands Hammock Company, A Corporation, Plaintiff
vs.
Paul W. Beerman et al, Defendant

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of a final decree and amendment thereof, issuing out of the above entitled Court and in the above entitled cause, the undersigned Special Master will offer for sale at public outcry at the south door of the Court House, Sebring, Florida, between the hours of eleven o'clock A.M. and two o'clock P. M., on Monday, June 1, 1942, the following described property located in Highlands County, Florida, to-wit:

FIRST: The NE¼ of the NE¼, and the SE¼ less the NE¼ of the SW¼ and less the NE¼ of the SW¼ of the SW¼, and less 28 acres in the S½ of the NW¼ and the W½ of the SW¼ south of the highway, and less the SW¼ of the SW¼ and the S½ of the NW¼ of the SW¼ of the NE¼, all in Section 2, Township 34 South, Range 28 East.

And

SECOND: The NW¼ of the SW¼ and the S½ of the S½ of the SW¼ of the SW¼, Section 2, Township 34 South, Range 28 East.

The said sale being made to satisfy liens accruing under certain State of Florida Tax Certificates set out and described in the Bill of Complaint filed in this cause.

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Auxiliary Makes Plans For Poppy Day Saturday

Mrs. H. R. Currie, newly installed president of the American Legion Auxiliary presided at the regular business meeting of the organization, on Monday evening at the F. P. S. community social room.

Mrs. Ed Welch, poppy chairman, announced plans for observing poppy day Saturday. A group of children will sell poppies on the streets all day Saturday and auxiliary members will assist in the sales and at the tables.

Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, past president of the unit, and a Gold Star mother, was presented a past president's pin with a tiny gold star in the center.

Members present were Mrs. J. L. Delegal, Mrs. Howard Maddox, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. H. R. Currie, Mrs. Ed Welch, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Mrs. Ruth Clowe, Mrs. Walter Martin, Mrs. Demos Mathis, and Mrs. C. H. Lewiston.

Betts Girls Have House Party of Sorority Sisters

Miss Barbara and Miss Nancy Betts will have as their house guests next week several friends who are sorority sisters at Brenau college, Gainesville, Ga., which they all attended this year. Miss Peggy Victor of Middleborough, Ky., arrived this week, and other guests arriving over the week end will be Miss Martha Milburn of Harrison, Ark., Miss Mary Elizabeth Corliss of Brooksville, Ky., Miss Betty Stansbury of Wake Forest, N. C., Miss Mary Bob Acree of Toccoa, Ga., Miss Rebecca Allison of Winnsboro, S. C., and Miss Thelma Cryer of Anniston, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr., and family had as their guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ray M. Grover and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. I. Campbell of Tampa.

Mrs. Harold Epps and daughter, Beverly, arrived this week from Houston, Texas to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Langford.

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DEFENSE Check-Up June 15

House to House Inspection to Be Held

Some weeks ago we explained to the people of Highlands County that it would be necessary for them to use certain precautionary measures to combat incendiary bombs.

It will be necessary for the occupants of every home, office, and store room to provide what is known as a scuttle hole into their attics. There must be provided at the scuttle hole either a permanent stairs or a permanent ladder or step-ladder, at a very convenient location so the attic can immediately be reached in the event of fire. The equipment is simple, costs little, in fact, many people have most all of it on hand. This equipment consists of a flat nose shovel and two buckets half full of dry sand or earth. This also should be in a convenient and handy location for quick use. All fighting equipment should be kept together and in a very handy and convenient place.

If you have a fire extinguisher, have it inspected by your local fire department and recharged, if needed. This service will be gladly given you.

The inspection of every building will start in Highlands County Monday, June 15, and we hope that everybody will cooperate without the necessity of further check ups.

These precautions are essential to the welfare of your community. This work must be done.

When your air raid warden calls to inspect your home, office, or building, please remember he is your friend and will gladly advise you if things are in proper order. We suggest that if you have not already attended to this matter that you do so at once. Your cooperation will greatly help your over-worked Defense Council.

Signed: Highlands County Defense Council.

By: Ben T. Stewart, Chairman.


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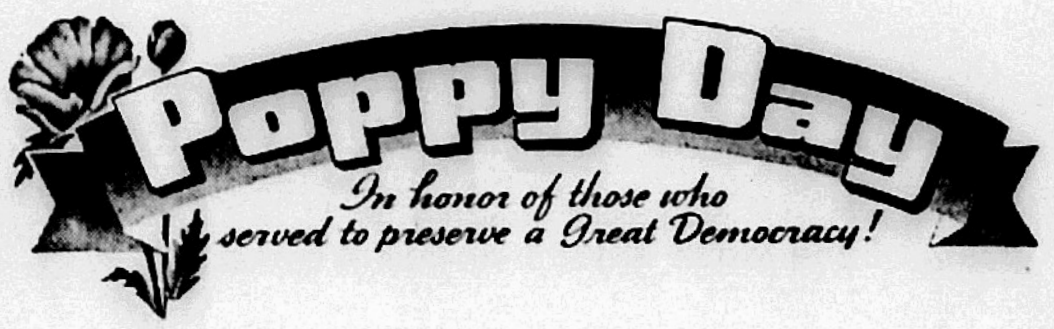

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WIT-LESS HUMOR

From LAMA

(By GUM)

Have you ever wondered why our gals slide their hands across their Southern exposure before they sit down?

You never wondered why? Oh, I see! Too busy lookin'! Well, here is the low-down on how it all started.

Many moons ago the head man of the universe casually flipped a hunk of dirt out thru space. (Dirt is still being thrown.) Having wondered why the dirt, he tossed a poor worm onto the dirt, and called it a man. Any woman of experience will agree that he is still a worm and not a man! Well, it seems that this poor worm had too much time on his hands and no place to put them. So the ring master cut a pork chop (rib) out of man's left side and called it a woman. This may explain why a man always licks his chops when he sees a good lookin' number! (P. S. These little footnotes are for those who came in late.)

Well to get along with the dirt. The two sat around in the sun light (first nudist pair) and he called her honey when she let her hair down in the moonlight, and this is how we get the expression, "honey-moon time." They played games like "hide" and "sneak," fished a little and then just sat under a fig tree and ate figs. The old boy soon became filled up on pleasure only, so began to prowl around the place. He finally discovered a massive iron gate with a handsome old gent diked out with horns on his head and a long tail. Having burned his fingers on the gate hinges—thereby discovering how hot the other place is—he became engagd in conversation and picked up several spicy ideas for later use. (He has been telling them ever since.) The Devil become jealous of such a happy pair (remember his she-devil) and scummed a scheme. Buzzing in man's ear an idea he awaited developments. The poor worm (man) went forth and searched long and carefully. Finally in a section of the Garden (called Florida) he found what he was looking for. Gathering several of these diabolical objects he carefully returned to his fig tree and called to the clinging vine that he would have words with her.

Our darling Eve came tripping along on wings of song and plunked down on the ground beside him. No sooner was she down than she was up, letting forth a blood-curdling scream! The first practical joke had been put over, for there sticking to Eve's Southern Exposure were several choice sand spurs well embedded in tender white skin. Screaming bloody murder she reached back and plucked them off—one at a time.

This then, is the real explanation why our gals always reach back (from habit) to pluck off the offending sand spurs even though they haven't been there since the Garden of Eden. They can still feel the spurs, and the poor worm still turns—to look!

Bingo Game Every Tuesday Night

Beginning Tuesday night, June 2, the Defense Recreation Committee will run a Bingo Game on the mall, beginning at 8:30.

The earnings from these Bingo Games will go 100 percent into the Recreation Fund for the soldiers in our city.

It is a lot of fun to play a game of bingo at the small cost of a nickle. Many people have already received valuable prizes on these games. The public is urged to come out and enjoy this fun for the benefit of our soldiers' recreation fund.

As an added attraction next Tuesday night, Private "Buddy" Gwynn, a professional magician will do his tricks of magic. Buddy, as we all know him, has a lot of new tricks up his sleeve for next Tuesday night.

The Defense Recreation Committee will appreciate your active participation.

Remember Every Tuesday Night, 8:30 P. M. on the Mall, Bingo, Fun For Every One.

Roger Giddens Improving After Accident Friday

Roger Giddens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Giddens, had both legs and four ribs broken last Friday night, when he was accidently struck by a car driven by Ellis Green. The accident occurred near the child's home, which is near the power plant.

Mr. Green had been called to the quarters by Chief Massey, to assist in arresting a drunken negro. As he neared the clay road, leading from Palmer's dock to the main road, Roger and his young sister, Jean, evidently started across the road from behind a tractor. In order to avoid hitting the little girl, Green swerved his car to one side and her brother hearing her frightened screams, apparently darted in her direction, and was hit by the oncoming car.

After receiving first aid at a local doctor's office, the child was taken to a Sebring hospital, where he is still a patient, but improving each day. Beside his broken limbs he sustained minor cuts and bruises.

County authorities investigated the accident, and found it to be unavoidable.

O. K. Barber Shop Opened This Week in Avon Park

The O K Barber shop opened this week in the Berriman building next door to the Avon Park Cafe. S. B. Joines of Winter Haven is proprietor of the shop, which will be in charge of H. B. Bozeman also of Winter Haven. The shop will have four chairs in operation all the time, according to Mr. Joines, with additional facilities to be added later, if necessary. He is anxious to meet the people of Avon Park, and will appreciate the patronage of the public.

New Type Shredder To Be Shown

A demonstration of a new type shredder for sweet potatoes, dasheens and cassava will be given at the Rex Beach Farms of Avon Park next Wednesday afternoon, June 3rd at 2 P. M. according to an announcement made today by County Agent Louis H. Alsmeyer.

This machine which Mr. Rex Beach had constructed in Sebring is the one designed by the University of Alabama, and has been very successful in a few places in Florida.

O. F. Wycoff, foreman of the Rex Beach Properties, states that they have recently fed a number of steers on fresh dasheens and cassavas plus some other feed used in the ration, and that the steers made satisfactory progress. At the demonstration the dasheens and other materials will be chopped up and the method of drying same fully explained.

Miss Alma Harrell is spending the week end with friends in Winter Garden.

Second Carload Scrap Iron About Ready

The scrap iron and rubber program in Highlands County is moving along very regularly and the second carload is about ready to move to concentration points. Arrangements are being made on the third carload, and because of the rubber situation special emphasis is being placed upon the bringing in of old worn out casings, tubes, rubber hose, etc.

The same committee which handled the first carload, composed of E. W. Kelsey, Lake Placid, Byrum Shockley, Avon Park, J. B. Byars, Lorida, Oscar Clemons, Venus, and G. L. Granger, DeSoto City, with County Agent Alsmeyer, Chairman and working with Mrs. Geo. E. Sebring who is County Chairman of the entire County Salvage Program, will have charge of the metal and rubber salvage program. The Committee has announced that they will give a 10c defense stamp for every old casing innertube and 50 foot garden hose. These will all be reworked, and this rerun rubber will be used for recapping or retreading cars and some uses for military and civilian purposes.

In order to conserve time, gas and rubber, arrangements have been made to leave the scrap iron or rubber with any of the committeemen or at some central place in the various towns. Those who can bring same to town in a truck can unload the material just east of Gregg Maxcy's packing house after having same weighed on Mr. Maxcy's scales.

The Federal Government is calling on all people to check over their premises so that any scrap rubber, iron, copper, brass, lead, aluminum and similar materials is properly classified and brought in for resmelting for the necessary conduct of the war. These metals and the rubber are all needed very greatly and the program in Highlands County is conducted so that those who supply this material can either be paid for same with defense stamps or cash or can donate same to some worthy purpose. In addition to the above committee, Mrs. Edwin Booth of Avon Park and Mrs. L. W. Martin of Sebring and many others are assisting in this salvage work.

Istokpoga Soil Supervisors Organize

The Istokpoga Soil Conservation District Supervisors held their Organization meeting last Thursday afternoon in the County Agent's office, and elected A. L. Hall of Lake Placid as the Chairman of the organization. County Agent Louis H. Alsmeyer was elected as Secretary.

The Board of Supervisors is composed of A. L. Hall, Albert DeVane and J. W. Kelly of Lake Placid and Mrs. Geo. Waggamann and Ralph Richardson of Lorida. The district involved is roughly the area east of the Coast Line Railroad tracks from the Lake Annie Corner southeast and east to the Kissimmee River and north to the Seaboard track and the southern end of the bombing range.

State Coordinator, Colin Gunn and Area Conservationist, J. E. Gates and Mr. Sparrow, one of the field men, for the Soil Conservation Service were present at the meeting and outlined methods of procedure and plans. Mr. Sparrow will be located in a District near the first of the month and will make a thorough survey of the area and is desirous of contacting as many local people as possible to secure the full information as to the problems and opportunities for the Istokpoga Soil Conservation District.

It was brought out at the Organization Meeting that this District is unique in several respects. It is the first District where all the land owners voted 100% favorable to the creation of the Soil Conservation District. It is the first District to have a lady member of the Board of Supervisors. It is also the first District where water control over the entire area is a community project rather than an individual farm or grove project.

News From Former Resident

A communication from Miss Edna Earle Griffin, who, with her parents, recently moved to Madison, says that the family likes their new home very much, but they miss their Avon Park friends. However, she says, they keep in touch with things, through the columns of the Sun. Friends here will regret to learn that Mr. Griffin has been ill since they left, and is now confined to his home for an indefinite period, upon orders of his physician, and is in bed most of the tme. Miss Griffin has accepted a position as bookkeeper for the Hardee Motor Company.

RED CROSS INFORMATION

Another First Aid Class will be started in the Red Cross Room Monday June 1, at 3 P. M. This will be a registration meeting and to get books.

The U. S. Golf Association and U. S. Tennis association have arranged for a series of tournaments to be held by each of their local clubs for the benefit of the A. R. C. A total of 2964 tournaments have already been scheduled.

The American Red Cross was 61 years old May 21.

The A. R. C. has shipped 598,-000 articles made by women volunteer workers to men of the armed forces. The largest item is represented by 317,890 sweaters and other knitted garments.

A meeting of all chairmen and officers of Highlands County Chapter is being called for Thursday at 5 P. M. at the Red Cross Room to meet with Mr. M. T. Jefferies, Field Director of Florida.

Graduation Tuesday of Class of '42

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Jean Cannon, Joe Cannon, Mary Carratt, Jewell Collins, Earl Cook, Milton Cook, Juanita Crosby, Neomia Dixon, Alta Frizzell, Robbie Lee Hart, Sanford Hartt, Eloise Hill, Gloria Hughs.

Juanita Hunt, Lillian Kelley, Peggy Mandis, Tom Martin, Martha McNicholas, Irene McCullers, Erle Pabor, Desmond Roberts, Daymon Sadler, Edward Sherman, Leon Sheumaker, Powell Skipper, Betty Touchton, Dot Welch, Marjorie Wells, Albert Wester, Jack Williams, James Williams, and Jack Witt.

Ushers for the evening, members of the junior class were Willa Pearl McGiboney, Charles Lawhon Winifred Hood, Helen Jarrett, Jack Head, and Charles Locke.

THE GRUMBLER

(By Mrs. G. S. Roberts)

Oh, the Grumbler grumbles on
Morning, noon and night
And if you say a word
He's ready for a fight.
Nothing suits his fancy
He's always down and out
And never is he happier
Than when you make him pout.
He never likes the weather
Its either too hot or cold
He cannot see why he shouldn't
Have a pot of gold.
He talks about his neighbor
He's always on his back;
He's just a Grumbler grumbling
And so must take a whack.
Now, when you meet this one
Please be very, very kind
And do your level best
To make him change his mind.

Mrs. W. J. Heim, Jimmie and Billy Heim attended the graduation program at the University of Florida last Monday. Ralph Heim was a member of the graduating class.

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

Notice is hereby given, That Harvey E. Howard, Sebring, Fla., holder of Tax Certificate No. 743, issued the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1935 and Tax Certificate No. 518, 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:

Cert. 743 for 1935 covers S½ of SE¼ of NE¼ Section 3 Twp. 35 S Range 29 E.

Cert. 518 for 1938 covers N½ of SE¼ of NE¼ Section 3 Twp 35 S Range 29 E.

The assessment of the said property under the said certificate issued was in the name of L. L. Gifford and E. G. Wing.

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 June, 1942, which is the 1st day of June, 1942.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida.
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk.
May 1-8-15-22

When a Child Needs a Laxative!

Your child should like this tasty liquid laxative and you should like the *gentle* way it usually wakes up a youngster's lazy intestines when given by the simple directions.

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Miss Alma Harrell

CLASSIFIED ADS
SMALL COST BIG RESULTS

LOST—Sometime Friday afternoon, 17 jewel gold Waltham watch. Please return to George Gribble and receive reward.

Will care for children afternoons, at my home, the former Marsh home on state road eight. Mrs. Mary Hopson, 1tpd.

WOMAN, living alone, will share home with couple, or will rent entire house, furnished. One mile from airport. For further information, address "Home," care The Sun.

If in need of a memorial, contact R. R. Childers, 515 N. E. 3rd St. Ft. Meade, Fla. May 9-30, pd.

WANTED TO RENT: Sewing machine. Prefer electric model, but not necessary. Mrs. W. C. Waters, at H. H. Shepherd home.

MONEY TO LEND—For any worthy purpose, $10 to $300. No problem too hard. We sometimes make loans that are seemingly impossible at first. A talk with us in privacy will not obligate you in the least. We are under State Supervision. Charges strictly according to Florida Laws. Telephone 256, write or call Security Loan Company, Corner Broadway & Summerlin, Bartow.

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Matinees 3:00 Week Days
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GO MODERN! GO SEABOARD!

Sugar ... and ...

Brides, brides, ... month of ... rides bloom. Elton Perry ... wedding ... a ... could be ... for her soldie... who writes ... Another bride ... Marguerite Loon... ng heavenly ... These soldiers a... What the brid... a matter of opin... According to ... the bride wo... gown of gleamin... featuring a swe... fitted bodice... etc., etc., et... According to ... bride wore ... beautiful than ... According to ... bride wore ... seventy five buck... According to ... bride wore ... Reba Haynie ... the fairer sex ... good in slacks. Things like ... amusing when ... someone else ... matrons of the ... itials are J. J. ... come true ... hastily feeding ... discovered she ... sugar sack ... scratch sack ... Her family ... honey for sweet... while the chick... what all of that ... 'Tis rationed ... chickie dees ... time my father... trombone oil ... ine. Vivacious Bo... town ... word ... that she will so... of brides ... an... with Harold Bo... A houseful of ... Betts residence ... Barbara enterta... the heart of eac... is a Tri Delt pin... "what pin are y... Quote She ... Quote He ... the first time."

Navy Rec... Campaign... To Clima...

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PARK M...

Matinee ho... tre have bee... o'clock to t... noon. Manag... this week. T... order to get ... out in time ... stated. Satu... grams start ... continuously

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Eat More Citrus For Your Health's Sake

Sugar . . and Spice

Brides, brides, everywhere . . . e month of June . . . makes rides bloom.

Elton Perry . . . in blue for her edding . . . a vision of loveliness . . could be inspiration enough , for her soldier. Charles Colbert . . who writes and recites poetry.

Another bride of last week . . . Marguerite Loomis . . . also look- ng heavenly in white net . . . Thes,e soldiers are the lucky guys.

What the bride wore is always a matter of opinion . . .

According to the newspaper . . . t h e bride wore . . . a wedding gown of gleaming white satin . . . featuring a sweetheart neckline . . . fitted bodice, puffed sleeves . . . etc., etc, etc.

According to the mother . . . the bride wore . . . a dress much more beautiful than Mary Smith's.

According to the father . . . the bride wore . . . a dress that cost seventy-five bucks.

According to the groom . . . the bride wore . . . a lot of white stuff.

Reba Haynie . . . one member of **the fairer sex** . . . that really looks good in slacks.

Things like this are always amusing when . . . they happen to someone else . . . One of our cutest matrons of the city . . . whose in- itials are J. J. . . . had a night mare come true . . . when she, after hastily feeding the chickens . . . discovered she had emptied the **sugar sack** . . . instead of the scratch sack . . . into the feed dish . . . Her family have been using honey for sweetning all week . . . while the chickens are wondering what all of that white stuff is . . .

'Tis rationed sugar . . . my little chickie dees . . . Reminds me of the time my father . . . gargled the trombone oil . . . instead of lister- ine.

Vivacious Bootie Roberts in town . . . word is going around that she will soon join the parade of brides . . . and do double duty with Harold Bowers.

A houseful of glamour . . . at the Betts residence . . . Nancy and Barbara entertaining . . . and over the heart of each lovely guest . . . is a Tri Delt pin . . . Quote He . . . "what pin are you wearing ?"

Quote She . . . "Delta Delta Delta" . . . Quote He . . . "I heard you the first time."—A. B. W.

Navy Recruiting Campaign Comes To Climax June 7

Florida is in the midst of a na- tion-wide Navy recruiting cam- paign this week, so planned as to close with a coast-to-coast demon- stration next Sunday afternoon, the Japanese attack on Pearl Har- bor.

Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor.

Under the program every Navy Recruiting station in the country will stage mass enlistments at the precise moment the first bomb fell on American soil. Naval offi- cers will give the Navy Oath of Allegiance as part of these im- pressive ceremonies.

In Florida the Navy Recruiting stations are located at Jackson- ville, Tampa, Miami, St. Peters- burg, Orlando, Gainesville, a- Tallahassee. Thus each one of these Florida cities will be pri- edged to partake in this gre coast-to coast commeration.

The nation-wide plan was first announced late Saturday after- noon by Lieutenant T. J. Needham Jr. of Jacksonville, officer-in- charge for Navy recruiting in Florida.

At the time, he said the day would be of great significance to every man, woman and child in America.

Scores of young Floridians can prove, too he added, how they re- member Pearl Harbor six months afterwards by enlisting to serve with America's first line of attack.

And the Navy recruiters have pointed out from time to time, of- fers a volunteer unlimited oppor- tunities. Steady employment, good pay, travel, opportunity to learn a trade, free education systems, free medical and dental attention, good wholesome food, athletics, free amusements—all go hand-in- hand with a program which has for its main purpose today—the crushing of the Axis.

Ages for enlistment range be- tween 17 and 50. One can enlist for a full term of six years, or he may sign up for the duration of the war.

Local applicants are urged to see a Navy recruiter immediately if they wish to take an active part in the ceremonies Sunday.

PARK MATINEE AT 2:00

Matinee hours at the Park thea- tre have been moved up from three, o'clock to two o'clock each after- noon, Manager Mier announces this week. The change is made in order to get the lady customers out in time to fix supper, Mier stated. Saturday and Sunday pro- grams start at 2 p. m. and run continuously.

Railroads Are Forced to Pay Back Taxes

Highlands To Get $16,961 in Settlement

Florida counties reap another million dollar delinquent tax har- vest from the railroads—princi- pally the Seaboard—with Judge E. C. Love's decision in Quincy last week dissolving an injunction that has restrained Comptroller J. M. Lee from collecting these taxes the past seven years. It brings to a climax the final stage of the comptroller's ten-year bat- tle to compel the railroads to pay their taxes when due.

Following the preliminary vic- tory two years ago, the Atlantic Coast Line and the Louisville & Nashville Railroads conceded the final point involved and paid up but the Seaboard continued the contest claiming the old railroad assessment board had valued the railroad too high in computing the 100 per cent value. The Florida East Coast didn't join the contest but withheld large amounts of tax money pending the decision.

The railroads contended that physical value or cost had noth- ing to do with valuing railroads which should be valued solely on earnings and stock market figures. Comptroller Lee contended that cost of reproduction less deprecia- tion was a proper factor.

Judge Love's discision says the action of the assessment was not improper and the valuation was confirmed. The case which was argued by W. P. Allen, of Keen and Allen, representing the count- ies, and Ty Norwood, then assist- ant to Attorney General George Couper Gibbs, for the state, will bring approximately $45,000 to the state's depleted general revenue fund and more than $1,080,000 to 47 counties, of which $16,961 comes to Highlands County for use of both general county and school board funds.

The story goes back to the early years of Comptroller Lee's regime when he halted the policy of compromising out from a quart- er to a half of the railroads' tax bills every year. He put all parties on notice that taxes were levied to be collected from all alike and no one but the courts—for a proper cause—could reduce tax levies once made. Railroad attorneys from all parts of the east were thrown into the legal battle and the counties employed Keen and Allen—with the consent of the then Attorney General Cary D. Landis and Comptroller Lee. Rail- roads contended that Florida tax authorities had to determine aver- age net earnings of a railroad for five years and after capitalizing the same, for a return of 6 per cent, add that amount to the aver- age value of the stock and bonds over a five year period, then divide by two to get the value of a rail- road.

Comptroller Lee used those two factors but included a physical or cost figure based largely on values of the road as sworn to be- fore the Interstate Commerce Commission, and divided by three.

The case was argued before Judge Johnson following his 1939 decision that railroads should be assessed at 24 per cent of full cash value because other property as- sessments throughout the state averaged that ratio. This earlier decision brought the counties more than a million and a half dollars as the railroads were con- tending that the ratio should be 15 per cent.

Judge Johnson died after the case had been presented and it had to be argued all over before Judge Love—who is just recover- ing from a severe illness that nearly cost his life about a year ago.

Norris McLeod To Attend Navy School

Naval Training Station, Nor- folk, Va., June 4.—Norris Ralph McLeod, of Avon Park, qualified to attend a Navy trade school up- on completing his recruit training at the United States Naval Train- ing Station in Norfolk.

McLeod, son of Mrs. N. R. Mc- Leod, enlisted in the Navy at Jacksonville, Fla. on April 24. He is a graduate of the high school at Frostproof.

32 COMPLETE GAS DEFENSE TRAINING

Lodwick Men Conduct Class At Placid

The sincere interest of the civi- lian defense workers in the small city of Lake Placid, in our county was exhibited the past two weeks in enrolling for defense against chemical warfare. Thirty-t w o people assigned as air raid war- dens, auxiliary police, auxiliary firemen, and others took the nec- essary training as required by OCD, in order to be better prepar- ed to render a more efficient ser- vice in the event of any attack.

W. W. Harwood and W. C. Pid- geon of Lodwick Aviation Military Academy forcefully emphasized the necessity of such training, in order to prepare themselves to carry on among their neighbors in the event of an air raid with gas. Mr. Pidgeon remarked, "that if and when Hitler gets his back to the wall, he is very likely to re- sort to any form of fighting." The different gasses and their ef- fect upon the human body and the first aid method of treatment were clearly taught. Lewisite and Mus- tard gas are listed as the most dangerous, Lewisite being more dangerous than Mustard because it contains arsenic, which would cause blisters and would eat through the skin into the muscle tissues of the body and would re- main potent upon the earth for as long as several weeks.

The sincerity of these two men in conducting these classes most thoroughly was clearly visible. They have rendered a fine service to the people of Highlands County and the Highlands County De- fense Council is most grateful for their services. They have volun- teered their services to the High- lands County Defense Council and are being enrolled as members. It gives us time to think when such fine Americans, after a hard and strenous day's work, will go further and work into the night, in the interest of the civilian popu- lation.

The following men of Lake Placid completed this course:

Harry Giller, O. A. Jones Jr., M. A. York, Bonnie Smoak, Rich- ard Archbold, Harold G. Ramm, D. E. O'Conner, W. J. Smoak, Charles L. Williams, L. V. Renfro, L. D. Parker, Charles F. Payne, Wendall Williams, Bill O'Conner, Fletcher C. Payne, Claud A. Cass, Christwell A. Smoak, Cole Danley, Jr., W. O. Endicott, William H. Melvin, Jack E. Sims, Willis Wil- liams, T. J. Bozeman, T. J. Hayes, Jr., Tom Bowers, Ivey Waldron.

Funeral Services Held Tuesday For E. O. Donaldson

Elmer O. Donaldson, 90, passed away at his home about a mile from town, on Saturday night, fol- lowing an illness of the past four months. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock from the chapel of Ste- phenson Funeral Home, with in- terment in Bougainvillae cemet- tery. The services were conducted by James Jordon and Glenn Sheu- maker of the Church of Christ. The church choir sang several hymns.

Active pallbearers were John Giddens, J. M. Gore, J. O. Witt, J. S. Pollard, G. C. Daly, and R. C. J a r r e t t. Honorary pallbearers were D. F. Canfield, Max Wild, W. T. Hall, G. D. Godwin, Cyril Bald- win.

Mr. Donaldson was born in Pennsylvania, and came to Avon Park 27 years ago to make his home. He was a retired railroad engineer, and upon coming here purchased a citrus grove, which he actively managed for many years.

Surviving relatives include his widow, Mrs. Lillian Donaldson; one son, Dan, with the merchant marines, and a brother, Charles Donaldson of Erie, Pa.

Legion Plans Carnival for 4th

Highlands Post, American Leg- ion decided Wednesday night to hold a street carnival in town July 3 and 4. It is planned to hold the event Friday night, the 3rd and Saturday night, the 4th. An- other meeting will be held during the coming week to perfect plans. Post Commander Howard Mad- dox said today.

AVON PARK BALL TEAM WITHDRAWS

Gas Shortage and Lack of Players Cause

The Avon Park Ball Team, which made a very good showing in the beginning with the several Army teams, was forced to with- draw from the League, because of the lack of interest and the ina- bility of the Recreational Council to find enough players to make up a team, it was announced today.

Before the official withdrawal of the team, two or three games were forfeited because the Avon Park Team did not present them- selves in sufficient numbers to play the opposing team.

The new schedule of games will be published as soon as the set up has been changed.

Due to gas and tire rationing, the matter of transportation was hard to cope with also.

The Recreation Defense Coun- cil is grateful to those who put forth their efforts to keep the team together.

CIVILIANS MAY BECOME INSTRUCTORS

Pilots May Get Chance With Gliders

MacDill Field, Tampa, Fla. June 4.—Civilian pilots who have failed to pass the screening test for Army pilot training may be eligi- ble for instruction as glider pilots in the Army Air Forces, MacDill Field announced today.

Glider pilot applicants who are otherwise qualified, will be ac- cepted for training if they have scored 65 or better on the No. 10-B Aviation Cadet qualifying exam- ination, or 75 or better on the No. 10-A test. These are mental apti- tude tests.

Civilian pilots who have made sufficiently high scores on either examination may be accepted for glider training on the presentation of certificates showing such scores. Certificates may be obtained from the Aviation Cadet Examin- ing Board which gave the tests.

Glider pilot candidates will re- ceive four weeks of preliminary training in small airplanes, one week of elementary training in two-place gliders and one week of advanced work in cargo type gliders. On graduation they will receive the grade of staff sergeant with flight pay, and will be awarded the Army Air Forces wings with a glider insignia super- imposed.

To be eligible an applicant must be a graduate of a Civil Pilot Training School, or the holder of a Civil Aeronautics Administrat- ion private airman certificate which had not lapsed prior to Jan- uary 1, 1941, or a former aviation cadet with at least 50 hours in Army or Navy type training planes, or a veteran of at least 200 glider flights. In addition, the applicant must be between 18 and 36 years of age and be able to pass an Army physical test which re- quires visual acuity of 20-40 or better.

James Jordon To Preach Sunday at Church of Christ

James Jordon who has recently completed an extensive course in theological work at Freed-Hardi- man college located at Henderson, Tennessee will preach at the Church of Christ Sunday morning and evening. Everyone is invited to come out and hear the two good gospel lessons that Brother Jordon is sure to deliver.

The subject of the morning ser- mon will be "Acts of Apostles." In this study a great book little studied will be examined.

The subject for the evening ser- vice will be "Full Assurance of Salvation." How can we know that we have salvation? By faith or feeling?

You are also invited to attend the young peoples class meeting at 7:00 Sunday evening and the midweek Bible meeting on Wed. evening at 8:00.

A HELP TO SMALL TOWNS

(By RUSSELL KAY)

With a lot of folks gallopin' all over the landscape predictin' the awful and dire consequences that are bound to result from the res- trictions on gas, tires and travel, it is refreshin' to find one guy who still believes in Santa Claus and contends that despite the incon- veniences and disadvantages there are worthwhile benefits to offset them.

Walter Hays, director of the Safety Committee of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce and president of the American Fire & Casualty Company, points out that the number of fatal accidents has been sharply reduced and a lot of folks right here in Florida are alive and kickin' today who, ac- cording to the law of averages, would have been in hospitals or their graves if motor travel had not been curtailed.

While he admits that business in certain classifications will suf- fer, he sees a bright and promis- ing future for the small town under the new way of life. Fast motor cars and good roads enabled folks to journey to the larger com- munities in search of merchandise and entertainment and thousands of dollars, which rightfully should have gone to the support of their own community, were spent in- stead with those of other towns.

Now the local tradesmen are coming into their own. Folks who for years have looked down their nose at the "home town" merch- ant, criticizing his stock and com- plained of his service, now are for- ced to patronize him and are find- ing out that local enterprise is both important and necessary.

Another good thing is the fact that, confined to their own back yard, folks are getting acquainted with their neighbors for the first time and learning that home folks are a right nice set of people when you really take time to know them.

With joy riding out of the pic- ture, folks are looking around their own neighborhood for the first time in search of new inter- ests. They are being thrown to- gether as never before and are learning to like it. Local theatres are getting a break, people have more time for church and for the support of local organizations. A new sort of neighborliness is springing up and it all tends to benefit the community.

All of us are learning how to walk again and the exercise is do- ing us a lot of good. If all the pounds lost by over-weight people during the past few weeks could be placed in the hands of some en- terprising statistician, to be laid end to end, it would go a long ways.

With home enterprise doing more business, more money is cir- culating, merchants are employing more help to meet this increased business, opportunities for new business are everywhere. Towns are beginning to find that it really isn't necessary to go elsewhere to find a good doctor or lawyer or optometrist and when they pat- ronize their neighbor they are helping to build a more prosperous community.

Confined to their own city lim- its, a lot of folks are learning to Think about their own town and its problems for the first time. One community has taken advan- tage of the present situation by reviving the old time "Town Meet- ing" and once each week citizens are invited to assemble and in an open forum discuss problems of mutual interest.

Citizens who for years have re- mained aloof and indifferent to what was going on at the city hall or in the court house, are learning that it pays, now and then, to look into such questions as "Where does the tax money go?"—How much is being spent on waste and non-essentials?"—or "What can be done to make our town a bet- ter place in which to live?"

Now and then an outstanding speaker is brought in to tell what has been done in other communi- ties and following such talks everyone is invited to join in an old fashioned round table discus- sion of the problem. It is mighty healthy practice and serves to build better citizenship as more and more folks come to understand and accept their duties and re- sponsibilities and face their col- lective obligation.

While the restricted use of the automobile may prove irksome at times, we will probably find be- fore it is over that it was a migh- ty good thing and we will come out of it stronger and better than we were before. We don't have to worry about "keeping up with the Joneses;" the money we want- ed on unnecessary travel and car upkeep can go to buy more bonds and stamps; our health will be improved as we learn to travel at a slower pace; the local community will regain its rightful place in the sun while fellowship and local interest will make us better citi- zens and neighbors.

Commissioners Vote In District Three Declared a Tie

The Highlands County canvas- sing board had to meet twice to decide the results of the run-off primary election in Commissioners district three, this week and finally decided the election resulted in a tie vote between Bob Stokes and Sol McCullough.

The validity of two absentee votes was responsible for the de- lay in canvassing the vote. The votes in question were voted on sample ballots instead of official ballots and mailed in from Palm Beach county. The two votes were thrown out as illegal, leaving the vote a tie.

The law provides that when no candidate receives a majority vote the Democratic Executive Com- mittee shall name a candidate to represent the party in the general election.

The committee will meet Satur- day to name the nominee.

County Democratic Executive Committee to Meet Saturday

A meeting of the Highlands county Democratic Executive com- mittee, has been called by F. M. Young, chairman, for Saturday afternoon, June 6 at 2 o'clock at the court house. The purpose of the meeting is to close all business of the present committee, and to name new members to be appoint- ed to fill vacancies in the district that have not been filled by filing for the office. Also, for the naming of a nominee for the office of county commissioner in district No. 3, where the primary election resulted in a tie vote.

JEEPTOONS By Fighting Men



"HE'S IN GOOD HANDS"

Men of the fighting services are adept with pen and brush, as proven in art groups in USO clubs. USO presents examples of their work in a series of "Jeeptoons."

Air Warning Service Alert In Highlands

W. S. Betts New Director, Gets Plans Under Way

W. S. Betts, who was recently appointed director of Aircraft Warning Service for Highlands County, has been engaged during the past week in organization work. Betts, who is charged with the job of organizing and operat- ing the service, covered 300 miles in the county the past few days, and arranged for the building of observation stations in Lake Placid and in Sebring. Stations are being operated in both places, but more convenient quarters will be provided.

The Avon Park warning service is operating efficiently under the direction of R. H. Brown, chief ob- server, but more volunteers are needed to supply the large number of watchers needed, and to supply replacements for those who are unable to keep their appointments.

The army wants stations placed every six miles apart in the coun- ty, Betts said, and this will be done wherever telephone service will permit.

Volunteer ground observers or watchers bear the responsibility to fulfill their pledges, says an ar- ticle in the "Observation Post," publication of the First Intercep- tor Command, under whose direct- ion the service operated.

"We hear frequent reference to the fact that the Ground Observer System is manned entirely civilian vol- unteers. That fact, of course, can- not be disputed. The men and wo- men upon whom the Ground Ob- server System depends for its operation, offer their services voluntarily, gratuitously, and without any expectation of re- ward or glory.

"But it may be well to pause occasionally and consider the im- plications of volunteer service. Volunteer service does not mean that the volunteer is free to work if and when he pleases; it does not mean that he can man a post or not as the spirit moves him.

"Although a civilian is under no obligation to volunteer his services, once he does he assumes essential obligations that he be- come his duty to discharge faith- fully and efficiently . . . even at the cost of personal sacrifice. His nation, state and community then rely on him, and have the right to look to him and to the job he has offered to do—just as they expect a volunteer soldier to do his job.

"Volunteering to serve as an Observer is not the same as vol- unteering to bake a cake for a church social. We're engaged in a war—we're engaged in serious business—the work of an Obser- ver is important—let's treat it that way."

Marine Recruiter Here June 8

Orlando, Fla., June 1.—Platoon Sergeant George L. Cuningham, Jr., veteran Leatherneck, will be in Avon Park on Monday, June 8 for the purpose of interviewing and examining applicants for en- listments in the Marine Corps and the Marine Corps Reserve. Men between the ages of 17 and 52 are eligible for enlistment in the Ma- rine Corps and its Reserve. What- ever your age the Marine Corps has a job—and an important one —for you to do! Men between the ages of 17 and 33 are wanted for combat duty. Here's your chance for a free ride to Tokyo! You can take a good look at the Rising Sun over the sights of a Springfield. This is your chance to see that the Rising Sun be- comes the sinking Sun! Men beyod the combat age are wanted for the all-important job of guarding our naval ac- tivities from the work of the sabo- teur and fifth columnist. No mat- ter what category you may fall in, be sure to see Sergeant Cuning- ham while he is in Avon Park and learn the ins and outs of the Mar- ine Corps and what it has to offer you. The sergeant will be located in the Post Office.

Spend less. Make your old clothes do. Put 10% of your in- come into War Bonds. Help your county meet its Bond quota.

Folks You Know . .

L. Wolf of Washington D. C. is visiting his brother, F. M. Wolf and family.

Mrs. G. S. McKnight and Mrs. Gilbert Kreiger spent the day Wednesday in Tampa.

Miss Mary Pardee arrived home last Saturday from DeLand, where she has completed her sophomore year at Stetson University.

Jeanine Crews has been spending several days this week with her sister, Mrs. Earl Bozeman at her home in Lake Placid.

Miss Virginia Wilkes, Mrs. H. A. Callis and her son, W. H. Callis of Orlando spent Sunday here with Miss Wilkes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gough.

H. A. Straubel, 101 year old veteran, accompanied by his nurse Mrs. Harsh left last week and for Green Bay, Wis., to spend the summer.

Bob Rouse, son of Mrs. Nan Rouse, who has been attending Riverside Military Academy in Gainesville, Ga., arrived home on Tuesday.

Miss Winifred Archer and her brother, Billy Archer, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Archer, left Friday night for Sandersville, Ga., where they will spend the summer with relatives.

Mrs. Virginia Cloud and her sister, Miss Frances Hargrove of Bartow left Wednesday for Atlanta and Macon, Ga., where they will visit relatives for several weeks.

Mrs. A. L. Bicker and son, Tommy Bicker, are leaving today for Mobile, Ala., where Mr. Bicker has accepted a position. Mrs. Bicker will go on to Chattanooga for a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Holderness.

Miss Jane Clements, daughter of Mrs. Chas. Clements, who has completed her sophomore year at Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Ala., arrived home Wednesday to spend the summer at her home.

Mrs. Nan Rouse and son, Bobby, and Mrs. Earl H. Ware spent Thursday and Friday in Orlando. Mrs. Rouse and Bobby were the guests of friends, and Mrs. Ware visited relatives.

Dr. W. H. Malone and son, William of Atlanta, and brother, Knox Malone of Villa Rica, Ga., arrived Sunday for a visit with Dr. Malone's sister-in-law, Mrs. Walter S. Martin and family. They are enjoying daily fishing trips to the Kissimmee river while here.

Mrs. W. D. Dorminey and daughter Sujette, arrived this week from Jacksonville to join Mr. Dorminey, who is now connected with the Barnett Bank. Their elder daughter, Miss Frances Dorminey, will remain in Jacksonville, where she is employed in a bank.

Mrs. M. G. Whitcomb and sons, Glenn and Bobby left last Saturday for Orlando, where they will spend the summer with relatives. Mr. Whitcomb, who is a federal fruit inspector, will be located at points in Georgia during the next few months.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Maysack leave Monday for Camp Highlands, Sayner, Wisconsin, where Mr. Maysack goes as counsellor and instructor in swimming and life saving at the boys' camp. Enroute they will stop over in Chicago for two weeks. They plan to return to Avon Park late in August.

Misses Alice and Mary Rouse, accompanied by Frank E. Wilkes left Monday morning for Green Bay, Wis. Mr. Wilkes returned to Avon Park on Friday. Mrs. Rouse and Bob and Jane Ann Rouse will leave the latter part of the month for Green Bay, where the family make their home in the future.

Miss Barbara Albright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Albright, who graduated last week from the Florida State College for Women at Tallahassee, is spending several days here with her parents. She will leave next Tuesday for New York, where she will interne as a dietician at the Presbyterian hospital.

Mrs. S. S. Thayer spent several days this week in Jacksonville.

Edward Sherman left Tuesday for Gainesville, where he has entered the University of Florida. Young Sherman was an honor student with the recent class, graduating from the Avon Park high school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber, who have spent the past three weeks in Washington, D. C., Columbus, Ohio, and Pittsburg, Pa., arrived home this week end. While they were away, their daughter, Gloria, was the house guest of Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr., and family, and John Garber, stayed with Arthur Gregory at Lake Byrd Lodge.

Mrs. W. E. Morgan, who has been a patient at a hospital in Americus, Ga., for the past several weeks, arrived home on Tuesday. She was accompanied by Miss Josephine Arnold of Americus. The many friends of Mrs. Morgan will be pleased to know that she is convalescing nicely, and is able to be up each afternoon.

Lieut Bill Stephens, who has received his Wings in the Air Corps, and is spending a few days at his home in Bartow, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rowe on Saturday. He left this week for Colorado, where he will train as a Pursuit Pilot. Lieut. Joe (Red) Stephens of Panama City, was also the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rowe Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves and Miss Mildred Barnard left Friday, their destination later in the summer to be York, S. C., where Dr. Reeves will be superintendent of schools. In the meantime, Mrs. Reeves will visit relatives in Vidalia, Ga. Miss Barnard will spend most of the summer with her sister in Marianna, and Dr. Reeves will spend the remainder of the month with his mother in Bowling Green, Ky. Miss Barnard will enter Winthrop college in Rock Hill, S. C., in the fall.

FLOWERS

(By Mrs. G. S. Roberts)

Flowers—Just flowers
Straight from the hand of God
Resplendent in their beauty
Growing from the sod.
Myriads of colors
Fresh with the morning dew
God made the beautiful flowers
He made them for me—for you!

Pvt. Hall Finishes Air Tech School

Sheppard Field, Tex., Pvt. William A. Hall, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hall of Avon Park, Florida, was graduated May 7 from the world's largest Air Corps Technical School, Sheppard Field, where he has attended classes for the past five months. He was attached to the 313th Technical School Squadron here. Now qualified as one of the eight specialists necessary to keep one plane in the air, he is eligible for assignment to any unit maintained by the Air Corps.

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Church Notes

CHURCHES OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"God The Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, June 7.

The Golden Text is: "Lord, thou art God, which hast made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and all that in them is" (Acts 4:24).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "O Lord, how manifold are thy works! in wisdom hast thou made them all: the earth is full of thy riches. Thou sendest forth thy spirit, they are created: and thou renewest the face of the earth. The glory of the Lord shall endure for ever: the Lord shall rejoice in his works" (Ps. 104:24,30,31).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The Scriptures imply that God is All-in-all. The Scriptures also declare that God is Spirit. God is individual incorporeal. He is divine Principal, Love, the universal cause, the only creator, and there is no other self-existence" (p.331: 11,13.14,18-20).

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Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. with classes for all ages. Topic: "Christ's Words on the Cross," You are invited to join us in discussion of this topic.

Morning worship service at 11 o'clock, with sermon by Dr. Elliott who will speak on: "Pulling Out The Tears." This will be a message of interest to everybody. Come and hear it and, together with us, spend an hour in worship of God.

The "Quiet Hour" service for praise, prayer, and meditation will be held on Wednesday at 8 P. M. Brief address by the Pastor. Forty five minutes of Christian fellowship and worship that will help you over the hard places.

The Pastor, deacons, and members of this friendly Church cordially invite officers and cadets of the Aviation Academy and officers and men of the Bombing Range to worship in this Church, where a friendly welcome is assured all who come.

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Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
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Board Of Health To Sponsor Program Of Rat Extermination

An intensive program of rat control is being inaugurated as a defense measure by the Florida Board of Health to eliminate the source of typhus fever infection. Consultation services are being furnished both in counties having accredited, full-time health units and unorganized counties upon request of county or city officials.

The typhus fever which occurs in this country spreads from rat to man via infected rat fleas. To control this type of typhus fever the rat population must be reduced by elimination of nesting places and sources of food. The State Board of Health recommends ratproofing of buildings as the most satisfactory and permanent method of combatting rats. This must be done under the supervision of sanitary engineers trained in this science. Ratproofing involves careful inspection of the building, closing of underground or other passages through which rats gain access to buildings and establish harborages. This must be done with materials that cannot be gnawed.

Temporary measures of control of poisoning, trapping, fumigating and other means of extermination. The State Board of Health emphatically states that fumigation should be done only by experts in this field, such as reputable commercial concerns, since the gases used are dangerous in the hands of novices. One of the drawbacks in poisoning and trapping is that when typhus fever exists, fleas left in nesting places may seek man when they can no longer feed on rats.

The first step in the control program in a locality is an epidemiological investigation to determine foci from which fever cases are coming. These are spotted on a map and used as a guide by the sanitary engineer in making his investigation of premises.

In surveying the area surrounding the foci of typhus, the sanitary engineer determines the kind of rats to be combatted, the number of possible nesting places, nature of the dwellings or business places providing food supplies for the rats, and the efficacy of garbage and rubbish disposal. There are several types of rats, each with different nesting and eating habits. This must be taken into consideration if the control program is to be successful.

Once phase of the bacterial warfare reported being waged by Japan includes dropping from planes, fleas infected with typhus, grains of rice or swabs of cotton harboring germs of bubonic plague. In the case of typhus-bearing fleas, there would be less danger of an epidemic if there were no rats to act as hosts for the fleas, the State Board of Health explains Because endemic typhus is kept alive in nature by rat fleas and under conditions favoring lousiness in the human population, such as occurs in time of war, many authorities feel that the introduction of flea-born typhus into such a population gives raise to epidemic typhus through the agency of lice. In other words, once the infection is introduced into a population harboring lice, the lice become infected and give rise to epidemic typhus.

An effective means of getting rid of rats, which in turn controls typhus fever, is to make all food stuffs inaccessible to the rat population. Garbage should be kept in rat-proof receptacles and disposed of in such a manner that rats cannot gain access to the garbage. Opon garbage dumps are a great source of food for rats, therefore should not be permitted by any community. All other foods should be stored and so kept that it will be impossible for rats to gain access to them.

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What Can I Do To Help?

(From "National Aeronautics)

1. Thou Shalt keep thy mouth shut.

2. Thou Shalt stay out of Washington; both thou and thy conventions and thy car and thy family and thy family's family and all thy correspondence and thy personal problems; none of these shalt thou bring to Washington for they clutter up the works.

3. Thou Shalt Not harass thy son because he hath not a commission: neither shalt thou make him to feel the service of an enlisted man to be beneath his college education and thy colonial background: neither shall these things be held against him by other enlisted men if thou dost not make of them an abomination.

4. Thou Shalt Not hoard; only the squirrel hoardeth and this he doeth because he is a squirrel.

5. Thou Shalt Not get ants in thy pants to put on a uniform only because thou art vain and hast no courage to hoe thy row in the place where thou art most needed.

6. Thou Shalt walk; even thus halt thou aid to save gas and rubber: thus shalt thou redeem the price of thy girdle and thy doctor's bill and thy very hide.

7. Thou Shalt Not strike; neither shalt thou walk out; neither shalt thou lock out; neither shalt thou sit down on the job; in order that thy days may be long in the land which the Lord thy God hath given thee.

8. Thou Shalt Not in thy confidence measure the seas for verily they who have thought to hide behind the seas are full of prune juice.

9. Thou Shalt Not fret because of evil-doers for thou hast not done so well thyself.

10. Thou Shalt Not lose faith; thou hast lost nothing beyond recovery if thy faith be not lost.

By Gill Robb Wilson, President, National Aeronautics Association.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my very deep and heartfelt sympathy to the kind friends and neighbors, who were so thoughtful and considerate of me in my recent bereavement. Their words of comfort, and acts of kindness, were a source of great comfort to me. I also appreciate the many beautiful floral tributes sent at this time.

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Anna Beth Skipper Bride of F. H. Vogt In Impressive Ceremony on Thursday

Miss Anna Beth Skipper, daughter of Mrs. Lola C. Skipper of Ocala, and David G. Skipper of Avon Park, and Mr. Frederick Herbert Vogt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Vogt of Ocala, were married at five thirty o'clock on Friday afternoon at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. L. D. McGiboney, 228 south Central ave. The Rev. T. O. Baldwin, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Vero Beach, a life-time friend of the family, performed the impressive ring ceremony, in the presence of relatives and close friends.

The wedding vows were spoken before an improvised satin covered altar surmounted by a fern entwined arch, in the reception room with the mantel, flanked on either side by areca palms, as the background. Burning tapers in branched candlelabra, encircled with fern sprays, cast a soft illumination in an oval mirror over the mantel, to reflect on a huge arrangement of snowy white lilies, ivory tinted gladioli, shasta daisies, and greenery. Tall pedestals holding wedding tapers marking the outer edge of the altar arrangement, were lighted by Misses Dorothy and Betty Vogt, sisters of the groom.

Preceding the ceremony, Miss Virginia Lee Crews of Lake Placid, cousin of the bride, pianist; E. L. Roberts, vocalist; and Miss Betty Touchton, accompanist, presented a program of nuptial music. Their numbers were "To An Evening Star" (Wagner), "To a Wild Rose" (McDowell), Miss Crews; vocal selections, "Because" (d'Hardelot) and "I Love You Truly" (Carrie Jacobs Bond), Mr. Roberts. "The Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin was played as the processional, and "Ave Maria" (Schubert) was heard in soft tones during the service.

Bride's Attire

The brunette bride was lovely in her wedding gown of white marquisette, fashioned with fitted bodice, featuring a high neckline caught with a tiny bow of self material, and outlined with small covered buttons down the front to the waist, which was encircled by a soft sash. Scalloped ruffles from the shoulders formed a panel extending to the hem of the full skirt. Similiar ruffles finished the short puffed sleeves. Her fingertip veil of sheerest illusion, was caught to the hair with a wreath of orange blossoms, and her flowers were a nosegay of creamy white roses and gladioli, and feverfew, showered with stephanotis blossoms.

Miss Willa McGiboney, cousin of the bride, wore an afternoon gown of azure blue taffeta. The basque bodice effected a soft fullness on either side, and was finished with short puff sleeves. The pockets on the bouffant skirt, were created of corded self material in lattice design, with three small flowerlettes fashioned on the outer edge to lend a distinctive touch. She carried a nosegay of pastel roses, carnations and gladioli, tied with streamers of petal pink satin ribbons.

Mrs. Skipper, mother of the bride, chose an attractive white eyelet embroidered ensemble. Her flowers were gardenias, in corsage.

The groom's mother wore a white figured organdie and a shoulder corsage of gardenias.

Robert Leon Kenney of Ocala, served as best man for the groom.

Reception After Ceremony

Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. McGiboney entertained the wedding party and guests at a reception at their home. The rooms were lighted by the twinkling glow of many white tapers burning in crystal holders, and the exquisite flower arrangements were of shasta daisies, gladioli, and Easter lilies.

A white and green bridal motif prevailed in the dining room, where the bride's table was overlaid with an embroidered French linen cloth. The decorated tiered wedding cake was topped with a miniature flower basket, filled with roses, designed of the white frosting, and was encircled with daisy petals and a tracery of fern. The centerpiece was flanked on opposite corners by silver bud vases holding sprays of shasta daisies. Green tinted punch was served from the punch bowl on the buffet, and salted nuts and pastel mints were on each plate. The napkins, in a bridal note, further emphasized the chosen theme. Miss Betty Touchton, Miss Virginia Lee Crews, and Mrs. Hylton Hudgeons assisted in the dining room.

Mrs. Crews Farley of Orlando, presided at the Bride's Book, and others assisting during the reception included Mrs. J. M. Meffert, sister of the groom, and Mrs. Fred Crews, both of Ocala, and Mrs. Lee Crews of Lake Placid.

After spending some time with their guests, the couple left during the late afternoon, for a wedding trip on the east coast. The bride is travelling in a navy blue two-piece triple sheer. The skirt of the dress is accordion pleated, and the jacket with its bracelet length sleeves, is attractively made with shirred pockets of the material, and a waffle pique collar. Her hat is an off-the-face model of navy straw, with white blossoms outlining the up-turned brim, and a blue shadow veil. Her other accessories are in navy and white, and she is wearing the corsage from her wedding nosegay.

Among the out of town guests attending the wedding were Mrs. Malcolm Davis, Miss Mary Ann Watts, Mrs. F. E. Vogt, Mrs. J. M. Meffert, and Misses Dorothy and Betty Vogt of Ocala; Mrs. Fred Crews, Jimmie Lee Crews, and Miss Marguerite Sjostrom, Ocala; Mrs. Crews Farley, Orlando; Mrs. G. L. Crews and Mrs. Ray Marsh, Belleview; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Carlton, Wauchula; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crews and daughter, Dorothy Dean Crews, Lake Placid.

The bride received her early education in the Avon Park schools, graduating from high school in Ocala. She attended Montreat Junior College in Montreat, N. C. and the New York School of Interior Decoration. She has been connected with the Ocala Evening Star as society editor for the past several months, and is a member of the junior Woman's Club.

Mr. Vogt is a graduate of the Ocala high school, and attended the University of Florida in Gainesville. He is a member of the Elk's club, and of the junior Chamber of Commerce. The couple will make their home in Ocala, where the groom is engaged in business.

Tuesday Party Honors Popular Bride Elect

Mrs. John Bunting was hostess at a lovely bridge party on Tuesday evening, honoring Miss Carmen Booth, popular June bride elect. The affair was held at the social room of the F. P. S. co., which was decorated with effective arrangements of roses and gerberas. Preceding the bridge games, the guests were served a dainty peach parfait on the card tables.

Guests kept their bridge scores for the evening on tallies in a bridal motif. When they were totaled, Miss Alma Harrell, who scored high, was given costume jewelry, including a necklace and matching bracelet and Mrs. Freed Peden, second high, received modernistic ear bobs. The hostess presented the honoree with a set of cocktail glasses, in her chosen crystal.

Friends sharing this delightful party with Miss Booth included her mother, Mrs. S. E. Booth, Miss Alma Harrell, Mrs. Freed Peden, Mrs. Nan Rouse, Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. Brisco Willis, Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mrs. E. P. Loomis, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. Vera Garner, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. J. C. DeShong, Miss Sarah Browning, Miss Verna Heim, Mrs. Harold Epps, Miss Elisabeth Green, Mrs. C. Park Anderson, Miss Iva Phillips, Mrs. Gerald Buchanan, Mrs. J. L. Wells, and Mrs. Jack Head.

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Lovely Wedding at Methodist Church on Friday

Miss Marian McCollister, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McCollister of 2156 Arlington Ave. Columbus, Ohio, and Mr. Ralph E. Thomson, son of William E. Thomson of Jacksonville, Ill., were united in mbarriage in an impressive ceremony at the First Methodist Church at six o'clock Friday evening. The Rev. G. S. Roberts, pastor of the church, read the marriage vows in the presence of relatives and a few close friends.

The chancel rail was entwined with sprays of feathery fern and calla lilies, daisies and white statice intermingled with foliage formed an effective background for the ceremony. The illumination from tall white tapers created a soft glow to reflect on the decorations of white and green.

Mrs. G. B. Hall, organist, presented a program of nuptial music, preceding the ceremony, and the traditional wedding marches were played.

The bride wore a picturesque white chapel wedding dress, and a fingertip veil of sheerest illusion. Her flowers were a purple throated white orchid, encircled with gardenia blossoms, fashioned into a colonial bouquet.

Mrs. Calvin Pidgeon, matron of honor, was attractive in a dusty pink formal gown, with which she wore a white leghorn picture hat. She carried a colonial bouquet of sweetheart roses.

Mr. Pidgeon served as best man for the groom.

The couple left after the ceremony for a wedding trip to Sarasota, returning to Avon Park this week, where they will make their home at the Lakeview apartments. Mr. Thomson is a ground school instructor with Lodwick Aviation Military Academy.

Recent Bride Is Honoree at Tea Monday Afternoon

Mrs. George Scott McKnight entertained at an afternoon tea on Monday from four 'til six o'clock at her home, east Pleasant st., in honor of Mrs. Gilbert Kreiger, attractive bride who has moved to Avon Park to reside.

A patriotic note of red, white and blue, predominated in the reception rooms, flowers in these bright colors, being placed at points of vantage. The tea table appointments reflected, in clever detail, the chosen theme.

The announcement of the marriage of Mrs. Kreiger, formerly Miss Bonnie Louise Mann of Montgomery, Ala., to Mr. Kreiger was recently made by the bride's mother, Mrs. Sally Bea Mann of Tallassee, Ala. Her father was the late Charles Hicks Mann.

Mr. Kreiger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Kreiger of Sewickley, Pa. He majored in aeronautical engineering at the University of Alabama, and is now connected with the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, where he is taking a refresher course.

Bridge Club Honors Dr. and Mrs. Reeves

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield entertained members of the Tuesday evening bridge club at a delightful party, this week honoring Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves, who are leaving this week for York, S. C., where they will make their home.

High and second high score individual awards, Defense Stamps, were won by Mrs. Reeves and C. Parke Anderson. The hostess served a dainty refreshment course consisting of ice cream and cookies.

Those enjoying the party were Dr. and Mrs. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keller, Mrs. Sue Gregory, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Parke Anderson.

Mrs. Peden Hostess at Bridge Luncheon

Mrs. Freed Peden entertained several friends on Thursday at a lovely bridge luncheon at her home. Attractive bouquets of roses were arranged in the rooms, where several progressions of bridge were enjoyed during the morning.

High score prize, a double deck of cards, was given to Miss Elisabeth Green. The dainty luncheon was served at one o'clock.

Guests enjoying the affair were Miss Alma Harrell, Miss Sarah Browning, Miss Elisabeth Green, Miss Mildred Myers, Mrs. Chas. Shrman, Mrs. Harold Rowe, and Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr.

War Bond sales must be doubled. Are you budgeting your household money to buy War Savings Stamps every week?

Carmen Booth Announces Her Wedding Plans

Miss Carmen Elaine Booth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth, whose marriage to Lieut. Mrs. J. Quintana of Tampa, will be Mrs. Quintana of Tampa, will be an event of this evening has announced plans for her wedding. The ceremony will take place at the home, 11 east Palmetto st., at eight o'clock, with the Rev. G. S. Roberts, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating.

Mrs. Fred Tillis of Tampa, aunt of the bride, pianist, and Miss Clio Metcalfe, vocalist, will furnish a program of nuptial music.

The bride will be attended by Mrs. John Bunting as matron of honor, and W. E. Dickinson of Tampa, will serve as best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Booth will entertain members of the wedding party, relatives and the few close friends, who have been invited to be present, at a reception, immediately following the ceremony.

Dot McNicholas Announces Her Wedding Plans

Miss Dorothy McNicholas, daughter of Thomas A McNicholas, whose marriage to L. C. Davis son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin W. Davis, will be an event of Tuesday afternoon, June 9th, has announced her wedding plans. The ceremony will take place at four o'clock at the home on Lotela rd., with the Rev. C. R. Mingledorff of Jacksonville, officiating.

Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr., pianist, and E. L. Roberts, vocalist, will present the nupital music.

Miss Martha McNicholas will attend her sister as maid of honor, and Miss Mary McNicholas, as bridesmaid. Little Miss Tirzah Thayer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Thayer will be flower girl.

J. Vivien Crum Jr. will serve as best man for the groom.

Following the ceremony, a reception will be held for the wedding party and guests.

Trump It Club Has Party at Patterson Home

Mrs. S. G. Patterson very graciously entertained the Trump It club at a delightful party at her home on Thursday afternoon. Roses and nasturtiums formed the attractive decorations in the living room.

High score prize for the afternoon, a set of six glasses, was won by Mrs. Paul A. McFarland; second high, colorful kitchen towels, were given to Mrs. J. B. Francis; and the floating prize, a wall vase, was received by Mrs. McFarland. The hostess served dainty refreshments consisting of Hawaiian pineapple salad, sandwiches, and iced tea after the games.

Those enjoying the party were Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, Mrs. George Haynie, Mrs. J. C. DeShong, Mrs. Devon Reddick, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, and Mrs. J. B. Francis.

Fish Supper on Tuesday at Methodist Hut

The Woman's Friendship Bible class of the First Methodist Church entertained the Men's Bible class with a fish supper at the Hut on Tuesday evening. Fried fish formed the main supper dish, and was supplemented with many dishes brought by class members.

Those enjoying the affair were Dr. and Mrs. John A. Taylor, Mrs. A. McKee Elwell, Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood, Mrs. L. M. Orr, Mrs. C. H. Harris, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mrs. G. B. Hall, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Rev. and Mrs. G. S. Roberts, Mr. Gramper, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. John D. Raab, and Miss Furlow Anderson.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, IN CHANCERY NO.

ROBERT W. WILLIAMS, Plaintiff,
vs.
OATIS WILCOX WILLIAMS Defendant.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND NOTICE TO APPEAR.

To the defendant, OATIS WILCOX WILLIAMS, whose residence is 88 Arlington Place, Macon, Bibb County, Georgia.

You are hereby required to file an appearance in this proceeding, which is a suit for divorce from you on the ground of extreme cruelty, on or before Monday, the 6th day of July, 1942, or else a decree pro confesso will be taken against you.

This notice to appear shall be published in the Scenic Highlands Sun once during each week for four consecutive weeks.

WITNESS my hand and official seal of said Court, this the 5th day of June, 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. Piety, as Clerk of the Circuit Court, Highlands County, State of Florida.
By J. C. DESHONG
As Deputy Clerk
JOE D. KINSEY, and HOWARD G. LIVINGSTON,
As attorneys for plaintiff.
June 5, 12, 19, 26.

Mrs. Bass Hostess to Thursday Club

Mrs. L. E. Bass entertained members of her bridge club at a delightful party at her home last Thursday. Summer garden flowers decorated the living room, where the two tables of players enjoyed several progressions of contract during the afternoon.

The hostess served a dainty ice cream course to those attending the party who were Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. S. V. Hunnings, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, and Mrs. S. Y. Hartt.

Aircraft Warning Observer Vital Link in Chain

The importance of the Aircraft Warning Service observer is stressed in the following article appearing in "The Observation Post" official publication of the First Interceptor Command:

"Have you ever stopped to figure out just how important you as an individual are in the functioning of the Interceptor Command?

"You may be only a small unit in a very complex organization, yet, as the old saying goes, "a chain is only as strong as its weakest link." In the Interceptor Command we must have no weak links. Every Observer is a vital link and upon each depends the accurate working of the entire organization.

"The functioning of the Interceptor Command may be compared to the working of the nervous system in the human body. The brain is coordinator of all nervous reactions. Messages are constantly flowing into it from nerve endings in the eyes, ears, arms, legs, etc. These messages upon being transmitted to the brain are coordinated into definite reactions which affect the whole body.

"The Ground Observer System can be likened to the nerve endings in the human body. It is the eyes and ears of the Interceptor Command. It sends messages to the Information Center, the brain of the Interceptor Command. Here all the messages are noted and worked into a definite and planned reaction—namely, interception of any enemy approaching our shores.

"We all know what happens in the human body when our eyes or ears make a mistake and relay an incorrect message to the brain, or even in some cases fail to flash any message at all. The consequences are usually embarrassing when the eyes and ears of the Interceptor Command fail to live up to expectations. It can be catastrophic. Let us have no weak links in our chain of defense."

CARD OF THANKS

The Defense Recreation Council wishes to thank each of the individuals, who has donated magazines, puzzles, and other small equipment to the Recreation Center for the soldiers, Especially do they wish to thank Miss Margaretha Vogt for an oak library table, which she has donated.

Dorry Gets A Person Down
Do you sit and think, or lay awake nights, worrying? Maybe you aren't eating foods which would keep you well and strong. An undernourished person is apt to worry instead of work. Vitamin B1 and Iron in VINOL encourages appetite. Your druggist has VINOL.
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Births

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Altenbaugh are announcing the arrival of a baby daughter weighing six and one-half pounds, who arrived at a Sebring hospital Saturday, May 30. The little lady has been named Janet Lee. Mr. Altenbaugh is connected with the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, and the family who are from Pittsburg, Pa., reside at the Kempton home on Lake Isis.

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When men are fighting and dying, you must do your part. Be sure you enlist your DOLLARS for DEFENSE. Back our armed forces—and protect your own life—with every single dollar and dime you can.

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New Officer Added To B & G Staff

"I like Avon Park and the fellows in the B. & G." stated smiling Lieutenant William Neil Copeland shortly after his arrival to this detachment. The tall(5'.11") sandy blonde-haired lieutenant hails from Timmonsville, South Carilina where he lived and graduated from high school.

Upon completion of high school Lt. Copeland attended Clemson College,Clemson, South Carolina where he majored in engineering and received his B. E. E. degree. In these four years he took R. O. T. C. training. During his summer vacation he attended the R. O. T. C. camp at Fort McClelland, Alabama where Lt. Billy D. Mitchell, incidentally, was his next door neighbor. Lt. Copeland was in Co. D and Lt. Mitchell was in Co. E. His training at camp consisted of practical application of the studies taken up while in school. He also went to National Guard camps at Fort Jackson, South Carolina and was on maneuvers with the Fourth Corps area in Mississippi.

Lt. Copeland augmented his degree with undergraduate courses in engineering at North Carolina State and University and Virginia Polytechnic Institute. In the course of his career he was a contributing editor to the "Slip Stick," the engineering student publication at Clemson College, He was Y. M. C. A. Council Member and belongs to the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

All types of sports appeal to the Lieutenant, not excluding the detachment's morning gallops around Lake Verona. Shutter-snapping, or photography, is his major hobby.

Lieutenant Copeland was called to active duty May 22nd and will serve as the Detachment's mess, moral, athletics and recreation, and investigating officer.

Prior to entering the Service he was associated with the Carolina Power and Light Co. at Raleigh, North Carolina as a junior engineer and was in their employ one year. He is our youngest officer (21) and is single.

Investigate Rice Growing In Glades

Miami, June 4 (FNS) — Florida's vast Everglades, already being sounded on their possibilities in producing many of the tropical plants cut off by the war, are now being investigated as a possible production source for a special type of Malayan rice.

Bert Weil, President of the Melba Toast Company of New Jersey, now vacationing at Miami Beach, stated:

"I am not an agriculturist, but I've learned some things about rice culture and I believe your Florida Everglades can produce what I'm after. I have some seed of an unusual type of rice, used in making rice crackers, rice which makes a flour requiring no yeast"

Mr. Weil has been in conference with Clarence Bitting, president of the United States Sugar Corporation, on the question of rice growing and states that if experimental work proves promising he can secure seed and that a ready market awaits commercial production. He expressed great faith in Florida and predicted that the vast 'glades area would some day provide raw material for huge industries.

Haphazard spending on food and clothing is an insult to the men in khaki and blue. Your dollars, invested in War Bonds, will move tanks and float ships.

Official U.S. Treasury
FLORIDA WAR BOND QUOTAS FOR JUNE

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 1.—Henry Morgenthau, Jr., Secretary of the Treasury, today made known June War Bond quotas for the 3,070 counties in the nation to all State and County War Savings Staffs.

The June quota for the State of Florida is $7,863,300.

The county quotas, based upon a substantial increase over May quotas, are expected to reach ten per cent of income when the nation goes on a billion-dollar-a-month War Bond basis in July to help meet the war cost. "Everybody, every pay day, ten per cent," is the battle cry throughout the country. You can buy War Bonds at your Bank, Building & Loan Association, Post Office and at many department stores.

Quotas by counties are:

Alachua, $110,500.
Baker, $2,000; Bay, $71,900; Bradford, $23,400; Brevard, $47,200; Broward, $258,200.
Calhoun, $3,600; Charlotte, $8,000; Citrus, $9,300; Clay, $8,500; Collier, $2,500; Columbia, $27,900.
Dade, $1,746,900; De Soto, $11,900; Dixie, $11,800; Duval, $1,303,500.
Escambia, $264,600.
Flagler, $1,300; Franklin, $16,700.
Gadsden, $29,900; Gilchrist, $3,500; Glades, $1,100; Gulf, $6,900.
Hamilton, $4,900; Hardee, $11,800; Hendry, $9,100; Hernando, $13,100; Highlands, $32,600; Hillsborough, $715,700; Holmes, $17,800.
Indian River, $21,300.
Jackson, $32,000; Jefferson, $18,100.
Lafayette, $1,900; Lake, $79,500; Lee, $57,400; Leon, $163,400; Levy, $18,100; Liberty, $1,700.
Madison, $18,400; Manatee, $98,400; Marion, $85,900; Martin, $15,300; Monroe, $41,900.
Nassau, $29,600.
Okaloosa, $12,400; Okeechobee, $2,400; Orange, $322,900; Osceola, $20,700.
Palm Beach, $351,500; Pasco, $13,800; Pinellas, $700,600; Polk, $280,100; Putnam, $46,600.
St. Johns, $152,300; St. Lucie, $33,100; Santa Rosa, $8,800; Sarasota, $122,300; Seminole, $51,800; Sumter, $10,100; Suwannee, $7,600.
Taylor, $14,900.
Union, $5,200.
Volusia, $217,200.
Wakulla, $2,400; Walton, $14,400; Washington, $12,900.

U. S. Treasury Department

A MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
WASHINGTON

May 1, 1942

TO THE PEOPLE OF FLORIDA:

This week a new campaign for the sale of War Bonds and Savings Stamps is under way throughout the Nation. It is the War Bond Quota Campaign.

It is urgently necessary that you double the rate at which you are now buying War Bonds and Stamps. This will mean the sale direct to individual Americans of War Bonds and Stamps to the amount of not less than one billion dollars every month.

One billion dollars a month is the National quota. It is equal to one-tenth the combined income of all Americans.

This money is needed to buy the tools of war for your fighting forces. It will not pay for all of them. Our war expenditures now are at the rate of about FOUR BILLIONS a month, and they are growing daily. But a billion dollars a month direct from the people will make all-out production possible. Without it we cannot do our best; without it we cannot put forth our full effort.

It is desperately needed for another reason. We can't fight a war and at the same time live and spend as usual. There are not enough goods to go around — the things we buy with money. If we go on spending at the 1941 scale, we'll be robbing the fighting man to add to our own comfort or pleasure. We'll be driving up the cost of living for all of us. We'll be imposing dire hardships on our neighbors.

What is asked of you is ten per cent of your earnings — a tithe for Liberty. It is not a tax; it is not even a contribution; it is a loan at interest, for your use and protection later.

Your Government asks you to cut down your expenditures, TO SAVE — your boys on the firing line and in the training camps, through your Government, ask you to save so that they may have what they need to win YOUR WAR for you — America asks you to save; to SAVE TO WIN THE WAR to buy War Bonds and Stamps up to not less than ten per cent of your income.

Is Liberty worth it? Is Democracy worth it? Is America worth it? I think I know your answer.

Sincerely,

H Morgenthau Jr

FOR VICTORY BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

The above letter was sent to this newspaper by Secretary Morgenthau in Washington. We publish it in the interest of the War Bond Quota Campaign and earnestly recommend that all our readers do their share in the tremendous job ahead of financing the War effort.

COON QUIBBLINGS

(BY PORKY MASCOT)

Hut. hudn—tromp on it guy—read this through fast; time's short. Not only's time short but so's a lil' member of the B an' G. In fact, he's quite a character. One night last week when we were lined up for reveille, the Sarg in charge, J. R. Williams to be exact, was calling for an accounting of attendance in each squad. Came the last squad's report:

Two men are in the P. X.,
Two men are in the latrine.
An seven of those fellows,
I ain't never seen.

Of course he could have mere reported, "All prisonan accouned fawp!" but no, he had to be different. The War Dept. Okay then, Orderly room), long in conference, trying to decide what's to be done with this character, solved their great problem. It all came about when our lil' man attended a party, which was stocked with other Armory big-wigs, and commenced recitation of another familiar piece of poetry; to wit:

Is ah is,
Or is ah ain't.
Kiss me quick,
Afore ah faint.

That settled it; they have decided to lease him out for lease breaking and haunting houses. The idea's a good one. Where could you get such a light portable, self propelling character as this? There's only one all-important term stipulated in each contracts; no dogs. Mrs. Rihner's offspring "Spike" will have nutin' to do wit' dawgs.

Armory apple blossoms to Cpl. Frank Waddell. Last Friday night while we'uns did a bit of fancy floor sandin' in the Rec-hall, Frank stayed in and whipped up the batch of sweetcakes for Saturday's open house.

Bringing home his point in true theatrical manner, waving arms and pounding fists, Cpl. Russ Farwell, addressing a group on Chem Warfare, said, "You've been gassed—you're in need of immediate help! How could a person help you?" "Slap him with celery," replied an unidentified vioce. "Naw," said the corporal, "Wash the victim with running Soap and Water."

To those of us who can never forget beautiful Boom Town at Mac Dill may be glad to learn, since our departure, the town has reached the station hospital. Ain't chu glad yur here?

Last week in our local cinemansion we saw the super tear-jerker "Kings Row." Also casing the flicker, after he'd bought or brought, or both, the groceries home, were Pfc. Bob Jamerson and his heart's delight. They sat way back in the very last row; the king's row, you know. Pfc. Nor White and Pfc. Joe Koenigs refused to park themselves with the other boys; dey vanted to be alune. Sgt. Clarence Bolin breezed in with double trouble—one pulling on each arm. Pvt. Wil Cohen's exit after the show was red-eyed. Praps it was an escapade earlier in the eve that caused this. Willy was seen down on his hands and knees peekin' through the door of Western Union. This caused the local populace to ogle old Bill—they, however, just plain old looked through the window.

Pfc. S. T. "Pudgy" Drew was recalled to the home office of Gulf State to explain the War depts, attitude regarding their products. Drew, super salesman of Gulf Goo, has failed repeatedly to bring his mission to a successful conclusion. 1st. Sgt. I. W. Hailey still says, "Nien," Verbotten!"

"Sgt. Spot," our non-descript mongrel, enjoyed his first day of range life with nature and razor back hawgs. He spent his time making the acquaintance of all leaves, branches and trees. His second day consisted of chasin' the hawgs. The next day the hawgs chased him. "Spot's" back at the Armory now; hawgs were too large and trees too large.

Cpl. St. Pierre is slipping. He stayed in the Barracks last Tuesday night, and he wasn't even restricted.

Ask Cpl. George V. Parmentel why his name wasn't taken at inspection, last week, Sgt. John D. Turner said that the only ones names that were taken, were the dopes. Whereupon Parmentel replied, "I don't know about that, mine wasn't taken."

I heard the other day that Cpl. Alton T. Wells intends to request another furlough. Instead of Louisiana, his destination is Oblivian. So far he hasn't found it on the map of Europe. Don't give up, Cpl. Wells, thats another thing that Herr Hitler can't take.

It's rumered around the Barracks and the Drug Store, that Sgt. Vocke is a chiropodist, Maybe he is a chiromancer, and tells furtunes by the lines on you feet. Anyway, we do know that he knows enough about feet to walk in right after Cpl. Ford walks out. Not only does he try to fill Cpl. Fords shoes, but on one occasion he actually replaced them. Ford, why don't you find a girl out in the country? You know that Sgt. Vocke is too lazy to walk out in the country.

We have, in this Organization, a miminum of men with a maximum of talents. One of the more interesting is Cpl. Parmentel, whose outstanding accomplishments is being a Gourmet, an authority on gastronomy; a glutten for mutten; a go'er after second helpings. Just last Friday, Parmentel gave an outstanding exhibition of the ways that some foods should be eaten. Among them were scalloped potatoes, green peas and last, but not least, one half dozen bananas. The latter was far the most interesting as Cpl. Parmentel seems to be partial to fruit. If there are any of the town folk that would like to know just how many ways that a banana can be eaten, Cpl. Parmentel will. I am sure, be glad to give a demonstration.

If you get tired of hearing Pvt. One Stripe Daniels talk, just call him "Put Put". He will leave so hurredly one might say that he rushed himself off. He should be called a jerk, and not be far wrong.

Be sure that you invite Cpl. Spike Rihner to your next party. The little Cpl. really has talent. You should have heard his soul stirring rendition of Mother Goose Rhymes in one of the local "Soda Jerkeries." Among those present was 1st. Sgt. Hailey. The good Sgt. was wearing a khaki colored ensemble with a hat of matching color pulled neatly down over his ears, giving a turban effect, After the proper amount of persuasion, the 1st Sgt. composed a poem. It was dedicated to Sgt. William (I'm not bald, just a high forehead) Holder and Cpl. George V. Parmentel after the extreme exertion of composing the poem, Sgt. Hailey propelled himself over to the soda fountain for another pickle.

When Pfc. Russ Wright trekked home on furlough he stopped in and cut Pfc. Junior William's time with his gal fran. Junior, day after day, chewed his fingernails to the bone. Last week Junior returned from his furlojunket wreathed in smiles; he'd done a good job. Besides courtin' his gal, he found time to see Wright's gal. Of course junior's quiet about the whole thing, but still water runs deep.

Pvt. Fred Iezzoni and Sgt. C. D. Bolin blitzed out of the Blue Anchor one night last week. It's a long long story—maybe you'd better ask these two boys about it.

Small Talk: Touchton's Hattie is wearing a picture of the Armory's Pinkie in a small glass locket.—Sgt. Lawton Irvine and Pfc. Cliff Knowles kicked their hoofs to Avon Park's Learn Shoppe graduation exercises and relived their school days.—Cpl. Chuck Pabst's wife will soon arrive in town. She's coming from New Orleans to make a home for her better half.—Cpl. "Ving" Roussel has taken out membership papers and will join our Hitchin' Post sometime this week. He's ball and chaning to a gal from St. Pete. Pvt. C. D. "Mac" tried merry-go-rounding it on a live specimen and got quite a boot out of his ride. Only trouble: bottom always dropped away—Mac went up when the horse went down—they met half way thus sending Mac up again. Oh, 'twas messy!—Sgt. W. W. Brien bounced over Brewster way and pulled up in front of the local school shack. The teacher's little moppets giggled while she stood talking to the Sarg.—Pfc. Chuck Hurray's not crazy. He's catching flies for 'Pinkie' his pet Chameleon.—That's all, my pets, for this session.

HELIOTHERAPY

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

Summer is with us again and the gentle art of sunburn whether practiced on land or water may well become a firey art unless certain precautions are observed.

Old Sol's ultra-violet rays are full of health, more potent because they strike our Florida directly. Then too we have "skyshine" in Florida which adds to the benefit of the sunshine. This is the reflection of the sun's rays from such media as water surfaces and green foliage.

Do be careful when you are sunbathing. Especially if playing in the water on a cloudy day. Our sun is like the X-ray, health promoting but also capable of inflicting painful and dangerous burns. There have been cases in medical history where a complete collapse of the nervous system resulted from severe sun burn, so be careful.

If you are sun burning especially for health purposes, take your bath in the nude and between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. Protect the eyes with dark glasses and the head with a damp cloth. Body clothing, however light, tends, as do oils and lotions to cut off the ultra-violet rays.

Take only three minutes a day for the first week, and this is a rule to follow in all cases, even if swimming for first time in our lakes and sunshine. Then add 2 minutes daily for the second week, after that increase each week two minutes until by the seventh week you are taking fifteen minutes a day. For direct sunbathing for health this time should never be longer. Sunshine is entirely too dangerous to fool with.

Pursued thus Florida sunshine will give you a smooth, even coat of creamy tan much more desirable than a complexion like a boiled lobster, or skin flaking like a snake in springtime.

But do be careful, time your appearances in Florida sun and water, limit your baths thus and promote health. In cases of severe burn consult a doctor immediately.

ORDINANCE NO. 242

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO DEFINING AND REGULATING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND BEVERAGES; PROHIBITING IN THE CITY OF AVON PARK, IN THE COUNTY OF HIGHLANDS AND STATE OF FLORIDA, THE MANUFACTURE, SALE, OFFERING FOR SALE, KEEPING FOR SALE, BARTARING, AND FURNISHING AT PUBLIC PLACES ANY SUCH INTOXICATING LIQUORS OR BEVERAGES; PROHIBITING THE TRANSPORTATION OR POSSESSION IN SAID CITY OF ANY INTOXICATING LIQUOR OR BEVERAGE WITHOUT THERE BEING AFFIXED TO THE IMMEDIATE CONTAINER THEREOF ANY AND ALL STAMPS REQUIRED TO BE AFFIXED THERETO BY ANY LAW OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA OR THE UNITED STATES AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEIZURE AND DESTRUCTION OF ANY SUCH INTOXICATING LIQUOR OR BEVERAGE SO TRANSPORTED OR POSSESSED; MAKING IT UNLAWFUL TO SELL OR CAUSE TO BE SOLD OR TO ASSIST IN SELLING ON SUNDAY IN SAID CITY ANY BEVERAGE CONTAINING MORE THAN 1 PER CENT OF LCOHOL BY WEIGHT; PROHIBITING THE SALE IN SAID CITY OF ANY BEVERAGE CONTAINING MORE THAN ONE PER CENT OF ALCOHOL BY WEIGHT; WITHOUT THERE BEING STAMPED OR PRINTED UPON THE CONTAINER THEREOF IN LEGIBLE TYPE THE PERCENTAGE OF ALCOHOL IN SUCH BEVERAGE; PROVIDING THAT NONE OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE SHALL APPLY TO ETHYL ALCOHOL INTENDED FOR USE AND/OR USED FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES; AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Avon Park in the County of Highlands and State of Florida, as follows:

Section 1. That such liquors and beverages, whether spirituous, vinous or malt or fruit juices, as are now or may hereafter be declared to be intoxicating liquors or beverages by laws of the State of Florida, shall be deemed to be intoxicating liquors or beverages under the terms and provisions of this ordinance.

Section 2. That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to manufacture, sell, offer for sale, keep for sale, barter or furnish at any public place, any such intoxicating liquor or beverage or any of them in any quantity or at any time in said City.

Section 3. It shall be unlawful for any person in said City to transport or possess any intoxicating liquor without there being affixed to the immediate container thereof any and all stamps required to be affixed thereto by any law of the State of Florida or of the United States.

Section 4. When the Chief of Police or any officer of said City has reasonable grounds to believe that any person is transporting in any vehicle in said City any such intoxicating liquor without there being affixed to the immediate container thereof any and all stamps required to be affixed thereto by any law of the State of Florida, or of the United States, it shall be the duty of said Chief of Police or of such police officer to search such vehicles and seize any such intoxicating liquor being so transported in violation of this ordinance and, after being used as evidence, such intoxicating liquor shall be publicly destroyed under order of the Mayor's Court of said city.

Section 5. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell or cause to be sold or assist in selling on Sunday in the City of Avon Park in the County of Highlands and State of Florida any beverage containing more than 1 per cent of alcohol by weight.

Section 6. The word "Sunday" as used herein shall mean the twenty-four hours beginning at midnight of Sunday morning and ending at midnight of Sunday night.

Section 6A. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell in said City any beverage containing more than 1 per cent of alcohol by weight without there being stamped or printed upon the container thereof in legible type the percentage of alcohol in such beverage.

Section 7. None of the provisions of this ordinance shall apply to ethyl alcohol intended for use and/or used for the following purposes: (A) for scientific, chemical, mechanical, industrial and/or medicinal purposes; (B) patented, patent, proprietary, medicinal, pharmaceutical, antiseptic, toilet, scientific, chemical, mechanical and/or industrial preparations or products unfit for beverage purposes; (C) flavoring extracts and syrups, unfit for beverage purposes.

Section 8. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof in the Mayor's Court of said city, be punished therefor by a fine or not more than $100, or by imprisonment at hard labor in the jail of the said City for not more than sixty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 9. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 10. This ordinance is an emergency measure and is hereby found and declared to be necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and welfare and shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor or upon its becoming an ordinance without such approval and upon its being published one time in a newspaper published in said City.

Passed in regular session of the City Council of the City of Avon Park in the County of Highlands and State of Florida, this 25th day of May, 1942.

(SEAL) E. A. DELANEY,
President City Council.

Attest:
LOUISE B. ARMSTRONG,
City Clerk.

Civilians Forfeit; Hawks Beat Sebring

Avon Park's civilian baseball team forfeited its second straight Air Force league game Saturday this time giving up to the Hendricks Field Wings.

At Sebring the Hendricks Hawks shellacked Sebring, 15-3, and the schedule Hendricks Medicos-Avon Park Bomb Rangers tilt was rained out.

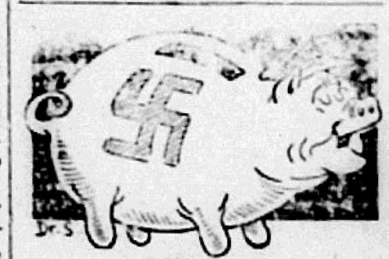
AIR FORCE LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
Hendricks Wings	9	3	.750
Hendricks Medicos	8	4	.667
Hendricks Hawks	8	5	.615
Avon Park	4	8	.333
Avon Park Rangers	4	8	.333
Sebring	4	9	.308

GABRIEL SKIPPER DIES

Gabriel Skipper, 59, an employe of the state forestry service at Avon Park, died at his home in Wauchula Wednesday. Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Letitia Collier, Zolfo Springs; his widow, Mrs. Fannie Bond Skipper; two daughters, the Misses Vida Mae and Jacqueline Skipper; two sons, Rodney ad Gabriel Skipper, jr., all of Wauchula; four brothers, Jonathan, Punta Gorda; D. S., Zolfo Springs; Chesley A., Sebring, and Carlos Skipper, Ocala; and two ssters, Mrs. Eva S. Johnson, Punta Gorda and Mrs. Alton Moore, Bartow.

Your home is a "front line" on the war front and the production front. Every dollar you save on your household budget, invested in War Bonds, is a Victory dollar added to your county's quota.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WAR is hard on our Budget too . . .

so adjustments must be made!

Never in the world's history have wars been cheap . . . but we'd much rather pay our share toward Victory than shoulder the burden and price of defeat.

Naturally all along the way we've had to make numerous changes. Over 45 of our employees are in the service, and those remaining are carrying the added burden of extra duties while they subscribe liberally to the purchases of War Bonds and Stamps. We've always tried to do more than our share, and we're going to do just that in aiding Uncle Sam's war effort. But to do this, we must operate our business sensibly, too.

Fuel oil, an important element in the cost of generating electricity, will cost over $100,000 more this year than last year. The rationing of automotive equipment and tires has curtailed our use of all but essential equipment.

So with all these problems in mind and in an effort to eliminate all unnecessary service calls effective May 15, we were forced to place a minimum charge of $1.00 on trouble calls which are caused by defects in customers' equipment, such as blown fuses, open switches, etc.

We realize the job we have to do and we intend to do the best we can with what we have, and we ask for a continuation of your splendid past co-operation.

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Sugar .. and Spice

The Draft Board'll get you . . . if you don't watch out . . . Understand several of our leading citizens . . . are leaving this week . . . Your presence is required in camp . . . writes Uncle Sam.

Clio Metcalfe . . . back in town . . . looking very radiant . . . Bunk Clark . . . home on leave . . . all smiles . . . Those two seem very happy . . . 'bout the whole thing.

Pretty Sally Ware flung a farewell tea this week . . . honoring Nan Rouse who was cool,crisp, and charming . . . in a white dress with belt and shoes of brilliant red.

David Lawrence . . . the soldier artist . . . that can draw your likeness . . . in the twinkling of an eye . . . He's a good shuffle board player . . . and a nize guy, too.

Three little sub-debs . . . in Touchton's Drug Store . . . Polly Thomas . . . of the big brown eyes, and shy little smile . . . Winnie Hood . . . with a Madonno I like face, and very blue eyes . . . Mae Porter Locke . . . looking like an adorable imp with her hair in pig tails, tied with white ribbons . . . Three little sub-debs . . . all lovely in looks . . . and lovely in manners.

His initials spell top . . . He's dark . . . He's dashing . . . He's Doug Perry's brother . . . He's married (blame it) . . . While talking of the Perry's . . . Has anyone noticed that . . . Eunice hasn't been feeling well . . . since her flying trip to Tampa . . . . Mrs. Jackson, how's Mr. Jackson?

Edgar . . . the oldest of the handsome Bradbury family . . . the guy with the talking eyes . . . and the dancing feet . . . is driving a car with a pleated fender . . . Says Edgar . . . "A Woman Driver" . . . Them's fightin' words, Edgar . . . I've only bent two fenders . . . that is, I've only bent two . . . at a time.

Saw a fire-fly last eve . . . The lightning-bug is brilliant . . . But he hasn't any mind . . . He goes blundering in the darkness . . . with his head light on behind.

We are getting to be Big Citified . . . a family in a down town store building . . . look into the show window . . . and see how papa . . . changes the baby's diaper . . . 'Sfact . . . so help us . . . I seen it with my own eyes.

What's all this we read and hear about gas and tire shortage? . . . Still can't find a parking space up town . . . —A. B. W. . . .

Public Asked to Take Part in Rec. Program

"The quality of true patriotism is not strained" . . . a lame paraphrase, perhaps, but take it to heart, Mr. and Mrs. Avon Park Citizen and put more push into your support of the Defense Recreaional Council.

A big task faces this organization in providing satisfying recreational and leisure time activities for the enlisted men of the Avon Park B. & G. Range and others who may be located here. Everybody can help n this task and everybody should feel an obligation to do so.

Perhaps you have extra furniture that is not needed—that you can spare without too much inconvenience. If you have, please let the Service Men's Club have the use of it for the duration. The present furnishings at the club-house are becoming worn and will need replacing soon; such articles as tables and good chairs, especially good chairs, are most acceptable. Window drapes and rugs are also some of the necessities, as well as covers and repairs for chair cushions.

Supplies for photography fans in the detachment, of whom there are a good number, is another kind of donation that will be appreciated. Any and all materials used in this art, as well as used cameras for these of this group who do not have one, are needed articles.

Tennis equipment is another line that is much desired. Racquets that are yet in a usable condition, even if they need restringing, can be used by the men who enjoy this sport. The detachment has two courts which are now being put in good condition, and it is hoped to have suitable equipment for playing when they are completed.

Mrs. H. C. Worden, Chairman of the Defense Recreational Council, urges every citizen of this city and its vicinity to join in helping the Council do a good recreational job for the men in uniform. "We want to make this community's achievements worthy of acceptance by them" she says, "and to show them that their happiness is as much a matter of concern to us as is their bravery".

McCLELLAND WINNER OF NOMINATION

Wins By One Vote For Commissioner In District Three

Sol McClelland won the nomination for county commissioner in District three by one vote, when the county canvassing board recounted the votes in the DeSoto City precinct Thursday, upon court order.

The official canvass following the May primary showed McClelland and R. L. Stokes had tied for the nomination, and the county Democratic executive committee in session last Saturday awarded the nomination to McClellad. Under the law it is the duty of the executive committee to name the nominee, in case of a tie in the primary.

However, Stokes was dissatisfied with the result, and his attorney, W. W. Whitehurst filed a petition for an alternative writ from the court of Circuit Judge D. O. Rogers, requestng a recount in the DeSoto City precinct. The writ was issued, and the canvassing board complied Thursday by recounting the vote.

Bert Bassage of DeSoto City was elected chairman of the new county Democratic executive committee at its organization meeting last Saturday. Mrs. W. M. Hetherington, of Avon Park was named vice chairman, and J. Lee Johnson was re-elected secretary and treasurer of the committee.

The committee's vote on the McClelland-Stokes tie gave McClelland 18 and Stokes 6.

War Department Wants Inventory Of Trucks Here

The Highlands County Defense Council has been requested to advise the War Department immediately how many tractors and semi trailers and suitable straight trucks for over the road hauling with their personnel, can be furnished.

The War Department communication reads as follows:

This office would like to know the number of semi-trailers and number of trucks which could be spared from their present operation. Only equipment that can be spared should be reported. Truckers engaged in the transportation of exempt products and those hauling for hire should be interested. The compensation will be adequate.

The following particulars will be needed: The type of equipment, either closed or open; the tire capacity, make and length should be specifically shown, and whether or not it is equipped with sleeping cabs. The tire situation is not so important, the Government request is for your vehicle and personnel. If your tires are good or bad report your equipment as specified above.

All communications should be sent to W. W. Harshman, Sebring, Fla. County Supt. of Trucks.
Highlands County Defense Council.

TIRES OR TUBES GRANTED FROM MAY 20 TO JUNE 9:

Dr. Walton Clemmons Touchtno, Lake Byrd Citrus Packing Company, Ottis Crouch Wilkes, Mandis Stock Farm, Sanford Julian Pendleton, James Ermine Bowman, David Gandier Skipper, Phillip Charles Morrell, James Franklin Costine, Edward William Gough, Frank William Hayden, Thomas Nelson Murff, Charles S. Donaldson, Archie Brown (Cobb Const. Co.), Marvin Jones, Ridge Fuel Company,

Retreads or Recaps:

Edward Forrest Singleton, Robert Andrews Seabourne, George Barton Hall, Walter Calvin Pidgeon, Stewart & Todd Inc., Gladstone S. Roberts (Rev.), Edward Blazo Lombard, Arthur James O'Berry, Edward William Gough, Ridge Fuel Company, Edward Garsuch Todd, Johnnie Ralph Anderson, Horace Lee Bryant, Love Dean McGiboney, Frank Leslie Atkinson.

Our boys at the front need a steady flow of supplies. You can assure this by systematic purchase of U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps.

WAR PICTURES To Be Shown in Mall Monday Nite

Through the co-operation of the War Department, the Highlands County Defense Council will show to the public Monday night June 15th, 8:15 P. M. on the Mall at the Band Stand, four War Defense educational sound films. These pictures, will give you training on first aid, defense against war gases, driving under hazardous conditions and defense against bombing attack.

The public is urged to come and see these educational sound pictures. They will be very interesting and provide you with valueable knowledge that will be well worth your time and efforts.

The Defense Council would appreciate it if you would mention it to your friends and neighbors, and urge them to come. It is our peaceful opportunity to learn all that we can to better enable us to cope with any emergency that might arise.

Highlands County Defense Council
Ben T. Stewart, Chm.

EPISCOPAL CAMPS OPEN AT TROUT LAKE

97 Young People Attending First Summer Camp

Ninety seven young people and seventeen staff members are attending the 15th annual session of Camp St. Mark at Camp Wingmann, the site of the Young Peoples Camp of the Episcopal Church in the Diocese of South Florida.

The Rev. Martin J. Bram, rector of St. Andrews Church, Tampa, is the director of the Camp. On the staff are many persons well known in Avon Park, among them Morton O. Nace, of Tampa, who has attended every camp since their establishment in 1926. The Misses Annis and Alcesta Tulane, who have attended every camp except the first, The Rev. John H. Soper, Chairman of the Dep't of Religious Education in the Diocese and the Rev. H. F. Bache of Fort Lauderdale., Among those attending for the first time are the Rev. Frank Pulley of Leesburg, Secretary of the Province of Sewanee, The Rev. Robert C. Kilbourn of Dade City, and Mrs. Robert Nunez Organist of St. Andrew's Church, Tampa.

Visitors are welcome to the Camp on Sunday afternoons from three to six o'clock.

Salvage Chairman Urges Saving of All Scrap Metals

Says Mrs. George E. Sebring, jr., Division Chairman of Salvage: "Everybody is urged to save all old rubber and scrap metal. Don't throw away a bit of it, no matter how small or worn it may be. Take it to Mr. Alsmeyer's office, Post Office basement, or to Charlie Whitehurst's home on Oak st. Our Government is calling for all scrap metal and rubber in the country. Just think what it would mean if every person in our County brought in at least one pound of scrap. Let's all get busy and send every bit of it from Highlands County."

In speaking of the scrap metal and rubber salvage in the county, L. H. Alsmyer, County and Co-chairman of Salvage states: "The second carload of scrap is ready to roll, but let's not stop with these two cars. Our work is not finished until we have sent in every piece of metal and old rubber in the County.

"Brass iron, aluminum, copper and lead are all needed by the Government in war work. Don't throw away even small pieces, all are of value, bring them all to our office for the next carload.

Those who bring in old discarded tires and tubes—we are not asking for ones that you can use—will be given a ten cent Defense Stamp for each".

Ernest Wilson, Co-chairman of First Aid advisors: "Members of the Air Raid Warden Services are now finishing their first aid course. Some wardens have been unable to take this course, others have not completed it, but an opportunity to do so will be offered soon as plans are now being made for additional classes.

19 SELECTEES LEAVE FRIDAY FOR BLANDING

June Allotment Largest Number To Leave County

Nineteen Highlands county men met at the county court house Friday morning preparatory to leaving for Camp Blanding where they will get their preliminary army training. This is the largest group of selectees to leave Highlands County at one time.

According to a bulletin from the office of the Highlands county draft board the following men have been chosen under the selective service act to go to Camp Blanding:

Lester Aubrey Ninninger, William Peters, and George Campbell Parker, Sebring; Cleland B. Belin, Donald Lee Wiggins, Edward J. Clark, Edgar B. Bradbury, Eugene Guantt, James H. Hagan, and Stephen C. Pardee, all of Avon Park; Henry D. Taylor, James Henry Hogan, George William Grizzle, and Henry Dozier Taylor, Lorida; Cliff Spikes, Floyd S. Layport, Cecil Daniel Meeks of DeSoto City; Osteen Pelham, and M. C. Parker, Lake Placid; and Lee Roy H. Lowe Fort Bassinger.

Registration To Be Held Soon For Gas Rationing

Plans are being completed for the second gasoline registration for the people of Highlands County. Date for the new permanent gasoline rationing program has not been announced at Washington. M. M. Ferguson was appointed county director by Ben T. Stewart, chairman of the Highlands County Defense Council. The personnel, time and places over the County will be announced later through the several newspapers in the county.

Under the set up only A and D Cards will be issued, the A cards for automobiles and the D cards for motorcycles. Drivers who will need more gas will be given an application blank to sign. They will take this blank home and have it properly executed and mailed to their local rationing board. None of the extra gas cards will be issued by the registration committees. The registration may be extended over a six day period to avoid the rush that characterized the first rationing.

Watch your papers for more complete details later.

Soldier Writes of Memorial Day Services

The following interesting and appropriate article, was written by Sgt. Robert E. McWhorter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McWhorter of Avon Park, who is attached to the medical corps at Starke General hospital in Charleston, S. C. It appeared in the "Pill Pusher," a paper published by and for the enlisted personnel of the hospital staff.

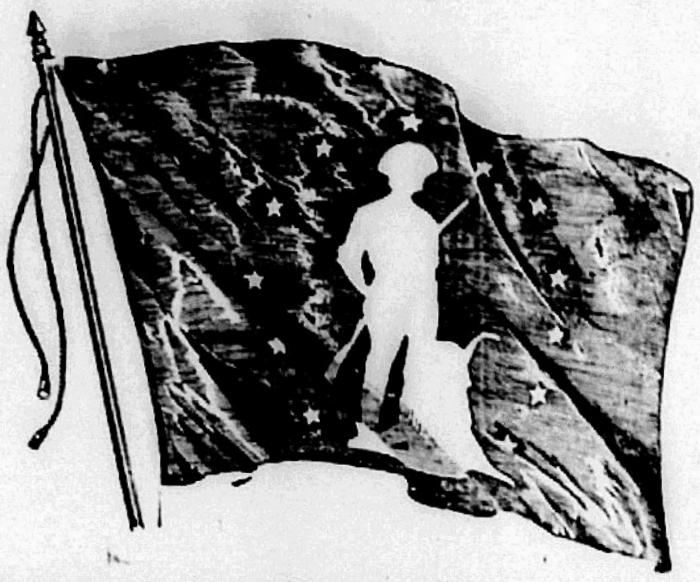
"As I write this, it is 12:05 P. M. May 30,. I have just witnessed, with others of this command, a simple, yet deeply impressive ceremony, befitting this day. I wish it might have been possible to have read aloud the very sacred vows made anew in the hearts of eash soldier during the short, few seconds in which "Old Glory" was again raised to her proper place—up among the clouds that inhabit the Heavens.

Since we are so greatly appreciative of "Her," let us not forget that our devotion is shown in our work from day to day, not in the attendance of any-one or all ceremonies. In our relationship with those serving with us, as members of the same post, and of the same great army, we will work together, persistently for an even greater day; the day we shall have seen "We Surrender," signalled from every Axis nation, and "Ours" coming home again to live forevermore in the "Land of the Free," and the "Home of the Brave."

HAROLD ROWE BUYS HOME

Harold Rowe has purchased, from the Master's estate the eight room, two-story house, where he and his family now reside.

SYMBOL OF PATRIOTISM



MINUTE MAN FLIES HIGH.—This is the new Minute Man War Bond Flag, designed by the Treasury Department for firms and organizations which attain more than 90 percent participation in War Savings Bonds purchases by their employees or members through a systematic purchase plan. The Minute Man is emblazoned in white on a blue background, surrounded by thirteen stars, representing the Nation's thirteen founding States. When companies, labor unions, and other organizations top the 90-percent figure, they will receive a special Minute Man Certificate of Award signed by Secretary Morgenthau, the State Administrator, and the State Chairman of the War Savings Staff, the Treasury Department announced. This certificate entitles the recipient to fly the flag, which is being manufactured in various sizes and is sold by licensed suppliers at a nominal price.

PTA SCHOOL LUNCH ROOM TO BE MOVED

Will Occupy Agriculture Building

The lunch room will be moved from the Avon Park grammar school building to the agriculture building, according to Col. F. N. K. Bailey, this week, following a meeting of the board of trustees. This change is made in order to allow an auditorium for the elementery grades.

Both the grammar and high school buildings will undergo reconditioning this summer, Col. Bailey said, and will be put in good shape before the opening of school in the fall. One of the most needed improvements, will include complete renovation of the rest rooms in both buildings.

Another new teacher, Miss Marie Anderson of Bradenton, has been added to the high school faculty. She will take the place of James A. Davis, resigned, and will teach Spanish and English. Miss Anderson has taught in the Key West high school for the past four years.

Water Control Expert Opens Office in Placid

Mr. George N. Sparrow of the United States Soil Conservation Service who has been assigned to the Istokpoga Soil Conservation District, arrived in Highlands County last Friday and has opened up his headquarters at Lake Placid which community was designed by the folks in the District to be the headquarters.

Present indications point toward the major problem of the District as being the proper control of the water as being one of the fundamental problems which must be solved. When the water is too high, land cannot be properly cultivated or utilized. When the water is too low there is a very distinctive loss of peat or muck soil by burning.

The Istokpoga Soil Conservation embraces some of the most fertile land in Florida, and these lands have recently been made more available by increased transportation facilitis such as the Seaboard Airline Spur and the several roads which have been built.

During this week Mr. Sparrow is making visits around over the District with the various Supervisors, and County Agent Alsmeyer. Before actual work can be started plans must be formulated and transmitted on to the Washington office. Mr. Sparrow is anxious to contact all residents and property owners in the District so that everyone can be of the greatest assistance to the Supervisior of the District to formulate plans for the area.

ELKS LODGE TO HAVE FLAG DAY SERVICES

Judge McNicholas Will Deliver Patriotic Address

The Elks lodge in Sebring will hold its annual Flag Day services in the lodge rooms Sunday afternoon at 2:30, to which the public is invited. The ceremonies will be in charge of Exalted Ruler Bill Sachsenmaier, assisted by the officers of the lodge, and Mitchell Ferguson, who will preside at the piano, furnishing musical scores appropriate for each period as the history of the flag is presented.

Following the presentation of the flags, the officers will erect a floral bell of Liberty on the altar, and Judge Thomas A. McNicholas will deliver a patriotic address.

Daytona Beach Open to Public

J. G. Membery, owner of Ocean Front Cottages at Daytona Beach, was in the city Wednesday, and reported that the world's most famous beach is now being usesd daily by thousands of bathers. There are no restrictions due to the submarine menace that will interfere with the use of the beach, which was closed only one day. Reports of oil in the water were greatly exaggerated, he said, and lasted only during one tide. A small amount of wreckage has been washed to shore, but not enough to bother bathers, he reported. No ships have been sunk off shore from Daytona Beach, he said.

LODGE TO OBSERVE MEMORIAL DAY

The local Rebekah Lodge will observe their Memorial Day Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. After the services at the hall, the members will go to Bougainvillae cemetery, and place flowers on the graves. Mrs. Cora Wray, Noble Grand, will have charge of the services. Members, please bring friends and flowers.

ATTEND GOLDEN WEDDING RECEPTION

The Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Croft and son and daughter, Edith and William, were in Lake Tsala Apopka on May first, to attend the open house reception, given in honor of the Golden Wedding celebration of Rev. Croft's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Croft. Miss Croft modeled the original wedding dress worn by her grandmother at her wedding fifty years ago.

PRISONER OF WAR

Mrs. Lucy Blum has been notified by the Navy Department that her son, Boatswain George Bernard Wells, who was stationed on the island of Guam, when it was captured, is a prisoner of war. He is in a prison camp at Zentsuji, Shikoku island, Japan.

TAX CUT GIVEN RAILROADS BY WATSON $341000

Tax Roll Audits Show S. A. L. Is Specially Favored

Translated into dollars and cents by the tax rolls—Attorney General Tom Watson's generosity to Florida's railroad "Big Four" at assessment time last August piles up way over a quarter-million dollars for the tax year, according to audits just completed.

The "gift" to the railroads came when the attorney general refused to permit Comptroller Lee to increase the assessed valuation of the railroads on the same ratio that other property was increased. Under the 1942 laws 'all property' was increased 4.04 times to reach 100% while Tom Watson forced assessors to limit the "Big Four" increase to 3.34 times.

Following the dictates of the law—and basing computations on Judge Johnson's 1939 court decision—Comptroller Lee recommended assessments totaling $93,000,000 while Attorney General Tom Watson—after jockeying around for several months, delaying the tax rolls while battling to reduce the "Big Four" taxes—finally blocked the program and forced assessments totaling only $73,500,000:

	Lee Asked	Watson Assessment
ACL	$35,477,449	$30,000,000
SAL	30,094,133	22,000,000
FEC	20,882,699	16,000,000
L&N	6,664,364	5,500,000

So instead of paying $1,706,817 taxes as they would have under the governor's program adopted by the 1941 legislature, the "Big Four" of railroads got off with a tax levy of only $1,365,709; comparative figures for the four railroads showing:

Road	Due Under Prorata Raise	Watson Levy	Roads Saved
ACL	$616,881	$522,117	$94,764
SAL	556,520	406,843	149,677
FEC	365,104	293,468	71,636
L&N	168,313	143,281	25,032

These figures showing the Seaboard saved 50% more than any other road and twice as much as the FEC also show that Tom Watson's gift to the "Big Four" for one year totaled $341,108.

Fourteen More Finish Chemical Warfare Training

W. W. Harwood of Lodwick Aviation Military Academy added fourteen more members, trained in Chemical Warfare, to the roster of the Action Divisions of Highlands County Defense Council.

The second school ended last night, June 11, and the following members have qualified themselves in the defense against war gases:

W. E. Rutherford, J. C. Ragsdale, H. H. Shepherd, H. R. Currie, Chas Lewiston, Ed Gough, W. W. Giddens, Ray Wells, R. I. Williams, Ralphel Elder, James E. Bowman, John Giddens, Jr., L. R. Waters, J. L. Collier, Phil Boardman, T. H. Maxwell.

With this addition, Avon Park has a total of forty eight men who took this training. Most of these men have finished the required training and a requisition will go forward within a few days for their equipment. It is hoped that another opportunity can be offered to those who have not finished in order that they too can become bonafide members and recognized as such in Washington.

Thanks again to Mr. Harwood and Mr. Pidgeon for the fine services rendered in behalf of our civilian defense council.

Highlands County Defense Council.
Ben T. Stewart, County Chairman

FREE BOWLING

Hats off to L. P. Childers for his generosity in giving the enlisted men of the B & G Range free use of his bowling alley for two hours each Wednesday night, from 8 to 10. The Defense Recreation Council is most grateful to Mr. Childers for this fine gesture, as the detachment has among its members a number of good bowlers. We hear that these are now polishing off their skill and laying plans for tournaments, etc.

Folks You Know . .

Mrs. C. F. Furr of Ocala is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cameron.

Earl H. Ware and C. E. Crabtree spent Wednesday in Tampa on business.

Dorothy Walker is visiting relatives in Rome, Ga., for the summer months.

Mrs. I. W. Chandler spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in Miami.

Albin Ebie of Camp Bowie, Texas, is spending a ten day's leave with his mother, Mrs. A. Ebi.

Alex Carnes will return home this week end from Belle Glade, where he has been employed the past six weeks.

Miss Mary Roberts of Lake Placid attended the McNicholas-Davis wedding here on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. E. Crabtree has returned from Osceola, Ark., where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. R. T. Seagraves.

Mrs. J. W. Lanier and Mrs. L. W. Huffman, former residents, of Sarasota Beach spent Wednesday and Thursday in Avon Park.

Mrs. Frances Gale and son, Jim Gale of Waverly, Va., are the guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. P. Dalton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Touchton will arrive Monday from Memphis, Tenn., to spend the summer in Avon Park.

Miss Dot Hughs left Thursday for Fort Lauderdale, where she will assume her duties on Monday as a member of the faculty of the Walsh School of Commerce.

Miss Laverne Little of Ashburn, Ga., returned home the latter part of the week, after visiting her sister, Mrs. Alex Carnes and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Singletary have had as their guests, their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Singletary Jr. of Jacksonville. They returned home Tuesday.

Ralph Rogers arrived home last Saturday from Camp Bowie, Texas, to spend a furlough with his family, and other relatives here.

Bernard (Bunk) Clark of Camp Bowie, Texas, is spending a ten days' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clark, and other relatives.

Mrs. S. F. Huckabay, Miss Sara McIntosh, and Miss Martha Ann Gast spent last Thursday night and Friday here, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hetherington and family.

Dr. W. H. Malone, William Malone and Knox Malone left Monday morning for their homes in Atlanta, Ga., after enjoying a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Martin and family.

Miss Kathleen Waters, who has been attending Alexander Schools in Union Mills, N. C., has joined her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Waters, who are now residing here. She has been visiting friends in Albany, Ga., since school closed.

Mrs. Georg. N. Turner and son George of Raleigh, N. C., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth. They came especially to attend the wedding of Miss Carmen Booth and Lieut Jose L. Quintana, which was an event of Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware and family have as their house guests, Mr. Ware's mother, Mrs. Ethel Ware, and his sister, Mrs. C. L. Williams and daughter, Carol Joyce, of Orlando. They arrived on Thursday. Mrs. Williams and daughter will leave in a few days for Port Huron, Mich., to join Mr. Williams, who is located there.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hartt and son, Sanford went to Chapel Hill, N. C. last Sunday to attend the graduation on Tuesday of Miss Jane Hartt from the University of North Carolina. Miss Hartt accompanied her parents home on Thursday. Sanford stopped in Jacksonville, on their return, to visit friends.

Bill Williams of Okeechobee is visiting Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry.

Mrs. Ware Hostess in Honor of Alice Rouse

Mrs. Earl H. Ware entertained at a delightful swimming party and picnic on Sunday afternoon, in honor of Alice Rouse, daughter of Mrs. Nan Rouse, previous to her departure for Green Bay, Wis. to reside. The affair was held at the E. G. Todd home on Lake Lotela.

Swimming and boating formed the enjoyable diversions for the afternoon, after which a tempting picnic supper was served on the screened porch. The hostess presented Alice with a dainty necklace and handkerchief, as a momento of the occasion.

Friends sharing with Alice, Mrs. Ware's generous hospitality, included Jerry Connell, Effie Lee Williams, Juanita Sauls, Audrey Hershberger, David Lanier, Howard Todd, Johnnie O'Conner, Bob Crum, and Arthur Crews.

Gloria Garber is Attractive Honoree at Swimming Party

Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr., recently entertained at a pleasant swimming party and supper, the delightful affair being given in honor of Gloria Garber, who was her house guest while her parents were in Washington. The young guests assembled at the Ginn home, and were taken to Lake Byrd for an enjoyable swim, after which they returned to the home.

The tempting supper, consisting of baked beans, potato salad, deviled eggs, sandwiches, cookies, punch and fruit, was served buffet style from a table on the screened porch. A patriotic theme was emphasized in the appointments, a flag, and the napkins and cups being used to suggest the chosen motif. Gloria presented Mary Rouse, who was leaving in a short time to make her home in Wisconsin, with a novelty pin in a victory design.

Young friends sharing Mrs. Ginn's hospitality, and the happiness of the occasion with Gloria included Virginia Gilliard, Mary Rouse, Arden Anderson, Anne Pabor, Marjorie Hetherington, Jeanine Crews, and Nancy Ginn.

Legion Auxiliary Met Monday

The American Legion Auxiliary discussed plans for future activities, at the regular business meeting of the organization on Monday night, Mrs. H. R. Currie, president, presided at the meeting.

Those present were Mrs. Ed Welch, Mrs. C. H. Lewiston, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Mrs. John H. Hood, Mrs. Demos Mandis, Mrs. H. R. Currie, and Mrs. Chas. Sherman.

Mrs. Ernestine Edson and her two children, Ernestine and Jerry of Mulberry are the guests of the former's grandmother, Mrs. Lucy Blum.

Elaine Worden Is Three Years Old on Friday

Mrs. H. C. Worden entertained at a most delightful party on Friday afternoon, in honor of the third birthday anniversary of her adorable young daughter, Elaine. Throughout the party hours, the youthful guests enjoyed many games, and viewed with admiration, the birthday gifts, opened by the young honoree.

Later in the afternoon, they were invited into the dining room, where the table, overlaid with a handmade cloth, presented a vision of loveliness. A pastel motif predominated in the appointments. The birthday cake that formed the centerpiece, was iced in pastel green and bore three candles, burning in red, green and yellow life savers, as holders. On one side of the cake, was a miniature madonna figurine, viewing the figure of the Christ Child, and lighted by the reflection of glowing pastel tinted candles. Favors given each child were, novelty bright colored horns, and cellophane packages of lollipops.

Little friends sharing the happiness of the occasion with Elaine were Nancy Ginn, Michael Hetherington, Jimmie and Camille Rowe, Tirzah Thayer, Jo Ann Jordon, Jane Maxwell, and Leila Johnson. Arden Anderson and Marjorie Hetherington assisted Mrs. Worden during the afternoon.

Lou Jean Crum is Honoree at Farewell Party

Barbara Lawhon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lawhon entertained at a lovely farewell party at her home on Friday evening, in honor of Lou Jean Crum, who left the following day for Homeland to reside. The rooms were attractively decorated with roses and mixed summer garden flowers.

Games were enjoyed during the evening, and the hostess presented the honoree with a charm bracelet as a memento of the occasion. Delicious refreshments of assorted sandwiches, homemade cookies, and punch were served late in the evening.

Friends sharing the party with Lou Jean and Barbara were Mae Porter Locke, Yvonne Head, Betty Jo Wells, Barbara Jean Bridges, Martha Brown, Jeanine Crews, Jerry Witt, Pat Crum, and Margaret Lawhon.

Jack Rogers, Fred Montsdeoca, Bob Crum, Johnnie O'Conner, E. C. Wever, John Garber, Sammy Longbottom, Roland Dilley, Arthur Gregory, and Darwin Stoll.

Class Party at McFarland Home

Mrs. W. W. McFarland and Mrs. M. M. Foster were co-hostesses at an enjoyable party at the home of the former on Tuesday evening, when they entertained the Philathea class of the Baptist Sunday School. Mrs. Brisco Willis, class president, presided at a short business meeting, when it was decided to entertain the husbands at the July meeting. Mrs. Davis led the opening devotional.

Games furnished entertainment for the evening, and the hostesses served tempting refreshments of tuna fish salad, ritz crackers, and olives.

Those present were Mrs. Brisco Willis, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr., Mrs. E. C. Wever, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Harold Guerndt, Mrs. Durrh Martin, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, Mrs. W. B. Archer, Mrs. Foster, and Mrs. McFarland.

Miss Mary Wild, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Wild, who has completed her sophomore year at Florida State College for Women at Tallahassee, arrived home Wednesday night for her summer vacation. Since school closed two weeks ago, she has been visiting her friend, Miss Virginia Evans at her home in Pensacola.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, IN CHANCERY NO.....

ROBERT W. WILLIAMS, Plaintiff,
vs.
OATIS WILCOX WILLIAMS, Defendant.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND NOTICE TO APPEAR.

To the defendant, OATIS WILCOX WILLIAMS, whose residence is 88 Arlington Place, Macon, Bibb County, Georgia.

You are hereby required to file an appearance in this proceeding, which is a suit for divorce from you on the ground of extreme cruelty, on or before Monday, the 6th day of July, 1942, or else a decree pro confesso will be taken against you.

This notice to appear shall be published in the Scenic Highlands Sun once during each week for four consecutive weeks.

WITNESS my hand and official seal of said Court, this the 4th day of June, 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. Piety, as Clerk of the Circuit Court, Highlands County, State of Florida.
By J. C. DESHONG
As Deputy Clerk

JOE D. KINSEY and HOWARD G. LIVINGSTON,
As attorneys for plaintiff.
June 5, 12, 19, 26.

Leigh Chapter Initiates New Members Thursday

Leigh chapter, No. 85, Order of the Eastern Star, initiated five new members into the organization at the regular meeting Thursday evening at the Masonic Temple. Miss Jennie Gribble, worthy matron, conducted the meeting.

Candidates for initiation were Mrs. Eunice Amos, Mrs. Rene Abbott, Mrs. Lois Pidgeon, Mrs. Al. berta Pettit, and Howard Maddox.

Speakers for the evening were Mrs. Lula Scott, Sebring, P. G. M. of Grand Chapter, and A. C. Schenck, Wauchula, associate Grand Patron of Grand Chapter.

After the meeting, refreshments were served in the dining hall, which was beautifully decorated with summer garden flowers in colorful shades.

Visitors were present from Wauchula, Sebring, Frostproof, and Ft. Meade.

Tea Shower Is Given for Bride Elect Friday

Miss Bootie Roberts, whose marriage was an event of Sunday evening, was the honoree at a tea shower the previous Friday at the home of Mrs. M. M. Loadholtes at her home in Ft. Meade. Co-hostesses were Mrs. C. J. Shirley and Mrs. R. H. Lee.

The house was beautifully decorated with potted plants, large baskets of pink gladioli and Easter lilies. The honoree was presented an array of lovely gifts, which were arranged on tables at one end of the room.

The guests were served dainty refreshments of punch and cake late in the afternoon. The cake was decorated with a pink wedding ring on white frosting. On each plate was a fragrant gardenia.

Those assisting the hostesses in registering the guests and serving were Misses Lets Mitchell, Kathryn Roux, Corine Smith, Dorothy Brooks, Lorraine Cliett, Barbara Jean Lindsey, Mary Frances Bowers, Jane and Joann Shirley.

Baptist Circle Met With Mrs. Brisco Willis

Circle one of the Baptist W. M. S. met with Mrs. Brisco Willis Monday afternoon, Mrs. Otto Skipper taught a very interesting lesson from the 4th chapter of John.

After a short business meeting, the hostess served delicious lemon pie topped with whipped cream to the following members: Mrs. B. F. Martin, Mrs. Otto Skipper, Mrs. Mark Smith, Mrs. M. M. Foster, Mrs. Ernest Spencer, Mrs. R. F. Sappington, Mrs. W. W. McFarland, Mrs. J. D. Sherman, Mrs. H. A. Bishop, and Mrs. Johnson.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Everyone is invited to attend the Church of Christ Sunday and hear Brother V. P. Black of Alabama. Brother Black is one of our most promising young evangelists and he is certain to deliver two good gospel sermons for us Sunday.

Sunday School at 10:00 A. M.
Preaching Service at 10:45 A. M.
Evening Service at 8:30 P. M.
Mid-week Bible Study at 8:30 P. M. Wednesday.

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Church Notes

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Topic: "The Reality of the Living Christ." Classes to suit all ages. You are cordially invited to join us in this study.

Morning worship service at 11 o'clock, with sermon by Dr. Elliott who will speak on: "Childish or Childlike- Which?" This is a message that is of significance to you and you are urged to hear it and worship with us. Welcome to all.

The "Quiet Hour" service for praise, prayer and meditation will be held on Wednesday at 8:00 P. M. Forty-five minutes of inspirational fellowship with a brief address by the Pastor. This is the kind of service you will find helpful.

The "Covenant Circle" Woman's Missionary Society will meet at the Church on Wednesday at 3:00 P. M. Mrs. Blanch G. Williams will have charge of the devotions, and Mrs. E. L. Thomason will introduce the topic: "The Way of Brotherhood in The Church".

CHURCHES OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"God The Preserver of Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, June 14.

The Golden Text is: "The Lord is our defense; and the Holy One of Israel is our king" (Psalms 89: 18).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And great multitudes came unto him, having with them those that were lame, blind, dumb, maimed, and many others, and cast them down at Jesus' feet; and he healed them: Insomuch that the multitude wondered, when they saw the dumb to speak, the maimed to be whole, the lame to walk, and the blind to see:" (Matt. 15:30,31).

The Lesson Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "It is not well to imagine that Jesus demonstrated the divine power to heal only for a select number or for a limited period of time, since to all mankind and in every hour, divine Love supplies all good" (p.494:11.14).

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday School 9:30 A. M.
Morning Prayer and Sermon 11:00 A. M.
No Early Service.
Richard I. Brown, vicar.

"Tell me, when is a good girl not a good girl."
"Nine times out of ten, pal."

Births

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Dalton are announcing the arrival of a baby son, weighing ten pounds, who arrived Sunday, June 7. The young man has been named Warren Samuel.

The doors of this friendly Church are open to all who seek spiritual fellowship and desire to offer to God sincere and reverent worship. "O come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our maker."



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Lv. AVON PARK	6.45 AM	6.40 PM
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Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Dot McNicholas and L. C. Davis Married Tuesday in Ceremony at Bride's Home

Against a background of white blossoms and greenery, illuminated by the glow of burning tapers, Miss Dorothy Theresa McNicholas, daughter of Thomas A. McNicholas, and Lamar Charles Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin W. Davis, were united in marriage on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride's father, Lotela road. The Rev. C. R. Mingledorff, Methodist pastor of Jacksonville, performed the ceremony before a large gathering of relatives and friends.

An improvised altar was arranged at one end of the reception room, graceful fronds of white and green caladium leaves outlining the mantel, amid which reflected the glimmer of lighted tapers. On either side palms and greenery formed a background for floor baskets of calla lillies, white gladioli, shasta daisies and sprays of artimesia, flanked with branched candelabra holding tall candles.

Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr., and E. L. Roberts, vocalist, gave a program of nuptial music. Mrs. Coen played "To a Wild Rose" (McDowell); and vocal selections by Mr. Roberts were "Because" (Guy d'Hardelot) and "I Love You Truly" (Carrie Jacobs Bond). Lohengrin's Wedding March announced the approach of the wedding party.

The bride, a petite blond, was a picture of loveliness in her wedding gown of filmy marquisette, fashioned on princess lines. The fitted bodice, with a sweetheart neckline, was fastened at the back, with a row of tiny satin covered buttons. The long sleeves came to a point over the hands and were caught with four tiny buttons in loops of self material. Her fingertip veil of misty illusion was caught to the hair with sprays of stephanotis, and she carried a white prayer book, on which was a corsage of orchids showered with stephanotis blossoms on white satin streamers. Her only ornament was a strand of pearls, the gift of the groom.

Attendents Attire

The bride was attended by her sisters, Miss Martha McNicholas as maid of honor, and Miss Mary McNicholas, as bride's maid. The maid of honor's dress of azure blue was fashioned with a basque bodice of brocaded taffeta, featuring a sweetheart neckline, and tiny puffed sleeves. The bouffant skirt of silk net, fell in graceful folds over a satin foundation, and she wore a butterfly bow in her hair. She carried a nosegay of pink carnations and feverfew, backed by a frill of petal pink tulle and white lace and tied with rose tinted ribbons.

The gown of the bride's maid was designed of buttercup yellow silk net. A narrow frill of self material marked the sweetheart neckline, and edged the short puffed sleeves. Wider frills encircled the waist and formed a heading for a wide ruffle near the hem of the full swing skirt. Her flowers were a nosegay of orchid gladioli, shasta daisies and feverfew, tied with white lace tulle.

Little Miss Tirzah Thayer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Thayer, was the dainty young flower girl. Her floor length frock of pink net was adorable with a wide skirt and full bodice, ornamented with ruffles of self material. Her waist was encircled with a blue velvet sash, and she wore a perky blue velvet bow and two pink rosebuds in her hair. Rose petals were strewn in the pathway of the bride, from a miniature decorated basket.

The groom's mother wore a dusty pink crepe afternoon dress with white accessories. Her flowers were white roses, in corsage.

J. Vivien Crum Jr. served the groom, as best man.

Bridal Reception Follows

A reception for members of the wedding party and guests was held after the ceremony. The tiered wedding cake, in the center of the lace covered bride's table, was surmounted with a miniature bride and groom beneath a wedding bell attached to an arch decorated with valley lilies. A modernistic arrangement of gladioli graced the buffet and the punch bowl centered a smaller table. The ices were molded in the shape of white and pink wedding bells.

Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, and Misses Peggy Mandis, Betty Touchton, and Willa McGibonrey, assisted in the dining room. Miss Winifred Hooi was in charge of the Bride's Book in the living room.

The couple left, during the late afternoon, for a wedding trip to the east coast. The bride traveled in a heavenly blue silk jersey frock, made with draped front bodice, and bracelet length sleeves. Her accessories were in navy and white, and she wore the orchid corsage from her prayer book.

They will return to Avon Park this week end, and will reside in an apartment at the home of Mrs. Chas. Ott on Highlands Ave.

The bride graduated from high school in Avon Park, and from Mary Washington college in Fredericksburg, Va. She has been a member of the faculty of the Lake Placid school for the past two years.

The groom is a graduate of Avon Park high, and attended Stetson University at DeLand. He is now in the employ of Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, and is connected with the airport.

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BUY BONDS AND STAMPS

Mrs. Ware Hostess at Tea Honoring Mrs. Nan Rouse

Mrs. Earl H. Ware was hostess on Wednesday from three thirty 'till six o'clock at a lovely afternoon tea, honoring Mrs. Nan Rouse, who is leaving in the near future for Green Bay, Wis., to reside. The affair was held at the F. P. S. social room, which was beautifully arranged with peonies, lilies and roses.

Upon arrival, each guest placed a gift handkerchief, with name card attached, on a conveniently ranged table. The array of dainty handkerchiefs and a miscellaneous box of monogrammed stationery, the gift of the hostess, were later presented to the honoree as a pleasant reminder from her friends.

The tea table, overlaid with an exquisite lace cloth, was centered with a low silver bowl of pink radiance roses and pink vine, flanked on either side by tall tapers in silver holders to emphasize a color motif of pink and white. The gleaming silver tea service was at one end of the table and silver compotes were filled with salted nuts and mints. Silver trays held open faced sandwiches with tinted fillings, in dainty designs, small cakes, and homemade cookies. Mrs. W. M. Reck poured the first hour, and Mrs. G. P. Thayer, the second hour.

A delightful feature was introduced, as each guest was requested to designate her birth date, by autographing a message to the honoree on that particular page in a leather bound signature book, which devoted a page to each month in the year. The book was presented to Mrs. Rouse as a momento of the occasion.

Mrs. C. Parke Anderson and Mrs. Demos Mandis assisted the hostess in the hospitalities, and Misses Jerry Connell, Peggy Mandis, Effie Lee Williams, and Mrs. Harold Epps assisted in serving.

Guests sharing this lovely affair with Mrs. Rouse and Mrs. Ware were Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mrs. Carson Murphy, Mrs. H. E. Godwin, Mrs. W. J. Heim, Miss Verna Heim, Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. S. C. Pardee, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, Mrs. Demos Mandis, Mrs. G. P. Thayer, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. C. L. Armstrong, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. Sue Gregory, Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. W. C. Touchton.

Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. Norton Smith, Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mrs. N. G. Langford, Mrs. Harold Epps, Mrs. John Bunting, Mrs. T. J. Ward, Mrs. J. L. Wyly, Mrs. Ruth Clowe, Mrs. C. E. Crabtree, Mrs. A. Ebi, Mrs. W. S. Rawlings, Mrs. John D. Raab, Mrs. H. C. Worden, Mrs. L. E. Bass, Mrs. W. Jack Head, Mrs. Paul L. Rumpsa, Mrs. W. M. Hetherington, Mrs. W. M. Reck, Mrs. G. A. Stebbins, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, and Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Crum and family, who have made their home in Avon Park for the past year, left Saturday for Homeland, where they will spend the summer. Mr. Crum has been manager of the American Fruit Growers Inc. They plan on going to Haines City in the fall to reside.

June Bride



Mrs. J. L. Quintana

Carmen Booth is Bride of Lieut. Quintana in Beautiful Ceremony Saturday Evening

In a beautiful candlelight ceremony at eight o'clock on Saturday evening, Miss Carmen Elaine Booth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Edwin Booth, became the bride of Lieut. Jose Luis Quintana, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Quintana of Tampa. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents, 11 east Palmetto St. with the Rev. G. S. Roberts, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating in the presence of relatives and friends.

Stately calla lillies, white dahlias, shasta daisies and feverfew, intermingled with fern, filled large pedestal baskets on either side of the improvised altar before the mantel, which was flanked with branched candelabra, holding tall burning tapers, against a background of graceful palms. A low arrangement of lillies and feverfew on the mantel was encircled with fern sprays, amid which gleamed twinkling white tapers to form a soft reflection in an oval mirror.

Mrs. Fred Tillis of Tampa, aunt of the bride, and Miss Clio McLeaffe of Bartow furnished a program of nuptial music. Mrs. Tillis numbers were "Clair de Lune (Debussy); 'My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice" (from Samson and Delilah), and "I Promise You" (Samuel Lerner). Vocal selections by Miss Metcalfe were "Because" (d'Hardelot) and "Sweetest Story Ever Told" (R. M. Stults). Lohengrin's Wedding March was played for the entrance of the wedding party, and "Liebestrum" (Liszt) was softly played during the ceremony.

Bridal Attire

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a costume dress of citron green. French stitching formed an intricate design on the softly shirred blouse, which was finished with a wide peplin extending over the gored skirt. A bow of self material at the low waistline, and bracelet length sleeves added effective detail to the dress. She wore a large leghorn hat edged with baggage straw, to match the tailored bow of grosgrain ribbon. Her accessories were white and luggage, and her flowers were a corsage of fragrant gardenias. Her only ornament was a rosary which belonged to the bridegroom's great grandmother, and as a touch of sentiment, she carried a 100-year old handkerchief belonging to Mrs. Fred Tillis, that has been used at the wedding of each bride, for whom Mrs. Tillis has played.

Mrs. John Bunting, matron of honor, wore a modish frock of beige sheer, made on princess lines. The basque bodice featured bracelet length sleeves, and the full skirt was flared to a soft fullness, to a fitted waistline. Her hat was of beige straw, with streamers of luggage tan grosgrain ribbon, extending into streamers down the back, from a crisp bow on the brim. Her flowers were deep red roses, in corsage.

The bride's mother was dressed in tangerine silk jersey, with which she wore a corsage of talisman roses. The bridegroom's mother wore a black and white silk print, and a corsage of white roses.

W. E. Dickinson of Tampa, attended the groom as best man, and John Bunting served as usher.

Reception After Ceremony

Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Booth entertained members of the wedding party and guests at a reception at their home. The bride's table in the dining room was overlaid with a handsome lace cloth, and centered with the tiered decorated wedding cake, surmounted with a miniature bridal couple beneath a small white wedding bell suspended from an archway. The cake was encircled with carnations and a tracery of fern. Tall white tapers burned in silver holders to cast a soft illumination at either end of the table, and silver compotes held white mints and nuts. The punch bowl on the buffet was flanked by an arrangement of calla and Easter lilies, shasta daisies and greenery, and large white dahlias were attached to the electric candles. Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mrs. Nan Rouse, Miss Clio Metcalfe, Miss Dot Hodil of Sebring, and Mrs. P. J. Langford of Frostproof assisted in the dining room.

After spending some time with their guests, the couple left during the evening, for a wedding trip to points of interest in Florida. They will make their home in Washington D. C., where Lieut. Quintana is attached to the Signal Intelligence division.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mrs. F. L. Tillis, Miss Viva Kathleen Tillis, V. C. Tillis, Mrs. M.C.Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Quintana and Miss Carmita Nunez of Tampa; Mr. and Mrs. John Maxey, Mrs. P. J. Langford, and Mrs. Ray Urie of Frostproof, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Heacock and Miss Dot Hodil of Sebring, Mrs. M. A. Wilson, Ft. Meade, and Mrs. George N. Turner and son George of Raleigh, N. C.

Mrs. Quintana was born in Cleveland, and came to Florida in early infancy. She graduated from Avon Park high school and attended Stetson University, where she was treasurer of Delta Delta Delta sorority. She was graduated from Florida Southern College, and was a member of the Songsters' and Vagabonds' dramatic society. For the past three years she has made her home in Tampa at the Venetian apartments.

Lieutenant Quintana was born in Tampa and graduated from Jesuit high school. He was graduated from the University of Florida, where he was a member of Chi Phi fraternity. He studied languages abroad and was credit manager of the Haverty Furniture company before entering the service. He recently received his commission at officers' training school at Fort Monmouth, N. J.

LUNCHEON FOR BRIDAL PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Booth entertained members of the wedding party on Saturday at one o'clock, at a luncheon at the Jacaranda hotel. A bridal motif predominated in the place cards and other luncheon appointments. Summer garden flowers, in artistic arrangement, composed the centerpiece for the table.

Covers were laid for Miss Carmen Booth, Lieut. J. L. Quintana., Mr. and Mrs. John Bunting, Mr. and Mrs. J. Quintana, W. E. Dickinson, and Mrs. Fred Tillis of Tampa, Miss Clio Metcalfe of Bartow, and Mr. and Mrs. Booth.

Mrs. Will Bennett and sons, Carey and Jimmie have returned from a visit of several weeks with relatives in Owenton, Ky.

Bootie Roberts and Harold Bowers Wed in Impressive Ceremony at Home on Sunday

Miss Edna Booth (Bootie) Roberts and Harold Martin Bowers were married Sunday afternoon at six o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 317 Tulane ct. The Rev. J. P. Dalton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, performed the ceremony in the presence of relatives and friends.

An improvised altar before the mantel, was designed of palms and ferns as a background flanked on either side by tall floor baskets of dusty pink and white gladioli, and branched candelabra, holding burning tapers. A low arrangement of gladioli blossoms on the mantel was illuminated by the glow of white wedding candles, was used as the processional amid sprays of fern.

Mrs. Zelda Langford Epps of Houston, Texas, a life-long friend of the bride, presented a program of nuptial music, her numbers including "I Love You Truly" (Carrie Jacobs Bond) and "Bridal March" (Wagner). The traditional wedding march by Mendelssohn, was was used as the processional and "Libestreum" (Liszt) was played softly during the ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was most attractive in a navy and white ensemble. The tailored white dress was worn with a blue torso jacket with white braid trim on the lapels and collar, the same effect being noted on the two large pockets. Her accessories were in white, and her flowers were gardenias, showered with fern.

Miss Mary Frances Bowers of Ft. Meade, sister of the groom, was the bride's only attendant. She was gowned in an ice blue frock of jersey, with which she wore sweetheart roses, in corsage.

Clayton Bowers, brother of the groom, served as best man.

Mrs. Roberts, mother of the bride, wore an afternoon gown of blue crepe sheer and a corsage of red radiance roses.

The groom's mother chose dusty rose for her gown, and her corsage was of purple asters.

Reception After Ceremony

An informal reception was given for the wedding party and guests, immediately after the ceremony. They were ushered into the sun parlor by Hugh Booth of Sebring, cousin of the bride, where the bride's table was covered with a beautiful lace cloth, and centered with cut flowers and fern. The large two tiered wedding cake, at one end of the table, was surmounted with a miniature bride and groom beneath an arch, to which was attached a small white wedding bell. The punch bowl was at the opposite end of the table.

Mrs. Roberts was assisted in the hospitality by Mrs. M. A. Wilson of Ft. Meade, and Mrs. S. E. Roberts, of Zolfo Springs, aunts of the bride, and Mrs. Harold Grizzord of Lakeland, cousin of the bride, and others.

Mrs. Bowers is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Roberts, and has lived in Avon Park since early infancy. She is a graduate of Avon Park high school. She is a very talented musician, and was a member of the high school band during her junior and senior years in school.

Mr. Bowers is the son of Mrs. Louise M. Bowers of Ft. Meade, and the late Lemuel Bowers. He is a graduate of the Ft. Meade high school. He has recently completed his course at the Embry-Riddle aeronautical school in Miami, and is at present in the employ of the Inter-Continent Aircraft Corporation.

After a brief wedding trip, the couple will be at home at 327 S. W. 27th ave. Miami.

Miss June Harvey and Max Smith Marry on Friday

Miss June Harvey and Max Smith were married on Friday evening at a beautiful and impressive ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Abbott, Lake Byrd. The Rev. G. S. Roberts, pastor of the First Methodist Church performed the ceremony, before a large gathering of friends.

The marriage vows were spoken at an improvised altar before the mantel, in front of which was spread a large white rug. A basket of petal pink gladioli on the mantel was encircled with long sprays of feathery fern, and the glow from lighted candelabra on either side of the arrangement, cast a soft glow. Burning white tapers in graduated heights, were placed in the small windows back of the mantel.

The bride, given in marriage by Mr. Abbott, was radiant in a white silk jersey dress, fashioned with a full skirt, featuring a wide band of dusty pink jersey, inserted at the hips. She wore a lei of gardenias around her neck, and a matching crown of these same fragrant blossoms in her hair.

Mrs. Abbott, matron of honor, wore an attractive, tailored frock of poudre blue sheer. Her flowers were a corsage of carnations, asters and rosebuds, in corsage.

Thomas Hatcher served as best man for the groom.

Immediately following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Abbott entertained the wedding party and guests at a buffet, supper. The dainty supper was served from the dining table, and the tiered decorated wedding cake, a near by table, was surrounded by gladioli petals and a tracery of fern. Punch was served from the buffet. Mrs. W. C. Fidgeon, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, and Mrs. Ernest Lowe assisted in the dining room.

The couple will make their home at the Peden apartment. Mr. Smith is an instructor at the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy.

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FAVOR THOSE WHO FAVOR US

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 a 50 to 60 per cent reduction.

Comptroller Lee asked the counties to employ council, 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. Kay 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 and paid only half each sucion, 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 the right of these matters. There has never been any doubts in the minds of good lawyers since the 1939 decision. It is high time that Florida tax payers 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 government expects them to stop stalling now and pay up. Not only Stanley's promise 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.—St. Cloud Tribune.

Texas Couple Write Appreciative Letter to Crosbys

The following letter, written to Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Crosby, from Mr. and Mrs. Nick Miller, Cisco, Texas, is an indication of the splendid treatment that the "home town" boys are receiving in communities located near training centers. Their son Pvt. Tillman Crosby is stationed at Camp Bowie, Texas. The letter follows:

Mrs. Miller and I had the pleasure of having your son, Tillman, in our home Mothers Day, May 10th.

You are to be congratulated on having such a fine son, we really fell in love with him. We told him we were going to expect him to come back to see us within the near future, he promised to do so. He looks fine and is in high spirits. He showed us the pictures of you and Mrs. Crosby, the sister, Karl and "Happy."

We had another young man with us at the same time we had Tillman, he was from Camp Walters and his home was in Hatto, North Dakota. We really had two fine young men with us and whose homes were far apart from each other.

Cisco is a town of about 6000, is located between three large Army Camps: Camp Barkley of Abilene, (48 miles) Camp Bowie of Brownwood (48 miles) and Camp Walters of Mineral Wells (70 miles). We have oil production on all sides of us . . . quite a ranching country, both regular run of cattle and registered . . . and a wonderful climate and plenty of good water.

Again let me congratulate you and Mrs. Crosby on having such a fine boy and we hope it will not be many days til we have the pleasure of having him in our home again.

Very truly yours,
Nick Miller

HONEY COOKERY

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

Have you tried cooking with honey? If not you are missing a wonderful food thrill. Honey imparts such a delicious flavor to many foods that we forget all about the sugar rationing and reach for the honey pot instead of the sugar bowl.

There are many kinds of honey and due to strict food laws we have little to fear now that it will be adulterated with cheap syrup.

Honey absorbs some atmospheric moisture. If cold it granulates. It should be kept in a warm dry place under tight cover. Granulated honey is not spoiled, that is just Nature's way of preserving it, and granulated it makes a delicious spread for bread and cookies. Good honey, properly cared for, never spoils for it destroys bacteria by its hygroscopic action. Therefore it may be purchased in large quantities and stored. However, a few drops of water carelessly dropped in it will cause it to spoil the container lid left open ever so little will admit a myriad of insects. So be careful, take good care of your honey.

Saw palmetto and orange blossom are Florida's favorite honeys. Of the two the first is perhaps produced in largest quantities and most liked and used. Orange blossom seems more glamorous, reminding us of June weddings, and it brings right to our tables the perfume of the grove in bloom.

Of course all honey has some mixture, for there is no way to completely control the work of the bees in gathering the flavor nectar, but the honey is named for the flavor bloom predominating at the time the bees are working.

Honey Cream Pie

1.2 cup honey, 4 tablespoons flour, 1.4 teaspoon salt, 1 1.2 cups milk, 2 egg yolks, 1 1.2 tablespoons butter.

Blend flour with part of the milk (cold), till smooth. Add the salt, honey and remainder of milk. Cook in double boiler till thick, stirring constantly. Pour very slowly part of mixture over the beaten egg yolks stirring as pouring. Return this to remainder of cooked mixture and beat till egg yolks are cooked, then add butter. Pour filling in baked pastry shell and cover with meringue made from egg whites slightly flavored with honey. Brown in oven.

Honey Custard (Baked)

4 cups scalded milk, 5 eggs, 8 tablespoons honey, 1.4 teaspoon salt, nutmeg.

Beat eggs to unite whites and yolks, add other ingredients (except nutmeg) and mix thoroughly. Pour in baking dish or individual cups, sprinkle with nutmeg, set in pan of warm water and bake till when cut the knife blade comes out clean.

FELTON CAUSEY COMPLETES COURSE

Miami, Fla., June 12.—Clarence F. Causey, 18, of 511 South Verona street, Avon Park, Fla., has completed the aircraft and engines course at Embry-Riddle School of Aviation here and this week received a graduation certificate from John Paul Riddle, president of the school.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By RUSSELL KAY

Florida's vicious fee system and delinquent tax collection racket is going a long way toward offsetting all the pretty picture books and glamorous State Exhibits employed to entice people to this commonwealth.

While it may be a glorious haven for the smart tax dodger who knows all the tricks, and a delightful paradise for the political favorites who ride the gravy train, Florida is a medieval torture chamber for the poor unfortunate uninitiated property owner and taxpayer when the "system" entangles him in its greedy meshes.

A shining example of how the "system" works is evidenced in the cases of two widows, one a poor non-resident property owner, the other a wealthy socialite of one of our best families.

The non-resident widow owned a small cottage and two adjoining lots, rented for $10 a month, which she had struggled to hold in the hope it would serve as a Florida home in her declining years. Bereaved through the loss of her husband, without funds, she found herself unable to pay the taxes.

She might have enjoyed the benefits of the Murphy Act if she had quit paying soon enough, but unfortunately her delinquency came later and finally she received notice that her little property was to be sold for taxes.

Unable to hire a flock of tax experts or high priced attorneys, and assuming that all she need to do save her property was to pay the $318.44 in back taxes, she appealed to a friend in Florida for help, asking that the taxes be paid with money she had managed to borrow.

The friend, glad to help this distressed soul, went to the tax collector's office only to be informed that the whole matter was now in the hands of a "special attorney." The kind attorney who helped people with their tax problems was not in his office but the young lady in charge explained that you didn't really need to SEE the guy, she could take the dough if you wanted to pay your taxes.

After a hurried look at the records the clerk nonchalantly announced that it came to exactly $404.28. "But," stammered the widow's friend, "I understood it was only $318.44." Smacking her gum, the charming receptionist patiently explained that the additional charge covered "costs" and "fees."

This necessitated telegraphing and explaining, but a few days later a check was mailed to the "special attorney" for $404.28. It was promptly returned with a curt note to the effect that through a "mistake" certain "costs" had been overlooked and it would be necessary to make another check for $431.03. It didn't make sense, but the "special attorney" said "You can pay it, or else"—so the frantic widow begged and borrowed some more.

In patience and humility she had met every demand of a friendly and benevolent state and county now "Please could she have her property?" . . . She could NOT. It seemed there had been another little oversight. In his eagerness to help a poor widow, the nice "special attorney" had entirely overlooked another little item of $7.50. Like a midway "grind," it seemed to be a case of "Never give a sucker a break."

The friend paid the $7.50 under protest and got a receipt, but no cancelled certificates, and demanded an explanation of the charges that forced a person to pay $438.53 in order to settle a $318.44 tax bill. It was ALL perfectly legal and according to Hoyle. Here's how the score read: Certified copy of certificate, $1.50; Clerk's search, $4.80; Abstract information, $17.20; Court costs, $23.25; Master, $5.00; Witness fee, $4.00 Clerk's recording fee, $7.50; "Special Tax Attorney," $31.84 and $25.00—with just about everybody in the Court House getting a break but the janitor.

Now let's consider the case of the other widow who was wealthy and wise. She owed the same state and county a total of $183.59. She got a notice from the "special attorney" too, but she paid no attention to it. She let her property go to sale and a relative bought it back at the Court House door, settling the taxes for $18.36, or ten cents on the dollar, throwing the state and county for a loss of $165.23.

The practice of turning delinquent tax collections over to a "special attorney" is costing the taxpayers of this state millions of dollars, while unjust and exhorbitant "fees" and "costs" milk them at every turn. Tax dodgers are not called to account, and the honest taxpayer is penalized outrageously.

No wonder people are beginning to form taxpayer's associations and wanting to know "HOW COME!"

RED CROSS INFORMATION

RED CROSS ON GUARD

The forrest fire in Connecticut May 1.4, 1942, showed once more that the Red Cross volunteers function beautifully. It was the largest mobilization of Red Cross man power since the New England hurricane of 1938, and it proved beyond a doubt that the Red Cross is on a war footing, ready for any emergency.

For three days Red Cross workers were on duty day and night to feed the fire fighters, give first aid, and evacuate families whose homes stood in the path of the flames.

From Headquarters in a tiny country school, the Red Cross dispatched it's workers to carry relief over a 42 mile area, getting food to 3,000 fire fighters.

Brigadiere Gen. Cameron declared "I cannot praise too highly the Red Cross, the women volunteer groups, soldiers, and sailors, who rallied to lick the fire. It was an astounding demonstration of what one civilian war organization can do in an emergency".

A Brazilian sailor stood on the gang plank of a rescue ship at Norfolk, Twice he had been rescued from merchant ships that had been sent to the bottom by axis submarines. Suddenly his face brightened as he shouted to a group on the dock, "Hello there Red Cross". This scene is symbollic, because to the men of the merchant marine, the Red Cross has become a scourse of inspiration. They look to it for food, clothing, cigarettes, and a friendly pat on the back, as they put into port up and down the American coast line.

Women Register

Thirty women registered in Sebring Monday for the canteen Aid Course under the instruction of Mrs. Ben T. Stewart. Red Cross canteen is a vital war necessity. It is to be hoped Highlands county will have an active canteen corps if and when the need comes. The Canteen Aide Corps is a war emergency course, perliminary to the regular canteen course. The canteen aides will work with the regular canteen corps in a disaster. They wear the uniform and insignia, but do not receive the pin or certificate, until completing the regular canteen course.

Building Survey To Be Held By Air Raid Wardens

"Don't forget the building survey which will start Monday, June 15, with County Air Raid Warden Service in charge, "says Chairman Ben T. Stewart, Every building in the county will be inspected to determine whether or not owners are complying with the request of state and local Councils for fire fighting equipment.

"This equipment is simple, most of it is already in or about every home and many public buildings, therefore it will not work a hardship on anyone to get this ready. Just two buckets half full of dry sand, a long handled snub-nosed shovel, ladder and fire extinguisher or garden hose ready, all placed near an opening to attic or roof.

"This simple equipment ready at hand may be the means of saving many lives, much property, a whole town; failure of just one individual to provide this equipment may cost you your life, your property, or may destroy an entire city. Be ready, be prepared with this fire fighting facility; should there be an air raid or serious fire it will be too late to get ready then."

MRS. HESSLER SELLS HOME

Mrs. Mary Hessler has sold her home on Butler avenue to Max Wild. The purchase includes a garage apartment in the rear. Mrs. Hessler and her daughter, Mrs. Alice Tuten, and granddaughter, Miss Helen Tuten, have rented the house from Mr. Wild, and will continue to make their home there.

When you're necking in the parlor and you hear a noise upstairs, it's a good idea to listen, look and stop!

A hick town is a place where, when a gal steps out fit as a fiddle, every man in town wants to be her beau.



EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

Morning prayer and sermon at 11:00 a. m.

No early service.

Richard I. Brown, vicar.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gilmour who have spent the past eight months in Portland, Oregon, and El Paso, Texas, returned to Avon Park on Thursday. They are at present located at the Jacaranda.

Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Jr., and her mother, Mrs. F. W. Ames of Zephyrhills, spent last Friday night and Saturday in Kissimmee. Mrs. Ginn attended a reunion of her high school graduating class of '22. Her mother returned to Avon Park with her for a week's visit.

FORESIGHT

I feel so sad I almost cry
Each time I think about the guy
Who bought himself a piece of land
And built a roadside hot-dog stand
And then again I know a gent
Whose every bit of time was spent
In wheedling dough from his relations
To build a chain of service stations
Another lad of high ambition
Bought a boat ideal for fishin
He thought his fortune would be made
By counting on the tourist trade
Now for the moral of this piece
Don't ever take a long-term lease
Since plans of mice and men, you see
Are duck soup for WPB

—Mogden Tash

She: "Last night I dreamt that you were chasing me all around my apartment. Then suddenly the dream turned into a nightmare."

He: "Why did that happen, I wonder?"

She: "You caught me!

Ashes to Ashes,
Dust to Dust.
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Our girls would rust.


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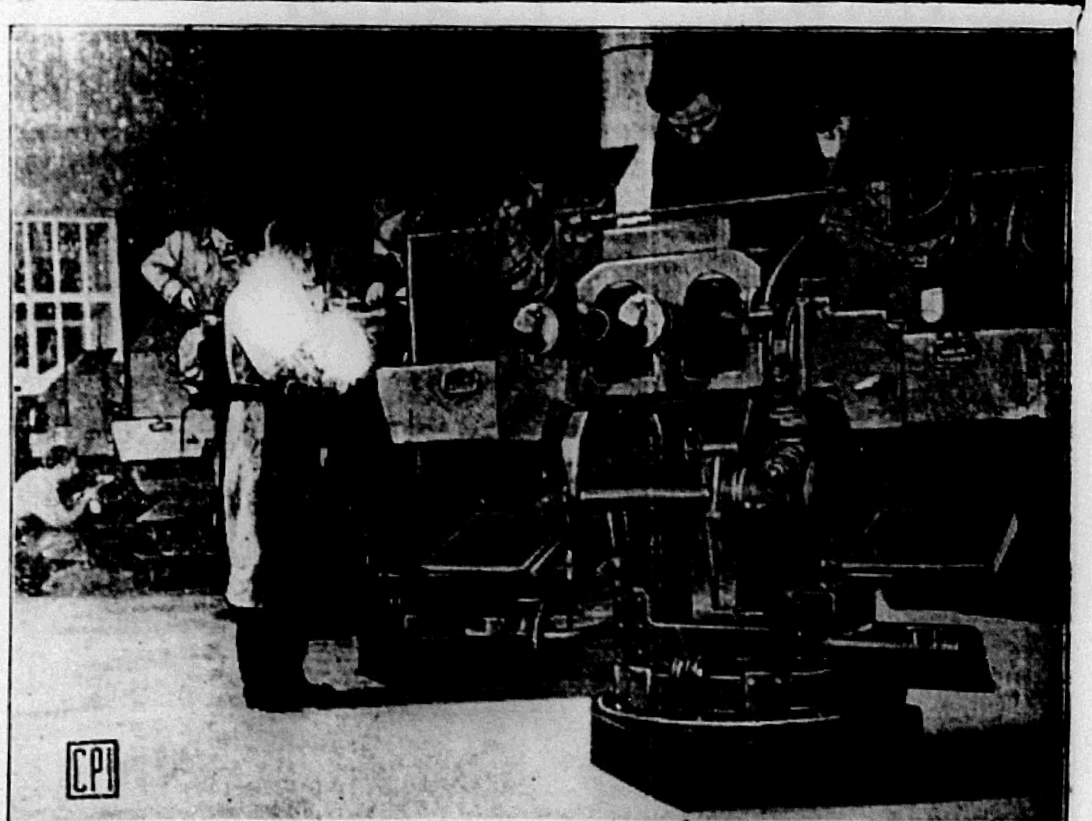

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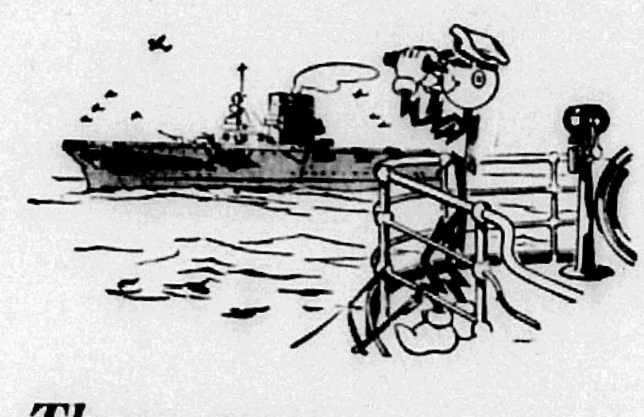
A CANADIAN shoe factory is now turning out a product with a much more violent kick in it—guns. Vickers machine guns and two-pounder anti-aircraft pom-poms are being assembled here in the same plant where the g[illegible] [illegible]ntings are manufactured. Browning, Vickers and Sten machine guns are coming off Canadian p[illegible] [illegible]n lines in increasing volume as part of the mammoth war production program totalling more than [illegible],000,000 since July, 1939. The Canadian government has provided about $660,000,000 worth of capital [illegible]sistance for the construction of new plants, extension of old and the installation of machines and equipment. Production of guns, mountings and barrels includes 22 different types ranging from field guns to safety fuse pistols. Output of Bren guns, for instance, is nearing 4,500 monthly. More than 100 types of ammunition, mines, bombs and pyrotechnics, 12 types of chemicals and eight types of explosives are included in the program, and other weapons will be in production soon. Canada's armament industry is in high gear.



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Under the present circumstances new homes usually can be served if they are a very short distance from existing distribution lines. However, please consult us first if you plan to build or make any changes in your electric service requirements.

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Eat More Citrus For Your Health's Sake

Sugar . . and Spice

Sunday is Dad's Day . . . from observation . . . just about one of the grandest . . . Dad's in town bears the name of Charlie Locke.

Jane Hartt home from college . . . looking very attractive . . . Ditto Alberta Garrett.

When Hitler takes off his boots . . . wonder if he smells defeat?

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gilmour . . . the couple of charm . . . have returned home after eight months absence.

Edna Jordon . . . instead of aquiring the desired sun-tan . . . got over cooked and has that well done look.

Shore do miss seein' the Reeves, Pilchers, and Whitcombs 'round and about . . .

The above sentence reminds me of certain men in town . . . Always ending a sentence with a proposition.

Come home Kathleen . . . fishing season is on . . .

John Francis . . . King of Coca-Cola (You know . . . those things they sell at the drug stores every morning at eleven o'clock for a few minutes) . . . adores to tease . . . and be teased.

Billy Martin . . . master music maker . . . and new bride in town for a few days.

Must be contagious . . . Jane Clements added a MRS. before her name Sunday.

A letter from the kid brother in camp saying . . . "Thanks for the cake, Sis . . . It Was cake, wasn't it" . . .

Another letter that was mailed in the local post office this week was addressed thusly

Hon. C. Parke Anderson,
City Councilman at large,
State Road No. 7, on Lake Lotela,
Near the Lotela Club, and just as noisy,
Avon Park, Fla.

'Twas written by Mrs. Betts little boy, Walter. —A. B. W. . .

Wit - Less Humor
(By GUM)

Many quarts have gone over the dam (empty ones) since my last bleating article to the un-wary. Having had a few moments for thought an almost brilliant idea struck me between the ears. Have you ever wondered why our dearly beloved bob their hair? You never guessed why? Well—here's how! Many sons past (get it—not suns) women used to brag about their crowning glory being their hair. Then some fool man got tangled up in a gal's hair and accidently choked her to death before he could get loose. Well, this started the singers to thinking about the danger of long hair. Then they remembered that while most men realize that the female of the species is more deadly than the male, still it might be a good idea to catch mere man off his guard—in an off-guarded manner.

Most all gals go to church.—especially when the sin-splitter is going to preach about Samson and Delilah. Just in case that last snort of dew fogged your windshield, I might mention again that Samson was a fairly husky boy. He really got a lot of fun out of his women. Delilah was one girl friend though who really put the heat on him. Which reminds me that one day this past week our blond bomb plus two other of our gals took the day off for a little bit of husband shopping. June is almost over with no fresh meat being smoked down for keeps, so they just had to do a little extra hunting. Well, to get on with the story! Delilah is the first gal to use garlic instead of Mum and to put a little perfume behind the ears and in the hair. P. S. When the boy friend gets to sniffen in your hair things are getting serious—for him!

Well, Samson thought he had finally found a girl he could trust! Can you imagine that—the goof! Well—this particular night Delilah needed some new socks and flimsies and Samson pulled the "broke" act so Delilah gave him a good rub-down. While he was sleeping it off, Delilah called in the boy friend who was hiding in the closet and had him give Samson a hair cut. When Samson's hair went out the door the cops took him along too for safe keeping. Delilah counted the evenings change, sold Samson's last pair of pants and departed in search of other he-men.

The idea that Samson was only strong when he had long hair bothered her. The idea might get around to other men so she proceeded to have her hair cut short—thereby being weak and helpless—any man thinks so even now. But brother, short hair doesn't mean a thing! She merely is being sure that you can't choke her with her own hair. When our gals wore long hair they didn't need much in the way of bathing suits. Now they don't wear either one.

COUNTY MUST FORCE TAX COLLECTIONS

Citizens Asked To Help Work Out Plan

The problem of operating the county government without the face track money and with a much reduced gas tax receipt was discussed by the board of county commissioners at their meeting Tuesday at the court house.

Chairman of the Board Lee C. Crews and other county officials reported on the meeting called by Governor Holland last week in Tallahassee, to discuss the problem with county and state officials. Mr. Crews stated that county officials were told not to let any one tell them how to handle their problem, that it is strictly up to them. The reason the county officials made the trip was to find out how to meet the situation.

It was pointed out that the only way the county can operate for the next fiscal year is to collect delinquent taxes on which Deputy Clerk of Court Dan Young reported there is about $50,000 which should be collectible. The largest collection of race track funds the county has enjoyed was $35,000 it was stated.

Mr. Young pointed out that tax foreclosures are an expensive way to collect taxes, calling attention to the situation in Hillsborough County.

It was suggested that a group of leading citizens form a pool to purchase tax certificates on delinquent property. One commissioner stated that unless the delinquent taxes are collected it will be necessary to increase the millage regardless of statements to the contrary by prominent state politicians.

Mr. Young stated that there is a good grove in the county on which taxes are delinquent since 1934 but that the purchase of tax certificates is not attractive as an investment due to the new laws governing the amount of interest collectible.

It was stated that a hint was dropped in Tallahassee to the effect that unless the county forced collection of delinquent taxes that the state will step in and take over the property in the name of the I. I. board.

Mr. Young stated that six per cent of the taxable property in the county is owned by people living outside the state. He also reported that the county tax collector has collected 88 per cent of the 1941 roll.

The board voted to hold a county-wide meeting at two o'clock July 7, to which the public will be invited to discuss the collection of delinquent taxes. A special invitation will be issued to various civic bodies to send a representative and all county officials will be expected to attend the meeting.

—Highlands County News

Walton Touchton, Francis Skipper Maxwell Cadets

Maxwell Field, Ala., June 18.—Two young men of Avon Park, Fla., have taken the initial steps toward winning their wings as pilots and their commissions as second lieutenants. Francis H. Skipper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Skipper, and Walton C. Touchton, Jr., son of Dr. ad Mrs. W. C. Touchton, are now enrolled as aviation cadets in the Army Air Forces Pre-Flight School for Pilots at Maxwell Field, Alabama, where they will undergo military, physical and academic training calculated to fit them for later training to fly Uncle Sam's planes expertly.

Cadet Skipper was accepted as a cadet on March 18, at MacDill Field, Tampa.

Cadet Touchton received his education at Riverside Military Academy, University of Florida and University of Tennessee. He is a member of Sigma Chi Social Fraternity and Kappa Psi Professional Fraternity. He was employed as a druggist in Avon Park, when he was accepted as a cadet at MacDill Field, on March 18, 1942.

Upon completing their course at Maxwell Field, these cadets will be sent to one of the many primary flying schools in the Southeast Army Air Training Center for the first phase of their pilot training.

Salvage Beauty



Before Pearl Harbor, bathing beauties were not concerned with conditions in the rubber market but Atlantic City's Jane Nicholl is on the front line today collecting old tires and tubes for rubber reclaiming plants. She's one of a group of local bathing beauties who have volunteered for the salvage drive. Her red, white and blue bathing suit follows the patriotic theme of the season just opening. Oh, yes, she was snapped on the famous Boardwalk.

Avon Boys Enter Blanding; "So Glad They Came"

Camp Blanding, Fla., June 18.—Two men from Avon Park and one from Sebring passed through Camp Blanding's Reception Center this week and came up smiling as they donned their uniforms and prepared to join the Army's fighting legions.

Edward J. Clark, 33, an Avon Park painter, said he was "glad to be in the Army and I'm ready to go." He has a brother who is a staff sergeant at Camp Bawie, Texas.

Stephen C. Pardee, Jr., 29 a lawyer from Avon Park, thinks the Army is a "Fine organization destined to prove its ability. We're fighting," he said, "to keep our rights and liberty."

George C. Parker, 30, a Sebring plumber, expects both the Army and the individual to benefit by the experience. "It will do us all good to get a crack at the Axis and the men of this country will learn more about what their fellow citizens are like through helping each other and fighting for a common cause—freedom."

CARLOAD SCRAP IRON

The Highland Crate Company shipped a carload of scrap iron to Tampa this week, cooperating with the government scrap metal campaign. This is the second carload to be shipped from the county. Chairman Louis Alsmeyer said.

FUNERAL FOR F. E. WRAY SATURDAY

Pioneer Resident Dies at Home Thursday Night

Funeral services for Frederick Elmore Wray, 57, who died at his home Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock, following an illness of several months, will be held this morning (Saturday) at 10 o'clock at the chapel of Stephenson Funeral Home. Dr. A. C. Elliott, pastor of the Union Congregational Church, and the Rev. J. P. Dalton, pastor of the First Baptist Church will conduct the services. Special music will be furnished by Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber, who will sing a duet. Interment will follow in Bougainvillae cemetery.

Active pallbearers who have been asked to serve are Frank Welch, Arnold Hansen, Fred Smith, J. R. Bennett, Ed Delaney, R. C. Jarrett, Clair Mann, and Albert Garrett. Honorary Pallbearers will be D. F. Canfield, C. S. Donaldson, S. E. Booth, J. E. Bowman, Wm. Hauptmann, Dr. I. W. Chandler, Harry Dilley, G. D. Godwin, Theo Weisheyer, and T. A. McNicholas.

Mr. Wray was born in Rochester, N. Y., April 11, 1885. When he was four years of age, he came to Avon Park with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Wray, who were pioneer settlers in this section, and who owned their home on Pioneer Lake. In later years, the family moved back to Rochester, but Mr. Wray returned to Avon Park, and on Oct. 26, 1904, he was married to Miss Cora Gray. To this union, was born three children.

He was a machinist by trade, and formerly was employed at the old Standard garage. Later, he and his wife established a laundry business at their home, and he was active in that until his health began to fail. He was a member of the Union Congregational Church. He was familiarly known as "Mutt Wray" by his score of friends. He was especially pleased that both of his sons and their families, who live away from Avon Park, had recently visited here.

Surviving relatives include his widow, Mrs. Cora Wray; a daughter, Mildred Wray; and two sons, Howard Wray of Miami, and Ellis Wray of Montgomery, Ala.

Desmond Roberts Enters Pre-Flight School at Maxwell

Maxwell Field, Ala., June 17.—Taking the initial step toward winning his wings as a pilot and a second lieutenant's commission, John Desmond Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Roberts, Avon Park, is now enrolled as an aviation cadet in the Army Air Forces Pre-Flight School for Pilots at Maxwell Field, Alabama, where he will undergo military, physical and academic training calculated to fit him for the job of learning to fly Uncle Sam's fighter planes.

Upon completion of this course at Maxwell Field, Cadet Roberts will be sent to one of the many primary flying schools in the Southeast Army Air Training Center for the first phase of his pilot training.

Spend less. Make your old clothes do. Put 10% of your income into War Bonds. Help your county meet its Bond quota.

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Stick Comes Loose, But Girl Flyer Climbs Over Seat and Lands Plane

Odean Bishop figures she is pretty lucky. Her instructor says she is one in a million. And everybody at the airport is wondering how she did it.

It happened last Saturday afternoon on her second day to solo. She was practicing landings, under the watchful eye of her instructor, Fred Jackson. She had made two landings, and started up for another try. But just as she got the Cub in the air and started to level off, a most unusual thing happened. The stick came off in her lap.

Veteran pilots will bet you 1000 to 1 that the average pilot would crash in such circumstances—but let Odean tell how she managed it:

"The ship started to climb. I was only 50 feet off the ground, and I knew I was headed for a stall, and the works," said Miss Bishop. "I tried to get the stick back in the socket, but it wouldn't work. I tried to reach across the front cockpit to the other stick, but my safety belt held me down. So, I loosened the belt and leaned over and grabbed the other stick. Standing in the rear cockpit, I eased the nose down and leveled the ship while I climbed into the front seat. Everything was all right then, except I had never flown with the front controls. Anyway, I circled the field and came down with a better landing than before."

The next day, Odean went back and flew some more, and will keep right on flying, she says, until she gets her commercial license. She wants to become an instructor or enter the ferry service for Uncle Sam. She hopes to make the grade before Christmas.

Music in the National Emergency

"Music in the National Emergency," written by E. L. Roberts, Avon Park, was the lead article in the June issue of The School Musician, a mothly magazine. Mr. Roberts has been director of the high school band for the past several years, and under his leadership, it has attained prominent recognition, and received numerous honors. His scores of friends will read the article with interest:

(BY E. L. ROBERTS)
Director of School Music
Avon Park, Florida High School

"Now as never before there is a need for the continuation of music in the Public Schools of our Great Country."

The fact that we are at war makes this statement self explanatory to the music instructors throughout the public school systems as a whole.

To get a good start at this subject, let us review the object of the public schools.

The object of the public schools is to give each and every child an equal opportunity for an education; what we would put into our school the school acts as a workshop for our citizenship. With poor schools we have poor communities, with poor communities we have poor states and with poor states we would have a poor nation. So it is very important that we have in our curriculum the necessary subjects to turn out good citizens from our schools.

In the United States the ideal is to require all children to attend school regularly until they are completely equipped with knowledge, skills, good habits, and ideals that they might become strong, responsible citizens for our nation. When, if not now, is there a need for good citizens in the U. S. A.?

According to leading educators, a good citizen is one who is well balanced. One who is equipped with an equal development of intellect and emotions.

With the stress and strain put upon us in the time of war, it is imperative that every good citizen have some outlet for his emotions. So often a student is neglected emotionally while the importance is placed entirely on scholarship, or in developing him academically.

There is a decided difference between Scholarship and Education. Scholarship is a trained intellect. We have subjects such as arithmetic, geography, reading, history, and languages for the purpose of intellectual proficiency. But we must bear in mind that the public schools are for educating the child, then not for the sole purpose of training the intellect or for scholarship. I do not mean to say that the above named subjects are not necessary for a student to have a well rounded education. What I do mean is that no person can obtain a well rounded education without the proper development of his emotions as well as his intellect.

Music has been demonstrated as most effective in developing an equal balance of the intellect and the emotions. It provides for an outlet of those finer emotions which make us human. Music is a language for expressing these emotions. Music is most effective in the training of a person's emotional descipline. If a child's intellectual development is combined with this emotional discipline, it will be of tremendous value to him as a citizen of the United States.

What is more important in time of war to a soldier, or sailor, or pilot of one of our fast flying bombers than the exact and accurate coordination between mind and muscle. This coordination may mean the difference in whether a bomb hits the target or misses it. It may mean the difference in life and death to any member of our armed forces. Yes, it could even mean the difference in our democratic way of life and a life lived under the iron hand of a dictator.

Music has proven itself one of the best mind trainers of any subject taught. Music teaches coordination in the playing of an instrument. Take for example a student playing any wind instrument. There must be accurate coordination of the mind with the breath, the fingering, tonguing, and eyes of the player. When you think of a player reading, fingering, and tonguing as many as 1,000 different notes per minute in playing some of the triple tongue solos, it is easily seen what minute coordination is necessary in music.

Now in the time of war the public schools have another objective in the training of the students. This responsibility is the building of morale. Not only must morale be stressed more in the public schools, but it must reach every individual in America.

Webster defines morale—"A condition as affected by, or dependent on such morale or mental factors as, zeal, spirit, hope, confidence, etc.; as of an army."

What better way is there of building morale than by a high school band parading, playing a good snappy march as they swing along the street? The very fact that they are marching together is lending a hand to the morale of every student in that organization. The zeal with which the players pump wind into their instruments, the hope of making a good showing because of the pride they take in wearing the uniform of their school band, the spirit in which they enter into the parade as a unit, and the confidence which can be plainly seen on each face as it passes by, is enough for even Mr. Webster to shout. "Boy! that IS morale."

All this, to say nothing of the absorption of a part of that spirit by every individual that either sees or hears the band marching, shows the part that music in the schools is taking in building morale.

During a recent parade in Orlando, Florida, the bands were massed into one huge marching organization of approximately eight hundred pieces. This band marched up the main street of that city playing, as it marched, "God Bless America." The effect on the thousands of people lining the street was amazing.

If every person in this great country of ours could see and hear one of the massed band concerts which are a feature of each State and Regional Festival, where literally thousands of high school boys and girls, making up the personnel of from thirty to some times eighty bands, are massed on the drill field, playing as one band their program of marches and closing with "The Star Spangled Bannar," I am sure they would all feel the very hair on the back of their necks stand up as mine does every time I see this stupendous display of unity, teamwork and cooperation to the utmost degree.

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Rubber Salvage Drive Shows Good Response

American Legion Takes Charge of Local Drive

The rubber salvage campaign got under way in Highlands county Monday, and the piles of old tires and all kinds of discarded rubber goods has been growing by leaps and bounds. Up until noon Friday, it was estimated by county Salvage Chairman Louis Alsmeyer that 60,000 pounds of old rubber had been collected.

Highlands Post, American Legion, has taken over the rubber drive for Avon Park, and is piling up a large stock of old tires in the mail. Filling stations have been collecting rubber in cooperation with the drive, and have also accumulated large piles. This will all be shipped in the next few days.

The Legion got into the drive in a big way Thursday morning, and will continue the drive throughout the balance of the month. A special canvass will be made next Tuesday and Wednesday, when trucks will be sent out to bring in all available scrap rubber to town. Headquarters have been established at the Ridge Fuel Company. A phone call there will bring a truck to your door Tuesday or Wednesday to pick up your old rubber.

Meanwhile the stuff is pouring into the mail, some people giving it outright to the Legion, and some being paid 1 cent a pound for it. Those who give the rubber are doing a patriotic service in helping to relieve the shortage, and any money made on its sale will be used by the Legion for soldier recreation and other public purposes for the benefit of the public. A group of Legionnaires composed of Commander Howard Maddox, Chairman W. E. Morgan, Ed Welch, Walter Betts, Harry Price and others were on duty in the mail Thursday and Friday and will continue there Saturday and as long next week as is necessary to finish the job.

The county quota as orginally set was 27,718 pounds. This figure has already been doubled and nearly trebbled, and the chances are now that the quota will be quadrupled to around 110,000 pounds before the drive is finished.

Up until noon Friday, Sebring had turned in 22,000 pounds, Lake Placid 17,100 pounds, and Avon Park about 24,000 pounds.

These totals will be swelled by large donations which are to be made by big grove owners and operators, and other truck users, who have large amounts of old rubber. Among these who have agreed to donate their old rubber to the American Legion are: Otto Skipper, Wm. Hauptmann, C. H. Walker, C. R. Cannon, E. G. Todd, George Godwin, John Giddens, Dennos Manalis, Ridge Fuel Co. I. H. Ford, Walter Sherertz. This is only a few who were contacted Friday. Other car and truck users who have old rubber are asked to contact the Legion committee.

Oil Men in Charge

While the rubber drive is receiving the cooperation of several agencies, including the defense council, the salvage committee, and locally the American Legion, Service station operators of the county were designated as the general collectors throughout the country, and they have responded wholeheartedly to the President's appeal for help. The Highlands County Petroleum Industries Committee is headed by J. E. Bowman, who urges all citizens to bring in to nearby service stations, or the American Legion, all articles of old rubber that may be found by a thorough search through attics basements, garages and barns.

"Service station operators of the country, responding to a call of President Roosevelt, are donating their time and services as collectors of scrap rubber for 16 days from June 15 to June 30," said Bowman. "The scrap rubber can either be donated by the public, with the proceeds going to worthy war relief agencies, or the service station operators will pay one cent per pound for the scrap rubber, Uncle Sam promising to reimburse them later for such cash outlay."

Folks You Know . .

Miss Alma Harrell has accepted a position as secretary and afternoon desk clerk at the Jacaranda hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cobb left Thursday for Lakeland, where they will be located for the summer.

Mrs. A. J. Turner and son, Bobby left last week for Louisiana, to join Mr. Turner, who is a chaplain at Camp Claiborne.

Miss Ouida Hines of Tallahassee who was a guest at the W. J. Heim home last week, returned home on Sunday.

Jimmie Heim is leaving this week end for Key West, where he has accepted a position with the Navy Department.

Mrs. D. B. Farnell has returned home from Tampa, where she visited her son, Ivor Farnell and family for several days.

Mrs. Will Knott of Lakeland, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Martin of Tampa were the guests Wednesday night of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin.

Mrs. E. G. Howell and daughter, Miss Dorothy Howell of Geneva, Ill., spent last week here, as guests of Mrs. Fred Stevens at her home, Few Acres.

Gwendolyn Simmons of Orlando and Betty Jo Giddens of Canal Point have been the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. David Stuckey.

Ralph Heim, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Heim, has received his commission as an ensign in the navy and left Monday for Fort Schuyler, New York to report for duty.

Mrs. Alex Stelogeannis and two children, Jimmie and Mary of Ocala, are spending several days with the former's brother, George Assimopolous.

Mrs. A. L. Bicker and son, Tom Bicker have returned home from Mobile, Ala., where they spent several days. Mrs. Bicker also visited her sister, Mrs. W. T. Holderness in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. L. N. Smith and daughter, Nancy, of Tampa who were the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin last week, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. L. M. Orr and daughter, Charlotte left Wednesday for Atlanta, where they will visit relatives at 977 Katherwood Drive, S. W.

Miss Jayne Alston Napier of Columbia, Tenn. arrived Tuesday, and is the house guest of her cousin, Mrs. Chas. F. Kenney, and Mr. Kenney.

Mrs. J. L. Quintana is spending several days with her parents, before joining Lieut. Quintana in Washington D. C., where he is stationed with the Signal Intelligence Division.

Mrs. Ralph Hardwick of West Palm Beach is the guest of her sister, Mrs. James A. Davis. Mr. Hardwick spent the week end here, returning home Monday morning.

Lieut. Edward M. Bonfoey and family have leased the Walter S. Betts home, Pinecrest rd., effective July the first. The Betts family will move to Rose Villa on Lotela road.

Miss Furlow Anderson left this week for Turnerville, Ga., where she will spend the summer. She had planned to leave about a month ago, but her plans were changed.

Mrs. H. C. Worden and two children, Harold Jr. and Elaine spent several days this week in DeLand with the former's mother, Mrs. O. G. Knowles. Mrs. Worden and Elaine returned home Thursday night, and Harold stayed for a longer visit with her grandmother.

Mrs. Paul Reynolds and daughter, Doris Ruth of LaBelle were the guests this week of the former's sister, Mrs. Will Drawdy. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Drawdy, who will spend several days with relatives, returning home on Monday.

Mrs. I. W. Chandler and her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Carter spent Wednesday in Lakeland.

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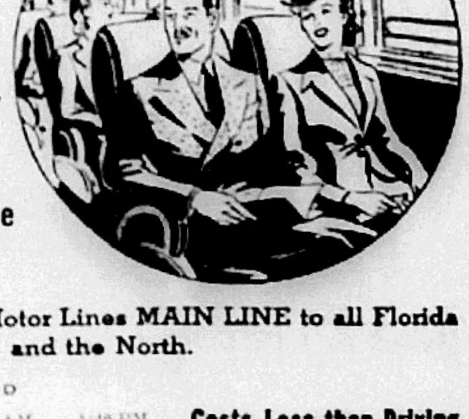

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By RUSSELL KAY

Last week's column gave you a little insight of the injustices that exist in our present tax collection system in recounting the story of the two widows: one, wealthy, who dodged her taxes—the other, poor, who was outrageously penalized because she foolishly tried to Pay.

Since then I've gathered more information and present the experience of another humble and honest taxpayer who finds himself in even a worse plight—a taxpayer who received a "rubber" receipt.

John Boraiko of Ruskin, struggling to make a living from a small truck farm, who has uncomplainingly sent his three sons to the colors in defense of Democracy, received notice from a "special tax attorney" that he must pay the taxes on his property or foreclosure proceedings would be started.

But John had paid his taxes. Being an honest man and a good citizen, he had always been diligent in such matters. John searched among his papers and joyfully found what he was looking for, what he knew he had—a Receipt in full for the taxes that the "special attorney" now claimed he owed.

With gasoline and tires rationed a 40-mile trip to the court house and back was something to worry about, but John took time off from his work and made the journey to get the matter straightened out.

Appearing before the attorney, he held in one hand the tax receipt that had been issued to him at the tax collector's office, in the other the letter informing him that his taxes were unpaid.

It developed that Mr. Boraiko had paid his 1939 taxes on July 5, 1940, and the printed certificate with blanks filled in on the typewriter read: "The State and County taxes levied and assessed against the following described property for the year 1939 were regularly paid on the 5th day of July, 1940, on tax receipt No. 11872 issued on that day to:—"

Here Mr. Boraiko's name followed with a description of the property and amounts of taxes due were typewritten below. At the bottom of the certificate was a rubber stamp signature of the County Tax Collector. To all appearances everything was proper and in order.

Investigation disclosed that as far as the county records went these taxes had never been paid and record of payment could not be found. The court house records showed that tax receipt No. 11872, on which Mr. Boraiko's taxes (according to the certificate he held) had been paid, had been issued on June 11, 1940 to another party. It covered an entirely different piece of property.

The "special tax attorney" was sorry, of course, but there was nothing he could do about it. Somebody had evidently gypped Mr. Boraiko and all he could do was either pay his taxes over again or hire a lawyer to fight the case.

Several similar cases have been brought to light since then and no one knows how far back or how deep it goes. But one thing is certain: it is high time the people, you and I and our friends and neighbors, got busy and started a little checking on our own account.

It must be a delightful and pleasant experience for three young Americans who are fighting overseas to receive word from home that their poor old dad has been abused, embarrassed, gypped and pushed around by the noble Democratic government they are risking their lives to defend.

But it's not their fault or it's not John Boraiko's fault. It's Your fault and My fault. We are supposed to be on guard at the home front. Even if we get a little behind in collecting waste paper or with our first aid work, the matter of keeping government clean is a lot more important.

The State Auditing Department, the Comptroller, the Attorney General, the Governor and the Grand Jury might all spend a fruitful afternoon checkin' and double checkin' around the Hillsborough County Court House. But why should they care if nobody else does?

ATTEND SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

Mrs. Agnes Cox and Mrs. Ten Eyck will be in Lakeland Monday to attend the Rebekah School of Instruction, to be conducted there by Mrs. Irene Miller of St. Petersburg, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Florida. Mrs. Miller will make her official visit to the Lakeland Lodge Monday evening, and Mrs Cox and Mrs. Ten Eyck will be in attendace.

"Pounce on Every Ounce For Uncle Sam"

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

Mrs. George E. Sebring, jr., Division Chairman of Salvage says: "The campaign for rubber is now in full swing, let's 'pounce on every ounce' for the Government needs it sorely."

To aid in the conservation of scrap rubber the War Production Board, C. C. Codrington, Executive Secretary for Florida, has issued the following order to all Chairmen, General Salvage Committees; advised Mrs. Sebring:

"Amendment No. 6, March 20, 1942, to War Production Order, No. M-15-B reads in part as follows:

"No person shall, unless expressly permitted by the Director of Industry Operations, destroy, by burning or any other means, all or any part of any rubber tires, casings, tubes, waterproof foot wear, heels, soles, hose, belting or storage battery boxes, whether these products are worn out or not which are composed in whole or in part of any kind of rubber."

Says Mrs. Sebring: "In other words no old scrap rubber of any kind may now be destroyed without special permission, for the Government needs all of it.

"Right here in Highlands County, as in every other part of the Nation, the great drive for old rubber salvage started Monday, June 15, and will continue through Tuesday, June 30. All gas service and bulk stations will take all the old rubber and pay one cent a pound for it.

"Now is the time for school children to spend vacation hours to advantage, they can hunt up discarded rubber of all kinds and sell it to the service stations and then buy Defense Stamps. Now is also a good time for every housewife to give her home another thorough cleaning for much old rubber will thus be found in basements, attics, closets and garages.

"Save every scrap, no matter how old and worn. The War Production Board says: "No bit of rubber is too small, too old or too worn to contribute to this great drive. One shower cap contains sufficient rubber for 10 panoramic telescopes for the armed forces."

Continues Mrs. Sebring: "And here is a partial list of old rubber articles you may find discarded about your home:

Nursery: teething rings, pacifiers, nipples and toys, baby pants, crib pads, baby buggy grip and tires.

Medicine Cabinet: ice caps, hot water bottles, syringes, bulbs from medicine droppers, thermometer cases, bottle stoppers and tops, finger stalls, bandages.

Bath Room: shower curtains, caps, sprays and pipe, soap dishes, sponges, massage heads and grips, razor boxes, sink and tub stoppers, tub and floor mats, brushes, powder jars.

Kitchen: dish scrapers and drainers, sink stoppers, jar rings, gloves and aprons, ice cube trays, refrigerator belts and parts, faucet sprays, washing machine rollers, trays.

Garage, Closet, Attic: bicycle grips, tires, and pedals, toy wagon tires, auto and radio parts, tires and tubes and casings, sewing machine belts, wire insulation, door stops and knobs, door fender and car mats, raincoats and hats, overshoes, suspenders, belts, girdles, hose and tubing, implement handles or grips, tennis balls, water wings, air cushions, bands, stamps, fountain pens and pencils, heels, soles, battery boxes, windshield wipers, and innumerable other articles which collect in every household.

"All profits from the handling of salvage rubber will go direct to some established charity such as the Red Cross and the Army and Navy Relief.

"Let's 'pounce on every ounce' in Highlands County and send in the greatest rubber poundage in the Nation."

Rev. Hoyt Tatum New Pastor of Methodist Church

The Rev. Hoyt Tatum, accompanied by Mrs. Tatum, arrived Friday from Palmetto, to assume the pastorate of the First Methodist church. He was appointed to this church at the annual Methodist conference held last week at Florida Southern college, Lakeland and was transfrred here from Palmetto, where he has been located for the past year. Their seven year old son, Bill, is visiting his grandparents in Bradenton, and will join his parents here later.

The Rev. G. S. Roberts, who has been pastor of the church in Avon Park for the past year, was transferred to Palmetto. He and Mrs. Roberts left on Thursday morning for their new home.

Church Notes

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. with clesses to suit all ages. Lesson topic: "Carrying on Christ's Work." More helpers are needed to do it. Will you help us?

Morning worship service at 11 o'clock, when Father's Day will be observed. Sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on: "A Worthy Father." Recitations by the children of the Sunday School. Come and enjoy this interesting, helpful service.

The "Quiet Hour" service for praise, prayer and meditation will be held on Wednesday at 8:00 P. M. Brief address by the Pastor. We want to welcome you.

CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY COCIETY MEETS

The "Covenant Circle" Woman's Missionary Society of the Congregational Church met on Wednesday at 3:00 P. M. at the Church. The president, Mrs. A. C. Elliott, presiding. At the business session, Mrs. Elliott reported that the Friendly Service quota had been filled and sent to Fessenden Academy, Georgia; Piedmont College, Demorest, Georgia; Uplands Sanatorium, Pleasant Hill, Tennessee; Ryder Memorial Hospital, Puerto Rico. The devotional period was conducted by Mrs. Blanch G. Williams, who spoke on "Love and Friendship". Mrs. E. L. Thomason introduced the topic: "The Way of Brotherhood in Our Church," to which Mrs. Max Wild contributed a brief reading. Dr. Elliott also gave a talk on "Democracy in Our Church. The meeting was adjourned until September. Ten members present.

CHURCH OF GOD

South Verona Ave.
J. W. Coleman, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship 11.00 A. M.
Evening Worship 8:30 P. M.
Prayer Meeting Tuesday 8:30 P. M.
Y. P. E. Services Thursday 8:30 P. M.
You are Welcome.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Morning prayer and sermon at 11:00 a. m.
No early service.
Richard I. Brown, vicar.

The doors of this friendly Church are open to all who seek spiritual fellowship and desire to offer to God sincere and reverent worship. "O come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our maker."

War Bond sales must be doubled. Are you budgeting your household money to buy War Savings Stamps every week?

IN THE COUNTY JUDGE'S COURT, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
In Re: Estate Of
MALCOLM L. MacPHAIL,
Deceased.

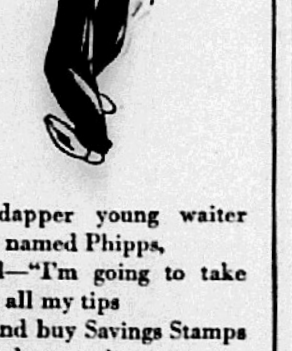
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO ALL CREDITORS, LEGATEES, DISTRIBUTEES AND ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST SAID ESTATE:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified and requested to present any claims and demands which you, or any of you, may have against the estate of Malcolm L. MacPhail, deceased, late of Cayuga County, New York, to the County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, at his office in the Court House at Sebring, Florida, within twelve months from date of first publication hereof which is June 19, A. D. 1942.

EDNA C. MacPHAIL,
As Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Malcolm L. MacPhail, Deceased.
June 19, 26, July 3, 10.

LIBERTY LIMERICKS



A dapper young waiter named Phipps,
Said—"I'm going to take all my tips
And buy Savings Stamps
So boys at the camps
Have bombers, machine guns, and ships!"

Help your county reach its War Bond quota. Invest 10% or more every payday in War Bonds and Stamps.

RED CROSS INFORMATION

The American Red Cross through it's international channels keeps in flow a steady stream of messages to and from the beleagured occumpants of war torn lands and their relatives in the United States.

Such messages are routed through International Red Cross headquarters at Geneva Switzerland by your local Red Cross. Exchange must be steady since the Red Cross will send no second message to a receiver until the first has been acknowledged.

Limited to 25 words closely restricted in content and subject to censor, they can reveal little else. Translations are effected by an official interpreter. Restrictions forbid us of abbreviation, nicknames, special phrasing or code, mention of politics, military affairs, defense, shipping, weather conditions geographic names and business matters. Persons must not indentify themselves as government employees. Births, deaths and marriages occasionally merit a brief comment.

Communication with occupied possessions in the Far East practically is non-existent as there has been little time to set up working channels. The Red Cross handles mail addressed only to persons whose names have appeared on official lists as prisoners of War and few such lists have appeared so far. Japan, according to national officials, has agreed to accord proper respect to Red Cross activities.

American Red Cross Chapters are responsible for providing emergency food, clothing, and shelter to meet civilian needs in the event of enemy action, and are the responsible agency for relief in disasters of nature according to an agreement signed by Norman Davis, chairman of Red Cross and Federal Security Administrator Paul V. McNutt of Defense Health and Welfare.

Hey Kids, Want to Make Some Money

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

The cow jumped over the moon but she didn't find as much scrap rubber as you will if you hunt for it right now. You can spend this next week of vacation making money for sodas or Defense Stamps and this is how you do it: Hunt up all the old, wornout rubber pieces, like pencil erasers, bands, broken fountain pens, toys, old tires and tubes and bicycle grips and pedals, just any kind of old discarded rubber—Uncle Sam needs every bit. Then after you have a big pile of it take it to the American Legion and you will be paid one cent a pound for it. It doesn't take a great big lot to make a pound, so get busy.

Uncle Sam yants all the old scrap rubber to help win the war. You can help win the war and also make money by collecting scrap rubber. It must all be turned in by June 30, for the big drive closes then.

Get busy, kiddies! Go to work make this next week a grand financial success for you and a victory for Uncle Sam.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY. IN CHANCERY NO. ______

ROBERT W. WILLIAMS, Plaintiff,
vs.
OATIS WILCOX WILLIAMS Defendant.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND NOTICE TO APPEAR.

To the defendant, OATIS WILCOX WILLIAMS, whose residence is 88 Arlington Place, Macon, Bibb County, Georgia.

You are hereby required to file an appearance in this proceeding, which is a suit for divorce from you on the ground of extreme cruelty, on or before Monday, the 6th day of July, 1942, or else a decree pro confesso will be taken against you.

This notice to appear shall be published in the Scenic Highlands Sun once during each week for four consecutive weeks.

WITNESS my hand and official seal of said Court, this the 5th day of June, 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. Piety, as Clerk of the Circuit Court, Highlands County, State of Florida.
By J. C. DESHONG
As Deputy Clerk
JOE D. KINSEY, and HOWARD G. LIVINGSTON,
As attorneys for plaintiff.
June 5, 12, 19, 26.

ORGANIZATION OF MILITARY MAIDS CORPS

The Defense Recreational Council, through Mrs. J. A. Johnson, hostess and date service chairman is calling a meeting for Monday June 22nd at the Woman's Club, 7:30 P. M., to organize a Military Maids Corps to assist in recreation activities for the soldiers. Hostesses, both junior and senior, as well as chaperones and girls are requested to attend this meeting and become members of this group. It is very important that every woman who comes within this classification attend this meeting.

SAVE $97.50 on beautiful Spinet piano that has been rented. Brown's, North Florida, Lakeland, Florida. J. 5-12.

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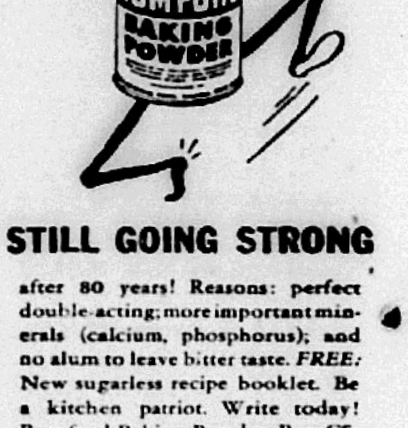

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Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Mrs. Wells Hostess To Bridge Club on Thursday

Mrs. J. L. Wells was a gracious hostess to the Thursday evening bridge club, at a lovely party at her home this week. The rooms were decked with attractive arrangements of roses and gladioli.

A patriotic note predominated in the bridge appointments, including the tallies, scorepads, and prize wrappings of red, white and blue. During the evening, the four tables of players were served refreshing fruit punch from the lace covered dining table. Cherries and mint were frozen into the ice cubes to add additional color, and tall tapers flanked the crystal bowl, on either side. Salted nuts and bubble mints were placed on the card tables.

High score prize for the evening was awarded to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts; second high, was won by Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, and Mrs. Milford Dilley received the floating prize. After the games the hostess served a dainty refreshment course, composed of pecan pie ala mode and iced tea.

Those enjoying the party included Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hood, Mrs. Freed Peden, Mrs. Nan Rouse, Frank Wilkes, and W. E. Morgan.

Miss Furlow Anderson left Thursday for Tampa, where she will visit her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew L. Anderson, after which she will go to College Park, Ga., to visit her sister, Mrs. A. T. Gresham. She will spend the remainder of the summer in Turnerville, Ga.

Recent Bride



MRS. HAROLD BOWERS

Luncheon Meeting of Methodist Circle on Tuesday

Mrs. W. S. Rawlings and Miss Furlow Anderson were co-hostesses, at a luncheon meeting on Tuesday, at the home of the former, members of the Raab circle of the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church, being their guests. The dainty luncheon was served at one o'clock from the attractively appointed dining table.

Mrs. A. McKee Elwell led the opening devotional at the afternoon meeting, which was presided over by the leader, Mrs. John D. Raab. Mrs. Arthur Johnson conducted the lesson from the study book.

Those present were Mrs. John D. Raab, Mrs. L. M. Orr, Mrs. E. E. Murray, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mrs. I. W. Chandler, Mrs. Katherine Bristol.

Jerry Witt Has Delightful Party

Jerry Witt entertained a number of friends at an enjoyable party at her home on Monday evening. Dancing formed the delightful diversion for the evening, music being furnished by the four Parten children, on their string instruments.

Later in the evening, delicious refreshments of fruit punch and cheese crackers were served.

Those present, as guests of Jerry on this occasion were Barbara Lawhon, Johnnie O'Conner, Fred Montsdeoca, Margaret Harper, Virginia Spencer, Leon Sheumacker, Carmen Crum, Jack Lamb, Jeanette and Harold Barker, Milford Crews, Evelyn Scott, Jack Witt, Jr., Fay, Ide, Talmage and Charles Partin, and Mrs. E. O. Donaldson.

Jane Clements and Lt. Hudson Married Sunday

Miss Jane Parker Clements, daughter of Mrs. Charles Clements, and Lieut. Robert Blake Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blake Hudson of 200 Glen Graton rd., Montgomery, Ala., were married at one o'clock on Sunday, in an impressive ceremony at the home of the bride. The Rev. Jack P. Dalton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated, in the presence of relatives and a few close friends.

Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr., pianist and Miss Marjorie Wells, vocalist, gave a program of nuptial music preceding the ceremony. Mrs. Coen played "To a Wild Rose" (Mc. Dowell), and Miss Wells' selections were "Because" (deHardelot) and "I Love you Truly" (Carrie Jacobs Bond). The traditional wedding march was played for the entrance of the bridal party.

The ceremony was performed before an improvised altar at one end of the reception room. Fern and palms, flanked by tall floor baskets of white gladioli, shasta daisies, and calla lilies, formed an ideal background for the soft reflection of wedding tapers, burning in seven-branched candelabra on either side. Arrangements of green and white caledium, on the mantel, was encircled with fern sprays.

The bride, was radiant in her wedding gown of white mousseline de soie, fashioned on princess lines. Puffed sleeves and a sweetheart neckline featured the bodice, and a wide band of self material with long points on either side of the front fitted midriff, was joined to the full swing skirt, designed over a taffeta foundation. Her fingertip veil of illusion was caught to the hair with a wreath of orange blossoms. Her flowers were a cascade bouquet of carnations, centered with an orchid.

The bride's sister, Miss Mary Clements, was her only attendent. She wore a dress of aqua chiffon, the bouffant skirt being joined to the full blouse by a wide band of blue chantilly lace. Similiar bands of the lace formed an interesting design over each shoulder. She carried a nosegay of pink rosebuds, carnations, and feverfew, backed with a ruffle of pink tulle and white paper lace, and tied with silver and pink streamers.

The mother of the bride wore a dress of luggage and white bemberg sheer, and a corsage of pink roses and feverfew. The groom's mother chose a navy blue and white chiffon, with which she wore a corsage of white carnations and gardenias.

The groom was attended by his father, Thomas Blake Hudson, as best man.

Reception After Ceremony

Following the ceremony, an informal reception was held for the wedding party and guests. The tiered decorated wedding cake, surmounted with a miniature bride and groom, centered the lace covered bride's table. The punch bowl was at one end of the table, and compotes held cashew nuts and mints. Mrs. J. L. Wells and Miss Nancy Driskell assisted in the dining room.

The couple left during the afternoon for a short wedding trip, returning to Camp Blanding, where Lieut. Hudson is stationed. They will reside at nearby Keystone Heights. The bride traveled in a summer frock of jersey. The hip length jacket was of kelly green, worn with a bright flowered skirt in contrasting colors. Her accessories were in white, and she wore the corsage from her wedding bouquet.

Mrs. Hudson received her early education in the schools of Avon Park, and graduated here. She attended Stetson University at DeLand, and Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn, Ala., where she was pledged to Chi Omega sorority.

Lieut. Hudson is a graduate of Ramsey high school in Birmingham, Ala., and attended Howard college, also in Birmingham. He graduated from Alabama Polytechnic Institute in Auburn, where he was a member of Delta Sigma Phi, social fraternity, and Tau Beta Pi and Phi Lambda Upsilon, honorary fraternities. He was recently commisioned a second lieutenant in chemical warfare.

Among the out-of-town relatives and friends attending the wedding were Major William R. Gignilliat and Capt. Archibold M. Gaulocher of Sebring; Mrs. Johnson Driskell, Miss Nancy Driskell, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Whidden and son, Marty of Brewster.

Shoe Clerk: "Do you know what causes the modern girl to wear out so much shoe leather?
Sheba: "No."
Shoe Clerk: "That's right."

Married in Lakeland



MR. AND MRS. MARTIN

—Cut Courtesy Lakeland Ledger

The following clipping from the Lakeland Ledger, concerning the marriage of William J. Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin, Avon Park, to Miss Dorothy Knott of Lakeland, will be of cordial interest to friends of the family:

Miss Ina Dorothy Knott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Knott of 319 south Tennessee avenue, was married to William Joseph Martin of Tampa, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin of Avon Park, at All Saints' Episcopal church Sunday afternoon June 7, at 5 o'clock. The rector, the Rev. William F. Moses, performed the ceremony.

As the guests were assembling, Mrs. Ed R. Bentley, organist, played several selections. The traditional wedding marches were used.

The bride entered with her father, by whom she was given in marriage. Her dress of white crepe was made with a long bodice and flared skirt, and her accessories were in white. Her only ornament was a pearl necklace, and her corsage was an orchid and sweetheart roses.

Miss Jean McLellan, her only attendant, was gowned in powder blue. Her large hat was pink and her accessories were white, and her flowers were pink rosebuds and babybreath.

B. F. Martin attended his son as best man, and ushers were Willard Burtnett, Tommy Edwards, Charles Recker, Jr., and Alfred Knott.

Mrs. Knott, mother of the bride, wore a tailored white dress, and Mrs. Martin, the bridegroom's mother, wore blue crepe. Their corsages were of pink rosebuds and babybreath.

Mrs. Martin was born in Suwannee, Tenn, and came to Lakeland in early childhood. She was graduated from Lakeland high school and attended Webb's business school. She has been secretary to Manuel Glover, attorney.

Mr. Martin was graduated from Avon Park high school and the University of Tampa. He is now employed in the Burroughs Adding Machine company offices in Tampa.

After a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Martin will make their home in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin, C. B. Martin and Mrs. Devon Reddick and son, Dickie of Avon Park were among the out-of-town guests attending the wedding.

Trump It Club Has Dessert Bridge Wednesday

Mrs. J. B. Francis entertained the Trump It club at a delightful party at her home on Wednesday afternoon. The rooms were attractively arranged with summer garden flowers, strawflowers, marigolds, roses and zinnias predominating.

Before the games, the hostess served a dainty dessert course of fresh peach parfait, brownies, and iced tea.

When scores were totaled, following the interesting progressions, high award, a pair of hand-painted vases, was given to Mrs. Devon Reddick. Second high, a box of stationery, was won by Mrs. S. G. Patterson, and Mrs. J. C. De-Shong received the floating prize, a novelty apron, made of handkerchiefs.

Those enjoying the party were Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr., Mrs. J. C. DeShong, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. George Haynie, Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, Mrs. S. G. Patterson, and Mrs. Devon Reddick.

Baptist Sunday School Has Annual Picnic Thursday

The annual picnic of the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church, was held on Thursday afternoon at four o'clock on the shores of Lake Lotela. Games, swimming and boating furnished delightful entertainment for the afternoon, after which a tempting picnic supper was spread on the long tables underneath the spreading trees. About 125 Sunday School members, including several visitors enjoyed the affair.

Mrs. Charles Kempton and three children, Mikel, Wayne and Bryan, who have been visiting relatives here, have gone to Miami to join Mr. Kempton, who is with the radio naval reserve, and has been transferred there from Key West.

Methodist Circle Met on Tuesday

Mrs. Walter S. Martin and Mrs. T. H. Hughs entertained the Jackson Circle of the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church, at the home of Mrs. Hughs on Tuesday afternoon. Following the devotional and a short business meeting, the hostesses served delectable refreshments composed of congealed salad, ritz crackers, brownies and iced tea.

Those attending were Mrs. A. C. Water, Mrs. G. S. Robrts, Mrs. H. A. Gerrard, Mrs. J. O. Bridges, Mrs. Chas Harris, Mrs. R. C. Jarrett, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, and Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood.

Bonds buy bombs, Stamps buy bullets! Buy U. S. Defense Bonds

Creola Fortner and Rufus Ellerby Married May 30

The following clipping announcing the marriage of Miss Creola Fortner, former Avon Park resident, which appeared in the Barlow Record of June 12, will be of cordial interest to friends here:

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fortner are announcing the marriage of their daughter, the former Miss Creola Fortner, to Rufus Ellerby of Winter Haven.

The wedding ceremony was performed Saturday May 30.

The bride is a native of Bartow and the announcement of her marriage is of much interest to her many friends here.

The couple will make their home at Winter Haven where Mrs. Ellerby operates a beauty shop and Mr. Ellerby is connected with the Tampa Electric company.

Mrs. Bristol Has Lovely Party on Thursday Afternoon

Mrs. Katherine Bristol was a cordial hostess to members of her bridge club at a lovely party last Thursday. The affair was held at the Customers room of the F. P. S. co.

A tempting dessert course, consisting of ice cream sundaes and cake, was served before the interesting progressions of the afternoon.

Those enjoying the hospitality extended by Mrs. Bristol at this time were Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. Wm. Hauptmann, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. L. E. Bass, and Mrs. J. W. Lanier.

The club, which has been organized for many years, meeting regularly each two weeks on Thursday, voted to disband for the duration.

Mrs. Chas. Sherman and son, Edward, left last Sunday for Castile, N. Y., where Mrs. Sherman will visit relatives for the summer. Charles will go on to John Hopkins hospital in Baltimore, Md., where he will continue his medical studies.

Nothing annoys a girl more than to be hungry for love and then go out with a motorist who wants to eat up the road.

June Bride



MRS. L. C. DAVIS

Mrs. Rouse Honoree at Bridge Luncheon on Thursday

Mrs. Nan Rouse who will leave soon for Green Bay, Wis., to reside, was the attractive honoree at a lovely bridge luncheon, given at one o'clock on Thursday by Mrs. C. Parke Anderson at her home, Lotela rd. The luncheon table was beautifully appointed, and was centered with a flat arrangement of red hibiscus. Bridge was enjoyed during the afternoon, and the hostess presented the honoree with a gift.

Friends sharing the occasion with Mrs. Rouse and Mrs. Anderson were Mrs. Demos Mandis, Mrs. Sue Gregory, Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. Walter S. Betts, and Mrs. J. Paul Garber.

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Writers of military history often overlook the strategic part that women play in the wars men wage. It is nevertheless true that the fighting morale of men on the battle-front rises no higher than the faith and fortitude of the women they leave behind.

Whether it was grandmother writing words of encouragement to her soldier by candlelight or her granddaughter doing a man's job as an electric welder in a munitions plant, it is the women whose sacrifice and devotion inspire men to face fire with the traditional courage of our fighting forebears. Just as fearless Joan d'Arc once led the legions of France to victory, the American woman who gives her heart and hand to the cause of country becomes the decisive factor in the conflict.

Electricity in a large way meets today's critical challenge. The industry is prepared to produce the power needed in this great emergency. And the general use of electricity gives women the freedom to give more of themselves in producing munitions and in building morale.

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Modern electric services give you the time to help keep democracy at work.

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Folks You Know . .

Miss Alma Harrell has accepted a position as secretary and afternoon desk clerk at the Jacaranda hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cobb left Thursday for Lakeland, where they will be located for the summer.

Mrs. A. J. Turner and son, Bobby left last week for Louisiana, to join Mr. Turner, who is a chaplain at Camp Claiborne.

Miss Ouida Hines of Tallahassee who was a guest at the W. J. Heim home last week, returned home on Sunday.

Jimmie Heim is leaving this week end for Key West, where he has accepted a position with the Navy Department.

Mrs. D. B. Farnell has returned home from Tampa, where she visited her son, Ivor Farnell and family for several days.

Mrs. Will Knott of Lakeland, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Martin of Tampa were the guests Wednesday night of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin.

Mrs. E. G. Howell and daughter, Miss Dorothy Howell of Geneva, Ill., spent last week here, as guests of Mrs. Fred Stevens at her home, Few Acres.

Gwendolyn Simmons of Orlando and Betty Jo Giddens of Canal Point have been the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. David Stuckey.

Ralph Heim, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Heim, has received his commission as an ensign in the navy and left Monday for Fort Schuyler, New York to report for duty.

Mrs. Alex Stelogeannis and two children, Jimmie and Mary of Ocala, are spending several days with the former's brother, George Assimopolous.

Mrs. A. L. Bicker and son, Tom Bicker have returned home from Mobile, Ala., where they spent several days. Mrs. Bicker also visited her sister, Mrs. W. T. Holderness in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. L. N. Smith and daughter, Nancy, of Tampa who were the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin last week, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. L. M. Orr and daughter, Charlotte left Wednesday for Atlanta, where they will visit relatives at 977 Katherwood Drive, S. W.

Miss Jayne Alston Napier of Columbia, Tenn. arrived Tuesday, and is the house guest of her cousin, Mrs. Chas. F. Kenney, and Mr. Kenney.

Mrs. J. L. Quintana is spending several days with her parents, before joining Lieut. Quintana in Washington D. C., where he is stationed with the Signal Intelligence Division.

Mrs. Ralph Hardwick of West Palm Beach is the guest of her sister, Mrs. James A. Davis. Mr. Hardwick spent the week end here, returning home Monday morning.

Lieut. Edward M. Bonfoey and family have leased the Walter S. Betts home. Pinecrest rd., effective July the first. The Betts family will move to Rose Villa on Lotela road.

Miss Furlow Anderson left this week for Turnerville, Ga., where she will spend the summer. She had planned to leave about a month ago, but her plans were changed.

Mrs. H. C. Worden and two children, Harold Jr. and Elaine spent several days this week in DeLand with the former's mother, Mrs. O. G. Knowles. Mrs. Worden and Elaine returned home Thursday night, and Harold stayed for a longer visit with her grandmother.

Mrs. Paul Reynolds and daughter, Doris Ruth of LaBelle were the guests this week of the former's sister, Mrs. Will Drawdy. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Drawdy, who will spend several days with relatives, returning home on Monday.

Mrs. I. W. Chandler and her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Carter spent Wednesday in Lakeland.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By RUSSELL KAY

Last week's column gave you a little insight of the injustices that exist in our present tax collection system in recounting the story of the two widows: one, wealthy, who dodged her taxes—the other, poor, who was outrageously penalized because she foolishly tried to Pay.

Since then I've gathered more information and present the experience of another humble and honest taxpayer who finds himself in even a worse plight—a taxpayer who received a "rubber" receipt.

John Boraiko of Ruskin, struggling to make a living from a small truck farm, who has uncomplainingly sent his three sons to the colors in defense of Democracy, received notice from a "special tax attorney" that he must pay the taxes on his property or foreclosure proceedings would be started.

But John had paid his taxes. Being an honest man and a good citizen, he had always been diligent in such matters. John searched among his papers and joyfully found what he was looking for, what he knew he had—a Receipt in full for the taxes that the "special attorney" now claimed he owed.

With gasoline and tires rationed a 40-mile trip to the court house and back was something to worry about, but John took time off from his work and made the journey to get the matter straightened out.

Appearing before the attorney, he held in one hand the tax receipt that had been issued to him at the tax collector's office, in the other the letter informing him that his taxes were unpaid.

It developed that Mr. Boraiko had paid his 1939 taxes on July 5, 1940, and the printed certificate with blanks filled in on the typewriter read: "The State and County taxes levied and assessed against the following described property for the year 1939 were regularly paid on the 5th day of July, 1940, on tax receipt No. 11872 issued on that day to:—"

Here Mr. Boraiko's name followed with a description of the property and amount of taxes due were typewritten below. At the bottom of the certificate was a rubber stamp signature of the County Tax Collector. To all appearances everything was proper and in order.

Investigation disclosed that as far as the county records went these taxes had never been paid and record of payment could not be found. The court house records showed that tax receipt No. 11872, on which Mr. Boraiko's taxes (according to the certificate he held) had been paid, had been issued on June 11, 1940 to another party. It covered an entirely different piece of property.

The "special tax attorney" was sorry, of course, but there was nothing he could do about it. Somebody had evidently gypped Mr. Boraiko and all he could do was either pay his taxes over again or hire a lawyer to fight the case.

Several similar cases have been brought to light since then and no one knows how far back or how deep it goes. But one thing is certain: it is high time the people, you and I and our friends and neighbors, got busy and started a little checking on our own account.

It must be a delightful and pleasant experience for three young Americans who are fighting overseas to receive word from home that their poor old dad has been abused, embarrassed, gypped and pushed around by the noble Democratic government they are risking their lives to defend.

But it's not their fault or it's not John Boraiko's fault. It's Your fault and My fault. We are supposed to be on guard at the home front. Even if we get a little behind in collecting waste paper or with our first aid work, the matter of keeping government clean is a lot more important.

The State Auditing Department, the Comptroller, the Attorney General, the Governor and the Grand Jury might all spend a fruitful afternoon checkin' and double checkin' around the Hillsborough County Court House. But why should they care if nobody else does?

ATTEND SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

Mrs. Agnes Cox and Mrs. Ten Eyck will be in Lakeland Monday to attend the Rebekah School of Instruction, to be conducted there by Mrs. Irene Miller of St. Petersburg, president of the Rebekah Assembly of Florida. Mrs. Miller will make her official visit to the Lakeland Lodge Monday evening, and Mrs Cox and Mrs. Ten Eyck will be in attendance.

"Pounce on Every Ounce For Uncle Sam"

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

Mrs. George E. Sebring, jr., Division Chairman of Salvage says: "The campaign for rubber is now in full swing. let's 'pounce on every ounce' for the Government needs it surely."

To aid in the conservation of scrap rubber the War Production Board, C. C. Codrington, Executive Secretary for Florida, has issued the following order to all Chairmen, General Salvage Committees; advised Mrs. Sebring:

"Amendment No. 6, March 28, 1942, to War Production Order, No. M-15-B reads in part as follows:

"No person shall, unless expressly permitted by the Director of Industry Operations, destroy, by burning or any other means, all or any part of any rubber tires, casings, tubes, waterproof foot wear, heels, soles, hose, belting or storage battery boxes, whether these products are worn out or not which are composed in whole or in part of any kind of rubber."

Says Mrs. Sebring: "In other words no old scrap rubber of any kind may now be destroyed without special permission, for the Government needs all of it.

"Right here in Highlands County, as in every other part of the Nation, the great drive for old rubber salvage started Monday, June 15, and will continue through Tuesday, June 30. All gas service and bulk stations will take all the old rubber and pay one cent a pound for it.

"Now is the time for school children to spend vacation hours to advantage, they can hunt up discarded rubber of all kinds and sell it to the service stations and then buy Defense Stamps. Now is also a good time for every housewife to give her home another thorough cleaning for much old rubber will thus be found in basements, attics, closets and garages.

"Save every scrap, no matter how old and worn. The War Production Board says: "No bit of rubber is too small, too old or too worn to contribute to this great drive. One shower cap contains sufficient rubber for 10 panoramic telescopes for the armed forces."

Continues Mrs. Sebring: "And here is a partial list of old rubber articles you may find discarded about your home:

Nursery: teething rings, pacifiers, nipples and toys, baby pants, crib pads, baby buggy grip and tires.

Medicine Cabinet: ice caps, hot water bottles, syringes, bulbs from medicine droppers, thermometer cases, bottle stoppers and tops, finger stalls, bandages.

Bath Room: shower curtains, caps, sprays and pipe, soap dishes, sponges, massage heads and grips, razor boxes, sink and tub stoppers, tub and floor mats, brushes, powder jars.

Kitchen: dish scrapers and drainers, sink stoppers, jar rings, gloves and aprons, ice cube trays, refrigerator belts and parts, faucet sprays, washing machine rollers, trays.

Garage, Closet, Attic: bicycle grips, tires, and pedals, toy wagon tires, auto and radio parts, tires and tubes and casings, sewing machine belts, wire insulation, door stops and knobs, door fender and car mats, raincoats and hats, overshoes, suspenders, belts, girdles, hose and tubing, implement handles or grips, tennis balls, water wings, air cushions, bands, stamps, fountain pens and pencils, heels, soles, battery boxes, windshield wipers, and innumerable other articles which collect in every household.

"All profits from the handling of salvage rubber will go direct to some established charity such as the Red Cross and the Army and Navy Relief.

"Let's 'pounce on every ounce' in Highlands County and send in the greatest rubber poundage in the Nation."

Rev. Hoyt Tatum New Pastor of Methodist Church

The Rev. Hoyt Tatum, accompanied by Mrs. Tatum, arrived Friday from Palmetto, to assume the pastorate of the First Methodist church. He was appointed to this church at the annual Methodist conference held last week at Florida Southern college, Lakeland and was transfrred here from Palmetto, where he has been located for the past year. Their seven year old son, Bill, is visiting his grandparents in Bradenton, and will join his parents here later.

The Rev. G. S. Roberts, who has been pastor of the church in Avon Park for the past year, was transferred to Palmetto. He and Mrs. Roberts left on Thursday morning for their new home.

Church Notes

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. with classes to suit all ages. Lesson topic: "Carrying on Christ's Work." More helpers are needed to do it. Will you help us?

Morning worship service at 11 o'clock, when Father's Day will be observed. Sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on: "A Worthy Father." Recitations by the children of the Sunday School. Come and enjoy this interesting, helpful service.

The "Quiet Hour" service for praise, prayer and meditation will be held on Wednesday at 8:00 P. M. Brief address by the Pastor. We want to welcome you.

CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY COCIETY MEETS

The "Covenant Circle" Woman's Missionary Society of the Congregational Church met on Wednesday at 3:00 P. M. at the Church The president, Mrs. A. C. Elliott, presiding, At the business session, Mrs. Elliott reported that the Friendly Service quota had been filled and sent to Fessenden Academy, Georgia; Piedmont College, Demorest, Georgia; Uplands Sanatorium, Pleasant Hill, Tennessee; Ryder Memorial Hospital, Puerto Rico. The devotional period was conducted by Mrs. Blanch G. Williams, who spoke on "Love and Friendship". Mrs. E. L. Thomason introduced the topic: "The Way of Brotherhood in Our Church," to which Mrs. Max Wild contributed a brief reading. Dr. Elliott also gave a talk on "Democracy in Our Church. The meeting was adjourned until September. Ten members present.

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IN THE COUNTY JUDGE'S COURT, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
In Re: Estate Of
MALCOLM L. MacPHAIL,
Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO ALL CREDITORS, LEGATEES, DISTRIBUTEES AND ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST SAID ESTATE:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified and requested to present any claims and demands which you, or any of you, may have against the estate of Malcolm L. MacPhail, deceased, late of Cayuga County, New York, to the County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, at his office in the Court House at Sebring, Florida, within twelve months from date of first publication hereof which is June 19, A. D. 1942.

EDNA C. MacPHAIL
As Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Malcolm L. MacPhail, Deceased.
June 19, 26, July 3, 10.

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RED CROSS INFORMATION

The American Red Cross through it's international channels keeps in flow a steady stream of messages to and from the beleagured occupants of war torn lands and their relatives in the United States.

Such messages are routed through International Red Cross headquarters at Geneva Switzerland by your local Red Cross. Exchange must be steady since the Red Cross will send no second message to a receiver until the first has been acknowledged.

Limited to 25 words closely restricted in content and subject to censor, they can reveal little else. Translations are effected by an official interpreter. Restrictions forbid us of abbreviation, nicknames, special phrasing or code, mention of politics, military affairs, defense, shipping, weather conditions geographic names and business matters. Persons must not indentify themselves as government employees. Births, deaths and marriages occasionally merit a brief comment.

Communication with occupied possessions in the Far East practically is non-existent as there has been little time to set up working channels. The Red Cross handles mail addressed only to persons whose names have appeared on official lists as prisoners of War and few such lists have appeared so far. Japan, according to national officials, has agreed to accord proper respect to Red Cross activities.

American Red Cross Chapters are responsible for providing emergency food, clothing, and shelter to meet civilian needs in the event of enemy action, and are the responsible agency for relief in disasters of nature according to an agreement signed by Norman Davis, chairman of Red Cross and Federal Security Administrator Paul V. McNutt of Defense Health and Welfare.

Hey Kids, Want to Make Some Money

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

The cow jumped over the moon but she didn't find as much scrap rubber as you will if you hunt for it right now. You can spend this next week of vacation making money for sodas or Defense Stamps and this is how you do it: Hunt up all the old, wornout rubber pieces, like pencil erasers, bands, broken fountain pens, toys, old tires and tubes and bicycle grips and pedals, just any kind of old discarded rubber—Uncle Sam needs every bit. Then after you have a big pile of it take it to the American Legion and you will be paid one cent a pound for it. It doesn't take a great big lot to make a pound, so get busy.

Uncle Sam yants all the old scrap rubber to help win the war. You can help win the war and also make money by collecting scrap rubber. It must all be turned in by June 30, for the big drive closes then.

Get busy, kiddies! Go to work make this next week a grand financial success for you and a victory for Uncle Sam.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY. IN CHANCERY
NO.______

ROBERT W. WILLIAMS,
Plaintiff,
vs.
OATIS WILCOX WILLIAMS
Defendant.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND NOTICE TO APPEAR.

To the defendant, OATIS WILCOX WILLIAMS, whose residence is 88 Arlington Place, Macon, Bibb County, Georgia.

You are hereby required to file an appearance in this proceeding, which is a suit for divorce from you on the ground of extreme cruelty, on or before Monday, the 6th day of July, 1942, or else a decree pro confesso will be taken against you.

This notice to appear shall be published in the Scenic Highlands Sun once during each week for four consecutive weeks.

WITNESS my hand and official seal of said Court, this the 5th day of June, 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. Piety, as Clerk of the Circuit Court, Highlands County, State of Florida.
By J. C. DESHONG
As Deputy Clerk
JOE D. KINSEY, and HOWARD G. LIVINGSTON.
As attorneys for plaintiff.
June 5, 12, 19, 26.

ORGANIZATION OF MILITARY MAIDS CORPS

The Defense Recreational Council, through Mrs. J. A. Johnson, hostess and date service chairman is calling a meeting for Monday June 22nd at the Woman's Club, 7:30 P. M., to organize a Military Maids Corps to assist in recreation activities for the soldiers. Hostesses, both junior and senior, as well as chaperones and girls are requested to attend this meeting and become members of this group. It is very important that every woman who comes within this classification attend this meeting.

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Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Mrs. Wells Hostess To Bridge Club on Thursday

Mrs. J. L. Wells was a gracious hostess to the Thursday evening bridge club, at a lovely party at her home this week. The rooms were decked with attractive arrangements of roses and gladioli.

A patriotic note predominated in the bridge appointments, including the tallies, scorepads, and prize wrappings of red, white and blue. During the evening, the four tables of players were served refreshing fruit punch from the lace covered dining table. Cherries and mint were frozen into the ice cubes to add additional color, and tall tapers flanked the crystal bowl, on either side. Salted nuts and bubble mints were placed on the card tables.

High score prize for the evening was awarded to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts; second high, was won by Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, and Mrs. Milford Dilley received the floating prize. After the games the hostess served a dainty refreshment course, composed of pecan pie ala mode and iced tea.

Those enjoying the party included Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hood, Mrs. Freed Peden, Mrs. Nan Rouse, Frank Wilson, and W. E. Morgan.

Miss Furlow Anderson left Thursday for Tampa, where she will visit her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew L. Anderson, after which she will go to College Park, Ga., to visit her sister, Mrs. A. T. Graham. She will spend the remainder of the summer in Turnerville, Ga.

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Luncheon Meeting of Methodist Circle on Tuesday

Mrs. W. S. Rawlings and Miss Furlow Anderson were co-hostesses, at a luncheon meeting on Tuesday, at the home of the former, members of the Raab circle of the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church, being their guests. The dainty luncheon was served at one o'clock from the attractively appointed dining table.

Mrs. A. McKee Elwell led the opening devotional at the afternoon meeting, which was presided over by the leader, Mrs. John D. Raab. Mrs. Arthur Johnson conducted the lesson from the study book.

Those present were Mrs. John D. Raab, Mrs. L. M. Orr, Mrs. E. E. Murray, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. T. H. Maxwell, Mrs. I. W. Chandler, Mrs. Katherine Bristol.

Jerry Witt Has Delightful Party

Jerry Witt entertained a number of friends at an enjoyable party at her home on Monday evening. Dancing formed the delightful diversion for the evening, music being furnished by the four Partin children, on their string instruments.

Later in the evening, delicious refreshments of fruit punch and cheese crackers were served.

Those present, as guests of Jerry on this occasion were Barbara Lawhon, Johnnie O'Conner, Fred Montadocca, Margaret Harper, Virginia Spencer, Leon Shoumacker, Carmen Crum, Jack Lamb, Jeanette and Harold Barker, Milford Crews, Evelyn Scott, Jack Witt, Jr., Fay Ide, Talmage and Charles Partin, and Mrs. E. O. Donaldson.

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Jane Clements and Lt. Hudson Married Sunday

Miss Jane Parker Clements, daughter of Mrs. Charles Clements, and Lieut. Robert Blake Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blake Hudson of 300 Glen Grattan rd., Montgomery, Ala., were married at one o'clock on Sunday, in an impressive ceremony at the home of the bride. The Rev. Jack P. Dalton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated, in the presence of relatives and a few close friends.

Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr., pianist and Miss Marjorie Wells, vocalist, gave a program of nuptial music preceding the ceremony. Mrs. Coen played "To a Wild Rose" (McDowell), and Miss Wells' selections were "Because" (deHardelot) and "I Love you Truly" (Carrie Jacobs Bond). The traditional wedding march was played for the entrance of the bridal party.

The ceremony was performed before an improvised altar at one end of the reception room. Fern and palms, flanked by tall floor baskets of white gladioli, shasta daisies, and calla lilies, formed an ideal background for the soft reflection of wedding tapers, burning in seven-branched candelabra on either side. Arrangements of green and white caladium, on the mantel, was encircled with fern sprays.

The bride, was radiant in her wedding gown of white mousseline de soie, fashioned on princess lines. Puffed sleeves and a sweetheart neckline featured the bodice, and a wide band of self material with long points on either side of the front fitted midriff, was joined to the full swing skirt, designed over a taffeta foundation. Her fingertip veil of illusion was caught to the hair with a wreath of orange blossoms. Her flowers were a cascade bouquet of carnations, centered with an orchid.

The bride's sister, Miss Mary Clements, was her only attendant. She wore a dress of aqua chiffon, the bouffant skirt being joined to the full blouse by a wide band of blue chantilly lace. Similiar bands of the lace formed an interesting design over each shoulder. She carried a nosegay of pink rosebuds, carnations, and feverfew, backed with a ruffle of pink tulle and white paper lace, and tied with silver and pink streamers.

The mother of the bride wore a dress of luggage and white bemberg sheer, and a corsage of pink roses and feverfew. The groom's mother chose a navy blue and white chiffon, with which she wore a corsage of white carnations and gardenias.

The groom was attended by his father, Thomas Blake Hudson, as best man.

Reception After Ceremony

Following the ceremony, an informal reception was held for the wedding party and guests. The tiered decorated wedding cake, surmounted with a miniature bride and groom, centered the lace covered bride's table. The punch bowl was at one end of the table, and compotes held cashew nuts and mints. Mrs. J. L. Wells and Miss Nancy Driskell assisted in the dining room.

The couple left during the afternoon for a short wedding trip, returning to Camp Blanding, where Lieut. Hudson is stationed. They will reside at nearby Keystone Heights. The bride traveled in a summer frock of jersey. The hip length jacket was of kelly green, worn with a bright flowered skirt in contrasting colors. Her accessories were in white, and she wore the corsage from her wedding bouquet.

Mrs. Hudson received her early education in the schools of Avon Park, and graduated here. She attended Stetson University at DeLand, and Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn, Ala., where she was pledged to Chi Omega sorority.

Lieut. Hudson is a graduate of Ramsey high school in Birmingham, Ala., and attended Howard college, also in Birmingham. He graduated from Alabama Polytechnic Institute in Auburn, where he was a member of Delta Sigma Phi, social fraternity, and Tau Beta Pi and Phi Lambda Upsilon, honorary fraternities. He was recently commissioned a second lieutenant in chemical warfare.

Among the out-of-town relatives and friends attending the wedding were Major William R. Gignilliat and Capt. Archibald M. Gaulocher of Sebring; Mrs. Johnson Driskell, Miss Nancy Driskell, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Whidden and son, Marty of Brewster.

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Shoe Clerk: "That's right."

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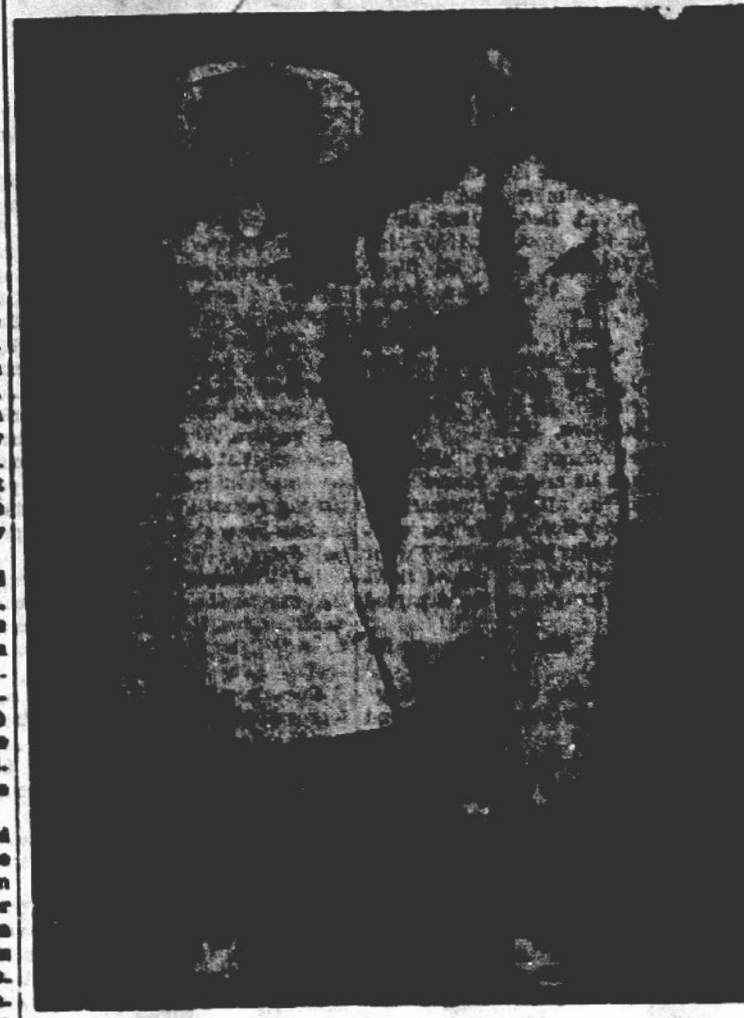

MR. AND MRS. MARTIN
—Cut Courtesy Lakeland Ledger

The following clipping from the Lakeland Ledger, concerning the marriage of William J. Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin, Avon Park, to Miss Dorothy Knott of Lakeland, will be of cordial interest to friends of the family:

Miss Ina Dorothy Knott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Knott of 319 south Tennessee avenue, was married to William Joseph Martin of Tampa, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin of Avon Park, at All Saints' Episcopal church Sunday afternoon June 7, at 5 o'clock. The rector, the Rev. William F. Moses, performed the ceremony.

As the guests were assembling, Mrs. Ed R. Bentley, organist, played several selections. The tradional wedding marches were used.

The bride entered with her father, by whom she was given in marriage. Her dress of white crepe was made with a long bodice and flared skirt, and her accessories were in white. Her only ornament was a pearl necklace, and her corsage was an orchid and sweetheart roses.

Miss Jean McLellan, her only attendant, was gowned in powder blue. Her large hat was pink and her accessories were white, and her flowers were pink rosebuds and babybreath.

B. F. Martin attended his son as best man, and ushers were Willard Burtnett, Tommy Edwards, Charles Rocker, Jr., and Alfred Knott.

Mrs. Knott, mother of the bride, wore a tailored white dress, and Mrs. Martin, the bridegroom's mother, wore blue crepe. Their corsages were of pink rosebuds and babybreath.

Mrs. Martin was born in Sewanee, Tenn. and came to Lakeland in early childhood. She was graduated from Lakeland high school and attended Webb's business school. She has been secretary to Manuel Glover, attorney.

Mr. Martin was graduated from Avon Park high school and the University of Tampa. He is now employed in the Burroughs Adding Machine company offices in Tampa.

After a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Martin will make their home in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin, C. B. Martin and Mrs. Devon Reddieck and son, Dickie of Avon Park were among the out-of-town guests attending the wedding.

Trump It Club Has Dessert Bridge Wednesday

Mrs. J. B. Francis entertained the Trump It club at a delightful party at her home on Wednesday afternoon. The rooms were attractively arranged with summer garden flowers, strawflowers, marigolds, roses and zinnias predominating.

Before the games, the hostess served a dainty dessert course of fresh peach parfait, brownies, and iced tea.

When scores were totaled, following the interesting progressions, high award, a pair of hand-painted vases, was given to Mrs. Devon Reddick. Second high, a box of stationery, was won by Mrs. S. G. Patterson, and Mrs. J. C. DeShong received the floating prize, a novelty apron, made of handkerchiefs.

Those enjoying the party were Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr., Mrs. J. C. DeShong, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. George Haynie, Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, Mrs. S. G. Patterson, and Mrs. Devon Reddick.

Baptist Sunday School Has Annual Picnic Thursday

The annual picnic of the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church, was held on Thursday afternoon at four o'clock on the shores of Lake Lotela. Games, swimming and boating furnished delightful entertainment for the afternoon, after which a tempting picnic supper was spread on the long tables underneath the spreading trees. About 125 Sunday School members, including several visitors enjoyed the affair.

Mrs. Charles Kempton and three children, Mikel, Wayne and Bryan, who have been visiting relatives here, have gone to Miami to join Mr. Kempton, who is with the radio naval reserve, and has been transferred there from Key West.

Methodist Circle Met on Tuesday

Mrs. Walter S. Martin and Mrs. T. H. Hughs entertained the Jackson Circle of the W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church, at the home of Mrs. Hughs on Tuesday afternoon. Following the devotional and a short business meeting, the hostesses served delectable refreshments composed of congealed salad, ritz crackers, brownies and iced tea.

Those attending were Mrs. A. C. Water, Mrs. G. S. Robrts, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, Mrs. J. O. Bridges, Mrs. Chas Harris, Mrs. R. C. Jarrett, Mrs. C. H. Pardee, and Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood.

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Creola Fortner and Rufus Ellerby Married May 30

The following clipping announcing the marriage of Miss Creola Fortner, former Avon Park resident, which appeared in the Bartow Record of June 12, will be of cordial interest to friends here:

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fortner are announcing the marriage of their daughter, the former Miss Creola Fortner, to Rufus Ellerby of Winter Haven.

The wedding ceremony was performed Saturday May 30.

The bride is a native of Bartow and the announcement of her marriage is of much interest to her many friends here.

The couple will make their home at Winter Haven where Mrs. Ellerby operates a beauty shop and Mr. Ellerby is connected with the Tampa Electric company.

Mrs. Bristol Has Lovely Party on Thursday Afternoon

Mrs. Katherine Bristol was a cordial hotess to members of her bridge club at a lovely party last Thursday. The affair was held at the Customers room of the F. P. S. co.

A tempting dessert course, consisting of ice cream sundaes and cake, was served before the interesting progressions of the afternoon.

Those enjoying the hospitality extended by Mrs. Bristol at this time were Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. Wm. Hauptmann, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. H. A. Vickery, Mrs. S. Y. Hartt, Mrs. G. S. McKnight, Mrs. L. E. Bass, and Mrs. J. W. Lanier.

The club, which has been organized for many years, meeting regularly each two weeks on Thursday, voted to disband for the duration.

Mrs. Chas. Sherman and son, Edward, left last Sunday for Castile, N. Y., where Mrs. Sherman will visit relatives for the summer. Charles will go on to John Hopkins hospital in Baltimore, Md., where he will continue his medical studies.

Nothing annoys a girl more than to be hungry for love and then go out with a motorist who wants to eat up the road.

June Bride



MRS. L. C. DAVIS

Mrs. Rouse Honoree at Bridge Luncheon on Thursday

Mrs. Nan Rouse who will leave soon for Green Bay, Wis., to reside, was the attractive honoree at a lovely bridge luncheon, given at one o'clock on Thursday by Mrs. C. Parke Anderson at her home, Lotela rd. The luncheon table was beautifully appointed, and was centered with a flat arrangement of red hibiscus. Bridge was enjoyed during the afternoon, and the hostess presented the honoree with a gift.

Friends sharing the occasion with Mrs. Rouse and Mrs. Anderson were Mrs. Demos Mandia, Mrs. Sue Gregory, Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. Walter S. Betts, and Mrs. J. Paul Garber.

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Ease Up On Physical For Naval Reserve

Jacksonville, June 18. Physical requirements for enlistment in the U. S. Naval Reserve have been modified by the Navy Department, Lieut. T. J. Needham, Jr., Officer-in-Charge for Florida Navy Recruiting, announced this week.

The modifications affect requirements for teeth and vision, and are expected to bring about the enlistment of large numbers of applicants who could not qualify for service under former requirements, Lieut. Needham explained.

Volunteers for enlistment in the U. S. N. R., under the new plan, must have sufficient teeth or suitable replacements to supply satisfactory biting and masticatory function. Natural teeth must be serviceable and the gums and supporting structures must be free of disease.

A binocular rating of 15/20 vision with not less than 6/20 in the worst eye will be accepted, provided no organic defect is present.

Heretofore, applicants for the Naval Reserve have been required to have 18 sound vital teeth with two opposing molars without malocclusion and with not more than four incisors missing. They have also been required to have not less than 15/20 vision in either eye.

With the exception of classes V-1, V-5 and V-7, the modifications apply to all classes of enlisted male ratings in the Naval Reserve, as well as the two classes of ratings in the Merchant Marine Reserve.

Lieut. Needham said there has been no change in the physical requirements for appointment to commission rank in the Naval Reserve.

Also of interest to a large number of Floridians this week is the announcement that a Navy Construction engineer would be in Jacksonville Friday and Saturday, June 19 and 20, and Tuesday, June 23, to interview applicants for the Seabees. The "Seabees" are the construction battalions of the Navy, used to build advance and mobile bases. A large number of ratings are reported open.

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IN MEMORIAM

Eleanor Seaverns Rebekah Lodge held memorial services last Sunday afternoon in loving memory of our Sisters and Brothers who have entered into the higher life.

The roll call: George Street, 1924; Mrs. Maude Sargene, Jan, 16, 1926; Roy Palmer, Dec. 5, 1928; T. R. Johnson, Dec. 7, 1929; Dr. J. Tho. Murrish, Nov. 16, 1930; Mrs. Lillian Mascot, Feb. 11, 1930; Lewis Spink, 1932; Mrs. Anna Carpenter, Nov. 1933; Mrs. Sarah Murrish, 1937; A. W. Sargent, June 16, 1937; Mrs. Olive Armstrong, Jan. 18, 1940; Mrs. Harriett P. Smith, June 24, 1940; Mrs. Esther Masters, 1925.

As their names were called a candle was lit and a flower was placed on the altar emblematic of the Ressurrection. After the service at the hall, the members went to the cemetery and placed flowers on the graves of the departed ones,

"We walked life's pathway together
With those, who for many a day
Have been our close friends and leaders.
Along the upward way.
Then comes the clear call to service
In a higher and better sphere
And we miss these faithful comrads
Whose friendship we hold so dear;
And yet, we feel their sweet presence,
As we travel along the road.
Which some day will bring us to them
In the paradise of God."

Those taking part in the Memorial service at the hall were Mrs. Helen Mann, Miss Mildred Wray, Mrs. Mary Reed, Mrs. Nancy Boraff, Mrs. Lillian Hougaboom, Mrs. Agnes Cox.—Contributed.

Norris McLeod Goes to Navy Trade School

Norris Ralph McLeod, son of Mrs. N. R. McLeod of this city, has been selected to attend a Navy Trade School, Lieut. T. J. Needham, officer-in-charge for Florida Navy Recruiting at Jacksonville, announced today.

McLeod was chosen for a trade school. Needham said, after he had completed his recruit training at the Norfolk, Va., Naval Training Station.

The Navy Trade Schools, the officer added, offer short, but comprehensive courses with a graduate being given practical experience aboard a vessel of the fleet where the Navy develops its skilled personnel.

Your county has a War Bond Quota to meet this month. Is your own household budget apportioned so that you will put 10% into War Bonds?

Must Collect Back Taxes, Officials Told

Tallahassee, June 18, (FNS) Bluntly warning county and school officials that any attempt to increase county millages would not be approved until a determined effort had been made to collect $10,000,000 of delinquent taxes that have been allowed to accumulate since the Murphy Act, Governor Holland and Comptroller Lee jointly concurred with the Florida Taxpayers Association in its contention that no tax increase should be imposed on these who pay promptly until a fair share of taxes has been collected from all properties.

"If the need isn't great enough to enforce the collection of delinquent taxes, it is not great enough to raise the millags," said Comptroller Lee.

Governor Holland told tax collectors, assessors, county attorneys, circuit court clerks and school officials gathered for his tax conference that he would make thorough investigations of any charges that taxes were being assessed "from a political standpoint".

The Governor pointed out that Florida is entering a critical war time period in its best financial shape for many years and that diligent collections are necessary to keep it that way.

"Let's not talk about new sources of revenue," said the Governor, "until we get to that bridge, because the legislature will meet next year and we can get relief then if there are actually any pressing financial problems."

Robert L. Newman of Tampa, secretary of the Florida Taxpayers Association, spoke to assembled county officials at the invitation of Comptroller Lee. He said, it was the desire of the Association to lend every possible assistance that would aid public officials in the better performance of their duties and to provide authentic, unbiased surveys and tax data that would be helpful in solving state, county and municipal tax problems.

The conference, attended by 300 officials, was productive of a better understanding of the state's financial problem and should help tremendously in bringing about equalization of assessments and firmer collections.

ATTEND FBI MEETING

Mayor M. E. Covington, Chief of Police Robert Massey and Patrolman George Haynie attended the FBI meeting in Tampa Thursday. Sabotage, espionage and general law enforcement were stressed by government men.

The Cutie: "I dreamed about you last night."
The Gent: "You did!"
The Cutie: "I did not! I slapped your face."

The Girl: "I feel like going to the devil. How do you feel?
The Boy: "Like the devil, darling."

COON QUIBBLINGS

(BY PORKY MASCOT)

Whew, do ah feel rugged and old—yeah man. And it's all on account of Sgt. Wallace St. Pierre and a brunette. Last Saturday eve. St. Pierre and his eyeful were sipping soda water in Touchton's. The whole place was one big milling throng of human faces. Noise was rampant and yet, way back in the very last booth sat St. Pierre and his (golly, words can't paint a good picture of her). They heard no one save themselves and from what Porky saw, they had much to talk about. Wouldn't be surprised if some of the B & G wolves soon started howling around her door step. St. Pierre's got a good head start though.

Cpl. "Spike" Rihner came yodling down the hall for Sarah. All the boys wondered why he wasn't calling Ophelia instead. He knocked at the door of the northern ensposured Non-Coms room and bargged right in. There was found Sarah Paden, as Spike calls one of our illustrious top kicks, and then the little Rihner immediately started tussling with aforementioned Sarah. Usually it's not considered news when a man is bitten by a dog—in fact, it's not even news anymore when a man bites a dog. But, when a man bites a man—you've got something and Spike got something when he bit you know who.

Last Friday, 1st. Sgt. R. W. Paden refused a pass to one of our members saying, "Go to Sgt. Ball and get his okay and I'll give you a pass." The little Corporal saw Ball and told him Paden said it was okay to issue a ducket to town, whereupon Ball scribbled some illegible ink lines and Spike proceeded on his merry way. Sst. Paden learned of this breach of military etiquette. Twasn't long before two M. P's. personally escorted Mrs. Rihner's moppet back to barracks. Yesiree, doesn't pay to bite one's First Sergeant, does it Spike?

It Actually Happened Here! You've read about it in Joe Miller's old-as-the-hills joke book, you've seen cartoons concerning it; and you've no doubt made jokes about it yourself, but the other morning Sgt. Howard K. Norton actually witnessed it. What is it, you ask? Well, I'll tell you—Norton, seated in his office heard a knock upon his door and bid the unseen person entrance. In came Pvt. Joe Marcinko carrying a rifle. Norton said questioningly, "Yes" "I want" saidMarcinko advancing and holding the piece with out-stretched arms, to turn this rifle in for one that doesen't weigh so much!" Poor Norton who thought he'd seen everything, heard everything and done everything, quietly explained to the newly arrived Private that Uncle Sammy doesn't want his boys to have too light a rifle—wants to keep them strong and healthy—and they most certainly couldn't do it tot'n lighter-than-air firing pieces around. Seeing dawn breaking over him (as well as numerous missels). Joe Marcinko, still carrying the rifle he'd come in with, faded into limbo.

Pfc. Chester Kanach just wandered by boasting loudly he'd been to Pennsylvania on furlough. Tries to sell the Radio Dept. down the river with a poor pun—"It (Radio) talks for itself."

Cpl. Leamon Kelly returned from furlough to Georgia in fairly good condition. He'd been on the train and wasn't used to the usual swaying and bitters. Making his way to the dining car, about to pass a table at which a man was seated eating his dinner, the train lurched and Kelly sprawled his lanky frame over the cover charge. He was too embarrased to talk much—just said, "Oops," and nonchalantly went on to his own table.

Others returning from home treks were: Pfc. Chuck Snyder who went to Pa; Pfc. Buddy Schulman returned from New York with a membership card for our Hitchin' Post. He and the little woman are holding down a fort here in Avon Park—no battles as yet! Pfc. Dave Lawrence and Pfc. Fred Iezzoni finished their Empire State (New York to you Southern Gentry) junket and came back refreshed and ready for work again.

Touchton's Hattie isn't the least bit proud of the Armory's Pinkie. Seems that T-Sgt. F. W. Hailey can't raise a moustache. He has red hair and his moustache always comes up blond. Priorities on henna rinse will have to be lifted before F. W. can sprout bristle or he'll have to get out and dig up some of Chief Eagle-Beak's old Indian Root Tonic. One day last week he was singing "Skylark," a reasonable facimilie of the song by the same name when the talk box's bell rang up a storm. "Sky-lark," said he answering the phone! Hastily the salutation was changed.

Cpl. Bart Marphis, making plans to go to Frostproof, looked into the gas tank of his car hoping to see a tank full of petrol. All he got was a whiff of fumes and dust. Then the cogs in his ticker meshed and whipped up a brilliant idea. Procuring moth balls and kerosene, Marphis concocted a drink fit for the best of hoseless carriages. Went to Frostproof and back again—just required extra effort on the battery's part to kick the kerosene into the carturetor. The moth balls just rolled through the gas line like bowling balls returning on a track to their racks.

Sgt. Fred League, non-active member of our Hitchin' Post renewed his membership last week. Talked long distance to the ball and chain up in Georgia and asked her what groceries he should buy so's she could start seeing four walls and a kitchen stove all day long.

Pfc. Robert Jamerson asked, (Sgt. Lawton Irvine doesn't use to use his name so we'll just substitute another in his place)—back to the story now—Jamerson asked someone to stop in on his way down town and see ye oldie ladies. This the person did—said just what Jamerson had mentioned. Patsy hit the blue and split it wide open with, "Did he say That about me?" "Yes," answered our unidentified carrier of bad tydings. It is understood that Jamerson repented—but not at his leisure.

Have you noticed how domesticated Pvt. Robert E. Yarbrough is of late? He's been taking up the art of ironing over in the recreation center yard.

Pvt. Ted Pavlovic insists the War Dept. can't put him on K. P. You remember he said the same thing several weeks back and ended up in the kitchen. What will be the War Department's answer to this new challenge? Watch for future developments.

Cook, Cpl. Grady Cason, returned to the Armory this week. He's b...n on the range since the first of the month cooking for the Signal Corps boys who've been installing telephone lines.

Pfc. S. T. "Pudgy" Drew returned from his furlough to Pittsburgh. Said he'd had a good time tearing around the country in his lil' V-8. The lad was lucky—Pittsburgh and western Pa. aren't on the gas rationing system.

Here we go again—Pfc. James Blanchard figures in ye olde item column this week. Seems he was seated at a table in the Mess-Hall choppin' out a storm and became so interested in what he was saying he forgot which end of his cigarette was lit. He knows now.

Blue Anchoring it last week were: 1st. Sgt. R. W. Paden, Cpl. Alton T. Wells and Pfc. Olwin Daniel. Their duty was of a highly important nature and the censors clipped this item worse than a piece of dry goods.

Sst. Louis Thornton dropped in on Stewart's Men's Shop and purchased a set of chevrons for his arm. The store sewed said chevrons to a shirt and returned them to Thornton. Thornton had an awful time trying to get the shirt on his back so's the stripes would come out right. In utter despair he took the blasted thing off and sat down to wrastle with his brain for a reason why the stripes wouldn't come out right. Guess he—the shop had mistaken him for a Limy or else they wanted to carry V for Victory to a high plain.

MUSIC IN THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY

(Continued from page one)

For the building of community morale there is nothing equal to the music of the High School Band.

I seems to me that if music can perform the task of giving every student in our public school: an outlet for his pent up emotions (2) the most effective way of developing an equal balance of the intellect and emotions (as it has been demonstrated), (3) can be an important a factor in the building of morale in this time of war, and (4) is such a wonderful mind trainer, teaching coordination of the mind and muscles, which is also important to every individual and more important to the members of our armed forces, then I think music is one of the most important subjects in the curriculum and should be required in every school in the country, large or small.

Music has proven itself, by its part in cultivating good citizens, by educating our children, by acting as an emotional stabilizer to be combined with the training of the intellenct.

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Eat More Citrus For Your Health's Sake

Sugar . . and Spice

Soldiers . . . Thornton and Furser being the ring leaders . . . were responsible for the Father's Day gift that topped them all. . . . H. G. MacArthur was presented with . . . an elaborately wrapped package . . . When Mac opened it . . . he found that it contained . . . a hot water bottle . . . with a long tail.

A flash of white teeth . . . a wistful smile . . . a glance from a pair of dreamy eyes . . . then Lo and Behold, girls . . . your heart is captured by one . . . Sgt. Clarence Colin.

Never have seen so many . . . utterly gorgeous, perfectly lovely girls . . . gathered at one place before . . . until the organization meeting of the Military Maids . . . Just to prove my point . . . will list the names of those present . . . Barbara Betts, Jane Hartt, Nancy Betts, Betty Touchton, Ruby Pate, Nita Bryant, Marjorie Wells, Mary Clements, Carolyn Holland, Ruby McConnell, Rebecca Holton, Polly Beckett, Kathleen Waters, Audrey Hershberger. Their duties are . . . to appear daily and nightly . . . in shifts . . . at the Recreation Center . . . and under the direction of a senior hostess and their captain . . . help entertain the service men . . . And they are really doing a grand job . . . After observing the activities at the Center since they took over . . . Major Smith smilingly remarked . . . "The only complaint I have . . . is that there is too much attraction over here . . . The boys won't want to work at all."

Can anyone guess . . . why Butch Carter is so . . . BLESSED. ly happy these EVENT.ful days.

Sally Ware's sister . . . Mrs. Dick Brown . . . visiting from Atlanta . . . is well poised . . . and unusually pretty . . . which must prove . . . that it evidently runs in the family.

The upstyle hair-do is worn to perfection by . . . Carolyn Holland . . . owner of a charming ability . . . a pair of thriller-diller brown eyes . . . and the color of hair that women yearn over . . . All in all . . . she's one cute gal.—. . . A. B. W.

Wit - Less Humor
(By GUM)

Have you heard about glider pilot training? You haven't! For heavens sake why don't you owe for a newspaper—everybody else does! This way you can find out what month it is—maybe! Some times "The Sun" comes out—generally it gets thrown out! But to get on with glider-pilot training and the duties at LAMA.

Yep! We have her right here—you know—the blond bomb! The one with the detachable pink-black hair. Comes in six assorted colors for sale at Beckett's Camera Shoppe or the Jacaranda Drug. Don't go to see Beckett for he specializes in "stills"—any position or tint!

Well, as I was saying—or did I—glider-pilot training hit LAMA with a bang! The un-intelligence section board reports, er-something about the cadets already taking the advanced course. The "Wise-guy" rushed out in his wheel chair just in time to see several cadets do several loops, spins and rolls—right into the lake. (Not much softer than on hard dirt). Well while he was puzzling over this strange behavior of otherwise perfectly sane cadets, a strong irresistible force swept over him like Niagara Falls. When he finally removed the sand and spurs from his eyes and face, there stood our blond bomb—all a-twitter—with a small card index file in her arms (about three feet square) checking off the various water rats by name, as they came out.

'Twas indeed a beautiful sight that few mortals are privileged to see! Breathing the rare ozone that only LAMA exhales, our quivering Venus struck a pose that displayed all lines and curves to best advantage. Each cadet as he emerged from the water made obeisance to the queen of hearts, mutely begging for a smile from her frozen pals. One cadet was a little slow in bowing to the queen (snapping turtle was hanging to his left ear) thus bringing down the wrath of Thor upon his head. With a shreak that would awaken the sleeping customers in Bougainville cemetary, our queen seized the luckless cadet, hurled him back into the lake and held him under until fish scales started growing on his back.

P. S. The F. B. I. may investigate these under-water activities of the queen—sub-marine activities you know! Get it? Whew, was that one ripe!

Well our gals now glide from cadet's car to car (no favorites) giving the would-be pilots training in everything their mothers said for them not to do. Thus the first glider-pilot training really started at LAMA, and if a few cadets don't watch their step, the sirens are going to knock the "L" out of LAMA and change it to Mama for them!

Rubber Quota Quadrupled In Highlands

Legion Collects Five Tons in Two-Day Drive

Highlands county has about quadrupled its quota in the collection of scrap rubber, and is still going strong in rounding up every available piece that can be salvaged to help beat the shortage and win the war.

County Agent Louis Alsmeyer, reporting from Sebring Wednesday, stated that approximately 111,200 pounds had been reported collected in the county. The rubbhy has been piling in at filling stations over the county, and to the American Legion pile in the mall all the week. The Avon Park Legionnaires put on a pick up drive Tuesday and Wednesday and reported their trucks brought in five tons.

The drive continues through June 30, after which piles will be loaded and shipped to nearest centers. The Legion and gas dealers paid one cent a pound for all rubber that was not donated, and will be reimbursed by the government for the money spent. The American Legion in Avon Park conducted a concerted drive for rubber, and had a considerable portion donated. The proceeds will be used to provide soldier recreation, and for other public purposes, Commander Howard Maddox said.

The drive continues and everyone is urged to search their homes and premises and bring in all the old scrap rubber that can be found. This will be put to work to help relieve the shortage.

Dr. Chandler Named President State Medical Board

Dr. I. W. Chandler was honored by being elected to the presidency of the State Board of Medical Examiners of Florida, at its annual meeting held in Jacksonville this week. Dr. Chandler, who has served as vice president, succeeds Dr. H. D. Vain Shaick of Jacksonville. The sessions were held at the Roosevelt hotel.

Dr. Howard G. Holland of Leesburg, a board member, was named vice president, while Dr. W. M. Rowlett of Tampa, secretary and treasurer of the organization since its inception some years ago, was re-elected.

The board is composed of Drs. J. E. Crump of Winter Haven, J. C. Davis of Quincy, S. G. Hollingsworth of Bradenton, Thomas W. Hutson of Miami, G. S. McClellan of Pompano, Carl Williams of St. Petersburg, and the officers.

The board conducted examinations for the purpose of issuing licenses to new doctors to practice in Florida. There were 87 applicants for licenses.

Subjects the applicants were examined in included surgery, medical jurisprudence, therapeutics, surgical pathology, and diagnosis. Two examinations are conducted annually. The next will be held in the fall.

Gas Registration Meetings Called Here Saturday

County Director M. M. Ferguson announced today that there will be several called meetings in Avon Park, Saturday, June 27, to obtain full information and instructions covering the second permanent gas registration.

J. Ray Harrison, representative of OPA, has scheduled three meetings as follows:

10:00 a. m., with oil companies, high school, Avon Park.

2:00 p. m., with registrars, high school, Avon Park.

8:00 p. m., with rationing boards high school, Avon Park.

All persons concerned with this registration in their particular categories are requested to be present and on time.

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE



Legion Will Hold Street Carnival July 4

A home town street carnival in the mall will be the feature attraction for the Fourth of July offered by Highlands Post of the American Legion next week end. The bandstand mall will be dolled up as the "midway" for the show, and entertainment, games and food and drink booths will be set up for the patronage of the public. The carnival will open Friday night and will continue through Saturday, the Fourth.

Two featured attractions which always draw much attention, and at least one of which is new here, will be the gopher race and frog jumping contest. Gopher races have been conducted before by the Legion and have always proven popular. The frog jumping stunt has been held in nearby towns, but as yet has never been staged in Avon Park. Ed Welch and Frank Armistead will have charge of these two attractions. An effort will be made to establish a new frog jumping record.

Bingo, ever popular with service men and the general public, will be operated by the soldier recreation committee, and all proceeds will go to the recreation fund.

A food booth will be set up by the American Legion Auxiliary, and sandwiches and drinks will be served.

Other games and entertainment are being planned, and the Legion committee promises plenty of fun and entertainment for everybody.

DO NOT DONATE YOUR OLD RUBBER TO PRIVATE COLLECTORS

Give It To

THE AMERICAN LEGION

Any money derived from its sale will be used for Soldier Recreation fund, and other public purposes.

—Highlands Post 69

Stores to Close July Fourth

Stores of Avon Park will close all day Saturday, July Fourth, according to agreement reached today. Merchants agreed to remain open until 10 o'clock Friday night in order to accomodate week-end shoppers. The A & P store received orders from state headquarters to take the holiday, which is general throughout the A & P system. Other grocery stores agreed to close, and most of the merchants agreed to observe the national holiday. Restaurants and drug stores will be open as usual.

Maidiola Cottage Ready for Use by Defense Workers

Maidiola Cottage, the large summer home of J. G. Anderson on Lake Viola, has just been equipped with extra furniture and fixtures and is being operated as a boarding house. The Cottage, being operated by Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. R. B. Jones, is conveniently located for those working on the bombing range, as it is about the nearest place where room and board may be had.

Mr. Anderson states that he is working on a plan at this time to move a number of houses in this area, that are more or less inactive, over on Lake Viola to be used in helping out the shortage in this area.

Installation of Officers Held by Rotary Club

Annual installation of officers and ladies' night was held by the Rotary club at the parish house at a dinner meeting Wednesday night. The ladies of the Episcopal Guild served dinner.

A. McKee Elwell, master of ceremonies for the occasion, was installing officer. Frances Shockley, new club president, was inducted into office. Walter S. Betts, retiring president, became vice president and a member of the board of directors. C. R. Ginn took office as secretary. These three and M. G. Whitcomb, R. H. Jordan and Harold Worden constitute the new board. W. R. "Butch" Carter retains his perennial job as sergeant at arms.

The meeting was opened with introductory singing and instrumental accompaniment by Mrs. Frances Shockley, pianist, Mrs. Curt Lawhon, violin, and Mrs. D. G. Perry, accordian.

The club and ladies were entertained by Sauls Cutler, B. & G., detachment, who rendered a group of guitar and vocal numbers, and Buddy Gwynne, who showed his bag of tricks.

Campaign to Clean Up Quarters Opens With Mass Meeting

The beginning of a campaign to clean up the quarters, will be the keynote of a mass meeting of colored citizens, which has been called for 9 o'clock on Monday night at St. Mark's Baptist Church. Addresses will be given by Mayor M. E. Covington, E. A. Delaney, president of the city council, and several army officers. The mayor is requiring all colored citizens to attend the meeting.

Here's Your Chance Young Fellow, To Join the Marines

Sgt. George Cunningham, U. S. Marine Corps, will be located in Sebring on June 28 and 29, answering all questions on the Marine Corps. Those interested in enlisting should call at the post office on one or the other of these days.

Cunningham will supervise the showing of the marine history picture, "Shores of Tripoli." See the Marines make history in the picture, and then join the Marines and help to make history.

General Arnold Appears As Per Schedule

A couple of hardworking Lakelanders are back home, breathing somewhat easier, with probably a few more gray hairs, but having the satisfaction of a difficult job well done, despite all sorts of obstacles.

They are A. I. Lodwick, owner and operator of the Lakeland School of Aeronautics, and the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy here, both of which are giving flying cadets primary flight training, with both British and American students in Lakeland and only the latter at Avon Park, and his general assistant and all-round Man Friday, Stan Hedberg, veteran newspaper man and aviation public relations counsel.

The job was the commencement exercises of Iowa Wesleyan College at Mount Pleasant, Iowa, the alma mater of Lodwick who is also a trustee of the school and one of those in charge of the ceremonies which saw an honorary Doctor of Laws degree conferred on Lt. Gen. Henry (Hap) Arnold, chief of the United States Army Air Forces, who set the little Iowa town and several thousands persons attending the ceremonies "back on their ears" with his frank and open talk on the war and the part air power will play and is playing.

Incidentally, the little college was also celebrating its 100th anniversary, being the oldest college west of th Mississippi and older than the state of Iowa itself, having been founded while the state was just a territory.

But the big attraction was the appearance of Gen. Arnold, who roared into town on the night before the ceremonies, less than five days after he had been giving out statements from London and conferring with British air officers on the occupation of U. S. forces with those of the empire.

There were those in Iowa who were downright skeptical that the army air forces chief would deign to visit the Iowa college, even if he did arrive in the States from Europe in time to make the trip. But they reckoned without the ferry command and Al Lodwick who is a close, personal friend of Gen. Arnold and whose work in training young fliers for the U. S. and British forces is keenly appreciated. The general had previously said he would be there—and that was all the assurance Lodwick needed.

Hedberg, who used to roam that part of the country as a correspondent for Associated Press, went out about 10 days before the celebration and set up headquarters in a little hotel in Mount Pleasant. With the help of the college public relations staff he began the job of putting out advance stories and advertising on the general's appearance. Lodwick's private plane, a fast-flying Stinson, was sent out and was used in distributing posters throughout the state.

But all this time Hedberg was fighting the skepticism of public and press alike. They didn't believe it. Gen. Arnold was a busy man, and Iowa Wesleyan was a small college. The stories they did print were somewhat on the order of "tongue in the cheek" and the magician who always prefaced his feature stunt with the remark "its a good trick—if I do it."

But when it became definite the general was back in the States, thanks to th ferry command — things were different. The Midwest papers went to town. Staff men and photographers flocked into Mt. Pleasant. Hedberg and Lodwick were the State's here pair. A story was in the making.

And when the general made his 25-minute talk he made headlines for the nation. He promised that the United States has "plenty more Colin Kelly's, Dick O'Hares and Jimmy Doolittles and they will be back over Tokyo in due course." The general brought the war right home to those folks out in Iowa who had left their corn, their dairies, their stores and offices to hear Uncle Sam's top ranking army airman, just fresh home from the war front, tell 'em what it is all about.

"The Hawkeye Gazette," published in Burlington, Iowa, which claims to be the oldest paper in the state, had the theme in its banner line on Arnold's speech — "Axis Payday Coming, Arnold Says."

Expect 400 To Register Here Tuesday

Fifth Registration 18-20 To be Held June 30

Approximately 400 Highlands County young men of 18-20 years are expected to be registered in the fifth selective service registration Tuesday, June 30.

No definite figures are available as to the number of men who will registar, but the estimate is made based on the national census, which showed about this number in the age group for Highlands county. Those born on or after January 1, 1922 and on or after June 30, 1924, will be subject to registration on June 30.

Places of registration in Avon Park will be the school buildings, both white and colored, James Harold Rowe will have charge of white registrations in Avon Park and the American Legion will be in charge of colored registration as they have on all previous registrations.

Hours of registration will be from 7:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m.

Registrations in Sebring will also be in both white and colored school buildings. In other communities in the county both white and colored will registar at the same place.

In DeSoto City, Venus, Brightson and Lorida the registration will be held in the white school buildings. In Lake Placid the Arcade building will be the place of registration and in Bassinger it will be at the S. A. Pearce home.

School teachers of the county, who have not gone on vacations or summer schools will be principal registrars, with representatives of the American Legion posts assisting colored teachers.

County Goes Over Quota In Bond Sales

The average monthly sale of War Bonds and Stamps in Highlands county is $6,180 higher than the $32,600 quota named for this area. The decided increase in the sale has been directly due to the drive being conducted by Highlands county citizens during the past several months. The report included sales figures for the months of April and May.

Sebring led the county in the April and May sales with a total of $50,498.50. The Sebring post office reported $1,856 and $3,280 for the respective months in stamp sales, Bond sales were $6900 for April and $16,312.50 for May. The Tropical State Bank reported $450 in stamp sales and $21,900 for bonds. Until recently only bonds could be purchased at the bank.

The following reports were made from other selling stations throughout the county: Avon Park post office, $1307.95 for stamps in April and $1017.25 in May; $3,093.75 for bonds in April and $1,818.75 for May. Avon Park bank, no stamps sold, $15,425.00 bond sales for April and $11,050.00 for May sales.

DeSoto City post office: $220.00 stamp sales in April and $50.00 in May. Lake Placid post office reported $177.00 stamp sales in April and $170.75 in May, $468.75 in April bonds sales and $600.75 in May.

The total stamp sales prior to April were $9,497.25 compared with the $46,806.20 total at the end of May. Total bond sales for the respective periods were $136,795.75 and $214,355.25.

Guignard Maxey, county chairman of the drive, has urged continuous buying of the bonds and stamps to insure Highlands County's maintaining an above average sales for the duration of the war.

Every state has a new I. Q.—an "independence quota"—for sale of War Bonds. Are you investing 10% of your income in future security for your family's independence?

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nanny and two sons, Jim and Tom of Bradenton, are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Park.

Folks You Know . .

Miss Eunice Wills of Tampa is the house guest of her sister, Mrs. S. F. Longbottom and family.

Miss Dot Hughs of Fort Lauderdale spent the week end here at her home.

Walter S. Martin was a business visitor in Atlanta Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Bert Bond of Lakeland was the recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cameron.

Mary Eloise Martin of Tampa is the house guest of Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry.

Mrs. A. S. Wingfield left Wednesday for Elberton and Athens, Ga., where she will visit relatives for several weeks.

Calvin Bryant left Friday for Miami, where he has accepted a position as radio operator with Pan American Airways.

Charles Lawhon and Jack Foster returned home Sunday from Jacksonville, where they had been visiting friends for a week.

Bill Goolsby, Fred Garrett, and R. C. Adams of Camp Bowie, Texas are spending several days here at their homes.

Miss Rae Butts of DeLand is spending the summer in Avon Park as the house guest of Miss Lena Mae Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Willson of Bethel, Pa., spent several days here over the week end, looking after business interests.

Mrs. C. F. Furr, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cameron, returned to her home in Ocala Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Methany and two attractive young daughters, Delores and Dorothy of Wauchula are the guests of the former's aunt, Mrs. Jack Witt and family.

Mrs. O. L. Williams and three sons, Lamar, Jack, and Billy have arrived from Albany, Ga., to join Mr. Williams, who is employed here at the Bombing Range.

Cpl. Tillman Crosby of Camp Bowie, Texas, arrived Tuesday night for a ten day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Crosby.

Mrs. Margaret Campbell, who has resided in Avon Park for a number of years, left Monday for Hornell, N. Y., where she will make her home with her sister.

Don S. Croft, son of the Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Croft, who is in the U. S. navy reserves, has been promoted to seaman first class, and is in the office of the navy department, Washington D. C.

Jimmie Rowe, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rowe, is improving satisfactorily at his home, following a tonsillectomy, in a Sebring hospital on Wednesday.

Mrs. R. A. Brown and attractive young daughter, Beverly Ann of Atlanta, are the house guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Earl H. Ware and family.

Tommy Bryant will leave next week for Port Arthur, Texas, where he will take a course in radio engineering at Port Arthur college.

Mrs. Winifred Tumlin of Miami has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Prevatt this week. She will go from here to New York to continue her vacation.

Rev. Hoyt Tatum, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Mrs. Tatum, and Mrs. S. E. Booth were in Lakeland on Tuesday to attend the district steward's meeting.

Miss Gladys Farmer and Miss Dorothy Foley of Elba, Ala., have been the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. J. W. Sheffield and family. Miss Farmer returned home Thursday, but Miss Foley will spend the remainder of the summer here.

Mrs. Chas P. Dockery and daughter, Ann, and Mrs. C. P. Dockery sr., of Hernando, Miss., are spending some time in Avon Park visiting Aviation Cadet Chas. P. Dockery, who is in training with the Air Corps at L. A. M. A.

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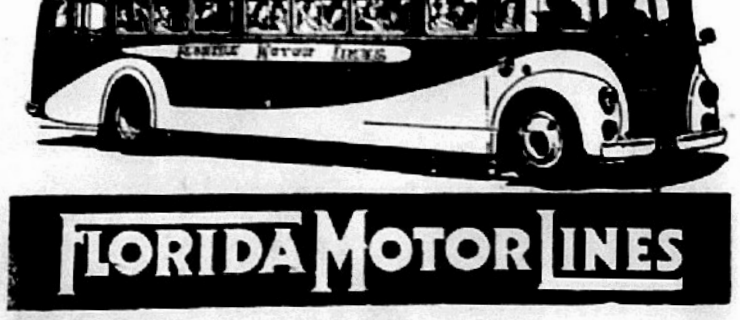

FLORIDA MOTOR LINES

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By RUSSELL KAY

A few weeks ago I told you about my conversation with Old Timer, the chap I met in the bus terminal, who calmly sucked on his pipe and pronounced the war GOOD.

I've thought a lot about some of the things he said and I've talked with a lot of folks. The old man was right about the war making people "think". People are thinking today, thinking seriously and trying to understand. All sorts of people, rich and poor, high and low.

While normal conversation on the subject of the war is surface talk about the Aleutians, Tobruk, Sevastopol or some other current phase of activities, down in their hearts people are seeking the real answer to all this carnage and destruction.

Thinking people know that this isn't just a war to "beat Germany or Italy or Japan. It isn't a war to "save Democracy" or preserve Liberty". It is a lot more than that. It is the prophetic struggle between good and evil to determine whether or not civilization and mankind shall continue to inhabit the earth and enjoy its blessings.

Through the dark days from 1914 to 1918 we fought "a war to end war". The lessons that contest should have taught us went unheeded. Hate, Greed and Revenge stalked boldly to the "Peace" table and drew the blueprints for the second World War.

Reason and common sense, backed with justice and good will, if exercised on any one of a dozen occasions during the intervening years, could have prevented the present struggle. But each nation, selfishly seeking its own advantage, unwilling to assume the responsibility, offered up weaker nations on the altar of sacrifice in the futile hope that in so doing they might escape and prosper.

Greedy industrial leaders of the world, concerned alone with profits, entered agreements, drew up cartels and went about their business, recklessly ignoring all else. The little people of the world, dazed and bewildered, followed their leaders over the brink to reap their reward of "blood, sweat and tears."

Now the errors of the past are slowly beginning to make themselves clear. We are asking what our future offers after this war. Shall we allow those deep-rooted evils—Hate, Greed, Selfishness and the spirit of Revenge—to again prevail and set the stage for another and greater war? Or shall we join in a true brotherhood of nations to build a new and better world?

Not long ago Vice-President Wallace pointed out that never again can we go back to our selfish policy of isolation and nationalism. He pointed out, just as did the Old Timer, that if this is to be a good world for us to live in we must do our part to make it a good world for all mankind to live in.

Speaking from London the other day, the Archbishop of Canterbury expressed similar views and saw, as the only hope of the world a true brotherhood of man in which the rights of all are respected and where a spirit of good will and cooperation replaces competition and suspicion.

All the world must accept and practice the Golden Rule. The larger powers, forgetting self, will have to set up an international police force and assume the role of "My Brother's Keeper" until the time we learn to "Love our neighbor as ourselves."

This may all sound very idealistic and impractical, but nevertheless it is basic truth and we can expect no lasting peace until we realize it. Whether we like it or not, we people of this earth are all subjects of the same Creator. His laws govern us all. His abundance was intended for all; and His "Will" will be "done on earth as it is in Heaven" even as we who term ourselves "Christians" have long thoughtlessly chanted in prayer.

It is well that the world leaders, both political and religious, are beginning to see the light and the "handwriting on the wall", for unless man becomes internationally concerned with the welfare of man there seems little hope for future generations and little sense to the struggle in which we are now engaged.

Mrs. J. L. Quintana, who has been spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth, left Friday for Washington D. C. to join Lieut. Quintana, who is stationed there with the Signal Intelligence Division. She has visited Lieut. Quintana's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Quintana in Tampa this week.



"Why, David—are you trying to say you want me to be co-owner on your War Savings Bonds from now on?"

RED CROSS INFORMATION

Streamlining the diet to fit the pocketbook is a problem occupying an increasing portion of the American housewife's time.

American Red Cross nutritionists have given her plenty of sound advice on solving the problem by conducting nutrition classes in which more than 50,000 women have been taught the techniques of balancing the budget and the diet simultaneously. It is estimated that 100,000 will have Completed Red Cross nutrition courses before the end of the year.

By exercising the ingenuity for which she is famous, the American housewife can serve foods and still save pennies needed for Defense Bonds and increased taxes.

Here are a few of Miss Melva B. Bakkies' who is director of the Red Cross Nutrition Service, tips on saving money without destroying the health-building value of the typical American meal:

Make a real effort to develop the Victory Garden into a thriving enterprise. Grow plenty of cabbages, kale, beets, carrots, spinach, onions and above all turnips. The latter are tops in supplying vitamins and minerals.

Get out of the habit of feeling that you have not eaten unless you have a roast, steak, or chops. Pot roast, corned beef, and ground meat, among others help provide some of the minerals and vitamins defense-minded America needs. The same applies to the cheaper cuts of meat. Dietetically speaking, they have everything the more expensive cuts contain.

Include plenty of eggs on the menu, and here is a tip for those who prefer white eggs to brown. The color adds nothing to the nutritive values of the eggs. Buy the cheaper color.

Stress whole grain cereals, the new enriched breads and flour on the grocery list. Do not hesitate to use the cheaper fats. Salt pork for seasoning, lard for baking and cooking, and vitaminized oleomargarine for table use will fill the bill as effectively as their more expensive brothers.

Milk plays an important part in balanced diets, but remember that dried and evaporated milk are just as nourishing as more expensive forms.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere appreciation to the many kind neighbors and friends, for their expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness at the time of our recent bereavement. We also appreciate the many beautiful floral tributes.

Mrs. F. E. Wray
Ellis Wray
Mildred Wray
Howard Wray

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, IN CHANCERY NO.____

ROBERT W. WILLIAMS, Plaintiff,
vs.
OATIS WILCOX WILLIAMS Defendant.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION AND NOTICE TO APPEAR.

To the defendant, OATIS WILCOX WILLIAMS, whose residence is 88 Arlington Place, Macon, Bibb County, Georgia.

You are hereby required to file an appearance in this proceeding, which is a suit for divorce from you on the ground of extreme cruelty, on or before Monday, the 6th day of July, 1942, or else a decree pro confesso will be taken against you.

This notice to appear shall be published in the Scenic Highlands Sun once during each week for four consecutive weeks.

WITNESS my hand and official seal of said Court, this the 5th day of June, 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. Piety, as Clerk of the Circuit Court, Highlands County, State of Florida.
By J. C. DESHONG
As Deputy Clerk
JOE D. KINSEY, and HOWARD G. LIVINGSTON.
As attorneys for plaintiff.
June 5, 12, 19, 26.

Fills Pulpit



JAMES JORDON

James Jordon To Preach Here Sunday

James W. Jordon, young local minister, will preach at the Church of Christ for both the morning and evening services on Sunday, June 28.

The topic for the morning sermon will be "Trees and the Lessons. They Hold for Man". Many beautiful poems and thoughts have been drawn from trees so it is reasonable to believe that a beautiful sermon can be drawn from them.

Subject for the evening service will be "The Holy Spirit and His Work." No subject is more misunderstood than this thus an enlightening sermon on the Holy Spirit is always to be appreciated.

Come and hear these two sermons at the Church of Christ. Morning services begin at 10:15 and evening services at 8:30.

Mrs. Shellie Campbell, who has spent the past six months in Clio and Columbus, Ga., has returned to Avon Park. She was accompanied by Miss Montez McDaniel of Clio, who will visit Mrs. Campbell for several weeks.

Cleland Belin, who has been stationed at Camp Blanding, has been transferred to the Air Corps and is now at Kessler Field, Mississippi.

LIBERTY LIMERICKS



Said a cowboy named
Texas LaGrange,
"I'm buyin' these Stamps
with my change,
'Cause each one's a slap
At a Nazi or Jap
Who threatens our home
on the range!"

Rope and tie the enemies of freedom by buying U. S. Savings Bonds. Get one every pay day.

Church Notes

CHURCHES OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"Christian Science" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, June 28.

The Golden Text is: "Laying aside all malice, and all guile, and hypocrisies, and envies, and all evil speakings, as newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word that ye may grow thereby" (1 Peter 2:1,2).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "The people which sat in darkness saw great light; and to them which sat in the region and shadow of death light is sprung up" (Matt. 4:16).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Beyond the frail premises of human beliefs, above the demonstration of Christian Mind-healing stands a revealed and practical Science. It is imperious throughout all ages as Christ's revelation of Truth, of Life, and of Love, which remains inviolate for every man to understand and to practise" (p.98:15-21).

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Topic for the day: "Unmasking Alcohol Propaganda". "Alcohol is a poison—so is strychnine; so is arsenic; so is opium. It ranks with these agents. Health is always in some way or other injured by it." The late Sir Andrew Clark, M. D., Physician to Queen Victoria made this statement. Come and let us discuss this topic. It is of vital interest to the community.

Morning worship service at 11 o'clock, when Children's Day will be observed. A brief program of recitations, song, etc. will be presented by children of the Sunday School. Sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on: "Cycling as a Picture of Life."

The officers and members of this friendly church cordially invite the public to attend the Sunday School and this Children's Day service.

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Hoyt Tatum, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
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Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P. M.

The Pastor, the Rev. Hoyt Tatum, will speak on "Using Our Talents" at the Morning Worship hour and on "Men Who Are Faithful" at 8:00 P. M.

You are cordially invited to worship with us.

IN THE COUNTY JUDGE'S COURT, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
In Re: Estate Of
MALCOLM L. MacPHAIL,
Deceased.

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You, and each of you, are hereby notified and requested to present any claims and demands which you, or any of you, may have against the estate of Malcolm L. MacPhail, deceased, late of Cayuga County, New York, to the County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, at his office in the Court House at Sebring, Florida, within twelve months from date of first publication hereof which is June 19, A. D. 1942.

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As Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Malcolm L. MacPhail, Deceased.
June 19, 26, July 3, 10.

Mrs. J. H. Singletary



Here's an Old-Fashioned Nosegay

Since the saying is that old-fashioned things are the most highly prized, here's lovely Miss Jessie Stough with an old-fashioned nosegay at Florida Cypress Gardens.



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By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

W. W. Harwood and Kitty Patterson Marry Saturday

Miss Kitty Karolyn Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Patterson, of 2711 Morrison ave. Tampa and William Wagstaff Harwood, Avon Park, son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Harwood, of Memphis, were married Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the First Methodist church, Tampa.

The announcement will come as a surprise, for the date orginally planned for the wedding was Aug. 1, but circumstances necessitated a change of plans. The Rev. John Branscomb officiated using the ring cremony, and only the parents of the young couple were present.

The bride was becomingly gowned in white Bermuda fabric, made on simple lines, with insets of petibone in the sleeves and skirt. Her wide brimmed white hat was of beruffled ribbon, and other accessories were white. Her corsage was of purple throated orchids.

Mrs. Harwood was graduated from Hillsborough high school, where she was a member of the C. D. C. club, and from Florida State College for Women, where she received a bachelor of music degree. She is a member of Delta Zeta sorority.

Mr. Harwood was graduated with honors from the high school of Lawrenceburg, Tenn. Later he attended the Georgia Institute of Technology and was graduated with a B. S. degree in chemistry from the University of Tennessee. He later did post graduate work at his alma mater. He is a member of Delta Tau Delta social fraternity and Alpha Chi Sigma honorary chemical fraternity. He is now employed as a ground instructor at Lodwick Aviation Military Academy in Avon Park.—Tampa Morning Tribune.

Mrs. Nan Rouse and son and daughter, Bob and Jane Ann will leave Monday for Green Bay, Wis., where they will make their home. Mrs. Rouse's two other daughters, Alice and Mary left about three weeks ago for Green Bay.

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Mrs. Furr Honoree at Party on Thursday Evening

Mrs. Francis Shockley entertained at a lovely party at her home on Thursday evening, the affair being given in honor of Mrs. C. F. Furr of Ocala. Garden flowers decorated the party rooms to emphasize a color note of pink and blue.

Contests formed the interesting diversion for the evening, after which the honoree was presented a decorated basket, filled with an array of dainty gifts. The hostess served delicious refreshments of jello topped with whipped cream and nuts, cookies, and iced tea.

Friends sharing the evening with Mrs. Furr and Mrs. Shockley included Mrs. Bill Sachsenmeier, Mrs. Albert Cain, Mrs. H. W. Harden, Mrs. Ruby Bass, Mrs. Jack Hunt, Mrs. A. F. Helms, Mrs. C. H. Lewiston, Mrs. S. B. Wells, Mrs. Howard Maddox, Mrs. E. C. Wever, Mrs. Jack Witt, Mrs. Lawrence Ford, Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Mrs. Roland Droit, Mrs. Ed. Welch, Mrs. Devon Reddick, Mrs. G. D. Godwin, Miss Verna Heim, Mrs. W. J. Heim, Mrs. Ed Gough, Mrs. James Cooper, Mrs. Plato Carlisle, Mrs. Alfred Engelmann, Mrs. H. G. Bygate, Mrs. A. H. Able, Mrs. W. D. Cameron, Mrs. G. L. Sumner, Misses Hazel and Mary Sumner, Mrs. Milburn Hart, Mrs. Bert Bond of Lakeland, and Mrs. Wesley of Sebring.

Thursday Club Has Delightful Party at Lanier Home

Roses and alamanders were fashioned into attractive bouquets to decorate the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier on Friday evening, when they were hosts to their club at an enjoyable party. Three tables were in play.

High score prize for the evening, a reflector ornamented with two small fostoria birds, was won by Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd. Second high, a pair of combination vase and candleholders, was given to Mrs. Chas. O. Locke. The hostess served dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake late in the evening.

Those sharing the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Lanier at this delightful party were Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield, Mrs. Chas O. Locke, T. A. McNicholas, and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorminey.

WCTU To Meet Thursday at Baptist Church

The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday evening, July 2 at 8 o'clock at the First Baptist Church to complete its organization. A short business meeting will be held, presided over by the president, Mrs. W. D. Croft, and a young people's program will be presented.

Officers of the organization who were elected at a recent meeting include: Mrs. Croft, president; Mrs. R. F. Sappington, vice president; Mrs.W. W. McFarland, secretary; and Mrs. A. McKee Elwell, treasurer.

American Legion Auxiliary Met Monday Evening

Mrs. H. R. Currie presided at the regular business meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary held on Monday evening at the Customer's room. Further plans were discussed for assisting the Legion with the Fourth of July celebration.

Members present were Mrs. Currie, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. Ed Welch, Mrs. C. H. Lewiston, Mrs. Howard Maddox, Mrs. Ruth Clowe, Mrs. W. J. Prevatt, Mrs. Winifred Tumlin, Mrs. D. G. Perry, and Mrs. Mary Holcomb.

Garbers Entertain Bridge Club

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber entertained members of their bridge club at an enjoyable party at their home on Tuesday evening. Summer garden flowers decorated the party rooms for the occasion.

When scores were totaled, high individual awards, which were Defense Stamps, were given to Mrs.C.Parke Anderson and Harold Worden. The hostess served dainty sandwiches, cookies, and coffee late in the evening.

These present included Mr. and Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keller, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Worden, and Mr. and Mrs. Garber.

Highlands Increases its Rubber Quota

BARBARA B. DARSEY
Florida Writers Project, WPA

Highlands County gathered its scrap rubber in a big way during the first week of the great drive. County quota was 27,000 pounds; during the first three days of the drive over 40,000 pounds were salvaged and by Saturday, June 20, the record showed 84,600 pounds. Due to this splendid response, Ben T. Stewart, Highlands County Defense Council Chairman and Mrs. George E. Sebring, jr., Division Chairman of Salvage and her co-chairmen have decided to accept a larger quota and the goal for Highlands County is now 110,000 pounds.

Three chief receiving centers are Lake Placid, Sebring, and Avon Park. The first week's analysis showed that the greater percentage of rubber at Lake Placid consisted of old tires, tubes and casings, contributed largely by citrus growers many of whom refused payment. The American Legion, assisted by Boy Scouts, took charge of the drive here.

During the first two days in Sebring, filling station attendants reported that housewives brought in the greater part which consisted of old garden hose, bath, sink and car mats, hot water bottles, toys and the like. Small boys took an active part too, combing alley scrap heaps and loading their wagons with scrap. With eyes large and shining in anticipation of winning the war and becoming financial wizards simultaneously, many of them invaded a local newspaper office to consult with the 9 year old son of the Editor, who recently organized the "Sebring Junior Army," and is it's youthful commander, "to help win this war, you know.

At Avon Park the American Legion took charge of the drive and were ably assisted by Boy Scouts who made a house to house canvass explaining the purpose of the salvage and securing much scrap rubber. Soon the entire county was so busy collecting rubber that other business was neglected but all citizens cooperated happily. Many motorists and others needing car repairs waited patiently for many minutes before receiving attention of filling station attendants who were literally swamped with scrap rubber of every description.

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Enjoyable Banquet Enjoyed by Members of Baptist BTU

"A Deep South Banquet", held in the basement of the First Baptist Church on Thursday evening, was a delightful innovation in entertainment for the Intermediate B. T. U. The programs, table decorations, and menu were typical of the chosen theme.

The banquet table, in U shape, was reminiscent of a plantation scene, long runners of fluted green crepe paper forming a panel down the center of the tables, overlaid with snowy white demask cloths. A low rail fence, designed of small logs, led to two miniature log cabins, before which sat several realistic picaninnies, with their straw hats and red bandanas, and one of them playing on the "old banjo." A small vegetable garden was in the rear of the cabins, and miniature cows, pigs, and horses grazed on the pasture, to accentuate the plantation motif. Peanuts, small potatoes and corn candies were dotted here and there on the "plantation grounds", and a trailing vine bore miniature melons. A soft glow was reflected from tall white candles, burning in "potato holders," at intervals the length of the table. The program covers were designed with a young darkey in a large straw hat.

The menu consisted of baked ham, southern style, creamed potatoes, buttered English peas, pineapple salad, hot rolls, iced tea, tutti fruiti ice cream, and cookies. The banquet was served by "Rastus Collins, White Wash Englemann as waiter, and Waitresses "Prissy Sapp Honey Chile Hansen" and "Liza Jane Pendleton."

The program opened with the invocation by Rev. J. P. Dalton, pastor of the church, after which the group sang an original song, "We're Hehe For Fun." Hieroglyphical writings by "Professor Einstein Longbottom" was an enjoyable feature, followed by the singing of "Old Black Joe."

Rhyming progressive poetry and a banjo solo by Rastus Collins were amusing features, and the song "Way Down Upon the Swanee River" sung by the group, preceded a radio quiz by "Professor Quiz Foster." The songs "Swing Low Sweet Chariot", "Oh, Susanna," and "Good Night Ladies," and the benediction by Rev. Dalton, closed this most delightful program of a splendid evening of entertainment.

Covers were laid for Rev. Dalton, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wingfield, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Longbottom, Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, Billy Wingfield, Sammy and Lynn Longbottom, Eunice Wills, Vivian Sapp, Winifred Demorest, Margaret and Roland Dilley, Virginia Spencer, Jack and Geraldine Witt, Fred Montsdeoca, E. C. Wever, Arthur and Jeanine Crews, Audrey Hershberger.

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Births

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Weir of Coral Gables are announcing the arrival of a baby son, weighing seven pounds, who arrived Thursday night, June 18. The young man been named James. Mrs. Weir was formerly Miss Grace Reddick, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Reddick, Avon Park.

Pudding For That Private

By Frances Lee Barton

PREPARE a pudding for that "rookie" of yours the next time he is on furlough — and see his countenance brighten. Or if your soldier boy is in a nearby fort, take some of this "de Luxe" pudding with you when next you visit him. But please don't limit this delicacy to privates. It will be enjoyed by everyone in the service—from Corporal to Colonel.



Orange Pudding de Luxe

1 package orange-flavored gelatin; 1½ cups hot water; 1 tablespoon sugar; ⅛ teaspoon salt; ¼ cup orange juice; 1 tablespoon lemon juice; ½ cup heavy cream.

Dissolve gelatin in hot water; add sugar, salt, orange juice, and lemon juice. Chill until cold and syrupy. Fold in cream; whipped only until thick and shiny, but not stiff. Turn into large serving dish or individual molds. Chill until firm. Serves 6 to 8.

May be served plain, with halves of sweetened orange sections, with blueberry sauce, or with canned crushed pineapple.

BATHING BEAUTIES' TUG OF WAR



"Business As Usual" may be out for the duration, but "Bathing As Usual" is still the slogan of Atlantic City bathing beauties. This lovely quartette has discovered a new way to play tug-of-war and you've got to admit you're glad they faced the camera.

COLD MILK DRINKS

By Anna Mae Sikes
Extension Nutrition Specialist

For hot weather, when cold beverages are so much in demand, milk can be made the basis of some very delicious cold drinks, such as milk shakes, eggnogs, chocolate milk, and malted milk. Chilling improves the flavor of milk drinks, so be sure to keep the foods in the refrigerator until the last minute. A small quantity of crushed ice added before mixing also helps.

Milk Shake

To one cup of cold milk add four tablespoons of grape, blackberry, or strawberry sirup (the juice from canned fruit). Shake well. Serve.

Chocolate Milk Shake

Ingredients: 3-4 cup milk, 1 to 2 tablespoons chocolate sirup, and a few drops of vanilla.

Mix in order given, shake well, and serve cold, either plain or with whipped cream on top.

Maple Shake

Ingredients: 1 tablespoon maple sirup, dash of salt, and 3-4 cup milk.

Mix in order given, shake well and serve cold. Whipped cream may be served on top as a garnish. (Serves one).

Banana Milk

Ingredients: 1 quart milk, 4 tbsp. sugar, 3 ripe bananas mashed fine, and dash of nutmeg.

Combine ingredients and whip with an egg beater. Serve cold. (Serves six).

Honey Blossom

Add three level tablespoons honey and 5 to 6 tablespoons fresh lemon or orange juice to one pint of milk. Shake until dissolved.

Tomato Milk Cocktail

Ingredients: 3 eggs, pinch of cups tomato juice, few grains salt, and few grains pepper.

Combine ingredients and stir well. For adults, additional seasonings may be added.

Eggnog

Ingredients: 3 e eggs, pinch of salt, 1 quart milk, 3 tbsp. powdered sugar, 6 tbsp. fruit juice, and chopped nuts.

Add salt to egg-white and beat to a stiff froth. Add sugar, well-beaten yolk of egg and fruit juice. Combine with ice cold milk. Sprinkle top with chopped nuts.

Mrs. Touchton Is Hostess to Circle

Circle number two of the Baptist W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. W. C. Touchton on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Touchton led the business meeting, and Mrs. R. H. Lawhon taught the lesson from the 5th chapter of John.

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

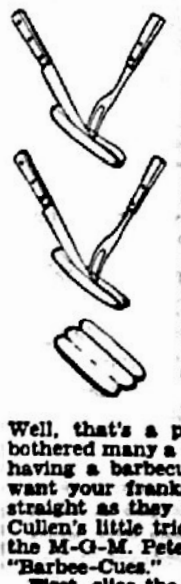
CUE TO BARBECUE



Max O. Cullen, nationally-famous barbecue expert, shows Muriel Barr, young M-G-M. starlet, how simple it is to barbecue meat. Pete Smith, producer of short subjects bearing his name, looks on as Cullen illustrates the correct method for turning a steak during the filming of "Barbee-Cues."

Backyard Barbecue Solves War's Entertainment Problem

With the entire nation seeking simpler means of entertainment because of war time requirements, the old-fashioned barbecue is rapidly growing in popularity. Backyard barbecues are becoming quite the style from California to Maine.

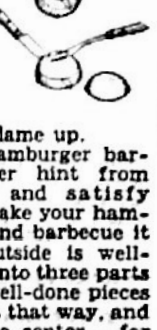


Old timers at this business of barbecuing have developed it into a fine culinary art, and in this connection Max O. Cullen, nationally known barbecue and carving expert, has brought out some new wrinkles for the handling of those old standbys, hamburgers and frankfurters.

Why does a frankfurter curl? Well, that's a problem that has bothered many a host, but if you're having a barbecue party and you want your franks to lie slim and straight as they nicely brown, try Cullen's little trick, as taken from the M-G-M. Pete Smith specialty, "Barbee-Cues."

First, slice the frank lengthwise down one side without cutting entirely through the casing, turn it over and slice parallel to the first slice. Then it opens up like an accordion and will not curl and fall through your grill.

Anybody can barbecue meat, Cullen points out, if they will only remember these pointers: live coals, not a flame, should be used as a source of heat—charcoal brikettes are good. Steaks and chops should run an inch or more in thickness, and need be turned only once in cooking. Surplus fat should be trimmed away so it will not drip into the coals and flame up.



If you'd like a hamburger barbecue, take another hint from Cullen's repertoire and satisfy everybody's taste. Make your hamburger into a ball and barbecue it slowly until the outside is well-done. Then, slice it into three parts and you have two well-done pieces for those who like it that way, and one rare piece—the center—for those who like their meat rare. Cullen personally guarantees that barbecue fans will go for hamburgers prepared this way.

Census Shows Highlands Has Population 9.246

Highlands County's population of 9,246 in 1940 was composed of 4,606 males and 4,640 females, according to a Florida State Planning Board analysis of data released by the U. S. Bureau of the Census, and delayed until quite recently due to wartime activities of the Bureau.

By race, the population included 7,117 native-born whites, 185 foreign-born whites, 1,944 Negroes and 0 of other races. Of the 188 foreign-born residents of all races, 122 were naturalized citizens.

Density of population was 8.9 persons per square mile, compared with a state average of 35.0 per square mile. There were 6,280 urban, 1,727 rural non-farm and 1,239 rural farm persons in the county.

The largest five-year age group was that between 10-14 years. In the state the 10-14 year group was largest. The county had 3,395 residents over 21 years of age and 125 that were 75 years or older.

Of the residents over 25 years of age, the males completed an average of 8.2 years of school and the females 9.1 years. In the state the average was 8.1 years for males and 8.6 years for females. The county had 191 male and 176 female college graduates. Of children in the 7-13-year age group 95.9% were attending school. In the 14-15-year group 88.7% were attending. The state averages was 93.4% for the 7-13 group and 86.2% for the 14-15 group.

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Glider Pilots Need Not Have Experience

Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Ala.—Previous flight training no longer is required for glider pilot candidates.

This important revision of regulations affecting the newest and most promising outgrowth of the Army Air Forces' development was announced today at the headquarters here of the Southeast Army Air Forces Training Center.

American citizens between the ages of 18 and 36, whether civilian or soldier, are eligible to apply for enlistment as glider pilot candidates. The difficult and in many cases financially unattainable requirement which formerly was in force, calling for prior training as an airplane or glider pilot, is now eliminated.

Applicants who have previous flight training, however, will be acceptable as previously.

Prospective candidates now have only to pass physical and mental tests. The physical examination is that prescribed for flying duty, but the requirements are less rigid than those set for aviation cadet training. Visual acuity may be 20/40 without glasses, correctible to 20/20.

The mental examinations are of the aptitude type, with requirements also somewhat reduced from those set for aviation cadets.

The trainee will be taught to fly a light airplane before taking his place at the controls of a glider. As a student, he will be enlisted in the Army Air Forces as a private, and will receive flying pay in addition to his regular salary. Upon successful completion of the course he will receive the rank of staff sergeant with flying pay, or, if he previously held a higher non-commissioned rank, he will revert to that rank, with flying pay added. A few outstanding members of each class will be commissioned second lieutenants in the Army of the United States, and will receive flying pay in that grade.

All glider pilots are authorized to wear glider pilot's wings.

The course of instruction is divided into two parts. The first part, preparatory in nature, consists of learning to fly a light airplane. The second part is a course in piloting gliders.

Once accepted for training in their quest for glider pilot's wings, the candidates are divided into two classes, according to whether or not they have had previous flight training. Upon this classification depends the length and nature of the preparatory airplane training course.

Class A candidates are those who meet one of the following three requirements as to previous flight training:

1. Possession of an Airman's certificate, private grade or higher, as issued by the Civil Aeronautics Administration, provided such certificate is current, or, if lapsed, did not expire before January 1, 1941.

2. Completion of at least 50 hours of total flying time, either solo or dual, as an aviation cadet or student at an Army, Navy or other service flying school.

3. Completion of 200 or more glider flights, attested by a certified statement of the applicant.

Class B candidates are beginners, or those who do not meet these requirements.

Preparatory airplane training is carried on at civilian flying schools under supervision of the Army Air Forces.

For Class A candidates, who have had previous flight training, the preparatory course consists of instruction in flying light planes, with emphasis on dead stick landings.

The dead stick landing, one of the most interesting and worthwhile types of arial training, is a landing accomplished with the motor shut off and the propellor at a standstill.

The preparatory course for Class B candidates, or beginners, is longer. The first weeks are devoted to training in flying light planes, and the last stage to the all-important dead stick landing.

Having finished their airplane flying courses, Class A students and beginners, now brought to the same stage of training, move on together to an Army Air Forces glider pilot school. Here they are wafted about on the breezes in actual gliders.

Candidates are allowed one week's travel time for the journey from the airplane schools to the Army Air Forces glider schools. The latter are located in extremely picturesque parts of the country. The Southwest Training Center has glider schools at Grand Forks, N. D., one at Janesville, Wis., one each at Monticello, Rochester and Stillwater, all in Minnesota, and an advanced school at Lockburne, Ohio.

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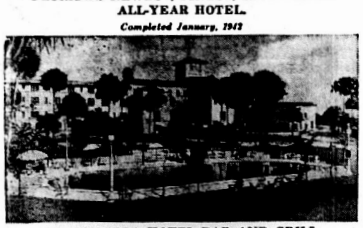
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Report Made by Christmas Seal Association

Officers of the Highlands County Tuberculosis and Health Association presnet the following report to the people of the county on their year's work:

"The officers feel that since all work is financed from funds received through the sale of Christmas Seals, the public has a right to know something of how these funds are used.

"During the past year, about twelve people have been X-rayed by local doctors at the expense of the Association and glasses and dental work have been supplied to patients about to enter the State Sanatorium.

"This was in addition to the X-rays taken by the State Mobile Unit, which work the Association sponsored.

"Two isolation cottages were built, the labor for which was very generously supplied by two Sebring Firemen, and the materials paid for by the Association, which also furnished the beds. The linen for the beds was furnished by the Womens Clubs of Avon Park, Sebring and Lake Placid, and the cottages are now at the disposal of the doctors and Health Unit of the County, to be used for tuberculosis patients needing isolation from their families.

"A great deal of educational literature has been distributed; posters displayed throughout the county, and programs given in the schools, teaching health measures for prevention of the spread of tuberculosis.

"Considerable work of this kind has also been done in the negro communities, for our slogan is "No home is safe from tuberculosis until every home is safe".

"The Seal Sale of 1941 realized a total of 11 cents per capita from the county and the Association is proud to announce that this was the highest amount collected in the State.

"For this achievement, the State Association has awarded a plaque to Highlands County which will shortly be exhibited in each community. The officers of the Highlands County Tuberculosis and Health Association wish to extend their gratitude for this very satisfactory result to every person who contributed in any way whatsoever during the year, with especial thanks to the following: Sebring Firemen; Womens Clubs of Avon Park, Sebring, Lake Placid; Principals and Teachers of all schools; doctors for their help with X-rays; editors of local papers for publicity; managers of theatres for showing health films; The Sebring Girl Scouts; and to the following local chairmen for their splendid work, especially during the Christmas Seal Sale: Rev. Luther Price, County Chairman, Mrs. S. N. Reeves, Avon Park Chairman, Mr. B. F. Williams, Sebring Chairman, Mr. A. B. Wilhite Lake Placid Chairman.

"We look to the whole county for a continuance of their interest and help through the year, especially when the next Seal Sale is launched realizing that it is from this sale alone that we derive all funds with which to carry on.

Muriel Blair, President
Sophie Mae Mitchell, Vice President
S. F. Longbottom, Treas.
Helen E. Reaber, Sec.

LIBERTY LIMERICKS



A dapper young waiter named Phipps,
Said—"I'm going to take all my tips
And buy Savings Stamps
So boys at the camps
Have bombers, machine guns, and ships!"

Help your county reach its War Bond quota. Invest 10% or more every payday in War Bonds and Stamps.



Highlands Junior Air Reserve Corps

BARBARA B. DARSEY
Florida Writers Project, WPA

Highlands County Defense Council is to be congratulated on its Avon Park Junior Air Reserve Corps. This is part of the Air Youth Program sponsored by the National Aeronautics Association; locally it is sponsored by the County Defense Council in cooperation with all civic clubs of Avon Park and the Avon Park Lodwick Aviation Military Academy.

Such Corps have been organized in larger cities throughout the Nation but it is indeed unusual to find one functioning in small towns such as in Highlands County. The Avon Park Junior Air Reserve Corps consists of about 50 children ranging in age from 12 to 21 years, arranged in two squadrons, four flights. The flights are composed of Boy Scouts, one flight of Girl Scouts and one of High School graduates. Requirements for membership are strict: certain high academic standards have been set and children applying for this Corps must furnish certificates from teachers in support of this; they must also furnish character certificates from their Ministers.

Classes are held one night each week and are taught by instructors of the Ground School of Lodwick Academy, all of whom are active in aviation business and particularly qualified in the subjects which they teach. The children take great interest and vie with each other to lead classes. They receive instructions for pilots engineers, mechanics and crafts. men, also in radio work, model plane building and air craft identification. Model planes built thus are later used by Cadets at the Academy in their Ground School work.

The County Defense Council and city of Avon Park, both, are foutunate indeed to have available these specialists from Lodwick Academy who generously cooperate in every way toward Civilian Defense and donate their time and ability to its many vital phases.

Highlands Gas Defense Schools

BARBARA B. DARSEY
Florida Writers Project, WPA

Highlands County Defense Council has just completed a training school in chemical warfare or gas defense for its Air Raid Wardens. W. C. Pidgeon and W. W. Harwood, special instructors in chemical warfare, of Avon Park Lodwick Aviation Military Academy conducted these schools and donated their valueable services.

Instructions were graphic, the horrors of a gas attack were presented in such a realistic manner that often students began to cough sneeze and wheeze. Several emphatically declare that they felt the effects of the described gases for several days after the course was completed.

So much interest was shown and so skilled was the instruction by Pidgeon and Harwood that the Council is now working on plans for such training for all county citizens. In keeping with its generous policy of full cooperation with the Council and all civic bodies the Academy will again lend these specialists in chemical warfare as instructors.



B & G Trained Fliers Bomb Italian Fleet

VICTORY will be the United Nation's if the hard working men of the Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment continue to keep their hands in world affairs. These men are responsible, in many ways, for helping Bombadiers and Pilots of the U. S. Army Air Corps attain success in battles.

They gained unheralded glory, last week, when U. S. Airmen who had practiced their "war trade" on the Avon Park Bombing Range, played a major part in an air-sea battle on the Mediterranean Sea. Scoring 35 direct hits on a fleet of Italian ships, the U. S. Airmen succeeded in sinking or damaging every ship in the formation.

B & G men, hardened to their tasks, have toiled long hours day and night under severe conditions. They have worked through blistering heat. Raina have all but flooded them off the ranges. Mosquitoes and other insects require constant battling. Transportation has foundered waist-deep in mud and sand. But through thick and thin and upper most in the minds of B & G personnel has been the job at thought. Keep the Ranges Open!

Many a night, trucks have pulled away from the Armory in a deluge of rain transportating spotters and plotters to their jobs. Over roads that would discourage an average driver, the Motor Pool Drivers have maintained time table schedules. Even when trucks have bogged down in soft spots the drivers have done all in their power to keep 'em rolling.

Spotters and Plotters, backbone of the B & G, work on schedule. One crew relieves another. Theirs is a lonely job. Working alone in towers, these men must be on constant alert for bombing missions at any hour of the day or night. They must be accurate in their work, for a Bombadier's success depends on correct scoring of hits. That they have been successful is understood through letters received from Commanding Officers of Combat Crew Schools in this area. One such recommendatory note from Major General W. H. Frank, Commanding General of the Third Air Force, reads in part, "Since the initiation of activities at the Avon Park General Bombing Range Detachment, rapid progress has been made on the installations of bombing and gunnery targets. The range has filled a definite need in this Air Force for adequate practice ranges for use by combat units."

The Spotters and Plotters depend upon another unit within the B & G for smooth running performance of their duties—the Telephone Crew. Spotters relay scores to the Plotters constantly during all bombing missions via field telephone. During electrical storms a bolt of lightning has been known to burn insulation from the lines and this crew stands by to repair the system at a moments notice. They have installed more than seventy-five miles of wire leading to all ranges and work deligently in maintaining the lines. Also connected with communications is the Radio section which acts as a laision between Air and ground crews. Operators perform important duties transmitting and receiving information without which neither crews could function properly.

Space permitting, columns could be written on the complete Detachment — about range crews whose job it is to repair targets, service generators which furnish power to light individual ranges at night; construction crews who are always making changes on all the practice ranges. Suffice to say that units are co-ordinated through the Operations Office which schedules missions and sends out all crews to their proper stations.

The B & G is the outfit which has fought ceaselessly to help the Bombadiers. Sometimes wondering whether or not their work was of any value, today realize its importance. Helping the Bombadiers train on the Avon Park Bombing Range is helping win the fight for Victory!

Bowling Blurbs

Each Tuesday night finds men from the B & G bowling to their hearts content at the local Bowling Alley. Best of all, there's absolutely no cost to the enlisted men. Each man takes turns in setting pins for his partners. Those wishing to engage pin boys may do so—paying the boys to set the pins, yet not paying for the use of the alleys.

All men of the B & G are invited to participate in this favored sport. Time: eight to ten P. M.

New Registration For Gas Cards Starts July 9

Permanent gasoline rationing throughout the east will begin July 22. The present temporary rationing system has been extended a week to give motorists ample time to organize car pooling clubs. The new dates for registration of car owners are July 9, 10 and 11.

Price Administrator Leon Henderson urges the pooling of cars to be used by men going to and from work to supplement public conveyances and to assist in correcting the petroleum shortage.

The sites for the new registration which will be conducted July 9, 10 and 11, from 1 a. m. to 9 p. m. will be school houses. Registration will be conducted by the Highlands County Defense Council and volunteers.

To accomodate motorists for the extra week beyond the temporary rationing period, the service station operators will punch the War Bond seal at the upper corner of the ration card as an additional unit. The unit value of six gallons which has been in effect and A cards since June 15, will be changed for this unit to three gallons. B1 units will be worth four gallons, B2, five; and B3, six. All other unused units on the A and B cards will be good for six gallons.

M. M. Ferguson, director of the second registration in the county, has announced the following school site administrators:

Avon Park: S. C. Pardee, white; American Legion, colored; Sebring: P. J. Gustat, white; Harry K. Brown,n Hedricks Field; Claude C. Marion, colored; DeSoto City; George Kelsey; Lorida, Mrs. P. J. Riggier; Ft. Basinger, Mrs. Edna Pearce; Lake Placid; Jack Sims; Brighton: Mrs. W. N. Veal; Venus: W. H. Cannon.

Any changes in registration sites will be named by the school site administrators. Both colored and white schools will be used.

Officials predict that the second registration will move faster than the first because only two types of cards will be issued for motorists instead of the five classifications offered in the last registration.

A basic A card will be given all automobile owners. Supplementary cards will be issued by rationing boards, if the applicant needs more gas. The most decided change in the new program is the elimination of the X card which designated unlimited purchasing power. Those previously entitled to the X cards must apply to their local rationing board and prove their necessity for more than the basic quotas.

Motorcycles and similar two and three wheeled vehicles will be issued the B cards. Each of the basic cards contain forty-eight units to be used for a twelve month period. The purchase value of each unit has not been officially announced. Extra rationing cards for defense workers, doctors and others using much gasoline in their work will be issued by the local rationing boards for two and three months periods.

STUCKEYS MOVING TO CANAL POINT

Mr. and Mrs. Leavid Stuckey will leave Monday for Canal Point, where they will make their home. Mr. Stuckey has been connected with Jarrett's Barber Shop for the past 17 years. Mr. Stuckey and O. W. Giddens will operate a Badcock store in Canal Point, beginning July 1, and Mrs. Stuckey will keep books for the concern. Their many Avon Park friends regret their decision to move, but they carry the good wishes of all with them.

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FOR RENT:— Two furnished bed. rooms. Mrs. C. O. Bryant 809 east Main street. Phone 60. 1tpd.

FOR SALE:— Breeding rabbits and hutches. Mrs. F. E. Wray, 21 west Charles st.

WANTED TO BUY:—Small second hand refrigerator or ice box. Call Mrs. W. C. Waters, Phone 64.

FOR SALE:—A Willys Pickup automobile. $150.00. L. S. Brendla.

FURNISHED ROOMS: — and apartment also garage for rent. Apply to J. D. Sherman. J 19, 26.

FOR SALE:—Five room house, plastered, with bath, in good condition. Five minutes walk to high school. $1000 down, and balance monthly payments. Apply to 25 Pine street, Avon Park. J 16-23-30-3.

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Sugar . . and Spice

Seems that That Worden Woman . . . is just before getting her eyes scratched out . . . 'Smatter of fact . . . a certain man in town . . . bought a big strong rope . . . and has been practicing all week . . . making a noose to fit her neck . . . She was just before going boat riding with that same guy . . . until he confessed that he was going to drown her . . . You guessed it . . . Twas Butch Carter.

Back to the subject of the Worden Woman . . . As good as I am . . . and as bad as she is . . . I'm as bad as she is . . . as good as I am . . . Catch the point? . . . anyway, it's a space filler inner . . . and ye writer has been threatened so many times lately . . . that she doesn't dare talk about . . . anyone but herself. . . . Pardon me for boring you . . . , Gather 'round while I give the inside dope on the dope.

Once Upon A Time . . . there was a woman by the name of Worden . . . She was neither free . . . nor white (another little dip . . . and she 'd been a nigger) . . . nor twenty-one . . . She lived in a glass house . . . and she threw stones . . . She married a guy . . . that seldom smiled . . . (You wouldn't smile, either . . . if you had her for a wife) . . . When I finish my life story . . . wake me up, will you? . . . Then, I'll do the same for you . . . After all, You would rather I talk about someone nice for a change, wouldn't you* . . . Here goes.

Carmen Crum . . . the new note in town . . . very individual and intriguing . . . She not only has looks . . . but personality . . . but definitely.

The Khaki Kitchen . . . catchy name . . . catchy patrons . . . Bound to collect costumers . . . and keep 'em coming.

Cpl George Parmentel . . . knows all of the . . . workable ways of winning the women.

. . . —A. B. W.

Avon Park Has First Junior Air Reserve Group

According to the "Washington Newsletter", published each week by the National Aeronautic Association, "The first Junior Air Reserve Group Command in the Southeast has been established at Avon Park, Florida, under direction of W. C. Pidgeon, director of academics at the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy.

Mr. Pidgeon says "the American Legion, Rotary Club, Woman's Club, and the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy are behind this Air Youth Program. The academic department's staff are donating their services to Air Youth work and are instructing boys and girls in class work as well as . . . building model airplanes and miniature naval vessels."

The above item had National circulation and speaks well for the community's interest in the Air Youth Program, which is not only operating in the United States, but throughout Canada, Mexico, and the South American Countries.

D. G. Perry, Personnel Officer announces that there are still a few openings for boys and girls in the local Junior Air Reserve Group and those interested should submit their application as soon as possible as the enrollment is limited.

It has been announced from Washington that the Air Youth Program will be extended to a half-hour broadcast instead of fifteen minutes, and will be aired on Friday nights instead of Saturday afternoons. Consult your daily newspapers for the time over the Blue network on N. B. C.

Verona Hotel Is Now Open

The Verona hotel, owned by Dr. W. C. Touchton and Earl H. Ware, and capably managed by Mrs. M. Beeler, has opened in its desirable location above the Barnett Bank and Touchton's' Drug store. The hotel has fifxteen rooms, well arranged on either side of a spacious L shaped lobby.

The commodious rooms are beautifully complete with modernistic furnishings, featuring simmons metal furniture, fine innersprings mattresses and box springs. Each room is furnished with a large, easy chair, venetian blinds, and other desirable items such as a bedside table, night lamp, and rugs. Running water in each room is an additional desirable feature.

The convenient location of the hotel, its attractive rooms, and the genial hospitality which prevails, serve to create a typical home-like atmosphere, that is most desirable to both permanent and transient guests.

Preparations For Gas Registration

Must Prove Need For Extra Gas If You Get It

Final preparation is being made in Highlands county for the second gasoline registration which will be held at various school buildings throughout the county, July 9, 10 and 11 from 7:30 a. m. to 9 p. m. Those who do not make application at the scheduled time, must wait until July 22 to fill the blanks.

The new four gallon rationing units go into effect July 22. After that time, any gasoline cards issued in the first registration will be void. Until the new books are valid the six gallon card unit will be used.

Unlike the first registration when each car owner was classified at the registration headquarters and five classifications were issued, all passenger automobiles or motorcycles will be granted an "A" or a "D" book. Any car owner desiring more than the basic gasoline may receive a supplementary rationing blank at the registration headquarters. The eight paged questionnaire is filled with questions regarding the applicants eligibility for additional motor fuel. The blanks must be mailed to the local rationing board who in turn reviews the case.

Largest Highlands County representation in this group will probably come from the defense works at Sebring and Avon Park. When the worker makes his request for additional fuel, he must prove that he is cooperating with the "Car Pooling" plan and that he is taking a group of workers to the field.

Doctors, ministers, and other men who heretofore have been granted unlimited supply of gasoline will be issued the basic A card and must prove their need for the extra gas via the questionnaire.

In the temporary rationing program, gasoline perchasers were permitted to consume the gasoline at any time during the rationing period. Under the new set-up, the coupons will be valid only for a sixty day period. The registration books which are for one year are divided into six pages, bearing eight coupons, each worth four gallons. At the close of each two months' period, the remaining coupons for that period will be declared void.

Those who will not be issued rationing books by the registration officials are ambulances and hearses; vehicles held by a dealer for sale or resale; taxis, jitneys, or vehicles leased from or held for rental by a car rental agency; vehicles owned or leased by a Federal, State, local or foreign government agency; a vehicle which is part of a fleet of four or more passenger automobiles (or motorcycles) used principally in the business or occupation (whether gainful or not) of the same person. Any vehicle in these categories must be rpresented before the rationing board by the owner before the rationing card is issued.

The information blank filled out by the applicant will contain the name and addresses, a description of the vehicle containing make, model, body type, license number and state of registration. Each car owner must accompany his application with the registration card of the vehicle.

Federal law provides extensive punishment for anyone making any false statement in the application.

Although the present plan will leave much responsibility on the local rationing board, the registrars will have a much easier task this time. All applications made at the school houses will be made on identical forms. At the temporary registration, several form types were used. The rationing books will be issued by the registrars.

M. M. Ferguson, county director of the second registration stated Wednesday that he has received 3200 gasoline rationing books to be distributed next week.

Assisting Mr. Ferguson in his job as head of the registration are the following school site administrators:

Prof. P. J. Gustat, Sebring; H.

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County Gets 180,215 Pounds Scrap Rubber

Highlands County citizens went over the top in the rubber salvage campaign by collecting 180,215 pounds. Of this amount, 173,114 pounds were collected during the past 15 days, according to an announcement made today by Mrs. Gene Sebring, chairman of the Salvage Committee for the Defense Council.

Mrs. Sebring states that everyone is very proud of the fine work which was done by the filling stations, bulk plants, Boy Scouts, American Legion Posts, and many other organizations as well as every individual citizen who participated in such a fine manner. She has asked that thanks be extended to everyone who helped put over the program in such a splendid way.

Co-Chairman Louis H. Alsmeyer stated that the results were especially gratifying when it was realized that it was decided that the quota be 3 pounds per capita, but thus far Highlands County citizens have raised over eighteen pounds per capita. This is much more than was expected by most folks and as the collection work will continue for another 10 days it was anticipated that several thousand more pounds will be secured.

Lake Placid lead the county in the amount of rubber per capita and figures show that they collected over 29,700 pounds. Hicoria collected over 4,470 pounds and Lorida collected 6,810 pounds. At DeSoto City there were 3,200 pounds of scrap rubber collected and 2,915 pounds at Venus. The citizens of Avon Park collected 62,716 pounds in that area and a similar amount was collected in the Sebring area. There may be a few more pounds collected which should go to the credit of some of these communities, but the big factor in the program, according to chairman Mrs. Sebring, is that everyone cooperated in a fine way to put over the program. This fine American cooperation will go a long way in winning the war.

Allowances For Soldier Dependents

MacDill Field, Tampa, Florida, July 2—Federal allowances for dependents of Army men in the four lowest ranks, as authorized in a bill signed by the President last week, will not be available before Nov. 1, according to a War Department announcement made at MacDill Field today.

The benefits, however, will be retractive to June 1, for dependents of men in the Army as of that date. Letters of inquiry and advance submission of claims can avail nothing, and will merely create more clerical work, it was pointed out.

Applicants must be made on the official form. These forms will be distributed throughout the Army and to covenient centers elsewhere, such as Army Recruiting Stations, where they will be available to the public. Some cases will require investigation before payment can be authorized.

Under the terms of the bill, dependents of privates, privates first class, corporals and line sergeants, are divided into two classes: "A," wives and children, also a divorced wife to whom alimony is payable, and "B," parents, brothers, sisters, grandparents or grandchildren.

A wife with no children will receive $50 monthly, $22 from the husband and $28 from the government. With one child, she will get $12 extra from the government, and $10 for every additional child.

If there are no Class "A" dependents, the service men must contribute $22, to which the government will add $15 for one dependent parent or $25 for two; $20 for one dependent and one sister or brother. Where there are both Class "A" and "B" dependents, the government will make the same contributions to support of dependent parents, brothers, or sisters, and deduct only $5 additional or a total of $27 from the man's service pay.

CANTEEN AID COURSE TO BE ORGANIZED

The organization meeting of women who desire to take the Canteen Aid Course, will be held at the Red Cross rooms, Friday, July 10 at 7:30 o'clock. The purpose of the course is to train women for canteen duty in case of emergency.

There is nothing that makes men rich and strong but that which they carry inside of them. Wealth is of the heart, not of the hand.—John Milton.

New Cartoon Sells War Bonds



The above cartoon poster, especially drawn to promote the sale of War Bonds and Stamps, will soon be seen throughout the United States. It is one of four new posters stressing new themes in the

Henry Myers, 91, Oldest Pioneer, Died Last Friday

Henry Myers, who first came to Avon Park in 1892, and with the exception of a short visit in the West, lived here continuously ever since, died at the Masonic Home in St. Petersburg last Friday, where he had been taken several months ago. 'Uncle Henry' was about 91 years of age at the time of his death, and had lived an eventful life, having travelled extensively.

He was a native German, but left his country at the age of 17, and jumped ship in San Francisco to gain entrance into this country. He worked as baggage master on a railroad in Colorado for several years. Later he came to Avon Park, and bought a small place on Duck lake, where he developed a grove and resided until a short time ago, when, nearly blind, he was taken to the Masonic Home in St. Petersburg. He was buried last Saturday in the Masonic cemetery there. He never married, and left no relatives. He was a life-long Mason, active in that order, and was a good citizen.

Four Arrested On Liquor Charges In Sebring

This was an unlucky week for bootleggers, four being arrested and posting bonds or paying fines, totaling $1,100 of which $600 was cash and one $500 surety bond.

According to information obtained at the sheriff's office, George North was charged with selling liquor illegally, pled guilty and paid a fine of $200. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kimbrough arrested on a similar charge posted a $200 cash bond each and Mrs. Pitts posted $500 surety bond after being arrested on charge of selling.

All bonds were for appearance in county court August 10.

Dr. Elliott Has Resigned As Pastor of Church

Dr. A. C. Elliott, who has served the Union Congregational Church, as its pastor for the past six years, has tendered his resignation, and it was accepted at a meeting of the church on Sunday morning. His resignation is effective October first.

Under Dr. Elliott's leadership, the church has enjoyed six years of splendid achievements, with all departments functioning in a cooperative manner. Mrs. Elliott has also been most active in the various departments of the church. Dr. Elliott states that their plans for the future are indefinite.

18-20 Registration Light; Many Have Already Enlisted

An incomplete report from the Selective Service Board Wednesday stated that 275 Highlands county youths had enrolled in the registration which was held Tuesday. Venus, Lorida, Fort Basinger, and Brighton districts were not included in this total.

Registrars had anticipated approximately 500 boys in the 18-20 age group to register throughout the county. Workers and school authorities stated that the decided difference was due largely to boys volunteering in the service, others leaving to accept defense jobs, and still others who are attending university summer sessions in the newly shortened collegiate program.

The totals as given by the Selective Service Board and including both colored and white are:

Sebring, 128; Avon Park, 125; Lake Placid, 16; and DeSoto City, seven.

Although the 20-year-old group is expected to be drawn from soon, the younger members of this last registration are not expected to be called.

The next call by the board will be made July 17. This will not include members of this last registration group.

Cleland Belin Air Tech School Enteers Army

Keesler Field, Miss., June 30—Pvt. Cleland B. Belin son of Mrs. Allie Lee Belin, Avon Park, Fla., has started his Army recruit drill at Keesler Field, the nation's greatest Army Air Forces Technical School.

Private Belin's training here will include instruction in marching, target practice, gas mask and bayonet drills. He also will be given orientation lectures, as well as aptitude tests to determine if he should be sent to an Army School.

In civilian life he was employed by a citrus packing house. He reported to Keesler Field on June 19.

WEEKLY DANCES AT SERVICE MEN'S CENTER

Beginning Tuesday, July 7th, weekly dances will be held at the Service Men's Center in addition to the regular Friday night dances which are now being conducted weekly. The Tuesday night dances will be "open house" dances also; that is, the girls attending will come to the clubhouse without escorts, and will be expected to remain for the entire dance. Chaperones and hostesses will be in charge, representing the Avon Park Defense Recreation Council, and girls not already registered with the council will be requested to register.

Soldiers' Rec. Club To Be Organized Here

The Defensee Recreational Council will hold a meeting at the Florida Public Service room next Thursday night to organize a Soldiers' Recreation Club, which will take over the job of providing recreation for soldiers stationed here.

The meeting is called by Ben Stewart, Highlands County Defense Chairman, who said the organization would be entirely local in nature and would be financed and operated by local people. The merchants and business houses of the city will be called upon to sponsor the organization and in large measure to provide the wherewithal to carry on its work, he said.

Memberships will be offered, daignated as Lieutenants, Captains, Majors, Colonels and Generals, Majors, Colonels and Generals, higher the membership. Every merchant will be asked to buy memberships in proportion to their ability and as they feel they are justified, Stewart said.

Letters will be out in a few days and a committee will call on merchants to ask them to subscribe to the organization, he said. The Defense Recreation Council which is sponsoring the program, and which has heretofore carried the brunt of this work, is a subdivision of Home and Community Service, of which Mrs. Harold Worden is chairman.

Khaki Kitchen Opened as Modern New Restaurant

The Khaki Kitchen, corner Main street and Lake avenue, modernistic in design and air-cooled throughout, was opened to the public on Tuesday, and presented an inviting appearance to its many patrons.

Chrome and red leather form an ideal combination for the furnishings, tables of various sizes occupying the main lounge, with comfortable booths on one side. An L shaped lounge near the handsome new soda fountain accentuates the hospitable atmosphere prevailing throughout the new establishment. Palms and huge floor baskets of fresh garden blossoms add an additional note of color.

The Khaki Kitchen is well managed and operated by a competent personnel, headed by Edward L. Jones, fully qualified to give the people of Avon Park the finest in foods. The soda fountain is under the management of Chas. Shore, and Mrs. J. L. Wells is dining room hostess.

In addition to a complete line of American dishes, the Khaki Kitchen will feature Cuban sandwiches and several popular Spanish dishes.

Desmond Roberts Thanks Senior Class for Gift

Aviation Cadet Desmond Roberts, of Maxwell Field, Ala., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roberts writes a "thank you" note to members of the senior class for the gift they sent him. Cadet Roberts was president of the graduating class, but was called into service prior to his graduation, and was unable to be present. The letter, in part, follows:

"I guess its about time I'm getting around to sending you a letter, I really should have done this long ago, but they keep me plenty busy at Maxwell.

I received the lovely gifts you sent me. The lighter is certainly a nice one, and the case is about the nicest I've ever seen yet. Thanks a lot, class, and I want you to each individually know that I appreciate it very much. It was fun being president to such a fine class, and my only regrets are that I wasn't with you on graduation.

I hope you each and everyone have the best of luck in anything you undertake, but know that my class won't fall in anything they do."

NEW HOURS AT RED CROSS ROOMS

The Red Cross rooms in the city hall will be open each Tuesday and Thursday from 2:30 until 4:30 instead of from 2 until 5, as heretofore. All workers please take note of the new hours.

Legion Holds Street Carnival On Mall Today

Gopher Race and Frog Jumping Among Features

The American Legion Street Carnival, opening Friday night, will run through Saturday night, and provide Fourth of July entertainment for the week end. The Legionnaires have set up booths and stands in the bandstand Mall and have some interesting features for entertainment.

July Fourth program opens Saturday afternoon at two o'clock with a patriotic address by Judge T. A. McNicholas, whose stirring addresses are a real inspiration to all who hear them.

Entertainment features for the afternoon and evening include a gopher race at 8 p. m. Some forty gophers have been "cotched" by the Legion's champion gopher catcher—a gentleman of color who knows how to get them, and they are now resting in an especially prepared stall, resting up and under strict training rules, to prepare them for the big race, which will provide some real fun for those who see it.

A frog jumping contest will wind up the program at 10 p. m. Saturday night. Here is a novel stunt that few people have ever seen. How far will the frogs jump and which will make the biggest leap. That is the question.

There will be bingo, conducted by the recreation committee for benefit of soldiers recreation, music, games, soda and drinks, and what have you. Everybody is going.

County Gets New Bond Quota Of $58,400

The July quota of $58,400 for war savings bonds and stamp sales for Highlands County was announced yesterday by the U. S. Treasury Department. This is $8,000 more than the total sales in Sebring during April and May and according to an estimate made by Guignard Maxcy, county chairman in charge of bond sales, the quota for July is larger than the total sales for June.

Reports on the sales during June are not yet available but the quota for June was $32,600 which was $300 under the total sales for May. Mr. Maxcy stated this week that judging from individual purchases known to have been made in comparatively large blocks the sales for June are well above the quota.

He stated however, that the July quota may be much more difficult to meet because the returns from citrus sales are practically all in and many of the large purchases during the past three months have been made by citrus growers who invested considerable of the profits from their crops in bonds. Many who realize more profit this year than last invested all of their increase in profits in bonds.

Much of this source of sales be-ing depleted, Mr. Maxcy stated, will necessiate an intensive drive for the sale of stamps and bonds under the payroll budget plan.

In anticipation of this drive a meeting has been called for ten o'clock next Thursday morning at the Jararanda hotel in Avon Park, to which those in charge of sales in the county and the leading employers in the county are invited.

Karl Lehmann, Deputy Administrator for the state will attend this meeting and assist the local committee and leading citizens in formulating plans for the drive.

JOINS MERCHANT MARINE

James Smith has joined the Merchant Marine, and this week returned from a coastwide trip. He leaves Monday to sign on for another trip. He is rated as an oiler. Smith followed the sea for a number of years before coming to Avon Park, and when war broke out, decided to get back into service, where he "figured he would serve Uncle Sam best."

Folks You Know . .

Mrs. Gilbert Kreiger left Thursday for Tallassee, Ala., to visit reelatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Felknor returned home Sunday from a visit with relatives in Tampa.

Young Freddie P. Ley of Tallahassee is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Baldwin.

Betty Lynn Helms left Thursday for Miami, where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. W. S. Rawlings has as her house guest, Miss Betty Flanagan of Columbus, Ga.

Mrs. G. C. Mills and son, Hadsell of Wauchula, were guests of Mrs. Hadsell's sister, Mrs. A. O. Kinsey and Mr. Kinsey on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Barwick and two children, Pete and Jerry of Miami are visiting relatives here, and in Lake Placid, and Wauchula.

Mrs. Fred Patterson has returned home from New York, where she has been visiting her son, Joe Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pillsbury of Schenectady, N. Y., have been spending this week in Avon Park, looking after property interests.

Mrs. W. B. Archer left Wednesday for Sarasota to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Etheridge for several days.

Miss Selma Hjermsted, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, returned this week to her home in Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. F. E. Wray left Sunday for Leesburg, where she was called by the serious illness of her uncle, Frank Gray.

Teddy Ward and George Harper returned home Wednesday from Mount Dora, where they have been attending the Presbyterian conference.

Miss Jayne Alston Napier of Columbia, Tenn., who has been the house guest of her aunt, Mrs. Chas. F. Kenney and Mr. Kenney, left this week for Miami, where she will spend some time, before returning home.

Allen Zender, LAMA flight instructor who has been spending several days in Chicago, and other points, is returning home today.

Cpl. Tillman Crosby, Sgt. Fred Garrett, and Pvt. Bill Goolsby left Friday morning for Camp Bowie, Texas, after enjoying a ten days leave at their homes here.

Sgt. Richard Bennett, who has been spending several days here on furlough, left Thursday morning for Atlanta, Ga., where he is stationed.

Mrs. Walter S. Martin and son, Walter Gable Martin, left Wednesday for Atlanta and Marietta, Ga., where they will visit relatives for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bost and two children, Marcella and Lamar have gone to Bainbridge, Ga., where Mr. Bost is employed with the Star Hangar Company.

Mrs. J. B. Francis and son, Kennard of Montgomery, Ala., arrived Wednesday for a week's visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. B. Francis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haynie returned home Monday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Campbell in St. Cloud, and in Orlando, where they visited other friends.

Mrs. C. M. Saucer and son, Clyde Saucer, Jr., of Baldwin, are the guests of the former's brother in law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Kinsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hoppe have leased the Pillsbury home at Highland Lakes, which was formerly occupied by Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves.

Pvt. Hobby Harden, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Harden, has received his honorable discharge from the army, due to ill health, and reeturned home this week. Pvt. Harden, who has been stationed at Camp Blanding, has been confined to the Lawson General hospital for the past two months.

Dr. John Donaldson and son, John Donaldson, jr., of Washington D. C. are spending a vacation with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Donaldson.

John Childers, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Childers, and his cousin, Jack Dampier of Lake Wales, are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Pate at thier home in Ashburn, Ga.

Hugh Prickett, former resident, who has been spending the past several weeks in Blountsville, Ala. returned to Avon Park this week. Mrs. Prickett remained temporarily in Blountsville.

Mrs. Ed Gough spent Friday in Orlando, and was accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Virginia Gough, who is spending the week end holiday with her parents.

Mrs. M. L. Rogers, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Georgia Belle Sapp and children of Lake Placid, left Friday for Collins, Ga. to visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. A. A. Alexander and family. Mrs. Alexander and children have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rogers and other relatives here, and returned at the same time to their home in Collins.

Rev. Wade C. Smith and daughter, Miss Elizabeth Smith returned home Wednesday from Mount Dora, where they have been on the staff at the Prebyterian conference. Rev. Smith has been instructor, and has been using his well. known "Little Jetts" as illustrations. Miss Smith has been a camp counsellor.

Rev. and Mrs. Hoyt Tatum spent last night in Bradenton, and will be accompanied home today by their son, Bill, who has been visiting his grandparents. They were accompanied to Bradenton by Marjorie Hetherington, who will visit her aunt, Mrs. W. O. Gentry and family.

Mrs. W. A. Davison and her mother, Mrs. Fannie D. Johnson, who formerly resided at Highland Lakes, and have been living at Scotsmoor, Florida the past two years, have moved to Binghamton, N. Y., where they will make their home with Mrs. Davison's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Kelly.

Lieut. Edward Sawan leaves today for Akron, Ohio, where he will visit his parents for two weeks.

Bonds buy bombs, Stamps buy bullets! Buy U. S. Defense Bonds

Church Notes

CHURCHES OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"God" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, July 5.

The Golden Text is: "There is none holy as the Lord: for there is none beside thee: neither is there any rock like our God" (1 Samuel 2:2).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Praise ye the Lord: for it is good to sing praises unto our God; for it is pleasant; and praise is comely. He healeth the broken in heart, and bindeth up their wounds. Great is our Lord, and of great power: his understanding is infinite. He sendeth forth his commandment upon earth: his word runneth very swiftly" (Ps. 147:1,3,5,15).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "God is Mind, and God is infinite; hence all is Mind. On this statement rests the Science of being, and the Principle of this Science is divine, demonstrating harmony and immortality" (p.492:23-28).

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 10:00 A. M.

All who are interested in the Scriptures are cordially invited to spend this hour with us in the study and discussion of the lesson for the day: "The Consequences of Sin." A knowledge of the Bible is in itself a liberal education.

Morning worship and Holy Communion at 11:00 o'clock, with sermon by Dr. Elliott. To all who love Christ and confess Him before men, the invitation is given to gather with us around the Lord's Table and do this in remembrance of Him who died for our redemption. Christ gave His all for us, can we not give an hour to worship Him and thank Him for His dying love? "Is it nothing to you, all ye that pass by?" Come, let us adore Him and bow with grateful hearts at His feet.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Hoyt Tatum, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 A. M.

Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.

Youth Fellowship Meeting 7:15 M.

Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.

Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P. M.

"A Gracious Invitation" will be the communion meditation theme Sunday morning. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

This is Independence Sunday. Our Nation commemorates another anniversary of its Independence. An excellent time to discover some of the sources of our Nation's strength. "Christianity and Decmocracy" will be the sermon theme at 8:00 P. M.

The public is cordially invited to worship at the First Methodist Church.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday School with classes for all at 10:00 A. M.

Morning preaching and communion service with James Jordon delivering the sermon at 10:45 A. M.

Young people's class with an interesting lesson always at 7:30 P. M.

Evening preaching service at 8:30 with James Jordon preaching.

The subject of the morning sermon will be "The Church—Its Meaning" and the evening subject will be "The Triumph of Love."

We invite you out to hear these two sermons, the last that Brother Jordon will preach here for quite a while, and to attend each of the above mentioned services.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Communion 7:30 A. M.

Sunday School 9:00 A. M.

Holy Communion and Sermon 11:00 A. M.—Richard I. Brown, vicar.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Communion 8:00 A. M.

Sunday School 9:30 A. M.

Morning Prayer and Sermon 11:00 A. M.—Richard I Brown, vicar.

CATHOLIC CHURCH SERVICES

Woman's Club House

Verona avenue

July 5th

Sunday Morning Mass 8:30 A. M.

When you're necking in the parlor and you hear a noise upstairs, it's a good idea to listen, look and stop!

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By RUSSELL KAY

Many prophecies concerning the present world conflict have been brought to light. Through a friend who has made a hobby of collecting them I recently received copies of a number that are amazing in their portrayal of the present situation.

In the year 1600 a monk called Brother John foretold the coming of the "Antichrist" predicted in the Bible. He wrote:

"The real Antichrist will be a German monarch, who will invoke God and give himself out as his messenger. This prince of lies will represent himself as the arm of the Most High, sent to chastise corrupt peoples. For several years he will act by craft and strategy. His spies will traverse the earth and will reveal to him the secrets of the mighty.

A war will furnish him an opportunity to throw off the mask. After two weeks the world will recognize that the war he originated against the French nation is of universal character.

He will be recognized by these tokens: He will massacre the priests, the monks, the women, the children and the aged. He will show no mercy, but will pass torch in hand, like the barbarians of old. His words will be those of a Christian but his actions will resemble those of Nero and of the Roman persecutors. He will have an eagle on his arms and there will be an eagle on the arms of his confederate another monarch.

In order to conquer Antichrist, it will be necessary to kill more men than Rome has ever contained. It will take the combined efforts of all his antagonists, because France, England and Russia will not be able to make an end of Germany without the aid of the prayers of all human race.

His armies will include millions. There will be Christians among his cohorts, and there will be Mohammedans and heathens among his antagonists. There will not be in the whole world a single spot that is not red. Heaven and earth, water and air, will be red, for blood will flow in the four elements at once.

Germany will find itself forced to relinquish its hold upon France in order to fight Russia, whereupon France will pursue the Antichrist into his own land.

The battles fought up to that time will be as nothing compared to those which will take place in the country of the Third Reich, for the seven angles will simultaneously pour out the fire of their censors upon the impious land.

The beast will lose his authority and die in solitude and madness. His empire will be divided into states."

The foregoing prophecy is remarkable in that it so clearly pictures the present conflict and actually refers to the 'Third Reich' although written over 300 years ago.

In the year 1859 the following prophecy was given by the Cure d'Ars, Father Vianney in France.

"There will be a great war. France will stand and drive her enemy back. A second war will follow after a certain lapse of time. The enemy will return and destroy as they come. Effective resistance will not be made. They will be allowed to advance and after that their supplies will be cut off and they will suffer great loss. They will retreat toward their own country. They will be followed and few will reach their goal. Then all that have taken will be restored and much more in addition.' Long before the term "Fascism" was ever heard, a German poet, Jew by birth, gave the following prophecy in the year 1842:

"When revolution begins to sweep the earth, we shall see the emergence of the most appalling of all antagonists who ever stood forth to do battle against the existing order. This antagonist has not yet made its appearance, but will emerge under the term "Fascism" and will be the most redoubtable adversary who has ever marched against the existing order."

In the last chapter of the Book of Daniel, written twenty-two centuries ago, will be found a startling word picture of the rise of Adolph Hitler to power.

Because I found these prophecies of considerable interest I pass them along to the readers of this column. Space does not permit the publishing of a number of others, but if you are interested and so advise me, I will give others in a later column.

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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. G. LARGE, E. W. RIMER, R. M. SHAVER, R. R. HEISKELL, HENRY G. ALLEN, 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 OSBORN COMPANY, a corporation under the laws of the State of New Jersey; H. 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-KREPE COMPANY a dissolved corporation; all parties claiming interests by, through, under or against FRANK G. GARDNER, MAE A. CABLE, HARRY J. CABLE, WILEY C. TAYLOR, M. C. TAYLOR, GEORGE C. LARGE, E. W. RIMER, R. M. SHAVER, R. R. HEISKELL, THE CONTINENTAL MORTGAGE COMPANY OF BALTIMORE, INC., THE OSBORN COMPANY, H. HELLER AND COMPANY, FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION, SAYER & COMPANY, INC., ISTOKPOGA SALES COMPANY, ISTOKPOGA BANANA PLANTATION COMPANY, THE IVEY PROPERTIES, INC., and BRYAN-KREEPE 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 certificates 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 West Half of Southeast Quarter (W½ of SE¼) of Section Twenty-five (25); and the North, east 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.

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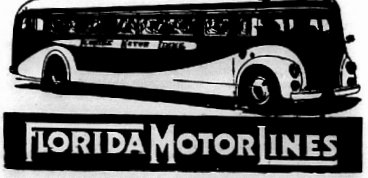

FLORIDA MOTOR LINES

Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Trump It Club Is Delightfully Entertained

Mrs. Devon Reddick was a cordial hostess to members of the Trump It club, and a few addition. al friends, at a most delightful dessert bridge at her home on Wednesday. Zinnias, in varying shades, decorated the party rooms.

The dainty dessert course, served before the games, consisted of gingerale parfait and individual cakes.

High score prize for the afternoon, a box of Tweed dusting powder, was won by Mrs. Bill Sachsenmaier; second high, a box of fragrant soap, was given to Mrs. James A. Davis; and the floating prize was awarded to Mrs. George Haynie, who received a novelty match container.

Those enjoying the party were Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, Mrs. George Haynie, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. J. C. DeShong, Mrs. James A. Davis, Mrs. Harold Rowe, and Mrs. Bill Sachsenmaier.

Sucking Insects

The sucking insects do not chew the foliage but stick their beaks into the tissue and live on the juices of life blood of the plant.

Methodists Honor New Pastor and Family on Monday

An "old fashioned pounding" was held at the Methodist parsonage on Monday evening, when members arrived en masse to surprise their new pastor, the Rev. Hoyt Tatum and Mrs. Tatum. Group games formed enjoyable entertainment for the evening.

Later, delicious refreshments of cookies and punch were served from the prettily decorated dining table, overlaid with a lace cloth, and centered with the punch bowl. Bouquets of summer garden flowers lent an attractive note. Misses Gloria Hughs, Doris Reddick, Elizabeth Hall, Margaret Harper, and Jerry Connell assisted in serving.

The pounding, which consisted of a choice variety of canned goods and similar items, was presented to the Tatums by Royal Lamb, who arrived in the attire of a grocery boy drawing a wagon, which was piled high with packages.

Those sharing the evening with the honor guests were Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Reddick, Mr. and Mrs W. T. Connell, Mr. and Mrs A. C. Wester, Mr. and Mrs. A. McKee Elwell, Mr. and Mrs. Reason Shivers, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Elder, Mr. and Mrs T. J. Ward, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, Mrs. C. H. Gerrard, Mrs. J. D. Raab, Mrs. J. H. Kirkwood, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Mattie Lee Hagan, Mrs. J. T. Lamb, Mrs. I. L. Hall, Mrs. T. H. Hughs, Misses Gloria Hughs, Doris Reddick, Elizabeth Hall, Margaret Harper, Betty Rose Ford, Jerry Connell, Royal Lamb, Jackie Ward, John Elwell, C. H. Pardee, and Hayes Maxwell.

Mrs. McGinnis Is Honoree at Surprise Birthday Party

Mrs. Vera Garner was a gracious hostess at a delightful surprise party on Thursday evening, given in honor of the birthday anniversary of her sister-in-law, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis. Five tables were in play during the evening.

Gladioli and calendulas, tastefully arranged decorated the party rooms, and accented a color motif of pink, green, yellow and white. These chosen colors also predominated in the tallies, scorepads, and prize wrappings.

High score individual prizes, when scores were totaled, were given to W. R. Carter and Mrs. Bill Sachsenmaier; Mrs. John Bunting received ladies' second high award, and J. C. DeShong, second high for men. The floating prize was won by T. J. McGinnis. The hostess presented the honoree with a dainty necklace and bracelet, in costume jewelry.

After the games, the tables were overlaid with covers in pastel shades, with matching napkins. A lighted birthday cake was placed before the honoree, who made the traditional wish, and extinguished the candles. The cake was served with pink and white ice cream, topped with whipped cream, in which twinkled a miniature birthday candle, in either pink or green. Punch was served during the games, and pastel mints were on each table for the enjoyment of the guests.

Friends sharing this delightful occasion with Mrs. McGinnis and Mrs. Garner were T. J. McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Felknor, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hall, Mr. and Mrs. John Bunting, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. DeShong, Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, Mrs. George Haynie, Mrs. Devon Reddick, Mrs. Brisco Willis, Mrs. Carson Murphy, and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ginn, Jr.

Lovely Party At Home of Lester Armstrongs

Roses and zinnias, augmented with attractive bouquets of other summer garden flowers, were used in artistic arrangements, to decorate the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong on Thursday evening, when they entertained their bridge club at a delightful party.

When scores were totaled, following several enjoyable progressions, high award was presented to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hood; second high, was given to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley; Mrs. Milford Dilley received the floating prize; and Captain James B. Hall, the guest prize.

The hostess served a dainty sweet course late in the evening, and punch refreshed the guests during the evening.

Club members and guests participating in the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong on this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Freed Peden, Mrs. J. L. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Captain James B. Hall, Captain M. Goodfrey, Lieut. Edward Sawan, Miss Frances Browne, and Mrs. Dick Brown, Jr., of Atlanta, Ga.

Auxiliary Meets on Wednesday at Home Mrs. Mandis

St. Margaret's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church was entertained on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Demos Mandis. Mrs. R. R. Brown, president, presided, and Mrs. Alexander Gilmour led the opening devotional.

It was announced that the July luncheon meeting of the Altar Guild will be held at the home of Mrs. Chas. F. Kenney next Wednesday.

During the social hour the hostess served dainty refreshments, consisting of salad, crackers, cookies, tea, and crystallized ginger.

Auxiliary members and guests enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mrs. R. I. Brown, Mrs. R. O. Knight, Miss Olive Knight, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. Alexander Gilmour, Mrs. Harriet Ottley, Mrs. Chas F. Kenney, Mrs. Frank Truan, Mrs. C. P. Turner, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mrs. W. A. Roberts, Mrs. W. D. Dorminey, and Mrs. Norman Boosey.

Bridge Club Met at Porterfield Home on Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Porterfield entertained members of their bridge club at a lovely party at their home on Thursday evening. Roses and caladiums decked the party rooms to pleasing advantage.

High score for the evening was won by Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, and second high, by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier. Both awards were Defense Stamps. The hostess served a delectable refreshment course, consisting of ice cream and cake late in the evening.

Those enjoying the evening were Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, R. R. Brown, and T. A. McNicholas.

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

Notice is hereby given, that William E. Bennett holder of Tax Certificate No. 434, issued the 8th 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:

Lots 5 & 8 Block 70 Avon Park Section 22 Twp 33 S 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. PIETTY,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31.

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

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 Range 33 East Less Lots 1,5-6-7 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.

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IN THE COUNTY JUDGE'S COURT, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
In Re: Estate Of
MALCOLM L. MacPHAIL,
Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO ALL CREDITORS, LEGATEES, DISTRIBUTEES AND ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST SAID ESTATE:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified and requested to present any claims and demands which you, or any of you, may have against the estate of Malcolm L. MacPhail, deceased, late of Cayuga County, New York, to the County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, at his office in the Court House at Sebring, Florida, within twelve months from date of first publication hereof which is June 19, A. D. 1942.

EDNA C. MacPHAIL,
As Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Malcolm L. MacPhail, Deceased.
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Defense Council Says

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

The scrap rubber drive is on for another ten days. Let's all get busy and hunt up every scrap of rubber and turn it in for Uncle Sam.

Highlands County is doing itself proud on the scrap rubber drive. Due to the splendid response the first week our quota was increased from 27,000 to 110,000 pounds. On June 30, 159,000 pounds had been collected. Keep up the good work and make a grand record. Uncle Sam needs it all to win this war.

To conserve sugar, try honey. Honey imparts a delicious flavor of its own to cookery. Try baking bread, cakes and meats with honey season vegetables and fruits with it. For palatable, distinctive drinks drop a spoonful or two of honey in hot tea or coffee; mix a tablespoon with a glass of milk for children.

There is an urgent need for volunteers as airplane observers in the Air Craft Warning Service which is directly under Army supervision. Our County should maintain 24 hour service at all its observation posts but moree help is required. This service is not to protect just the towns in our County but is a vital link in the state at large service.

We are proud of our Junior Air Reserve Corps at Avon Park. This consists of some 50 children in four flights, under instruction of Lodwick Ground School specialists supervised by W. C. Pidgeon and W. W. Harwood.

The Navy was with us this week and Chief Recruiting Officer O. J. Purdom states that the strict requirements as to eyes has been dropped. Men may now enlist with vision of 15/20 and 6/20. Many men recently denied Navy service on account of eye defects are now urged to again volunteer.

Negro volunteers are also needed and the service now offers special training for officers for them. Call at your nearest Naval Recruiting Office, or contact Navy Recruiting Office, Tampa, Florida.

And, we had the Marines with us too. Sergeant George L. Cunningham, Recruiting Officer said that he was gratified with the response in Highlands County. Many men throughout Florida are eager to join the Marine Corps and those who have been unable to meet the Recruiting Officer are requested to contact United States Marine Corps, Orlando, Florida.

Men in this branch of Service serve on land and sea and in the air. In cooperation with the Navy, Marine recruits are offered the opportunity to attend innumerable trades schools and also receive training as radio experts and aviation technicians. Ages 17-23 for enlistment.

Don't forget the building survey in progress. Have the following fire and incendiary bomb fighting equipment ready when your home is inspected: one long-handled, blunt-nosed shovel, two buckets of dry sand, garden hose or chemical fire extinguisher, ladder, all placed convenient to an opening to attic or roof. Your cooperation is required and names of those not prepared will be sent to Tallahassee, State Defense Council.

Remember, the new Federal automobile tax stamp is now on sale. You may need this to be eligible for the gas rationing July 9, 10, and 11.

VICTORY IS OURS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crosby and daughter, Delores, returned home Monday night from Daytona Beach, where Mr. Crosby has been taking a three week's University of Florida extension course, in connection with his work as instructor of welding and vocational classes. Mrs. Crosby and Delores joined him two weeks ago.

Seeing is Believing



Reward For Lost Dog

Our dog has wandered off. A female 7 months old, small, white with brown markings, long silky hair answers to the name of Babe. She is very dear to us and sorely missed. A reward will be paid for her return or information leading to her return.—Reply to Sun office to contact owner.

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COON QUIBBLINGS

(BY PORKY MASCOT)

Small Talk: Pfc. Fred Schoeffler will not go near the Lake when any frills are on the pier. 'Oh gosh, ugh, ugh," (quote). "I don't want to go down there—them's gals down at the pier." It's the same old story in the Buckles manse. Buck said no—his wife said yes. She got a batch of new clothes. Pfc. Rocco Pascali returned from his jaunt to New Jersey. Cpl. Russ Farwell drove back from Illinois. Pfc. Chuck Hurray hated to leave Pennsy. The Kirk family have a two-legged man of muscle added to their family. It's a boy and all three, Mama, Papa and Junior, are doing fine. Hattie sent T/Sgt. F. W. Hailey a heart-shaped plum via special messenger Pfc. Nor White flew to Reno, Nevada on his furlough and had a good time way out in the land of indians and cowboys. Pvt. Eugene Strickland spent his ten days in Atlanta and Gainesville, Georgia.

1st Sgt. R. W. Paden had reason to be so happy this week. He sat at his desk and occasionally burst forth with excerpt from well known songs talked—laughed to hisself. He wasn't nutty—his gal was in town and he was just happy about the whole thing. Took extra pains with his hair too.

Cpl. George Parmentel chose not to run one morning. Someone else chose he would. Result, Parmy ran and the Command Car ran behind him to see to it that he did.

Cpl. Jimmy Ford's got good taste. The gal's name is Carmen Crum and she's a bit of okay.

At the present time the B & G is advocating a drive on Defense Bonds. Confidentially, the only bonds that might possibly interest we characters are the ones that they claim to bottle grog in.

They generously appointed some more non-commissioned officers recently but the guys affected didn't know anything about it because instead of drawing a picture on the bulletin board, the 1st Sgt. unwittingly put it in writing.

Some of the lads who possess a subnormal amount of gray matter, but claim an extra allotment of bravery, are going in for the hazardous occupation of piloting gliders. Now you can see to what length the boys will go to obtain a divorce from this happy gathering. That nationally known organ "The Avon Park Times" has printed controversial statements from both pro and con and so far everyone is up in the air except the embryonic G. I's. The official B & G organ also recently doubled its appearance of any news of local interest but rather due to news of definite disinterest as the extra two pages were necessitated by the publication of the real estate tax statements.

The Service Men's Recreation Center has taken on a new atmosphere since the advent of Junior Hostesses charmingly called Military Maids. The local charmers are on tap throughout the afternoon and evening and for the small consideration of a request they will sacrifice the safety of life and limb so that enjoyment of a dance may be experienced. This is the most positive all out movement that has been witnessed in these parts since the last hurrican.

Ode to Leffingwell. He was a good guy and a formidable character. He was the constant companion of the Klown Prince of the Kitchen, "Sheep Herder" Waddell and the two cracked many a tough case. The toughness of the case was usually not apparent until the following morn. The cooking of this stellar personage was superb. In fact, without fear of over-statement. He was Responsible For More Gastronomical Miscarriages than he is normally cursed for. George (as known to his intimate inmates) was the possessor of superb fortitude but the going got just too tough. Trained and developed over a long period as he was the prospect of eating one more meal at the B & G was a little more than the slumm burner could stand and so he took the easy way out. The 91st Bomb Squadron now claimes possession of our protege' and the prospect of stirring up a stew with one hand whilst fending off hostile Japs with the other is preferable to that of the life he places behind him.

Last Satmon rumors flew about Avon Park that the B & G dear to the hearts of all A. P. (not the market chain) citizens, was making ready to shove off for ports unknown. Pshaw, 'twas only a rumor the boys were called out for Field Inspection. Sgt. "Curley" Holder had a run of hard luck. He couldn't decide whether to display his drawers on top of the field equipment or to wear them over his trousers. Settled the question finally by putting them next to his gas mask. The men in white, Corenblum, Waddell, etc. showed up without their mess kits. Thats something; when a Cook forgets his eating gear. The whole lot adjacent to the Armory looked as if a huge rummage sale was in progress. However, nothing changed hands. Out of chaos (men wondering just where they should put this or that piece of apparatus) came order and the Inspecting Officer walked up and down the rows of display marking down each man who had equipment lacking. He passed Sgt. H. K. Norton, of the Supply Room, and said, "You should have something." Norton was pleased as pie—he had everything.

Editors Farwell and B'hend rode all over town on one ration card doing their best to find a few of their many unknown friends. At each house where these two wolves stopped they had it all figured out just what they'd say when they went up to the door. "We were just riding by and thought we'd stop in." What they really wanted to say was, "Is your daughter home?" Oh they're a smooth lot—these two.

Lower your sails mates—we're in for a bit of a blow. It seems as though a bit of news appeared in this column last week which started town tongues wagging. Nothing but a choice morsel of how play was intended, but a few members of our local girls club got together and you know what that means—"Oh my dear, have I got some news for you," so goes their chatter. Then out comes some long purely unmitigated story. We hear that a girl has but once to walk down town with some guy and they are serious about one another. The second walk has them engaged and the third walk marriage. If they'd not married and are seen together a fourth time—whew—put that shot gun away—I'll do right by little Nell. Let's grow up—stop being bottle necks to defense.

Sunday last, Cpl. S. T. 'Pudgy' Drew invited a few of the boys into the inner sanctum to view some color films. Things were swell. Pictures were beautiful. Then it happened—Drew had been showing close-ups of purty flowers and all at once he showed shots of his companie's products—Gulf Goo. Even among friends he has to get a plug in for 'G' for great, 'U' for unique, 'L' for lovely and 'F' for fooey if he pulls another trick like that again.

We close our mighty column this week with a bit of news received via pen card. The card wasn't intended for our eyes, but it might interest you to learn Pfc. Chuck Snyder's real moniker is 'Dear Dark Eyes'.

2nd Lieutenant John L. Goodman Promoted

Enlisted Men of the B & G aren't the only one's receiving promotions this week. One Officer, too, passed out cigars to announce his new rating. 2nd Lieutenant John L. Goodman was notified of his promotion to the grade of 1st Lieutenant by the War Department, Washington, D. C.

A New Yorker by birth and upbringing, Lt. Goodman attended George Washington High School and New York University. He graduated in 1934 from the University with a B. S. degree in chemical Engineering. Subsequently he worked for the General Chemical Company and is a member of the American Chemical Society. He spent nine months as a subaltern with the Civilian Conservation Corps.

Lt. Goodman received his initial appointment in the Army during the early part of 1937 and has been on active duty at Fort DuPont, Deleware. He has been with the Bombing and Gunnery Range Detachment since its organization in 1941.

He speaks French and German and makes Stamp Collecting his hobby. His favorite sports are golf, volleyball and bowling.

B & G Cowboy To Ride In Rodeo

Pvt. Ralph A. Clark, professional trick rider of many years experience, will perform in the Arcadia All Florida Championship Rodeo, July 4th and 5th. The show will include horse racing, trick riding, steer roping, rope tricks and many exciting acts in which 115 Florida cowboys will be featured. Competition for prizes between these local boys is terrific, Clark says, and in their efforts to out do each other a number of arms and legs are broken every year. It's a wild and wooly show with lots of action and excitement.

In addition to the cowboys of Florida, other professional rodeo entertainment will be presented.

Clark is an old timer in the rodeo business and has appeared in the Arcadia show for the last five years. Also, he has been presented in rodeos in Cheyenne, Wyoming each January. He worked with the Ringling Brothers Circus five years appearing in many acts and training trick and jumping horses. He has toured the entire U. S. and in 1931 went with Tex Austin who staged a rodeo in London at the Wembley Statum. There in competition with 40 trick riders he won third place. An expert at the Roman standing jump, in one act he stood on two horses, one foot on each, while the horses jumped over an automobile.

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K. Brown, Hndricks Field; Principal Claude Marion, E. O. Douglas colored school, Sebring; C. S. Pardee, Avon Park; George Kelsey, DeSoto City; Jack Sims, Lake Placid and Brighton; John Phay, also of Lake Placid; W. H. Cannon, Venus; M. Paul Rigler, Lorida, and Miss Edna Pearce, Fort Bassinger.

The site administrators are being assisted by school teachers who have not left for their summer vacations and volunteer citizen workers. All previous rationing registrations have been conducted almost solely by the school teachers.

The Highlands County program for conducting the registration is similar to the plan used over the entire eastern seaboard. Registration dates and hours are the same throughout the entire rationing area.





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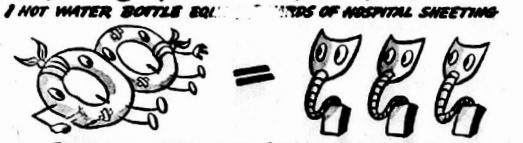
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Mrs. Johnnie Abbott . . . Sprinkling of silver in her hair . . . and warm friendliness in her smile.

Nearest thing to a fire cracker . . . that I spotted on the fourth . . . was a hat worn by a local lady . . . Kept wondering when . . . the thing would explode . . . —A. B. W.

Gas Registration Continues Here Through Saturday

Avon Park gas registration opened in the school house Thursday morning, and about 225 car owners applied for basic A cards. The registration, in charge of C. S. Pardee, is being conducted by about 30 volunteer workers, working in three shifts daily. Hours are from 8:30 to 12:00 noon, and 1 to 9:00 p. m.

The colored people are registering at the colored school house, where the registration is in charge of Highlands Post, American Legion, Post Commander Howard Maddox in charge.

In the last registration, 980 cards were issued to whites and 203 cards to colored. The present registration will top this figure, Pardee said, due to the influx of defense workers in this area, and he said he looked for at least 250 more cards to be issued than previously.

Truck owners need not apply for basic A cards, Pardee said. They will make application directly to the rationing board, and will be allowed gas as according to their needs and the importance of their work.

The chief difference between this registration and the other, is that every car owner will be entitled to a booklet for a basic amount of gasoline. The unit will be approximately four gallons a week. Anyone desiring additional gas must fill out an eight page information folder, answering questions regarding the person's need for additional fuel. The questionnaire must be acted upon by the local rationing board before additional gas will be granted.

Present indications are if anyone obtains additional gasoline under false pretense of if anyone uses the extra amount for another than the specified work, his rationing book may be revoked. The federal law provides severe penalties for making false statements.

The new books will be good for a period of one year. There are six pages to the book, and each page is good for a specified time. Old rationing cards will be void when the motorists begin using the new books.

Car owners failing to register for gas rationing books must appear before the local rationing board to obtain one.

City Considers Operating Bus Line to Range

Ask For Bids For Purchase of Two Buses

The City of Avon Park is considering entering the bus business, and if financial arrangements can be made the city council expects to have buses running between town and the bombing range within a short time.

The council had a discussion of the proposition at a meeting Tuesday night, and decided to advertise for bids for two buses, of from 30 to 40 passenger capacity. The advertisement appears elsewhere in this issue. The city also is advertising for bids on a new police car.

The bus proposition has been under consideration for some time, and is looked upon by the council as a profitable proposition. Before going into the matter, the council had City Attorney Perry Murray advise them on the legality of entering into the enterprise, and he gave a written opinion that the charter allows the city to operate such a bus line.

The bus line would be a self-supporting and self-liquidating proposition, under the proposed plan, according to President A. E. Delaney. "If the city is able to go into the business, it will be operated entirely from revenue derived from that source," he said, "and there would be no taxes to support it. Eventually, it is hoped, the line would pay a profit to the city, which would help pay some of the operating expenses of the city and relieve taxpayers to some extent."

The council is investigating costs and types of buses, fares to be charged and other operating problems, and will receive bids for buses at next Monday night's meeting.

Another matter under discussion was the possibility of putting on a utility tax in Avon Park to help provide money for operating the city. Such a tax would affect light bills, Green's Fuel and other such gases, and kerosene, according to the discussion. A small levy for garbage collection was also considered as a possible source of revenue.

Scrap Rubber Drive Continues To Get Results

Highlands County citizens are still bringing in some rubber in the extended scrap rubber drive according to the Chairman, Mrs. Gene Sebring. In the drive which was extended to July 10th, records show that Highlands County is thus far one of the high counties in Florida in per capita in rubber collections. This is especially important when we realize that Florida is the leading state east of the Mississippi River in the present Program.

Mrs. Sebring is anxious that anyone who has additional rubber turn same in before mid.night this Friday night.

Co-Chairman, Louis H. Alsmeyer, stated that the carload of rubber being loaded at Avon Park by the American Legion was shipped to the Goodyear Rubber Corporation at Gadsdan, Alabama, and that the second car will be loaded in a few days. The rubber which was collected by the various oil companies will be handled direct by them.

County Agent Alsmeyer also wishes to remind folks that in the Metal Salvage Campaign, all of this material should be gathered up at this time, and that another carload shipment is expected to be made next week. The original goal for scrap metal for Highlands County was 83,154 pounds and on June 1st the Committee raised the goal to 120,000 pounds and by the first of this week 165,115 pounds had already been shipped by rail or truck. This is nearly double the original quota set by the state headquarters. It is now expected that over 200,000 pounds of scrap wire will be shipped from Highlands County during the first seven months of this year.

36 Selectees Go To Blanding Next Tuesday

Thirty-six selectees will leave Highlands County next Tuesday, July 14, for Camp Blanding, to fill this county's draft quota in the rapidly expanding army. Eighteen of the men called—exactly half of the number to be sent—are from Avon Park. All are white.

The list as furnished by the Highlands County Local Board are:

AVON PARK—Hugh David Thomas, Eugene Gauntt, William Arthur Sanders, William Thomas Kerklin, James Connie Hart, Geo. Wesley Ward, Robert Steve Roberts, Floyd Boyce, Basil Bullock, Frank Edwin Wilkes, William Clair Park, Thomas Gadsen Bryan, John Franklin Ashmore, Charles Buford Martin, James Victor McCullough, Emellar Vernon Ellis, Henry Theodore Gunter, Ray Garrett.

SEBRING—Ray Graddy, Roy Wm. Rogers, Horace Perry Chauncey, Donnie Godwin, Olen Shanklin Dalton, Daniel Clyde Eiland, Clyde Hunter Satterwhite, Peter Michael Stamboulis, William Fred Hester, Herman Kaminsky.

LORIDA — Fred Montadeoca, Charles Roberts, Byron Southland Cole, Jr., Eddie Montadeoca.

SEBRING — Nathan Wesley Nelson, Dolen Whitney Hutson, William Flanders Roberts, Jack Hendry.

LORIDA — Fred Montadeoca, Charles Roberts, Byron Southland Cole, Jr., Eddie Montadeoca.

Legion Street Carnival Gets Good Support

The American Legion street carnival held in the mall on the Fourth turned out to be a popular attraction, and netted the sponsors a good sum to be used in soldier recreation and other public purposes.

The carnival opened Friday night, but a hard shower interrupted activities. Saturday was typical July Fourth weather, and the carnival opened in mid-afternoon with a stirring address by Judge T. A. McNicholas. Following this concessions were opened and received good patronage all afternoon and during the evening.

The gopher race, at five o'clock, was won by Gopher No. 41, sponsored by the Fire Department. Forty-five gophers were entered by merchants and individuals.

The food booth was in charge of the ladies of the Auxiliary. The bingo game was conducted by the Recreation Council, and the entire proceeds went to the soldier recreation fund.

Services Monday Morning for Mrs. B. A. Frizzell

Funeral services for Mrs. B. A. Frizzell, 61, who passed away Saturday afternoon, after an illness of the past thirteen months, were held Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock from the chapel of Stephenson Funeral Home. The Rev. Jack P. Dalton, pastor of the First Baptist Church officiated.

Mrs. Frank Costine and Miss Betty Touchton sang, as a duet, two favorite hymns, "It Is Well With My Soul" and "A Christian's Good.night".

Casketbearers were John H. Hood, Fred Smith, Reason Shivers, Bob Still, J. H. Pate, and E. A. Delaney. Interment in Bougainvillae cemetery, followed the services at the chapel.

The deceased was born in Pasco county, between the towns of Dade City and Zephyrhills, on May 20, 1881. The family later moved to Plant City, and came to Avon Park twenty-three years ago.

A loving wife and mother, Mrs. Frizzell devoted her time to her home and family. Her gentle and kindly mannerisms created for her many loyal friends, who with the family, mourn her passing.

She is survived by her husband, B. A. Frizzell, two daughters, Mrs. Lawton Dyer and Mrs. Grady Portner; five sons, J. H. Ellis, Tampa. C. H. Ellis, E. V. Ellis, of Avon Park, R. J. Ellis, Winter Haven, and Alta Frizzell, Avon Park; and one brother, Horace Gillette of Zephyrhills.

A Story of War—And War Bonds



This new color poster, which soon will be used in all parts of the country to promote the sale of War Bonds and Stamps, is one of four recently created to emphasize new themes in the War Bond sales campaign. *U. S. Treasury Dept.*

Car Owners Are Urged To Join "Share-Your-Car" Clubs To Save Gas and Tires

(J. Paul Garber, Chairman, Committee on Information, Education and Morale, Highlands County Defense Council)

The Highlands County Defense Council has organized a new committee to be known as "Share-Your-Car" committee that will operate as a sub-committee of Transportation and Communication. Mr. Sam G. Patterson has been named Avon Park chairman, and Mr. Edwin E. Smith, Sebring chairman and it will be their duty to assist in the organization of "Share-Your-Car" Clubs in these two communities. Other chairmen will be named for other communities of our County this week.

The Florida State government and State Defense Council have not recognized the justification for gasoline rationing in the eastern section of Florida because there are barges and inland waterways available to fill our needs. However, Car Sharing Clubs serve the war effort by conserving rubber and preventing wear and waste of automobiles. The OPA, moreever, requires proof of participation in "Share-Your-Car" Clubs in order to qualify for supplementary rationing above the ration permitted in the baric "A" ration books.

Four ways to go about forming a Car Sharing Club for the purpose of carrying fellow-motorists and others to work may be followed and it is up to the individual car owner to follow the course that is easiest for him. First, of course, the car owner should talk to his neighbors, and see if among them there are three or four who would be interested in pooling rides. If satisfactory arrangements can be worked out in this way, there is nothing more to worry about. However, if your neighbors go to work at different hours, or if they work at locations too widely scattered for car pooling purposes, there are three other suggestions which may help you to find members for your club. Briefly, they are:

1. Ask the chairman of the "Share-Your-Car" Committee in your community for names of other motorists interested in a Car Sharing Club.

2. Fill out the blank appearing in this newspaper and send it to the chairman of the "Share-Your-Car" Committee in your community. The blank will list information pertinent to forming a club.

3. Ask fellow employees at your place of work about the possibilities of their sharing rides to work with you.

Give a neighbor a lift in your car and get a lift in return. Don't drive alone. Get together with your neighbors and work out your schemes for driving to work, to the theatre, the homes. Form a car sharing club today, and help relieve the East Coast gas shortage. If you want to know more about forming a car pool, contact your community chairman of "Share-Your-Car" Committee, Sam G. Patterson, Avon Park, Edwin E. Smith, Sebring, or J. Paul Garber, chairman, Division of Information, Education and Morale of Highlands County Defense Council.

Below I quote an announcement

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"Share - Your - Car" Club

Mail to Sam C. Patterson, Avon Park, Edwin E. Smith, Sebring, or Ed Flanders, Lake Placid.

I would like assistance in finding other persons with whom I can rotate or share my car.

NAME .....

(BUS) .....

HOME ADDRESS ..... TELEPHONE NOS. (RES) .....

I WORK AT (ADDRESS) ..... NEAR CORNER OF .....

AND ..... STREETS

(Intersection of well-known thoroughfares)

I leave for work at ..... A. M.

I leave for home at ..... P. M.

SATURDAY INFORMATION: CHECK BELOW

I work a full day on Sat. ( ) I do not work on Sat. ( )

I work only half day on Sat. and leave for home at .....

o'clock

My car accommodates ..... passengers, including driver.

NOTE: This is a service to aid motorists in forming Car Sharing Clubs. It is not an application for supplemental gasoline ration books ("B" or "C" books). Applications for supplemental ration books will be distributed by your Ration Board at the School House where you register for your baric "A" ration on July 9, 10, or 11.

David Skipper Dies Monday After Short Illness

David Skipper, 46, passed away on Monday afternoon at the home of his mother, Mrs. Dollie Skipper, following a short illness.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Loys Frink, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Winter Park, officiating, assisted by the Rev. J. P. Dalton, pastor of the Avon Park church.

Miss Betty Touchton and E. L. Roberts sang as a duet, "Sometime We'll Understand", and Mr. Roberts sang a solo, "Crossing the Bar".

Casketbearers were Lee Crews, Lake Placid, Clinton Skipper, Wauchula, W. R. Carter, Earl Hendry, J. C. Ragsdale and Wiley Sauls, Avon Park. Interment in the family plot at Hart cemetery followed the services at the church.

Mr. Skipper was born in old De. Sota county, March 24, 1896, and lived in that county for about 20 years, coming to Avon Park at that time to make his home. He was married to Miss Lois Crews of Avon Park on May 4, 1916. He was a farmer and stock raiser, and had been engaged in that business all of his life. He was a member of the Ocala Baptist Church.

He possessed a quiet, unassuming disposition, but won many loyal friends by his sincere and kindly manner.

Surviving relatives include a daughter, Mrs. Fred Vogt, Ocala; his mother, Mrs. Dollie Skipper; four sisters, Mrs. C. J. Carlton, Wauchula, Mrs. R. C. Baldree, Keystone Heights, Mrs. Tressie Albritton and Mrs. L. D. McElhoney, Avon Park; two brothers, J. W. Skipper, Wauchula, and Otto Skipper, Avon Park.

County Tax Roll Increased More Than Two Million

Highlands county's tax assessment roll was increased more than two million dollars over last year's roll, according to figures released today by Assessor P. G. Gearing. The roll was approved by Comptroller Lee last Friday.

The 1942 assessment totals $9,999,570, as compared with a total of $7,881,750 last year, an increase of $2,117,820.

The largest precentage of increase was made in homestead assessments, which jumped from $1,351,350 to $2,213,210, an increase of $861,880 over last year's figures. Non-exempt real estate was increased from $5,415,600 to $6,280,250, an increase of $864,650. Personal property was upped $391,310. Last year's personal figures were $1,114,800 and the 1942 assessment is $1,506,110.

Increases are due largely to the new tax laws requiring tax returns from taxpayers showing the full cash value of property. Assessor Gearing stated. The increase was also due in part to an equilization of values made possible this year by the assessor's office, which had more time to prepare the roll. Last year's roll was made up in a very limited time, when the new law went into effect after the tax rolls were virtually completed, Gearing stated.

Mr. Gearing said his work was made easier this year by the cooperation of property owners, who filed their returns promptly under the new law, requiring all property owners to make returns based on the full cash value of all property.

GO TO NAVY SCHOOL

Elmer Faircloth, son of Delmar E. Faircloth of this city, has been selected to attend a Navy Trade School, the State Navy Recruiting Service at Jacksonville announced this week.

Faircloth was chosen for a trade school after completing his recruit training at the Norfolk, Va., Naval Training Station.

Other Florida recruits to complete training at Norfolk include Vernus McKinney Selph, route one.

Charity is never lost: it may meet with ingratitude, or be of no service to those on whom it was bestowed, yet it ever does a work of beauty and grace upon the heart of the giver.—Middleton.

USO Asked To Establish Unit Here

Local Group Wants National Organization

The United Service Organizations have been asked to come into Avon Park and take over the soldier recreational work, following several meetings this week, in which it was unanimously agreed that the increased number of soldiers arriving in this area would soon make it impossible for the local committee to care for them.

Action came through an investigating committee of the Rotary club, which met at a luncheon meeting Tuesday with members of the city council, the Defense Recreation Council of Avon Park and Major H. R. Smith, commanding officer of the Bombing and Gunnery Range detachment. A USO Citizens Committee was formed, and Mrs. Harold Worden was elected chairman, with Harry Price and E. H. Ware, co-chairmen. The luncheon head talks by James G. Kershaw, state campaign representative of the USO; W. S. Myrick, Lakeland, district representative; and W. B. Howell, Sebring, USO director. The committee voted to ask the city council to pass a resolution inviting USO headquarters to make a survey of Avon Park's needs, and the committee wrote Atlanta headquarters asking that a unit be established in Avon Park.

Another meeting was held Thursday night, attended by merchants and individuals, which also endorsed the USO and voted to ask that organization to take charge here.

Mrs. Harold Worden, local Recreation Council chairman, who is now head of the new USO citizens committee, believes it necessary to turn the work over to the national service organization. "We have given it a trial, and can't handle the job without outside assistance," she said. "It is not only a matter of funds, but we need a trained director and a definite program," she said.

Speaking before the Rotary club Wednesday, W. B. Howell, Sebring USO director, gave the following informative talk on the aims, purposes and program of the USO:

"About January 1941, several nationwide Welfare Organizations forsaw what we now know to be a desperate international situation the Second World War. Some of the more prominent individuals interested in these organizations got their heads together and laid plans for what we now call the United Service Organization.

"Just what is this USO? The United Service Organizations for National Defense, Inc., is a non-profit corporation established by national religious and welfare organizations as follows:

The Jewish Welfare Board.

The National Board of the Young Woman's Christian Association.

The National Catholic Community Service.

The National Council of the Young Men's Christian Associations.

The National Travelers Aid Association.

The Salvation Army.

"The USO is a planning and coordinating group. The operation of the program agreed upon is carried out by the individual agencies, each of which strives for a well-coordinated program in which elements common to all are stressed.

"Its Purpose. The articles of incorporation state that the purposes of the United Service Organizations shall be to aid in the defense program of the United States by serving the religious, spiritual, welfare, educational and social needs of the men and women in the armed forces and defense industries. In general, to contribute to the maintenance of morale in American communities; and, in order to carry on such services, to afford a means and an organization in which the member organizations may cooperate.

"With these considerations in mind programs may be characterized as follows:

1. Religious service for those of different faiths, in cooperation with the chaplains in camp and

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Folks You Know . .

Mrs. Richard I. Brown is spending several days in Tampa, as the guest of Mrs. W. C. Bryant.

Mrs. Fred P. Ley of Tallahassee is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Baldwin.

Mrs. L. B. Kolb of Ocala spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. H. McClelland.

Miss Dot Hughs of Fort Lauderdale spent the week end at her home in Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Davis spent the Fourth of July week end with relatives in Titusville.

A. B. Wells of Lake Wales spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Wells.

K. G. Burton has returned home from a visit with relatives in Princeton, Ala.

Miss Louise Bishop left Sunday for Miami, where she has accepted a position.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bowman and daughters, Gloria and Jeanne are vacationing at Daytona Beach.

Miss Jessie Agnew of Louisville, Ky., is the house guest of her sister, Mrs. Ed Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Touchton have gone to Atlanta, where he will continue his medical studies at Emory university.

Mr. and Mrs. Herd Edwards of Ft. Myers attended the funeral services on Wednesday afternoon, of David G. Skipper.

Lieut. George R. Dawson of Jamaica, N. Y., was a house guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hartt on Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. R. R. Porterfield left Wednesday on the Silver Meteor for Chicago, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. C. E. Holland and her brother, L. A. Richardson for a month.

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Mrs. and Mrs. David Stuckey, former Avon Park residents, now living in Canal Point, spent the Fourth of July week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bozeman of Lake Placid, spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Stebbins and family.

Mrs. E. P. Loomis returned home Wednesday night from a visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Martin, in Panama City.

Mrs. W. B. Archer returned home Sunday night from a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Etheridge at their home in Sarasota.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Peeples and daughter, Jackie of Bradenton were guests for the week end of Mrs Peeples parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Delaney and family.

Miss Sara Gray of Washington D. C. arrived Wednesday to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Truan at their home at Highland Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Crosby, Miss Virginia Crosby, and Mrs. Mildred Rock of Tampa were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crosby and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Green, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Flood and Misses Helen and Dorothy Dykman of Orlando, spent the Fourth at Daytona Beach.

A. C. Wester and son, Albert Wester Jr., left recently on a business trip to Utica, N. Y. While there, they are staying with relatives. Mrs. Wester will join them in Utica in a few days.

Rev. and Mrs. Loyd Frink and three children, Charlotte, Yvonne and Richard of Winter Park were the guests on Wednesday night of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lawhon and family.

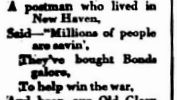
Mrs. Frances Gale of Waverly, Va., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Dalton and family, left Wednesday for Orlando, to visit her son, John Gale and family.

Mrs. Joe Lander, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. L. E. Bass, and other relatives, returned to her home in Raiford Monday. Joe Allen Lander, who has also been visiting here with his mother, left Wednesday for Mobile, Ala., to join his father, who is temporarily located there.

LIBERTY LIMERICKS



A postman who lived in New Haven,
Said—"Millions of people are savin',
They've bought Bonds galore,
To help win the war,
And keep our Old Glory still wavin'."



The County Line

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Wauchula-Avon Park Road

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OF THIS AREA

And Citizens of Highlands County

Mrs. W. B. Archer left Wednesday for Jacksonville, Atlanta and Sparta, Ga., where she is spending ten days visiting relatives.

Mrs J. A. Mier and sons, Johnnie and Tom of Vero Beach are spending several days here with Mr. Mier, who is manager of the Park Theatre.

Mrs. Fred Vogt, who was called here by the illness and death of her father, David G. Skipper, returned to her home in Ocala on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr. and family has as their guests for the week end, Mr. Ginn's mother, Mrs. C. R. Ginn sr., and his sister, Miss Edith Ginn, of St. Petersburg.

Rev. and Mrs. Hoyt Tatum will leave Monday for Mount Dora, to attend the Christain Life Institute, being held there next week. Both Rev. and Mrs. Tatum will instruct classes at the Institute.

Mrs. G. D. Godwin Jr. arrived the first of the week from Gainesville, and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Baldwin, and Lt. Godwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Godwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O. Locke, and daughter and son, Charles and Mae Porter, and niece, Polly Thomas returned home Wednesday from a few days vacation at Miami Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Reason Shivers are leaving today for Ashburn, Ga. to visit Mr. Shiver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Shivers, and Mrs. Shiver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Whitehead.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phay and two children, Johanna and Robert of Lake Placid, were in Avon Park on Tuesday, and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parrott and family.

Miss Sara McIntosh of Dade City, who spent the week end with Miss Suetta Blanding in Selving, visited her aunt, Mrs. W. M. Hetherington and family Sunday evening, and again on Monday morning as she was enroute home.

Lieut. Tom Gale, who has been stationed at West Palm Beach, visited his mother, Mrs. Frances Gale, and his sister, Mrs. J. P. Dalton and family here last week, leaving on Saturday, for service at another point.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvice Wells spent last week in Doerun, Ga., with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clayton. Mrs. Wells' sister, Miss Myra Clayton returned to Avon Park with them for an indefinite visit here.

Mrs. Floyd Wells of Lakeland is spending a few days with her aunt, Miss Esther Nealy, and her cousin, E. N. Griffith. She will return to Lakeland Sunday. Mrs. Wells was Miss Claire Vandewende prior to her marriage.

Mrs. M. A. Roberts of Zolfo Springs and Mrs. Mary Hart and Mrs. Tom Watson and children of Ft. Meade were among these from out-of town attending the funeral services of David G. Skipper on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam G. Patterson and daughter, Karolyn have moved into the bungalow on Charles st. until recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Jackson and baby have moved into the L. H. Parks house, where the Pattersons have been residing.

Mrs. James A. Davis and two children, Mary Jim and Bobby will leave Sunday for West Palm Beach to visit the former's sister, Mrs. Ralph Hardwick and family. They will return home next Thurs. day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McGiboney and daughter, Miss Willa Mc. Giboney, who have spent several weeks at points in Georgia, were called home from Greensboro on Sunday evening, by the serious illness of Mrs. McGiboney's brother, David G. Skipper.

Pvt. and Mrs. V. S. Thomason and daughter, Ann, of Miami are spending the week in Avon Park, as guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thomason. Pvt. Thomason entered the army a week ago, and will leave today for Camp Blanding. Mrs. Thomason and baby will return to Tampa to make their home, while he is in the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Delaney of Punta Gorda visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Delaney here the first of the week. Mr. Delaney left on Thursday for Camp Blanding, to enter military service. Mrs. Delaney will continue her visit with her husband's parents, for a few days ,later going to Georgia to make her home with her parents, while Mr. Delaney is in the service.

Church Notes

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 12.

The Golden Text is: "Let a man examine himself, and so let him eat of that bread, and drink of that cup" (1 Corinthians 11:28).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Then said Jesus unto his disciples, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me. For whosoever will save his life shall lose it: and whosoever will lose his life for my sake shall find it" (Matt.16:24,25).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Jesus sent forth seventy students at one time, but only eleven left a desirable historic record. Tradition credits him with two or three hundred other disciples who have left no names. They fell away from grace because they never truly understood their Master's instruction" (p.27:22-25,26-27).

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Hoyt Tatum, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
Youth Fellowship Meeting 7:45 P. M.
Evening Worship 8:00 P. M.
Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P. M.

Our age is learning what it means to have things that are nailed down come loose; we know what it means to be shaken and disillusioned. But does anything stand sure? This we want to know. "A Sure Foundation" will be the sermon theme Sunday morning at the First Methodist Church.

What place has prayer in life today? The Pastor will give his answer to this question in his message on "Prayer" Sunday evening.

A cordial welcome to Christian fellowship and worship is extended to all.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 10:00 A. M. Topic: "Adam and Eve: Temptation and Sin." You are invited to join us in the discussion of this topic. A welcome awaits you.

Morning worship service at 11 o'clock, with sermon by Dr. Elliott who will speak on: "The Fighting Men of America." Officers and men of the Bombing Force and officers and cadets of the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy are cordially invited to attend this service. One hour of true religious worship will prove an inspiration for the whole week. Why not try it? "They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength." Renewal of strength is what we all need today to fit and prepare us for the battles and struggles of the coming days.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

No Early Service, Church School 9:30 A. M. Morning Prayer and Sermon 11:00 A. M.
Richard I. Brown, vicar.

CATHOLIC CHURCH SERVICES
Woman's Club House
Verona avenue
July 5th
Sunday Morning Mass 8:30 A. M.

RED CROSS INFORMATION

A report of the American Red Cross submitted to Congress shows that more than 15,000,000 persons in Europe, Asia and Africa have received "effective assistance" through the organization.

The total loss at sea has been very small. Out of $24,092,037 worth of government purchased supplies shipped up to April 30th 1942 only $653,113 worth have been lost at sea.

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Red Cross Chapters, when called upon to do so, will render to the Civilian pilots of the Ferrying Command and their families, the usual Red Cross services of Communication, Information, Reporting, Claims, and Home service.

The Ferry Command is composed of men piloting planes from our plane factories to Canada, Australia, China, and other countries over seas. Though such pilots have the status of civilians they are exposed to the extreme hazards of war.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By RUSSELL KAY

It is rather difficult to work up very much of a sweat in combing the attic for discarded hot water bottles or baby's nipples to throw on the national scrap rubber pile in the face of the government's unexplained policy of dilly-dally, delay and buck passing in the matter of getting the production of "synthetic" rubber under way.

So far red tape, politics, and selfish interests have blocked every effort to intelligently go at this rubber production problem. Still seemingly unaware that there is a war on, the petroleum industry, aided and abetted by a few bull-headed bureau chiefs, has selfishly stood in the way of real Action in the production of "synthetic" rubber. It appears that the petroleum industry is still more concerned with its own welfare than anything else and has assumed a "public - and - everybody-else-be-damned" attitude in its determination to control "synthetic" rubber production.

America is indebted to Fulton E. Lewis, Jr., Mutual's star radio newscaster, for his courageous expose of the facts. His careful investigation discloses that every effort of reputable and dependable concerns, such as the Publicker Corporation of Philadelphia, the United States Sugar Corporation of Clewiston, Florida, and others, to really get going on rubber production, has been effectively blocked in spite of the fact that they have a proven process that is simple in operation and which could be put in effect quickly and at less cost in time, money or material.

The whole trouble seems to be that this is an alcohol process and would leave the petroleum crowd out of the picture and that just won't do. In consequence, the army the navy, the motorists and the taxpayers of America can go sit on a tack.

Bureau chiefs try to justify their refusal to give consideration to the alcohol process on the contention that it is untried. They demand that pilot plants be set up to test it out, then flatly refuse to permit the construction of such plants by withholding priorities. They complain that the process would cost more and say "Where are your plans and blueprints?"

They completely ignore the fact that the German and Russian armies are both rolling on the same alcohol process rubber that they condemn. They conveniently overlook the advantage the process offers in being able to handle the complete manufacture from raw materials to rubber to one location as against the necessity of transporting materials long distance as is the case with the petroleum process. They generously dish out millions of taxpayers' dollars to petroleum interests for experimental and construction work but deny independent organizations the right to do this work at their own expense.

Another thing that deserves serious consideration is that while the raw materials used by the alcohol process can be reproduced in unlimited quantities since they are agricultural products such as grains and sugar cane, when we divert large amounts of crude petroleum to the manufacture of rubber we are steadily using up the nation's reserve supply which can never be replaced. It is also contended that if the petroleum process were employed exclusively it would materially affect our production of high octane gasoline which we must have if we are to win this war in the air.

The average citizen doesn't care two hoots what they make rubber out of, just so long as they make it. The situation is serious, plenty serious. We have already wasted precious months while great industrial organizations conduct their own private war in a selfish effort to control the process.

If we can produce rubber in from 5 to 6 months by one process as against 18 months by another, and if we can do it with the use of less than half as much critical material, avoid long rail hauls to further clog our transportation problem, and at the same time be using a reputable material rather than depleting our supply of another—then in God's name, why not do it?

The American people have been both patient and cooperative. They have willingly done everything they have been called upon to do and can be depended upon to do so more—but they are not going to sit idly by and see their effort sabotaged by selfish interests or bureaucratic bunglers.

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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. CARLE, HARRY J. CARLE, WILEY C. TAYLOR, M. C. TAYLOR, GEO. C. LARGE, E. W. REMER, R. M. SHAVER, R. R. HEDRICK, HENRY ALLEN, 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 OSBORN COMPANY, a corporation under the laws of the State of New Jersey; R. 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-KREPPS COMPANY, a dissolved corporation and all parties claiming interests by,through, under, or against FRANK G. GARDNER, MAE A. CARLE, HARRY J. CARLE, WILEY C. TAYLOR, M. C. TAYLOR, GEORGE C. LARGE, E. W. REMER, R. M. SHAVER, R. R. HEDRICK, THE CONTINENTAL MORTGAGE COMPANY OF BALTIMORE, INC., THE OSBORN COMPANY, R. HELLER AND COMPANY, FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION, SAYER & COMPANY, INC., ISTOKPOGA SALES COMPANY, ISTOKPOGA BANANA PLANTATION COMPANY, THE IVEY PROPERTIES, INC., and BRYAN-KREPPS 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 certificates against the following described lands in Highland County, Florida, to-wit:

The East Half of Northwest Quarter (E½ of NW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), the Southwest Quarter of Southwest Quarter (SW¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28); the South Half of Southwest Quarter (S½ of SW¼) and West Half of Southeast Quarter (W½ of SE¼) of Section Twenty-five (25), and the North-east Quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirty-three (33) 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 response 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 26th day of June, 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY
As Clerk of Said Circuit Court.
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Betts Entertain Bridge Club on Tuesday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Betts were hosts at a most delightful party at their home on Tuesday evening, when they entertained members of their club, and additional guests. The four tables were arranged on the screened porch, overlooking the lake. Bouquets of pastel shaded zinnias added a bright touch of color.

Mrs. H. C. Worden and W. C. Pidgeon were the holders of high individual scores, and were each awarded Defense Stamps for their skill. The hostess served delicious ice cream and cake late in the evening.

Those enjoying the party were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worden, Mr. and Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mrs. D. G. Perry, Mrs. Joe Gregory, R. R. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pidgeon, Major and Mrs. H. R. Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Abbott.

Methodist Group Has Enjoyable Affair Tuesday

The Methodist Youth Fellowship enjoyed a delightful covered dish supper on Tuesday evening at the parsonage, with Mrs. Hoyt Tatum, as their gracious hostess.

The delicious supper, was served buffet style, from the daintily appointed table, centered with a bowl of summer garden flowers. Games of various kinds, furnished enjoyable entertainment for the evening.

Among those attending were Misses Gloria Hughs, Carolyn Holland, Ouida Fields, Robbie Lee Hart, Tom Martin, Doris Reddick, Fay Luke, Ruth Wild, Eva Hendry, and Johnnie Lamb, Ralph Gerrard, Harry Elwell, Sanford Hartt, Pvt. Charles Snyder, and Pvt "Rusty" Wiseman.

Trump It Club Is Entertained at Dessert Bridge

Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr. and Mrs. W. W. McFarland entertained members of the Trump It club at a lovely party, at the home of Mrs. McFarland on Thursday afternoon. The rooms were filled with attractive arrangements of roses, snapdragons, and daisies, intermingled with caledium leaves.

A delectable dessert course, consisting of chocolate ice box cake, cream cheese squares rolled in nuts, and iced tea was served before the games. Dainty Ralston tidbits were enjoyed during the afternoon.

High score prize for the afternoon, a covered casserole, was given to Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, second high, a covered ice box dish, was won by Mrs. J. B. Francis; and the floating award was presented to Mrs. Paul A McFarland, who received a modernistic flower pot.

Club members wh enjoyed the afternoon included Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, Mrs. S. G. Patterson, Mrs. George Haynie, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mrs. J. B. Francis, and Mrs. J. C. De. Shong.

Executive Meeting of W. C. T. U. Met Wednesday

The executive committee of the W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. W. W. McFarland on Wednesday afternoon to make plans for the year, and to name the directors of the various departments of the organization.

Mrs. Fred Stevens was named director of the christian citizenship and legislative committee; Mrs. Hoyt Tatum, director of the youth's temperance council; Mrs. A. A. Demorest, director of loyal temperance legion, and Mrs. R. F. Sappington, director of publicity.

Committee members present were Mrs. W. D. Croft Mrs. A. McKee Elwell, Mrs. M. H. Gribble, Mrs. Albert Garrett, and Mrs. McFarland.

Paul Baldwin of Jacksonville is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Baldwin this week.

Mrs. Johnson Is Hostess at Buffet Supper Wednesday

Mrs. J. A. Johnson was a gracious hostess at an enjoyable buffet supper at her home on Wednesday evening, given in honor of her brother, Harry W, Norton Jr., of Bartow.

The centerpiece for the dainty supper table, was a shallow crystal bowl, filled with floating jasmine blossoms, amid which reflected the glow of lighted pastel candles. An effective centerpiece on the buffet, was composed of sprays of pastel shaded zinnias and lighted tapers, in a line arrangement. The supper table was prettily appointed in silver and crystal.

Those sharing the pleasure of the evening, were Miss Betty Touchton, Miss Martha McNicholas, Miss Eunice Wills of Tampa, Fred Harris and Alex Hatton of Bartow, and the honor guest, Harry W. Norton Jr.

Buffet Supper at Hartt Home Is Lovely Affair

A lovely affair of Thursday evening, was the buffet supper, given by Miss Jane Hartt at her home on Lotela road. The supper table was beautifully appointed in crystal and silver, and was centered with a crystal bowl filled with an exquisite arrangement of summer garden flowers.

Those enjoying the evening with Miss Hartt included Miss Barbara Betts, Miss Nancy Betts, Miss Elizabeth Hetherington, Lt. George Dawson, Sumner Thomas, Al Powell, Jack Beeler and Marcus Covington.

TIRES OR TUBES ISSUED FROM JUNE 10 TO JULY 1

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TO ADDRESS CANTEEN AIDS

Capt. Barker, chief mess officer at Hendrick's Field will address all canteen aids and others interested at the Woman's clubhouse in Sebring, Thursday afternoon, July 16, at 3 o'clock. His talk will deal with emergency and mass feeding.

Defense Council Says

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

Gas rationing is here again, July 9, 10, 11. All you need this time to secure your rationing book is your 1942 automobile license registration card, that white card or slip issued you with your car tag. New rationing books will become effective July 22 and all old books (even with unused coupons) will be useless then. Before you can buy your gas on or after July 22 you must have the new Federal tax stamp for your car with its number written on your ration book.

The USO took over Recreation for Servicemen in Sebring, July 1, with Mr. Howell as Supervisor. The Pier building, recently renovated, has not been formally accepted by USO yet and so interest continues to center at the City Recreation Hall near Post Office. Here the Servicemen of Hendricks Field enjoyed a typical Florida. Cracker water melon cutting July 4, when some 60 melons were used.

Highlight of the USO program at present is the tours to Highlands Hammock State Park arranged for Servicemen. Patriotic citizens lend their cars for transportation and the Park under authority of Allen A. Altvater opens its gates free and provides guides. This is indeed a patriotic service for no trip to the County is complete without a visit to Highlands Hammock real North American jungle where flora of the temperate and torrid zones meet and there more than 160 species of birds make their homes.

We note in HL-Life, written and edited by Servicemen of Hendricks Field that the first group from this Field accepted for Glider Pilot Training recently left their respective destinations. The physical examination and other qualifications are along similar lines with those of Aviation Cadets.

We must go easy on sugar, for while it is good to eat it is also good to shoot with. It can be turned into alcohol, which in turn is used in making powder for shells. However, in this war petroleum alcohol is used largely for such purposes but there is yet a need for sugar conservation.

Our Government recognizes rust as such an insidious saboteur to the war production program that it treats most machinery used thus with rust preventative. All aircraft engine factories in our country protect highly finished metal parts against rust even though they are merely standing overnight or being moved from one department to another. The Army alert to the dangers from rust treats with rust preventative all tank engines that are to remain idle 72 hours or more. Be alert for rust in your home, even simple kitchen implements fall prey to rust and by protecting them and other simple tools you are performing a service for National Defense.

Says our Congressional Representative J. Hardin Peterson in a recent letter: "The Norwegian Government has put unreservedly at the disposal of the United Nations for the war effort its huge Merchant Fleet which is one of the leading merchant fleets of the world and includes a high proportion of modern tanker tonnage."

"Commissioner Vickery told a recent press conference that our Country's record-breaking ship building program is more than off setting American losses."

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The U. S. Surgeon General reports that the health of our Army is excellent. Since the past winter there has been a steady decline of nearly 25 per cent in all diseases.

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Florida limes really are in the limelight now and playing an important part, along with other citrus fruits of Florida, in National Defense. Due to shortage of imported limes, great quantities of our large, green (though ripe) Florida limes are going to Northern markets. Limes like all citrus in Florida, are nutritious being rich in Vitamins A and C, and also in minerals such as calcium, copper and phosphorus. Drink a fresh Florida Limeade and promote your health as well as quench your thirst.

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Boy and Girl Scouts are doing patriotic duty all through Highlands County now; assisting with the rubber salvage, the USO drive, and serving as pages and ushers in the gas rationing registration.

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The Detachment Day Room of Hendricks Field needs a piano a second hand one, cheap for cash, or donated will indeed be appreciated. Any citizen willing to sell a piano cheap, or better still, donate it to this Base should call Hendricks Field extension 216, Lieut. Speck. VICTORY IS OURS!

Citizens Advise With County on Tax Collections

Several prominent citizens of the county in response to an invitation issued three weeks ago by the Board of County Commissioners, met with the board last Tuesday afternoon at the court house to advise with the board on the best method to force the payment of delinquent county taxes.

It was pointed out by Deputy Clerk of Court, D. G. Young, that there is over $50,000 in delinquent taxes against property in the county that is paying good interest on the investment, some of which has been delinquent since 1935.

It was also pointed out that due to the anticipated decrease in race track receipts and income from the gasoline tax, the county must collect these delinquent taxes or an increase in milleage will be necessary even with the most rigid economy in county government.

Commissioner John Hood of Avon Park, stated there are three ways to collect this tax, by foreclosure, by forming a holding company to purchase the tax certificates and by education.

The expense of foreclosure, which in many cases absorbs all or practically all of the funds collected, was stated, made this the least attractive method. Since the purpose of the collection drive is to get money to operate the county and not merely to make delinquent property owners pay up it was unanimously agreed that this method would be the last resort.

A local business man pointed out that there is plenty of money available for investment purposes and that many public spirited citizens who have the money would be glad to buy tax certificates, which would yield them eight per cent interest, if approached in the right way.

He suggested that the clerk of court compile a list of all the delinquent property in the county and that it be advertised not only by its legal description but also advertise it by name and describe it, as an individual advertising it for sale would, giving its selling points and urge taxpayers to purchase the certificates to avoid an increase in their own taxes as well as the taxes of their neighbor, who has been paying.

It was decided this would be done, the cost of advertising to be borne equally by the school board and the county. The plan is to take a limited number of the choicest pieces of property and advertise them first and then go down the list until every tax certificate against the property that is worth the taxes against it, is sold.

The first advertisment is scheduled to appear as soon as the list can be prepared.

Mrs. S. F. Longbottom and two children, Sammy and Lynn left Thursday for Tampa to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wills. Miss Eunice Wills, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Longbottom for the past several weeks, returned with them to her home in Tampa.

Lt. Devon Reddick arrived home Friday morning from Fort Sill, Okla., to spend a ten days' leave here at his home,

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

Notice is hereby given, that William E. Bennett holder of Tax Certificate No. 183, 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:

Lots 5 & 8 Block 70 Avon Park Sec. tion 22 Twp 33 S R 29 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. PIRTY
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31.

Must Have Car Stamp to Get Gas

John L. Fahs, Collector of Internal Revenue for the State of Florida, announced that he had received clarification on the question of the relationship between the stamp denoting payment of the motor vehicle use tax and gasoline rationing.

According to the Office of Price Administration, the exhibition of the stamp at the time of registering for the next coupon book will not be necessary. Under their rules, the owner of the car is required to enter the serial number of his $5 automobile stamp on the cover of his coupon book. The OPA regulations require service station attendants to compare the serial number on the stamp prior to dispensing gasoline.

Mr. Fahs said the stamp must be placed on the motor vehicle now, that any use of a car on or after July 1, 1942, without a stamp or other evidence of payment, would make the owner subject to a fine of $25.00.

Mrs. Clifton McClelland of Orlando returned home Tuesday, after spending the past week here, visiting Mrs. J. H. McClelland. She was accompanied home by her sister-in-law, Mrs. L. B. Kolb of Ocala, who spent the week end with her mother.

Miss Helen Jarrett is spending the week end in Lakeland, as the guest of Miss Josephine Brown.

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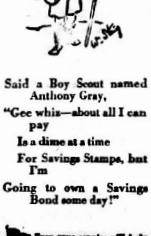

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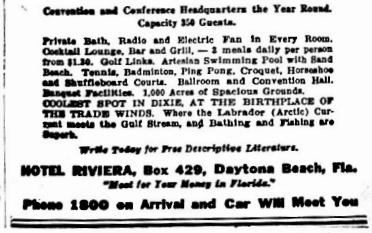

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USO Asked To Establish Unit Here

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with the churches in the community.

2. Counsel and guidance covering the full range of personal problems.

3. Social events, including dances, in cooperating with morale and recreation officers, providing opportunity for wholesome community contacts.

4. Home hospitality, in the largest measure possible, to provide congenial associations that lead to normal friendships.

5. Building services, including lounges, reading and writing facilities, light refreshments, overnight sleeping accomodations on a limited scale if required, provision for meetings and social functions. An effort will be made to provide a freindly, attractive, and homelike "club house" atmosphere for service men and their guests.

6. Entertainment: games and self-directed activities.

7. Group activities: including special interest or hobby groups, discussion groups, cultural groups, particularly in dramatics and music.

8. Cooperation with educational and cultural programs in camp.

9. Hospital visiting, under the direction of, and with the cooperation of the American Red Cross and camp chaplains.

10. Information service, regarding:

a. Room registry for civilian employees of Army and Navy posts.

b. Transportation facilities, railroad and bus schedules to and from camps; information for relatives and friends who wish to visit service men and defense workers.

c. Recreational resources, places of interest, other community resources.

d. Aid in locating soldiers, in nearby camps who do not correspond regularly with their homes.

11. Where no other social service agencies exist, aid to transient soldiers and sailors on leave or on passes who require transportation or a place to stay. Similarly, aid to relatives and friends of service men who come into these communities to visit them.

12. Follow-up service for preservation of community contacts.

a. Names of enlisted or selected men maintained on mailing lists of organizations to which they belong.

b. Subscriptions of local newspapers and periodicals sent to them at camp.

13. Helpful literature.

14. Special service to women and girls.

a. Counsel and practical aid in individual problems.

b. Religious guidance.

c. Group program with attention to religion, health, personal and family relations, work problems, inter-racial and international relations.

d. Co-education and co-recreational activities: dramatics, discussion groups, social events, including dances.

"Programs will vary, depending upon local needs and resources. Each agency, naturally, will emphasize certain aspects of work that reflect its particular philosophy and approach. Both nationally and locally the objective will be to provide the maximum of cooperation in the planning and conduct of activities.

"Cooperating with the USO is the Girls Service Organization, whose duties are to act as partners at dances and other activities where men in uniforms are gathered. These girls are generally between the ages of17 or 18 to 30. They are very carefully chosen and must meet certain standards set up by the organization. There is ways a group of well chosen women as chaperons, on hand for group activities which means a high level of entertainment.

"These girls often enter into many other activities, such as assistants in canteens and check rooms, as librarians, as coaches in special fields of study, and other events of this nature. Many an evening has been made pleasant by the addition of these young women at some function men in uniform have attended.

"Another feminine group working with the USO is the Volunteer Service Organization. Upon this group of older women falls the responsibility of creating an atmosphere of cheerful friendliness that makes the USO Club a real "Home Away from Home". It is through their talent, their experience, and understanding that the hand and heart of mother is ever near to guide, love, and direct the boy away from home.

"There were about 340 USO Clubs in existence in 1941. There are about 100 more than this number now, and within the next year, some 700 clubs may be in full operation. Some 40 of these clubs are on foreign soil, including such bases as Hawaii, Alaska, Canal Zone, Trinidad, the Phillippines, Iceland, and Australia. Many of the personnel of the units have been captured and are now in enemy hands with some of the men they served.

"With a peacetime army of some 183,400 men enlarged to a present 3,600,000 supplanted by several hundred thousand sailors and marines, one does not have to look far to visualize their need, and the work which must be done by the USO. The President of these United States has truly spoken that machines alone will not win this war. He has also said that our fighting men have been promised a mounting tide of these machines. That promise shall be kept, and, we shall further keep one other promise—a promise to preserve for them, wherever they may be, and without regard to race, creed, or color, the morale and spiritual values of the democratic ideals for which they are now fighting. The USO is dedicated to that high purpose, and that purpose is a vital part of the job of winning this war.

Car Owners Urged To Join "Share-Your-Car" Clubs

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from Mr. John Hamm, Deputy Administrator of the OPA, at Washington, with reference to the liability of drivers of passenger automobiles in hauling other people.

"As a contribution to national defense and in furtherance of the Government's plan for the conservation of rubber and petroleum products, all insurance companies which are members of the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters Association, and the American Mutual Alliance, which amounts to practically 80% of the automobile insurance companies of the U. S. have agreed that under all outstanding policies and policies heretofore issued, the driver is to be completely covered as to guests in group-riding arrangements, even though such contribute part of the gasoline cost."

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CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF

The Barnett Bank of Avon Park

From Report to Comptroller at the Close of Business June 30, 1942

RESOURCES

Cash and Due from Banks	$530,041.39	
U. S. Securities	209,479.38	
Listed, Municipal & Other Bonds & Securities	89,627.50	
Accrued Interest	1,894.53	$831,042.80
Loans and Discounts		85,236.56
Overdrafts		52.15
Furniture & Fixtures		6,450.21
Other Resources		361.30
		$923,143.02

LIABILITIES

Capital	$50,000.00	
Surplus and Undivided Profits	49,792.69	$99,792.69
Reserves		8,380.70
Reserve for Dividend Payable July 1, 1942		2,000.00
Bills Payable		None
Other Liabilities		42.87
DEPOSITS		812,926.76
		$923,143.02

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COON QUIBBLINGS

(BY PORKY MASCOT)

Life, as it must to all men, came last week to four of the B & G big stuffs. It had been a droll evening —mosquitos buzzing about burying their beaks into the bones of Armory moppets — the dogs fast asleep, occasionally shaking from stem to stern in a terrific dog—dream. All was quiet save for one unit of the B & G. Supply's big four (Norton, Palmer, Snyder and White) were in the stock house having a big Pow Wow. Their meting had been called due to a bottle neck. Things were moving too slow. Something had to be done Too much buck was being passed —someone kept tossing the bottle neck to someone else. Where would it end?

It ended up on the pier projecting out into Lake Verona, where the four big chiefs had finally carried their meeting. Sgt. H. K. Norton's emotions were so pent up within him he just had to do something. A dance? Yup, good idee—only where were the Tom Toms? Pfc. Norman White kindly obliged by beating out a bit of barrel-housed boogie woogie on the planking of the pier. Norton covorted to and fro. Exerting himself to the utmost, he gave one huge gazelle givot and landed smack-dab in the water. Pvt. Gordon (call me "Curly") Palmer and Pfc. Chuck "Dark Eyes" Snyder merely sat there like bumps on a log; but not so White. He wanted to see what had happened to his old boosum pal, and in his haste to make haste he forgot where he was and slipped through one of the holes in the pier. Now you know how skinny those holes are on the pier and how narrow White is when turned toward Mecca and you view him from the profile direction? Well, he has now gained, here's hoping it will stick to him, a new name; "Splinters." That's not the full report of the minutes of their meeting—next week it might interest you to read the rest of the meeting minutes. They're (the minutes) slowly, but surely, coming within hearing distance and as soon as Porky can verify well founded rumors you can rest assured you will have full reports.

Small Talk. Seen in the new Khaki Kitchen last week enjoying the new surroundings, food, music, chatter and so on, were S-Sgt. and Mrs. J. O. Newberry, Sgt. Lee Laiche (who soon becomes a member of the Hitchin' Post). Cpl. Leamon Kelly, Cpl. Russ Farwell (just eyeing the situation) and Sgt. St. Pierre. The Saint was in a hurry—said he had to go and develop a few pictures in someone's dark room. S-Sgt. Eugene Ball found out in some devilish way that Sgt. Fred League is very touchy about the ribs and the two have been having a chasing good time. Enjoy the cadence with which Cpl. Ed Fath dishes out morning exercises? He likes it too—keeps him healthy and slap-happy. Rumor's rife that some frill is going for 'Dark Eyes' like greased lighting. She calls him by his new name. Pvt. Bob Clopton from furlough to duty again. He spent his time in Oklahoma and had a nasty accident involving a car, his head and a piece of side walk. Feels somewhat better now, thank you, Pvt. Chuck Clarke did the Army dirt—went to Pensacola on his furlovacation. Said the old town's dead—all the boys stay in the air. Pfc. Eugene Awot and Pvt. Bob Grimm returned from their junkets too. Someone was playing the piano with one finger. Cpl. O. B. Daniel glanced up annoyed then turned to Cpl. G. V. Parmentel and said, "George, tell him to get away from that piano." Parmentel, always in a mood to be helpful and to tell someone to do something, said, "HEY BOY—that's about as far as he went and it was nearly too far. He glanced up as he started to speak and saw that the person pounding the piano was a visiting officer.

The phone rang—a call was made for Cpl. Chuck Pabst. Loaded down with pencils and two large blank order books, he rushed to the phone. "Range Co-ordinator Cpl. Pabst speaking," said he. Pshaw—'twas only his wife and his conversation took on an immediate change of tone, "Yes dear."

Sgt. Woodrow Brein was called in the office to go over gasoline bills with the local ration station's neat trim bookkeeper. He stood with his back to the wall. Reason: Southern exposure of his coveralls went south in a real southern fashion—wide open spaces.

Scenes about Supply. Pvt. Robert Yarbrough always inquiring hopefully for letters from his petite War Dept. Pvt. Wy Newberg (quote) "You can't do this to me —I won't take it" (end quote). A rebelous Yankee, Newberg did take it and, what's more, he displayed his pack with all the other boys. Latest on Pvt. Joe Marcinko. Friday he was issued a steel helmet. Saturday it was gone. Sunday he signed a statement of charges. Pvt. Willie Bender thinks some of the boys are rude. They always cut in when he's talking to Hilda. Every Friday evening Pvt. Charles Belt looks forward to drawing 15 blankets from Supply. No no, he doesn't use them for sleeping. His is the job (a most pleasant one) of truckin on down to Wauchula or Frostproof for the dance partners. The blankets? Oh, they're for the girls comfort on hard wood seats.

Latest shenanigans on dark-haired Cpl. Spike Rihner—he was seen on the main stem chasing three local belles. Me thinks he'll have to have his soles retreaded if he wants to catch them—they're fast.

B & G celebrated the glorious fourth in the usual manner; that is, in the manner usual for any other day. Some of our constituents made a valient effort to uphold the time honored traditions, which consist of making plenty of noise, by blowing their collective tops. As this procedure is quite common in our happy gathering it was impossible to detect a festive note and so the effort was seemingly in vain.

Home Canners May Get Sugar To Can Fruit

With a view to conseerving the Nation's fruit crop. OPA issued new sugar rationing regulations several weeks ago which will permit home canners to obtain sugar in proportion to the amount of fruit canned. Previously a person could obtain five pounds per year for home canning.

Under the recent ruling home canners may obtain a total of one pound of sugar for every four quarts of finished canned fruit. An additional one pound per year for each person in the family may be obtained for making jams, jellies, preserves and fruit butters. The OPA is encouraging canning rather than preserving.

Sugar rationing for fruit canning will be done by local rationing boards largely on the basis of amount of home canning an individual or family unit normally processed, availability of fruits, and related factors. Applicants should present their regular sugar ration cards when applying for sugar for canning.

In discussing the situation, County Agent Louis H. Alsmeyer reports that his office has no regularitory work, of course, in connection with the sugar rationing and other programs, but they do have blanks on hand in the office and can assist any one, who is wanting to do some canning, to fill out the proper blanks. Blanks can, of course, also be filled out at the office of the local Rationing Board.

It is important that information be brought along as to the amount of fruit canned in previous years and the amount on hand.

In order to make the sugar more efficient a number of local people have called the County Agent's office with reference to the invert sugar syrup formula which was recently given out by the Florida Expermint Station. The formula is as follows:

Mix two cups of sugar with two-thirds of a cup of water, add one-fourth of a teaspoon of tartaric acid, cover and boil gently for 30 minutes. Then add just enough water to make the syrup mixture amount to 1 3-4 cups. For example if the progress results in only 1 1-2 cups of syrup, then add one-fourth of a cup of water.

Two-thirds of a cup of the invert sugar is equal in sweetening power to one full cup of sugar.

Important SCHEDULE CHANGES

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Highlands County Has 389 Farms

Highlands county had a greater percentage of land in farms in 1940 than the state average, a Florida State Planning Board analysis of U. S. Bureau of the Census statistics reveals.

The county's 389 farms covered 334,038 acres, or 50.1% ofthe total land in the county compared with a state average of 24.0%.

Full owners operated 306 of the farms; part owners, 14; managers, 53; and tenants 16.

Of the total number of farms, 387 were operated by white persons, and 2 by negroes.

Farms in the county averaged 858.7 acres, with land and buildings having an average value of $19,407 per farm. The state average was 133.9 acres with the value of lands and buildings averaging $5,211.

During the 1939 crop-year, for which year statistics were released this Spring by the U. S. Bureau of the Census, 12,680 acres of cropland in the county were harvested and 780 acres failed.

Of the farms operated by full-owners 29.1% were mortaged. In the state 27.0% were mortgaged. The average debt of farms in this class was $5,493 in the county and $1,694 in the state.

NOTICE OF BIDS WANTED

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Avon Park, Florida will on the 13th day of July, at 7:30 p. m., A. D., 1942, receive sealed bids for the purchase of two 1 1-2 to 2-ton passenger buses, with 30 to 40 passenger capacity. Sealed bids will also be received for the purpose of one 1942 two-door sedan for use as police car.

The city council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Done and ordered by the City Council of the City of Avon Park, this 9th day of July, A. D., 1942.

LOUISE B. ARMSTRONG,
City Clerk and Collector
City of Avon Park, Fla.

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WANTED: — Couple, with no small children, to live on place seven miles from Avon Park, adjoining auxiliary airport. Absolutely no rent to pay. Owner wishes someone to care for place. Answer, AD, Care Avon Park Sun. 1tpd.

FOR SALE:—Good jersey milk cow. Reasonably priced. Seven miles, east of Wauchula, on Avon Park road. Mrs. H. Anderson, R. F. D. 2, Wauchula, Florida 1tpd.

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LAMA Builds More Barracks

And Additional Hangar In Big Expansion Plan

Contract Let And Construction Is Started

An extension expansion program calling for the construction of a new large barracks building and an additional hangar was announced this week by Albyrt I. Lodwick, of the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy.

The new barracks, which will house an undisclosed number of cadets, will be erected immediately alongside the Lodwick Inn, formerly the Highland Lakes Hotel which has been used as barracks since the school opened here last October. Construction has already begun. George Taylor, Tampa, Florida contractor received the award to build the new barracks. D. E. Cole, Lake Wales, was awarded the plumbing contract.

"Details as to the number of cadets to be accomodated in the new structure which will be designed to blend in with the present hotel architecture, are not permissable, under military censorship. It is, however, possible to say that the new facilities will take care of a considerable number of new cadets and that the flying activities at the school will be augmented considerably. It also means that the school will employ additional instructors, mechanics, linemen and other personnel. The barracks will be a two story affair and will have recreation and lounging facilities on both floors. The new hangar will be erected alongside the present hangars and will be of the same general size and construction," Lodwick said.

E. A. Delaney, President of the Avon Park City Council with council members looking on turned the first shovel of dirt in a colorful ground breaking ceremonies Wednesday noon. Among those present were Mayor M. E. Covington, John Hood, county commissioner of Highlands County, Captain D. T. Bennink, commanding officer of the school, Robert Austin, School director, Mrs. Louise Armstrong, Lester Armstrong, Miss Mattie Tompkins, Earl Ware, and C. Parke Anderson.

The Lodwick Aviation Military Academy since its establishment in Avon Park has received nation wide publicity in newspapers and magazines throughout the country. It has been "dubbed" the "Country Club of the Air" due to the luxurious hotel accomodations furnished the cadets when receive their primary flight training at the school in preparation to receiving a commission in the United States Army Air Forces when they complete their full schedule of training.

The expansion program with its increase in personnel will bring to Avon Park additional thousands of dollars monthly. This is in addition to the already large payroll which has been distributed monthly since the school was established. Military censorship makes it impossible to give facts or figures regarding the schools number of cadets or employes but it can be said that the flying activities in and around Avon Park will be increased considerably and that the community will benefit more than ever in the new expansion program just announced.



Left to right: E. A. Delaney, president of the Avon Park City Council turns the first shovel full of dirt which started construction of an additional barracks at the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy, Avon Park, as Robert Austin, School Director, John Hood, Highlands County Commissioner, Mrs. Louise Armstrong, Lester Armstrong, Miss Mattie Tompkins, Mayor M. E. Covington and Earl Ware look on. Kneeling are C. Parke Anderson and Capta'n D. L. Bennink.

Sugar . . and Spice

There are rumors and rumors . . . and there's always room for rumor . . . in this space . . . so 'tis rumored that handsome Lt. Billy Mitchell . . . has a new and very steady flame.

What if we could dream up a girl that had . . . dimples like Nita Bryant . . . a figure like Marjorie Wells . . . the sweetness of Winifred Todd . . . could cook like Vivian Hartt . . . dance like Hilda Reddick . . . a style like Frances Browne . . . complexion like Catherine Crabtree . . . as jolly as Lou Shockley . . . a personality like Bee Anderson . . . a widow's peak like Mildred Head . . . teeth like Polly Beckett . . . eyes like Mrs. W. C. Pidgeon . . . hair like Mrs. E. L. Lowe . . . and lips like Sally Ware.

While we're dreaming . . . we might think up a soldier with . . . an accent like Sgt. St. Pierre . . . eyes like Cpl. Charles Snyder . . . a lingo like Sgt. Parmental . . . lips like Sgt. Clarence Bolin . . . build like Sgt. Dick Peden . . . the assurance of Sgt. Lewis Thornton . . . smile and voice of Pvt. Saul Cutler . . . romatic looking as Sgt. Jimmie Williams . . . and the rating of Major Smith.

Don't wake me up . . . let me dream . . .

To keep peace in the family . . . had to stop all recreation work . . . and sew two buttons on a shirt . . . Next week might be able to darn a sock . . . might even have time to sew a button on the toe of said sock . . . Guess that would do . . . at least he could . . . button up the hole.

Butch Carter sezs . . . that his horse "Also Ran" is getting temperamental . . . 'cause he hasn't been mentioned in Sugar and Spice . . . Also Ran won a race on July fourth . . . He not Also Ran . . . but kept on running . . . —A. B. W.

Another Car of Scrap Metal To Be Shipped Next Week

Another car of scrap metal will be loaded at, Lakemont on next Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, according to an announcement made this morning by County Agent Louis H. Almeyer, who is in charge of the scrap metal program in Highlands County.

Growers in the Lorida-Istokpoga area have already sent in over 21,000 pounds of scrap metal and same has been unloaded at the Seaboard Airline Railway siding east of Lakemont. Several growers in the Sebring-DeSoto City area have done likewise. Arrangements have been made so that anyone coming to Sebring with a truck can bring in the scrap metal at a convenient time and thus save extra mileage for their trucks.

In the collection of the scrap metal not only iron, but brass, copper, aluminum, lead, and other metals are much needed and should be brought in whenever possible. At this time there are over 300 pounds of these metals in the hands of the committee. The committee is composed of Byrum Shockley of Avon Park, A. L. Butler of Sebring, G. L. Granger of DeSoto City, J. B. Byars of Lorida, Oscar Clemons of Venus, and E. W. Kelsey of Lake Placid. Anyone having from one pound to twenty tons of scrap metal should contact one on this committee and if they do not have transportation facilities to bring in the metal, special effort will be made to have the proper collection made. Each of the members of the Board of County Commissioners have cooperated in the past efforts and, of course, will do so again this time.

Several garage operators have stated that they were wrecking some old automobiles and would bring in this metal for shipment in this car.

Gregg Maxcy has again announced that he would donate the use of his scales at Lakemont for the weighing of this material and that courtesy is much appreciated by the committee.

After the scrap metal has been shipped, payment is then made in the form of War Stamps to the parties who brought in same. Some cash is given in lieu of stamps. Some have stated that they wanted to donate the metal and in this case it can go either to the Defense Council or any other organization which they may designate.

The goal for scrap metal for Highlands County for this year was set at 83,800 pounds and same was increased by the committee to 120,000 pounds. Reports show that up to July 1st, the original quota had been practically doubled and that over 17 pounds per capita of scrap iron and other metals had been collected and sent in. The committee believes it is possible to more than double the quota and are working to do much better than that. Your scrap is needed to help lick the Jap and German war machines.

Legion Will Head Drive for Scrap Metal

Highlands Post, American Legion, which had charge of collecting scrap rubber in Avon Park, shipped 33,300 pounds of salvaged rubber to the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company at Gadsden, Alabama, in its initial shipment on July 7. Another car is on hand in Avon Park and will be shipped as soon as shipping instructions are received, according to report of Post Commander Howard Maddox at Wednesday night's Legion meeting.

Byrum Shockley explained to Legionnaires the set up for an intensive scrap metal drive which is to be put on in the near future, backed by a national advertising campaign and local organization. The Ridge Fuel Company will act as headquarters for the drive, which will be handled for the Legion by a committee composed of Demos Mandis, Ed Welch, W. N. Cribb, W. M. Hetherington and W. T. Connell.

The general Avon Park committee is headed by Shockley, who is assisted by W. T. Connell and Jimmie Davis.

Harry Price stated that the USO had been invited to establish a unit here, but that in the meantime recreation work must be handled by local people, and asked that the Legion work with the recreation council and Major H. R. Smith in taking care of the situation until the USO takes over. At his suggestion, a committee consisting of Commander Maddox, Price, Will Bennett, and John Hood was appointed to represent the Legion in this work. The post has already pledged to use all funds secured through its scrap rubber drive for recreation work.

The American Legion has undertaken a national drive to collect all old used phonograph records, and the local post, with a quota of 925, will make a canvass of the town and surrounding area. The Ridge Fuel Company will be headquarters for the drive, and W. T. Connell was asked to contact the Boy Scouts to secure their assistance in gathering all used records.

Furniture Needed For Club for Colored Soldiers

The army is establishing a club in the quarters for the colored soldiers, and has secured the use of a building for the purpose. The building must be furnished, however, and chairs, tables, settees and games are wanted. The public is asked to make donations of furniture for this purpose. Contact Lt. Copeland or Mayor Covington for all donations. A ping pong table is especially desired.

Some used lumber is needed badly to make repairs to the building, and any donations will help in this worthy enterprise.

Mayor Covington has asked the Sun to make public acknowledgment to the colored Pastors' Association for the splendid job they did in cleaning up the quarters, preparatory to the coming of colored soldiers. The mayor expressed especial thanks to Rev. Jenkins, pastor of St. Marks Baptist church, for the use of the church as a meeting place and for his cooperation, as chairman of the committee in charge of the clean up.

MAJOR SIGHTS TRANSFERRED

Avon Park friends of Major A. P. Sights, formerly in command of the Army Air Corps Detachment here, will be interested to learn that he has been transferred from Bennettsville, S. C. to Ft. Myers, where he is in command of the Flexible Gunnery School. Capt. and Mrs. Donald T. Bennink and son, Ronnie, of Avon Park are spending the week end in Ft. Myers with Major and Mrs. Sights.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to the many kind neighbors and friends, who were so considerate and thoughtful of us at the time of our recent bereavement. The many beautiful floral tributes were a source of great comfort, also at this time.

Mrs. Dollie Skipper and Family.

City Bankruptcy Proceedings Filed In Federal Court

Progress on Avon Park's refunding operations were reported Tuesday when it was announced by R. E. Crummer & Company that bankruptcy proceedings were filed in Federal Court July 13, accompanied by signed consents representing more than 60 percent of the outstanding Avon Park indebtedness, and that additional verbal commitments had been secured to bring the total consents above the 66 2-3 required in order to make the plan effective.

In this connection the city notified creditors that the judge of the U. S. District Court for the Southern District of Florida had: (1) Approved the filing of a modified plan of composition by the city, as having filed in good faith, and as complying with the provisions of the Municipal Bankruptcy Act; (2) Set down for hearing the modified plan of composition at Tampa, in the federal building, on the 10th day of August, at 10 o'clock, to consider the modified plan of composition and any and all objections filed thereto; and (3) Decreed that any creditors of the petitioner who have not yet approved the modified plan of composition may accept same in writing at any time prior to the entry of the interlocutory decree, and that creditors who have accepted in writing the modified plan need not file any further proofs of claim unless by further order of the court; that the proofs of claim and acceptance of the modified plan of composition, as well as all objections to said plan, shall be filed with the clerk of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, Tampa Division, at his office in the federal building, Tampa Florida.

Crummer's letter advising of progress made on refunding, to E. A. Delaney, president of the city council, follows:

Mr. E. A. Delaney, President
City Council
Avon Park, Florida

Dear Sir:

Re: Avon Park Bankruptcy Proceedings

We are pleased to advise you that the Bankruptcy proceedings

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Bids Are Asked For Conduct of Post Office on Bombing & Gunnery Range

Written bids or agreements will be received in my office, Avon Park Post Office, until 1:00 P. M. July 23, 1942, for the conduct of a Contract Branch Post Office at the Avon Park Bombing and Gunnery Range, subject to approval by the Post Office Department, located approximately 12 miles east of the Avon Park, Fla. post office, for the period beginning on approval of the Post Office Department, and terminating on June 30th, 1944, or at such other time to that date when in the judgement of the Postmaster the interest of the postal service requires such action, and upon his giving one day's notice thereof.

The person whose bid is accepted will be required to transact such postal business as required by the regulations of the Post Office, or by the Postmaster, and this will include money order, registry, parcel post, and the receipt and dispatch of mails, if ordered by the Postmaster, but money order and registry business will not be required on Sundays, except at the direction of the Postmaster who may require such business on Army paydays, or such day or days immediately thereafter as he may find necessary.

No equipment will be required of the successful bidder. The hours of service will be under the direction of the Postmaster, and will be governed by the needs of the Army personnel served by Branch.

The Post Office Department reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Blank forms on which to submit bids, and any futher information desired may be obtained at my office. Bids must be submitted in triplicate and signed personally by bidder.

D. G. PERRY,
Postmaster

Funeral Services For Mrs. Kessler Thursday Afternoon

Mrs. Etta Kessler, age 78, passed away in a Sebring hospital Tuesday, following an illness of the past two months.

Funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the First Methodist Church, with Dr. John A. Taylor officiating. Music was furnished by the church choir. The body was sent to Cleveland, Ohio, for interment in Lakeview cemetery.

Casketbearers were C. H. Pardee, A. McKee Elwell, T. H. Maxwell, D. F. Canfield, and R. A. Gerrard.

Mrs. Kessler was born June 13, 1864 in Freemont, Ohio. For the past 40 years she has made her winter home in Avon Park, and moved here permanently about 10 years ago. She owned her home on South Highlands avenue. She was a member of the First Methodist church.

Until about two months ago, when she fell and broke her hip, Mrs. Kessler was active for one of her advanced years.

Surviving relatives include a daughter, Mrs. Cecil Durrance of Wauchula, and a son, Sgt. Paul Kessler, with the U. S. Army in Iceland.

Lt. Col. Ellis Buys Daisy Ten Eyck Place

Lieut. Col. Dan M. Ellis of the U. S. Army, and Mrs. Ellis have purchased the home of Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck on Deer Lake, and plan on making their permanent home here upon Col. Ellis' retirement. They will obtain possession of the place on August first.

The new owners plan extensive improvements to the property, including remodeling of the house. The eight acre grove back of the residence has a lake front, and will provide an ideal spot for fishing, which is a favorite hobby of Col. Ellis.

Col. and Mrs. Ellis' former home was in Elizabethton, Tenn. He has served in the army for the past 27 years, and is a veteran of World War 1, spending 14 months in France. He has been stationed in the Phillipines, Hawaii, and was in Panama until a year ago.

While in Avon Park, Col. and Mrs. Ellis are the guests of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Loomis.

There is no class of men so difficult to be managed in a state as those whose intentions are honest, but whose consciences are bewitched.—Napoleon.

Fingerling Bass Distributed in Lakes in County

Fingerling bass—about 21,000 of them from 3½ to 4½ inches long—were taken from the rearing pools of the Highlands County Fish & Game Association at Lakemont and distributed in four lakes of the county the first of the week.

Three of the five pools were emptied under supervision of Game Wardens H. C. Bigbie and Sam Cooper, and the small bass placed in Dinner Lake, Angelo, Letta, and Tulane. Dinner Lake got the largest number, about 7,000. It was estimated. Tulane received about 6,000 and, Letta and Angelo about 4,000 each.

The fingerlings have been in the pools for about four months, having been placed there as small fry during the spring spawning season, when some 60,000 were sent here from the federal hatchery at Welika.

Over half of the fingerlings still remain in the other two pools. It was estimated, and these will be placed in Rex Beach lake, Red Beach at DeSoto City, Lake Placid, Twin Lakes and Lake Istokpoga. It is believed that about 45,000 of the original fry were reared in the first batch to be handled by the local fish and game club.

It is planned to get another shipment of small fry next season, and from this start the fish and game club expects to keep the supply of bass replenished in the lakes of the county.

MRS. PRICKETT AT CARTER'S GROCETERIA

Mrs. Hugh Prickett, who has spent the past several weeks in Blountsville, Ala., has returned to Avon Park, and has resumed her position as cashier at Carter's Groceteria, where she is popular with a wide circle of customers and friends. Mr. Prickett returned about two weeks ago, and is connected with the market in the store.

PAYMENT EXTENDED

John H. Maloy, Jr., deputy collector of internal revenue, has advised that the time for filing returns and the payment of Capital Stock tax for the year 1942 has been extended until September 29. Extension is for taxes due for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1942.

J. E. CROSBY GOES TO OCALA

J. E. Crosby, of the state department of education, and who is an instructor in the National Defense program for training war workers for defense, left this week for Ocala, where he will continue his duties at Camp Roosevelt. The building in this county, where this program was conducted, has been taken over by the government, and the equipment has been moved to Tallahassee, Lakeland, and St. Augustine. Mrs. Crosby and their daughter, Delores, will continue to make their home in Avon Park.

Buy U. S. Defense Bonds and Stamps, the I. O. U. of the Red, White, and Blue.

Folks You Know . .

Ralph Walker of Auburndale was the week end guest of friends here.

Misses Doris Jones and Norma Carver of Tampa are visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Cox.

Billy Heim and Leon Delaney spent Sunday in Lakeland, visiting friends.

Mrs. Margaret Chandler returned home Thursday from a short visit with friends in Leesburg.

Imogene Mingledorff of Jacksonville is the house guest of her friend, Mary Elizabeth Hall.

Mrs. Rex Reed and daughter, Alyne are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Johnson at their home in Wauchula.

Miss Margaret Dilley will leave Sunday for Cocount Grove to visit her aunt, Mrs. C. S. English and family.

Mrs. J. M. Pate and daughter, Miss Corinne Pate, will leave Sunday for Ashburn and Columbus, Ga., to visit relatives.

Miss Terry Armstrong of Albany, Ga., is the guest of Miss Kathleen Waters, at her home at the Rodgers apartments.

Betty Jo Wells and Yvonne Head left Wednesday for Lakeland, to spend a week with Betty Jo's grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Lohr.

Mrs. Frank Morrell of Panama City is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber and family. Mrs. Morrell was formerly Miss Jean Snarr.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin and son, C. B. Martin spent the week end in Tampa with their daughter and sister, Mrs. L. N. Smith and family.

Lt. Devon Reddick, who recently received his commission from Officers' Training School in Fort Sill, Okla., and who has been spending a short furlough at home with his wife and son, Dickie, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Reddick and family, left Friday morning for Camp Shelby, Miss., for futher assignment.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mabry of Miami spent Sunday here visiting relatives of Mrs. Mabry. They were enroute home from a vacation spent in Highlands N. C.

Mrs. Viola Hendry, who has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. L. D. Geiger and family, and Miss Eva Hendry, left Friday for Lakeland, where she will visit, before returning to her home in Wauchula.

Mrs. C. B. Cannon and son and daughter, Charles and Doris returned home this week end from Miami, where they have been visiting Miss Nellene Cannon for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Lola Skipper and daughter, Mrs. Fred Vogt of Ocala have spent the week here with relatives. Mrs. Vogt returned home on Thursday, and Mrs. Skipper remained for a few days longer.

Mrs. T. H. Hughs and daughter, Miss Gloria Hughs left Wednesday night for Walhalla and other points in South Carolina, where they will visit relatives for several weeks.

James Jordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Jordon, left recently for Sacul, Texas, to begin a series of summer evangelistic meetings, which he will conduct at various places in the state.

Pvt. Joe Graff, instructor of telegraphy for Air Corps cadets at Lubbock, Texas, has returned to his post of duty after visiting friends here, and relatives in Leesburg.

Mrs. S. F. Longbottom and son and daughter, Sammy and Lynn arrived home this week from Tampa, where they have been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wills and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Butts and family of DeLand spent Sunday in Avon Park, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Perry and family. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Miss Rae Butts, who has spent the past several weeks here, as the house guest of Miss Lena Mae Perry.

Bob Myers of Tampa was the week end guest of Walter Mandis.

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Ar. ORLANDO	11:05 AM	6:05 PM
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Ar. TALLAHASSEE	6:35 PM	12:10 AM
Lv. AVON PARK	6:45 AM	6:40 PM
Ar. LAKE CITY	3:00 PM	2:00 AM
Lv. AVON PARK	4:30 PM	6:40 PM
Ar. JACKSONVILLE	1:15 AM	4:45 AM

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RED CROSS INFORMATION

The American Red Cross renders a budgetary accounting to all who gave so generously to the $65,000,000 War Fund of 1941-42.

50% goes to the Armed Forces now in 100 camps and over seas. Buildings, equipment, trained personnel. Help in personnel or family problems. For the sick, and wounded, blood transfusions from army of blooddonors.

10% for Civilian Emergencies, bomb, flood, fire and tornado. Anywhere that food shelter, clothing and medical care are needed.

25% for Preparedness. For months ahead your War Fund has made sure that when and wherever the enemy strikes, we will be ready with man power and woman power, with food and shelter and transportation. Volunteer services? Yes, but your dollars are behind that volunteer to guarantee the services.

15% for chapter use. You and neighbors who are the army of the Red Cross. 29,000,000 of you adults and juniors ready for any emergency in your community. Doing your bit but out of your busy lives. Making the Red Cross a factor in community service. The link between the men at the front and folks at home. The producers from whose workrooms flow tons of garments, bandages and supplies. You use that 15c out of every dollar you give and spend it for the needs that you know best. Norman H. Davis, Chairman ARC.

The many friends of Miss Faye Luke, daughter of Mrs. Mary Luke, are pleased to know that she is convalescing so rapidly, following a tonsillectomy at Dr. Touchton's hospital rooms last Saturday morning.

Miss Marjorie Wells left Monday on the Silver Meteor for Florence and Rock Hill, S. C., where she will visit relatives and friends. She will also visit Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves in York, S. C., returning home in about three weeks.

Sanford Hartt, Jimmy Bradbury, Daymon Sadler, Joe Cannon, Eugene Fields, and Milton Cook left this week for Mobile, Ala., where they went to seek employment in welding jobs at the shipyards there.

Mrs. B. T. Cox returned last Saturday from a pleasant vacation. While away, she visited her father, Rev. P. S. Lancaster in Gulf Hammock. She also spent a week at Camp Panasofkee in Sumter county, and reports the fishing fine. The party she was with caught the limit of bass and brim, and Mrs. Cox feels it is an ideal spot for a restful vacation.

COMPLETE SUMMER COURSE
(Florida Southern College, Lakeland, July 16)

Four students from Avon Park completed the first session of the Florida Southern College 1942 summer term last week, it is announced by Registrar Kathryn McAfee. These include: Miss Mary Pardee, Miss Carrie Pearson, Mrs. Addie Lee Best, and Mrs. Jewel R. Shepherd.

Final examinations were held on Friday and the second session's work began on Saturday.

Church Notes

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 10:00 A. M. Topic: "Am I My Brother's Keeper?" An important question! What is the answer to it? Join us in discussion of this topic Sunday. We would like to hear your views. You may help us. We may even help you.

Morning worship service at 11 o'clock, with sermon by Dr. Elliott, who will speak on: "The City Without a Wall." Centuries ago men built walls around their cities for protection. Did walls prove a city's salvation? Of whot use would walls be today, against modern weapons of war? The strongest fortifications fall eventually before the great guns of today. There is a wall behind which safety lies. What is it? you may ask. Come and hear this message and you will know.

CHURCHES OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"Life" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, July 19.

The Golden Text is: "As the Father hath life in himself; so hath he given to the Son to have life in himself" (John5:26).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "How excellent is thy lovingkindness, O God! therefore the children of men put their trust under the shadow of thy wings. They shall be abundantly satisfied with the fatness of thy house; and thou shalt make them drink of the river of thy pleasures. For with thee is the fountain of life; in thy light shall we see light" (Ps. 36:7-9).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Because Life is God, Life must be eternal, self-existent. Life is the everlasting I Am, the Being who was and is and shall be, whom nothing can erase" (p.289:32-2).

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Hoyt Tatum, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 A. M. Morning Worship 11.00 A. M. Youth Fellowship Meeting 7:15 P. M. Evening Worship 8:00 P. M. Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P. M.

Dr. J. W. Blake, District Superintendent of the Lakeland District, will be guest speaker at the First Methodist Church Sunday Evening at 8:00.

A cordial welcome to worship here is extended to everyone.

Lt. and Mrs. Paul C. DeTreville of Columbus, S. C., spent Monday and Tuesday here with the latter's aunt, Mrs. C. R. Wingfield and family. Lt. DeTreville has been transferred to Hendrick's Field Sebring.

Mrs. Glenn Baggett of Bowling Green spent the week end here with her sister, Mrs. Ed Welch. She was accompanied home by another sister, Miss Jessie Agnew of Louisville, Ky., who has been visiting Mrs. Welch, Miss Agnew left this week from Bowling Green to return to her home.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BARNETT BANK OF AVON PARK IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1942

ASSETS

Loans and discounts (including $52.15 overdrafts)		$85,288.71
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		209,479.38
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		51,790.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures		34,837.50
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection		530,041.39
Bank premises owned $...... furniture and fixtures $6,450.21		6,450.21
Other assets		2,255.83
TOTAL ASSETS		920,143.02

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		582,509.53
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		105,605.93
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)		951.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		121,261.40
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)		2,598.90
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$812,926.76	
Other liabilities		2,573.57
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)		815,500.33

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital	50,000.00
Surplus	40,500.00
Undivided profits	9,292.69
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	4,850.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	104,642.69
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	920,143.02

This bank's capital consists of common stock with total par value of $50,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	152,600.00
Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	27,790.00
TOTAL	180,390.00
Secured and preferred liabilities:	
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	122,212.40
On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was	162,585.35
Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to	585,920.77

I, S. F. Longbottom, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. F. LONGBOTTOM

Correct-Attest:
J. S. FRANCIS
D. M. BARNETT
W. R. BARNETT Directors

State of Florida, County of Highlands, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of July, 1942, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
(SEAL) NELL WILLEFORD, Notary Public
My commission expires Dec. 9, 1944.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By RUSSELL KAY

America wants to win the war, But . . .

Congress wants to win the war, But congressmen want to win votes and influence voters and with elections coming up finds it difficult to put the war first and the question of reelection second.

Labor wants to win the war, But at the same time make full use of the emergency to consolidate her gains, secure higher wages and more complete control of industrial employment.

Labor leaders want to win the war, But object to any move that might interfere with their racketeering methods of colleting enormous tribute from the worker for the right to work and fattening their purse at the expense of the taxpayer.

The vast-growing army of bureaucrats want to win the war, but they deeply resent any effort to curtail their tremendous expenditures on non-essential activities or curb their duplicated effort, waste, inefficiency and ever increasing powers.

Industry wants to win the war, But at a profit, and seeks to curb labor and strengthen its own position.

The great banking and corporate interests want to win the war, But at the same time tighten their grip on the nation's resources and safeguard their complete control through interlocking corporations, cartels and combines.

The farmer wants to win the war, But won't stand for any ceiling on his products and wants the top dollar regardless.

The housewife wants to win the war, But she don't see why she can't have all the sugar she needs or why she should worry about saving fats and other materials.

The war department wants to win the war, But won't eliminate the brass hats and red tape or worship of form.

The motorist wants to win the war, but he can't get along without his car and feels that it is an imposition to expect him to go without gasoline or tires.

The business man wants to win the war, But he wants to do business as usual and thinks that price ceiling and priorities are unnecessary.

The dollar-a-year men want to win the war, But they can't forget their old connections and obligations and their decisions in connection with the war effort are governed accordingly.

Mr. Henderson wants to win the war, But he wants to crack down like Simon Legree, regiment and regulate everything and everybody, establish a Gestapo and do the job right.

The W. C. T. U. wants to win the war, But is more concerned over a return of prohibition.

The isolationists want to win the war, But they think we should confine our efforts to the protection of the home front and let the rest of the world go hang.

The old folks want to win the war, But they demand greater security and bigger and better pensions.

The young folks want to win the war, But don't want to let it interfere with their jookin'.

It seems that just about everybody wants to win the war, But selfishness, greed, fanaticism or intolerance wield such a tremendous influence that very few folks are willing to put them aside and go all out for victory.

To date we are losing the war rather than winning it, and unless you and I and a lot of other folks get off our Buts and concentrate on the job we're got to do, it will be too late.

Mrs. Laird Hendricks and her mother, Mrs. Robert Alfred, and Mrs. Edward Mills-Price of Jacksonville, were the week end guests of Mrs. Demos Mandis and family. On Sunday morning, they attended church services at Hendrick's Field, Sebring, which is named for Mrs. Hendrick's son, Lt. Laird Hendricks Jr.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN CHANCERY
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 judgement 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
JUDSON & WILLSON
COMPLAINANT'S SOLICITORS,
BARTOW, FLORIDA.
July 17, 24, 31, Aug. 1.

War Bonds Guard Home Front



This new color poster, which soon will be seen throughout the United States, emphasizes a new theme in the War Bond sales campaign. The present goal of the Nation wide drive is to persuade all citizens to invest 10 percent of income in War Bonds and Stamps. *U. S. Treasury*

Lawrence des Cutner left Friday for Youngstown, Ohio, to visit his daughter. He has spent the past several years in Avon Park, making his home at the Kohler residence.

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It's a top-seller all over the South

Mrs. H. E. Keller is visiting relatives in Utica, N. Y.

A hick town is a place wnere, when a gal steps out fit as a fiddle, every man in town wants to be her beau.

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. C. LARGE; E. W. RIMER; R. M. SHAVER; R. R. HEDKTE; HENRY C. ALLEN; 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 OSBORN 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-KEEFE COMPANY a dissolved corporation; all parties claiming interests by,through, under, or against FRANK G. GARDNER; MAE A. CABLE; HARRY J. CABLE; WILEY C. TAYLOR; M. C. TAYLOR; GEORGE C. LARGE; E. W. RIMER; R. M. SHAVER; R. R. HEDKTE; THE CONTINENTAL MORTGAGE COMPANY OF BALTIMORE, INC.; THE OSBORN 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-KEEFE 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 certificates 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 SectionTwenty-eight (28); the South Half of Southwest Quarter (S½ of SW¼) and 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.

Mrs. Brisco Willis

WAR RISK INSURANCE

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For Full Particulars Consult

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Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Philathea Class Has Chicken Supper on Tuesday

The Philathea Class of the First Baptist Sunday School enjoyed a chicken supper in the basement of the church on Tuesday evening. It was previously planned to have an outdoor supper on a lake, but due to the inclement weather, the plans were necessarily changed. The husbands of the members were especially invited supper guests.

The tempting supper, which featured fried chicken, was served buffet style. The singing of favorite songs formed pleasant entertainment for the evening. Mrs. Brisco Willis, class president, presided at a short business meeting.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lawhon, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley, Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr., Mrs. J. P. Dalton, Mrs. Durrh Martin, Miss Evie Canup, Mrs. Harold Guernsit, Mrs. Harry Walker, Mrs. C. Bellis, Mrs. H. Reeder, Mrs. Ott Ford, Mrs. Brisco Willis, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Parker, Miss Hewitt, and Mrs. O. C. White.

Lena Mae Perry Has Delightful Party on Friday

Miss Lena Mae Perry entertained at a delightful party at her home on Thursday evening, in honor of the birthday anniversary of Dorothy Jane Hansen. Dancing was the enjoyable diversion for the evening, and punch was served.

Those sharing the affair with the honoree and hostess were Frances Hansen of Lake Wales, Rae Butts of Deland, Dorothy Lawhon, Carl Parnell, Bobby Keller, Jimmie Hetherington, and Herman Mendow.

Garden Club Has Enjoyable Meeting Friday Morning

Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, chairman of the Garden Club, presided at the monthly business and program meeting, held on Friday morning at the F. P. S. customer's room. It was voted that the club furnish a dozen potted plants, in colorful pots, for the Recreation Center for Service Men. Plans for activities for the early fall were formulated, including a beautification project.

Mrs. Chas. F. Kenney, program chairman and hostess for the day, led a most interesting round-table discussion of matters pertaining to gardening.

It was announced that Mrs. S. S. Thayer will be program chairman for the August meeting. All members were urged to attend the meeting of the club.

At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Kenney served refreshing limeade to the following members present: Mrs. Walter S. Betts, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. S. S. Thayer, Mrs. Paul L. Rumpas, Mrs. Margery Church, Mrs. W. H. Kempton, Mrs. Chas. F. Kenney, Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mrs. C. P. Turner, and two visitors, Mrs. Chas Swartz, and Mrs. John L. Goodman.

Methodist Circle Met Monday at Davis Home

The Gerrard Circle of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. M. W. Davis on Monday evening, with Mrs. I L. Hall, co-hostess.

Mrs. Gerrard led the devotional, and Mrs. M. L. Rogers read the scripture reading. A short business meeting was conductd by the chairman, Mrs. Gerrard.

The hostess served dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake to members present who were Mrs. H. W. Reddick, Mrs. G. B. Hall, Mrs. A. C. Wester, Mrs. T. P. Turner, Mrs. C. H. Gerrard, Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, Mrs. M. L. Rogers, Mrs. C. Bigbie, Mrs. C. H. Harris, and Mrs. J. T. Lamb.

Mary Elizabeth Hall and Imogene Mingledorff assisted in serving.

Cpl. Ike Harden of Fort Sill, Okla., accompanied by Mrs. Harden of Mobile, Ala., arrived Thursday night to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Harden and family. Cpl. Harden has been attending Mechanic's School in Fort Sill, and will go from here to Camp Bowie, Texas, for further assignment.

Milford Dilleys Entertain Club Thursday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Dilley entertained their club, and a few additional friends at a most enjoyable party at their home on Thursday evening. The party rooms were beautifully arranged with bouquets of roses and zinnias.

After several progressions, scores were totaled, and high award was presented to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worden; second high, was won by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley, and Lester Armstrong received the floating prize.

Following the distribution of prizes, delectable refreshments of tuna fish salad, potato chips, pickles, crackers and iced tea, were served. Punch was served during the evening from a prettily appointed dining table.

Those sharing the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Dilley on this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware, Mrs. J. L. Wells, Mrs. Freed Peden, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worden, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Roberts, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dilley.

Party on Thursday Honors Visitor From Jacksonville

Mary Elizabeth Hall entertained at a delightful party at her home on Thursday evening, in honor of her house guest, Imogene Mingledorff of Jacksonville., who was a former resident of Avon Park. Roses decorated the party rooms.

Various games were enjoyed during the evening, and later delicious refreshments of cake, cookies, punch and candies were served.

Friends sharing the party with Mary Elizabeth and Imogene included Evelyn Scott, Jerry Witt, Jerry Connell, Marie Basemore, Retha Mixon, Janet Barker, Barbara Jean Bridges, Virginia Spencer, Dorothy Jane Hansen, Margaret Harper, Bob Reeves, Jack Batton, Johnny O'Conner, Fred Montalvo, David Lanier, Billy Connell, Bill Hood, Howard Todd, and John Barron.

Mrs. Lawhon is Circle Hostess Monday Afternoon

Circles two and three of the Baptist W. M. S. met on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. H. Lawhon. Mrs. W. C. Touchton conducted the business meeting. Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr. taught the lesson from the 6th chapter of John, and Mrs. E. C. Wever closed the meeting with prayer.

During the social hour, the hostess served delicious refreshments of fresh peach ice cream and cookies to those present who were Mrs. W. C. Touchton, Mrs. D. T. Beckett, Mrs. J. E. Crosby, Mrs. E. C. Wever, Mrs. Frank Costine, Mrs. Chas. Clements, Mrs. Ray Wells, Mrs. Anna Lawhon, Mrs. J. L. Collins, Mrs. Harold Davis, and Mrs. J. B. Coen Jr.

Chandler Wingfield Honor Guest at Birthday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wingfield entertained at a lovely birthday dinner at the Jacaranda hotel on Tuesday evening, in honor of the anniversary of their son, Chandler Wingfield Jr. The affair came as a complete surprize to the honor guest.

The beautifully appointed table was centered with the large decorated birthday cake topped with the required numbers of burning candles. Beneath the cake were fortunes, which were attached to ribbons extending to each place. The delicious steak dinner was served in four courses.

Covers were laid for Miss Willa McGiboney, Chandler Wingfield, Jr., Miss Betty Touchton, Fred Foster, Lt. and Mrs. Paul C. Deweville, Columbia, S. C., Billy Wingfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Wingfield.

Trump It Club Has Enjoyable Dessert Bridge

A lovely party of Wednesday was given by Mrs. W. R. Carter, when she entertained members of the Trump It Club and a few additional friends at a dessert bridge. Zinnias, in colorful summer shades were chosen by the hostess to decorate the party rooms.

The dainty dessert course, served before the games, consisted of dream cake topped with whipped cream. High score prize for the afternoon, an attractive tea pot, was won by Mrs. Paul A. McFarland; second high, a pyrex baking dish, was awarded to Mrs. Brisco Willis.

Club members and guests enjoying the party included Mrs. Vera Garner, Mrs. Harold Rowe, Mrs. Paul McFarland, Mrs. J. B. Francis, Mrs. T. J. McGinnis, Mrs. George Haynie, Mrs. S. G. Patterson, and Mrs. Brisco Willis.

Grandpa Straubel Poses for Picture

"Timely Topics," a bulletin put out by the traffic department of the Chicago and Northwestern RR. contains a picture of H. A. (Grandpa) Straubel, as he boards the streamliner at the Northwest. Wis., from his home in Florida'rn station, enroute to Green Bay, Mr. Straubel, in the picture, is standing on the steps, looking in the best of health, despite his advanced age, and is waving a greeting to onlookers at the station.

The caption over the picture is "Veteran Traveller" and beneath it are these lines: "A veteran traveller at 101, August Straubel of Green Bay, Wis., boards the Streamliner City of Wisconsin "400" at the Northwestern station enroute home from Florida, where he annually spends each winter. A veteran of the civil war, Straubel came to this country in 1846 from Germany at the age of five. Recently he was notified his grandson, Lieutenat Colonel Austin A. Straubel, an aviator, was killed in action in Java."

Never return evil for evil; and, above all, do not fancy that you have been wronged when you have not been.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Former Navy Men Get Promotions If They Re-Enlist

Jacksonville, Fla., July 15.—The Navy Recruiting Service said here today that all former Navy men who were honorably discharged and recommended for enlistment between July 1, 1932, and Dec. 6, 1941, and less than fifty and one-half years old, may be re-enlisted without regard to their professional qualifications, in ratings above those held when discharged.

Men discharged in the rating below will be reenlisted in ratings as follows:

Seaman first or second class to petty officer third class; mess attendant third or second class to mess attendant first class; mess attendant first class to officer's cook third class; fireman third or second class to fireman first class; fireman first class to water tender second class; hospital apprentice second or first class to pharmacist's mate third class; petty officer third class to petty officer second class; petty officer second class to petty officer first class, and petty officer first class to chief petty officer acting appointment.

The new pay bill, it was explained, will give these reenlisted men monthly pay of from $66 to $126, in addition to allowances for dependants.

Navy recruiting stations are located here, in Miami, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Orlando, Daytona Beach, Lakeland, Gainesville, and Tallahassee.

The place of charity, like that of God, is everywhere.—Quarles.

ORDINANCE NO. 248

An Ordinance making it unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to engage in the business of operating any taxicab or of transporting passengers for compensation in the City of Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, without first procuring and keeping in force at all times when engaged in such business, for each taxicab operated by such person, firm or corporation, from a company duly authorized to issue the same in the State of Florida, a policy or policies insuring such person, firm or corporation against liability for bodily injuries to the extent of $5000.00 for each person and $10,000.00 for each accident and against liability for property damage to the extent of $5000.00 for each accident or without registering such policy or policies with the City Clerk of said City, and providing penalties for violations of this ordinance.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, as follows:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to engage in the business of operating any taxicab or of transporting passengers for compensation in the City of Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, without first procuring and keeping in force at all times when engaged in such business, for each vehicle operated by such person, firm or corporation, from a company duly authorized to issue the same in the State of Florida, a policy or policies insuring such person, firm or corporation against liability for bodily injuries to the extent of $5000.00 for each person and $10,000.00 for each accident and against liability for property damage to the extent of $5000.00 for each accident, or without registering such policy or policies with the City Clerk of said City, whose duty it shall be to keep a record in which shall be registered the policy number of such policies, the company issuing the same, the limits of each liability insured against and the period of time for which each such policy is issued.

Section 2. Any person, firm or corporation convicted of violating any provision of this ordinance shall be punished therefor by a fine or not more than $100.00 or by imprisonment at hard labor upon the public works of said City for not more than sixty days or by both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the Mayor.

Section 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 5. This ordinance is an emergency measure and it is hereby found and determined that the health and welfare of said City require its immediate passage and that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and welfare of said City and this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor or upon its becoming a law without such approval and upon its being published one time in a newspaper published in said City.

Passed in regular session of the City Council of the City of Avon Park in the County of Highlands, and State of Florida, this 13th day of July, 1942.

E. A. DELANEY,
President, City Council.

(SEAL)
Attest: LOUISE B. ARMSTRONG
City Clerk.

Presented to and approved by me this 13th day of July, 1942.

M. E. COVINGTON,
Mayor, City of Avon Park.

(SEAL)
Attest: LOUISE B. ARMSTRONG
City Clerk.

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

Notice is hereby given, that William E. 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, towit:

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. PITTY
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31.

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

Notice is hereby given, that Leo Bonnet holder of Tax Certificate No. [illegible] dated 1st day of August A. D. 1925, 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, towit:

All Frac Section 26, Township 37 South Range 31 East Less Lots 4,5,6 as per plat Book 2 Page 36 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. PITTY
Clerk of Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
By D. G. YOUNG, Deputy Clerk
July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31.

IN THE COUNTY JUDGE'S COURT, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

In Re: Estate Of MALCOLM L. MacPHAIL, Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO ALL CREDITORS, LEGATEES, DISTRIBUTEES AND ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST SAID ESTATE:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified and requested to present any claims and demands which you, or any of you, may have against the estate of Malcolm L. MacPhail, deceased, late of Cayuga County, New York, to the County Judge of Highlands County, Florida, at his office in the Court House at Sebring, Florida, within twelve months from date of first publication hereof which is June 19, A. D. 1942.

EDNA C. MacPHAIL,
As Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Malcolm L. MacPhail, Deceased.
June 19, 26, July 3, 10.

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Complete Figures Given on County Assessments

Total assessed valuation of all real estate, tangible personal property, and railroad and telegraph property, of Highlands county was $9,085,972 for the 1941-42 tax year, according to records of Comptroller J. M. Lee at Tallahassee.

In contrast to $3,101,920 for 1940-41, the passing year was marked by an increase of 192% in total assessment, as indicated in an analysis prepared by the Florida State Planning Board for a meeting of county officials with Governor Spessard L. Holland and Comptroller Lee.

Before tax laws enacted by the 1941 legislature became effective a few counties based assessments on only 25% of actual value, while others ranged on up to around 65%. Under the new laws, the goal for all assessments is 100%, and total state valuation already has come up from $526,108,837 to $2,126,823,848, an increase of 304%. However, a general lowering of millages resulted in a state-wide tax increase of only 2.3%.

General county purposes and road and bridge district maintenance and debt service millages levied against Highlands county's total valuation represented a tax assessment of $111,905 in 1941-42, or 4.7% under the $117,440 assessed the previous year. General school and school district levies amounted to $82,240 in 1941-42, or 27.6% over the $64,407 of 1940-41. Totals of county commission and school assessments were $194,145 for this past year and $181,848 for the previous year, a gain of 6.7%.

While values of real estate in this county were raised from $2,413,963 in 1940-41 to $6,775,410 in 1941-42, or 180%, the amount of county general, road and bridge, and school taxes assessed against real estate went up from $131,435 to $138,206, again of 5.1%. Statewide, realty values advanced 298% but taxes assessed rose less than one third of one per cent.

Tangible personal property values were raised from $330,780 to $1,114,800 in Highlands county, or up 237%, and taxes assessed against this type of property moved from $24,462 to $27,067, a gain of 10.6%. Statewide, tangible personal values went up from $56,755,142 to $274,383,809, an increase of 383%, whereas taxes assessed against this class of property moved up from $3,603,227 to $4,308,806, or up 196%. Total Florida railroad and telegraph values were boosted from $26,372,124 to $87,541,500.

Of the property booked for Highlands county in 1940-41, 77.82%, of the total value was real estate, 10.66% tangible personal property, and 11.52% railroad and telegraph property. For 1941-42, the respective percentage were: 74.57, 12.27, and 13.16, Statewide, the respective percentages were: 84.20, 10.79, and 5.01 for 1940-41, and 82.98, 12.90, and 4.12 for 1941-42.

Intangible property of Highlands county was valued at $1,498,292 in 1940-41, and this classification advanced to $1,716,314 a year later, up 14.5%. Statewide, the total value of intangibles was raised from $849,439,242 to approximately $1,123,225,000 in 1941-42, up 32%. Taxes assessed against intangibles in this county moved from $2,069 to $2,339, a difference of 13.0%, for Florida as a whole, assessments against intangibles increased about 38%.

ATTEND FLORIDA BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

Rev. J. P. Dalton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, accompanied by Misses Winifred Demorest and Dorothy Lawhon, and Sammy Longbottom, Junior Engelmann, Dale McFarland and Charles Lawhon, will leave next Tuesday for DeLand where they will attend the Florida Baptist Assembly, which will be held at Stetson University for seven days.

Jack Beeler Enlists in Navy Air Forces

Atlanta, Ga., July 14,—Jack B. Beeler, of Avon Park, Florida, has enlisted for aviation flight training in the U. S. Naval Reserve.

Beeler, 21, is the son of Mrs. Mabel W. Beeler, and is a graduate of Beverly Hills High School. He attended the University of California, in Los Ageles, two years, and has had forty hours of private flight instruction.

Enlisted at the Naval Aviation Cadet Selection Board in Atlanta, the young Avon Park man will soon be ordered to one of the Navy's new pre-flight schools at the Universities of Georgia and North Carolina. Primary and basic training at one of the Naval Reserve Aviation Bases will follow. Advanced training at one of the three great Naval Air Stations in Pensacola Florida, Jacksonville, Florida, and Corpus Christi, Texas, will qualify him for his Navy Wings and a commission as a Flying Officer.

This branch of service now open to high school graduates under the Navy's V-5 program, qualifies successful cadets for commissions as Ensigns in the U. S. Naval Reserve, or Second Lieutenants in the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve. Full information may be obtained at any Navy Recruiting Station.

City Bankruptcy Proceedings Filed In Federal Court

(Continued from page one)

were filed in Federal Court yesterday, July 13, accompanied by signed consents representing more than 60% of the outstanding Avon Park indebtedness which is subject to refunding under this plan of Composition. In addition to the actual signed consents filed with the Petition, we are glad to advise that we have verbal commitments on additional securities and anticipate receiving their actual signed consents within the next few days covering a sufficient volume to bring the consents above the 66 2-3 requirements in order to make the Plan effective. Your attorney, Mr. Jolley, will without doubt advise you futher and in more detail in reference to these proceedings within the next few days.

We feel sure that you and the the members of the City Council will be pleased with the progress being made in our mutual efforts to make this plan of refunding operative at the earliest possible time and we assure you that our efforts will be continued to make the Plan effective within the minimum reasonable period of time. It is our hope that the debt adjustment plan now pending and the matter involved in the present appeal to the Supreme Court may both be disposed of to reasonable satisfaction of all parties involved within a reasonable time, which we believe should be within the next approximately 90 days.

Yours very Truly,
R. E. Crummer & Company

Buses Offer Safe Transportation

Tampa, July 16 (FNS) Florida buses again make traveling history. Millions of civilians and soldiers were carried over the highways in the first six months of 1942 without one passenger being killed. The government has recognized the safe operation of the buses, sending most of its selectees on them to camps, stated Asher Frank, director of the Florida Safety Council.

SMART MONEY
KNOWS WHERE TO GO AFTER READING THE ADS IN THIS NEWSPAPER.

CCC Closes Shop After Nine Years Of Operation

When the Civilian Conservation Corps closed its books on June 30, it had completed 9 years of service in conserving the natural and human resources of America. During that period, CCC camps under the jurisdiction of the U. S. Forest Service and the State Forester advanced the cause of forest conservation in Florida by at least a generation, both on the national forests and on State and privately owned lands. A total of over 3,200,000 man-days of work was done, of which two thirds was on State and private lands. Highlights of the work accomplished in Florida include the following items:

The CCC boys, in improving the physical facilities of the forests, built over 3,000 miles of roads and 2,000 bridges. They erected 379 buildings, built 239 miles of fences, and strung 343 miles of telephone lines.

Roads and telephones are important in forest fire protection. In addition, 108 lookout towers were erected, 19,860 miles of firebreaks cleared, and fire hazards reduced along 980 miles of roads and on over 80,000 additional acres. CCC boys spent nearly 78,000 man-days on general fire protective work and 53,000 man-days fighting fires. Largely through the fire control improvements and facilities constructed by the CCC, the Florida Forest and Park Service was able to provide fire control for millions of acres of private timberlands that otherwise would have continued to suffer severe damage annually. At the beginning of the CCC program in 1933 only 1,600,000 acres of State and private forest lands in Florida received fire protection. By January 1, 1942, this had increased to over 4,000,000 acres.

For sowing in forest nurseries, 33,000 bushels of pine cones were collected. Over 17,600 acres of denuded lands were planted to make future forests. Timber stand improvement work was done on over 225,000 acres. Nearly 33,500 man-days were spent on surveys, and the timber was estimated on about 660,000 acres. Perhaps the greatest rendered by the CCC in Florida has been to the boys, largely recruited within the State, who lived and worked in the camps. They learned useful trades and habits of industry and self-reliance and developed strong and healthy bodies. Army officers find ex-CCC boys who enter the armed forces to be in much better than average physicial trim and, as a result of their CCC training in first aid and in such specialized skills as truck and tractor driving and telephone maintenance, able in a short time to handle the mechanized equipment of modern warfare.

When the boys go home they will be more useful citizens of their communities. They will be enthusiastic conservationists and may be counted on, through the years to come, to actively aid in protecting and wisely using Florida's natural resources.

Birth Certificates Important To American Citizens

American citizens have begun to realize the advantages of having birth certificates. This has been publicized by the U. S. Bureau of the Census and by state bureaus of vital statistics for many years. However, the majority of people failed to take the advice seriously until they were faced with the necessity of proving their birth before they could enter the Army or Navy, or before they could secure a defense job which required that a birth certificate be furnished.

Citizens not having birth certificates should apply to the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the State Board of Health in the state of their birth.

Until 1940 it was a very simple procedure to get a delayed birth certificate. Proof of birth consisted merely of an affidavit made by a relative or friend. Under these simple requirements it occasionally happened that fraudulent certificates were filed which were used for improper and illegal purposes.

In 1941 new and stiffer requirements for obtaining a birth certificate went into force over all the nation. Three facts must be shown on every birth certificate:

1. Exact day, month, or year of birth.
2. Exact place of birth.
3. Names of parents, including maiden name of mother.

This must be proved by written evidence, dating from a time as near possible to the claimed time of birth. Affidavits alone are no longer sufficient.

All persons applying to the Bureau of Vital Statistics for a birth certificate are earnestly requested to be patient at the delay in receiving one. The delay is caused by an unprecedented number of applications reaching the Bureau, and by the requirements for utmost accuracy. Uncle Sam has laid down certain rules for proof of birth which the Bureau of Vital Statistics must abide by. "Red tape" is dispensed with to the limit of safety in all Bureau of Vital Statistics proceedings.

Local Board Explains Draft Classification

The Highlands County Local Board has submitted the following article clarifying the classification and selection for induction of registrants subject to the draft, as interpreted by the board:

Since the enactment of the Servicemen's Dependents Allowance Act of 1942,numerous questions have arisen. It is therefore thought advisable to set forth the interpretation this Headquarters has placed upon the information so far received.

Registrants who are otherwise qualified for military service will be divided into certain categories on the basic of family relations and dependents. It appears that when the revised regulations are promulgated, Classes I and III, as they were heretofore set up, will be no longer known. Apparently all registrants are to be considered as subject to service in the armed forces, however, the selection for induction will be by categories and only after all registrants in a succeeding category be subject to selection.

There will, of necessity, be in each category two classes or groups of registrants. One group will be those found physically qualified for general military service and the other composed of those, who, after physical examination, are found to be qualified for limited military service only. This division will correspond to what has formerly been known as the A and B divisions of Class I. It is also necessary that a further differentiation or division be made in regard to the conscientious objection of a registrant to combat service.

Those who have been found to be physically, morally or mentally disqualified for service of any kind in the armed forces or, especially exempted or deferred from service as heretofore placed in Class IV, will, of course, still receive the same consideration and be placed in a deferred group, subdivided as Class IV is now divided.

Registrants who, because of their occupation, are entitled to deferment will continue to be deferred.

CATEGORY I. Only those registrants who have no dependents and maintain no family relationship can properly be placed in Category I. Thus, registrants who are married but are not living with their wife nor contributing in a reasonable manner to her support are placed in this category. The classification is not changed even though the registrant has a wife and children, if he does not either contribute to their support or maintain a family relationship with them. By the term family relationship is meant living together or maintaining a home.

CATEGORY II. Into this category will be placed registrants otherwise qualified who have persons financially dependent upon them other than wife or children; or if wife or children, do not maintain a family relationship with them.

CATEGORY III. Registrants who have wives with whom they maintain a bona fide family relationship in their homes, regardless of any question of financial dependency, shall be placed in this category provided however that the marriage took place prior to December 8, 1941, and at a time when the registrants selection was not imminent.

CATEGORY IV. Category 4, includes those registhants who maintain a bona fide family relationship in their homes with their wives and children or with their children and provided, of course, that in those cases where they have wives and children, the marriage took place prior to December 8, 1941, and at a time when selection was not imminent.

The placing of a registrant in one of the categories shall be followed by the same right of appearance before the local board and the same right of appeal as in the case of an original classification.

Mayor's Office Hours

I will be at my office in the city hall at 9:45 each morning from Monday through Friday.

I am on duty subject to call 24 hours a day.

Call 134 for appointment.

M. E. COVINGTON,
Mayor.

C. R. WINGFIELD ELECTED PRESIDENT OF CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wingfield spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday in Clearwater, where they attended the annual meeting of the Progressive Club of the Gulf Fertilizer company. The sessions were held at the Clearwater Beach hotel. Mr. Wingfield, who is district agent for the company, was honored by being elected vice president of the club.

What is becoming in behavior is honorable, and what is honorable is becoming.—Cicero.

Benevolent feeling ennobles the most trifling actions.—Thackeray

CLASSIFIED ADS

SITUATION WANTED: — Light Nursing. Care of Invalid or children during evenings. Mary Hopson Marsh Home. Road No. 8. 4t pd.

FOR SALE:—15 acre farm, all cleared and fenced. Just off paved highway. Five acre bearing orange grove. Four room house, good well, tractor and other farm implements. Ninety hives of bees and equipment. Or will consider renting to tenant under attractive proposition. Address AD, care The Sun.

WANTED: — Couple, with no small children, to live on place seven miles from Avon Park, adjoining auxiliary airport. Absolutely no rent to pay. Owner wishes someone to care for place. Answer, AD, Care Avon Park Sun. 1tpd.

FOR SALE:—Good jersey milk cow. Reasonably priced. Seven miles east of Wauchula, on Avon Park road. Mrs. H. Anderson, R. F. D. 2, Wauchula, Florida 1tpd.

FOR SALE:— Blue Ribbon coal. le Sewing Machine, also kitchen wood range and Damascus Treadutensils. Apply AD, care Sun 1p

LOST:— Old fashioned iron pot, with holes bored in sides. Was placed by mistake in car in front of post-office. Mrs. A. H. Able, 1d.

LOST:—Wednesday morning, gold Air Corps indentification bracelet, engraved with name "Peggy". Valued for sentimental reasons. Reward. Address Box 513. 1t.

FOR RENT:— Furnished rooms and apartment. Hot and cold water and electricity furnished by week or month. J. D. Sherman 1tpd..

FOR RENT:—Five room unfurnished cottage, 12 miles from Avon Park on Wauchula road. Inquire for Porter Lambert at Lemon Grove Filling Station. 1tpd.

CAMERAGRAPHS



GOING DOMESTIC is pretty Mary Anderson, right, Hollywood film player who is pictured with a new gift set of doilevers presented to her by fellow players in a recent movie. Used in recent movie kitchen scenes this artistic metal kitchenware features wild rose and peach motifs.

MARCHING IN ICELAND NOW—These four American Red Cross recreation workers have landed in Iceland to help in the welfare program of armed forces in that outpost. They are shown in Washington just before their recent departure, attired in the warm uniforms necessary for the arctic climate.

"SEZ YOU!" The bruins "Flossy" and "Quirt" in Jasper National Park, in the Canadian Rockies, exchange a few compliments before deigning to up to settle an argument—could it be over a lady bear?

MARY ANDERSON, below, and Dorothy Lovett, Hollywood film players, watch a diving contest at the Los Angeles Ambassador Hotel pool. Sipping Coca-Colas on the sidelines, these two ladies create a splash on their own, with such fetching playsuits.

TO SAVE 25,000 TONS yearly for the war effort, no crude rubber is to be used in heels. Instead, United States Rubber Company has announced, reclaimed rubber obtained chiefly from worn tires, will be utilized. Miss Betty Flack displays styles of the new product.

The County Line
G. D. HUSS, Jr., Prop.
Wauchula-Avon Park Road
Extends A
WELCOME TO THE SERVICE MEN OF THIS AREA
And Citizens of Highlands County



THE CONSUMERS' PLEDGE
For Total Defense
I will buy carefully.
I will take good care of the things I have.
I will waste nothing.

The National Nutrition program is gathering momentum on all fronts spreading a newer knowledge of nutrition throughout the land. No home can operate successfully with broken or worn appliance aids, and the need for keeping these servants in good working condition is becoming more important as each day passes. **Your Electrical Dealer** is prepared to help you co-operate with the Consumers' Pledge by repairing those worn or broken appliance aids and placing them back on active duty. KEEP 'EM WORKING . . . an electrical servant on the shelf because of the need of some minor adjustment is a handcuffed worker. See your Electrical Dealer today!

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Sugar . . and Spice

Subject . . . Dance . . . Where? Sacaranda Hotel . . . When? . . . Last Friday p. m. . . . Why? . . . Honoring General Bombing and Gunnery Range Boys . . . Remarks . . . 'Twas a whoopin' big success . . . Lotza smooth sissies with'sass . . . dressed like society . . . As sgt. James Williams The Handsome Brute sezs . . . th's dancin' has gotta lotta angles.

The gal that is devastating . . . to the armed forces . . . on and off a dance floor is Hilda Reddick.

Maybe it's her miniature waistline . . . or her appealing charm . . . that goes with being so cute and small . . . anyway . . . Julia Johnson always dances at dances.

Met Virginia Harp . . . now Mrs. Lee Laiche . . . She's small, sweet, and sincere.

A femme visitor by name of Terry . . . a dark eyed charmer . . . in a flaming red dress that added zing to her stag line . . . As gay and lively as a juke box.

Strange things do happen . . . Lt. Goodman refused to let anyone break on his wife . . . You may be Goodman in name . . . and a good man in deed . . . but who wants to dance with their own husband all evening?

Sgt. Lewis Thornton likes girls young and old . . . Quote he . . . "If they're young . . . they'll grow up . . . If they're old they can cook . . . So his motto is . . . Be a good boy to them all . . . young and old . . . short and tall . . .

One war ago they called it "TI" . . . then twas termed sex appeal . . . recently has been dubbed Oomph . . . Whatever it's called . . . Dottie Sefton's got it . . . She hails from Tampa way . . . is a frequent visitor in our local city . . . because her heart belongs to First Sergeant Dick Paden . . . The gal has good taste.

Might be . . . and it mightn't be . . . a military secret . . . but we hear that H. R. Dating H. R. these days . . . Could be.

WANTED . . . A volunteer interpreter . . . as constant companion . . . to explain each and every insignia on uniforms . . .

Also wanted . . . a long and lengthy vacation and . . . convenient frying eggs on the sidewalk . . . Besides ain't sanitary.

—A. B. W.

Highlands Boys At Blanding Say Ready to Fight

Camp Blanding, Fla., July 23—Highlands County's representation in the Army swelled by thirteen last week as another group of men from Avon Park and Sebring were inducted into the Service and prepared to undergo basic military training at a replacement center.

Issued uniforms and equipment, the new men were quartered at the Reception Center here until such time as transfer orders sent them to a new station to begin their training program prior to joining the ranks of Uncle Sam's fighting legions.

Ray T. Graddy, 27, of 422 Magnolia Ave., Sebring, a post office clerk, said "I'm ready to fight the Axis because I want to help preserve the American way of life for ourselves and our future generations.

"I want to help preserve our liberty and all the things America stands for," said Ray Garrett, 21, of Aark Park, an automobile mechanic. Garrett, who has a brother, Fred, a sergeant at Camp Bowie, Tex., expressed hopes of being assigned to the air corps.

Other men included: Hugh D. Thomas, 32, a cattle man; Charles B. Martin, 32, a painter and semi-professional ball player; Harold A. Smith, 23, a lathe worker; George Ward, 35, a truck driver; Frank E. Wilkes, 30, a furniture salesman; and Thomas G. Bryan, 35, all of Avon Park.

From Sebring came Olen S. Dalton, 26, a truck driver and Danny Godwin, 25, a cattleman, William F. Roberts, 32, a teacher, of Lake Placid; Fred Montadeoca, 35, a rancher and his brother, Eddie, 30, a mechanic, both of Lorida, were also inducted.

WILFORD HILL GOES TO SHIP YARD

Wilford Hill, resident of Avon Park for the past twelve years, during which time he has been an employee of the Highland Crate Cooperative, left Thursday for Mobile, Ala., to take a position as electric welder in a shipyard. He resigned from the position of assistant superintendent at the crate mills on July 22. The family is visiting relatives in Miami and will join him in Mobile in a few weeks.

Sunday Beer Test Case Thrown Out

Hearing Shows Ordinance Can't Be Enforced

The Sunday beer ordinance was cracked wide open in Mayor's court Monday, and lager leaked from every busted seam, when City Attorney Perry Murray moved the dismissal of a test case for lack of evidence of violation.

The case was brought through the arrest Saturday night of Geo. Assmopolous, proprietor of Alex Cafe for the sale of beer after midnight. George Haynie, arresting officer, told the court that he saw some civilians and soldiers drinking beer in Alex Cafe at five minutes to one o'clock on Sunday morning. He said he complained to the proprietor, who told him the customers had paid for their beer before 12 o'clock. Haynie admitted that he did not see any sale, that no beer was delivered, or money changed hands in his presence. Assmopolous told the officer the beer was bought and paid for before 12 o'clock, although some of it was delivered after midnight.

How this came about was explained by Pvt. Charles Mason, a witness, who said he bought three bottles of beer for himself and companions just before midnight. Two of the bottles were served to the other soldiers, but he said his placed back on ice while he went to the armory to see if there was a mission. Finding none, he returned to the restaurant, and had his beer served.

Officer Haynie testified that he saw Mason enter the restaurant at 10 minutes after midnight, followed him in and found him with a bottle of beer before him. The officer reasoned that he had bought it after midnight, and made the arrest. C. Parke Anderson asked the court this question: "According to my understanding of the outcome of this case, a customer can buy all the beer he wants and pay for it before midnight Saturday, and have it set aside on ice and served to him on Sunday?" The city attorney answered that it appeared that way, and the general opinion was expressed that there would be no further attempt to enforce the ordinance.

Devon Francis Aviation Writer Visits Lodwick

Devon Francis, who as aviation editor of Wide World News Service, a department of the Associated Press, wrote several stories on the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy which was carried in newspapers thruout the country giving Avon Park considerable publicity, visited Avon Park last week with Stanley Hedberg, Director of Public Relations for both of Mr. Lodwick's aviation primary training schools.

Francis, who is now writing for Time magazine flew into Sebring with General Barton K. Yount and other Army Air Forces officers on a tour of inspection of training centers. Hedberg met Francis in Sebring and drove him to Avon Park for a short stay.

"I shall always remember the pleasant stay I had in Avon Park," Francis said. "The stories I 'did' on the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy turned out to be the best and the most widely used of all the stories I wrote on that trip. I am sorry that I have to leave tomorrow morning early but I did want to come back and am sorry that I missed Mayor Covington and the other friends I made here on my other visit. Sometime, in the future, I hope to get back here and avail myself of the opportunity of fishing with the Mayor. I have never forgotten the 'Florida cracker dinner' he had in my honor on my last visit. I sure liked his hush puppies and swamp cabbage and have told all my friends what a delightful meal it was. I prize highly the certificate he gave me that day making me a Colonel on his Staff."

Share Your Car Club Chairmen Are Announced

(BY J. PAUL GARBER)
Chairman Division of Information, Education and Morale, Highlands County Defense Council.

The following chairmen of "Share Your Car" Club Committees of Highlands County Defense Council have been named and these committees are now functioning.

For Avon Park and community—Sam G. Patterson.

For Sebring and community—Edwin E. Smith.

For Lake Placid and community—Ed Flanders.

If you have not already joined a "Share Your Car" Club, please do so at once. Any information about this program can be secured from one of the "Share Your Car" Club Committee Chairmen.

Motorists in Florida, quick to realize the advantages of car sharing are flocking to Defense Council club officers throughout the state, to form "Share-Your-Car" clubs, Henry J. Driggers state Transportation Conservation Chairman, announced today.

Driggers said a survey of the progress of the clubs in the state has just been made by S. C. Bray, state liaison officer, and that the reports are most encouraging.

"Of the 450,000 motorists in the state, we expect 50,000 to 60,000 clubs to be formed," Driggers said. It is estimated that 65 per cent of the motorists will be satisfied with "A" ration cards while the other 35 per cent will form clubs to get additional gasoline rations, the chairman added. The natural topography of Florida is such that many more than 35 per cent of the state's motorists may be expected to form "Share-Your-Car" clubs, so that they can make maximum use of their machines.

"So keen is the interest in "Share-Your-Car" clubs that Miami and Jacksonville have entered into a contest to determine which of the state's two largest cities will form the greater number of clubs per car registration in the shortest time. A spirited campaign is also underway in Tampa with the committee headed by Joe Sweeney, and it is probable that the West Coastians may challenge the two East Coast cities, thereby making the contest three-way.

One hundred large placards bearing the words, "Office of Civilian Defense asks you to join "Share-Your-Car" clubs. Register at motor club," were placed at every gas registration point in St. Petersburg and Thomas L. Boteler, chairman, reports substantial progress.

In Daytona Beach, air raid wardens have been named as "Share-Your-Car" captains and spirited competition is now underway between these captains as to whose area will produce the greatest number of clubs.

Registration booths in the Sarasota and Tallahassee Chambers of Commerce encourage motorists and riders to register so that clubs can be formed. Cliff Davenport, heads the work in Leon County and George C. Shaute, directs the club formations in Sarasota County.

Progress is being made in 68 defense councils in the state and Chairman Driggers is hopeful that the organization work will get underway soon in the west Florida counties, outside the rationed area, as it is his desire that Florida go "all out" for "Share-Your-Car" clubs and be the first state in the nation to report 100 per cent cooperation.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sachsenmaier are announcing the birth of a baby son, weighing seven and three-quarter pounds, who arrived at a Sebring hospital Wednesday night. The young man has been named Henry Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crichfield of Madison Wis., announce the arrival of a baby daughter, July 18. The little lady has been named Martha Jean. Mrs. Crichfield was formerly Miss Lauretta Reed, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Reed of Avon Park.

There is no class of men so difficult to be managed in a state as those whose intentions are honest, but whose consciences are bewitched.—Napoleon.

Sebring Army Repair Depot To Employ 245

Sebring Gets Important Army Establishment

Two hundred and forty-five people will be employed by the U. S. Army Motor Transport Repair Depot in Sebring according to a statement made by Lt. J. C. Carter this week. The personnel will consist mainly of civil employees and seven or eight quartermaster officers.

The main shops and clerical and administrative offices of the depot are situated in the large garage building at the rear of the post office. Auxiliary buildings are being rented by the army to house facilities for servicing all army vehicles in Florida south of Orlando. The territory is known as the 20th parallel.

An approximate distribution of the personnel will be seven officers, 200 shop workers and 38 office workers. Key positions are being filled by transfer civil service employees. A number of the stenographers are already at work in the offices which are located at the front of the building.

Captain P. A. Crites, of Atlanta, Ga., World War veteran and long in government employ is officer in charge of the depot. Lt. Carter, also of Atlanta, and who is also a World War veteran and has been working for the quartermaster corps for many years, holds an administrative position. Lt. Carter was awarded the distinguished service cross for administering aid to wounded men and bringing them to safety during heavy fire. He also received recognition for carrying a message under particularly hazardous conditions and continuing to serve while wounded.

It is believed that five or six lieutenants recently graduated from Camp Lee in Virginia will be sent here to complete the officer personnel.

Contrary to previous announcement, several buildings from the CCC camp near town will not be brought to Sebring to be used as tool sheds. The buildings had already been promised to a defense project in south Florida.

Jack Roberts, formerly of Lake City has been hired as shop superintendent. The majority of his men will be mechanics although a few carpenters and painters will be used.

Negotions are underway to rent all vacant storerooms in the building which houses the H & H grocery on North Pine. If a satisfactory agreement cannot be made for use of the room which houses the bowling alley, Lt. Carter stated that the army expected to rent the old laundry building across from the Sebring Ice and Fuel Co. The building would be repaired by the owners before lease would be completed.

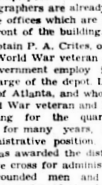
It is believed that the shop will not use a full staff of workers before 30 days. When it goes into operation it will be open twenty-four hours daily.

The repair depot also leased all vacant lots adjoining the main building. If it is necessary, the army may rent other buildings.

Carpenters and painters have been engaged for several weeks cleaning and repairing the building which formerly held defense school equipment. The entire interior of the building is being cleaned and renovated for the army.—Sebring News.

ATTEND SUMMER SESSION

Three students of Avon Park are now at Florida Southern College for the second session of the 1942 Summer Term, according to Registrar Kathryn McAfee. These include Mrs. Addie Lee Best, Miss Mary Pardee, and Mrs. Jewell R. Shepherd. 57 Florida communities are represented in the present student body. Summer commencement is scheduled for August 21.



Unbeatable Team—Soldier, Bond Buyer



Four new color posters soon will be seen all over the United States, emphasizing new themes in the War Bond sales campaign. The poster reproduced above stresses the double-purpose utility of War Bond purchases. *U. S. Treasury Dept.*

Girls, Anxious to Help, Form Club To Sell Stamps

It happened like this. Several little girls anxious to do something for Uncle Sam inquired of Buddy Roberts if there was something that they could do to help in this war crisis.

Roberts referred them to County Defense Chairman Ben Stewart. They called upon him with the same serious question. "Now what would you girls like to do," asked Stewart. They answered anything that they could. Stewart asked if they would like to have an adult help and direct them, or would they like to do something on their own initiative. They quickly replied that they could do it themselves.

Selling War Stamps and Bonds was the accepted program. County Chairman Guy Maxcy was called. He liked the idea and told the girls the county quota was large and the time short to reach the goal, and to go to it.

The program was then turned over to these little ladies who promptly contacted the Jacaranda Hotel, Touchton Drug Store and Stewart's Men's Shop for three locations to sell War Savings Stamps. These business men all agreed to erect a booth for them to use decorated for the occasion.

F. S. Jordon, local chairman, was advised and he appointed Miss Yvonne Head as chairman and her committee consists of the following little ladies: Betty Jo Wells, Barbara Bridges, Jeanine Crews, Mae Porter Locke and Retha Mixon.

Navy Volunteers May Get Training

Jacksonville, Fla., July 23 The U. S. Navy offers the young volunteer of today an opportunity to become a well paid expert and no previous experience is necessary.

If a volunteer shows the right qualifications, the State Navy Recruiting Service pointed out, the Navy is ready and willing to send him to a trade school for training worth $1500 for the first year alone.

And, a volunteer draws pay while he learns, with promotion rapid. Enlisting as an apprentice seaman at $50 per month, one is automatically advanced to $54 per month after the second month of training, with further advancements based on the ability of the recruit.

A large number of other openings are also available in the Navy, Naval Reserve or Seabees (construction regiments) at higher pay, recruiters said.

Applications for enlistment may be made at Navy Recruiting stations in Jacksonville, Tampa, Miami, St. Petersburg, Orlando, Gainesville, Tallahassee, Daytona Beach or Lakeland.

A two-ocean Navy needs two-fisted men—Join the Navy, Now.

Lightning Burns Out Three Big Transformers

Lightning the past two weeks has burned out three large transformers at the Florida Public Service company plant, Manager R. R. Brown said today. Two of the 500 KW transformers—not the largest at the plant, but plenty big—went out Wednesday night, and caused a short disruption of service at about ten o'clock. But quick work brought the lights on in 18 minutes, which was the time required to shut down and switch over to another bank.

Replacements were rushed here from Benson Springs plant, crews of men worked all night, the burned out transformers were hauled back for repairs, and service as usual is offered its customers by the Avon Park plant. The incident is treated as just "one of those things" by officials, who say there is no help for it. When heavy lightning breaks loose in this territory, like it does during extreme hot spells electrical science knows nothing to stop the havoc to equipment, although every device known to engineering is in use here.

School Board Wants List New School Children

The Highlands County Board of Public Instruction is trying to find out how many children will enroll for the first time in schools of our County for term of 1942-43. The School Board realizes that a number of families will move into our County between now and the opening of school, but in order to make a more accurate estimate, the Board would like to have the names of all children who are at present in the community that will be attending school in Avon Park for the first time. The Board would also like to know what grade the new school member will enroll for.

Please complete the blank below and mail promptly:

J. Paul Garber, Member, Highlands County Board of Public Instruction,
Avon Park, Florida.

The Following Will Attend Avon Park School For The First Time At The Opening Of School For Term 1942-42.

(Name of Pupil) (Grade)

(Name of Pupil) (Grade)

(Name of Pupil) (Grade)

ANNOUNCEMENT

Sunday evening at six o'clock at the Methodist Parsonage, the Senior Young People of the Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet for a "Fellowship Supper."

Avon Ice Co. Will Build Plant Here

E. E. Melton Will Manage New Firm

Cheering news for this hot weather is the announcement that Avon Park will soon have a new ice manufacturing plant, which will insure plenty of ice for this section, regardless of the war, stoppage of manufacture of mechanical refrigeration, or what not.

Formation of the Avon Ice Company was announced this week, with C. B. Hayes, president; E. E. Melton, vice president and manager, and Edith E. Hayes, secretary-treasurer. The incorporators are engaged in the ice business in Wauchula where they operate the Community Ice and Storage Co.

The company also announces the purchase of the Bowman Ice Delivery effective July 15, from A. J. Bowman, and is now serving Avon Park and the bombing range.

A site on state road 8, one block north of the mail has been secured for the location of the new ice plant, and material is on the ground and work has commenced on the building. A well was drilled on the site last week. The new plant will have a minimum capacity of 15 tons daily, and will also have facilties for cold storage for meats and produce.

Mr. Hayes is a prominent Wauchulan, and Melton former manager for the Florida Public Service company here several years ago, is well known to Avon Park people. On leaving here Melton went to Texas, where he was engaged for a number of years in the ice business, returning to Wauchula about two years ago.

County Offers Tax Certificates On Good Property

Highlands county struck a new note in tax collection procedure this week, when the board of county commissioners ordered a half page advertisement in the papers of the county, offering for sale tax certificates on choice pieces of property in the county. The property offered, some in Sebring, some in Avon Park and in other parts of the county, is very desirable, most of it improved and income-bearing.

The commissioners are making an appeal to patriotism in asking the people to help collect these taxes, and in the meantime help the property owner, by buying in these certificates, and holding them for redemption. If the plan for collecting delinquent taxes clicks, increased millage can be avoided, and the man who pays promptly will be relieved to that extent.

Collection of back taxes by foreclosure proceedings has proven a failure in other counties, according to report, as the costs of foreclosure whittle down the net to the county, and place an additional burden on the owner, should he wish to redeem his property.

The new plan was worked out at a meeting of county officials and property owners several weeks ago. The publicity given the plan has already brought in $2000 in delinquent taxes in the past two weeks, according to Deputy Clerk Dan Young.

Anyone with idle money can invest it in these certificates, which return 8 percent interest, with better than first mortgage security, plus the fact that the owner will be help ng his neighbor as well as himself to keep taxes down.

URGENT APPEAL

An urgent appeal is made to the citizens of Avon Park for donations of furniture to the colored recreation center. The following articles are needed: chairs, tables, desks, card tables, lounges, rugs and curtains. If anyone has any of these items to contribute, they are asked to contact Mayor M. E. Covington, Lt. Copeland at the armory, or T. L. Jenkins (colored) pastor of St. Mark's Baptist Church, who is chairman of the colored recreation committee.

Folks You Know . .

Miss Dorcas Gribble is the guest of her cousin, Miss Gloria Seller in Savannah, Ga.

Mrs. W. C. Touchton and daughter, Miss Betty Touchton are visiting relatives in Fairburn, Ga.

Mrs. Harry Hancock left Friday for Miami, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Bernice Ferguson.

Miss Louise Lewis of Tampa is the house guest of Mrs. S. G. Patterson and family.

Mrs. J. P. Dalton had as her guest on Friday, Mrs. James Thomson of Alexandria, Va.

Dr. and Mrs. M. E. Jordon and daughter, Marnelle spent Wednesday and Thursday in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Ware left Monday for High Point, N. C., where Mr. Ware is visiting the furniture market.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Cox left Sunday for Jacksonville, where Mr. Cox entered a hospital for a major operation.

Mrs. Earl Bozeman of Lake Placid spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Stebbins and family.

Otto Foster left Saturday for Baltimore, Md., where he went for treatment at John Hopkins hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lewiston are leaving for Chicago, Ill., where they will visit relatives for some time.

Mrs. Katherine Bristol will leave next Thursday for Chicago, Ill., to spend a month with her daughter, Mrs. Kathryn Wells.

Mr and Mrs. H. G. Thompson of Montgomery, Ala. are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Francis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gilmour are pleasantly located at the home of Mrs. G. P. Thayer, east Pleasant street.

Lt. Billy Mitchell, who has been confined to the base hospital at Hendrick's Field, has returned to Avon Park, where he is convalescing.

Gloria and Jean Bowman returned home Monday from Lake Wales, where they had been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Green, for several days.

Dixie Moore and Edgar Bradbury will leave today for Waycross, Ga., where they will be employed by the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hood and daughter and son, Sarah Bailey and William, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs John H. Hood and family for the past week, will return to their home in Charleston, S. C. today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lowe, who have been residing at the Alexander Gilmour home, have leased the Freeman home on Walnut street.

Lou Jean and Pat Crum of Haines City are spending several days here with friends. Lou Jean is the guest of Barbara Lawhon, and Pat is visiting Jerry Witt.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Roberts and baby daughter, Sharon of Bradenton spent the week end in Avon Park, with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Lochelt and daughters, Carol Ann and Marcia Kay of Wauchula were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Crosby and family.

Betty Jo Wells and Yvonne Head returned home Monday from Lakeland, where they visited the former's grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Lohr for several days.

Miss Frances Dorminey, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorminey, for the past week, will return to Jacksonville Sunday.

Malcolm Crews will return home tomorrow from Gainesville, where he has been spending several days visiting Robert Louis and Warren McFarland.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom R. Culler and Miss Dot Roberts of Sarasota spent the week end in Avon Park, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roberts.

J. A. Dean and daughter, Mrs. Helen Irvin and two children, Barbara Jane and Beverly recently went to Gainesville, Ga., for a visit with relatives. Mr. Dean returned home last Friday, but Mrs. Irvin and children will remain in Gainesville until August.

Paul Baldwin and his sister, Mrs. Fred Ley, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Baldwin, have returned to their homes in Tallahassee. They were accompanied by their sister, Mrs. G. D. Godwin, who will be their guest for an indefinite visit.

Word has been received from Miss Marjorie Wells, daughter of Mrs. J. L. Wells, that she is enjoying a delightful visit with Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Reeves in York, S. C. Miss Wells will also visit Winthrop college in Rock Hill, preparatory to her entrance there in the fall.

Mrs. Milford Dilley left Sunday for Alexandera, La., to join her sister, Mrs. A. J. Turner and son, Bobby, who have been staying there to be near Mr. Turner, who is a chaplin with the U. S. army. Mr. Turner has been ordered to foreign service, and Mrs. Turner and son will return to Avon Park with Mrs. Dilley, to make her home temporarily with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Lockett.

Defense Council Says

(By Barbara B. Darsey)
Florida Writers Project, WPA

We will all soon be saving bacon grease and all meat drippings, which,like sugar, are good to eat and also good for ammunition for our armed forces.

There is still a great need for scrap rubber, more and more rubber our fighting men need. Let's continue to save every scrap of old rubber and turn it in often. One pneumatic raft, used by planes of our air forces and so useful in saving lives, needs 29 pounds of rubber; an Army scout car used 339 pounds.

The scrap metal drive is still going forward too and our County hopes to ship another large carload next week, so bring in to County Agent Alsmeyer all your old scrap metal. Steel used in bottle caps in this country in one year would make 30 freight vessels. One domestic hot water boiler contains enough steel for a 37 mm. gun; the brass tipping our lead pencils used in one year will make 13,000,000 rifle cartridges. One 25 cent Defense Stamp will buy a dozen rifle cartridges.

The Air Craft Observation Service in Highlands County still needs volunteers. Lake Placid is organized with two observation posts under 24 hour service, each watcher doing a four hour stretch, for duty in case of illness or other citizens are urged to volunteer emergency calling the regular watchers away from posts.

Lake Placid World War Veterans recently held a three hour meeting and volunteered for any war duty, with Defense Council. Various assignments were made on the basic of special skill and training for certain duties.

Says Paul V. McNutt, Administrator of Federal Security Agency and Chairman of the Office of Defense, Health and Welfare Services: "The success of our war effort depends largely upon our ability to arouse and sustain in the public an active consciousness of the importance of personal health. Every person who gives his doctor a chance to improve his health or prevent illness, is directly aiding our war problem in a most patriotic manner." VICTORY IS OURS!

Miss Barbara Betts will leave Sunday for Tallahassee, to take the band master's course at summer school at Florida Woman's college. She will go from Tallahassee to York, S. C., where she will assume her duties as office secretary and director of the band in the schools there.

Mrs. Dozier Fletcher of Winter Haxen has been the guest of relatives here for several days.

CASH for good used sewing machine. See F. E. John B & B Grocery. J24

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Church Notes

CHURCHES OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"Truth" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, July 26.

The Golden Text is: "The word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart" (Hebrews 4:12).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Lead me in thy truth, and teach me: All the paths of the Lord are mercy and truth unto such as keep his covenant and his testimonies" (Ps. 25:5,10).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Corporeal sense, or error, may seem to hide Truth, health, harmony, and Science, as the mist obscures the sun or the mountain: but Science, the sunshine of Truth will melt away the shadow and reveal the celestial peaks" (p.299:26-30).

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Dr. Alfred C. Elliott, Pastor

Sunday School at 10:00 A. M. Topic for the day: "Our Response to God's Promise." A rainbow is a beautiful thing. Has it any special meaning for you? The Bible tells us that it is God's covenant through Noah with mankind. Come and hear the story again and let us discuss its significance together.

Morning worship service at 11 o'clock, with sermon by Dr. Elliott who will speak on: "Sermons in Stones." Nature has much to say to us if we will listen. Do these long and beautiful summer days bring any message to you? Is not the world full of beauty? so that we can truthfully sing, "My God, I thank Thee, who hast made The earth so bright, So full of splendor and of joy, Beauty and light; So many glorious things are here, Noble and right." Was not the old Scotch divine right, when he looked on the beauties of the world for the last time before he died and exclaimed: "Aye, it's a bonnie world. Thank God for His bonnie world." Come and let us reverently worship the Creator of all this beauty and give thanks to Him for all His goodness and love. We cordially invite you to attend this service.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Hoyt Tatum, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 A. M. Morning Worship 11:00 A. M. Youth Fellowship Meeting 6:00 P. M. Evening Worship 8:00 P. M. Prayer Service Wednesday 8:00 P. M.

"Show Us The Father" will be the Pastor's sermon theme Sunday morning.

Mrs. T. J. Ward will sing Sunday evening and the Pastor will speak on "Abraham—The Faith of a Godly Father."

Strenghten and enrich your life in these difficult days by turning aside for an hour of divine worship.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Communion 8:00 A. M.
Sunday School 9:30 A. M.
Morning Prayer and Sermon 11:00 A. M.

Richard I. Brown, vicar

CHURCH OF GOD

Revival starting July 26, with Rev. J. C. Thompson and daughterof Apopka in charge. You are invited.

J. W. COLEMAN, Pastor

Mrs. W. B. Archer and son and daughter, Billy and Winifred returned home Wednesday from Sparta and Atlanta, Ga., where they have been visiting relatives. Billy and Winifred have been spending the summer with relatives in Georgia, and Mrs. Archer left about two weeks ago to visit there and with relatives in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Chas. Swartz left Monday for her home in Harrisburg, Pa., after spending several weeks in Avon Park. Mrs. Swartz owns property on the Sebring road. She visited here last summer, and made many friends while in the city. She will be remembered as an aunt of Mrs. A. M. Morgan of Key West, former Avon Park resident.

Mrs. Carl Anderson of Hammond, Ind., Mrs. Lonnie Futch of Lawty, and Mrs. P. A. Crosby of Brooker were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Crosby and family. Mrs. Futch is Mr. Crosby's sister and Mrs. Crosby is his mother.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

(By RUSSELL KAY)

I am indebted to Buster Willis, formerly with the Belle Glade News, now a member of Uncle Sam's army stationed at Camp Clairborne, for the following humorous manuscript. Buster doesn't claim authorship but states the letter was actually written by a soldier. Here it is:

Dear Buster:

I am very enthusiastic about army life. We lie around in bed every morning until about 5 o'clock. This of course gives us plenty of time to get washed, etc., by 5:10. By 5:15 we stand outside and shiver a while until someone blows the bugle. After we are reasonably chilled, we grope our our way through the darkness to the mess hall. Here we have plenty of breakfast consisting of an unidentfiied liquid and a choice of white or rye crusts.

After gorging ourselves with this delicious repast, we waddle our way back to the barracks. We have nothing to do until 7:30 so we just sit around and scrub latrines, mop floors, wash windows and pick up all the cigarette butts and match sticks within a radius of 150 feet of our barracks.

Soon the Sergeant comes in and says: "Come out in the sun, kiddies," so we go out in the wonderful sunshine and bask while we stand six inches in mud. To limber up we do a few simple calisthenics like touching your toes with both feet off the ground, or grabbing yourself by the hair and holding yourself at arms length.

At 8 o'clock we put on our light pack and start walking to the mountains. The light pack is not to be confused with the heavy pack. The light pack includes a gun, bayonet, canteen, mess kit, coat cartridge belt, first aid kit, pup tent, stakes, tent pole, ropes and a few other odds and ends. The heavy pack has a blanket or two in it, pick and shovel, gas mask, a change of underwear and a two-way radio.

Carrying my pack I weigh 237 pounds. Without it I'm a puny 147. So you can see how easy and agreeable it is to romp and play in the sunshine. After a week in the army I began to understand why pack burros always look so sad.

An observation car follows us as we make our merry way into the mountains and kindly attendants eagerly await the opportunity to care for those of us who faint and fall by the wayside. Jumping from their jeep, they grab you by the leg or arm and drag you to within throwing distance of the car where willing hands catch you in midair and toss you in the back seat.

Boys who fall out in a march are treated very well. They only get six months in the guard house and do not have to stand court martial. Arriving in camp, you are taken to the infirmary for an oil and grease job.

At the infirmary patients are divided into two classes: 1() Those who have colds and (2) Those who have athlete's foot. If you have a cold you get your feet swabbed with iodine. If you have athlete's foot you get your throat swabbed with iodine. And no matter what you have, you get castor oil and a few miscellaneous vaccinations.

I am very popular at the infirmary. I told them that I had both a cold and athlete's foot. What I've really got is gastric ulcers, but a guy soon learns to keep his mouth shut in the army. One guy made the mistake of insisting that he didn't have either a cold or athlete's foot and they promptly sent the poor dumb cluck to the guard house for impersonating an officer.

Every few days you get an afternoon off and go to town where you all mill up and down the main stem and push each other off the side walk. Or if you happen to prefer the great open spaces you can go for a walk in the mountains where you can chase butterflies and pick wild flowers.

Well, I guess that's about all for now, but I just wanted you to know that I was makin' out all right and I hope you're the same.

Love and kisses
JERRY

a star among laxatives all over the South
BLACK-DRAUGHT

HEALTH FOR VICTORY

By BARBARA B. DARSEY
Floride Writers' Jroject, WPA

American Life Insurance Companies are doing their part in war work by instituting a nation-wide drive for better health. This "Keep Well Crusade" is indeed a major contribution toward the success of our war effort for victory depends on health.

Plans for this Crusade were worked out by the Institute of Life Insurance through the kind and skillful cooperation of Dr. Morris Fishbein, President of American Medical Association and Dr. Thomas Parran, Surgeon General of the U. S. Public Health Service.

Dr. Fishbein says: "If all the people will follow a few common sense rules of health, we will save millions of man-days of war work and save untold amounts of human misery."

And, Dr. Parran tells us: "Each individual can contribute to his own health protection and improvement by adopting a few simple rules of healthful living. Each of us muct accept this responsibility and stick to it with firm purpose. The total of individual responsibil'ty for personal health, accepted by millions of American men and women, will make an incalcuable contribution to victory."

Every working hour is vital to our war effort and physical fitness, as we all know, means more planes, tanks and ships for our fighting forces. Here are the five fundamental rules for health:

1. EAT RIGHT: Milk, butter, eggs, fish, meat, cheese, beans and peas, fruit, leafy green vegetables and the yellow ones, whole grain and enriched cereals and bread. Eat three meals a day, using plenty of these key foods. Drink lots of water.

2. GET PLENTY OF REST: You never can catch up lost sleep and rest. Try to keep up a regular schedule for sleep, for rest and relaxation; regularity counts.

3. KEEP CLEAN: Take plenty of baths with lots of soap. Keep your hands, clothes and home clean. Get fresh air and sunshine.

4. PLAY SOME EVERY DAY: Relax with your family, visit with friends, take walks, give your mind and body a change from the daily grind of work.

5. CONSULT YOUR DOCTOR ONCE A YEAR: Have your body checked at least once a year and thus prevent much illness. See your Doctor before you get sick, he will help you to keep well.

The success of our war effort depends on our national health. Everybody who does his utmost to preserve health is performing a patriotic duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Reason Shivers returned home Monday from Ashburn, Ga., and Chattanooga, Tenn., where they visited relatives.

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Mrs. C. E. Myers

Margaret Dilley Is Party Hostess Friday Evening

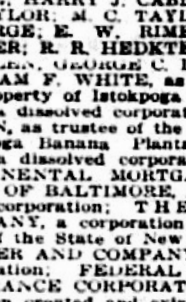
In celebration of her sixteenth birthday anniversary, Miss Margaret Dilley was hostess to a number of her friends at a party and dance on Friday evening. The rooms were decorated with colorful arrangements of summer garden flowers.

Dainty sandwiches and punch were served during the evening from the attractively appointed dining table. A number of lovely birthday gifts were presented to Margaret as momentos of the occasion.

Those sharing the evening with her included Misses Ruby Pate, Sujette Dorminey, Helen Jarrett, Nita Bryant, Winifred Demorest, Polly Thomas, Jimmie Hetherington, Bobby Keller, Jack Head, Billie Heim, Leon Delaney, George Nadder, and Cecil Skipper.

Mrs. Beulah M. Parker and son, Douglas Parker of Atlanta were the guests last week of the former's sister, Mrs. C. Belin and family. Pvt. Arnold Parker of Drew Field, Tampa, visited his mother and brother while they were in Avon Park. Douglas Parker returned to Atlanta the latter part of last week, and on Sunday, Mrs. Belin, Carroll Belin, Mrs. Parker and Pvt. Parker enjoyed a motor trip to points on the east coast, including Daytona Beach and New Smyrna. They returned home via way of Orlando, from where Mrs. Parker returned to her home in Atlanta, and Pvt. Parker returned to his post in Tampa.

The many Avon Park friends of Mrs. C. E. Holland of Chicago, will be gratified to learn that she is recuperating from a major operation performed in Presbyterian hospital the first of this week. Mrs. Holland is a sister of Mrs. R. R. Porterfield and has visited here on numerous occasions.



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. C. LARGE; E. W. RIMER; R. M. SHAVER; R. R. HEDKTE; HENRY C. ALLEN, 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 OSBORN 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-KEEFE COMPANY a dissolved corporation; all parties claiming interests by,through, under, or against FRANK G. GARDNER; MAE A. CABLE; HARRY J. CABLE; WILEY C. TAYLOR; M. C. TAYLOR; GEORGE C. LARGE; E. W. RIMER; R. M. SHAVER; R. R. HEDKTE; THE CONTINENTAL MORTGAGE COMPANY OF BALTIMORE, INC.; THE OSBORN 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-KEEFE 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 certificates 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 SectionTwenty-eight (28); the South Half of Southwest Quarter (S½ of SW¼) and 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.

Clubs and Parties . . .

By HETTIE H. HETHERINGTON — Phone 54

Bridge Party at Francis Home on Thursday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Francis entertained a number of friends at a lovely bridge party on Thursday evening, given in honor of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Thompson of Montgomery, Ala. The four tables were arranged on the screened porch and in the sun parlor, where bouquets of pastel colored zinnias and potted plants accented a colorful theme.

Late in the evening, when scores were totaled, high ladies' award was given to Mrs. S. G. Patterson, who received a box of dusting powder; men's high score prize, a cedar wood ash tray was presented to C. R. Ginn Jr., and Mrs. Ginn won the cut prize, which was a decorated watering pot. Mrs. Francis presented her mother with a box of Old Spice dusting powder, as a gift reminder of the happy occasion.

Delectable refreshments of Charlotte Russe, cake and punch were served after the distribution of prizes. Salted nuts were placed on the tables during the progressions.

Friends sharing this delightful courtesy with Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and the host and hostess were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. C. DeShong, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hall, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Patterson, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. McFarland.

Mrs. W. M. Hetherington and daughter and son, Marjorie and Michael returned home Wednesday afternoon, from a few days visit with the former's mother, Mrs. S. F. Huckabay and other relatives in Dade City. Marjorie had been spending the past three weeks with her grandmother, and with her aunt, Mrs. W. O. Gentry and family in Bradenton.

Marnelle Jordon Has Birthday Party Monday

Mrs. M. E. Jordon entertained a number of the young friends of her small daughter, Marnelle, with a delightful party on Monday afternoon at four o'clock, the affair being given in celebration of her third birthday anniversary. A colorful red, white and blue patriotic theme was chosen for all details of the party.

Marnelle, an adorable blonde, greeted her guests wearing a dainty red, white and blue frock, to futher accentuate the chosen color motif.

Games were played on the lawn to form enjoyable entertainment, and moving pictures were taken of the happy group.

Late in the afternoon, delicious refreshments of blue tinted ice cream, cake and candies, were served from a prettily appointed table on the lawn. The beautiful birthday cake, that centered the table, was iced in white and was aglow with three miniature red candles. Favors were novelty horns, snappers and colorful balloons.

Marnelle was the recipient of many lovely gifts from her young friends invited to share the happiness of the occasion with her who were Clement McFarland, Nancy Ginn, Gale Geiger, Michael Hetherington, Tirzah Thayer, Charlene Delegal, Mary Lou and Arline Hansen, Glenn Edward Welch, Joy Lou Ragsdale, and Lawler Wells.

Those assisting Mrs. Jordon in caring for the pleasure of the small guests were Mrs. Paul A. McFarland, Mrs. Ray Wells, Mrs. C. R. Ginn Jr., Mrs. C. D. Noland, and Marnelle's grandmother, Mrs. H. L. Williford.

Bridge Luncheon at Jacaranda On Wednesday

Mrs. W. Bruce Campbell entertained at a lovely bridge luncheon at the Jacaranda on Wednesday, the affair being given in honor of Mrs. Roy L. Pixler and Mrs. J. L. Hurd. The dainty luncheon was served on the card tables in the palm room, which was tastefully decorated with bouquets of summer garden flowers, in pastel shades.

Bridge was enjoyed during the afternoon, with the high score prize being awarded to Mrs. R. T. Stevenson. Attractive gifts were presented to the honor guests.

Those sharing the luncheon and bridge with the hostess and Mrs. Pixler and Mrs. Hurd were Mrs. Carl McDaniel, Mrs. A. J. Mead, Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, Mrs. E. A. Ray, Mrs. R. J. French, Miss Julia Norfleet, Mrs. M. S. Savage, Mrs. N. Freeman, Mrs. L. B. Dudney, Mrs. Clark Wing, Mrs. R. T. Stevenson, and Mrs. Charles F. Keneny.

Methodist Young People Enjoy Fellowship Party

On Thursday evening of this week a number of young people of the Methodist Church and some of their friends gathered at the Hut for an evening of recreation and fellowship. A number of group games were enjoyed and a few active songs added to the fun. Everyone claimed that they had a grand time. All of the young people attending, with the exception of two or three out-of-town visitors unanimously agreed that they would gather again this next Thursday evening at eight o'clock for another social and fellowship hour. In fact, Thursday evening is being written in on the Church Calendar as the night for these young people.

Those attending were: Marie Basemore, Mary Elizabeth Hall, Barbara Bridges, Retha Mixon, Evelyn Scott, Rose Marie, Larraine, and Frances, Ann Kopta, Jerry Connell, Fred Montsdeoca, Kenneth Gunn, Sonny and Jack Stoll, Jack Rogers, Cecil Prescott, Billy Connell, John Elwell, Bob Reeves, David Lanier, Wiley Sauls Jr., Jack Batton.

Visitors were Imogene Mingledorff, Lou Jean Crum, Barbara Lawhon, Lorraine Hartzog, Duane and Frank Kopta.

Hostesses were Mrs. R. A. Gerrard, Mrs. Frank Kopta, and Mrs. Hoyt Tatum. The pastor, Rev. Hoyt Tatum, was present.

Virginia Spencer Honoree at Lovely Party Wednesday

Virginia Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Spencer entertained a number of friends at a delightful party at her home on Wednesday evening. Dancing and games furnished enjoyable entertainment for the evening. Delicious refreshments of punch and tarts were served.

Those sharing the pleasures of the evening were Geraldine Connell, Margaret Harper, Delores Crosby, Geraldine Witt, Mary Elizabeth Hall, Imogene Mingledorff, of Jacksonville, Patricia Crum of Haines City, Virginia Spencer, Earnest Bryant, Dick Stodden, Bob Reeves, Billy Connell, Sonny Spencer, David Lanier, Howard Todd, Jack Batton, and Fred Montsdeoca.

KEEP 'EM LISTENING



NEVER before in the history of the United States have public entertainers been assigned a greater task. Not only do our stars face the necessity of keeping their fans entertained, but it is even more important that they help to maintain civilian morale in this period of crisis. Among radio favorites who are carrying on through the summer and doing their bit are (1) Kate Smith with her daily "chins up" broadcasts, (2) Betty Winkler, in the role of a girl doctor in "Joyce Jordan," (3) Francis X. Bushman of "Those We Love," (4) Dorothy Kilgallen, famous Broadway columnist with her "Voice of Broadway" broadcasts recounting the activities of the great and near great, (5) Milo Boulton who presents war heroes in person on "We, The People," (6) Betty Worth, as a school teacher in "We Love and Learn," and (7) Tommy Riggs and his invisible but inimitable partner, Betty Lou. They [illegible]

Perrys Entertain Bridge Clubs at Parties This Week

Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Perry entertained members of both the Tuesday and Thursday evening bridge clubs, at delightful parties at their home this week. The card tables were arranged on the screened porch. The hostess served a dainty ice course to the guests each evening.

Winners of high score individual prizes on Tuesday were Mrs. C. Parke Anderson and J. Paul Garber. Prizes on Thursday evening were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier and Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, All of the awards were Defense Stamps.

Guests enjoying the party on Tuesday evening included Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worden, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Garber, Mr. and Mrs. C. Parke Anderson, and H. E. Keller.

Club members sharing the hospitality of Dr. and Mrs. Perry on Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Hartt, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lanier, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Silkey, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dorminey, and T. A. McNicholas.

A hick town is a place where, when a gal steps out fit as a fiddle, every man in town wants to be her beau.

Florida Plant May Be Solution To Rubber Shortage

Jacksonville, July 16 (FNS) A Florida plant that tests show produces from 3 to 10 percent pure latex, may prove a solution to the nation's rubber shortage problems, according to the research division of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce.

The name of the plant is Cryptostegia, commonly called the purple allemanda. It is native to Florida and could be grown here in quantity.

Experimental work is now being carried on by both the research division of the State Chamber of Commerce, directed by H. I. Mossbarger, and the U. S. Department of Agriculture's bureau of chemistry and engineering.

So enthused is H. G. Knight of the Department that he claimed he would solve the rubber problem in four months through the use of this rubber producing plant. Experimental plantings are now growing in Dade county and in the everglades.

The state chamber was informed this week by John L. Collyer, president of the B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company, of the invention of a revolutionary heavy-vehicle tubeless tire which is destined to save tons of rubber now required for inner tubes and flaps. Collyer said exhaustive tests prove the new type tire capable of standing up under all sorts of road conditions.

BPW Club Has Theatre Party Monday

Miss Margaretha Vogt and Mrs. Daisy Ten Eyck were hostesses to members of the B. P. W. club for the July social meeting, at a delightful theatre party on Monday evening. After enjoying a splendid show at the Park theatre, refreshments were enjoyed at the Avon Park drug store.

Club members sharing the hospitality of the two hostesses on this occasion included Mrs. H. C. Bigbie, Mrs. Katherine Bristol, Mrs. Margaret Chandler, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Mrs. Ben T. Stewart, Mrs. Freed Peden, Miss Mattie Tompkins, and Mrs. Bill Friedman.

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72% of Males of County Listed In Labor Force

In Highlands county 72.7% of the males and 21.4% of the females over 14 years of age were classified as "in the labor force" in 1940, according to a Florida State Planning Board compilation of recently released U. S. Bureau of the Census data.

There were 3,400 males over 14 years of age in the county, 2,473 of which were classified as in the labor force, which means having or seeking a job. Of these 2,346 were employed, 75 were on public emergency relief work and 52 were seeking work, when the count was tallied two years ago.

For males laborers comprised the largest occupational group. Agriculture was the largest industry group, with wholesale trade second. Being in school was the leading cause for males not being included in the labor force.

Of the 3,454 females in the county within the age classification, 740 were in the labor force. Of these, 710 were employed, 24 were on public emergency relief work and 6 were seeking work, in 1940.

Of the employed females, the largest occupational group was domestic service workers. The largest industry group was domestic service with professional services second. Being engaged in their own housework was the principal reason for females being considered as not in the labor force.

Laborers constituted the major occupation group for negro men; domestic service for negro women.

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

Notice is hereby given, that William E. Bennett holder of Tax Certificate No. 153, 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:

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.

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 Range 33 East Less Lots 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.

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WAR RISK INSURANCE

Government insurance not effective after June 30, 1942.
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CAMERAGRAPHS



BEST OF ALL—Popular response shows that of all American Flag covers carried on July Fourth issues of magazines, this one from Collier's Weekly, taken of General MacArthur in Australia, got biggest acclaim. It was flown across the Pacific.



QUEEN WILHELMINA of the Netherlands, recently enjoyed a reunion with her daughter Princess Juliana and grandchildren, the Princesses Beatrix and Irene. Her Royal Highness reached this continent by trans-Atlantic bomber flight. The children insisted on being teetered by their grandmother long after this picture was made. Her Majesty the Queen is leaving for Washington shortly. She will return to Ottawa, Canada, before recrossing to England.



GETTING "THE BIRD" — AND LOVING IT — Peggy Moran (left), star of Universal Pictures, is thrilled by the "back talk" she has coaxed from her pet canary. Like the rest of Hollywood, Peggy is decidedly "that way" about canaries — the only pets that sing.



LYNN STARR, featured in P.R.C.'s new picture "Gallant Lady," has a Pepsi-Cola while she listens with obvious pleasure to what the dialogue writer has to tell her about a new script.



THREE LITTLE GIRLS IN HAY ARE WE—chant these farmerettes, typical of the college girls who are giving a helping hand this summer in replacing young men from the farms called into service.



TRIM WORKER—Charming Leonora Short, one of the workers of a Winnipeg aircraft propeller plant, stands proudly beside some of the finished products. Women are being used in increasing numbers in Canada's war industries.

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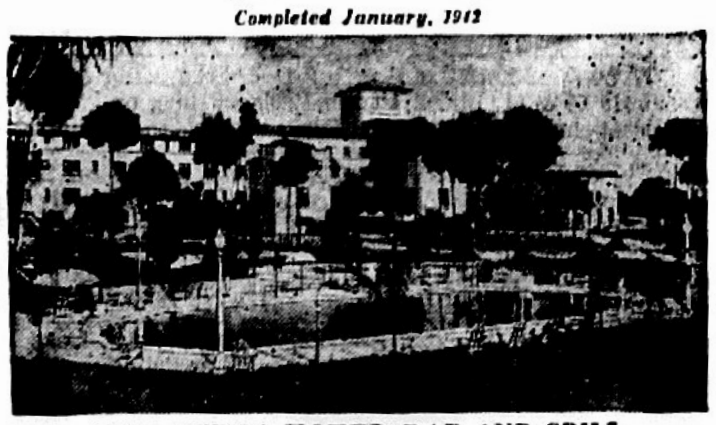

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RR Assessment In County Raised Nearly $300,000

Because a country weekly went after the under-assessment in no unmistakable language and vigor and had the courage to call spades spades and name name, Highlands county's tax roll gets a $299,118 lift in railroad assessments which means several thousand dollars of new tax money to relieve the fiscal burden brought by the war to schools and general government.

Figures sent assessors by Comptroller Lee list railroad assessments as follows:

1942 Assessment	$1,494,880
1941 Assessment	1,195,762
Increase	299,118

These figures are well over last year when Attorney General Tom Watson forced compromises and reductions over Comptroller Lee's protest—all of which was exposed by The St. Cloud Tribune, whose editor, Gilbert Freeman openly charged Watson with making a gift of $341,000 to the big railroads by refusing to increase their assessments as other property was increased under the 1941 tax assessment laws. The country editor demanded that Watson right his mistake or take the consequences and at the assessment board meeting Watson agreed to a partial restoration of the tax burden. However Comptroller Lee was joined by Treasurer Ed Larson in forcing through a full increase of $18,000,000 in assessment which means approximately a half million dollars more taxes from the widely prospering railroads this year—half of which will help bolster the war-crippled school fiscal structure.

Again demonstrating the power of the press when armed with a righteous cause, The St. Cloud Tribune's editorial campaign puts the railroad assessments up 4.05 times. The 1942 figures are well in line with the increase of other property valuations which went up 4.04 times under provisions of the 1941 law.

Never return evil for evil; and, above all, do not fancy that you have been wronged when you have not been.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Aviation Cadet Takes a Crack at the Axis



Anxious to get a crack at the Axis, aviation cadets at the Lodwick School of Aeronautics, U. S. army primary flight training school at Lakeland, take it out on punching bags bearing caricatures of Hitler and a grinning Jap. Here is Cadet T. L. Weller of Athens, Ga., all set to "let them have it." The Lakeland school, like the Lodwick Aviation Military Academy at Avon Park, is owned and operated by Albert L. Lodwick, pioneer aviation leader.

Buy Bonds This Easy Way

Soldiers are now provided with a simple, easy and convenient plan for buying War Savings Bonds.

Under the plan, which is entirely voluntary on the part of the soldier, a Class A Pay Reservation is signed which authorizes a stipulated amount of his pay to be sent to Washington each month. There it stays until enough is accumulated to buy a bond. The Treasury Dept. will mail bonds to an address within the 48 States of the Union, the District of Columbia, Alaska, Hawaii, Panama, or Puerto Rico only or will hold bonds in safekeeping at no expense to the purchaser.

Reservations for enlisted men may be as low as $1.25 per month or any multiple of $1.25. However, enlisted men without dependents desiring to subscribe to the pay reservation plan should be able to authorize at least $3.75 per month.

Requests for discontinuance may be submitted wherever, or for whatever reason, the subscriber feels that he cannot continue the reservation. Any balance remaining to the credit of a subscriber which has not been liquidated by purchase of a War Bond will be turned to him.

Bonds will be dated as of the month in which the last payment has been made. If payments on a bond are completed at the end of the month the bond is dated the first of that month thereby giving the subscriber the advantage of the month's interest.

It is hoped that B & G men will take advantage of this fine way of saving. Each bond bought will serve a double purpose. It will provide for the future security of the soldier but of even greater importance is the fact that it will help to provide funds for the Government of the United States in a time of need.

Kay Kyser Boosts Legion Drive for Old Records

The American Legion and Auxiliary throughout the United States began a drive on Monday to continue until August 2 to collect old or broken phonograph records to be made into new records for the use of service men. In business places in Avon Park, there will be found receptacles in which you are invited to put phonograph records that you are willing to give to be made into new records to cheer the fighting men.

The purpose and significance of the drive is well expressed in a letter from Kay Kyser, one of the talented musicians who will contribute his talent for the new records to be made from the old ones you will give. This letter which appeared in this week's Liberty magazine is quoted as follows:

"Dear Editor: The other day an American Air Corps squadron commander in Australia relayed home a message that good phonograph records are among the best investments America can make in the interest of soldier morale. The squadron commander sent this message home through a New York Times correspondent Down Under. The commander said—and these are his words—'Music is swell for these kids. They ought to have more of it. I've watched them listening to broadcasts from home, and there's something about the music from San Francisco and New York that's different. If somebody at home wanted to do something for the boys who are fighting in this war, they would see to it that every squadron had a first-class phonograph and records, so there would always be available good hot jazz and classicals. There is no better morale builder.'

"The somebody referred to in this message has already come forward—in the person of some one hundred musical artists and more than one and a half million members of the American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary. The musical artists have organized Records for Our Fighting Men, Inc., a non-profit organization which is officially recognized by President Roosevelt's Committee on War Relief Agencies. The Legion and the Legion Auxiliary are conducting a nation-wide door-to-door canvass for 37,500,000 records, continuing through August 2.

"These millions of old phonograph records are to be sold as scrap, and the proceeds will go toward the purchase of new phonograph records and players for the armed forces in camps, stations, bases and posts throughout the world. About $500,000 will be raised through this method, and records will be purchased at factory cost. A committee of noted music experts is to be formed to decide what records the men in uniform would like most. And the musical artists who have pledged support to Records For Our Fighting Men represent every field of musical activity for radio, opera, motion pictures, the concert stage, and recording.

"An estimated 200,000,000 old phonograph records are now collecting dust in American attics and basements. The Legion wants them.

Sincerely,
KAY KYSER.

Everybody is invited to cooperate in this unusual drive and one with results that will be unusually beneficial and entertaining for our boys in service for whom we cannot do too much.

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

PETER SELLARS,
Complainant,
VS.
MILLIAN HUDGINS SELLARS,
Defendant.

BILL FOR DIVORCE

NOTICE TO APPEAR

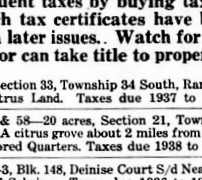
THE STATE OF FLORIDA TO MILLIAN HUDGINS SELLARS:

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 judgement will be entered against you by default.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, at Sebring, Florida, this 18th day of July, 1942.

(SEAL) H. T. PIETY
As Clerk of Said Circuit Court
JUDSON & WILLSON
COMPLAINANT'S SOLICITORS.
BARTOW, FLORIDA.
July 17, 24, 31, Aug. 1



Mayor's Office Hours

I will be at my office in the city hall at 9:45 each morning from Monday through Friday.

I am on duty subject to call 24 hours a day.

Call 134 for appointment.
M. E. COVINGTON,
Mayor.

CLASSIFIED ADS

SITUATION WANTED: — Light Nursing. Care of Invalid or children during evenings. Mary Hopson Marsh Home. Road No. 8. 4t pd.

FOR SALE:—15 acre farm, all cleared and fenced. Just off paved highway. Five acre bearing orange grove. Four room house, good well, tractor and other farm implements. Ninety hives of bees and equipment. Or will consider renting to tenant under attractive proposition. Address AD, care The Sun.

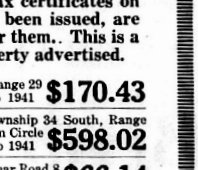
FOR RENT:—Completely furnished five room house for rent, two bedrooms, solar heater. Inquire at Sun office.

FOR RENT—Four-room cottage in quiet section of town, centrally located also other furnished apartments. Phone 23, 927 West Main St. J24

FOR SALE — Cheap, Game Roosters of the Warhorse breed. C. F. Kenney, Box 455, Avon Park. J 24, 31

FOR SALE— 30-30 Winchester rifle, fire extinguisher, heater, 50-egg incubator, 22 galv. trap nest fronts, miscellaneous assortment jars,, 50 gal. drum, etc Shady Grove Apiary. J24

FOR SALE — 1940 Plymouth Station Wagon, A-1 condition. Chalet Suzanne, Lake Wales. J24



Help Keep Taxes Down!

EACH DOLLAR of delinquent taxes collected now means one dollar less to be added to the tax bill of the person who pays his taxes when due. With many sources of revenue being cut off or reduced by the war effort, a meeting of state and county officials was held in Tallahassee June 13 to devise methods of continuing the functions of state and county governmet without increasing the tax millage or finding new sources of taxation. As a result the county commissioners of Highlands county are asking the tax paying citizens to help them collect delinquent taxes by buying tax certificates on delinquent property in the county. Below will be found descriptions of property in the county against which tax certificates have been issued, are two or more years old and are now subject to the issuance of a tax deed. Additional lists will be advertised in later issues.. Watch for them.. This is a safe investment. The purchaser will either get his money back in full plus interest at 8 per cent. per annum or can take title to property advertised.

Lots 14 & 15, Blk. 58, Avon Park. This property is located in the rear of the Theatre. Taxes due from 1935 to 1941 inclusive **$325.02**

E 47 ft. of Lots 17 & 20, Blk. 58, Avon Park. A two-story Building on NW corner of Main and Lake avenue Taxes due for 1939 ..... **$250.84**

Lots 1 & 4, Blk. 69, Avon Park. A Bank Building. Taxes due 1939 ..... **$743.94**

N. 50 ft. of Lot 10 & South 6 ft. of Lot 7, King & Lenstons S/d of Lots 10 & 11, Blk. 2, Avon Park. Dwelling on East shore Lake Verona. Taxes due 1934 to 1941 **$286.20**

S½ of Lots 9 & 10, Blk. 1—10 acres in Section 23, Twp. 33 S., Range 28 East. A fruit grove NE of Avon Park. Taxes due from 1938 to 1941 Inc. **$104.45**

W. 110 ft. of Lots 4 & 5, Blk. 42. Avon Park Known as Brickel Building. Taxes due 1939 **$1179.62**

Lots 9 to 16 Inc., & N. 25 ft. of Lots 17 & 18, Less RR r/w and Lot 11, Blk. 71, Avon Park. Known as Palmer Packing House. Taxes due 1939 to 1940 **$117.10**

Lot 16, Blk. 70, Avon Park. A one-story business building on South Forest Avenue. Taxes due from 1938 to 1941 ..... **$258.24**

Lot 18, Blk. 48, Sebring, Known as the Theatre Building on Pomegranate street. Taxes due from 1939 and 1940 ..... **$128.25**

Lots 11 & 12, Blk. 63, Sebring. A garage building on Magnolia st. Taxes due 1939 & 1940 **$128.26**

Lots 2 & 3, Blk. 77. Sebring. This property is opposite the Court House and has citrus trees thereon. Taxes due from 1934 to 1940 inc. **$275.34**

All Block Z, Lakemont S/d. Packing House at Lakemont. Taxes due from 1939 to 1941 **$887.03**

Lot 1, Basket Lake S/d, 10 acres, Section 17, Township 34 South, Range 29 East. This is a bearing Fruit Grove Taxes due 1936 to 1941 Inc. **$408.92**

Lot 41, Basket Lake, 8½ acres Section 8, Township 34 South, Range 29 East. This is a bearing Fruit Grove Taxes due from 1936 to 1941 Inc. **$251.26**

Lot 8, Block 58, Sebring. A two-story building one-half block from Circle on South Commerce avenue. Taxes due from 1939 and 1940 ..... **$80.15**

Lot 8, Blk. 86, Sebring. A dewelling on Poinsettia avenue. Taxes due 1937 to 1940 **$151.46**

Lot 4, Blk. 65, Sebring. A Dwelling on Rose ave. Taxes due 1939 and 1940..... **$76.32**

Lot 11, Blk. 58, Sebring. A two-story house on Mango st. Taxes due from 1934 to 1941 **$184.90**

Lots 1&2, Blk. 133, Nancesowee Shores. A dwelling on S. Lakeview. Taxes due 1936 to 1941 **$81.22**

Lot 18, Blk. 139, Sunniland S/d. A dwelling near Dinner Lake. Taxes due 1939 and 1940 **$29.90**

Lots 12-13, Blk. 137, Sunniland. A dwelling near Dinner Lake. Taxes due 1938 to 1940 **$65.56**

Lot 10, Blk. 136, Sunniland. Near Dinner Lake Taxes due from 1937 to 1940 **$97.83**

Lot 9, Blk. 103, Sebring. A dwelling on Lakeview Drive, south. Taxes due 1939 and 1940 **$107.20**

Lot 39, Section 33, Township 34 South, Range 29 East, Citrus Land. Taxes due 1937 to 1941 **$170.43**

Lots 57 & 58—20 acres, Section 21, Township 34 South, Range 29 East. A citrus grove about 2 miles from Circle east Colored Quarters. Taxes due 1938 to 1941 **$598.02**

Lots 1-2-3, Blk. 148, Deinise Court S/d Near Road 8 South of Sebring, Taxes due 1936 to 1940 **$66.14**

Lot 11, Block H, Lake Jackson Blvd. S/d Near Road 19. Taxes due 1935 to 1941 **$55.00**

Lot 12, Blk. C, Lake Jackson Blvd. S/d Near New Highway 19. Taxes due 1937 to 1941 **$35.16**

Lots 14-17, Blk. E, Lake Jackson Blvd. S/d, Near New Highway 19. Taxes due 1939 to 1941 **$47.47**

Lot 6, Block 271, Lake Sebring, Sheet5. A Dwelling. Taxes due 1939 to 1941 **$69.06**

Begin at SE cor of Lot 18, Blk. 289, then run East along N side of Lake Sebring Drive a distance of 409.91 ft. to the SW cor. of Lot 1, Blk. 273, then run N along W side of said Lot 1, Blk. 273, a distance of 212 ft. to shore line of Lake Sebring, then run W'erly meandering the shore line of Lake Sebring a distance of Approximately 409 ft. to the NE cor. of Lot 18, Blk. 289, then run S. 181 ft. to place of beginning. In section 24, township 34 South, Range 28 East. The above property is known as Lake Sebring Casino. Taxes due from 1936 to 1940 **$820.45**

Lot 14, Blk. 2, Lake Grove Resub Per plat Book 1, Page 47 & 48, Lake Placid. This property is a part of the Stuart Hotel. Taxes due from 1938 to 1941 **$379.81**

Lots 5 to 19, Inc., Block 2, Driggers Grove Stuart Hotel. Taxes due from 1938 to 1941 **$3120.17**

Help us keep the millage down next year and save money for yourself and your neighbors by forcing each piece of property in the county to bear its full share of the cost of government. Every piece of property listed above is worth many times the taxes against it and in many instances is income property.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY