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Papy Defense Move To Bar Testimony Of Brailey Odham Denied

Representative Allowed To Relate Conversation Involving Bribery

TALLAHASSEE, July 22 (AP)—Circuit Judge W. May Walker today denied a defense motion which would have cut the ground completely away from the state's bribery charge against former Rep. Bernice C. Papy of Key West.

He declined to bar testimony of Rep. Brailey Odham of Sanford that Papy had offered him cash and whiskey to help defeat a bill denying telegraph service to race bet bookmakers.

Odham's testimony was given while the jury was excluded from the courtroom pending Judge Walker's ruling on the point. The Sanford legislator prepared to repeat it before the jurors, admitted after the ruling was made.

State Attorney Oton C. Parker, Jr., said that an order ruling out testimony involving conversations between legislators in and around the House chamber automatically would mean a directed verdict of acquittal "because we have no other evidence."

Defense attorneys Weldon G. Stary of Tallahassee and Pat Whitaker of Tampa contended such testimony should not be admitted under a 259-year-old English common law of absolute privilege of judicial and legislative proceedings.

Whitaker said the bribery charge should have been disposed of by the Legislature and "it isn't good government for the court to strike down an independent branch and set itself up as a court of last resort."

Sanford's bid for erection here of a Florida American Legion headquarters and memorial building was personally presented by Joel S. Field, Sanford postmaster and member of the Campbell-Lossing Post 53 selectin committee to the Special Headquarters Selection Committee headed by Col. Tom Cooley of Mt. Dora which met at the Hotel Mayflower Jacksonville Saturday afternoon in connection with the Department summer conference.

Mr. Field informed members of the Post last evening at their supper meeting at the Legion Hut of this submission, and revealed that of the four cities which submitted offers, Tallahassee, which was represented by Post Comdr. Walter Rotunda, was the only other Florida city to submit a bid for the site. Henry Wolcott presided at the Post meeting.

The 10 member committee in Jacksonville, at whose meeting State Commander Frank Cason was present, met Nov. 11 as the deadline for other cities to make offers possible bids for the project. Mr. Field announced.

After Nov. 1, he said, Chairman Cooley will call a meeting within the next 10 days to decide on the three best bids and (Continued on Page 51)

Drug Store Observes 23rd Anniversary

O. Laney, pharmacist, has operated his drug store at its present site for the past 23 years, he revealed today. With Mrs. Laney he came here from Birmingham, Ala. and on July 22, 1924 opened the store on First Street in the historic building.

Before moving to Birmingham, Mr. Laney operated a drug store in Enterprise, Ala. for 11 years. The Laney home is at 1913 Sanford Avenue.

CORRECTION

The Herald regrets an error made in the obituary of Frank George Murphy which appeared in Monday's issue. The survivors include three sons, K. M. Murphy of Sanford, W. H. Murphy of Los Angeles, Calif., and J. R. Murphy of Birmingham, Ind. Mr. Murphy died in a local hospital Saturday morning after a brief illness.

Official Gives Eyewitness Story Of Burma Slaying

Single Gunman Killed Nation's Leaders At Council Table

RANGOON, Burma, July 22 (AP)—Finance Minister U. Mya, a survivor of the assassination Saturday in which seven of top Burmese leaders were slain, said today a lone gunman invaded the ministerial council chamber and calmly perpetrated the crime.

Thakin Nu, successor to the murdered U Aung San as deputy chairman of the government's executive council, said Aung San remained two months earlier that a "terrorist murder plot" was being readied but discredited the reports. He said the de facto leader of the Burma government did not believe anyone in the country would plot against his life.

U Saw, former premier whom the British ousted and jailed on charges of collaboration with the Japanese, and 19 assistants were placed under arrest soon after the assassinations.

Speaking to a new conference U Mya gave this first eye witness account of the murders: "One lone gunman advanced silently without making upon the council table and aimed steadily at Aung San. Within a few feet of the table, he halted. Then he opened fire, swung the gun leftward and continued firing at those seated on the left of Aung San.

"As Aung San fell and the gunman turned his attention to the others further from me, I seized the opportunity to escape. I leaped for the doorway, pulled down the bolt and ran from the room.

"There was no guard at the door. The executive council so far has never been guarded. The only police at the secretariat that (Continued on Page 51)

Return Of War Dead Gets Underway Soon

PARIS, July 22 (AP)—The return of U.S. World War II dead from European graves will get underway July 28, at Henri Chapelle Cemetery near Liege, Belgium, the American Graves Registration Commission announced today.

The Henri Chapelle Cemetery is the second largest in the European area, and 17,319 Americans are buried there. It was established by the 1st Army in September, 1944. Many of its dead fell in the battles for Aachen and in the Ardennes campaign.

Red Satellites Receive Warning To Aid U.N. Plan

Punitive Action By Security Council Threatened By U. S.

LAKE SUCCESS, July 22 (AP)—The United States warned the Balkan states today that any refusal to cooperate with proposed border watch commission might bring punitive action by the United Nations Security Council.

The warning was voiced by Herschel V. Johnson, Deputy U. S. delegate, in reply to Soviet contentions that the council could do more than make recommendations under Chapter VI of the U. N. Charter under which the present case is being considered.

Johnson said the refusal of any country to cooperate with the proposed border commission would lay it open to much graver charges and action under another chapter of the charter. He presumably referred to Chapter VII, which provides for sanctions and military action.

Johnson said he accepted a French amendment to the preamble of the American resolution which would stipulate that continuation of the disturbed situation in the Balkans would be a threat to international peace and security.

U. S. Hits Slow Pay Of Reds For Supplies

WASHINGTON, July 22 (AP)—A new American protest to Moscow involving \$1,000,000 worth of oil machinery missing in Romania, getting Russia's hope today of clouded lend-lease refinery equipment from the United States.

Delivery of \$10,000,000 worth of post lend-lease supplies, much of it oil equipment, has been stopped by Congress because of Moscow's delay in settling the Soviet Union's wartime account.

Administration officials who have urged Congress to relax this stand lest it be interpreted abroad as an American disregard of contract pledges acknowledged that Russia's tactics in Romania might permanently bar the shipment despite Moscow's willingness to pay for the goods.

The State Department disclosed yesterday a formal note had been handed the Soviet foreign office, protesting Russia's failure to pay for 7,000 tons of oil equipment removed from Romania by Red army troops.

All Official Reds In U. S. Called Spies

Soviet Operation In America Through Party Revealed By Former Communist

WASHINGTON, July 22 (AP)—Victor Kravchenko told Congress today that "every responsible representative of the Soviet government in the United States may be regarded as an economical or political spy."

Kravchenko, former official of the Soviet Purchasing Commission in New York, testified before the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

He said that Mr. Sedov, who was deputy chairman of the Purchasing Commission, actually was superior to the Russian ambassador from the Communist Party point of view.

Andrei Gromyko, now representing Russia in the United Nations, was ambassador at the time, Kravchenko said.

The one-time Russian army officer described Sedov as the "main personality representing the central committee on the Communist Party in the United States."

He said no decisions could be made without Sedov's participation, adding that when secret conferences were held at the purchasing commission, Sedov presided rather than the general who was head of the agency.

Kravchenko later broke with the Russian government, renounced Communism and told why in a book, "I Chose Freedom."

Robert E. Stripling, chief investigator for the committee asked Kravchenko for information on actual assignments to spy work made by the Communist Party in this country.

In general, the witness said, no person holding a position in connection with economic affairs arrives here from Russia "without a specific assignment with reference to collection of secret documents."

Dutch Troops' Landing On Java Gain First Objectives; Note To UN Outlines Policy

Netherlands States Police Measures Compelled By Republic's Actions

LAKE SUCCESS, July 22 (AP)—The Netherlands government informed the United States today that it had been compelled to "resort to police measures" against the Indonesian Republic because of continued "acts of violence."

At the same time, it was disclosed that the Indonesian government itself had sent a communication to the Security Council. The contents were not known, but the note was presumed to be an appeal for aid.

The Dutch note charged the Indonesians with "senseless destruction," with maintaining a food blockade, and with carrying on "hostile and inflammatory propaganda."

"The Netherlands as the state with whom the sovereignty of this territory rests and which consequently is ultimately responsible for maintaining law and order cannot allow these inimical actions to continue," the Netherlands government said.

"It has become patently clear that the present republican government is incapable of maintaining security, law and order in their territory while refusing to cooperate with the Netherlands government to create the necessary conditions thereto."

"In these circumstances the majority government has with the utmost reluctance been compelled to authorize the Dutch Government-General to resort to police measures of a strictly limited character."

CAB Announces New Regulations For Air Safety

WASHINGTON, July 22 (AP)—The Civil Aeronautics Board has given formal notice of proposed new rules to require radar clearance indicators in airplanes for a two-year experimental period beginning Jan. 1.

The board also announced a proposed new rule requiring increased clearances in flying over mountainous terrain during bad weather and the revival of a pre-war rule requiring the carrying of an automatic flight recorder.

Indonesian Revolt Seen As Sign Days Of Imperialism Are Fading

By DEWITT MACKENZIE AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

There is no dark mystery about the "revolt" which has erupted again between the Indonesian Republic and the imperial Dutch forces. It is just another of many indications that the day of imperialism is fading.

To understand the cause of the current crisis we must go back a bit. The revolutionary Indonesian Republic has been the method of implementing the new government is credited with precipitating the latest upheaval.

However, I think we must go deeper than that. If we could look into the mind of the Indonesian, encompassing both the republic and the remainder of the East Indies, would come into being in 1949.

This new nation was to have dominion status. Holland was to retain a hand in foreign relations, defense, finance and in subjects of an economical or cultural nature. The Queen of Holland also was to be Queen of the Dominion. Disagreement over the method of implementing the new government is credited with precipitating the latest upheaval.

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Auction Fee Cut To \$20 Per Day By Commission

The City Commission last evening voted to reduce the license fee for holding auctions by Sanford merchants from \$100 to \$20 a day, with the amendment that a maximum of 15 days be allowed during the year to any firm to hold auctions. This action followed a statement of City Attorney Fred R. Wilson to the effect that in his opinion, a \$100 a day fee would be tered excessive by the courts.

The motion to reduce the fee was made by Commissioner Robert A. Williams. Mayor H. J. Gut presided over the meeting. Commissioners Andrew Caraway was present. Two commissioners were absent: George Bishop, due to illness, and Lea R. Lesler who is out of town.

The matter of reducing the fee was first presented to the Commission on July 10 by George Austin of the Thorpe Furniture Company. Mayor Gut then directed Attorney Wilson to draw up an ordinance reducing the fee from \$100 a day to \$20 a day. At the meeting last Friday, Commissioner Caraway moved that the ordinance be adopted, but the motion died for want of a second.

Mission To Explain Republic's Position Planned By Former Premier

BATAVIA, July 22 (AP)—Indonesian sources said today troops who stormed ashore on the north and east coasts of Java yesterday had been engaged in heavy fighting. The Dutch, reporting all objectives reached in operation, said resistance was "less than expected."

A Dutch army communique placed Dutch casualties yesterday at 150 dead and wounded.

President Soekarno of the Indonesian Republic announced that former Premier Sutan Sjahrir had left Java on a mission to explain the republic's position abroad. (Arriving in Singapore, Sjahrir said he would visit the United States, India and Australia on his mission.)

A Royal Netherlands navy communique said landing craft of the navy and warships disembarked troops at Banjawaung on the east coast of Java and at Paik Putih on the north coast. It was the first amphibious operation since the end of World War II.

A Dutch army communique said the troops gained initial objectives and made additional advances. A severe five-hour engagement in the Pandang sector of Sumatra yesterday and other clashes on that island were reported by an Indonesian army communique. The bulletin also said that on Sunday, two Dutch warships off Masak on the extreme tip of Java were shelled by Indonesians. (Continued on Page 51)

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Death Of Gulf Fish Due To Smothering

TAMPA, July 22 (AP)—The death of hundreds of thousands of fish in the Sarasota area during the past week was caused literally by smothering, Dr. Clyde T. Reed, head of the Biology Department of the University of Tampa, said today.

Greece Reports Crete Uprising, Rebel Attacks

ATHENS, July 22 (AP)—Civil strife erupted anew on the island of Crete today and sporadic guerrilla attacks were reported elsewhere in Greece, the government announced.

The Canea area of Crete, quiet for the past few weeks, was under a curfew ordered by the military government, Col. Frangoudakis, after a band of 20 men attacked a radio station just outside the capital. (This dispatch did not further identify the attackers.)

The authorities announced that guerrillas near Kania set fire to the village of Kamillia and blew a bridge in reprisal for the slaying by a Canea mob of two persons held in connection with the killing of a flight instructor.

In northwest Greece in the area east of Ioannina, two military units were reported between government forces and remnants of Leftist guerrilla units. One guerrilla unit, attempting to reach Agrafon, was reported under attack by government forces south of Grevenon. (Other minor clashes were said to have taken place on the southern slopes of the Grammos Mountains.)

The government announced that on Sunday guerrilla forces lost 67 killed, 19 wounded and 17 captured.

North of Kiklia, a band coming down from the hills attacked and held a village near Sariza for three hours before armored cars and troops recaptured the community, military sources said.

Far to the east, virtually on the Turkish border, at Oritinas military sources said Leftist guerrillas were routed with losses of men and war supplies in a battle with an "Evros" (Rightist) unit.

Schrader Funeral Planned Tomorrow

Funeral services for Herman W. Schrader, 65, who died yesterday morning at his home, 1244 N.W. 8th, will be held Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at the Erickson Funeral Home. Interment will be in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. Schrader was born Oct. 26, 1881 in Reading, Iowa. He was a member of the First Methodist Church of Sanford. For the past year he operated a grocery store in Lake Monroe.

Survivors include the widow, five sons, Edward of Denver, Ia., Archie of Waterloo, Ia., George and Billy of Waverly, Ia., and Wendell of Streamore, Ill.; two daughters, Mrs. Glenn Baffler of Olympia, Wash. and Mrs. Ernest Wanson of Waverly, and one brother, William Schrader of Minneapolis, Minn.

Southern Pacific Strike Is Shortlived

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22 (AP)—A strike by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers which immobilized the western lines of the Southern Pacific Railroad ended early today after six hours and 45 minutes after it began.

Thirty-nine minutes later the first of hundreds of locomotives killed by the brief strike puffed back into service. It was a switch engine in the railroad's Oakland, Calif., yards.

River Fund Increased By Senate Group

WASHINGTON, July 22 (AP)—Funds for the St. Johns River project to deepen the channel from Jacksonville to Lake Harney were approved yesterday by a Senate appropriations sub-committee.

The committee recommended \$200,000 for the project or \$100,000 more than the House originally approved.

MEET TOPIC

"What's The Matter With Sanford" will be the theme of a talk by E. F. Housholder, local attorney, to the Kiwanis Club at its meeting tomorrow noon at the tourist center.

Visitors To Camp Winona On Sunday Were Royally Entertained By Boys

By BOBBY PARKS Camp Breville

After an active day Friday, the campers gathered around the campfire for an exciting gopher race. A fearful hush settled around the fire as the gophers sat like brightly painted stones. Suddenly there was a victorious yell as Cabin III's gopher began to slowly make his way toward the finish line.

He finished first and was carefully packed in his box before any of the other turtles even began to move. Then, evidently waiting for his nap, Kilroy, of Cabin V, moved slowly in the wrong direction and settled down by the fire for another nap. Soon the blaze danced higher and the gophers began to move. After this race, with Cabin V's Kilroy coming in second, there was a beauty contest with Kilroy winning.

Saturday was a busy day with preparations being made for the visitors Sunday. After supper Saturday the campers hurried to the recreation hall to see the movie, "Thunderhead, Son of Flicka."

Sunday was full of active games and contests for the visitors' entertainment. The rifle match was won by Wade Garner for Cabin V. (Continued on Page 51)

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Hawaii in Politics

In the debate before the House of Representatives passed the bill admitting Hawaii to statehood, doubt was expressed whether a territory with such a racial mixture should be admitted to share in governing the nation.

Change in Germany

The inability of the Big Four to agree on any basic plan for Germany has resulted in a change in policy by the United States.

Who Am I?

"I am the foundation of all property. Everything that is of value in this world springs from me. I am the salt that gives life to the soil, the sole support of the poor. The rich who think they can do without me live little lives, I have made America. I have built her incomparable railroads, created her cities and reared her skyscrapers.

The Coal Mine Settlement

"The management of large companies has a special duty scrupulously to observe the law. The coal mine settlement has exposed the principal weakness of the industrial system, having effects of great importance on the entire economy," says Ray.

ANNOUNCING

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MAYBE WE NEED A BLOWTORCH



There has been no indication that the Allies have the slightest intention of withdrawing their troops from Germany before the question of reconstruction is finished.

Rural Common Sense

Summer-time is "get-together" time for hundreds of rural people in Florida. And the various common-sense courses, institutes, and lectures are becoming worthwhile and helpful in the home and garden.

National Flag For India Is Selected

NEW DELHI, July 22 (AP)—The Indian constituent assembly today adopted a national flag completely free from British influence.

Interwoven Socks

Interwoven Socks... THE MODERN Convenient WAY TO SHOP... DERKINS ROBSON... 115 W 1st St. Phone 990

Long Range View Is Taken By U.S. In German Policy

By DEWITT MACKENZIE... Washington's new policy for economic rehabilitation of war-torn Germany is being interpreted as a step toward readmitting the country to world economy and saving the German people from disaster.

Elizabeth Is Shown Royal Navy Warships

GREENOCK, Scotland, July 22 (AP)—Lieut. Philip Mountbatten of the British Royal Navy today showed his fiancée, Elizabeth, all the warships of the British fleet.

Dr. Charles L. Persing

Dr. Charles L. Persing, Ophthalmologist, Sanford Atlantic Bldg. Bldg., Hours: 11:15 to 5:15. Phone 236. Hat-512. Eyes Examined—Glasses Fitted

Social And Personal Activities

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Covered Dish Supper Held By Ware Class

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Into Housewives

By ISABELLE S. THURSHY... Extension Food Economics is encouraging to know that it is not only a practical matter of taking care of the family but also a matter of saving money.

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Hollywood

BY BOB THOMAS... HOLLYWOOD, July 22 (AP)—Today's movie industry is making a big mistake, says Ronald Reagan, who says that the industry is making a big mistake by not making more movies.

Wild Life In Glades Driven To High Water

SOUTH BAY, Fla., July 22 (AP)—Frackles, driven by the flood, are getting a better look at wild life in the glades than ever before as wild animals are driven to high water.

YOUNGEST MOTHER

MANAQUA, N. J., July 22 (AP)—Carole Ann, 12, who gave birth to a daughter, the youngest mother in the world, is still in the hospital.

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IT HAPPENED IN BROOKLYN



IT ALL TAKES PLACE IN THAT FASCINATING WONDERLAND OF THE FAR EAST... IT HAPPENED IN BROOKLYN... A Story Song Hit #1

SPORTS

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Fans Set To Honor Buddy Lake Tonight At Twin B

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Orlando Slated To Appear Here For Attraction; Fed-A Tilt Ends In Tie

PALATKA, July 22, (Special)—Danny Lattre, former Sanford Celery Fed shortstop now playing for the Palatka Azaleas, made a clean theft of home in the bottom of the sixth frame here last night to knot the ball game at a tie before the contest was called after a deluge of rain.

Tonight the locals entertain the Orlando-Senators in a twin bill that is scheduled to get under way at 6:45 o'clock. The contest has been designated as "Buddy Lake Night" by the Sanford fans, who are honoring the jovial Fed athlete sportsmanship in DeLand Saturday evening when he tossed 19 scoreless innings and won his own tilt with a lofty home run over the right field wall of Conrad Park in DeLand.

Lake will likely toss the opening tilt of the contest and Bill Stanton is slated to handle the second game. Gene Major and Herb Peck are the probable candidates for the block assignment from Manager Lou Bevil of the Senators.

The Feds scored three runs in the first frame of the contest in Palatka on one hit. The Sanford aggregation scored their fourth run in the second on a single and a double.

After the outstanding tilt in DeLand Saturday night, several Sanford fans appeared before the Sanford Baseball Association and requested that they be allowed to sponsor the "Buddy Lake Night" and stated that they would see that the event was properly completed by a suitable delegation representing the fans of the Sanford Celery Feds.

Those instrumental in conducting the night included H. A. Colby and an Arden boat. The Sanford aggregation scored their fourth run in the second on a single and a double.

Palmer was named chairman of the group and has completed arrangements for the gala affair. Palmer stated that there would be enough men present to complete the job, so that everyone will have the opportunity to participate in the activity by giving a contribution, whether it be large or small to the outstanding Fed utility man.

Saints Gain Lead As Sens Trip G-Men

Joe Jones, lanky Orlando Senator righthander limited the Gainesville G-Men to one safety last night to rack up a 4 to 0 shut out victory over the University City nine to drop them from the league leadership.

As the result of the Gainesville defeat the St. Augustine Saints went into league leadership once again by virtue of their 7 to 5 decision over the DeLand Red Hots in the Ancient City last night.

Stan Karpinski, hefty left fielder for the Saints, puled a home run over the left field wall with the basespaths jammed to give the Saints their margin of victory.

Line scores: Gainesville 000 000 000—0 1 4 Orlando 200 001 011—4 3 3 Miles and Dalaney; Jones and Batts.

DeLand 010 001 003—5 12 1 St. Aug. 000 005 203—7 10 1 Kinnaman, R. Perez and Wallbell; Ketcher, Karpinski and Stillwell.

COMMENTS from the SIDELINES

By ARTHUR BECKWITH, JR.

Ted Madjeski A number of comments have been aired in the past few days concerning the hiring of Ted Madjeski to play for the Sanford Celery Feds.

Those who have been considering the move have taken little of the facts of the matter into consideration and think that the Sanford Baseball Association is a little hunched for not hiring the former Orlando-Senator-backstop immediately.

Actually there are a number of problems involved. First of all Madjeski is a veteran player, and no Florida State League club can have more than three vets on their active roster at any one time.

At present the Feds have their quota of classed men. Buddy Lake, Walter Harrington and Manager Don Murray are the three veteran players for the locals.

Suppose the club should release Buddy Lake. They would be releasing the most valuable player in the league. Walter Harrington is one of the best outfielders in the circuit and everyone will agree that Manager Murray is the best second sacker seen in these parts in many a moon.

At present the Murraymen have one of the smoothest operating infielders in the league. Suppose Lake or Murray were dropped from the Fed lineup and then the team did not go good. What could be done then? It would be too late in the season to try to start to rebuild the Fed infield.

We think that it would be a mistake to take on a veteran player at this stage of the game. If Madjeski were a limited service man, we would be the first to advocate the Feds securing his services, but since he is a veteran player, we would think that it would be unwise to break up an aggregation that is functioning smoothly for a wild shot in the dark.

No one can deny the fact that the Feds are first division bound. Let's not stop this drive by wild changes in the basic structure of the Fed team.

Here's There Not many Sanford fans really appreciated several appalling plays that were executed by Walter Harrington in last Friday Night's contest played in the Municipal Park with the DeLand Red Hots.

SHOOTING FOR RECORDS

By Jack Sords



DAVE FERRISS, BOSTON RED SOX PITCHER STRIVING TO EQUAL VES FERRELL'S RECORD OF HAVING WON 73 OR MORE GAMES IN EACH OF HIS FIRST FOUR SEASONS AS A MAJOR LEAGUER



GREEN AID ADMINISTRATOR Dwight Griswold is shown shaking hands with Greek Charge D'Almeida Paul Economou-Gouzas (left), as he boards the President's private plane, "The Independence", in Washington, for his flight to Athens. Griswold disclosed recently that \$33,000,000 of American fighting equipment was going to Greece to check up on it.

There are about 12 different species of walnuts, eight or nine of which are cultivated. Douglas fir trees cannot reproduce in their own shade. Washington State has 50 per cent of its land area in forests.

BUDDY BEHRENS IN JUNIOR BOYS TENNIS TOURNAMENT

SOUTH BEND, Ind., July 22, (AP)—Headed by top-seeded Herbert (Buddy) Behrens, most favorites advanced into the third round today of the Western Junior and Boys Tennis Tournament. Both singles and doubles matches were scheduled today on the Notre Dame and South Bend Leeper Park Courts.

Behrens, National Interscholastic Champion from Fort Lauderdale, whipped Jack Vincent of Madison, Wis., 6-1, 6-2, and Curtis Beusman of Oak Park, Ill., 6-0, 6-2, to move into the third round in the junior division.

The only seeded player in both divisions to lose in yesterday's opening matches was Hamilton Richardson, from Baton Rouge, La., seeded no. 2 in the boys section.

The Louisiana boy was defeated by unseeded John Salas of Detroit, 2-6, 9-7, 8-6.

Top seeded Dick Holyard of Del Ray, Fla., top seeded in the boys division, won his second round match against James Bentley of Toronto, Ont., 6-1, 6-1, after drawing first round bye.

Dick Moulden of New Orleans, second seeded in the junior division, drew a first round bye and in his second round match defeated Donald Wold, Wilmette, Ill., 6-0, 6-1.

In other junior matches yesterday Barney Seegal, Tampa, beat Dan Christian, Kalamazoo, Mich., 6-4, 6-1, 6-2. Another Tampa player, Bob Sierra, lost in a second round match in the boys division to Whitney Reed, Alameda, Calif., 6-1, 6-1.

HARRY WALKER CONTINUE PACE HIT

NEW YORK, July 22 (AP)—Harry Walker of the Philadelphia Phillies continued to pylon league hitters. Lou Boudreau, play of the Cleveland Indians American League leader DIMaggio of the New York Yankees.

Walker, the fleet baller of the Dodgers, banged out 22 times at bat during through Sunday's game his average from .341.

Maggio clubbed six hits in four games, while Boudreau held to three safeties to the plate, to pass .337.

George Kell of Detroit with 328 and Ted Williams with 327.

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Men Qualifying For Public Links Tournery In Minneapolis, Minn.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 22, (AP)—It was being that score down or miss the championship flight for some 150 public fee course golfers today as the National Public Links tournament went into the final qualifying phase.

Figuring that it will take a 35-hole score of about 161 or better to get into the pairings for match play which starts Wednesday.

Dave Wicks about 27 was supposed almost certain of a place. Those 27 scored 73 or better in the first 18-holes of qualifying yesterday.

They can slip five strokes in today's 18 holes. That would give them 78 or better to go with Monday's count. Conceding that all 27 would gain spots in the championship fight left 37 places still open for 12 of the field of 170 that started yesterday.

Loss of but one from the field, Arthur Moore of Memphis, Tenn., had to undergo an appendicitis operation, was termed by Joseph Doy, executive secretary of the United States Golf Association, an unusual. He said usually three or more drop out before tee-off time.

Willford Crossley of Atlanta, Ga., Avery Beck of Raleigh, N. C., and Donald Duster of St. Paul, Minn., led the field in yesterday's first round, shooting two-under-par 70s over the 6,474-yard Meadowbrook Municipal Course.

Just one strike behind were Andrew J. Oliver of Washington.

Today's Standings

Table with columns for Team, W, L, Pct, and Games. Lists Florida State League and National League standings.

Limbs of trees are heavier and thicker in diameter on the south side.

The making of wire is one of the most ancient metal-working crafts.

BASEBALL TONIGHT

MUNICIPAL PARK 6:45 P. M. ORLANDO VS. SANFORD DOUBLE HEADER

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the owners and agents of all Real Property within the City of Sanford, Florida, that it is the intention of the Tax Equalization Board of the City of Sanford, Florida, to increase the assessed valuations on all Real Property a flat ten per cent for the year 1947.

The City Commission of the City of Sanford, Florida, will sit in final session as a Tax Equalization Board at 7:30 o'clock P. M., August 4, 1947, to act upon the proposed increase in assessed valuations, and all persons desiring to file objections or complaints shall have an opportunity to be heard at this meeting.

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Russian Bloc Is Seen Uneasy But Remaining Firm

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

As the battle of European blocs under way it is producing some strange, but typical, tactics in the part of Russia and her satellites.

The Moscow press is maintaining a violent barrage of propaganda against the Marshall economic program and the Paris conference, which it declares is doomed to failure. At the same time the Communist newspaper Pravda reports that the Eastern European nations are interested in getting United States credits, though directly from America and not through Britain and France. This follows the announcement by Poland, after she had turned thumbs down on the economic cooperation that she expected help from the U. S. A.

From this distance that would seem to be about like saying: "We're going to fight your economic project to a finish, but we expect you to furnish us with the wherewithal to do the job."

Still, the Western democracies are taking all this in stride, with a stiff upper lip. The door remains open for Russia and her followers to participate in the economic program.

However, informed sources in Washington have made it clear that the countries of Eastern Europe can benefit only to the extent of contributions they make to the general European economic revival. In short, there must be a quid pro quo.

Thus far the signs have been that while Russia is uneasy she hasn't the slightest intention of cooperating with Western democracies, or of allowing the members of her bloc to do so, if she can help it. That "if," by the way, is a very big one, and for two reasons.

In the first place the Eastern bloc of nations isn't economically self-contained or anything like it, and it therefore badly needs cooperation with the rest of Europe. Secondly, as pointed out in a previous column, the Soviet bloc is a very unstable one because it is made up of liberty-loving countries which always have fought infringement of their independence. There is no doubt that Czechoslovakia and some other members of the Russian bloc are most unhappy over the trend of affairs and want to participate in the Paris conference.

Of course, much will depend on the economic trend in Europe in the immediate future. The situation as a whole is mighty bad, but the consensus of the experts is that things will get worse before they get better. Then the question arises of what parts of Europe are going to be hardest hit.

In this connection we mustn't overlook the possibilities of deliberate economic sabotage in some countries where the battle of the lama is hot. Take Italy and France, for example. These—and especially France—are key positions, and the importance of both countries are undergoing heavy attacks from the Communist parties which have been fomenting labor trouble to further their economic recovery in

these two hard-hit nations, and the same is true in less degree in some other states. Communism thrives on chaos you know.

Meanwhile down in the Balkans, the communist onslaught to bring Greece within the Red fold has been intensified. Heavy fighting is proceeding between Greek regular troops and Red guerrillas who are said by Athens to be backed by Albania, Yugoslavia and Bulgaria. The United Nations Balkan Investigating Commission in a majority report confirms this charge.

The situation is increasingly dangerous, not only for Greece, but for the general peace of the Balkans—and maybe the world.

State Commission To Meet In Orlando

TALLAHASSEE, July 22, (Special)—The State Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission will meet in Orlando Aug. 9 to approve a proposed 1947-48 conservation program and set up an operating budget for the fiscal year.

The meeting, to be held in the Angelika Hotel, will feature the commission's two-day "game warden school" which opens in the Central Florida city Aug. 7.

Commission Director Ben C. Morgan said the five-man board did not plan to take any action on fishing or hunting regulations at the August conference.

The discovery of the Wassermann reaction, August von Wassermann, was a German professor of medicine who died in 1925.

SCIENTISTS PREPARE TO PHOTOGRAPH ATOMIC NUCLEI



AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, physicists J. E. Butler (top, left) and F. H. John prepare to photograph the disintegration of atomic nuclei with a specially built 65-mm twin-lens camera. Described as a cloud chamber photograph, the picture at bottom was displayed at a meeting of the American Physical Society at Palo Alto, Cal. Each prong on the two "stars" (arrows) is said to represent a particle being emitted from an argon nucleus disintegrated on being struck by 100 million electron volt neutrons in a cyclotron. (International Soundphotos)

India Will Remain Colorful In Spite Of Uncertain Future

By PRESTON GROVER

NEW DELHI, India—Whatever happens to the two newly forming Indian nations, they will remain for a long time among the most colorful spots of the world.

Maharajahs still ride through their capitals on holidays, peacock light on elephants from which they throw handfuls of gold and silver coins to their scrambling subjects. Costumes of glaring color and richness long forgotten elsewhere in the world are common daily wear. Richness in jewels and personal goals is not rivaled elsewhere in the world and leads to a poverty as degrading that even America fails better.

Ancient almost mythical Hindu rulers and more recent biological Muslim monarchs of India have set traditions of lavish display, charity, unrelenting cruelty, piety and fanaticism too great even for fiction.

The great fourteenth century Muslim ruler of Delhi, Mohammed-Bin Tughlak, boasted that his armies had once killed more than a hundred thousand unbelieving Hindus in a single day.

Akbar the Great, who once graciously received a delegation from Queen Elizabeth at the moment she was full-blown, once held the evening sports—men to play chess with dancing girls and buffaloes. Tiring of the most and of the city, he later abandoned the place and it remains almost intact to this day. The best sports still show in the courtyard, but only jacks, dominoes and a few tourists visit the place.

Yogis with mental and physical skills perfected through thousands of years of experimentation by yogis for years will live for days sealed in an earthen jar, and emerge in prime health.

An Indian well known to the correspondent, tells this story. He was converted to Christianity, went to Oxford and returned to India as a missionary. He was reading quietly one day in a little chapel when an old Hindu scribe strode in and folded his legs under him on the floor.

"You're planning to teach Christianity around here?" he finally asked.

"Yes," replied the missionary.

"You're going to have a lot of hard time, aren't you?" the scribe said, and he commented, "You're a hard worker, but I shall do what I can."

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Papy Trial

(Continued from Page One) a "censor" of statements made in the legislature.

Parker and State Attorney Phil O'Connell of West Palm Beach argued the defense motion was based entirely on cases involving libel and slander and did not fit the bribery charge.

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., July 22 (AP)—Attorneys for former Rep. Bernie C. Papy of Key West today moved to exclude from evidence all testimony on conversations in or about the Florida House chamber in connection with charges that he attempted to bribe fellow lawmakers.

The alleged conversations from the basis of accusations against Papy, now on trial after a grand jury indictment.

Defense attorneys asked the court to recognize an old English common law of 1688 and strike virtually all of the testimony of the state's star witness, Rep. Bradley Odham of Sanford.

The jury was taken from the room while Odham repeated in more detail than ever before his accusation that Papy offered him cash and what was described as a bill denying race bookmakers telephone and telegraph service.

The defense argued that under the common law, conversations in and around legislative chambers between lawmakers about matters pending before them are absolutely privileged and inadmissible in court evidence.

Judge W. May Walker excluded the jury from the room to hear technical arguments on the point. He did not rule immediately.

Odham testified that Papy made him two bribe offers, one just outside the House chamber's main entrance and immediately inside the chamber the next day. He said that after the second offer, "I told him you're a liar. I'm not going to support the bill. Now I'm going to expose you."

When the bookie bill then came up for action, Odham charged in the preceding debate "There is money on the line in this House" to defeat the measure but he did not on that day name Papy. He said later he would have if his speech had not been "cut off by parliamentary finagling."

The 27-year-old Sanford oil distributor, youngest member of the House, admitted several times and wiped his hands with a handkerchief during his testimony.

He told the court he and Papy were good friends before the alleged bribe offer was made because Papy had helped get one of his five brothers a job at a Miami race track.

"I had to feel very definite for that bookie bill to be a friend," Odham said of Papy's alleged request for his support.

He said after he had told Papy he was convinced it was a good bill and would support it, Papy replied "Do you mind if I get personal?" and then said either "I'll get you" or "I'll give you" "two hundred dollars" to vote against it.

Odham, continuing his statement to the court with the jury outside the courtroom, said the day after Papy made a \$200 offer, the Key West representative approached him again at the rear of the House chamber with a different proposal.

The Sanford representative told the court he was at the desk of Rep. T. T. Cobb of Daytona Beach, congratulating him on a speech involving a move to ban cattle from Florida highways.

An I turned from Tommy Cobb's desk, Bernie Papy, coming from across the aisle, grabbed me by my arm and said "Odham, I'll make it five and a case of Scotch if you'll just take a walk."

It was then, Odham said, he told Papy he was not going to support the anti-bookie bill but would expose him.

Papy's resignation from the House and his indictment followed charges of attempted bribery by Odham and Rep. Clarence M. Camp II of Ocala.

Gunfire, Bloodhounds Ends Convict Escape

GAINESVILLE, Fla., July 22 (AP)—Gunfire and bloodhounds ended a short-lived escape by two negro convicts from a State Road Department road camp truck here yesterday. One of the men was recaptured immediately and the other was taken in less than an hour.

The escapee utilized men of the police department, sheriff's office, road department and the Florida farm colony.

The action started a little after 6:00 o'clock last night when Bracey Taylor and Arthur Ralford, jumped off a truck near the outskirts of the city.

Ralford was apprehended almost immediately. Police reported when he was shot four times in the lower right arm and hand by one of the guards. A police car took him to the road camp.

Taylor was captured less than an hour later lying in bushes about 300 feet from where he jumped off the truck.

Soviets Warned Of Intelligence Agents

MOSCOW, July 22 (AP)—Soviet concern over operations of foreign intelligence agents was emphasized in an article in the Leningrad Pravda, which criticized several citizens for carelessly or unconsciously giving out state secrets.

"One should remember," the article said, "that with the end of the war underlining activities of foreign intelligence have not weakened in the slightest. It is known that even bourgeois states, which are identical in character, constantly send among each other spies, diversions, terrorists and assassins."

"Capitalistic intelligence operates even more actively against the Soviet nation, trying to undermine its military and economic might."

"The strictest maintenance of state secrets by every Soviet person is of exceptionally great importance for providing security for the country."

Burma Slaying

(Continued from Page One) day were the traffic men at the gates.

Thakin Nu said Aung San was warned in May that a plot was in the making to kill the entire executive council in order to cause integration of the anti-Fascist Peoples Freedom League, the dominant political faction to which the slain ministers belonged. This, the conspirators believed, would enable them to seize power during the ensuing chaos.

Thakin Nu said a tribunal would be established to inquire into circumstances of the assassinations and would examine all under arrest, including U Saw and other rival political leaders.

"Nothing shall deter me from the firm purpose of achieving the ultimate goal our beloved leader set before us," he was quoted as telling the new times of Burmas, the government paper.

He denied that former Premier Ba Maw was arrested or that the government planned to arrest him.

Dutch Note

(Continued from Page One) wished to stress that it maintains its unalterable decision to carry out the political program based upon the principles underlying the Lingard Agreement (in which the Dutch agreed last Mar. 26 to the independence of Indonesia in 1949).

"The Netherlands government confidently hopes that circumstances will permit constructive cooperation with the republic as desired by innumerable Indonesians in Republican territory, which cooperation already successfully exists with the states of East Indonesia and Borneo."

Since the Indonesian republic is not recognized by the United Nations as a sovereign state, any complaint from Indonesian leaders would raise important legal points.

UN experts expressed the opinion that the Security Council could not act on the Indonesian situation unless a complaint was filed by an independent country—either a member or non-member of the UN.

Even though the council could not act directly on the Indonesian communication, it was pointed out that some other country might easily file a complaint on behalf of the Indonesians.

In this connection, it was recalled that the Soviet Ukraine brought the Indonesian question before the council in January, 1946, in London—even without the request of the Indonesian leaders.

At that time, it was charged that the presence of British troops in Indonesia threatened world peace. The Ukrainian representative demanded creation of a commission for an on-the-spot inquiry, but the council defeated the proposal.

Dutch Landing

(Continued from Page One) ion mortars and left the area after suffering damage.

Premier Amir Sjarifoeddin in a broadcast from Jogjakarta beamed to Australia, appealed "to the world in general and our friends in Australia in particular to strengthen their efforts to prevent further bloodshed." He said it was clear this "colonial war" was not in the interest of general peace in southeast Asia and the world.

If efforts are being made in our behalf, they must be made quickly," he said in a speech heard by the Dutch Monitor here.

Associated Press correspondent Harris Jackson reported "from Jogjakarta that the Indonesians claimed in a communique to have made progress west of Semarang" today. This was the first Indonesian assertion of military success since the outbreak of hostilities Sunday.

A broadcast Indonesian communique heard in Batavia said the Indonesians were attacking west of Semarang on the north central coast of Java.

Jackson quoted an Indonesian communique as saying the Dutch bombed Ambarawa, 30 miles south of Semarang. The area was the scene of severe fighting two years ago.

Water Bombs To Be Used On Forest Fires

GREAT FALLS, Mont., July 22 (AP)—The Army Air Forces and U.S. Forest Service plan to demonstrate tomorrow that "water bombs" are a type of bombers and fighters which devastate the forest.

Orlando Bride Held In Murder Inquiry

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., July 22 (AP)—A Jacksonville man and his bride were held today in El Paso, Texas, for the Georgia slaying of Myron D. Sutherland, 35, Jacksonville oil filter manufacturing company employee.

Sutherland's decomposed body was found Sunday in an abandoned cabin near the edge of Georgia's Okefenokee Swamp just over the Florida line. In the back of his head was a .22 bullet hole and an exploded shell lay nearby. His 1941 blue Chevrolet sedan with Florida license plate 2D-7123 was missing.

The man and wife held for Florida police were identified by Det. Lieut. H. V. Branch as Wayne F. Woodruff, 27, and his bride, Jeanette, 19, formerly of Orlando.

Detective Don G. Butler said a warrant had been obtained by the sheriff at Folkston, Ga., charging Woodruff with murder and asking that his wife be held. The two were apprehended as they stepped from a California-bound bus.

Glades Park Bill

(Continued from Page One) to acquire private lands by purchase of condemnation.

Dirksen said he appeared at the request of Joel Hopkins, Grandville, who owns 2,000 acres of land in the area. Dirksen said he has no objection to expansion of the park if private owners are permitted to retain oil and mineral rights, plus the privilege of carrying on explorations.

He said he believes 25 years and 10 State legislatures and five Florida governors "have concluded and approved" its establishment.

"It appears to me we owe something to the public interest," Dirksen said. "The people of Florida want this park to go on. I see no occasion at this time to delay action."

Peterson said amendments which he will propose to the legislation will provide that no lands can be acquired outside of a boundary agreed upon between the State and the State legislatures and will protect oil and mineral rights of private owners.

The legislation reserve oil royalties (1/8 of production) to Florida State-owned lands if the Secretary of Interior ever permits drilling and oil is found.

Red Officials

(Continued from Page One) posed before the committee under oath.

Photographs were forbidden. Rep. Mundt (R-S. D.) explained that Kravchenko "may be in considerable danger" because of his willingness to testify.

Kravchenko discounted any idea that the Russian government may be scrapped by the Russian people. In one place he headed, Kravchenko said, there once were 27,000 workers and 100 Cosack guards. Later, he said, the plant had 30,000 workers and over 1,000 guards with automatic rifles and dogs.

The only weapons of the workers, he testified, were the chains of their own slavery," adding that "consequently, any hope that the government may be overthrown from the inside by the forces of the people is built on sand."

The witness said the Soviet Secret police is "an important factor and force in the Soviet economy." Special branches of the police, he added, are assigned to all sorts of economic and industrial activity.

In these operations 17,000,000 to 20,000,000 people are employed and "the Soviet government uses their labor free of charge, and keeps them on a starvation diet," he continued.

Asked about the Russian search for the atom bomb, Kravchenko told the committee he knew the Soviet Union was "actively engaged" in December, 1942, in getting uranium, source of atomic energy. He said that if Russia had developed the atom bomb at the time the United States did, and if the United States did not have the bomb, "we wouldn't be sitting right now in this place."

Kravchenko scoffed at Russian proposals for disarmament, asking: "Is it possible to propose disarmament and at the same time try on within the Soviet Union and in the satellite states violent like-United States which it has at its disposal?"

"He has—did the Kremlin's train huns is an economic depression in this country, and if it occurs Russia will take advantage of the Communists (here) produced confusion, general strikes and hell."

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

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Action Postponed

(Continued from Page One) the \$100 a day provision still applies.

The 15 day amendment was adopted on recommendation of the Sanford Retail Merchants Association represented at the meeting by Ned Smith, president.

Mr. Smith stated that in view of Attorney Wilson's opinion that the fee might not be valid at \$100 a day, he was withdrawing his objection to reducing it, provided the 15 day limitation was approved, according to Mr. Sayer.

Mr. Smith told the Commission that the Merchants Association had adopted a resolution requesting the Commission in the future not to adopt any ordinance effecting citizens or merchants on its first reading, but rather to carry it over to the next meeting, Sayer reported.

A letter from W. D. Ryan, general manager of the Minneapolis Baseball Club, was read in which the City was assured that at the end of the spring training period the Municipal Ball Park would be turned back to the City in as good condition as when they took it over. He also agreed to all conditions stipulated by the park.

Mr. Sayer, in behalf of the City, had written Mr. Ryan outlining the City's requirements and requesting that the park be returned at the end of the season in as good condition as the visiting club found it. The City agreed to furnish sand and clay for the infield, and to furnish a ground's keeper to assist in maintaining the park during the training season.

In response to a City request for bus service to and from the Fernald-Laughton Memorial Hospital, the Silver Cab Company advised that there were not enough people riding there to pay the operating expenses of a bus.

Milk in local dairies was reported to have met Grade A requirements during the present month. Employment of E. L. Levy and H. H. Giles as firemen was approved in accordance with previous action in authorizing the hiring of two additional firemen. Both are experienced firemen, said Mr. Sayer. RCA radio equipment ordered by the City is expected to arrive in the near future, he said. The Commission was informed.

Satellites Warned

(Continued from Page One) Balkans would be a threat to peace.

Meanwhile, Britain proposed that the council sidestep a decision on which of the Balkan countries were responsible for the current disorders in that area.

The British proposal was contained in an amendment eliminating a paragraph of an American resolution which Russia and the Soviet satellites had attacked on the ground that it presumed the guilt of Albania, Yugoslavia and Bulgaria.

A spokesman for the American delegation said the British amendment would be accepted by the United States. This was one of two conciliatory moves made at this morning's council session in an effort to reconcile conflicting Soviet and American views.

The other move was made by France. The U. S. resolution referred to the report of the Balkan investigating commission which declared that any future hostile action on the part of the three Soviet satellites would be considered a threat to peace.

that the McCormick Lunier Company Building on West First Street, is now being repaired.

A hearing date was set for July 30 to determine whether or not to revoke the license of J. D. Carlton's beer place on West Ninth Street, concerning which neighbors have complained, Mr. Sayer announced.

Purchase of the first City lot on which they have options by E. R. Doyle and W. D. Forbea who plan a home building project on Magnolia Heights was approved. The purchase at this time was necessary said Sayer, in order to secure FHA approval.

Due to numerous and daily complaints reaching the Sanitary Department from residents in regard to neighbors' chicken yards being too close to their homes, the City Attorney was directed to draw up an ordinance defining the minimum distance a chicken yard may be located from a neighbor's house. This will be presented at the next meeting, said Mr. Sayer.

The Commission last evening gave consideration to increasing the occupational tax, on all types of business.

Boy Reverses Story Of Infant Killing

MASSILLON, O., July 22 (AP)—The mysterious deaths of two infants in Massillon City Hospital, apparently solved yesterday by the statement of a six-year-old boy, reverted again today to a puzzling conglomeration of varied stories and differences between officials.

Mrs. Roger Gue, of nearby Navarre, mother of young Roger Gue, who yesterday related to police how he accidentally dropped the two infants last June 6, said her son today had reverted to his original tale of seeing a large boy in a white coat enter the nursery in which the infants were found dying.

She declared she did not now believe her son dropped the babies and told newsmen she and her husband were tricked into letting investigators talk to her son.

Some of the funniest were "Here lie the bones of Willie Spencer, His tombstone is marble, but his head much denser." "There was a councilor by the name of Brock, His mind was brilliant, but his head was a rock. He kept the books of the camp bank; he lied, they spied in the lake he said; "There was a councilor by the name of Red, He was killed overnight as he lay in bed, He tangled with the boy in Cabin J.V. He tried, he died, he is no more."

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Bid Offered

(Continued from Page One) sites to be inspected either by a sub-committee or the entire committee.

These locations, he revealed, will be inspected after due notice has been given to the local Post. After this a final meeting will be held by the committee prior to making its final recommendation for the site to the Executive Committee at the Mid-winter Department conference in January. Final action on the site selection will be taken at the Department Convention in Panama City in April.

Mr. Field told the Headquarters Committee of the manifold advantages of the Sanford lakefront site, where the Memorial building could be seen from the railroad (St. Johns Bridge), the waterway, the highway and the air lines. He told the Post members that if Sanford is inspected by the Committee, local civic and fraternal organizations will be requested by the Post to co-operate in impressing upon the committee members the advantages of Sanford as a site for the building.

William Lasater was commended by the Post for his able handling of the Sanford Junior Legion baseball team, which today is playing in Wipiter Park.

Camp Winona

(Continued from Page One) I. Fred Poye's team won't win at the council fire the camp again put on stunts with Cab I winning with its graveyard scene read from makeshift tombstones. The tombstones represented the graves of present campers 25 years from now.

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LUCKY STRIKE presents THE MAN WHO KNOWS—

Advertisement for Lucky Strike tobacco featuring a man in a hat and suit, with text: "THE TOBACCO BUYER! 'I'VE BOUGHT well over ten million pounds of tobacco... so I speak with some authority when I say that season after season, I've seen the makers of Lucky Strike buy real fine tobacco—that ripe, light tobacco that makes a swell smoke.' F. S. KING, INDEPENDENT TOBACCO BUYER of Lexington, Kentucky (15 YEARS A LUCKY STRIKE SMOKER) JOHN FALTER

Advertisement for Lucky Strike cigarettes featuring a pack of cigarettes and text: "FINE TOBACCO is what counts in a cigarette FURNEY KING IS RIGHT!... And like him, scores of other experts... who really know tobacco... have seen the makers of Lucky Strike buy 'real fine tobacco.' After all, that's what you want in a cigarette... the honest, deep-down enjoyment of fine tobacco. So remember... L.S./M.F.T. LUCKY STRIKE MEANS FINE TOBACCO So Round, So Firm, So Fully Packed—So Free and Easy on the Draw

Defense Motion Of Acquittal Denied In Papy's Trial

State Rests Case As Defense Begins Pa- rade Of Witnesses In Accused's Behalf

TALLAHASSEE, July 23 (AP)—Former Representative Hiram C. Papy denied from the witness stand at his trial here today that he had offered bribes to Reps. Bradley Odham and Clarence M. Camp II during the 1947 legislative session. The veteran Key West representative said he had told Odham on one occasion only that he heard "they are paying \$100 to vote" on a 11-bookmaking bill. He said he had no conversation whatever with Odham the next day when, the Sanford representative has testified, Papy offered him \$500 and a case of Scotch whiskey not to vote.

TALLAHASSEE, July 23 (AP)—Circuit Judge W. May Walker today denied defense motions of acquittal on all three counts of an indictment charging former Rep. Hiram C. Papy with offering bribes to Florida legislators.

The motion was made and promptly denied soon after the Senate presented the last of its witnesses and turned the trial over to the defense. Defense witnesses began coming to the stand after the lunch recess.

Defense counsel at the last minute recalled Papy's accusers, Reps. Bradley Odham of Sanford and Clarence M. Camp II of Ocala. Odham was questioned again closely on whether he had heard Papy make a purported offer of \$200 or simply \$100.

Odham's statements showing the language both ways were introduced.

Judge Walker ruled out an effort by the defense to get Camp's answer to a question as to whether Papy and two other representatives had a conversation with him on May 12 concerning reports that \$100 was being offered for votes for the anti-bookie bill.

The judge said that was immaterial because it occurred five days after Papy testified Papy told him a vote to send the measure to hostile committee would be "worth \$100 to you."

Defense motions for directed verdicts of acquittal all were based on grounds that the state had failed to support its charges. (Continued on Page Two)

Price Of Scotch Is Disclosed At Papy Bribe Trial

TALLAHASSEE, July 23 (AP)—The state finally succeeded in getting the price of a case of Scotch whiskey into the record of the bribery trial of former Rep. Hiram C. Papy today.

It was necessary to establish that a case of whiskey is a thing of value within the meaning of the law dealing with bribery. It took three witnesses to do it as well as several orders of Circuit Judge W. May Walker overruling objections from the defense.

Papy is accused in the indictment of offering Rep. Bradley Odham of Sanford a bribe of \$500 and a case of Scotch whiskey for his vote on the 1947 anti-bookmaking bill.

The first witness, a representative of the State Beverage Department who waited two days to testify, told the court he could not say what price Scotch whiskey sold in May when the alleged offer was made.

However, Wada Wehant, business manager of the local Elks Club, which holds a disputed dry county club liquor license, said he knew.

He said F. O. Nelson who reported he operated a liquor store in a nearby town, had sold Scotch whiskey last month. Both testified Scotch whiskey sold during May at prices ranging from \$55 to about \$75 a case, depending on the brand.

CIVIL SERVICE REPORT
The city is now 23 City employees working under the provisions of Civil Service. It was announced today by W. O. Garvey of the local Civil Service Board, that 23 employees, 23 are on temporary and three on probationary status, he said. Included are firemen, policemen and public works employees.

Army, Navy, FBI To Get Testimony On Soviet Agents

Witness Says Group Of Communists Ac- tive At University

WASHINGTON, July 23 (AP)—The House Committee on Un-American Activities plans to hand over to the Army, Navy and FBI testimony that Soviet agents got secret wartime information on American planes and submarines.

Chairman J. Parnell Thomas (R-N. J.) told reporters of the intention today as the committee switched its general investigation of Communist activities from spying to union infiltration.

Ann Mathews testified that at least 16 of the 30 officials of the CIO Food, Tobacco and Agricultural Workers Union Local No. 22 at Winston-Salem, N. C., were members of the Communist Party prior to last January. That was the time, she said, when she ceased being an official of the union local.

The witness told the Un-American Committee she was a member of the Communist Party for 10 years, resigning last year; and that she had served as secretary of the Winston-Salem local unit. (Continued on Page Two)

Western Powers Attack Russian Delegate To U N

By LARRY HAUCK LAKK SUGGESTS, July 23 (AP)

Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko's man denials in the United Nations "was lambasted today in one of the strongest personal attacks ever made in the U. N.

After Alexei N. Kraslinich had delivered a 30-minute speech castigating the Western powers for their opposition to the admission of Soviet-supported Albania to the U. N., Britain's Valentine G. Lawford said in measured words:

"It is deplorable that we should be subjected day after day, week after week, month after month to this junk about provocations, lies, noises and repetitions. We are presumed to be intelligent officials and not a gathering of illiterate savages."

"We draw our conclusions from facts and not from slogans. I term the Soviet speech a regrettable offensive production."

"Col. W. H. Hodgson of Australia told the floor immediately to declare:

"How glad I am that these meetings are now open to the press. Previously we have had to put up with calculated abuse and distortions of this particular representative of the Soviet Union for a long time."

Hayden Raynor of the United States told delegates:

"I won't dignify the utterly ridiculous and irrelevant statements of the Soviet delegate by answering."

"I resent the tenor of his remarks."

VFW To Hold District Meeting In DeLand

Headed by post Commander F. D. Scott, a large delegation of Post 3223 of the V. F. W. of Sanford is expected to attend the organization's district conference in DeLand, Sunday, it was announced today by John Sauls, commander of the Fifth V. F. W. District which includes Seminole, Lake, Orange, Brevard and Volusia counties.

The meeting will be held at the DeLand Legion Hall. It is expected that more districts will be added, said Sauls. Marshall Mitchell of Vero Beach, senior state vice-commander, and Chester Whittle of Orlando, junior vice-commander, are expected to be present.

R. A. F. TO VISIT
BINSBROOK, England, July 23 (AP)—Sixteen Lincoln Bombers of the Royal Air Force's crack No. 617 Squadron took off today for a goodwill tour of the United States. The planes were due to stop at Gander, Newfoundland, enroute.

Reds Reject Jap Treaty Plan Of U. S.

America Hit For Act- ing Unilaterally; 4 Power Ministers Meet Suggested

By ROBERT HEWETT
LONDON, July 23 (AP)—Russia rejected a United States invitation to join in preparing a Japanese peace treaty and charged that America had acted in a "unilateral manner" in proposing a preliminary conference for Aug. 19 in Washington, the Moscow radio said tonight.

The broadcast Soviet reply to the Washington invitation declared that Russia "cannot agree" to the proposed Aug. 19 meeting of the 11 nations which fought Japan.

The Soviet note delivered to Washington yesterday declared that the council of foreign ministers, representing the United States, Russia, Britain and China, should be entrusted with preliminary work in drafting a Japanese treaty in accordance with wartime agreements among the powers.

The note suggested that the Russian, British and Chinese ambassadors in Washington meet with a representative of the United States to decide when the council of the foreign ministers should be convened.

The text of the Soviet reply, as broadcast by the Moscow radio:

On July 11 of this year the United States Ambassador Gen. Bevell Smith told V. M. Molotov, the U. S. S. R. minister of foreign affairs, that the government of the United States proposed to call on Aug. 19 of this year, a conference for the preparation of a peace treaty with Japan, comprising representatives of 11 powers, members of the Par Eastern Commission.

At the same time the U. S. government unilaterally began negotiations on this question with the governments of the remaining powers who are in the Far Eastern Commission.

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Vegetable Group Releases Facts, Figures On State

ORLANDO, July 23 (Special)—Florida Vegetable Committee reports that more than 100,000,000 man hours are required annually to grow, harvest, pack and ship Florida's tremendous vegetable crop.

The value of all farms in Florida has grown from a total of \$42,763,048 in 1900 to \$515,315,000 in 1945, according to Florida Vegetable Committee statistics.

Florida's leading income-producing vegetable crops, in order of importance, says the Florida Vegetable Committee, are: tomatoes, green beans, celery, early Irish potatoes, green peppers, cabbage, watermelons, cucumbers, strawberries and sweet potatoes.

Florida has currently more than 250,000 acres devoted solely to commercial production of fresh vegetables, according to the Florida Vegetable Committee.

Florida farm wage rates have risen approximately 318% since 1932, according to the Florida Vegetable Committee.

Per capita consumption of fresh vegetables in the U. S. has increased from less than 200 pounds per year to nearly 250 pounds, the Florida Vegetable Committee reports. This means an increase of more than one bushel per person per year.

The Florida Vegetable Committee reports that Florida produced more than 60% of the nation's winter and spring celery in 1946.

Florida's largest export was onion crop, according to the Florida Vegetable Committee, is watermelons, with an average of more than 8,000 cars being shipped in June and July.

Florida vegetables are available in volume on the nation's markets, according to the Florida Vegetable Committee, every month in the year except August and September.

The Florida Vegetable Committee reports that during the past 30 seasons, Florida's total commercial vegetable acreage has increased at an average rate of more than 5% per year.

More than 100,000 acres of snap beans are planted annually in Florida, according to the Florida Vegetable Committee, with more than 80,000 acres reaching successful harvest in spite of weather, insects, and disease ravages.

8 Germans Killed In Red Zone Blast

BERLIN, July 23 (AP)—An explosion rocked German police headquarters in the Russian zone of Berlin today, killing eight Germans and injuring nine.

The American-licensed newspaper Der Abend reported it presumably was an act of sabotage and that a suitcase found in the ruins "leads to the conclusion that a bomb was smuggled into the building."

Soviet officials maintained silence.

It was the third such explosion in administrative buildings in the Soviet section.

Four policemen and four German workmen were killed. At least two of the injured were reported in critical condition.

Interest In Civic Affairs Stressed At Kiwanis Meet

Aiken Sings And Re- lates Incidents Of New York Trip

Need of more interest by the average citizen in the public affairs of Sanford was today stressed by E. F. Housholder, local attorney and former City commissioner, at the Kiwanis meeting today at the Tourist Center. He was introduced by Roy Blair.

Dick Aiken, Sanford tenor, sang two selections, accompanied by Roger Harris, and told some of the incidents before and after his winning on July 4, the Arthur Godfrey talent contest.

Kiwanis president, Lester Tharp, told of the exchange of telegrams with Arthur Godfrey as a result of his having wired Godfrey, that Dick Aiken lived here and not in Orlando, of having later telegraphed Godfrey that a crate of Sanford celery will be sent him next season, and getting the reply from the latter that he is very fond of celery. J. C. Hutchison and H. C. Heigel were appointed by Pres. Tharp to look after the matter.

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Anglo-Russian Trade Talks Hit New Snag

LONDON, July 23 (AP)—A British government source said today in Moscow have "taken a turn that British-Russian trade talks for the worse and a breakdown is now rather likely."

The informant said that unexpected disagreement had arisen over the price of wheat which Russia planned to trade for British machinery.

Negotiations for the trade pact began some weeks ago and early last week were authoritatively reported to be near a successful conclusion. Government quarters had no explanation of the sudden new bargaining difficulties.

Schrader Funeral To Be Held Thursday

Funeral services for Harman W. Schrader, 65 who died Monday A. M. here was postponed from Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock until Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, according to the Erickson Funeral Home, in charge of arrangements.

Interment will be made in Lake View Cemetery instead of Lakeside. The Rev. Douglas Charles will officiate.

Poles' Share Of U. S. Relief Is Cancelled

Survey Mission Says Nation Has Food Needs For Year; Crop Outlook Good

WASHINGTON, July 23 (AP)—Poland's share of the \$350,000,000 American relief program was cancelled today, on grounds that the Poles have sufficient food, and State Department officials indicated Hungary likewise may be excluded from the program.

The action on Poland was taken on recommendation of a survey mission headed by Col. R. L. Harrison. He reported to Secretary Marshall that Poland has food for minimum needs at least for the remainder of this year.

Better crop prospects in Hungary make likely a decision that country also can get by without American assistance, relief officials said.

Poland is within the Soviet orbit and Hungary is occupied by Red army forces. The decision on relief, however, were said to be based entirely on need.

Relief shipments already have started to Italy, Greece, Austria and Trieste, under the program, and preliminary discussions are in progress with China. These along with Poland and Hungary were authorized by Congress to share in the relief program, which the House trimmed to \$325,000,000 in voting appropriations.

Harrison reported that "grain and other foods are available to meet the minimum food needs (Continued on Page Two)

Senate Surprised By Truman With Informal Visit

WASHINGTON, July 23 (AP)—Breaking precedent, President Truman took his old seat in the Senate today and made a brief speech saying he had spent the best 10 years of his life there.

Grinning happily, the President, a former senator from Missouri, walked onto the Senate floor unannounced after lunching at the Capitol.

He took a rear row seat on the Democratic side as senators and gallery occupants rose and applauded.

The senate at the moment was busy with routine, minor bills. But when Mr. Truman appeared, Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.), the presiding officer, promptly recognized the President and welcomed him warmly. Vandenberg then said that he recognized the "Senator from Missouri for five minutes."

Senators applauded as President Truman arose and began a brief talk. He said the Senate had been very kind and that he never had had a more cordial welcome anywhere.

"And I've been a lot of places," he added.

The President recalled that Senate rules prevent anyone but senators speaking there. He smiled as he broke the rule.

"I got home for this seat," Mr. Truman said, speaking slowly.

"I spent the best ten years of my life in this seat."

The President added that a senator with whom he'd lunched "shared me" to walk in and sit in my own seat."

Senator McGrath (D-R.I.) was in that seat. When the President walked in—McGrath quickly surrendered it to the Chief Executive.

Silver Glen Springs Sale Is Announced

OCALA, July 23 (AP)—H. H. Henderson has announced the sale of Silver Glen Springs, location of early Indian plantings and shellbacks, to four Ferran brothers and Eustis—E. L. C. H., Robert and Les and two uncles, Harry and Carl Ferran.

The price was \$125,000. Henderson said, for the 520-acre area in western Marion county which is now a fishing and resort spot.

The place was visited by John Hartman, noted American naturalist, and his son William during their travels and the opening scene of "The Yearling" was shot at the Springs.

LA GUARDIA BETTER
NEW YORK, July 23 (AP)—Former Mayor F. H. La Guardia, who was described a week ago as "quite a sick man," has shown a "decided improvement," his physician said today.

Dutch Drive Nears Key Indonesian City

Halsey Relates Personal Episode In Pacific Battle

Error In Coded Mes- sage From Nimitz Resulted In Anger

NEW YORK, July 23 (AP)—Fleet Admiral William F. Halsey, retired, says, he still believes he made a strategic mistake in the battle of Leyte Gulf during a moment of anger ignited by what he mistakenly thought was an insult from Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz.

Halsey recalled the events in an article in this week's Saturday Evening Post.

The time was late October, 1944. Halsey was then Third Fleet commander. Three Japanese task forces were trying to smash General Douglas MacArthur's landing at Leyte.

Third Fleet planes attacked and damaged the central enemy force. Vice-Admiral Thomas C. Kincaid's Seventh Fleet took on the southern Japanese force at Surigao Strait. Halsey's ships and planes then went after the northern Japanese unit. Meanwhile, units of the central enemy force went on to attack Kincaid's ships.

Halsey's planes sank one carrier, hit two others and a light cruiser. The big ship in Task Force 34 was closing in and were only 42 miles from bringing the Japanese surface vessels under fire when Halsey received a message from Nimitz, then naval commander-in-chief in the Pacific.

The message read: "The whole world wants to know where is Task Force 34."

Halsey said he was stumped, then flew into a rage because he considered the wording of the message an "insult." Later, however, he discovered the wording was the work of the man who put that message in code and used padding to make it more difficult to break.

The phrase was not Nimitz's, Halsey learned, but "it sounded so infernally plausible that my de-coders read it as a valid part of the message. Chester knew in what told him about it; he tracked down the little squirt and chewed him to bits, but it was too late; the damage was done."

"The orders I now gave, I gave in rage. And although Ernie King, Fleet Admiral Ernest J. King, then assured me that they were the right ones, I am convinced that they were not."

Halsey ordered units of Task Force 34 south to help Kincaid. Lighter units continued the north-south chase and only two of the 12 enemy ships escaped damage or sinking.

In his article, Halsey observed that the American Navy in the Pacific had one basic weakness.

"Although our naval power in the Western Pacific was such that we could have challenged the combined fleets of the world," he said, (Continued on Page Two)

National Charter Is Signed For AMVETS

WASHINGTON, July 23 (AP)—President Truman today signed legislation providing a national charter for the American veterans of World War II.

Ray Sawyer, AMVET National commander, said the action makes the first World War veterans organization to be recognized officially by Congress.

He added that the legislation gives AMVETS "legal status equal to that of the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Disabled American Veterans and the Spanish War Veterans, the only other Veterans' groups holding congressional charters."

Peace Officers Are Entertained By Aiken

Dick Aiken, Sanford tenor, and Roger Harris, his accompanist, got a "big hand" last evening as they entertained officers from all parts of Florida at the Association at the sky room of the Argabill Hotel in Orlando.

Just about recovered from the cold that handicapped his singing on the Godfrey talent program in New York, but did not prevent him from coming out first, Mr. Aiken, able to hit the high notes of the songs, "Morning" and "Diana" with his usual ease.

Jury Indicts CIO Union Leader On Perjury Charges

Denial Before House Group Of Red Con- nection Said False

WASHINGTON, July 23 (AP)—A Federal grand jury today indicted Harold Roland, Christoffel, Milwaukee CIO leader, on charges that he committed perjury in telling a congressional committee that he was not a member of the Communist Party.

Christoffel testified before the House Labor Committee last March. He was president of the United Auto Workers Local No. 248 at a time when Alvin Chalmers plants in the Milwaukee area were shut down by a protracted strike.

The labor committee was investigating the causes of labor disputes, work stoppages and strikes with particular reference to any influence of subversive groups.

The indictment said that Christoffel, under oath, "categorically denied" any affiliation with Communist Party. Nevertheless, the grand jury report said, he "was then a member of the Communist Party and had been such member for several years thereto and had worked with the Communist Party and with the Communist political association."

The case was presented to the grand jury by John S. Pratt and Frank H. Papp, special assistants to Attorney General Tom C. Clark.

After Christoffel appeared before the committee here in March, Chairman Hartley (R-N. J.) sent (Continued on Page Two)

Budget For Year Is Presented At Pilot Meeting

The budget as presented by Mrs. Mary Rawlins, finance chairman of the Pilot Club, was accepted at the meeting of the group held in the Tourist Center last night.

An increase of dues was voted upon as was a penalty of 25 cents per member for any absence in the future. A discussion of ways of meeting the budget and expenses was carried on and plans were made to sell Christmas cards again this year and for holding a rummage sale early in September.

Mrs. Joel Field, president, reported that the telegram of congratulations sent from the Pilot Club to Aiken who appeared on the Arthur Godfrey broadcast in New York was read over the air. The group voted to send a letter of appreciation to the Police Reserve in Orlando, sponsors of the program on which Mr. Aiken won the opportunity of appearing in the Arthur Godfrey show.

A letter from the Texas City, Tex. Pilot Club was read in which the local club was thanked for the \$25 donation made during the recent disaster there. It was reported that the hospital room furnished and maintained by the Pilot Club has been painted and redecorated.

Mrs. M. C. Stone was welcomed as a new member in the club. A letter from Mrs. Edith Cameron of Gainesville, chairman of the Florida party, given by Florida delegates to the Pilot International held in Columbus, Ohio June 26-29 was read in which she thanked those taking part throughout the state were used Mr. Greenery and flowers native to Florida sent by the various clubs throughout the state were used to transform the parlors of the Deshler-Wallack hotel into a veritable fairyland. The party was proclaimed by all those present as being one of the outstanding events of the convention. Air plants, sent by Mrs. A. W. Lee of Sanford, were wrapped in Spanish moss and presented to each guest present and a large banana plant, complete with a bunch of bananas which was sent by the Daytona Beach Club, created much comment among the guests.

CORRECTION
The Herald regrets an error made in the story on the St. Johns River appropriation which appeared in Tuesday's issue. The sub-committee recommended \$300,000 for that project or \$100,000 more than the House originally approved.

Each Side Says Other Using Jap Troops; India, Australia May Make UN Plea

BATAVIA, Java, July 23 (AP)—Four Java towns were in flames tonight as Indonesian troops retreating on two fronts threatening their capital, adopted scorched earth tactics before a determined Dutch army drive, an Indonesian communique announced.

Other Dutch units were threatening the Indonesian capital of Jogjakarta. The Dutch took the important town of Salatiga, on a 46-mile winding highway to the Republican capital.

A dispatch from Associated Press correspondent Harris Jackson quoted a Republican communique as saying that meanwhile, the Indonesians in a counter-drive were nearing the outskirts of Dutch-held Semarang, 27 miles north of Salatiga and the base for the jump-off of the Dutch drive toward Jogjakarta. Indonesian forces have been reported tempting to infiltrate Semarang, an important Dutch military base on the north coast of central Java.

A Dutch army communique indicated that motorized columns and armor-protected troops were pushing deep into both Java and Sumatra on at least 10 fronts against sporadic resistance.

On Sumatra, the Army communique reported that a Dutch column had moved more than 70 miles to the west of Palembang in the southeastern part of the big island.

Though the column's present location was not revealed, this location would seem to have put it in control of the rich oil fields that supply the great shell and standard-vacuum refineries at Palembang.

The communique said other Dutch elements moving east from this Netherlands colonial capital had moved 50 miles before 6:00 (Continued on Page Two)

U N Group Makes Greek Inquiry As Rebels Retreat

ATHENS, July 23 (AP)—The United Nations Balkan sub-commission continued today its investigation at Ioannina, where the Greek army claims to have routed a guerrilla force which "invaded" from Albania.

The investigators originally had been scheduled to leave yesterday. Meanwhile, Athens newspapers published unconfirmed reports that a majority of the sub-commission was "convinced" that the guerrillas had struck from Albania.

The Greek Eighth division in Epirus said that it had inflicted 628 casualties on irregulars within four days, exclusive of losses from Greek air force planes.

An estimated force of 800 to 1,000 rebels were being shelled in the forest areas west of Ioannina. The government said 26 guerrillas were killed and 20 captured on Mt. Olympus and that 25 were killed and 30 captured at Arhita. The rebels seized seven military trucks carrying wheat near Lamia.

The ministry of public order said guerrillas had attacked near the Bulgarian and Yugoslav borders.

A band of 600, including women, was said to have struck at Vrontos, seven miles south of Lamia, and burned 70 houses, the school, (Continued on Page Two)

Negro Injured When Hit By Automobile

Hit by an automobile as he was unloading cement from a wheelbarrow at Freich Avenue and First Street late yesterday afternoon, Andrew Jones, negro, of 1502 West Fifth Street was carried to the Mosley ambulance to Fernald-Moynihan Memorial Hospital where he was treated for head and back injuries, according to police.

Miss Francis M. Storey of Webster, identified by police as the driver of the