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THE WEATHER

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# Nine Die In Spectacular Blaze Which Razes New York Studio; French Railway Wreck Kills 18

## CHINESE CRISIS BECOMES MORE SERIOUS DAILY

### Battle Between Rebels And Nationalists Continues On Widespread Front

LONDON, Dec. 10—(INS)—The present internal crisis in China became more acute today as fighting between rebels and government troops continued over a widespread area, according to dispatches from the Far East.

As a precautionary measure to protect American lives and property in the battle-torn areas, it is reported that six United States destroyers and one cruiser have been dispatched to China from Manila.

With the nationalist capital, Nanking, in imminent danger of falling into the hands of the rebels, all American women and children together with those of other foreign nations have been removed to Shanghai.

Most of the foreigners still remaining in Nanking are American attached to the Gin-Ling College. At Chang, American and British gunboats have taken most of the foreigners aboard because of intense fighting in the vicinity of the city.

According to latest reports from that battle zone, the rebels have been repulsed by government forces but are now entrenched five miles east of the city biding their time for another attack.

President Chiang Kai Shek continues to maintain that government forces have the rebellion in full control. He has again refused to resign declaring he would be willing if an able successor could be found but maintaining the rebel leaders have not designated any one man they thought better fitted to lead the government than himself.

Fourteen thousand government troops arrived at Nanking last night to reinforce the troops defending the city against rebel attacks.

The situation in Canton remains the same. The Kwangsi and Honan forces are still pressing the defenders of the city on a fan like front.

Most of the fighting is done at night. The attackers fear the nationalist airplanes which have been found very effective in breaking up rebel attacks in the daylight.

The population of the city of Canton, about 2,000,000, is disturbed over the proximity of the rebel forces but a philosophical calm prevails.

Canton has been taken and retaken before. The residents are disturbed only because of the possibility of looting by invading forces but not particularly interested from political viewpoints in whether the Cantonese continue to hold the city or the Kwangsi come in.

Business in Canton is at a standstill. Officials are removing the valuables to Hong Kong on every outgoing boat. Foreigners are in no particular danger. Most of them reside on the island of Shamien where nine foreign gunboats and destroyers are anchored.

## Roadster Owned By Fox Is Stolen As He Plays In Ball Game

While several hundred fans were watching on exhibition of diamond ball on the Lake Shore last night an unknown party or parties made a successful "getaway" with Ray Rox's Cheverolet Roadster while the owner was playing with the Business Men's team.

Mr. Fox, who is the local agent of the Florida Motor Lines Company, said that he parked his car which was a 1926 model green and black Chevrolet roadster, near the municipal zoo last night about 7:30 o'clock, and at about 8:30 when the ball game broke up he discovered that his car had disappeared.

Chief of Police Roy G. Williams said that he and Mr. Fox searched the city until far after midnight for possible suspects. This morning the police have several clues which they are working on and the Chief said he expected to make an arrest before tomorrow.

WINTER GARDEN — Building formerly occupied by Bank of Winter Garden being remodeled for occupancy by Grimes Shoe Store.

## Leading Surgeons Attend Convention

ATLANTA, Dec. 10.—(INS)—Leading surgeons of the country gathered here today for the forty-second annual convention of the southern surgical association. Sessions will continue for three days, with scientific papers to be read and general discussions planned. A number of social features also have been arranged by the local committee on arrangements, of which Dr. Frank K. Boland is chairman. Among the eminent surgeons on the program are Dr. Charles Mayo, of Rochester, Minn., Dr. George W. Crile, of Cleveland, Dr. R. Dayer, of Philadelphia; Dr. C. Jeff Miller, president of the American College of Surgeons; Dr. R. C. Coffey, of Portland, Ore., and Dr. W. D. Haggard, of Nashville, a former president of the American Medical Association.

## FIRST NATIONAL AND CITY REACH DEBT AGREEMENT

### Commission Accepts Settlement Plan Of Bank's Receiver

At the regular bi-monthly session of the City Commission held yesterday afternoon in the City Hall a resolution, adopted by the Commission and signed by R. A. Newman and Frank L. Miller on Dec. 2, authorizing the settlement of claims of the City of Sanford against the First National Bank, was read by the City Clerk, F. H. Lamson.

In the resolution it was stated that the First National Bank had offered to surrender to the City all of the city bonds which it held together with the matured, unmatured, and unpaid interest coupons held by that institution, and to pay in addition a cash sum of $27,461.47 as a settlement of all claims of the City against the bank upon the return to A. P. Rawlings, receiver of the First National Bank, all the bonds held by the City as security for its deposits in that bank.

T. L. Dumas, in a letter written to the Commission, suggested that the large unfinished apartment house, which is located next to his residence at Park Avenue and Ninth Street, be torn down. Mr. Dumas stated further that the building was a fire trap, and that in the event it caught fire, the entire city block of homes would be imperiled. The Commission expressed its approval of Mr. Dumas's suggestion, but declined to take any definite action until a thorough investigation had been made by Fred R. Wilson, the city attorney.

Fred T. Williams, representing the Seminole County School Board, appeared before the Commission in regard to a settlement of an amount of $11,200, which the board is said to owe the city for certain paving liens. Mr. Williams said that the school board held a number of time warrants of the City of Sanford, and it was the wish of the board to use them in payment of the paving liens. The Commission notified City Attorney Fred R.

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## BRITAIN FACES NEW HIGH WIND NEARING ISLES

### Lull In Storm Which Has Taken Big Toll Presages Oncoming Gales From Ocean

LONDON, Dec. 10—(INS)—High winds and gales sweeping eastward toward Britain from the mid-Atlantic may add to the devastation wrought on land and sea by what is regarded as the worst storm in the history of England, it was feared today.

A lull in the ferocity of the storm which has taken a toll of more than 100 lives, dozens of ships and enormous property damage, caused those engaged in relief work to redouble their efforts today.

The last five days have been a nightmare of privation and terror to seafaring residents of the coasts of England and the continent.

About 70 ocean-going vessels have either been sunk, severely damaged or isolated from contact with the world by the continuing storm. Numberless smaller craft have been lost as the gales raged from the shores of Denmark in the North Sea down to Portugal's western coast.

Continuous rain has swelled the Thames River to such proportions that the city of London is again menaced by one of the floods which in bygone years caused extensive damage.

A number of towns and cities in the Thames Valley are now suffering extensively from the rising waters. Similar conditions exist in other parts of England.

Several liners now on the ocean, including the Leviathan, are now approaching the storm center and are almost certain to be late in docking on this side of the Atlantic.

A number of vessels are still believed to be in distress, tossed about at the mercy of the mountainous seas, giving rise to fears that the death toll may be higher when all are accounted for.

Among the latest victims of the storm was the steamer Volumnia,

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## Church Delegation Leaves Today For State Convention

With the seventy-fifth annual meeting of the Florida Baptist State Convention slated to convene today in Jacksonville, Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Brooks, Jr., and Miss Allie Trafford, delegates of the Sanford Baptist Church and John D. Jinkins, delegate of the Seminole Baptist Association left early this morning, by motor for the "Gateway" city.

According to Mr. Jinkins, Lincoln Hully, president of Stetson University in Deland, and president of the convention, will preside over the meeting, at which 2000 delegates, representing churches from all parts of the state are expected to be present.

The convention will be held in the First Baptist Church, in Jacksonville, of which Dr. Lincoln McConnell is pastor, it was announced.

## Reckless Driving, Speeding Charges Feature Monday's Municipal Court

Reckless driving and speeding charges featured the police docket at the regular Monday morning session of municipal court. Three were charged with reckless driving, four more with speeding, and five with being drunk, while 11 others appearing on various charges, completed one of the heaviest dockets within the past several months.

Tony Singletary charged with reckless driving, was sentenced to pay a fine of $50, while J. J. Newman and John Williams were dismissed on a similar charge.

The cases of F. B. Smith, D. J. Meany, W. B. Lee, and Howard S. Lee, all charged with drunkenness, were continued until Dec. 13, while Charles Sheffield had to pay a fine of $5 for being drunk. Ben Davis, who was charged with being drunk and also disorderly, was sentenced to pay a fine of $15.

Will Collins and Lucie Briggs, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited a $10 bond and a $9.75 bond respectively, for non-appearance in court.

Charged with speeding, W. B. Meek and Joe Sauer forfeited a $7 bond and paid a fine of $5 respectively, while the cases of S. Smith and Sam Fleischer were continued to Dec. 13.

Tony Singleton was dismissed on a charge of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor.

Charged with keeping a disorderly house, Sam Patterson was sentenced to pay a fine of $50, and Walter Lockley paid a fine of $10 for loitering.

J. R. NeSmith was transferred to the county for mental examination.

Bertha "Coot" Chery, who was held for investigation, had her case continued to Dec. 13.

Paul Detredille, charged with violating the stop law was sentenced to pay a fine of $2, while Clifford Harris, charged with breaking and entering, and James Smith charged with carrying concealed weapons, had their cases transferred to the county.

## No Americans Are Involved In Worst Accident Of Its Kind In Recent History

## Over 50 Persons Receive Injuries

## Train Runs Wild For 10 Miles Attaining High Rate Of Speed

NAMUR, France, Dec. 10.—(INS)—Eighteen persons are known to have lost their lives, and at least 10 more are feared to have sustained fatal injuries in an appalling railway accident near this station today. There were no Americans involved in the accident, all the victims were French or Belgians.

The locomotive and two baggage cars of a fast train bound from Paris to Arlon jumped the track and overturned completely, while two passenger coaches were smashed to kindling when they piled up on top of the derailed cars.

Of the 50 persons injured, at least 10 are expected to die. Ten of the dead have been identified as French people. The remaining eight have not been identified.

The crash was one of the worst that has occurred on French railway lines in recent times.

Ambulances bearing nurses and doctors were rushed to the scene of the accident from all nearby points, but the passenger coaches were so badly buckled by the crash that the task of extricating the dead and injured was exceedingly difficult.

Railway officials immediately began an investigation. From information available, it appears the train's brakes failed while descending a steep grade leading into Namur. The train raced for a distance of 10 miles, attaining a terrific rate of speed which sent the passengers into a panic, and leaped the rails at the bottom of the grade.

The boiler of the locomotive burst, and the train was swept by flames a moment after the derailment. The derailed train was the regular morning express from Brussels to Arlon. Most of the passengers were suburban commuters and farmers. Two women were among the victims.

## Rhodes To Be Main Talker At Meeting Of Local Farmers

L. M. Rhodes, chief of the State Marketing Bureau, will be the principal speaker at a mass meeting of the Seminole County farmers to be held at the City Hall 8:00 P. M. on Dec. 14, it was announced this morning.

According to Alex R. Johnson, head of the agricultural department of the Seminole High School, the speaker "will bring to the farmers and shippers of this section a very clear study of the problems confronting the celery and general truck crop industries" and that "it is with the aim of explaining and discussing the recommendations that this meeting is called."

Besides Mr. Rhodes, S. W. Hyatt, market specialist, who has been studying the problem of mixed car shipments of vegetables is also slated to be included in the program, it was further announced.

Mr. Johnson said that both Mr. Hyatt and Mr. Rhodes are speakers of prominence, and that he was assured that many of the local truck growers would remember Mr. Rhodes as the man who gave an "excellent talk" at a meeting of the Seminole Agricultural Club a year ago.

### SPECULATION RIFE

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—(INS)—Speculation was rife here today regarding the identity of the young man who greeted Miss Elizabeth Morrow, fiancee of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, when she arrived here from Mexico yesterday with her parents. The man refused to identify himself, while Miss Morrow refused to answer when asked if she had become engaged to marry.

THREE RECENT AIRPLANE CRASHES

## New York Aviation Is Comparatively Safe Despite Falls

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—(INS)—Statistics of flying and aviation schools about New York defied a remarkable series of accidents to fliers and those on the ground despite the unfortunate outcome of two airplane crashes in homes near Westbury, L. I., last week, in which another airplane had landed on an apartment house roof in Manhattan.

The damage from these three accidents was considerable, with two student pilots killed, two professional flyers injured, a house practically destroyed by fire and another badly damaged by flame. But aside from the two fatalities the fact remains that in the same period of time covered by the statistics more persons were injured and almost as much property damaged by wind driven by street cars which jumped the tracks and crashed into buildings in and about New York.

From 3000 feet over the heart of New York a plane whose engine went dead would have a wide variety of places in which to land. There is always the sheep meadow of Central Park, but con

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## Militiamen Called To Prevent Clash In Mine Territory

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 10—(INS)—The national miners union attempt to tie up Illinois mines took on a more serious aspect today when acting Gov. Fred E. Sterling ordered national guard troops to proceed to Taylorville to prevent a threatened outbreak between the national miners followers and members of the recognized mine workers union.

Approximately 500 militiamen from Springfield and Decatur were ordered mobilized when Sheriff Dunbar of Christian county informed the governor's office that the situation was beyond his control. Adjutant Gen. C. L. Bliss commandeered eight buses of the Illinois Power Company to transport Springfield members of the militia to the scene.

MADISON—Morgan Taylor service station on highway east of here opened for business.

## Girls Ask Saint Nicholas To Bring Dolls While Boys Request Bicycles

Scores of letters addressed to Santa Claus are now being received at the Herald office. The majority of the little girls ask for dolls and the boys request bicycles and guns. A number of the letters contain, which Santa Claus will read with interest. A number of the girls and boys request that the Herald assign them the young men to send in their Christmas letters, but as the space here is quite limited we have decided to publish only those letters that have some novelty to them.

The letters received are as follows:

Dear Santa,

I want a doll for Christmas and a bicycle, a table and chairs, also a box of candy and some fruit and Bedtime stories.

Gwendolyn Hayes, age 6.

Sanford, Fla.

Dear Santa Claus,

We are glad to give me a dump truck and a airplane and please bring my brother Billy a gun and a house of cards and from me a train and large gun grandmother, some apples, nuts. I am 6 years old today, my name is W. A. Stapler, corner French ave. & 5th.

Sanford, Fla.

Dear Santa, I want you to bring me a book sack, a pair of shoe socks, and nickers. Bring mother a box of chocolate candy, and don't forget daddy. I am ten years old. From

Fay Gramling
715 Cypress Ave.

Sanford, Fla.
Dec. 10, 1929

Dear Santa Claus,

Please bring me a bicycle, a ball, bat and glove, some candy, fruit, and nuts. And don't forget

Sanford, Fla.
Dec. 7, 1929

Dear Santa Claus,

I am a little orphan boy and I want to be a good boy so Santa Claus won't leave me. I want a sweater, cap and some socks to keep me warm. I want a horn and a toy plow, wish and I want some candy and apples. I want his a present remember my little brother.

From Floyd Richard Jenkins
R.F.D. Fla. Route Two Box 216.

My brother's name is Thomas Jenkins.

Dear Santa Claus,

I forgot to tell you where I live. You take right out my two brothers and I. We live two miles from Lake Mary across the railroad track. And follow the road straight down until you get to a long low white house. That is where we live.

From Louise, and Floyd Schaff Jenkins.

Sanford, Fla.
Dec. 7, 1929

My dear Santa,

Just a few lines to let you hear from me, and I am well and I am in fourth grade. I have been a good little girl as I could. I made

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## Film Explosion Starts Fire That Envelops Building Quickly Entrapping Occupants

### Scores Of Injured Sent To Hospitals

### Flimsy Dressed Girls Dash For Exits And Leap From Windows

NEW YORK, Dec. 10—(INS)—Nine persons—five men and four women—are known to be dead in a spectacular fire which swept the two story brick studios of the Manhattan Film Company today. Others, it was said, may still be trapped in the blazing building. The studio was used by the Pathe Company for making sound pictures.

Seventy persons, at least, were in the building when an explosion, closely followed by a billowy wall of smoke and fire, cut off avenues of escape.

Girls, attired in flimsy ballet costumes, rushed for exits. Finding all ablaze on the main floor a mass of flames they dashed upstairs and many of them leaped from windows.

A score of injured were taken to various hospitals. Fire equipment from all parts of Upper Manhattan was rushed to the scene and fire boats also poured water on the burning structure.

Fifteen thousand persons quickly gathered and watched the firemen battle the spectacular blaze. The police were forced to use their clubs to keep the crowds back of the fire lines.

The fire was started in a slight explosion of a film. So intense was the heat generated by the flames that firemen were unable to enter the building until almost half an hour after they arrived on the scene. With amazing rapidity the flames, fed by quantities of film and the papier mache used in making sets, spread through the structure.

A vocal company, comprising mostly girls, was preparing to rehearse a "talkie" comedy when the fire broke out. The flames spread so swiftly they became panic stricken. Men and women who were on the second floor were cut off from the exits and many of them rushed to windows and leaped to the street. Those on the first floor were blinded with smoke. Those who fought their way out were on the verge of collapse.

A few minutes after they were able to finally enter the building, firemen emerged carrying the bodies of two men and two women and a woman who was so badly burned she was taken to hospital in a dying condition.

The acrid smoke almost overcame the firemen, and when they entered the structure they donned gas masks. Some of the bodies carried from the building were burned almost beyond recognition.

## Reassuring Quiet Is Prevailing In Haiti Following Trouble

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti, Dec. 10—(INS)—A reassuring quiet revealed throughout this republic today. There have been no disorders of any kind for three days.

Threatened demonstrations by strikers scheduled yesterday failed to materialize and the government continues in complete control of the situation.

The presence of U. S. Marines, augmented by fresh arrivals at Jacmel and the expectation that hundreds more will soon be here to aid in enforcing martial law have resulted in a feeling of stability among residents in this and other cities of the republic.

DELRAY BEACH—Repair of sewer main on S. E. 2nd Street near Florida East Coast Railway tracks, completed by city.

# FARMERS DEFEAT BUSINESS MEN IN GAME SATURDAY

## West Siders Gain Undisputed Title For First Half Schedule

J. M. Stine-Ipher

The West Side Farmers overwhelmed the Business Men Saturday night in their play-off game by the count of 16 to 5, making them undisputed winner of the first half schedule of the Sanford Diamond Ball Association sponsored by the Y. M. C. A. Up to this game, both teams had lost only one contest, being tied for first place in the loop. The winners in the second half will have to meet the West Side Farmers for Championship honors of the Association, unless the same team should top the second time.

The seven runs made in the first two innings put the game on ice for the West Side Farmers, but they scored also in every other inning, but the seventh to total 16 markers. The fifth inning was featured by two home runs after two men were out. Walter Bach poled out the first one with Hunter on base scoring ahead of him, then Phil Bach not to be outdone by his brother, also hit for the circuit. Whitehead and Pippin secured the most hits with three out of four times at bat.

Hunter kept the hits of the Business Men scattered most of the way save for a home run by Palmer in the third inning and several other bingles which did very little damage, as they were well scattered. His support was excellent, while that received by Palmer, pitching for the Business Men, was rather ragged.

Three of the Business Men were able to collect two safeties each, namely Anderson, Rive and Stine.

BOX SCORE:

BUSINESS MEN

| | AB | R | H |
|---|---|---|---|
| Anderson, 3lf | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| Palmer, P | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| McCall, RS | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Fox, 1B | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Rive, C | 3 | 0 | 2 |
| Cobb, RF | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Hogan, LF | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Stine, LS | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Cord II, 2B | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Adams, CF | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Total | 28 | 5 | 10 |

WEST SIDE FARMERS

| | AB | R | H |
|---|---|---|---|
| W. Bach, RS | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| P. Bach, RF | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Bender, LS | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Bolt, LF | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| Whitehead, 1B | 4 | 2 | 3 |
| Pippin, C | 4 | 2 | 3 |
| Thurston, 3B | 4 | 0 | 2 |
| Axt, 2B | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Muse, CF | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Hunter, P | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Totals | 35 | 16 | 14 |

Summary: 2-Base hits: Bender, Pippin. Home runs: Palmer, Men Rive, Horan, W. Bach, P. Bach. Sacrifice hits: Business Men Stine, Cobb, McCall, West Side P. Bach, Bender, Hunter. Struck out by Palmer 11, Hunter 11. Left on base: Business Men 8, West Side 6. Umpires: B. Chapman, B. Chapman and Powell.

# BOXING'S "REIGN OF TERROR" - - - - By Burris Jenkins Jr.

# "MONK" DORSETT SHOWS HIS STUFF AFTER BAD START

## Sophomore Player Is Slow In Living Up To Great Reputation

By Frank S. Wright

GAINESVILLE, Dec. 9 — "Monk" Dorsett is coming through!

Picked three months ago as the boy most likely to be the sophomore sensation of the Southern Conference, Dorsett after a shaky start this year, is beginning to resume the characteristics of greatness for which he was famous before he entered college.

Through two-thirds of the current football season, Dorsett seemingly had lost his foot'all instinct and his ability to "come through" was a marked disappointment. But the faith of those who stood by and knew that the "off color" was not permanent, has been rewarded, for in the past two games "Monk" has shown he can stand run, kick and pass with more than ordinary ability, and is to be figured among Florida's leading contenders for the 1930 and '31 campaigns.

Few, if any, boys have come to Florida University with a larger athletic reputation than Earle "Monk" Dorsett—a boy who had achieved head honors, and who reflected a wealth of possibilities. He was born in Macon, Ga., on Friday the 13th of May, 1909, and in the early years of his life, acquired a devotion for athletics that probably tells in part, the secret of the success he has gained.

Moving to Jacksonville in 1922 "Monk" entered Central Grammar school, playing his first year as a substitute on football, but as a regular halfback the next season. Both years he made a first team position in basketball.

In 1924, with the creation of the junior high school, in Jacksonville "Monk" was captain and halfback of the Kirby-Smith team that was not scored upon all season, and which won the first of three state championships that year. He also captained the basketball team, and played third base on the baseball nine—both teams winning the state junior high title.

"Monk" entered Duval High school in 1925 and experienced perhaps the most fruitful year in his entire athletic career. He was picked all-state halfback on a state championship football team; picked all-state guard on a state championship basketball team; made his letter in both baseball and track.

The following year, the last of many brilliant years for the famous Duval High—"Monk" continued his football and basketball, winning an all-state post on the latter team, this time at center.

In 1927 he went to Andrew Jackson senior high in Jacksonville, played halfback on another state championship, unscored on football machine. He captained the Jackson basketball team and for the third successive year, was named on the All State five. Dorsett is the only boy in the history of high school basketball in Florida to be picked for three successive years on the all-state, and each year at a different position.

"Monk" entered the University of Florida in 1928, captaining the "Baby Gators" in both football and basketball and serving as president of the freshman class. He played outstanding ball for both squads and was looked on every hand as the most promising freshman to ever enter the state university.

Dorsett is a true type football player for he can run, pass and kick in a manner to be envied. With all his ability he has ideal temperament and absolute celerity, and is equipped with a frame a sturdy six-foot, one-inch frame bearing 191 pounds of bone and muscle.

He is studying for a business career, and does not intend to coach, though his hobby has always been athletics, and he may alter his plans. "Monk" is never satisfied unless he is engaged in some sport activity. He is a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity and other campus societies.

# PANAMA CITY TO WELCOME HOME FOOTBALL HERO

## Charles Vickery Will Be First From That City To Receive "F"

By FRANK S. WRIGHT

GAINESVILLE, Dec. 9.—In the life of every small town there inevitably comes an occasion of tremendous moment. Books tell of it and we see it in the movies, or it must be so. The ragged urchin boy, of 30 years ago returns a giant of fortune—and the village roars out its tumultuous welcome. The same little spindle-limbed girl of yesterday is back only in different garb. The sleepy-eyed village can hardly believe that she took Broadway by storm, but nevertheless it throbs in whole souled rejoicing.

Panama City, over in West Florida, may never have welcomed back home a titan of finance, nor sought the Press band out to celebrate the return of a new stage queen, but it is going to have its opportunity this month to roar a welcome to the first boy to ever win a varsity football letter at the University of Florida.

Gaining a varsity football "F" may not be the biggest event of the season for some, but for Charles Lelon Vickery it will be a real achievement, not only for himself, but because no Panama City athlete has ever brought home such a distinction.

Because he has played at right end for Florida this season not as a regular, but as a very valuable reserve, Vickery very likely will win the high reward of an "F" this month. He has seldom appeared in the newspapers, and fans are practically unacquainted with him, but he's been a never-failing boy all season—always out for practice, and always ready to give his best and his all in the regular games.

Being but a sophomore this year, it is easy to understand how Vickery has gone unnoticed, but in his two remaining seasons, his footballing likely will attract wide attention. "Vic" was born on May 19, 1906, in St. Andrews, Fla., (now Panama City), where he spent his early youth.

In 1922 he entered Marion Institute, in Alabama, preparing for West Point, and there engaged in his first football activity. He remained out of school the following year, but returned to school for two sessions, and played football, captaining the team in 1925 and establishing an exceptionally fine record.

"Vic" entered West Point in July 1927, played that fall on the Plebes, as regular end, but returned to Florida early in 1928 and entered the University of Florida in September of that year. He was ineligible for freshman ball last season, and was retarded by an injury during the spring training period, but his work this fall has not only been very satisfactory, but comforting when one sees the overturnetting future in football.

Standing, 5-11 and weighing 175, Vickery is splendidly qualified for a flank position. He has a real devotion to football, a Lindbergh modesty and excellent temperament for the game, and with his physical qualities, can more than hold his own. With Vickery, and such other strong right ends as Jimmy Nolan and Joe Hall, Florida next year, and in 1931, has strength at the right extremity of the line.

Hunting and fishing are hobbies of "Vic," and unlike many of the present day crop of 'Gators, he is not entering the coaching profession when he finishes college. He is studying Business Administration and is ambitious for a business career. He is a member of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity, and a credit to his chapter and to the University of Florida.

# Iowa, Ousted By "Big Ten" Conference, Hurls Charge Against Other Members

IOWA CITY, Ia., Dec. 9—(INS)—Indications that the last chapter in the embroilment between Iowa University and the Western Conference has not yet been written were evident today as the outcast Hawkeyes prepared to go their way alone.

Counter charges against the nine "Big Nine" conference were coming to the surface here which promise to prove that the exclusion members who ousted Iowa are far from simon pure themselves and that the Carnegie Foundation report was, officially speaking, correct. Iowa's suspension was made permanent late Saturday by a vote of the faculty committee of the Western Conference.

John C. C. Williams, chairman of the Iowa board of athletics, issued a statement which blames a selfish attitude on the part of other conference members for Iowa's misfortune.

It was a double defeat for Iowa's athletes when the faculty committee voted not to permit the Hawkeyes to compete in Dean Walker's statement. Some of the conference opponents have complained that games at Iowa City have not "drawn" as they would like to have it and as a result games on Iowa campus have been regarded as commercial losses to the home business men of the university.

"The position displayed by the athletic department of certain institutions leads color to the oft expressed suspicion that a desire for larger gate receipts was a factor in their attitude," reads one paragraph of Dr. Williams' report.

According to Maurice Dahl, Cedar Rapids, Ia., attorney and alumnus of Iowa, some "interesting" information in regard to subsidizing activities of other "Big Nine" schools is forthcoming and will be presented to Maj. John Griffith, commissioner of the Western Conference.

Iowa's athletic board will decide tomorrow whether to renew its appeal for readmission or schedule future games with independent teams.

# JAZZ DECLARED TO BE VERY OLD FORM OF MUSIC

## Frenchman Says Band Of Negroes Played In London In 1840

By Alice Langelier
International News Service
Staff Correspondent

PARIS, Dec. 9—What will these French discover next? One of them, Max Dorian of "Le Petit Journal," has just announced that jazz music is as old as the hills and then some. To be precise, he proves that a group of negroes from America played same music in London as far back as 1840 and played jazz on canoes, Jewish harps, castanets, fiddles and whatnots, and then brought it over to Paris that same year where they met with great success. There were also drums and a trough which made tremendous noise and the players swayed, jigged and danced in with a verse or two just as they do up on Montmartre hill today.

Monsieur Dorian even has an engraving of one of the early jazz players of this Afro American group and posted below it is the following announcement:

"The principal attraction of the visiting troupe was above all representations of the scenes of colored manners which represented the ardent dances and the songs which were the epos of the slaves, the loves, the choirs, the fights, the suffering and loves of the people."

Sometimes it pays to whistle at your work. Ask Sidney Bayner, American songwriter, writer, of New Orleans, who has signed a two year contract with the Opera Comique, goal of many singers.

According to his story, Bayner swung a wicked brush and could turn out department store price tags and sale ads faster than a cotton factory turns out bolls.

What Bayner wrote was somebody else's but the executives were all his own. Showward writers became such a mechanical process with him that he took to whistling and singing while at work.

"Why don't you have a hall?" his boss showward writer, demanded sarcastically. Instead I become office boy." Bayner resulted a singing teacher.

For the last three years he has been in Italy taking vocal lessons to the tune of a metronome instead of a showward writer's brush.

After hearing a few notes from Bayner's dreamy voice the director of the Opera Comique asked the showward writer, to sign on the dotted line, and, according to Bayner, this is the best bit of pen thing he has done in his life.

"Why don't I have a hall?" Bayner now demands of his former brothers in showward writing. "Because some one has hired a hall for me."

## WINS MARATHON

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—(INS)—Paying scant heed to the marshy flatlands and slippery hills of Van Cortlandt park, Gus Moore, University of Pittsburgh sophomore, today had retained his title as national cross-country champion. Despite the treacherous footing, Moore negotiated the six-mile course in 31:10, to finish some 250 yards ahead of Eino Heikkila, New England champion.

# PHIL SCOTT AND VON PORAT WILL BATTLE TONIGHT

## Dempsey To Referee Fight Which May Determine Champion

By Dave L. Walsh
International News Service
Sports Editor

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—[illegible] heavyweight championship of the world, that million dollar battle [illegible] will end only the mortal ten stiffen, and by the time around the [illegible] [illegible] Madison Square Garden, it will [illegible] [illegible] Phil Scott and Vito Porat [illegible] [illegible] Dempsey will be [illegible] [illegible] Scott [illegible] [illegible] Porat [illegible] [illegible] Dempsey

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### BIBLE VERSE FOR TODAY

THE HOPE OF HUMANITY—The earth shall be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea.—Habakkuk 2:14.

PRAYER—Lord, for this great accomplishment we would live and labor continually.

### WISHES

When I could dwell by the beautiful sea,
With green rugged hills near the shore;
For its sake is an emblem of greatness to me,
And the hills give calm strength evermore.

When I could see the gay isle of Japan,
And climb the high Alps' snowy peaks;
Observe the quaint people in far Hindustan,
And visit famed towns of the Greeks.

When I could paint with the rainbow's bright hues,
Do some like an angel divine,
Compose lovely music, write tales that amuse,
Or the sculptor's art make always mine.

Then life's my wishes, day in and day out,
For wishing's a harmless diver[sion]
When one desires real prob[lems]
Why not take such a mental ex[cursion]

(H. Lawrence Sandifer in Red and Black.)

Arthur B. Gulick, wanted in Ohio for thirteen years, has been caught. Now he has everything to preach about.

They have hurricanes in Cuba and Porto Rico. A tornado in Iowa got into the British Isles. Kill [illegible]

According to the Palm Beach Post, A man in England lost a [illegible] That's one time the law and truth agreed.

Gene Tunney and Will Rogers Forget Will Not Fight [illegible] That's right, he recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

We don't see what they need an [illegible] in Haiti for; there are seven hundred Marines there and only about two million natives on the whole island.

They are coming down this way in larger crowds than ever, but that means more crooks and thieves than ever. Keep your eyes peeled. Help the police to help you.

We have been asked to pass a Christmas Money Association. It's just the kind that lost on race horses.—Tampa Tribune. Oh yes, and in Florida, betting on horses is against the law.

And because two pilots were killed in Tampa when the plane they were in lost in a dense fog, there is no reason for believing that flying is dangerous. Sometimes automobile drivers, and pedestrians, get killed in fogs.

When the presidential yacht Mayflower was put on for sale, bids were received as high as $51,000. The yacht is probably worth two million dollars and costs as much as three hundred thousand dollars annually to operate, a fact which may account for President Hoover's decision to sell it as well as for the smallness of the bids offering to buy.

John McEntee Bowman, head of the Biltmore chain of hotels, recently in Miami, preparing the Miami Biltmore for opening, said Florida is not only ideally rich in climate and natural beauty, but she is certainly to be envied in her winter location. A great portion of the enormous wealth of this country lies directly north of Florida. In a few short weeks the tide will set in toward this state.

## A Fine Christmas Present

Yesterday's announcement that the First National Bank will pay a fifteen percent dividend in the near future should come as a most welcome surprise to many Sanford citizens who must have been wondering where their Christmas shopping money was coming from. It should also be received as a very satisfactory Christmas present to a number of merchants who perhaps have been looking upon this Yuletide season with eyes somewhat akin to gloom.

Fifteen percent is no inconsiderable amount in times like these even for a strong institution to pay within five months. It not only bespeaks the zeal of the receiver whose collections have made this dividend possible but also the honesty and industriousness of the people who have come forward and paid their debts at a time when debt-paying is, to say the least, a burden. And it reflects great credit upon the former officers and directors of the First National Bank who always used the greatest discretion in making loans.

Two hundred and fifty, or three hundred thousand dollars, which, we estimate, is the sum soon to be released in Sanford by the First National's dividend, is no small amount to be suddenly put into circulation, at a time when business at best is not good. Coming as it does in the midst of the Christmas shopping season, it should have a very stimulating effect upon local business generally, and especially among those merchants who specialize in gifts appropriate for the Christmas season.

So it is not always gloom. Back of every cloud the sun shines as brilliantly and warmly as ever it does on the clearest day. It is only necessary for us to break through what is in reality a thin veil, a smokescreen laid down by the devil, to find an opening in the clouds where there is sure to be a silver lining. Soon the clouds will drift away altogether, and we will see again only the clear blue sky of that former day when there was wealth and plenty in this land and everyone was happy.

## Christmas Greens

At the approach of Christmas, the housekeeper probably finds her thoughts not only turning toward gift shops and toy filled counters for presents and grocery stores for savory supplies for the holiday menu, but also toward the woods and the garden for Christmas greens with which to create the traditional stage setting for the grandest of all feast days. Naturally one thinks of holly and mistletoe at this season, but since these scarlet and waxy white berries are not only scarce but forbidden fruit, one must turn elsewhere, and here in Florida, there should certainly be no quarrel with nature on the score of what has been provided.

The poinsettia, the typical Christmas flower, which is cherished tenderly in florist windows and adorns the counter for a goodly sum in the North, flames in our gardens while the bougainvillea over the doorways and the hibiscus on the lawn paint in the Christmas color scheme of red and green. The setting is already prepared for an outdoor Christmas tree, that beautiful custom which is gaining favor so rapidly in Florida, and which the members of the Sanford Garden Club have been so quick to take advantage of. The outdoor tree is becoming very popular in other Florida cities, and a ride around any one of them on Christmas Eve makes one think of an enchanted forest with trees filled with magic golden fruit.

If your garden does not boast a Christmas tree, be sure to place the indoor one near a window in order that the passers-by may enjoy its beauty too. It seems to us that the old custom of placing numbers of wax candles in all the windows on Christmas Eve is a peculiarly gracious one. The richly decorated window pane reflecting the brilliant glow of mellow and friendly flames of hundreds of little white wax candles help a whole city to radiate Christmas cheer.

In a paper on Christmas decorations, Mrs. Henry Wiehe suggests the ruddy berries of the Brazilian pepper as a substitute for holly and the feathery fronds of the asparagus plumosa and the asparagus falcatus to be employed in making wreaths in the place of everyreens, because the former require frequent cutting for their well being while the latter is seriously impaired by heavy cutting.

In decorating this year, why not think of the outside picture as well as the inside one, and add not only to the charm of your home but to that of Sanford as well?

FROZEN ORANGE JUICE in solid form and put up in a package like a carton of butter, is among the probabilities of the future merchandising program of the ice cream manufacturer. Extracted and solidified by a continuous freezing process at plants located in the orange growing centers, it will be shipped under solidified dioxide refrigeration, held in cold rooms by ice cream manufacturers and distributed by them through their dealers. Orange growers in Florida are stated to have already carried the project beyond the experimental stage and to be prepared to begin large scale production at an early date.—Gainesville Sun.

## TELLING THE WORLD
BY NEAL O'HARA

ALL OVER A BIG HUNK OF ICE Great Britain has struck in a claim for Mother Earth, and has. She says all the Antarctic territory is hers and Byrd is trespassing on private property. The United States is disputing this Napoleonic claim.

We don't know what Great Britain won't do. The Antarctic territory is hers, she says, and she likely means to keep it. If you don't believe it, just go into a London restaurant and ask for a piece of ice in your water or your whiskey and soda. You would think you had asked for Queen Mary's Sunday pearls.

On the other hand, Great Britain doesn't see why we should want it. The Antarctic territory only consists of 3,402,000,000 tons of ice and with America not raising its own crop of ice cubes Antarctica would be a dead loss.

Mr. Byrd and his raccoon coated friends have been in the Antarctic a year now, discovering ice floes, glaciers and other landmarks for the United States. They have gone through untold suffering. Not only have they had their eyebrows frozen solid and slid into icy cracks for dear old Uncle Sam, but they have endured thirty-seven specially arranged radio programs and sent back applause cards every time. It must not be that they have suffered in vain!

If Byrd had stuck a flag up in every place he discovered, the Antarctic would look like a golf course. The glaciers he has christened read like a list of the Pullman company's sleeping cars. Byrd has also discovered land on several occasions. One important lump of real estate he christened the Rockefeller Range and left a new claim there to prove it.

It is not fair that all the hilly work should go to waste. Great Britain asserts that British explorers have previously wandered all over this territory. There is something fishy about this claim and it is mighty lucky, if the British were there first, that they left no paper pie plates, banana skins and empty tin cans behind them.

A little oversight like that, however, would never worry Great Britain. Unless prompt steps are taken, you will soon see the Prince of Wales toss a pair of snowshoes and a thermos bottle over his shoulder and embark on a good will tour of the Antarctic, kissing Eskimo babies on the cheek, shaking hands with the seals and posing for pictures with the polar bears.

Just because Commander Byrd has not roamed all over the Antarctic carving his initials with an icepick is no reason we don't own the place. From the time Byrd's party landed in the South Polar regions and flashed back the message, "WBZ, we are here," America has considered that it owned that territory.

In fact, Antarctica has been so universally considered a part of the United States that the Notre Dame authorities were given permission for Rockne's team to play a football game there next year.

We hope the United States establishes Byrd's claim to this vast region. America needs the place badly. For when a bunch of friends drop in on you for some midnight highballs and there are only three ice cubes in the refrigerator it is nice to know that as an American citizen you have 3,402,000,000 square miles of icebergs in reserve.

## The World's Window
By Pierre Van Paassen

This year's recipient of the Nobel prize for literature, Thomas Mann, had a Gentile mother like Pennayotis, and for this reason the German race purists are not joining the entire Germanic world in paying tribute to the great romancer. Of his career Thomas Mann had the following to say in a little German review from which we translate freely: "My past is obscure and shameful. I did not fail in my barber's examination. I never got that far. I failed already in rhetoric and ran away from the Lubeck Lyceum. I was lazy, headstrong, frivolous and took nothing seriously. After trying once more to sit on school benches, in Munich this time, I became a vagabond in foreign countries. I spent a year in Rome. In the daytime I wrote a little and in the evenings I went to a cafe to play dominoes. Upon my return to Munich I worked for a short time on Simplissimus (the German satirical weekly). And today? Instead of having fallen among the Anarchists and other pot children, glory has come my way. I have a beautiful wife, extraordinarily beautiful, a real Princess; she is also a Doctor of Arts and Sciences, and she still does not despise the ignoramus that is her husband. She has given me five children. They're all in excellent health and good students, in which they take after their mother. I have a beautiful apartment, three servants and a Scottish sheepdog. My trees are triumphs. Provincial and poets invite me, and I entertain them all dressing and. People applaud before I begin to speak. Young ladies ask me to put my name in their albums. And why? How did I get that way? I didn't change. I still do what I always did. I dream. I read the poets and I try to write like them."

Thomas Mann, who was a fetter junkie formerly, has converted to "van machine" by Stravinsky, he tells.

A suggestion that the idea of United States of Europe should first be tried on a miniature scale between the three Scandinavian countries, Sweden, Norway and Denmark, is made by Dr. Ivar Bratt, the Swedish publicist. "Within the League of Nations," says Dr. Bratt in the Dagens Nyheter, "it is permitted to make regional agreements, as there is, for a regional peace pact. Similarly, I believe that the regional agreement on the facilitation of trade would serve as a step toward a more rational international exchange of goods. The method I recommend is: Scandinavian states agree to use to the utmost their own resources in foodstuffs, raw materials, energy, etc., and to exchange the surplus among themselves, even in case they could get better terms from other countries. Naturally, they would not have final power of decision, but they could formulate resolutions, based on these discussions, and submit them to the respective governments for consideration. Above all, we should try to make our own contribution to the solution of the great problem, and not merely wait for the Great Powers. Nothing is more [illegible] than a kind fait accompli from the result of a World War. For [illegible] contribution to the economic recovery of the world the northern countries are best adapted, and the world is likely to achieve something practical. They should beat the iron [illegible]

Church bells, cannot [illegible] belong to the past, [illegible] man's genius brought "Angelus Ultra Modern" on a Paris [illegible]. "There is enough noise in large cities as it is, without awaking people's nerves with [illegible] and silver jangling. Let [illegible] sleep with it." Now it would take a William Gorham Rice, that American champion and discoverer of the world's "quietest spot," to write a really eloquent [illegible] on the chime as the curfew. It has been and [illegible] the night [illegible] as has been a beloved part of our life for centuries. There is something stirring and sentimental in it for the people of the Continent to think that their ancestors heard those same bells and rates regulated their lives by them. The American ringing of Bourdon, one the sense of a quiet [illegible] time. And the great [illegible] of Antwerp housing not the Hymn of the Sea Beggars, which rang as the result of Flanders against Spain and the Inquisition, rising a heroic epoch in history. These chimes form a link of nobility with the past and the ultra modernist who wishes to break down a visible [illegible]

companionship with time cannot feel their meaning. He possibly [illegible] the bandpender. That's all right. "Everybody to his taste," said Eskimo to the Pope, "you kiss Rome, I kiss Chicago."

Highland lakes in both their [illegible] and poetic aspects are a [illegible] action. There are no [illegible] in the section and a number of additions and improvements are being made to several homes soon to be occupied by their owners. C. B. Dunlap is making [illegible] and improvement to cost about $2,100. A garage is being [illegible] and two commodious rooms added to his dwelling. All extensive [illegible] are to be in stucco. Mr. Dunlap came to Florida last year for early hunting and others of his friends will follow shortly.—New York Sun.

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# Social And Personal Activities

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## Social Calendar

**TUESDAY**

A social meeting of the Gleaners Sunday School Class of the First Presbyterian Church will be held at the church at 7:30 o'clock.

The Alathea Class of the First Baptist Church will have a "spend-the-day" party in the class-room at the church.

General business meeting of the Little Theatre Players will be held at 8 o'clock at the City Hall. As this will be an important meeting all members are requested to be present.

**WEDNESDAY**

The Literature Department of the Woman's Club will have a lecture on "Czechoslavdakia" by Dr. Virginia Spencer in the club rooms at 3:30 o'clock.

**THURSDAY.**

The Daughters of Wesley Class of the First Methodist Church will meet at the church annex at 7:30 o'clock. Members are requested to bring an article for the auction sale.

**FRIDAY.**

Annual bazaar of All Souls' Catholic Church in the Welaka Building, corner of First Street and Railroad Avenue.

The Seminole Rebekah Lodge will hold a District School of Instruction at the I. O. O. F. Hall at 2:30 P. M. A covered dish supper will take place at 6 o'clock and will be followed by the district meeting at 7:30 P. M.

A novelty program, "Carnival Capriccio" will be presented by the Music Department of the Woman's Club at the club rooms at 4 o'clock.

The Sallie Harrison Chapter of the D. A. R. will meet at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Raymond C. Philips at her home on Park Avenue. Board meeting will take place at 2:30 o'clock.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. L. Cooper at her home on East Eighteenth Street.

**SATURDAY**

Annual bazaar and supper of All Souls' Catholic Church in the Welaka Building, corner of First Street and Railroad Avenue.

The Stamp Club will meet from 2 o'clock to 3 o'clock at the episcopal parish house. Exhibits of foreign countries beginning in Africa, as Mexico, Netherlands, Nyasaland, etc.

Mrs. John G. Leonardy will entertain at tea from 4 o'clock to 6 o'clock at her home in Rose Court, honoring Mrs. F. McKenzie Davison of Washington, D. C., formerly of this city, Mrs. J. J. Perrish of Titusville and Mrs. Millard B. Smith of Titusville.

## Betty Compson Given Lead In Milane Sound Picture "Street Girl"

A spirited and tuneful drama that clearly shows the possibilities of the new-form musical film entertainment is the radio picture "Street Girl," which opens Wednesday at the Milane theatre. The picture is distinctive in that the movement of the story and the musical sequences are naturally dependent and correlated.

Betty Compson, who has reached new heights through the medium of talking pictures, heads the cast of well-known players. This talented star possesses a rich, sweet voice and a wealth of dramatic power. Her role in "Street Girl" is regarded as the greatest characterization of her career.

Miss Compson is seen as a girl of the streets who obtains employment as a violin player and entertainer in a small Hungarian cafe in New York's East Side. The ability of the little group of musicians with whom she works is finally recognized after an unpromising start. Success ontains for them a night club of their own after a series of disheartening experiences. Miss Compson is well qualified to play this particular part, for she started her professional career as a violinist on a western vaudeville circuit.

"Street Girl" was adapted from W. Carey Wonderly's story, "The Vinnese Charmer," a dramatic and realistic tale of that little known, but intensely human district, New York's "Little Hungary." Jane Murfin wrote the dialogue, and through it brought a poignant and authentic transcription of life in that section.

Featured in support of Miss Compson is John Harron, whose performance marks him as one of the most accomplished of those stars of the silent screen who have successfully made the change to dialog pictures. Coupled with the tense drama of "Street Girl" is sparkling comedy furnished by Jack Oakie, Ned Sparks and Joseph Cawthorn, three of the screen's best comics.

PRINCETON— Texaco filling station opened on Dixie Highway at northern edge of town.

## Society Is Wearing

MISS KATRINKA SUYDAM

Miss Katrinka Suydam, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hendrick Suydam, followed the hounds this week-end, joining the Meadow Brook Hunt Club in its meet at Syosset.

Practically every one on the North Shore participated in this picturesque sport, making one of the biggest runs of the season. The weather could not have been more perfect for an ideal hunt, the ground just hard enough for good running and the cold sharp enough to bring color to the cheeks of the riders and zest to the chase for the dogs.

Simplicity is always in good form for these cross country rides in the way of fashions. Witness the simple, single breasted tweed coat, light, whipcord jodpurs, four-in-hand stock and soft shirt worn by Miss Suydam, the costume being topped off by a bowler. Heavy Butcher leather boots, capeskin gloves and a small crop complete the outfit.

## William L. Starr Is Wed To DeLand Girl

A recent marriage which will be of interest to many people here was that of Miss Oral Kathryn Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith of DeLand, and William Law Starr, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. P. Starr of this city. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents on North Woodland Boulevard with the Rev. J. S. Powell, pastor of the Southern Methodist Church of DeLand, officiating.

Preceding the arrival of the bridal party, nuptial music was rendered by Miss Emily Starr, sister of the groom, Mrs. Burke Steele, pianist of this city, and Miss Esther Watkins, of DeLand.

Miss Willie Mae Smith, younger sister of the bride, as maid of honor, was the first to enter and she was followed by Miss Irene Smith, flower girl. The bride was escorted to the altar by her father by whom she was given in marriage. The groom was attended by Lawrence Kent of this city, as best man.

The bride wore a gown of French beige georgette fashioned with a flared skirt. Her hat, shoes and other accessories were of dark brown and she carried an arm bouquet of premier roses. Her only ornament was a string of pearls, the gift of the groom.

Mrs. Starr has lived in DeLand for a number of years. She was graduated from the DeLand High School and later attended the Florida State College for Women.

Mr. Starr has made Sanford his home for the past 11 years, coming here from Montgomery, Ala. He is an employee of the Sanford Gas Company.

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## Personals

Sidney Lipson of New York City spent Monday here attending to business interests.

Mrs. John Galloway left Tuesday for Jacksonville where she expects to spend a week visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Mahoney left Tuesday morning for Palatka where they were called by the death of A. E. Trombley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Pearman and Mrs. Paul Biggers motored to Valdosta, Ga. where they were the guests of friends for the day.

Mrs. "Robby" Robinson and Mrs. B. B. Baggett motored to Jacksonville Tuesday where they spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Emmerich of Charleston, West Virginia will arrive Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wight at their home in Rose Court for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace P. Bannon, who have been at various points in the East and North for the past several months, arrived Monday evening to be here for some time.

S. H. Everett has returned from Washington, D. C. and points in Georgia where he has been occupied with professional engagements for several weeks.

Mrs. R. L. Fletcher and children left Tuesday morning by motor for Detroit, Mich. where they will join Mr. Fletcher and make their future home.

Mrs. M. Kronen and son, Phillip, arrived Monday evening from New York City, to spend some time here visiting the former's mother, Mrs. M. Fleischer, at her home on East Tenth Street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. McKenzie Davison and Mrs. John G. Leonardy will motor to Starke Wednesday where Mrs. Leonardy will be the honor guest, at a luncheon given by the Starke Woman's Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian F. Bouchell and son, Dallas, of Charleston, West Virginia, are expected to arrive Monday to spend several weeks here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wight, 1700 Park Avenue.

William G. Dash, who has been in Cleveland, Ohio for several months, expects to leave Tuesday or Wednesday for Sarasota to join his brother, Everall Dash. While here he has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Connelly at their home on Park Avenue.

## Plans Are Made For Putting On Bazaar

At a meeting of the various chairmen of the committees in charge of the annual bazaar and supper of All Souls' Catholic Church, which will be held Friday and Saturday in the Welaka Block, corner of First Street and Railroad Avenue, plans were completed for the arrangement of the booths and decorations.

Those present at the meeting which was held at the parish hall Monday evening were: the Rev. Fr. M. C. Casby, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Mahoney, Mr. and Mrs. George Balmes, Mr. and Mrs. George Fellows, Mrs. S. A. Berns, Mrs. Bea Lake, Mrs. A. E. Mallon, Mrs. T. J. O'Connor, Mrs. Ralph B. Wight, Mrs. Frank Meisch, Mrs. Frank Peters, Mrs. Elmo Graddick, Mrs. F. E. Rouindlat, Mrs. W. W. Potter and R. A. Cameron.

**STEAMER COATS**

Coats for ocean travel this summer may or may not have fur on them. But they should be of tweed, camel's hair or some novelty homespun.

## Mrs. Leonardy Gives Party On Saturday

Honoring the members of the Past Presidents Club, Mrs. John G. Leonardy was hostess at a bridge party given Saturday afternoon at her home in Rose Court. A short business session was held before the guests were entertained with card games during the course of the afternoon.

At the conclusion of several progressions of bridge, high score prize, for the club members, a box of candy, went to Mrs. Walter L. Morgan, while high score prize for the guests, a novelty bridge set, was presented to Mrs. J. C. Gibbs. Mrs. F. McKenzie Davison, as a special guest, was the recipient of a round robin knocker.

At the tea hour refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Alys Chapman. Vases and bowls of golden calendulas and asparagus fern were used to decorate the rooms where the guests were entertained.

Those present were: Mrs. Walter L. Morgan, Mrs. Henry Wight, Mrs. R. E. Telar, Mrs. John Meisch, Mrs. J. C. Gibbs, Mrs. F. McKenzie Davison and Mrs. A. M. Phillips.

**TO GIVE PROGRAM**

The Music Department of the Woman's Club palns to give a series of interesting costume entertainments during the winter season in addition to the regular year book program. The first one, "Carnival Capriccio" will be presented to the public on Friday, Dec. 12 at the club house at 4 o'clock. It is said to be a gay, colorful musical treat and a large audience is expected to enjoy the program.

## THE BEAUTY SHOP

BY FRANCES OLIVER

When a cold comes in the window charm flounces out the door.

No woman, be she the winner of beauty contests or the darling of the Follies, can have a careless nose and allure at the same time.

It he is not too hygienic he may kiss you when you have the snivel. But it wont be because he can't resist you.

"Just a little cold," you laugh? Remember, it's equivalent to saying, "Oh, just a red nose," or "Just a pasty skin," or "Merely a total lack of pep." Those things are not trifles. Not where personal appeal is concerned, at any rate. There's a noble campaign afoot to down the common cold. Doctors, statesmen, educators, everybody and anybody who has a care for human welfare are enlisting in a crusade against sneezes, snivels and sore throats. Things that the laity, even as you and I, have been regarding all too frivolously.

Doctors know that the cold is a menace to life. Statesmen and educators know that it is a peril to social and industrial progress. And beauty specialists know that it does as much damage to the skin, the hair and the eyes as do the "years," and more.

If you have a cold, don't waste time trying to cure it yourself. Take it to one who specializes in such matters. There is as vast a difference between the hot mussed home treatment and the modern physician's treatment as there is between modes of travel today and in Granny's time.

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## THE RADIO TOWER
TONIGHT'S PROGRAMS

Programs in eastern standard time. All time is p. m. unless otherwise indicated. Wavelengths are left of call letters, kilocycles on right.

454.3—WEAF New York—660 (NBC Chain)

6, Black & Gold room orchestra; 7, Jubilee singers; 7:15, Universal Safety series; 7:30, Historical sketches; 8, Songs of the season; 8:30, Popular half hour, Gena Rodemich orchestra and piano duo; 9, Feature and orchestra; 10, Eskimos; 10:30, Radiovaudeville, stage stars and Freeman orchestra; 11:30, Phil Spitalny, Kemp's orchestra.

492.8—WJZ New York—609 (NBC Chain)

6:30, Dinner dance, dinner symphony; 7, Program from Niagara Falls; 8, Plantation; 8:30, Romances; 9, Paul Whiteman's band, modern dance music; 10, Mendoza orchestra; 10:30, Marjorie Debriba tells a story; 11, Will Osborn 11:30, orchestra; 12, Guy Lombardo's orchestra, midnight organ recital.

394.5—WJZ New York—760 (NBC Chain)

6, Old Man Sunshine, Sanford orchestra; 7, Amos 'n' Andy; 7:15, Lanzi trio, popular vocal male singers; 7:30, organ, Polly Pyle's hour; 8, Edwin Franko Goldman band concert; 8:30, Around the World, Sophie Braslau, contralto, and orchestra; 9, Music orchestra; 9:30, Minstrel show; 10, Novelty orchestra; 10:30, News of Melody; 11, Slumber music by string ensemble (1 hr.).

312.8—WEG Atlantic City—1160

5:30, Organ recital, news; 8, concert orchestra, vocal; 9, weekly request concert; 10, Hokum Exchange, Inc.; 10:30, ensemble dance; 11:45, organ recital.

422.3—WOR Newark—710

6:00, Sally Spirit, Uncle Don; 7:30, Wandering Gypsies; 8, Main Street sketches; 9, musical program; 10, Master trio, Aunt Mandy; 11, news, dance, Moonbeams.

395.8—KDKA Pittsburgh—940

6, U. of Pittsburgh, orchestra; 7, WJZ (15m), Revelers; 7:30, sacred song concert; 8, same as WJZ (30m); 11, orchestra (30m), WJZ (30 min).

379.5—WGY Schenectady—790

6, Dinner music, talk; 7, sun set orchestra; 8:30, same as WEAF (3 hrs.); 11:30, organ recital (30m).

428.3—WLW Cincinnati—700

6, Hour of orchestra; 7, Space Stepper, Scrap book; 7:30, The Behians, Bubble Blowers; 8:30, hour from WJZ; 9:30, Teatro band; 11, chime reverie; 12, dance and variety (1 1-2 hrs.).

288.5—WTAM-WEAR Cleveland—1070

6:15, Orchestra; 7, Jester, Tenore Hunt, R. Ed McConnell lecture; 9, hour from WEAF; 10, The Detectives; Hockey; 10:30, hour from WEAF (1 hr.), dance and melodies (1 1-2 hrs).

398.3—WWJ Detroit—750

6, Dinner music, Radiovue; 8, WJZ (15m) Chains, entertain 8, WJZ (1 hr.), Clicquot Club; 9, WJZ (1 1-2 hrs.), Jo Stafford and 11:35, orchestra, organ, melodies (1 1-2 hrs.).

461.3—WSB Atlanta—740

7, Hour of orchestras, WEAF and WJZ (1 hr.); 11:15, Pepsa Phi program.

365.6—WHAS Louisville—820

7, WEAF (1 hr.), book, orchestra; 8, WEAF and WJZ (1 1-2 hrs.); 11:30, Evening Star concert.

270.1—WRVA Richmond—1110

6:30, Dinner music; 7, talk (15m), WEAF (1 hr.); 8:30, book review, quartet; 8, same as WJZ (30m); 8:30, Manufacturers hour; 9:30, Richmond Hour Guild; 10, same as WEAF (1 hr.).

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TO HONOR CARDINAL

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y. Dec. 10.—(INS)—Frank Carolan, of the Dame Quarterback club, and prominent among those for All American honors this year, will be given a complimentary dinner by his fellow townmen here Dec. 20.

## First National And City Reach Debt Agreement

(Continued From Page One)

Which, he made an investigation and data made the validity of the time warrant.

Cecil A. Byrd local manager of the Florida Power and Light Company, appeared before the Commission in regard to the payment of the company's taxes. Mr. Byrd said that the Florida Power and Light Company held two 25,000 City bonds and that he wished to be able to use them in payment of the city taxes of the company. The Commission noticed Mr. Byrd that it would make a refer to the request on Dec. 23, after an investigation had been made by the City Attorney.

Mr. Byrd further said that he held in his possession two letters from aviation, who planned to visit Sanford during the winter, and suggested that the aviation field on South Sanford Avenue be repaired. He said that an investigation by a pilot from the Orlando air port revealed that the aviation field on the lake front could only be used as an emergency field due to the location and condition of the sold there.

The Commission authorized the Chief of Police, Roy C. Williams, to notify R. C. Hower to vacate the property, which he rented two years ago from the city. It was pointed out that Mr. Hower had leased the property, located on the next pile of Sanford for the purpose of farming, and had agreed to pay the amount $300 per year as rent. Since that time he is said to have paid nothing, and two weeks ago the Commission notified him that unless a cash payment was submitted he would have to vacate the property.

COTTON OFFICIALS MEET

MEMPHIS, Tenn. Dec. 10.—(INS)—Cotton cooperative officials from 34 separate state gathered here today for the regional conference of the federal farm board to discuss the marketing of the cotton crop. Representatives of the cotton marketing organization, which is a part of the farm board, are here to discuss the marketing of the 1929 crop.

TO SEEK VICTORY

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—(INS)—Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney will seek the heavyweight crown for the third time if the Madison Square Garden corporation can get the two together.

## Hearing To Be Held For Bandit Queen Who Aided Robbery

ROME, Ga., Dec. 10.—(INS)—The preliminary hearing of Elizabeth ("Honey") Sullivan, alleged bandit queen, accused of a $12,000 jewel robbery here last summer was to be resumed today.

Dixie Bonnie, the young woman, who is accused of having masterminded the robbery of the concession Lum vs. Company in two smashed men, that she had not been in Rome since May, 1928 was positively identified by Hugh Dunne and R. C. Hicks, clerks in the firm and victims.

Miss Sullivan, who had passed out on many occasions for the employes the robbery and has stated to them, on the day of the robbery, that her alibi was that she had not left Rome since she was arrested in the summer.

The holiday took place on the two men were riding in their automobile to the lumber company office. A few minutes before the robbery they received two girl passed them in an auto mobile, running her horn furiously, and the two unmasked robber, followed closely behind.

Ralph Pulse, stepfather of the girl, testified he had been Elizabeth in Rome two days after the jewel robbery here last summer was to be murdered today.

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## U. S. Is Still Long Ways From World Court Membership

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—(INS)—The United States is still a long way from entering the World Court if Senators in session here at all.

Administration leaders in the Senate do not expect the treaty of the court, signed yesterday in Geneva by Cameron Cobb, Assistant Secretary of State, to be sent to the Senate for ratification until next session.

Senator Borah, chairman of the foreign relations committee, is not in favor of immediate action on ratification. It was believed today that if the treaty should reach the upper chamber it might be referred to committee to be pigeonholed for the present. Borah is believed to be ready for any move to meet the World Court and the field against approval.

Administration leaders and Democrats who have favored entry of this country into the court, declare that the Red-Baiting formula concerning fully negotiated last year at Geneva to meet the Senate reservation on advisory opinions, fully protects American interests.

Senator Walsh (D) Montana, a strong supporter of entry, is expected to support ratification when the fight begins.

## Georgia Grand Jury Is Sifting Charges Of Atlanta Graft

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 10.—(INS)—City hall graft charges were being sifted today before the Fulton county grand jury, a number of witnesses whose names were guarded, being called.

John Boykin, solicitor general, announced no changes in the merely announced plan to conduct investigation over a period of several months, in an effort to determine the basis of fact for allegations that were made on the floor of the council chamber concerning graft, left of any other factors that may develop.

It was charged that attempts were made to use large sums to force the acceptance of wiring in the new city hall. While the wiring failed to meet specifications, a financial adjustment was improved.

Members of the solicitor general's staff indicated that all phases of possible corruption of city officials will be probed. During the several months the grand jury will have the investigation in hand, it is thought the officers will delve into municipal affairs covering the last two or three years.

FAMILY STRICKEN

JACKSONVILLE-Fla., Dec. 10 (INS)—Seven persons, all members of one family, were recovering in their home today from the effects of poisonous "moonshine," believed to have been made from denatured alcohol.


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## Army Official Says Use Of Chemicals Has Made Fighting Less Horrible

By William R. Neal
International News Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The prediction of many of the nation's leading thinkers that science will achieve world peace by making war too horrible for any nation to engage in it, is disputed by Major-General H. L. Gilchrist, chief of the Army's chemical warfare service.

The discoveries of science, he declares, have already made war less horrible. This will be true in the future despite the efforts of scientists to invent new gases to kill and new bombs to destroy, General Gilchrist asserts.

In support of this statement, he asserts, they figures show the World War was less deadly than the American Civil War, fought more than half a century ago, when high explosive shell, poison gas and airplanes were still an undiscovered weapons.

"I am inclined to believe that the way to peace is not through making war horrible," said Gen. Gilchrist. "In fact, I am inclined to think that any war of tomorrow will not be more horrible than those of the past. War at its best days were infinitely more terrible than those of recent times, and yet were tolerated, used, as instruments of national policy.

"Improvement in weapons have tended to reduce the percentage of deaths on the field of battle, and the last of war have given increasing protection to non-combatants.

"History proves beyond a doubt that with the improvement in methods of warfare mortality and suffering have been lessened. In the World War we had poison gas, airplanes, machine guns, and various forms of high explosive which theoretically might exterminate any army, but a careful survey of the casualties shows that the loss of life proportionate to the number engaged was not nearly as large as in our own Civil War.

"When man was less civilized war meant extermination of slavery for the vanquished, civilian as well as soldier. The wounded were ruthlessly slain, cities sacked and burned, crops destroyed and women and children killed or enslaved. War would never be more horrible than in the early days of history, yet it persisted through all the years."

Figures prove that poison gas is a humane method of warfare, Gen. Gilchrist maintains. He pointed out that very few per cent of American casualties in the World War were due to gas, but of this number less than two per cent died. Of the 50 per cent of casualties resulting from other weapons, 24 per cent died. Based on statistics, he said, best can the comparison.

Poison gas, however, he said, was a most effective weapon in disabling opposing armies. Although only 2,000 gas troops were engaged in the World War and they used less than 10 per cent of the total artillery shell employed, poison gas caused over 400,000 casualties.

The mustard gas shell, he said, was the only effective gas shell developed during the World War. Ten million of these shells produced 400,000 casualties.

No nation, he said, can neglect to develop chemical warfare as both a humane and effective method of making war.

"A sending of the statistics of the last war demonstrates conclusively the cheapness and economic simplicity of the use of chemicals," said Gen. Gilchrist. "Although less than one-fifty cent of the fourteen billion dollars spent by the various branches of the national defense on chemical warfare, about 20 per cent of the casualties were produced by the cheap weapon.

"On the other hand, 28 per cent of the funds were spent on the costlier type of weapons, which were responsible for the remaining 70 per cent of casualties. This is assuming that the German casualties were proportionate, of course, which is about the case."

MASS MARRIAGES

PARIS.—For the sake of economy many couples in a workmen's quarter of Paris are married en masse. They assemble every Saturday, sign up, and the municipal and witnesses sign in the big "wedding salon" of the city hall.

MUSIC HATH ACHE

CHICAGO.—A violinist here has discovered that when she plays certain high notes she experiences a severe toothache. In rare minutes the affected tooth the dentist found that it was perfectly sound. Physicians agree that under the influence of the high notes.

## PALATIAL HOUSES OF FRATERNITIES SEEN AS MENACE

### Soft Living Is Deprecated By Professor Of Denver College

By Harvey Cohan
International News Service Staff Correspondent

DENVER, Dec. 10.—Palatial fraternity and sorority houses are menaces to the moral fiber and happiness of college students, Colorado educator warns.

"There is an immediate danger in the building program of many existing fraternity organizations in this country," said Dean David Shaw Duncan of the University of Denver, who spoke at a meeting called by other educators in the region.

He continued: "In many campuses in the United States there are individual fraternity and sorority houses that are finer than the homes of multi-millionaires, financiers and Wall Street magnates.

"These edifices in which a college girl will live for four years are much finer and more luxurious than the home of the student's parents. In most cases they are finer than anything he or she will ever live in again.

"Discontent after leaving school is a thing to be reckoned with.

"The student is likely to feel during college days that life and he sees college as the end instead of the means.

"Of course, there are many larger, comfortable houses that are more practical than luxurious. They are furnished comfortably but not extravagantly.

"These are many universities throughout the country, however, that are facing an immediate danger. They should beware lest it get beyond their control entirely. The student comes to a university primarily to study and should not be attracted to an institution solely by the desire to live in a magnificent palace."

Dean P. G. Worcester of the University of Colorado Boulder, concurs in the opinion of Dean Duncan.

"Palatial fraternity houses certainly have a tendency to breed discontent in the student whose parents are unwilling to give him the benefits of a college education," he said.

"The most important thing in a college education is not the material things but the intellectual and social contacts."

Dean Worcester, however, declares that not all the fraternity houses on the Colorado university campus are too palatial.

"I have seen fraternity houses on Mississippi campuses that are extravagant. Many of them are much finer than the average workman's cottage or an average community hall found for him self. Besides his fine home, the student has other comfortable and rooms in their largeness, not perfections. They are furnished economically."

Contrary to the opinions of Dean Duncan and Worcester, Miss Lydia Hoag, dean of women at the University of Colorado, does not believe fraternity living encourage and develop a student after leaving college.

"The only regrettable fact, regarding the fraternity houses," Miss Hoag said, "is that the fraternity is so popular and so able to pay for such that the mind of the members is so much more rather than study, and the number of sorities satisfactory standards to satisfy critics.

"A fraternity that has erected a fine house will be likely to take in a group of wealthy members to pay off the debt. In this way the fraternity is often diverted to ignoble purpose but a other purpose. That, I believe, is very injurious to both the fraternity and unfortunate students.

"Other than that I don't believe than an expensive house causes a student to be discontented with his own home after graduation."

CHEATS FROST

ST. JOE, Ark.—W. L. Henley has worked out a device to protect peach buds which are often started by warm weather in the greenhouse in the month of February and killed by the frosts of March. He places a cake of ice at the root of each tree, thus keeping the ground cool and saving the buds until after March.

HAND-BLOCKED LINEN

Straight, untrimmed coats of hand-blocked linen in bright designs, give dash to sleeveless tennis frocks or golf costumes.

## FOR AND AGAINST

Viscountess Rhondda, one of the most widely known business women in Great Britain, recently became J. H. Thomas, Minister of Employment, or Ignorance, as she calls him. All wealth, she says, is produced by labor. Most women work because they need the money and not because they desire pin money.

J. H. Thomas, Lord Privy Seal and Minister for Employment in Labor Government, has stirred up a nurse's nest by attacking speech women who work when not forced to by their economic circumstances. It is against the nation's interest, he said, for women to work for what they call pin money.

## U. S. Enterprise Is England Sets New Again Threatening RecordFor Number British Film Trade Of Divorces Tried

By Kingsbury Smith
International News Service Staff Correspondent

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The agent American enterprise threatens a crisis in the British film industry.

Film Films have brought their big Grandeur Films over here and have succeeded in so thoroughly them to such an extent that Hollywood, the home of movie pictures, is now into panic.

As these films are now showing at 5,000 feet wide and thirty-five feet high, and are taken on 2" 2 inch film instead of the usual 1 3-4 inch one, the production would necessitate the complete shutdown and remodeling now completely altered.

This is what the British producers may well happen and it is at the moment at present time and the film industry in the country.

Referring to what it terms "the next move on the part of the American film industry" the London Sunday Dail Express says that "the time is ripe for the British film industry to take a step forward and make a film of its own."

"Hollywood is utterly surprised at this, and it is taking action to protect itself. The British film industry is utterly surprised, and it is taking no action to protect itself. If the British film industry is not surprised it has well completely failed to see what is going on in its own industry.

"The next move of Hollywood will be to open up a British film plant, and will render most of the British film industry useless.

"This unexpected result may be up. That is, unless the British producers have for future effectiveness opening than most certainly. It would certainly be a shock if the Americans had to choose for theatres for their films and our actors were to be seen on screen in what are now cinemas.

"The most development places the majority of theatre owners are likely to be American owners.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—(INS)—A record for 1929 divorces will have been brought before the Courts in England and Wales by the end of the year.

This is nearly a 300 per cent increase on the pre-war average.

There are three reasons, the survey business since the war has tended specially and steadily to increase the number of divorces. The second reason is that personal reasons have been equalized between the sexes since 1925.

Previously a man could obtain divorce solely on the ground of his wife's misconduct, but the law had to prove no other misconduct on the part of the husband beyond adultery, such as cruelty or desertion. The latter factors, which were frequently observed by the judges, made the obtaining of divorce by a husband very difficult matter.

Now, it is as easy for husband as it was previously for her husband.

Another reason is that divorce suits may be heard in most Judicial centers in the provinces. Prior to 1925 such cases could only be heard in London.

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IOWA WINS VICTORY

IOWA CITY, Ia., Dec. 10.—(INS)—Iowa University basketball team today had a victory over Duquesne University, previously before 3,000 Hawkeye rooters.

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3—Automobiles

Light Ford roadster (touring) truck, $75. R. J. Reel and Son, Used Car Dealers, 116 Myrtle Ave.

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Plants for sale. Red, pink and white roses, fine red dragon wings, begonias, ferns, coleus, chrysanthemums, golden glow and others. Mrs. Rossetter, Phone 212W.

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FOR RENT: Nicely furnished apartment with all modern conveniences. Phone 92.

Nicely furnished apartments including Frigidaire and water. Rent reduced. Park Apartments, Park Ave. & 14th Street.

16—Houses For Rent

FOR RENT—Small cottage, unfurnished. Rent $10 monthly. Inquire at Herald office.

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19—Farms For Rent

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26—Miscellaneous For Sale

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Six room house, modern conveniences. $15.00 month. Apply 1002 W. First St.

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LEGAL NOTICES

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Seminole State Bank, at the bank on the second floor of the Sanford Celery Exchange building, Sanford, Florida, on the second Monday in January, 1930, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

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