

### Overproduction Of Eggs In Few Areas Indicated

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such surplus as may develop. We want to provide adequate service for the efficient handling

of this important product and will base our arrangements on information secured from the several affected areas.  
"I have spent some time this week in the citrus areas of Florida, where citrus and vegetable shipments are continuing to move in heavy volume. In most of the truck growing sections visited the outlook for Spring crops appears excellent. The citrus industry's importance has been spotlighted this week through Winter Haven's great Florida Orange Festival, which I visited late in the week. While in the Ridge section I had the pleasure of attending a dinner in Haines City, Thursday evening, at which the Federal-State Citrus Inspection Service personnel honored Commissioner of Agriculture Nathan Mayo, and Mrs. Mayo.  
"Supplies offered on the Palmetto State Farmers' Market this Spring should be more diversified than usual, according to a report just received from Manager Jack



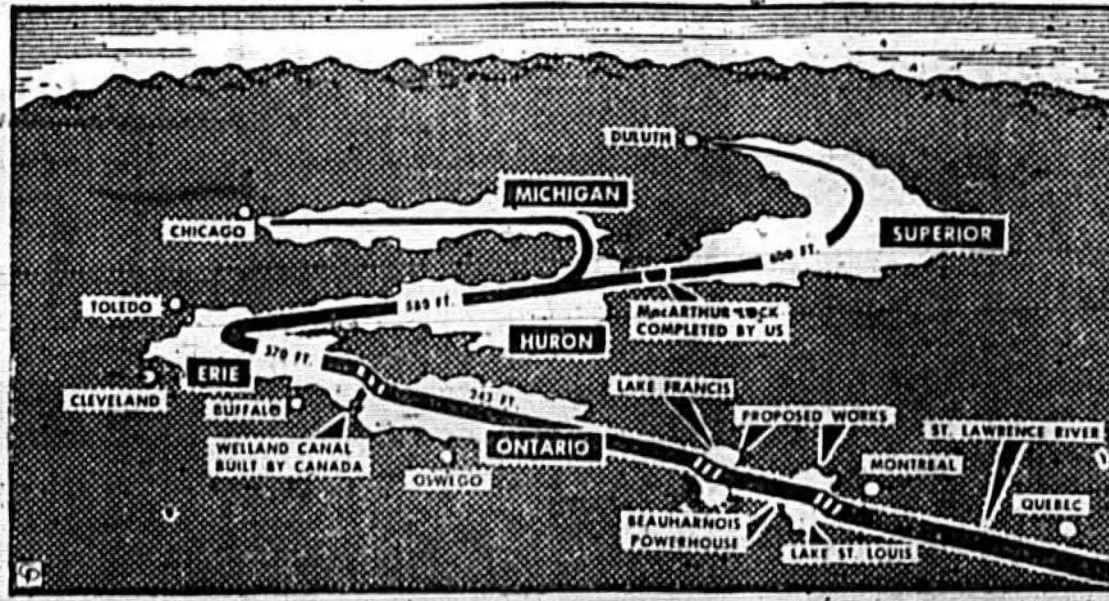
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TAKEN FROM OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT DRAWINGS, the above diagram of the proposed St. Lawrence waterways and power project shows the overall waterway and the location of proposed new works as well as locks, dams and power stations. A Senate committee is now studying revised figures on the cost which the United States would have to pay \$37,000,000 more than at first estimated. Canada's share is \$100 million. The joint enterprise would open the midwest to ocean shipping and provide about 13,000,000 kw of electricity annually to the northern section of the country. (International)

### Pittsburgh GE Plant Picketed Despite Order

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and safety of the people of Pittsburgh. Negotiations before a three man board including Mayor David Lawrence and state and Federal representatives are deadlocked.  
In Washington, President Phillip Murray and Key, CIO union officials conferred today on the wage, price and strike picture. Murray declined to state whether the threatened New York City transit strike was included on the agenda. However, one CIO official remarked that presumably the possible tie-up in New York transportation would be



A BIT EARLY, but watching for the hands to hit midnight, men who were on picket lines of the steel strike a few days ago are shown waiting to punch the time clock in U. S. Steel's Homestead plant at Pittsburgh as the giant steel strike neared its end. (International Soundphoto)

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Taylor, Jr. Some tomato growers in that area whose crops were damaged by blight have replanted with a variety of other crops, such as beans, peas, potatoes and squash. Generally speaking, diversification is an excellent thing for a producing area, tending to attract more buyers, and offering the possibility for profits on one crop where another fails.  
"C. S. Phillips, manager of the Florida City Market, reports prices paid at the week-end as follows: Squash, \$1.60 to \$3.35; beans, \$3.65; tomatoes, \$3 to \$8.50. Quality has continued good, and volume heavy on all produce at Florida City.  
"Repairs have been completed on the Goodwin Live Stock Market, which is now in readiness for operation.  
"Continued good weather has speeded the maturing of produce in the Pampano territory, and J. L. Warren, manager of our market at that point, states that shipments are running heavy. Quality is good, he states.  
"J. A. Dulany, manager of the Pahokee State Farmers' Market reports that celery hauling is moderate, with the market slightly stronger. Golden and Pascal offerings have brought \$1.82 to \$2.60, depending on size and quality. Potatoes and beans are still moving in light volume, Manager Dulany indicates."



FOR ALLEGEDLY telling a lie, Richard Sajewski (above), 10, of Detroit, Mich., was severely beaten by his father, Leo. According to police reports the boy was beaten with a belt and buckle until his head was twice its normal size. The growth of the boy's right arm may be permanently stopped as a result of the beating. The father then turned on his wife and blackened both her eyes. (International)



PRESIDENT of the National Research Council and director of research and development of the Department of Reconstruction, C. J. McKenzie (above) is aiding the Canadian Government's investigation of some of the members of both these departments held in connection with the probe of an alleged spy ring. (International Soundphoto)

### Alcoholic Evil Is Told Rotarians By D. Andrews

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quit cold, that even cough medicine with alcohol in it is too much.  
George Stine spoke to the club in behalf of the baseball drive for funds and revealed that it is planned to sell 500 season tickets at \$35 each and he urged each Rotarian to undertake to sell five of these season tickets.  
President Lea Leshar announced that James Higgins, a former member of the club, recently returned from the Navy, has been restored to additional active membership. Leslie Shepard had charge of the program.  
Visitors included Dr. A. C. Tedford of Mantee, N. C. Cecil Bentley of LaPorte, Ind., Hugh Han-

### RURAL COMMON SENSE

By Spuds Johnson

Much has been said and written about the importance of controlling rats, but the destruction and trouble which these rodents cause justifies continued and persistent emphasis on getting rid of them.  
Any farm, home or community is the poorer when rats are around, for they not only eat up and destroy or damage valuable food and other property, but they present a constant menace to the health of the individuals in the home or community. They are potential carriers of the debilitating disease known as endemic typhus or Brill's fever.  
Rat control, to be effective, is not an occasional, hit-or-miss matter. Instead, it requires continued effort and vigilance and application of practical and proven measures to keep one's premises free of the pests. When the first signs of insect pests show up in this crop, the wise farmer doesn't wait until a very heavy infestation develops, but takes prompt and effective steps to prevent such an infestation and resulting crop loss. This should be the attitude of the farmer and everyone else toward rats.  
H. J. Spencer, biologist with the U. S. Fish and Wild Life Service, recently made some timely and very worthwhile suggestions on rat control, and today we give them briefly with the hope that they will be helpful to all in their efforts to control rats. Mr. Spencer said:  
If possible, make your home, barn and other buildings rat-proof by providing concrete, sheet metal or hardware cloth shields for the foundations or for other places through which rats may enter. In-

### 750 Paris Girls Adopted By Girls Here In America

NEW YORK, Feb. 25, (Special)—Seven hundred and fifty Paris working girls living in the girl's residence operated in the French capital by the Salvation Army have just been "adopted" by American business girls living in three similar residences in New York City and in Cleveland, O., according to Commissioner Donald M. McMillan, Salvation Army national secretary.  
The names of all the girls living in the Paris Palais de la Femme have just been received at Salvation Army national headquarters, and each French girl is being personally "adopted" by an American girl. Each American business girl participating in this adoption project is assuming the responsibility of sending sweaters, underwear or other warm clothing, material for the making of coats, gloves, in addition to soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, and one or two items such as lipstick or silk stockings.  
The American girls are residents of the Evangeline Residence and Evangeline House in New York City, and the Evangeline Residence in Cleveland. They hold jobs as secretaries, stenographers, nurses, teachers, salesgirls and beginning actresses.  
The French working girls have similar jobs and also, because of the widespread poverty and distress, many girls are working as cleaning women, servants and in other menial jobs.  
The Paris girls' residence of the Salvation Army was built 20 years ago, and today is the second largest of its kind in the world. The largest girls' residence, accommodating 900, is located in Boston, also run by the Salvation Army.

### Doolittle Predicts Swifter Aircraft

BOSTON, Feb. 25, (AP)—Lieutenant General James H. Doolittle believes that it won't be long before planes fly at speeds close to 1,000 miles per hour. He forecasts that air weapons of the future will be long-range stratosphere rockets propelled by atomic power, and probably with atom bomb warheads. He thinks they also will be radio-controlled and radar-directed.  
Doolittle anticipated these future planes and weapons in an address prepared for the commencement at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Now a vice-president of the Shell Oil Company, he was head of

the Eighth Air Force during the war.  
Cancer is the first cause of death of women between the ages of 35 and 65 in the United States.

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## French Order Borders To Spain Closed

### Decision Announced Following Statement By Bidault On Tense Situation

PARIS, Feb. 26, (AP)—France will shut all border gates to her frontier with Spain on midnight, Mar. 1. The cabinet made the decision today after Foreign Minister Georges Bidault issued a lengthy explanation of the tense situation which has existed between the two countries for a week or more.

In planning to close the border, the government declared that the present situation in Spain constitutes "a danger for international security."

Last week, the French Consultative Assembly protested the execution of the Spanish members of the Franco underground by the Franco Government. Last night Madrid announced that 37 persons were found guilty of attempting to reorganize the Socialist Party in Spain.

French labor also is bitterly opposed to the Franco regime. The French General Confederation of Labor has ordered its members to refuse to handle the shipment of any freight to Spain and the World Federation of Trade Unions has endorsed this action, and called on its affiliates in other countries to follow suit. France has had no normal diplomatic relations with Madrid since the liberation, although a French diplomatic agent has been stationed in the Spanish capital.

## Mild Recovery Of Stock Decline Is Indicated Today

NEW YORK, Feb. 26, (AP)—Mild recovery indications were displayed by selected stocks in today's market, although many leaders continued hesitant.

Brokers suggested that some buying was based on the idea that Monday's sharp break in more than eight years may have been overdone.

Dealings, fast at the opening, soon attained sufficient speed to put the tickers again behind. Plus marks were well disturbed near midday and early losses were erased or trimmed in most cases.

Advances of fractions, to two or more points were posted for Kennecott, Anaconda, and Westinghouse. On the offside, interviews were held by Chrysler, Santa Fe, General Electric, Allied Chemical, Standard Oil (NJ) and International Harvester.

Bonds and commodities were mixed.

## Victory Claimed In Argentine By Peron Followers

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 26, (AP)—Col. Juan Peron, Labor Party candidate for president, today issued a post-election statement indicating that "whatever may be the result of yesterday's balloting, he has no intention of abandoning politics or directing his party."

Peron failed to claim victory, although his followers insisted that he had won easily. His opponent, Juan J. Tamborini, in a statement, last night expressed confidence that he had defeated Peron.

Peron's statement was published in his newspaper El Laborista as an editorial in the capital of 14 provinces in conjunction with the armed forces, began the arduous task of computing more than 8,000,000 votes to determine whether Peron or Tamborini had been elected.

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## Armless Hero Ready For Wedding



WINNER OF THE CONGRESSIONAL Medal of Honor, Marine Sgt. William C. Harrell, Mercedes, Tex., who lost both arms in the bloody battle for Iwo Jima, is pictured here with his bride-to-be, Miss Lorena Anderson, in Vallejo, Calif. After their wedding in home where welcome was waiting and \$25,000 was being raised for St. Peter's chapel, Mare Island, they were to return to the groom's to buy a ranch for Harrell. (International)

## Churchill Talks Before 18,000 In Orange Bowl

### Honorary Doctor Of Laws Degree Given To British Leader

MIAMI, Feb. 26, (AP)—Making his first public speech since he arrived in the United States last January, Winston Churchill told a crowd of 18,000 people in the Orange Bowl today that he is anxious to go back to England because of "the acute life I read of the severity of life" there.

Garbed in the scarlet robe and cap of Oxford University—Churchill received an honorary doctor of laws degree from Dr. Bowman Ashe, president of the University of Miami.

In his 15-minute talk—the famous British war leader strongly urged war veterans to seek a college education in spite of their age.

Churchill also thanked the University of Miami for training Royal Air Force cadets.

Forming a background in the stadium were the massed flags of the United Nations.

An anthem beneath the stands—the University of Miami student body marched four abreast into the bowl to the strains of "God Save the King," a traditional British selection.

## Pauley Is Asked To Consider Proposal That He Withdraw

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26, (AP)—Oil man Edwin W. Pauley says he will take under advisement a proposal that he suggest the withdrawal of his nomination for undersecretary of the Navy.

Republican Senator Lovett Ballstonall of the Senate Naval Committee made the proposal today in the form of a question to Pauley. Ballstonall asked Pauley whether he would consider, as a patriotic American, asking that his name be withdrawn in the event the committee finds there is no basis for the charges against him. Ballstonall and the committee chairman, Senator David Walsh of Massachusetts, both told Pauley he need not answer the question if he did not wish to do so.

Pauley replied: "I would want to take that under advisement."

"I might say that suggestion is not unique," continued Pauley. "I have read it in almost every newspaper I have seen, but I am still here."

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TO MEET THURSDAY  
Sanford Council No. 28, E. A. S. M. will meet at the Masonic Hall Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock. A rehearsal of the Royal Master degree will be held, and light refreshments at the close of the meeting.

## Andrews Seeks Reinstatement Of Barge Canal

### Pepper To Go Before Senate Group For Support Of All Florida Projects

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26, (AP)—The appropriation bill for the Florida barge canal—recently killed by the House of Representatives in Washington—is the issue in Washington.

Senator Andrews has urged the Congress appropriate \$15,000,000 for the canal. In a letter to the Senate Appropriations Committee—Senator Andrews "strongly urged" that the canal project be reinstated in the bill.

He told a reporter he believed a House-Senate conference committee would keep the money in the bill if the Senate agrees.

Andrews has indicated he will ask for a smaller appropriation for the canal if he can't get the \$15,000,000.

Another Florida senator, Claude Pepper, plans to appear before the Senate group Thursday "to support all Florida projects."

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## Higgins Goes To Capital On River Deepening Project

In an effort to avoid the delay which would result from waiting for approval of a 12 foot channel deepening project on the St. Johns River, Palatka, Fla., Edward Higgins, manager of the Seminole County Chamber of Commerce, left this afternoon for Washington, D. C., to attend a Senate hearing on the bill. The bill would provide for the deepening of the canal to a depth of 12 feet. The project would cost \$25,000,000. Higgins is expected to return to Sanford on Thursday morning.

## Nearly 4,000 Items Donated In Drive

Nearly 4,000 articles have been contributed to the Victory Clothing Collection, it was announced today by Supt. T. W. Lawson and Fire Chief Mack Cleveland, co-chairmen in the drive.

These articles have been collected at the schools, and are being packed for shipment to the front lines. The collection includes 412 garments, 271 pairs of shoes, 227 pairs of hats (not many Nylons), 19 blankets and comforters and 55 other miscellaneous articles.

SMALL CRAFT WARNINGS  
TAMPA, Feb. 26, (AP)—Small craft warnings were hoisted over the Tampa Bay area today with the prospect of 25 to 30 mile southerly winds. The Weather Bureau says that, except for brief winds, weather will be fair and warmer today and tonight.

## Lind Weber, New Manager Of Mayfair, Enthusiastic About City And Hotel

By CECILIA TRULUCK  
Lind Weber, former manager of the Ponte Vedra Inn near Jacksonville Beach, for two and a half years, has taken over the management of the Hotel Mayfair with extensive plans for redecorating, refurbishing, improving the service in the dining room, increasing interest of guests, and placing new lawn furniture around the grounds of the beautiful hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Weber with their two sons, one 18 months and the other 4 years, arrived Friday. After looking around both agree that Sanford is a very pretty town with unlimited possibilities.

Mr. Weber said, "This hotel has the structure and location and with our combined efforts we intend to make it a popular, high class hotel with an excellent dining room."

Having been in the hotel business at Ponte Vedra as manager,

## New York Transit Strike Is Averted By Agreement

### Plan 'Moving Day' For Bikini Atoll Natives



THEY DON'T WANT TO BE THERE when the atomic bomb hits, a few weeks hence, so the 161 natives on Bikini Atoll in the Marshalls are cooperating with the U.S. Navy to be somewhere else. At a conference (above), on the spot, Cmdr. H.W. Glewe, Lt. Fred and Lt. Cmdr. Meyer (all in left foreground) talk things over with Julia, the local Atap chief, while some natives listen. (International Navy Task Force photo.)

## Patrolmen Fire Riot Weapons To Quell Race Riot

### 33 Negroes Arrested After Disorder In Columbia, Tenn.

COLUMBIA, Tenn., Feb. 26, (AP)—State highway patrolmen, firing riot weapons to quell a race riot today on the negro populated section of Columbia, Tenn. The police action followed a night of disorders in which seven persons—maintained an all-night vigil, four policemen—were wounded.

The state police moved in after 400 to 500 state guardsmen—ordered out by Governor Jim Hume—confronted the area known as "Mink Slide." Columbia is a town of 12,000 population.

State Safety Commissioner Lynn Humber, in charge of the highway patrolmen, announced the arrest of 33 negroes. Humber declared 12 of those arrested have been charged with attempted murder.

Meanwhile, the commander of the state guard's Second Infantry Regiment ordered the dispersal of 25 white civilians who were standing about the area with shotguns. They left quietly.

Firing, some of which sounded as though it came from automatic rifles, was heard in the pre-dawn stillness just as the highway patrolmen began moving into the negro section.

At 7:00 o'clock, Central Standard Time, this morning, Columbia's Mayor Eldridge Denham was serious. Denham declared he was considering asking the governor to declare a state of martial law.

The incident, says Sheriff J. J. Underwood, started yesterday afternoon when a negro woman snatched a radio from a policeman's hand near a window. The policeman was identified as William Fleming, 28 years old.

Later, four Columbia policemen were fired upon in the so-called Mink Slide district. Other gunfire followed.

## Scout Campaign Workers To Meet At C. Of C. Tonight

Buy Scout campaign workers will learn the operating details of their subscription solicitation tonight when they assemble at the Chamber of Commerce at 7:30 o'clock. The meeting will be conducted by Randall Chase, chairman, and George Touhy, financial secretary of the Seminole County District Committee.

The volunteers who will take part in the campaign are Ben Jones of Ovidin, Ray Milroy of Longwood, W. P. Chapman of Elberton, Ralph Smith, Dick Cooper, Dick Aiken, Tom Brown, W. E. Kiefer, Walter Payne, Alvin Odham, George Stine, E. C. Smith, A. G. Speer, Roy Mann, and the Rev. Ed McKelvey.

There are many new business firms in the county and it has been suggested by the committee that they do not wait for a call from these workers but that they mail their subscriptions immediately. Under the plan of the campaign, the personal calls will be made in one day.

Based on the experience of past years this will be adequate because of the liberality of those interested in the advancement of this vital phase of youth education.

Police officers and juvenile delinquency authorities, who have seen what can come from lack of direction into proper channels the county that is part of youth have praised the Scout leadership that has taught boys the value of usefulness in their community and has used their talents and vigor to develop the boys personally and to see that they appreciate the importance of active citizenship, said Mr. Chase.

For this reason, he continued, he felt confident that the fund for Seminole county would be liberal.

## Caldwell Refuses Investigation Of Sales Tax Group

TALLAHASSEE, Feb. 26, (AP)—Governor Caldwell has declined to start an investigation of whether some members of his tax inquiry committee favor a general sales tax.

The Governor adds that his personal views against such a tax have not changed.

In reply to a letter from President Gus Lawson of the Florida Taxpayers' Association requesting the investigation—the Governor says "In the absence of unforeseen emergencies, I see no need for any increase in state income."

Governor Caldwell also told Lawson "when I said during my campaign that I have no intention of imposing on the people of Florida a general sales tax, I meant just that. My personal views have not changed."

In Tampa, Thomas Deasley of DeFuniak Springs, who will be the 1947 speaker of the State House of Representatives, has come out wholeheartedly against the sales tax.

Deasley says he always has been against the sales tax and will keep on opposing it.

He adds that he thinks the \$87,000,000 balance in the state treasury shows no new taxes of any kind are needed in the state.

There was some discussion about improving the condition of the road from West Thirteenth Street to Grapeville. It was agreed that Mayor James Gut and City Commissioner Len R. Leshner would contact the County Commissioners on that matter with the view of deciding some joint action toward improvement of the road.

## Radio Station Given 99 Year Property Lease

### Wilson Instructed To Execute Agreement For Federal Works

James A. Rivers, radio station operator of Cordelia, Ga., was granted approval for a 99 year lease on a 10 by 140 foot section of the east end of Fort Mellon Park for the purpose of erecting facilities for a radio broadcasting station. Construction of the station awaits issuance of a broadcasting license by the Federal Communications Commission, a final hearing for which was held at the City Hall Saturday before Commissioners Wiltet.

Execution of an agreement to take over the USO building, also waterworks now used by the Navy, was directed. According to Fred R. Wilson, city attorney, the waterworks and well were leased back to the city at \$1,200 a year with option to buy at \$7,360. Rentals of \$5,000 are to apply on the purchase. The USO building is being obtained on the same basis, with yearly lease payment of \$1,100 as of Feb. 1, and purchase price of \$5,500 with rentals applying toward purchase.

It was decided by the Commission that should any taxicab driver be found guilty of two traffic violations, his City tax license would be revoked.

Police Chief Roy G. Williams was granted authority to hire a new policeman, due to the fact that Naval Shore patrolmen are no longer available.

Herbert Prevatt was granted authority to operate the popcorn and soft drink stand at the Sanford Zoo.

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## Funeral Services Held Sunday For Watson Van Ness

Funeral services for Watson W. Van Ness, 72, who died at his home Saturday afternoon following an illness of approximately four months, were held at the Erickson Funeral Home Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock with Dr. J. B. Root, pastor of the Congregational Church officiating. Mr. Van Ness, who was born in Jacksonville, N. J., resided in Sanford for the past 44 years. He was a member of the Odd Fellows and was a carpenter and farmer.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Henry Schumacher and a son, David W. Van Ness, both of Sanford, also four grandchildren: Henry J. Schumacher, Ann Schumacher, Wallace Van Ness, Jr., a sister, Mrs. Emma L. Lawler and two brothers, Frank M. Van Ness of Towaco, N. J., and A. Van Ness, Palmbrook, members of the Odd Fellows, wife A. B. Howard, H. B. Squires, I. V. Williams, A. B. Loveloy, Dr. Milton Hurst and Grover Williams.

Population density in Japan is placed at 2,750 per square mile of arable land.

## Pittsburgh Power Walkout Postponed; City Employees Of Houston End Strike

NEW YORK, Feb. 26, (AP)—The threat of a city-wide transit strike in New York City has been averted. Mayor William O'Dwyer announced the settlement of the transit dispute this afternoon following a conference with CIO President Philip Murray. The Mayor announced that the CIO Transport Workers Union has withdrawn its demand for designation as sole bargaining agent for the city's 32,000 transit workers. The union is headed by city councilman Michael J. Quill. The Mayor announced that he will appoint a special transit committee to study working conditions, wages and labor relations between the workers and the board of transportation. The union also has been asking for a wage increase of \$2 a day.

AN 817 square mile industrial and community area in Pittsburgh today still has electric power and in Houston, Tex., the strike of municipal workers has been ended. Some 3,400 employees of the Duquesne Light Company in Pittsburgh postponed their strike action for one week.

The workers, who are members of an independent union, will vote Friday on whether to arbitrate their wage dispute or go out on strike a week from today. The company has already agreed to arbitration.

The settlement of the Houston walkout came today after thousands of workers left their jobs in what they called a "holy day" march upon the City Hall in support of the city employees' demand for higher wages.

Houston's Mayor Otis Massey immediately called a meeting of the City Council in the afternoon. An agreement with the AF of L labor leaders on the dispute. It was also announced this morning that under the agreement, the striking city employees will go back to their work tomorrow morning with full seniority rights.

Meanwhile, once again in Detroit the CIO auto workers and the General Motors Corporation are meeting this afternoon in an effort to make some headway in their wage and contract discussions. Leaders of the company and union met this morning with special mediator James Dewey to review all matters still unsettled in the 98-day-old GM strike.

The charges which were issued against 16 persons following the transit strike in Lancaster, Pa., have all been dropped. The charges, grew out of disorders during the 16 day walkout and an AF of L general sympathy strike. The disagreement was settled last Thursday with union and management approval of a new wage contract.

Company and union spokesmen have agreed with Federal conciliator Walter Green that the strike of sales-drivers of Detroit's commercial baking industry which has threatened the city's bread supply could be ended today. It is believed a compromise will be arranged on the demands of a \$5.00 a week wage hike and the company's offer to pay a \$2.00 boost.

The Commission approved a request from R. T. Cowan that he be granted a one year lease in 160 city owned lots for the purpose of constructing 50 homes for veterans and their families in the San Lanta subdivision.

## Official Says Mens Suits Being Withheld

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26, (AP)—Retail clothing merchants are pointing the accusing finger today at manufacturers. The executive director of the National Clothiers and Furnishers Association in forms newsmen that producers are withholding enough suits from the market to relieve the present shortage.

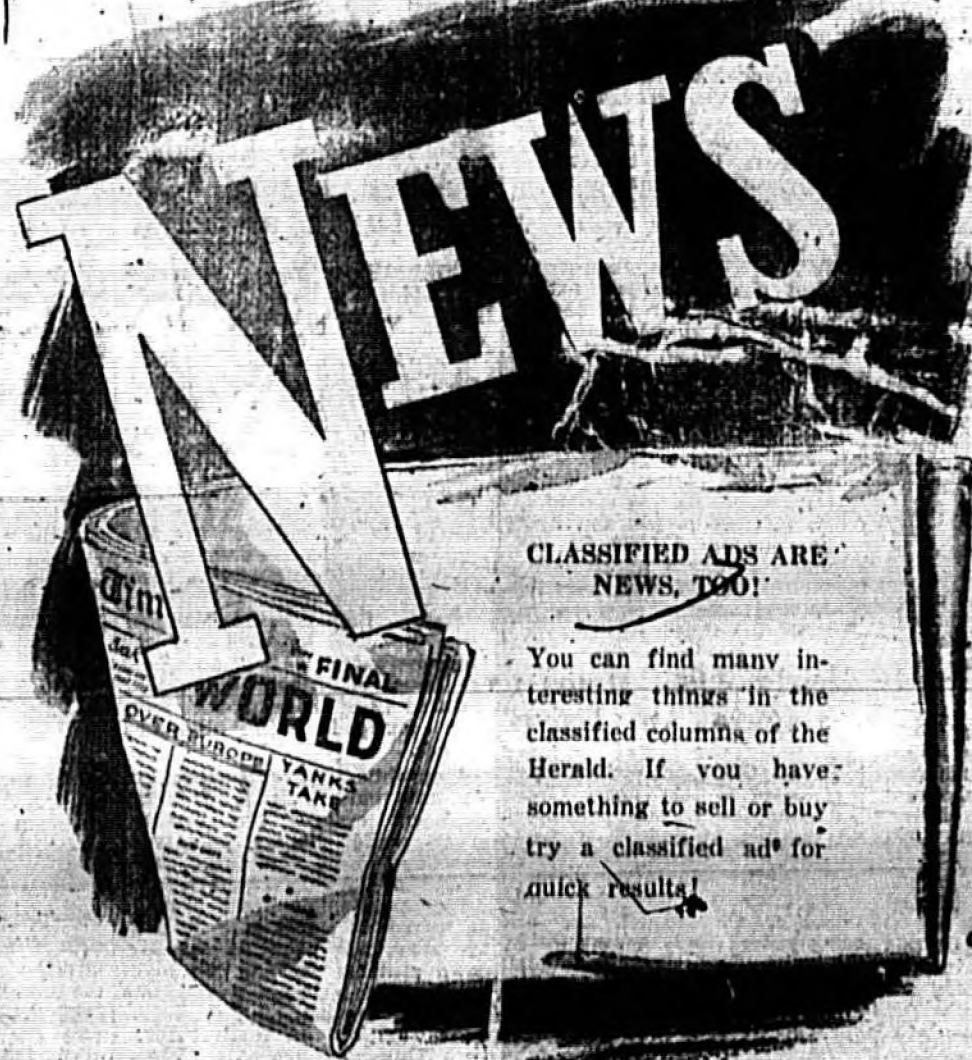
The retailers spokesman estimates at least 700,000 men's suits are piled away in warehouses. The reason, he states, is that manufacturers want more money in revised ceiling prices.

OFA officials say this is all new to them, but if the manufacturers expect a general price increase, they'd better stop hoarding.

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### More Children Must Attend Studio Schools

HOLLYWOOD—Movie children must go to school, too. Twentieth Century-Fox Studio has on its list a big, sunny schoolhouse where the pupils wrestle with the Latin, algebra and geometry. The youngsters must attend the other day have completed earnings of approximately \$1,000 a week.

The room has two rows of tables, the high school section Roddy McDowall, Thelma Dallas, Lorena Lindzey and Susan Blanchard, 12-year-old Barbara Whittier and Peggy Ann Garner, 12, tucked studying her French textbook. "I said I wouldn't keep her from

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### Dennison Wasting No Time In Making Shrine For Gen. Ike

By JACK RITLEDGE

DENISON, Tex.—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower is expected to set down in history with Washington as one of the great American generals of all time, and Dennison is wasting no time in converting his birthplace into a shrine.

Gen. Eisenhower was born here Oct. 14, 1890, in a neat white frame house a few yards from the railroad where his father worked.

It was in the best part of town.

Across the street was the mayor's home.

Next door was the home of a prominent lumber dealer.

Both have burned since then, but the Eisenhower home still stands in the center of two large lots with an ornate front porch.

A civic committee has bought the six-room one-and-a-half story house for \$3,000 and will repair and restore it to its original appearance.

The living room, bedroom, dining room and kitchen are typical of the '90s, even to the kitchen sink.

Miss Jennie Jackson, a school teacher who bought the house, is in charge of the restoration.

It is hoped that many of the general's personal articles will be on display for posterity.

At present, relics and souvenirs are being collected.

The shrine is a civic project. Money is being raised through public subscription. All civic clubs are cooperating.

School children are donating pennies and nickels. The home is being dedicated to the city of Denison.

A permanent committee will be appointed to improve and maintain the property as a shrine.

Money has already been collected to see that it is done properly.

Denison hopes to have the restoration completed by the time Gen. Eisenhower visits his birthplace this spring.

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### Officials Rule 1 Room For Family In Polish Capital

WARSAW—Reconstruction of the capital city where the Nazis burned and dynamited every house and office building, has been fully slow.

Lack of mechanized transport has been the big bottleneck in clearing the city's streets of debris and leveling down crumbling buildings which might prejudice the outcome of the bitter struggle for kindred reconstruction.

UNRRA acquired for Poland has somewhat relieved this situation, but a great part of this transport is being used to bring in food and other necessities.

The capital's office of reconstruction estimates that of 17,000 homes and buildings destroyed or partially destroyed by the Nazis, only a total of 210 have been put back into shape.

The housing situation is acute. The government has limited families to one room in buildings or houses that are available as living quarters. It also has nationalized all lands within the city. Owners of houses or buildings that these lands are permitted to exist, there by payment of development fees.

But the vast majority of Warsaw's swollen population lives in cellars. Thirty thousand children live in war-time bunkers.

Despite the difficult conditions, thousands are at work clearing away debris and trying to erect a shelter. The streets are among the busiest in the world, with a constant stream of humanity on foot, in cars, wagons, trucks, and some passenger automobiles.

Government officials estimate Warsaw's population will be 1,000,000 by the end of the year.

### MARINE STUDIOS TO RE-OPEN MARCH 1ST—AIR VIEW



MARINELAND, FLORIDA—Marine Studios to re-open March 1st. An air view of Florida's super-aquarium or Oceanarium as it is called, because here specimens are not kept in separate tanks. Closed for the duration in June 1932, the building has been completely renovated and will be ready to receive its first guests on March 1st. The building is a masterpiece of modern architecture and is one of the most beautiful buildings in the world.

### Monarchy Gains Dummies Tell Shy-Fear'd In Italy Figures Don't Add Up To Movie Stars

By GEORGE BRIDGES

HOLLYWOOD—It was a disappointing performance for the movie's brightest stars when they were asked to appear in the new picture, "The Dummies," which is being shown in the city of Rome.

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A Dime's A Dime

We have come a long way in this country since Calvin Coolidge was President and people used to think that a dollar saved was a dollar earned and all that sort of thing.

When the country was wondering whether he would be a candidate for re-election in 1928, he issued this cryptic statement: "I do not choose to say that I will or will not." No amount of prodding from politicians or newspaper correspondents could get him to amplify that remark.

HOUSE HUNTING IN WASHINGTON



Who knows? (May be moving in there myself some day!) The man in the illustration is looking at a house with a speech bubble that says "WHO KNOWS? (MAY BE MOVING IN THERE MYSELF SOME DAY!)"

Higher Quality, Lower Cost, Aim of Crop Growers

GAINESVILLE, Fla. (Special)—The field crop planting season approaches. Florida farmers are striving to improve quality and lower cost of their products.

Social And Personal Activities

Social Calendar: TUESDAY: Judge Washburn's Club will have its monthly meeting at the First Methodist Church...

Miss Doris Stewart Weds Chas Ballard

Miss Doris Elvira Stewart, daughter of Mrs. Frank Miller of this city and Larry Allen Ballard, chief clerk at the Hotel...

Miss Anne Shannon Weds W. H. Smiley

The marriage of Miss Anne Shannon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smiley, to William H. Smiley, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Smiley of Clearwater...

GENEVA NEWS

WILSON IS DISCHARGED: 872 Howard Street, 212 West Riverside Street, has been honored by the United States Navy...

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For Moon Tourists

There is more than the usual interest in the moon of late. Recently radar contact was announced. Now it's a moon map. And why not?

Babies Cause Transport To Fly 3 Corned Flaps

PEARL HARBOR.—Home-bound pennants vary in size. They are made of cloth and are attached to the front of the airplane.

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TERRACE TALK

The Rollins College Animated Magazine was very animated. It was published by the Rollins College Animated Magazine.

Chuluota School Wins New Books

The Seminole County Teachers' Association announced today that there will be a prize awarded to the school which has averaged the largest contribution in connection with the Christmas tree.

Truck Owners Attention!

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State News Briefs

It is evident that motorists are not much interested in horse shows. A big day was had at the State Fair horse show.

Helping Hand

The "Black Hand" on the side of law and order is something really new. It is helping in Sicily, where the Mafia is helping the government put down bandits.

Sanford Twenty Years Ago

Many star golfers, including B. W. Ferguson and C. W. Ferguson, were in Sanford in 1926. They were playing golf at the Sanford Golf and Country Club.

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Mrs. Joe Corley Is Honored by O. E. S.

At the regular meeting of the Seminole Chapter No. 2, Order of Eastern Stars, Mrs. Joe Corley was honored.

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to Mrs. Albert Zloter, Capt. L. G. Zloter.

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Provincetown Players Pico Theater. Last four performances Wed.-Thurs.-Fri.-Sat. 8:45 P. M.

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New Suits

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Various small advertisements and notices at the bottom of the page.



AS A RESULT OF THE CAMPAIGN SPY-RING SCARE, Sen. Brian McMahon (left), chairman of the Senate Atomic Energy Committee called a secret session in Washington to study the effectiveness of the Espionage Act of 1917 for protecting America's atomic bomb production. Pictured at the meeting are (l. to r.) Sen. McMahon, Sen. Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan, James McInerney, chief of the Justice Dept.'s espionage section, who was a witness, and Maj. Gen. Leslie H. Groves, also a witness. (International)



PRIME MINISTER of Italy, troubled Alcide de Gasperi (above) sees his cabinet tottering as parties split on the issue of "obligatory vote" for all adult Italians. Bitterly opposed by radical parties, the plan to compel voting by everybody is heartily advocated by the conservative and liberal parties. (International)



THERE WAS plenty of action at the Senate Naval Affairs Committee's hearings on the Edwin W. Pauley nomination for Undersecretary of the Navy. Here Senator Allen J. Ellender (top, left) of Louisiana, questions Edwin W. Pauley (right), as Pauley's counsel, Max Truitt (center) looks on. Sen. Brewster of Maine, touched off a sharp argument when he asked Harold Judson (inset), if he did not wish to testify further "because you might incriminate yourself". (International)



ADJUSTABLE FOR ALL AGE-SIZES from childhood to full growth, this bicycle on display at the National Sportsmen's show in New York was offered as the bike of the future. Miriam Mutterpari demonstrates how easily the changes can be made for tot or six-footer. (International)



ROUGH WORK WAS STARTING when this picture was made at No. 2 gate of the strike-bound Western Electric plant in Kearny, N. J. Police men are shown photoshooting a car which pickets sought to attack as it turned toward the entrance. The mob, one of several that ensued when some 1,500 strikers, out since January, defied a court order against picketing and sought to block all entrances to the plant. (International)



PICTURED at the telephone in his New York hotel suite is Abraham H. Feller, 41, who has been appointed General Counsel to the United Nations Organization. Secretary-General Trygve Lie. Feller is advisor to U. S. delegates at the UNO general assembly. (International)



AT A PARTY GIVEN IN HER HONOR at the French Embassy in Washington by Ambassador and Mme. Henri Bonnet, Margaret Truman, daughter of the President, is pictured dancing with Pfc. Russell O. Litchfield, of Meridian, Miss. The party was attended by invited servicemen from Walter Reed and other nearby hospitals. (International)



DANCING STAR OF THE FILMS Ann Miller cuts into her wedding cake with the assistance of her groom Reese Llewellyn Milner, after their marriage ceremony in Santa Barbara, Calif. They're postponing their honeymoon until Ann completes a picture. The film star and her Los Angeles industrialist husband will live in Beverly Hills. (International)



SHOWN DRESSED IN THE ROBES of his new high office is Francis Cardinal Spellman, Archbishop of New York and the fourth New Yorker to sit in the College of Cardinals at Rome. His predecessors were John Cardinal McCloskey, John Cardinal Farley and Patrick Cardinal Hayes. Cardinal Spellman was born at Whitman, Mass., in 1889, ordained in 1916, and consecrated bishop in 1932, becoming archbishop in 1939. (International)



GLUM AND SILENT, 35-year-old truck driver Gordon DeHart sits in the New York City district attorney's office on Staten Island where he was held for homicide. Police quoted him as confessing that he killed May and Viola DeHart, 81-year-old twin spinsters and his distant cousins, when a quarrel arose at their home. (International)



NEWLY DESIGNATED Economic Stabilizer Chester Howies is pictured as he urged the House Banking and Currency Committee to approve speedily a pending bill to continue the price control and subsidy program for a year after the present June 30 expiration date. He warned Congress that the nation's economic system would be smashed "beyond hope of repair" unless it extended price controls. (International)



SHOWN IN THE ARMS OF HER MOTHER, Mrs. Joseph R. Beaudoin, two-year-old Linda Ann Beaudoin receives a college insurance policy from Post Commander Carlos Burrows in Detroit, Mich. The policy will pay \$300 a year for four years when Linda Ann reaches her eighteenth birthday. It is the gift of former GI's who named their Detroit post for her father, Pfc. Joseph R. Beaudoin, killed in Italy. (International)



AS IF THE PICTURE WERE POSED FOR THE PURPOSE, this shows the new U. S. Ambassador to Russia in his reported character as a man who can talk bluntly but effectively. It reveals Gen. Walter Bedell Smith (right) talking with Maj. Gen. Ilia Sarayev of the Russian Embassy in Washington, at a New York banquet that celebrated Washington's Birthday and Red Army Day in 1945. Gen. Smith has been quoted as saying that the Russians expect us, of course, to drive hard bargains. (International)



FORMER ARMY LIEUTENANT Jack Love, a student under the GI Bill of Rights at Notre Dame University, South Bend, Ind., has just learned that he is a 44 heir to the oil and mining fortunes of his late great-uncle. His estate has been estimated at from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000. Love plans to stay in school. (International)



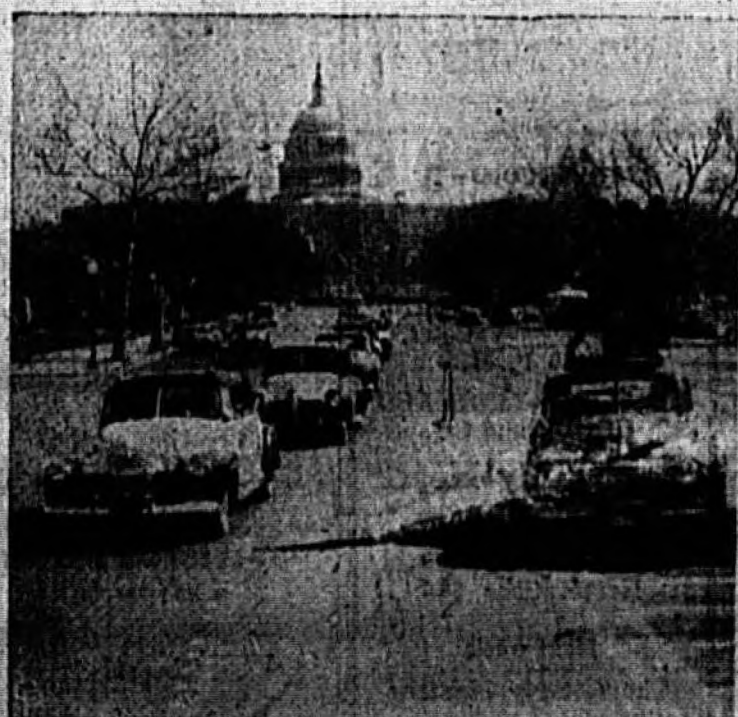
COMMANDER of the U. S. Asiatic Fleet in 1941, Sen. Thomas C. Hart of Connecticut, is shown as he was sworn in before the Pearl Harbor Investigating Committee in Washington. The senator disputed testimony that he had once seen a Japanese "Wife" war machine in the official files of the Navy Department. (International)



GOVERNOR Mon. C. Wallgren (above) of Washington is among those most prominently mentioned in Washington circles to succeed Harold L. Ickes as Secretary of the Interior. The governor, an intimate friend of the President since they served in the Senate together, denied the reports. (International)



HEAD of the Conference of Studio Unions, Herbert K. Borrell is pictured behind the bars of the Los Angeles, Calif., jail, serving a 18-day sentence. He was sentenced for permitting mass picketing at the Warner Bros. studio in violation of a court order. (International)



SOME OF THE 400 EX-SERVICEMEN who drove their taxicabs to Washington to seek the help of the President and Congress in their fight to get back licenses for operating in Chicago are shown driving down the Capital's Pennsylvania Avenue. This photo was made after the veterans' delegation had called on members of Congress. (International)



LINED UP ALONG THE HIGHWAY just out of Lancaster, Pa., where a general strike paralyzed the city, pickets stop trucks and urge them to stop operation. The strike was called by the Central Labor Union and affiliated A. F. of L. organizations in sympathy with the Consolida Transportation Company walkout in Lancaster. (International Soundphoto)



# Inside Sports Report

With JULIAN STENSTROM

**Buy Your Pass Friday**

All winter the Sanford Baseball Association or person representing it have fought an uphill battle to get Sanford reinstated in the Florida State League. In December, when it looked as though we would be granted a franchise, four local men put up \$200 to cover the franchise fee. The Sanford Association now has been organized and has made its plans to bring baseball to you this summer. The time for baseball is drawing near.

Friday will be designated as Sanford Baseball Association day and season passes will go on sale. The cost is nominal, and the results will determine whether or not we shall have baseball in Sanford this summer. Your part may seem little, but lots of little parts will make big parts and several big parts will make the "cake" complete.

The association needs \$25,000 to operate during the season, and the goal of 500 passes, which is hoped to be gained Friday, will enable Sanford to field a team for the forthcoming schedule and complete the season, win, lose or draw.

Most of Sanford's citizens have received a lot of enjoyment from our baseball team in the past. We feel certain that they want baseball again this year. The sale of these 500 season passes will bring \$12,500 into the club's treasury, and the remainder of the funds necessary have already been accounted for. In other words, the sale of 500 tickets will assure a full year's play.

We urge you to buy your season pass Friday!

**Cook Wins Decision**

The well known Sanford boxer, Johnny Cook, did well in his first postwar attempt in Orlando the other night. Cook took a decision over Charley Morrison of Tampa. Cook floored his opponent in the first round for a count and again in the third and the fifth stanzas. He received the unanimous vote of the referee and two judges.

Billy Kinard, a local youngster, fought in one of the preliminaries on the Orlando card and KO'd his opponent in the initial round. Local fans say Kinard has a bright pugilistic future if he continues to display such talent.

**Closed Season**

The Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission today again called attention to the fact that the black bass season this year will extend through the months of March and April instead of from Mar. 15 to May 15 as it did during last year.

This change in the commission's regulations was made to bring the closed season more in line with the spawning season of black bass. N. Kennedy, director for the commission explained, "Sportmen are cautioned against going by the dates as shown on the reverse of their licenses. Any license purchased since July 1, 1945, will carry the correct dates for the black bass season. A license purchased prior to that date will show the black bass season as it existed during last season.

A 1945 law requires that all fishing licenses expire as of June 30 and this will eliminate this confusion. From now on all fishing licenses will carry identical license information on the reverse.

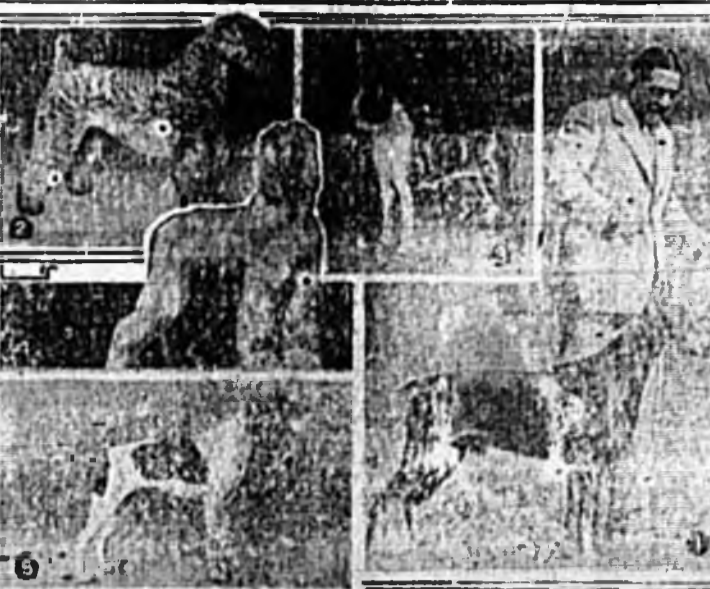
**THEY'RE NEVER TOO OLD**

MIAMI, (AP)—Old age has been having a fling at the beach races. The 11-year-old oak O'Boy, owned by G. C. Greer and Sor and Revtal, a nine-year-old mare, have won recently. Oldest horse to see action at the meeting is the 10-year-old Conrad Mann.

**VIRGINIA OPEN SET**

VIRGINIA BEACH, Va., (AP)—The Virginia Open Golf Association will hold its championship tournament for the first time since 1941 at the Cavalier Yacht and Country Club here April 19 and 20. The defending champion is Chandler Harper, of Portsmouth, Va., who will be opposed this year by Sammy Sneed and Bobby Cruikshank.

## OUTSTANDING DOGS OF 1945



**AMERICA'S dog judges, balloting in the second annual poll conducted by the Gaines Dog Research Center, New York, chose these five as the outstanding dogs of 1945.**

**Quo Shernk von Marienthal (1), male Doberman Pinscher owned by Ruppelheim Kennel, Indianapolis, Ind., was voted top place because of its balloting wins Siramo's Imperious Lady (2), female Kerry Blue owned by Siramo Kennel, Newark, Calif.; Bright's Sweet Regard (3), female Boston Terrier owned by Claude J. Fitzgerald, Wyndotte, Mich.; Rudik of Prides Hill (4), male Airedale International champion owned by Mrs. Marion Foster Fitzsim, New York City; and Herelwyn General Mac (5), male Pointer owned by Robert F. Maloney, Pittsburgh, Pa.**

## Baseball's Most Classic Letter Was Written By Kenesaw Landis

**TONIGHT'S ENTRIES AT DOG TRACK**

**First Race—Purity**  
Lady Cornado, Short Shorter, Silk Beau, Fanny's Pride, Hubo Ben.

**Second Race—Purity**  
(First Half Double)  
Huddy Lass, Grand Kid, Swift Toss, Wild Girl, Bitters Up, Town Talk, Indian Scout, Buck Up Pat.

**Third Race—Purity**  
(Second Half Double)  
Betty Orchid, Buddy Breeze, Inky Mike, Jingle Bird, Polo Star, Tubby Ticker, Night Hating, Belle Girl.

**Fourth Race—Purity**  
(Quintuple Race)  
Dean's Donna, Grey Blue, Ketchup, Natural Bull, Gallant Dan, Jerry W. Sandy, Jack Dillon, Kaneson.

**Fifth Race—Purity**  
(Quintuple Race)  
Woody Dancing, Bud, Jovial Rex, Larry Boy, Lucky Frank, Pilot Six, Taming, Old Lucky Strip, Minton.

**Sixth Race—Purity**  
(Quintuple Race)  
Mustang, Max, Ringling Stella, Factor, Dusty Hiss, Town Clown, Gypsy Doll, Shoe Buckle, Irish Lovel.

**Seventh Race—Purity**  
Just Asleep, Army Officer, Kopper Thread, Wilma, Hi Matron, Minton.

**Eighth Race—Purity**  
(Quintuple Race)  
Black Lady, Lovely Lane, Little Nucky, Harjo, Busy Lizzy, Lady Nell, Judy Cannon.

**Ball Park Is Leased To Baseball Group**

The City Commission last night voted to grant the Sanford Baseball Association a lease on the Municipal Athletic Field, following a request by Joel Field, president of the association.

The authorization will become effective upon the departure of the St. Paul Saints of the American Association who will undergo Spring training activities here. The lease will expire upon the completion of the Florida State League season and any playoffs in which the Sanford Celery Feds might participate.

**Owens Unrecognized For Greatest Feat**

By ASSOCIATED PRESS

One of the greatest track and field athletes ever developed in the United States is Jesse Owens. The speedy negro is the only athlete in Olympic games history to win four first place medals. In one afternoon, while competing for Ohio State, he broke three world records and tied another.

Yet one of his greatest accomplishments has gone almost unrecognized because he was beaten. During the National AAU meet at Lincoln, Neb., in 1935, Owens broad jumped 26 feet six inches five times. But on the final jump, Eulance Peacock of Temple covered 26 feet three inches to top Owens' best mark by a half inch.

Before that afternoon, in the entire history of broad jumping, only one man had ever jumped 20 feet or farther. Since that afternoon no one has equalled the distance—yet Owens did it six times in succession.

## Kentucky First To Get Bid To Big Tournaments

### Wildcats Favored To Cop Southeastern Playoffs This Week

By ASSOCIATED PRESS

The University of Kentucky yesterday became the first school to accept an invitation to one of the big post-season basketball tournaments.

Kentucky accepted a bid to play in the national invitational tournament to be held in New York's Madison Square Garden beginning Mar. 11.

Kentucky won 19 out of 21 games this season, losing only to Temple and Notre Dame. This week, Kentucky will defend the Southeastern Conference championship. Last year, Kentucky won the title, and was beaten in the NCAA tournament, and was beaten in the first round.

Two other teams virtually certain to be invited to one of the tournaments are Oklahoma A. & M. and N. Y. U. The Aggies won the NCAA championship last year and apparently will represent the district five in the same tournament this year. NYU may have the choice between an NCAA bid or a berth in the invitational tournament. Last year, NYU participated in the NCAA and won the eastern crown, but lost to the Aggies in the east-west final. The Aggies have a season record of 21 and two. NYU has won 16 and lost one.

## Saints To Open Spring Training Drills Mar. 25

### Skippor Steinecke Announces Signing Of Third Base

ST. AUGUSTINE, Feb. 26. — (Special)—Bill Steinecke, playing manager of the Saints, announced today that the St. Augustine club in the Florida State League would start spring training on Monday, March 25, giving the local baseballers three weeks to get into shape before the season opens on April 16.

In the meantime, the Skippor announced the signing of a promising youngster by the name of Johnny Britt for a try-out at third base.

Britt hails from Portsmouth, Va. and was quite a star in American Legion baseball, entering the service of Uncle Sam. "I saw Britt play high school baseball at Portsmouth and he showed plenty of baseball promise," Manager Steinecke said.

Britt is 19 years of age, weighs 160 pounds and stands five feet, nine inches. He is a right handed batter.

Gradually, Steinecke is lining up a team to represent St. Augustine in the Florida State League. Britt is the fifth player to be signed to a contract. Others include Kenneth Bell, a former Marine, and Johnny Bruster, of Little Falls, N. Y., both pitchers; Bob Wooten, of Dallas, Texas, a first baseman with two years of minor league experience, and Pascario Trojano, a rookie second baseman from Mount View, N. Y.

Manager Steinecke said he was looking to sign up Dewey McCabe, who is now playing with the Jacksonville Terminal team, for a shot at the shortstop position. McCabe is a promising player and several other clubs are reported to be trying to get his name on a contract.

## LAST FLING

By Jack Sorris



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## Celery Fed Cagers Tangle With Mount Dora Teams Tonite

Coach George McClelland's minnie Celery Feds and Miss Jessie Durden's girls will meet the Mt. Dora High School teams tonight at the school auditorium in a twin bill.

The Mt. Dora boys, runner-up in the Central Florida Conference tournament recently, defeated the locals in a previous engagement. Although Coach McClelland has not announced his starting lineup, the probable starters will be Harold Kastner and Willis Anderson at the forward positions, Verno Clark at center with Donald Dyess and Grantham at the guard posts.

Miss Durden's girls will meet the Mt. Dora girls, who are the Central Florida Conference champions, since they defeated the Tars of the circuit's recent tournament girls in the recent final, slated for 7:00 o'clock.

The starters for the girls will include the Bowen sisters, Dot Crumley at forwards with Alva Lundquist, Frances Lefla, Miss Anne Lovell, a member of, and Lillian Moran at guards.

Miss Durden's sextet, said this morning that although efforts had been made to organize a girls conference tournament, officials declined to schedule such a tournament this year.

The group explained that the trip might injure Australia's chances of retaining the Davis cup.

Eighteen sailing yachts have been entered in the 1946 renewal of the St. Petersburg to Havana Yacht race. The race will start from St. Petersburg on March 30.

The Second Service Command basketball championship will be decided this week at the Fort Dix sports arena. Teams compete from Fort Dix, Tilton Hospital, Brooklyn Army Base, Camp Kilmer, Fort Slocum, Fort May, and Watervliet. A regional team from Camp Kilmer and Camp Upton will compete in a tourney for WACS.

Oklahoma A. & M.'s all-American football star, Bob Fenimore, has been found physically fit for the draft. The commander of the Oklahoma City induction center, Maj. W. H. Wandell, said he did not know when Fenimore will be called. He had been classified 4-F twice previously because of a leg injury. He has one more year of collegiate eligibility.

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**By HAROLD V. RATLIFF**

DALLAS, Feb. 26. (AP)—Filed away in the Texas League office here is this classic letter written July 10, 1926, by the late Kenesaw Mountain Landis, high commissioner of baseball.

Mr. J. Doak Roberts, President, Texas League, 410 Central Bank Bldg., Dallas, Texas.

Dear Uncle Doak:

Don't it beat hell!

Your very truly,  
K. M. Landis,  
Commissioner.

Just what the letter referred to is not known but it furnishes an insight on clashing personalities.

No one would expect A. H. (Happy) Chandler, present commissioner of baseball, to write such succinct and enigmatic terms. Some would not be quite so brusque.

Veteran baseball men who know Landis, while respecting his ability and honesty and fairness, often were exasperated because of his shell-like attitude. "Bring me a case and I'll rule on it after rifling the evidence," he would say, contending there was a set of rules they could read as well as he. But the baseball men often feared their interpretations might differ.

Chandler, however, sees no harm in pointing out practices he considers wrong. His attitude toward baseball, toward those in it and toward the folks hereabouts on his visit to Texas. Even the sports writers, naturally cynical and with "I must be convinced" attitudes, were quite taken in by the smiling man from Kentucky.

Chandler uses a magnetic smile to replace the famed Landis' frown. He believes the game is on a sound basis, that Landis' established will its integrity and that an important part of his job today is promotion. That takes public appearances.

The commissioner did a good job of meeting the public while in Texas. He first attended a meeting of the Texas League and sold himself to the club owners. He made speeches, appeared in a quartet (and he has an excellent tenor voice) and in other ways left a fine impression of himself with the people of this state.

He likes his fun and he captivated a crowd of more than 700 at a sports achievement banquet with the way he smilingly won "honors" thrust upon him by Dallas' famed Bonehead Club. They rewarded him for being elected "the most useless citizen in the world."

Several social functions were given to entertain the commissioner. But they turned out to be the other way around. Chandler entertained the folks who came. He met ball players, listened to their stories, told some good ones himself and enjoyed them fully as much as those who came to see him.

Chandler, former governor and senator from Kentucky, has a knack for remembering names and faces. It was not considered remarkable that he had had such a successful career in view of the fact that he knows everybody after meeting them once.

And he can talk the athlete's language. He was an athlete himself at his native Corydon, Ky., and in college, once was a football coach at Centre College and always has been an ardent fan.

One sports writer told Chandler: "Commissioner, I see no reason why you shouldn't be a great success in this business. A person like that will succeed anywhere." Chandler was gratified and said so.

President J. Alvin Gardner of the Texas League paid him this tribute: "He reminds me of Rogers Hornsby. There's no hypocrisy in them. Both say what they think." Gardner didn't say so but he might have added, "And Chandler ought to sell baseball to the public. He was generally agreed that he darn sure would sell himself to the public."

The first electrical hearing aid was made by Alexander Graham Bell.

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**THE SANFORD BASEBALL ASSOCIATION IS YOUR ORGANIZATION AND NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT**

Friday will be Sanford Baseball Association Day and in order to operate a complete season, under the adopted budget which appears on the right, 500 season passes will go on sale. The Association has hired Ed Levy-Whitner as manager for the club, and approximately 25 ball players this fall will participate in the Spring training workouts which will start about April 1. The sale of these 500 season passes will insure the club's operation during the entire season. These passes will cost \$35.00 and will be tax paid. If a season ticket is purchased, the individual will save a total of \$7.00 on all home games. This is your opportunity to assist the Association in making baseball possible this summer in Sanford.

**1946 BUDGET**

Player Salaries	\$12,500
Bus and Expenses	1,250
Meals on Road	1,275
Lights	2,000
League assessments	1,400
Uniforms	600
Baseballs, bats	1,250
Spring training	1,500
Gen. manager's salary	1,200
Miscellaneous	1,425
Total	\$25,100

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THE WEATHER

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## Reports Say Spain Closes Border Gates

### French Sources Disclose France Will Probably Bring Up Question To UNO

PARIS, Feb. 27. (AP)—Dispatches from Hendaye, on the French-Spanish frontier, say that Spanish authorities closed their side of the border this morning—48 hours in advance of a border closing announced by the French. No details of the Spanish action are immediately available.

Effective Friday, the French will close their side of the border with Generalissimo Franco's Spain, thus, to all intents and purposes, severing French-Spanish commercial relations.

The action has been ordered by the French government as a protest against policies of the Franco regime. A popular outcry for an outright diplomatic rupture with Spain is said to be increasing throughout France today.

French foreign office sources have disclosed France probably will raise the Spanish question at the next session of the United Nations Security Council—scheduled for May 21. Diplomatic observers say such a move would raise the question of whether Spain—a non-member of the UNO—could be invited to the council table when a dispute concerning her is heard.

Meanwhile, French foreign minister Georges Bidault is said to be preparing a note for delivery to the United States. It is understood Bidault will state that France regards the situation in Spain as a menace to international security.

### To Judge Jap. War Criminals



THREE OF THE NINE JUDGES named by Gen. Douglas MacArthur as members of the International Military Tribunal for the Far East are shown as they registered at the Hamilton Hotel, Calif., for their flight to Tokyo. The jurists who will help to decide the fate of Jap war criminals are (l. to r.): Chief Justice John P. Higgins of the Massachusetts Supreme Court, representing U.S.; Judge E.S. McDougall of Quebec, representing Canada; and Judge B.V.A.R. Koling professor of law, Utrecht University, representing the Netherlands. A.A.F. photo. (International)

## Recapture Of Unspent War Funds Urged

### Army And Navy Take Biggest Cuts In Bill Calling For \$7,000,000 Return

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27. (AP)—The House has received a \$1,000,000,000 appropriation bill for the Agriculture Department. Anderson predicted a "lead" in increasing food production.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. (AP)—A recommendation by the House Appropriations Committee for the recapture of unspent wartime funds and spending authority gives a glimpse of the war of the future. As in previous measures, the Army and Navy took the biggest cuts in the bill calling for the recapture of more than \$7,000,000,000. Both of the services had told the committee that their mighty air forces had dwindled to a mere shadow of their former strength.

In commenting on this reduction, the committee said that science has revolutionized the ways and means of warfare and has placed us at the crossroads of a new era. The committee referred to the testimony of the deputy Army Air Forces commander, Lieutenant General Ira Eaker. The general was quoted as telling the committee that by 1950 it will be possible for any of the industrial nations to develop a rocket or guided missile which will travel from 3,000 to 5,000 miles at a speed of 2,000 miles an hour. Eaker predicted that this missile will reach its target with exact accuracy. He added that it could carry ten to 20 tons of explosive and might even have an atomic warhead.

The bill to recapture unspent funds will be sent to the House floor for consideration later this week. The more than 7,000,000,000 dollars will be added to approximately \$5,000,000,000 which previously had been ordered cancelled.

The committee did not touch the \$100,000,000 set aside for the construction of Army facilities in the Marianas, Okinawa and the Philippines. However, it suggested that the Army refrain from making further commitments in the far Pacific until the nation's course has been charted more fully.

## Mounted Police Charge Into GE Pickets In Philadelphia

### Mutineer Seamen Ride Through Bombay Streets



SEAMEN OF THE ROYAL BRITISH NAVY whose mutiny started an outbreak of rioting in Bombay, India, are shown as they piled aboard a truck they had commandeered and rode through the city streets. The Indian sailors struck after protesters arrested and food. Shortly after civilian population began rioting, hundreds were killed and thousands injured. (International Radiophoto)

### One Striker Injured And Six Taken Into Custody By Police Following Melees

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 27. (AP)—Mounted police, swinging clubs, today charged into 800 CIO pickets massed before the gates of the General Company plant in Philadelphia in defiance of a court injunction against mass picketing. One picket was injured and police took six into custody for questioning.

The melees began shortly after 5:00 o'clock. Eastern Standard Time this morning, several hours after 1,000 policemen ringed a two-block area around the strike-bound plant.

The pickets had dispersed temporarily and then reformed into a parade which began moving away from the plant. Some yelled "about face" and the pickets swung around and began an attempt to move in toward the gates of the GE plant. Then the policemen, riding on horseback, rode into the parading group and forced them against fences and sidewalks. The group split and withdrew then reassembled nearby.

Acting Sheriff William J. Morrow rode down the street in a patrol car reading parts of Pennsylvania's riot act over a loud-speaker. Morrow said to the pickets: "In the name of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania I require and command all of you to disperse yourself and peacefully to depart."

The CIO electrical workers had staged mass picket demonstrations before the gates of the GE plant for the past two days in protest against the injunction. A Communist Party order forbade more than ten pickets at a time before the gates of the Philadelphia plant. At times, as many as 1400 pickets were on hand and police announced their intention last night to enforce the injunction today, using force if necessary.

DETROIT, Feb. 27. (AP)—The Ford Motor Company and the CIO United Auto Workers have signed a new contract. The agreement gives an increase of 18 cents an hour to some 103,000 Ford workers throughout the country. The company says it heralds "improved labor relations."

The contract will go into effect just as soon as the various locals of the union give their approval. The wage boost will increase the average earnings of Ford production workers to \$1.39 an hour. Ford officials estimate the raise will cost the company \$3,000,000 a year.

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Feb. 27. (AP)—A union executive says the Empire State Telephone Union will not join the nation-wide strike called by the National Federation of Telephone Workers for Mar. 7. President Joseph Coffey says the executive board of the union has reaffirmed its recent stand at Memphis when it opposed the strike called by the national federation.

### FBI Grabs Pair Who Shot State Trooper

DETROIT, Feb. 27. (AP)—Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation field office and Detroit police have captured two bandits, identified by the FBI as the pair who shot an Indiana state trooper Sunday.

The two men—William Steele and Willie Lee Hopkins, both of Louisville, Ky.—were captured early today in a small downtown Detroit hotel.

### Training In Meat Cutting Available

Dr. J. B. Root, counselor for returned veterans who desire additional education, announced this morning that the National School of Meat Cutting has been approved for training qualified veterans in meat cutting, curing and smoking, grading and displaying, buying and selling, shipping, tools and care of equipment, butchering, sanitation and how to care for and operate electric meat cutters, bone cutters, grinders and slicing machines.

Dr. Root added that veterans may contact him for further information.

## Snyder Predicts Disaster If Price Controls Dropped

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27. (AP)—Reversion Director John W. Snyder asserted today that it would be disastrous to drop price controls until supply begins to equal demand. Snyder has declared in a statement prepared for the House Banking Committee that if price controls were permitted to spiral upward, business would withhold finished goods from the market while waiting for higher returns.

The reversion director has added that for a time a policy would increase rather than lessen the shortages of both produce and consumer goods. This statement has been made in support of a bill to extend the Emergency Price Control Act for one year beyond its present June 30 deadline.

Snyder has asserted that under the present setup, where lack of production is retarding reversion, it is possible to divert labor and materials from other uses by granting measured price increases. He says this can be done effectively only under the stabilization framework. With all prices rising, Snyder adds, that advantage would be lost. He has asserted, however, that the Administration believes that price controls on given products should be dropped "as soon as supply is in reasonable balance with demand."

## German Magnate Held By American Troops

FRANKFURT, Feb. 27. (AP)—A mysterious German magnate has been captured by American occupation troops. His 62-year-old Friedrich Flick, a man known abroad and likewise a phantom to the German people. Flick was the ruler of a \$400,000,000 industrial empire and is described as the greatest single power behind the Nazi war machine.

Treasury Department and Army investigators said today that Flick is considered a greater criminal than Krupp, for he grew with the Nazi regime and gained more personal economic power than Krupp ever held. Flick was an armaments manufacturer and owned vast steel and coal interests.

### ESTIMATE PRICE BOOST

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27. (AP)—OPA officials have estimated that higher meat prices—approved in the wake of a pay boost of 15 cents an hour for packing house workers—will cost the average American about 31 cents a year. Stabilization Director Chester Bowles has asserted that he has agreed to the price boost with the meat industry and pointed out that the government had no alternative, since the government had been committed to keep earnings in the meat industry at a certain level.

## Leffler Questions Right Of City To Lease Park Site

### Says Opening Park To One Enterprise Will Open It To Others

In a letter to The Herald today, W. A. Leffler, a former commissioner and mayor of the city, raised the question of the right of the City to lease or sell any portion of Fort Mellon Park for a private enterprise, and pointed out that if one such enterprise is allowed in the park, it will be easy for other establishments to be located there.

Mr. Leffler's letter in full is as follows: Mr. H. L. Dean, Editor, The Sanford Herald, Sanford, Fla. Dear Sir:

It might be a good idea for us to discuss the lakefront park and the effect, if any, of the City having leased a portion of it for the erection of a radio station. If I am correctly informed, the lease runs for ninety nine years, which is equivalent to a sale.

Now that a portion of the park has been sold or leased for private enterprise, it will be very easy for other establishments to be located on the park.

At the time the park was dedicated as a park by the City, the boundary lines of the present park should be drawn in. If the City owns any other lands that they are not going to definitely use as parks, they should be so designated.

## Eichelberger Ends 8th Army Inspection

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 27. (AP)—Lieutenant General Robert L. Eichelberger has just finished a field inspection of his Eighth Army troops in Japan. He says they are the best fed, best entertained soldiers in the world. The general admits that they are also the world's best complainers about slow mail.

## Robert L. Finch Is Main Speaker At Kiwanis Meet

### Spirit Of Sports Is Spirit Of Democracy, Says Official

"The spirit of our sports is the spirit of American democracy," declared Robert L. Finch, general manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, today in an inspiring talk to the Kiwanis at the Hotel Mayfair.

Mr. Finch, who for nine years has been connected with professional baseball, except for a year and a half interval during which he was USO director at St. Louis, predicted that when the final history of the war is written, it will reveal that American sports in high schools, colleges and elsewhere had more to do with the winning of the war, through the development of the team play than any other factor. He praised British integrity in sport also.

Declaring that he was proud to be associated with professional baseball, he paid tribute to Brooklyn Manager Branch Rickey as the "most brilliant man in baseball, who has lived, he said, a rich, full life in upbuilding American democracy in training two generations of boys in the ideals of playing to win and in good sportsmanship.

## Jaycees Nominate Committee Chairmen

Officials and directors of the Seminole County Junior Chamber of Commerce met last night at the City Hall and nominated chairmen for the club's various standing committees to serve during the current year.

Those nominated chairmen were: Agriculture, Billy Vibison; Aviation, Clyde Hurt; Holiday Activities, E. L. Campbell; Sports and Recreation, Joe Moss; Public Safety, M. R. Williamson; Youth Welfare, George McClelland; Veterans Affairs, Sam Martins; Citizenship, Cliff Ables; Civic Affairs, Orville Touchton and Fire Prevention, E. J. Moughton, Jr.

## Truman Calls Food Conservation Meet

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27. (AP)—President Truman has called a conference of prominent citizens, including further President Herbert Hoover, to launch a voluntary program of food conservation. In telegrams to those invited to the conference, the President stated flatly that American food consumption must be reduced to meet the desperate needs abroad. "Our national self respect and our duties as human beings," Mr. Truman's telegrams continued, "demand that we do all possible to stop the spread of famine."

Government alone, the President went on, will not suffice. He said there must be an aggressive voluntary program on the part of private citizens to reduce the consumption of food at home. The meeting is scheduled for Friday afternoon at the White House.

## Whitehurst Named On Committee To Study Post-War Merchandising

LAKELAND, Feb. 27. (Special) Paul B. Eckman of Ruskin, Dixon Peares of Miami and Perry N. Whitehurst of Sanford have been named a sub-committee to study and experiment with post-war merchandising by the Florida Vegetable Committee. Their appointment was a development of a directors' meeting conducted over the recent weekend at Avon Park. It followed extensive discussion of present and future problems of marketing faced by the industry. Chairman L. L. Stuckey of Pahokee presided.

Generally, the committee agreed that progressive steps must be taken to promote the welfare of its members. Reasons were seen in the expanded production of the war years, increased competition, some from foreign countries which, because of cheaper labor and other factors, is now able to reach the markets at lower costs; and the desire of the grower to place his product more attractively and in higher quality before the consumer.

Anticipated moves would be to take advantage of improved carrier services, to develop more attractive packaging, to grade more carefully, to produce better vegetables, at lower cost, and to adopt new and more forward means of advertising. Inasmuch as all of

## Annual Hospital Report Revealed By T. W. Lawton

### Increase In Receipts Recorded By Institution During Year

A 12.8 percent increase in the number of cases treated during 1945 at Fernhill-Laughlin Memorial Hospital as compared with 1944 is revealed in the current report of the Hospital Association of which T. W. Lawton is president.

Receipts amounted to \$52,517 of which patients paid \$43,071.88 and donations made up the rest including \$1,200 from the City of Sanford, \$1,000 from other donations and \$8.64 from other sources. Disbursements of \$45,956 included a \$5,000 war bond investment. There was a favorable balance left of \$5,561.24.

During 1945, patients admitted numbered 996 as compared with 922 in 1944; births were 371 as compared with 288, and minor cases treated but not listed as admitted were 145 as compared with 114.

Accident patients were slightly more numerous being 83 as compared with 74 the preceding year. The number of major operations declined from 151 to 123 and minor operations from 141 to 130. Patient days were 9,183 as compared with 7,907 the preceding year. Average bed occupancy increased from 74.5 to 76.5.

These are departures from past procedures and little knowledge of the most effective methods of employing them is available, the sub-committee was named in the belief its members were best qualified to work out the details.

As known instances of experiments which are headed for a degree of success, the example of one grower was cited to show wherein he had obtained improved and more attractive containers for his products; he made a deal with retailers to handle them at markups of from 15 to 20 percent, instead of the usual 40 to 50, in the good faith that he would grade carefully and would follow with replacement any losses caused by deviation from this policy. This had resulted in renewed interest, both on the part of the retailer and the consumer, and a better movement of goods.

The thought of the committee is that its sub-committee, made up as it is of alert and far-seeing representatives, will conduct other and varied experiments, tending toward the adoption of unified movements for the industry as a whole.

Other matters which were given consideration during the two days' sessions included labor, transportation, (Continued on Page Three)

## Cowan To Begin Large Home Construction Project At Once

### Merchant To Build Two To Three Bedroom Homes Ranging From \$4,800 To \$6,000 For Veterans In Magnolia Heights

Sanford's largest post-war home construction project, planned primarily for returned veterans by R. T. Cowan, local merchant, will be started immediately with construction of 20 homes, costing between \$4,800 to \$6,000, on lots in the Magnolia Heights subdivision, it was announced today by Mr. Cowan, who yesterday in Jacksonville conferred with Federal Housing Authority officials on the matter.

On Monday evening, Mr. Cowan appeared before the City Commission and requested options on 164 city owned lots in the Magnolia Heights subdivision. He was told that the city, in accordance with its plans for veterans had already reserved 25 of these lots for the use of the service men, but the commissioners agreed to grant him a year's option on the remaining lots.

The Magnolia Heights area in which the homes will be built lies between Leavitt and Mellon Hill Avenues and between Sixth and Twelfth Streets, east of Rose Court and south-east of San Lanta.

Applications will be processed in the order in which they are received from veterans, said Mr. Cowan. In other words, "First come first served." He added that by late Fall he expects to have 50 houses completed.

Local labor will be used as far as possible in the home construction, he declared, and added that he expected that it would be difficult to secure building materials, including lumber, electrical and plumbing supplies, but expects Sanford to get its share along with other cities such as Orlando and Daytona Beach.

The homes will have two to three bedrooms each, and will be built with private capital, but according to Mr. Cowan, will conform to FHA requirements, facilitating FHA loans to purchasers. Remodeling of the structure housing the Cuban store on First Street is nearly finished and all upstairs apartments will be practically completed this week.

He said Mr. Cowan has lived in Sanford for 22 years during which time he has been a dry goods merchant for 15 years.

## Crumley Reveals New Red Cross Campaign

Due to circumstances and demands of returning veterans, and the needs on the Red Cross will exceed those of the war years, E. B. Crumley, county war fund chairman, declared today in announcing the launching of a new Red Cross drive in the county on March 1.

All persons interested in Red Cross work were urged by Mr. Crumley to attend a meeting Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock at the Sanford Women's Club, when plans for the drive will be made.