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At The Capitol

By GEORGE McRORY

TALLAHASSEE, May 23.—Speaking of Ponce de Leon and the history of Florida, practically nothing remains today in Tallahassee to remind one of the first year a body of Florida citizens met here to form the state government and enact laws 107 years ago, in 1824.

There are several buildings still standing which were built within 10 years of that date, however, among them, the Presbyterian Church, the oldest in Florida, of that denomination. The Call home was also built during that period. It is known as the home of the 'Tallahassee Girl,' a beautiful piece of fiction written many years ago. This home was built by R. K. Call, territorial governor of Florida, and friend of Andrew Jackson.

The first Capitol building was a small log hut, some 20 feet square, built in a corner of the present Capitol site. The present Capitol building was started in 1836. However, the present building bears very little resemblance to the present structure. Wings were added to the north and south ends in 1901, and east and west wings were added in 1920. The present Governor's Mansion was erected in 1905. The State Office Building was constructed in 1927.

The first legislative session had as its major problem, the Indians to deal with. This, the 23rd session has as its major problem, TAXES. I believe I would prefer the Indians.

Tallahassee, as the capital, is closely interwoven in any history of the state. The first road constructed by public funds, was known as the St. Augustine Road, and was let by contract to one, Major Bellamy Bailey. The records show that he was the owner of 1000 slaves and three hundred mules, which were used in the construction of this road. The road itself today is abandoned in many places, and in others superceded by straight, wide hard surfaced roads, traversing the same country. This road was built along what was known then as the Old Spanish Trail, and lead in the most direct way, from St. Augustine to Tallahassee, crossing the St. Johns River at Picolata, thence through Starke, Ft. White, crossing the Suwannee at Branford, then through Mayo and Perry, to Waukeenah and Tallahassee. A portion of this same route is covered today by State Road 19, and the eastern part of the old road is supplanted by State Road 28.

Negro Gets Beating By Six Masked Men

Refusing to believe his story that the only reason he appeared partially undressed before some white women was because an insect had entered his trousers and was stinging him, Robert Perkins, young colored employee of the Wagoner Furniture Co., was given a severe lashing by six masked white men who kidnaped him at the Thirteenth Street furniture store shortly after 10:00 o'clock Saturday night. Perkins is at his home today nursing slight wounds and abrasions across his back.

According to the story which Perkins told Chief of Police Roy G. Williams shortly after midnight Saturday, just after the party of six had let him out of one of the two cars used to take the negro to an unknown point, he was told to report to the police station at once and tell officers that he had been whipped because "he had taken his pants down before a white lady." At the same time, [illegible] said that he was warned [illegible] and tell all your friends [illegible] to behave."

The party of six men appeared at the furniture store without warning, walked into the store, approached the negro, ordered him to get in one of the automobiles. The negro told Chief Williams that he did not know where he was taken. A leather belt was believed to have been used by the whites which [illegible] the negro's back while he watched the police [illegible]

LIQUOR BILL OF U. S. IS PLACED AT HIGH FIGURE

Association Opposed To Prohibition Says Nearly 3 Billions Is Cost For One Year

WASHINGTON, May 25.—(AP)—An estimate that people in the United States are spending $2,848,000,000 annually for intoxicating beverages was completed yesterday by the association against the prohibition amendment.

The research department of the association concluded "the illicit liquor business has become one of America's major industries," surpassing the $2,793,166,812 wholesale figure for passenger automobiles in 1929, and approaching the gasoline expenditure for that year.

An apparent "increase of over $1,000,000,000 in the nation's drink bill" as compared with figures for 1914 also was listed. The association added that since the 1914 total included the payment of more than $333,000,000 in taxes and fees the increase was even greater.

"We have never claimed that our estimate is infallible, but we believe it to be conservative," the association said. "Indeed, most estimates of the nation's drink bill are far in excess of our figure.

"Our estimate of prevailing liquor prices is lower than many because we have given comparatively little weight to the prices paid for liquor in speakeasies or to the fancy liquors purchased from city bootleggers. Most of the liquor now consumed is made at home or purchased from neighborhood bootleggers at fairly low retail prices."

The association explained that although "a considerable quantity of beer is purchased in speakeasies by the glass, and at $3 to $4 a gallon," it had been found that it could be produced at home for 30 cents.

It said that its total figure

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Attendance Urged At Tuesday Night Meeting Of C. of C.

The attendance of every farmer, business man, and resident of this county who has the interests of the county at heart is urgently requested at a meeting of farmers and members of the Chamber of Commerce to be held at the trade body offices in the City Hall tomorrow night at 8:00 o'clock.

At a meeting of the Sanford Chamber of Commerce last Monday, a representative group of farmers were present and were told by President Harry M. Papworth that the trade body would meet with the farmers for a discussion of ways and means in which the two organizations could combine with benefit to both. Tomorrow night's meeting is the answer to that offer.

Farm problems and their relation to the welare of the county will be discussed by leaders of the industry here, with the trade body group in the role of listeners. A round-table discussion is expected to ensue, during which representative business men, farmers, and professional men will be heard.

COTTON QUEEN

Kitty Barrett, above, was selected as Queen Cotton at a recent festival held in Birmingham, Alabama. Here you see her in her royal robes at the Municipal Auditorium.

FORMAL CHARGE LODGED AGAINST GORDON SLAYER

Witness Tells Of Details Surrounding Murder Of Actress

NEW YORK, May 25.—(AP)—Harry Stein, former convict, and Harry Greenberg were charged formally yesterday with the murder of Vivian Gordon. Harry Schlitten, Newark, N. J., chauffeur, and Izzy (English) Lewis were held as material witnesses.

Police said Schlitten told them he drove the car in which Miss Gordon was strangled Feb. 26 and from which her body was thrown into a thicket in the Upper Bronx.

Police said Schlitten in his confession named Stein, who has been under arrest for months, as the man who slipped a clothes line around Miss Gordon's neck, and that Greenberg, alias Greenhear, helped Stein tighten the noose and later helped carry the body to a lonely spot in Van Cortlandt park.

Although robbery has been advanced as the motive by police, Police Commissioner Mulrooney intimated that many ramifications of the murder will be made public later.

Mayor Walker, Mulrooney, District Attorney McLaughlin and ranking police officials were at headquarters as Schlitten's alleged confession was made. The murder at first was believed to have been committed to keep Miss Gordon from testifying in the city vice investigation.

Greenberg has been arrested with Stein and held in jail, but

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American Legion To Hold Meet Tonight

In the absence of Post Commander Fred Zerrenner, and because matters of extreme importance must be disposed of at once, Vice-Post Commander William Shepherd has called a meeting of the Campbell-Lossing Post of the American Legion tonight at the Legion Hut at 8:00 o'clock.

Mr. Shepherd said that the presence of every member of the local Post is important, and that unless a large representation was on hand, financial loss would be sustained.

BIG SAVING IN POST OFFICE IS BEING PLANNED

Economies Will Be Affected By Increase In Efficiency, Not By Cut In Personnel

ORANGE, Va., 25.—(AP)— A $38,000,000 saving in the post office department this fiscal year and a program to continue economies next year were announced yesterday at President Hoover's Rapidan camp.

The announcement said the comprehensive program to increase efficiency in the department and to effect economies was formulated at conferences in which the chief executive, Postmaster General Brown and the assistant postmasters general participated.

It was emphasized there would be no decrease in the personnel to achieve the savings.

Studies already made indicate a net saving for next year of $15,000,000, under the appropriation of $811,000,000.

An expenditure of an additional $13,000,000 not taken into consideration when the appropriation for the next fiscal year, was made, was expected, due to the shorter working week for all employes established by Congress. This amount, however, was considered in arriving at the net figure. Congress reduced the working week from 48 to 44 hours.

The statement indicated that the department has felt the depression. It was estimated that due to business conditions revenues to the department this year would be $58,000,000 below the original estimates.

"It is noteworthy, however," it was added, "that the receipts for the last month show an increase for the first time since the depression started."

No estimate of the deficit was given. It was explained this was because it had been taken into consideration when the appropriation was made, and was thus included in the figures.

The total of further possible economies, it was pointed out, would be enhanced beginning next year when the building program would begin to offset "the great rental charges."

Postal savings deposits were reported to Mr. Hoover to be at the highest peak in history—$310,000,000. This was an increase since last July of $175,000,000.

Also, the post office officials advised the president that "the indefensible practice of payment to political organizations for post office appointments in some southern states has been absolutely stamped out" as a result of the citizens' committees appointed by Mr. Hoover to pass upon candidates for such appointments.

Robbers Fail To Get Reward From Safe

Late yesterday afternoon Chief of Police Roy G. Williams was called to the Wagoner Furniture Co. store where it was discovered someone had entered the rear of the store by breaking a pane of glass, and had rifled a huge safe. The safe was found turned on its back on several cushions, apparently placed there to deaden the sound as it was pushed over. The unknown robber or robbers had chiseled the combination off the door, and picked the lock. Their efforts were in vain however, for the safe only contained a number of records and books. Oddly enough, the safe had not been locked, for the doors were merely closed.

An investigation revealed that the cash register had been robbed of about $3.50 in small change, and that nothing else was missing. Chief Williams and his aides, who had visited the building after midnight Saturday reported that the safe was intact and the window unbroken. They believed that the robbery occurred early Sunday morning. An investigation is being conducted, although the clues are said to be negligible.

TREMORS IN ARGENTINE

RIO DE JANEIRO, May 25—(AP)— Earth tremors shook Corraco De Jesus in the State of Minas Geraes yesterday, according to dispatches received here from Montes Carlos. No damage was reported.

Mary Pickford Described As Being One Of Smartest Business Women

HOLLYWOOD, May 25.—(AP) The world knows Mary Pickford as one of the screen's great artists. Hollywood will add that she is one of the keenest business women. But Mary, with a contagious smile, thinks she is only a hard worker—not an artist."

Filmland's "first lady" thinks of an artist in this way: "Chaplin is an artist. Coming to the studio, he might hear the meadow lark singing and he would go out and listen to them. I might hear them, too, but I'd just go on to work."

She is energy personified, 99 pounds of it. It has made her a star longer than any other woman—made her the most exceptional personality of the films. The "thrills of the game", is her life and everything interests her. Twelve to 15 hours a day, constantly on the move, is what she likes.

One of the most learned attorneys in Los Angeles, an expert on the income tax, says she knows more about the income tax than anybody in Southern California. Her real estate holdings are extensive but no land salesman ever sold to Mary Pickford, rather it is Mary Pickford who buys from them.

Douglas Fairbanks, her husband, says "she's the greatest business woman in the world." Mary made an actress out of herself but it was her mother who developed her business sagacity.

Most stars merely play their parts but Mary is a tornado of action on the set. She is the real director, passes on the costumes, color schemes, supervises preparation of the story, coaches other players, and directs the retakes and rushes. Most of her employes have been with her for years.

She is an investigator of characters. In "My Best Girl," she

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HARVARD HEAD

President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard, above, recently attended the 53rd annual meeting of the Associated Harvard Clubs of St. Louis. Dwight P. Robinson of Philadelphia was chosen the new president of the Association.

PLANS ARE MADE FOR GRADUATION AT GAINESVILLE

Commencement Exercises At Florida To Start Next Friday

GAINESVILLE, May 25—Commencement season at the University of Florida is just around the corner.

Friday evening will feature the Junior-Senior oratorical contest and the Freshman-Sophomore declamation contest for the Board of Control medals. Following this will be the colorful Junior-Senior Prom in the New Gymnasium at 10 P. M.

Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock President and Mrs. John J. Tigert will tender a reception to members of the 1931 graduating class and their friends.

The alumni Association Executive Council will convene for its regular commencement business meeting at 8 P. M. Saturday with President Spessard L. Holland, Bartow, presiding.

Sunday will bring the Baccalaureate sermon, to be preached by Dr. Henry D. Phillips, Columbia, S. C., long a distinguished churchman of the South. An organ recital at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon and a Vesper Tea from 5 until 7 P. M., given by the University Women's Club in honor of the faculty, seniors, their relatives and friends, are other features of the day's program.

Graduation day will be Monday, June 1, with exercises at 10 o'clock in the University auditorium. Dr. James Hampton Kirkland, chancellor of Vanderbilt University for almost 40 years, and one of the outstanding figures of present day education in America, will give the baccalaureate address.

Monday at 8 A. M., eight college breakfasts will be held in Gainesville at various places, following a practice inaugurated last year upon the recommendation of the alumni council that class reunions be dispensed with, and reunions by colleges substituted.

The Commerce and Journalism breakfast at the Gainesville Country Club will be addressed by R. G. Grassfield, general manager, of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce.

Gordon B. Knowles, LLB '16, Bradenton, will speak before the College of Law breakfast at the White House hotel.

Charles H. Overman, BSCE '11, Bagdad, will speak at the breakfast of the College Pharmacy.

President John J. Tigert, and Dr. Joseph Roemer will be the principal speakers at the College of Education breakfast.

DeLand Flier Taken Away In Car, Robbed

DELAND, May 25. —(AP)— Russel Ravenson, local aviator, told police today that he was lured from his home last night by two men who robbed him of $350.00 and took him blindfolded by automobile to Lake county where they left him tied to a log.

He said he later freed himself and hailed a ride back to DeLand. He said two men, either Italians or Greeks, came to his home and said a friend wished to see him in their car. Reaching the automobile he said the men forced him into the machine and drove away. Police notified surrounding towns.

DIPLOMAS ARE PRESENTED TO SCHOOL PUPILS

Elaborate Program Is Carried Out When Junior High Class Gets Certificates

With prominent civic and religious leaders of Sanford taking part in an elaborate program, exactly 111 young men and women, representing the eighth grade of the Sanford Junior High School, appearing before an audience of more than 500 parents, relatives, and friends who had gathered at the Junior High School Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock, heard many of their school mates lauded for various outstanding works done during the year; sang songs which they learned as first-graders; listened to an inspired address, and were awarded diplomas which entitled them to advancement to the Senior High School next year.

To the strains of the march, "Junior High", played by the orchestra, the 111 graduates entered the auditorium with the applause of the gathering ringing in their ears. Taking their places at the front of the auditorium, the pupils, joined by the audience, sang "America the Beautiful", before hearing Dr. F. M. Marler read from the Scripture and deliver a short invocation.

After a short musical interlude, during which time the orchestra played a number of school songs; the class sang "Florida", led by Prof. J. P. Brown; and heard an accordion solo by H. Hendel. H. C. DuBose, member of the board of trustee's, spoke briefly upon the splendid scholastic record which the pupils had earned during the year. He urged the group to maintain that record during their later school years, pointing out to them the rewards which follow a diligent and energetic pursuit of knowledge.

Then began the presentation of a series of awards which are made annually to pupils excelling in various subjects. S. Runge, on behalf of the Elks Club, presented the Elks Club Award for an essay on "Florida, the Best State in which to live". First prizes were won by Miss Ada Singletary and Hubbard Eubanks, who were each presented with $10 in gold and a gold medal. Second prizes were awarded to Miss Harriett Brown and George Smith Anderson, who each received $2.50 in gold, and a silver medal.

Mrs. John G. Leonardi, prominent Florida social and civic leader, speaking on behalf of the D. A. R., presented $5 in gold, to Miss Margaret Squires, for the highest average in American history.

The Scrap Book Award, offered to the pupil having the best scrap book on "Civics", was presented to Miss Harriett Brown, and George Smith Anderson, both of whom received from Prof. B. C. Steele, $1 in currency.

Prof. T. W. Lawton then announced that 50 members of the class would be awarded State Blue Ribbon Health Certificates. He made the presentation of the certificates, congratulating the winners for the past they had played in maintaining a high health standard not only for the

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MISS GERMANY

Here's "Miss Germany!" She is the Baroness Freyberg, better known in Berlin as Daisy D'Ora, screen star, who was recently chosen "Miss Germany" in a contest held in Berlin.

FAVORABLE VOTE ON CITY CHARTER CHANGE IS URGED

Lehman Calls On Citizens To Study Bill And To Support It

Calling upon every taxpayer to familiarize himself with the bill recently passed by the Legislature authorizing an amendment to Sanford's city charter for the purpose of forcing tax collections, City Commissioner H. J. Lehman addressed the following open letter to the citizens of Sanford today and urged that the amendment be voted on favorably June 8:

"The most important thing about a tax system is that it must be enforceable. Some one has said, 'The Early Settlers may have founded this Country, but the Prompt Settlers are the ones who keep it agoing.'

"How shall we vote on the bill passed by the present Legislature? The bill is an amendment to Sanford's City Charter, and the same has been published by the City Commission in detail in The Sanford Herald of date Saturday, May 16th. How many of you taxpayers have read it?

"The amendment authorizes the City Commission to collect by foreclosure on taxes, and provides for the sale of real properties in Sanford. We hope every taxpayer will read and study this bill which amends the City Charter. Let us have the details of the election, together with a free-for-all discussion of the bill. Let the people become thoroughly aroused, so that when the free-holders go to the polls on Monday, June 8th, to vote, they will know exactly what they are voting for or against.

"A part of our citizens are opposed to this amendment. The free holders will be given the opportunity, on Monday, June 8th, to accept or reject this amendment to Sanford's Charter. Let us, therefore, seriously consider this bill, so we shall know what will be for the best interests of our city. Shall we refuse to accept it," and let those who wilfully refuse to pay allow their taxes to become delinquent—(not because they do not have the money to pay with but because they know that by becoming delinquent for two or more

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CUBAN THREAT OF REVOLUTION NOW REMOVED

Leader Of Anti-Government Forces Is Handed Credit For Avoiding Bloodshed

HAVANA, May 25.—(AP)—Threat of revolution which hung over Cuba the last week has been suddenly removed, and the country yesterday looked with optimism toward a peaceful settlement of its political difficulties.

The crisis which threatened momentarily to reach a sanguinary climax is considered definitely over, due, not to stern measures adopted by the government to compel peace, but to the unexpected stand taken by Gen. Mario G. Menocal, twice president of the republic and one of the bitterest foes of the Machado administration.

When it seemed as though nothing could avert the threatened uprising, General Menocal, with thousands of followers in the interior of the island, sent couriers into the interior ordering the citizens to lay down thier arms.

"The solution can be reached without shedding of blood and destruction of property, if you have faith in my judgment do not use violence," was his message. Other opposition heads, including those of the Union Nacionalista, despite their personal dislike for the man who as president stamped out their 1917 revolution and made many of them prisoners, were quick to follow suit in declaring they did not approve of revolt at this time.

The supreme court ruled that the ex-supervisor be given civil trial on charges of authorizing many executions of political prisoners during his regime in Oriente, thus settling a question of jurisdiction which had been bitterly fought for nearly a month.

General Herrera had already appointed a tribunal of five army officers to try the commander.

3 Alleged Thieves Of One Auto Make Escape In Another

Because a negro resident of Pecan Avenue failed to notify police that three white persons were hiding in a dwelling he owned, Chief of Police Roy G. Williams and his assistants, after spending nearly two days in a day and night vigil of the lakefront swamp east of Mayfair searching for two young white men and a woman who escaped from a stolen automobile Thursday morning, lost an opportunity to effect the arrest of the trio by only a matter of an hour, early Saturday afternoon.

The trio, which is know to have been riding in a stolen automobile which was abandoned after a wild chase through Sanford early Thursday morning, is now believed to have made its escape by stealing an automobile belonging to Harry Weaver, local railroad employee. Mr. Weaver left his Ford coupe near the Milane Theater at about 1:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and when he left the theater at 3:00 o'clock, it was gone. It disappeared between the time the trio was known to have been routed from the dwelling on 10th Street and Pecan Avenue, and when it was last seen by several white residents of Pecan Avenue shortly after 2:00 o'clock.

According to the story told by Roscoe Martin, colored owner of several houses on Pecan Avenue, he noticed that someone had entered an unoccupied garage apartment on his property. Investigation revealed that the two missing white men and the woman were in the apartment. He ordered them to leave, but before he had finished speaking, the three had left the building.

At that time, he said, he did not know that they were under suspicion, and did not learn of it until nearly two hours later, when, after telling friends what he had done, he was told they were wanted for the theft of an automobile. He called police headquarters at once, and a search was immediately begun in which Chief Williams had every available policeman, deputy sheriff, railroad police, and several private citizens engaged.

Story Of Wealth In Oil And Gold Is Told About Wild Mexican Territory

MEXICO CITY, May 25.—(AP)—An area in Mexico almost flowing in petroleum, rich in gold, lead and silver, and inhabited by wild Tiapenec and Mixtec Indians, was described yesterday by Miss Anita Brenner, author, on her return from a four months trip into remote areas of Guerrero and Oaxaca States.

Miss Brenner said the natives of the region are so superstitious that they believe strangers will kill them with such devices as movie cameras and washing machines and then cut up their bodies to obtain fuel. They do not know what airplanes are and believe bulky matter can be sent by radio.

Sponsored by the Guggenheim Foundation with a fellowship to study primitive Mexican Indian life and art, Miss Brenner and her husband, Dr. David Glusker, of Brooklyn, N. Y., traveled on horseback and on foot through the region, which is only about 400 miles from Mexico City.

"For an area of 300 miles," Miss Brenner related, "this country is tremendously rich in minerals and oil, and yet the Indians there live in abject poverty because of their ignorance and superstitions.

"In that whole great area we did not encounter a single river or spring where the waters were not polluted by oil seepage. Petroleum drops from the hillsides, there are asphalt seepages everywhere, good anthracite coal can be picked up and lead can be cut from the rocks.

"Locations of gold mines are closely guarded secrets but they take out gold in quantities to supply money for their meagre wants."

"Strangers are not welcomed in the area. Outsiders are tolerated in certain towns but in others they are killed without warning if they wander too close to hidden gold mines or idol shrines."

The author and her husband

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Celeryfeds Place Their Hope Of First Victory This Year On Shoulders Of Bud Lake

By PETER SCHAAL

Upon the slim shoulders of the 17-year-old Buddy Lake, whose fast ball had the Daytona Beach Islanders hopping here last Sunday, will be placed the responsibility of taking the leading part in Sanford's first win in the Central Florida Baseball League as the local team meets the Cocoa Indians at Municipal Park tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Young Lake will go to the hill tomorrow afternoon with a confidence born of a nice piece of work against a set of really experienced ball-players. When he came to the relief of Cal Dennis last Sunday, he went in the box without any preliminary warming up whatever. Yet, he turned in a splendid piece of work despite the fact that a dozen hits were manufactured off his delivery. He had the visiting outfit plenty worried, and on more than one occasion, some of those old-timers had one foot in the dugout, evidently not wishing to be in the way of one of Buddy's fast ones.

Lake will be backed by what has at last developed into a fast and smoothly working infield, and a set of outfielders who have turned in some mighty nice work. Behind the bat, Allen, the former University of Florida catcher, will handle Lake's offering. Allen looked like a million dollars in last Thursday's game I am told, although he failed to scratch out a hit in four trips. He is expected to round into fine shape before the season grows much older however, and his big bat will be ringing around the circuit, without a doubt.

The popular and hard-working Roy Britt will cover the initial sack; "Goldie" Higgins will fit in at second; Manager Deetch at short; and Roy Harrison, the bullet-throwing boy, at third. That's a fast machine, that infield, and, with three games behind them in which they have had a cance to get used to each other's style of play, tomorrow's performance ought to be plenty satisfactory.

Jimmy Wright will take over one of the outer gardens, Bill Biggers and Julian Ponder the other spots. Lefty McLanahan's big bat is needed however, and he may be stationed in the field before the game is over. Efforts to secure one of the DeLand players who has been released to make room for some University of Florida players have resulted in assurance that we will get one player whose ability has often been recognized. His name is Lopez, and he is a combination pitcher and infielder. He ought to be arsenic for us when we meet the DeLand outfit again, for there is no doubt but that he will try his best to show Manager Randle that he pulled a crock when he let Lopez go.

On the fact of things, the Celery Feds have a great chance of bringing in their first victory for the Cocoa outfit has been able to win but two games out of six so far. They have a whale of a ball club on paper, but, for some reason or other, their pitching, like ours, has not matched up with the rest of the team's play. When the pitching is good, the batting and fielding is bad, and vice-versa.

Their star hurler, Bill Strickland, the former Georgia Tech ace, will be on the hill for them tomorrow, and, if Bill is right, it will be too bad. That's one pitcher who has the stuff when he is right. But, when he isn't right, it's just too bad for his mates because he gets knocked all over the lot. Bill is a lanky youngster whose modesty is his chief asset. If you want to see a hard-working set of youngsters perform, be on hand tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 when Strickland opposes Lake. It ought to be a battle.

Sanford fans ought to remember at least two more of the Cocoa players. They have the best shortstop in the league—none other than Johnny Calbreth, the square jawed, duplity-built boy who was a Florida State League star for three years. He has been doing some fine batting, while his fielding ability has never been questioned. Their third-baseman, Schiller, is the best of the lot, that is, until Tommy Pittman gets back to Winter Park. He is one of the most dangerous sluggers in the league. The veteran central Florida player, Eddie Harrell, is another player who may be remembered by local fans.

Sanford has not won a game in [illegible] starts. Cocoa has won two and lost four. It looks like a battle of [illegible] enders. If Sanford wins, we [illegible] only one half game from the [illegible] position, and next Thursday, [illegible] we beat the Islanders, and [illegible] Saints while the Cocoa boys, [illegible] Who said we didn't [illegible]

OH YEAH?

By PETER SCHAAL

While only three games were scheduled to be played in the Big Show yesterday because the Eastern teams were traveling back to their bailiwicks after a successfull foray into the West, old Jupiter Pulvius and his cohorts conspired to cause the postponement of two of those games. So, while every body sat back and watched and waited for whatever might happen in the only other scheduled game, word came over the wires that the Brooklyn Robins, kicked and cuffed about all year long, went out an won themselves two ball games in one day, to put them in fifth place, the nearest they have been to the first division since the season began!

The as yet latent $23,000 pitching arm of the Celo-sponsoring Dazzy Vance uncorked a series of hooks, twists, and slow-balls which completely baffled the Philly sluggers, and the Robins came over the wire leading by a 3 to 2 score. Dazzy's fine pitching did it, for, he not only held the home team to seven hits, but struck out seven men. The Robins gathered but seven hits off Benge and Watt though, having the good fortune to bunch most of them in sixth when after O'Doul had doubled, Wright and Bissonnette singled, the first two scoring when Gilbert's long fly was caught so far away from the plate that two runs came over. Dazzy had to leave the game in the first part of the ninth because he was struck on the cheek by a batted ball from the bat of Pinkey Whitney. It will take at least two stitches before the Vance's manly beauty will be restored. Old Jack Quinn took up the hurling duties when Dazzy left the contest, and put down a threatened Philly rally.

Well, with one game safely tucked away in the win column, the Robins proceeded to get them another by taking the nightcap by the score of 5 to 2. Joe Shaute, the Cleveland castoff, pitched and won his fourth game of the year over the Phillies. He let the Phillies down with six hits. The Robins did their scoring because of the big bats of Herman and Frederick. Herman hit a homer in the third with two on, while Johnny Frederick hit one with none on in the sixth. Pinkey Whitney punched out a homer for the Phillies in the seventh.

The leaders to date: Homers, Arlett, Phillies, 9; triples, Worthington, Braves, Simmons, Athletics, Cronin, Senators, 5 each; doubles, Alexander, Tigers, 15; stolen bases, Chapman, Yanks, 9; runs batted in, Simmons, Athletics, 33; most shut-out wins, Fitzsimmons, Giants, Seibold, Braves, 2 each; most strike outs one game, Johnson, Yanks, 12; most bases on balls, one game, Morris, Red Sox, Frasier White Sox, 10 each; most runs, Klein, Phillies 32; most hits, Cronin, Senators, 49.

Onetime Official Of Legion Is Guilty Of Embezzlement

PONTIAC, Mich., May 23.—(AP)—Willis M. Brewer, a former national vice commander of the American Legion, was convicted yesterday of embezzling $2500 from the legion orphans' billet at Otter Lake, Mich.

It was testified Brewer obtained that sum in 1928 from the Oakland county board of supervisors as an appropriation for the billet, of which he was a trustee, and converted it to his own use. At the time he was chairman of the county board of auditors. Formerly he had been Michigan state commander of the legion. Sentence will be imposed June 19.

Brewer was dropped from the rolls of the American Legion last Jan. [illegible], when it was found he had been called in the draft but had not served in the army because of physical disability. He spent a few days in Camp Custer waiting for his medical certificate of disability.

Brewer was indicted by a grand jury in the course of a [illegible]

'NO FOOLIN' By Stookie Allen

How They Stand

CENTRAL FLORIDA LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Winter Park	5	1	.825
DeLand	4	2	.667
Daytona	4	2	.667
St. Augustine	3	3	.500
Cocoa	2	4	.333
Sanford	0	6	.000

Games Sunday:
Cocoa at Sanford.
DeLand at Daytona.
Winter Park at St. Augustine.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	20	7	.741
New York	18	10	.643
Washington	19	12	.613
Detroit	16	18	.471
Chicago	12	17	.414
Cleveland	12	18	.400
Boston	11	18	.379
St. Louis	9	17	.346

Yesterday's Results
All games rained out.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	16	7	.696
New York	18	8	.692
Boston	16	11	.593
Chicago	13	12	.515
Brooklyn	14	17	.451
Pittsburgh	13	16	.450
Philadelphia	13	17	.433
Cincinnati	6	21	.222

Yesterday's Results

Philadelphia	100 010 000—2	7	1
Brooklyn	001 002 000—3	7	1

Batteries: Vance, Quinn, and Lopez; Benge, Watt and Davis.

Second Game:

Philadelphia	000 010 100—2	6	2
Brooklyn	003 001 001—5	10	1

Batteries: Shaute and Lombardi; Collins and Davis.

Investigation, as yet not complete, of the affairs of Oakland county. Four other persons have been found guilty recently of misuse of school funds.

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PAINTERS AND CARPENTERS NOTICE

At ten o'clock on Wednesday morning, June 3, 1931, the board of public instruction will receive sealed bids on painting and repairing the WILSON SCHOOL at PAOLA, Florida. Each bid must be sealed and accompanied by a certified check in the sum of ten dollars, and addressed to Supt. T. W. Lawton, Court House, Sanford, Florida. Specifications may be obtained from the superintendent.

Board of Public Instruction,
Seminole County, Florida,

FRED T. WILLIAMS, Chairman.
T. W. LAWTON, Secretary

CHAIRS FOR SALE

At ten o'clock on Wednesday morning, June 3, 1931, sealed bids will be received by the board of public instruction at the court house, Sanford, Florida, on one hundred fifty (150) used chairs. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of ten dollars and addressed to Supt. T. W. Lawton, Court House, Sanford, Florida. For further information call on Supt. T. W. Lawton.

Board of Public Instruction,
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Rain, Hail, High Wind Hit Area Of Virginia

ROANOKE, Va., May 23—(AP)—Torrential rains and hail, accompanied by high wind and lightning, caused one death and an unestimated damage to crops in a large area of South west Virginia today. There was extensive damage to crops also in widely separated sections of South Carolina.

Patrick Grubb, farmer, at Thomas Valley, Virginia, was killed by lightning. Streets and basements were flooded at Bluefield. The storm lashed across Giles county and uprooted trees at Pearisburg. Traffic was stopped for an hour at Marion. Hail covered the ground in Henry and Giles counties damaging crops. Florence and Greenville, South Carolina, also suffered from hail which beat down crops.

PRINCESS

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Sunday

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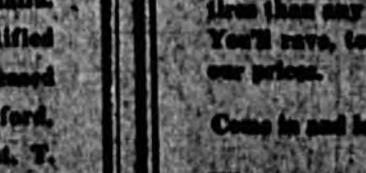
"The Lone Defender"
also
"The Leather Pushers"

To-Night

Big city stealers pick a hideaway in the hottest nest of fighting men they ever met!



Talkartoon
Comedy
Sunday

NOTICE TO SAVINGS ACCOUNT DEPOSITORS

SANFORD ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK

SANFORD, FLORIDA

In keeping with the prevailing level of money rates, effective July 1st, 1931, the Sanford Atlantic National Bank has amended its rules controlling Savings Accounts, so that interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum will be allowed, computed semi-annually, on July 1st and January 1st; interest shall be computed only for full months on the balance which remains on deposit at the close of the semi-annual interest period; deposits made on or before the 5th day of a month will draw interest from the first day of said month, except that no interest will be allowed on deposits made on or after the 6th day of the fifth month of semi-annual interest period.

SANFORD ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK.

CARPENTERS AND PAINTERS NOTICE

At ten o'clock on Wednesday morning, June 3, 1931, the board of public instruction will receive sealed bids on painting and repairs on the LAKE MONROE SCHOOL building. Specifications may be obtained at the superintendent's office at the court house. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of twenty-five dollars and addressed to Superintendent T. W. Lawton, Court House, Sanford, Florida.

BOARD OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
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ROCKEY'S TIRE SHOP

[illegible]

[illegible] Sanford Herald [illegible]

[illegible] MAY 25, 1931

[illegible] VERSE FOR TODAY

[illegible] SAID:—Blessed are the [illegible] heart: for they shall see [illegible]

[illegible] tax has been suggested [illegible] advertising. What advertising?

[illegible] county doctors are asking [illegible] legislature to legalize whiskey [illegible] as a medicine. And then [illegible] Florida as the most un[illegible] state in the union.

[illegible] is to have a $750,000 [illegible] plant if plans of local horse[illegible] develop. We presume there [illegible] be efforts made to put rac[illegible] in most of the large counties [illegible] state.

[illegible] Atlanta Constitution sug[illegible] that someone take a picture [illegible] Chairman Raskob over in [illegible]—riding a camel. If he [illegible] around the Sahara long [illegible], he's liable to become a [illegible] himself.

[illegible] then there was the young [illegible] who heard 'em talking about [illegible] "canning factory" which [illegible] reported as coming to Sanford, [illegible] thought it was a cannon [illegible]. Well, why not? Since we [illegible] going to make gunpowder out [illegible], we might as well have [illegible] factory, or something to [illegible] the bull with.

[illegible] marry in one section of [illegible] court house in Reno, step in[illegible] another section and secure a [illegible]. Nevada ought to pass a [illegible] that every man should at [illegible] know the name of his in[illegible] wife before the marriage [illegible]ceremony.—Times-Union. There [illegible] to be a law against putting [illegible] on another woman be[illegible] divorcing your wife.

[illegible] Saturday's issue of the Orlando [illegible]-Star quotes W. M. Davis, [illegible] of Orlando's prominent rac[illegible] enthusiasts as saying, when [illegible] to comment upon the passage [illegible] pari-mutuel bill, that al[illegible] he believed Orange coun[illegible] would never vote to legalize [illegible] form of gambling, he felt sure [illegible] the sentiment in Seminole [illegible] would sanction the prac[illegible].

[illegible] Representative Watson of Hills[illegible] in explaining his vote on [illegible] racetrack bill said: "I vote aye [illegible] I am tired of the disre[illegible] of law heretofore existing in [illegible] with the operation of [illegible] tracks in this state and the [illegible] of our responsible officials [illegible] enforce that law. Corruption [illegible] graft has been testified to and [illegible] uncontradicted on the floor [illegible] Senate during the present [illegible] and nothing was done [illegible] it, either by the executive [illegible] legislative committees."

[illegible] interesting system of racke[illegible] has been uncovered in [illegible] county which might [illegible]

The Income Tax

Secretary Mellon objects to the income tax.

In a radio address Saturday night "the greatest secretary of the treasury since Hamilton" pointed out that two-thirds of the government's revenue is derived from the income tax which is subject to sweeping variations due to ever changing periods of prosperity and depression.

The cost of government is more or less constant. At least, over any great length of time, it is constantly increasing. But incomes are not constant. As a whole they may be tremendous this year, and almost insignificantly small next year, just as the individual's may be ten thousand dollars this year and only four thousand next year. Consequently the revenue derived by the government from income tax sources varies greatly as the incomes vary.

This year the government is faced with an eight hundred million dollar deficit, due entirely to declining incomes. Last year, as everyone knows, was a bad year in the business world. Few indeed there were who made any money at all. Incomes dropped from hundreds of thousands to mere thousands. Consequently the revenue which the government is deriving from last year's incomes is considerably less than anticipated, and the government will have to make tremendous loans in order to take care of the deficit.

It is this situation which Secretary Mellon would seek to correct. "The situation in which we find ourselves at present, with a serious deficit facing us at the end of the year," the Secretary declares, "raises the question as to whether we have yet developed a sufficiently well balanced system to provide the revenues on which the government must be able to count from year to year." He does not say what system he would approve, but he intimates he would do away with the income tax system to a large extent.

It seems to us that the present situation in the government's finances might be met by borrowing this year and increasing the income TAX RATE next year sufficiently to take care of the deficit. While all incomes are lower this year than last, it nevertheless seems to us more reasonable to tax those with reduced incomes, than those with no incomes at all. While the capitalist's income may have fallen from one hundred thousand a year to fifty thousand, a man can still live on that and pay a tax too.

But the man with an income of two thousand dollars last year, who has been thrown out of a job this year, would certainly have a great deal of difficulty paying any tax at all.

The income tax system may be subject to certain imperfections, but the principle of taxing those most who can afford to pay most, is certainly right.

Consolidation

The numerous governmental entities which go to make up Greater Miami have started a movement which, while it may produce nothing beneficial in the near future, may eventually result in very material savings to the taxpayers. The county commissioners, the school board, the city commissioners of Miami, Miami Beach, Coral Gables, Hialeah, Miami Shores, all have duties very similar which might easily be managed in the interest of economy by a single board.

"Immediately it becomes apparent, as the budgets of the various corporations are compared, that there is duplication of effort in many respects," says the Miami Daily News. "Each, in some measure, is carrying out welfare work independent of the other, for example. Each is performing many services independently, in fact, that could be given at less cost if the efforts were coordinated. Each had thought it had done well in paring expenses, but consolidation of agencies in recognition of mutual interests puts a different light on this. The directors are finding many things to do, now they are together, trying to work in closer harmony.

"We support in Greater Miami 10 distinctly local governments—eight municipal corporations, the county and the school board—not to mention the minor governmental units of special or school districts. If any resident of Greater Miami can name even the mayors of all eight cities in the area—Miami, Miami Beach, Coral Gables, South Miami, Hialeah, Country Club Estates, Opa-Locka and Miami Shores—he deserves a memory prize.

"If we are to consider the entity of interests in Greater Miami seriously we cannot doubt that its affairs could be administered more economically and efficiently by a consolidation of our multiple governmental units. With proper representation of the various sections and proper adjustments of tax rates for the various areas, we might conduct this administration through a single corporation with no more serious harm than a drastic cut in the ranks of professional officeholders.

"An intriguing subject, this coordination of our governmental structures! There is no possibility of any of the suggested major changes being accomplished this year. They would require legislative action that could not be rushed through the present session and two years will not be too long to devote to study of such questions. The work the joint committee now begins, however, may lead to some such far-off goal as Greater Miami, Inc., the simple application of sound business practice to public affairs."

NEW YORK INSIDE OUT

BY SAM LOVE

In regular military formation, [illegible] army airplanes fly over Chicago with no casualties. They proceed immediately across northern Indiana and Ohio.

Previously [illegible] of these planes had skimmed Ohio and Indiana. One plane, its gasoline stopped, was forced to land, but no great harm was done. [illegible]

[illegible]

court. The countries opposing the agreement say it violates treaty agreements to which Germany and Austria are party.

This makes an ideal use for the world court. The dispute is a question of law and questions of law are the specialty of a court. Interpretation of international conventions is named as the first formal function of the world court.

American opponents of cooperation with the world court say that the court is an agent of the League of Nations, that its decisions [illegible]

[illegible]

the world court come from countries which can be counted as military powers or dominating nations. Cuba, Salvador, Belgium, China and Colombia can outvote in the court France, Great Britain, Italy and Japan, the four military powers in the League of Nations.

This makes the most conspicuous case yet before the world court. If the court decides against Germany and Austria, its American critics can say that was because France, Great Britain and the other league powers control the court. If the court decides in favor of Germany and Austria its American critics can say that is a smoke screen to hide the fact that the court is controlled by these powers. The critics of the world court will not run out of something to say.

Critics of our American supreme court were saying 90 years ago that it was under the thumb of the slave power. Critics of that court have said since that it is under the thumb of the money power. Some day the majority of the court will be of the Holmes Brandeis complexion and then the court will be charged by shocked conservatives with going bolshevik.

Losing litigants can always cuss the courts. Nevertheless, no way has been found to do without them. We did too long without them in international matters. What happened between 1914 and 1918 was the price of that delay. Now we have a world court, and the sooner the United States is in it, the better.

Or can't we bear to quit the exclusive company in which as outsiders, we find ourselves. There are eight besides the United States: Russia, Turkey, Afghanistan, Mexico, Ecuador, Argentina, Egypt, Honduras.

A country is known by the company it keeps.

Addition and subtraction are the simplest forms of arithmetic. Multiplication and division are almost as universally understood. No higher forms of mathematics are needed to figure out Florida's tax problem. We are trying to add to the amount of property we can collect taxes from, subtract from the tax bills of those who now pay, multiply values and divide burdens.

Here, then, is a simple problem in arithmetic:

Florida had a property valuation of $575,000,000 shown on its tax books for 1930. The average tax rate for state and county was 90 mills, or nine cents to be collected on each dollar. How much should Florida collect? Answer: $51,750,00.

Here is a little harder problem: The state's share o what was 14 1-4 mills, or $.01425 multiplied by $575,000,000, and the counties' share averaged 75 3-4 mills, or $.07575 multiplied by $575,000,000. How much should each receive? Answer: State, $8,193,750; counties, $43,556,250.

The first part of Florida's tax problem, as we said, is to add to the property from which we can collect taxes. We had $575,000,000 to draw on last year. Approximately $500,000,000 of this was real estate; the remaining $75,000,000 was personal property.

This same year there was more than $2,500,000,000 of fire insurance in orce in Florida. We will assume that $1,500,000,000 of this was on real estate improvements and $1,000,000,000 was insurance on personal property. In addition to this it is conservatively estimated that there is $2,000,000,000 worth of personal property that is not insured. Suppose we place this $3,000,000,000 worth of personal property on the tax books at a value equal to that of the real estate already on the state and county books, or at only one-sixth the estimated true value. We then would have:

Real property	$ 500,000,000
Personal	500,000,000
Total	$1,000,000,000

With $1,000,000,000 worth of property to collect taxes on, and with collection assured by provision to sell the property for taxes when the levy was not paid, the state could reduce its millage from 14.25 to [illegible] mills and the county from 75.[illegible] to 43.[illegible] mills, or a total tax rate of only [illegible] mills against the present 90 mills. [illegible]

[illegible]

THE PET PIG

Splendid! But let us not be deceived as to how much this actually will change the situation. Let us stick to our arithmetic a moment longer. It is more reliable than political orations, when the pocketbook is concerned.

Multiply the $500,000,000 assessed valuation of real estate on state and county tax books in 1930 by $.01325 and the answer is $6,625,000. This is the amount of burden that would be lifted from the backs of our real estate owners by removing all but the one-mill tax levy required by state constitution for school purposes.

It is $12,505,000 less than would be saved to the real-estate owners of the state by making the assessed valuation of our personal property only one-sixth of the true value.

There is no need, of course, to keep 13 1-4 mills of state tax on real estate if it can be replaced temporarily by taxation on other classes of property better able to pay. There is no question that real estate needs an opportunity to recover from the effects of carrying nearly 90 per cent of our tax load.

We can well afford, then, to increase the valuation of personal property slightly above one-sixth—theoretically, property is assessed at half its true value in Florida—and can eliminate the 13 1-4 mills, making it up on taxation of personal property which has yielded so little to the government in the past.

With $3,000,000,000 worth of personal property that has been represented by only $75,000,000 on our tax books, we can do even more in that direction without approaching the excessive burden placed upon real estate in the past.

Is it not reasonable, in fact, to assume that with the help of the six-cent gasoline tax now in effect (a tax that produced approximately $13,370,000 last year), with the new inheritance tax that, once in operation, is expected to bring in a few additional millions annually, and with the tax on intangibles our constitution provides, although we have not used it in the past, we can struggle along, if we stick to arithmetic rather than politics and use the tax sources we have?

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Social And Personal Activities

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Social Calendar

TUESDAY.

The Dependable Class of the First Methodist Sunday School will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the church annex.

The regular bridge party of the Social Department of the Woman's Club will be held at 2:45 o'clock at the club rooms with Mrs. A. J. Peterson and Mrs. J. C. Mitchell as hostesses. Reservations must be made by Monday night with Mrs. R. A. Smith. An important called business meeting will precede the party at which time auction and contract bridge will be played.

WEDNESDAY.

Betty Ball Brown's annual spring dance revue and Yowell's first fashion revue will be presented at 8:15 o'clock at the City Hall auditorium.

THURSDAY.

Special meeting of Seminole Chapter Number Two Order of the Eastern Star will be held at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Temple.

FRIDAY.

Monthly meeting of the N. de V. Howard Chapter of the U. D. C. will be held at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. M. S. Wiggins, 1217 Magnolia Avenue, with Mrs. Wiggins and Mrs. B. L. Perkins as hostesses. Since June 3 is the birthday of Jefferson Davis, the U. D. C. will observe that anniversary at the meeting Friday.

Piano recital by the pupils of Miss Madeline Mallem will take place at 8 o'clock at the Woman's Club rooms on Oak Avenue.

School Honor Roll Announced For May

The Sanford Grammar School has announced the names of the following boys and girls for the scholastic honor roll for the month of May: Room 1, Ray Lord, John McMahan, Mack Watkins, Volie Williams, Jr., Ann Benson, Louise Hardin, Doris Lake, Donna Morgan, Mary Talbott, Daphne Takach and Jean Zorn; Room 2, Richard Lundquist, Joanne Azzarello, [illegible] Jehu, Mildred Edmondson and [illegible] Taylor; Room 3, James Tew, Grady Gallant, Marjorie Cogburn, Annie Bell Mathvin, Margaret Van Ness, Doris Rinehart and Jewell Betts.

Room 4, Hubert Smith, Robert Zittrower, Marguerite Buchanan, Anita Cassady, Thelma Hughes, Ella Maud Jones, Edith Merritt, Mary Jane McCally, Doris Patterson and Marie Sipes; Room 5, Fred Ganas, Donald Lamson, Andrew Myers, Walter Stovall, Raymond Monsalvatge, Clara Mae Brooks, Lelia Caldwell, Louise Johnston, Nancy Rossetter and Cecilia Truluck.

Room 6, Charles Brady, Chum Stanley, Doris Dorner, Mildred Hodges, Dorothy Stewart, Minnie Strange, and Lenora Whiddon; Room 7, Antoinette Hoyes, Ann Jones, Evelyn Cates, Kathleen Leithaiser, Constance Meisch, Winona Purvis, Elizabeth Tuten, Eleanor Watt, Roderick Adams, Grady Allen, Boyd Coleman and Lewis Wright; Room 8, Vivian Butler, Marian Clause, Marian [illegible], Mary Frances Lord, [illegible] Kean, Marvin Avery, James Bradford, D. B. Hodges and Claude Whiddon.

Room 9, Julian Adams, Leon Veer, James Pearson, Winston [illegible], Mildred Banks, Ellen [illegible], Helen Chapman, Mary Higg[illegible], Mary Lou [illegible], Virginia M[illegible], Arline Richter, Edith Singletary and Dorothy Warren.

Ware Home Scene Of Co-Ed Class Meeting

The home of Judge and Mrs. R. W. Ware on Palmetto Avenue was the scene of the regular business meeting of the Co-Ed Class of the First Methodist Church held on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Following the business session a short social period was enjoyed when refreshments were served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Sims, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

Piano Recital Given By Pupils Of School

Quantities of pink gladioli and fern were arranged in pedestal baskets, and large branches of bamboo were used to adorn the rooms of the Woman's Club on Oak Avenue Friday evening when the pupils of Miss Margaret Lucille Davis presented a piano recital with Mrs. F. Arthur Hazard, soprano, assisting.

The guests were received at the door by Mrs. J. N. Tolar and Mrs. W. C. Hill. Programs were distributed by John and Harry Joe Minarik, while Mrs. G. H. Brown and Lester Phillips had charge of the flowers which were presented to participants on the program.

At the close of the program a pink and white ice course was served by Miss Davis, assisted by Mrs. J. C. Mitchell, Mrs. M. S. Wiggins, Mrs. A. M. Philips, Mrs. W. A. Leffler and Mrs. B. L. Perkins.

Of special interest on the program were the songs rendered by Mrs. F. Arthur Hazard. The entire musical numbers were presented as follows:

1. Overture, "The Caliph of Bagdad", Boieldieu—Martha Bishop and Dorothy Marshall.
2. "Romanza", Marschard Ritter—Eleanor Hickson.
3. "Dialogue" by Bilbro—Gertrude Hunter.
4. "The Japanese Toy Man", Gaynor Blake—Margaret Spencer and Miss Davis.
5. "The Cello", Mattingly—Frances Johnson.
6. "Valse Caprice", Rathbun—Florine Lotz.
7. "Circling 'Round", Wright—Sylvia McLendon.
8. "Runaway Horses", Bilbro—Billy Brown.
9. "Waltz in F Major", Bilbro—Ruth Kinard.
10. "March", Giebel—Sue and Kenneth Harrison.
11. "Dance of Water Witches", Montague Ewing—Jane Sharon.
12. "Mazurka", Spindler—Virginia McRory.
13. "Ripples", Lawson—Betty Lotz.
14. "Concert Gavotte", Newton Swift—Mary Louise and Virginia Meriwether.
15. "Concert Caprice", Wachs—Mildred Hodges.
16. "In May", Franz Behr—Saidee Williams.
17. "Hungarian Polka", Rathbun—Mary Chapman and Anna Bell Brown.
18. "Sing, Robin, Sing", Spaulding—Robert Pearson.
19. "Gavotte", K. Kohlmann—Caroline Hill.
20. "Marche", Wright—Elizabeth Leffler.
21. "Fairy Whispers", Preston—Marian Estridge.
22. "Signs of Spring", Rowe—Martha Duane Telford and Mildred Wells.
23. "Mazurka Brillante", Forwater—Lenora Whidden.
24. "Military March", Engelmann—Joe Stewart and Julian Adams.
25. "Minuet, Opus 14, Number One" Paderewski—Frances Pearson.
26. "L'Amour - Toujours - L'Amour", Rudolph Friml—Mrs. F. Arthur Hazard.
27. "Swallows", Paul Bliss—Louise Packard.
28. "Pink Pearls", Spaulding—Louise Perkins and Mary Wiggins.
29. "The Lost Kitten", Spaulding—Muriel Knox.
30. "Swaying Boughs", Bachman—Dorothy Wiggins.
31. "Dance Hongrouse", Duval—Dorothy Mitchell.
32. "Mazurka, Opus 37", Albert Locke Norris—Ralph Tolar.
33. "Valse Brillante", Bilbro—Anna Ball Brown.
34. "Second Mazurka, Opus 54", Godard—Martha Bishop.
35. "[illegible]", Schmaidler—Hazel Harvey.
36. "Impromptu Brillante", Arnaldo Sartorio—Dorothy Marshall.

MISS NEAL MARRIED

Miss Elsie Jane Neal, formerly of this city, now of Fredericksburg, Md., and Robert E. Cook, of Prince Frederick, Md., were married quietly on Tuesday, May 12, at [illegible] by the Rev. E. T. [illegible]. Miss Neal was a nurse [illegible] Memorial Hospital. The [illegible] will make their home at [illegible].

Personals

Mrs. Acey Carraway is the guest of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Jacky Cameron, at her home on Laurel Avenue, for a short time.

Mrs. Glenn Lingle and son, Glenn, Jr., returned yesterday from Cairo and other points in Illinois where she has been visiting relatives for the past few weeks.

Friends of Miss Mary Helen Moye will be glad to learn that she is able to be out again after being ill at her home on South Sanford Avenue for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Markell entertained with a dinner party Saturday night at their home, Edgewater Farm, in honor of Mrs. George S. Witmer, who celebrated her birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bartholdi Peterson and Mrs. Robert W. Sims, of Jacksonville, who were the guests of S. J. Starling at his home on Magnolia Avenue, returned to Jacksonville Sunday.

Promotion Exercises Are Held At School

With over 200 people present, promotion exercises were held on Friday evening at the Wilson School at Paola. The first part of the entertainment was presented by the elementary grades and was followed by the promotion exercises for the eighth grade. Judge J. G. Sharon, the speaker of the evening, gave an address which proved inspirational to the parents as well as the children.

The auditorium was decorated with green leaves which formed a suitable background for quantities of magnolia blossoms and petunias. The edge of the stage was banked with shrubs while Easter lilies and gladioli furnished by Harry Wing, of Lake Mary, were arranged in other parts of the auditorium.

The program was given as follows:

1. Class History, Marion Jammes.
2. "The Inevitable," Herman Spivey.
3. Class Will, Woodrow Hanson.
4. High School Next, Fred Jammes.
5. This Class in 1951, Edith Steakley.
6. Presentation of Diplomas, R. E. True, principal.
7. Address to Graduating Class, Judge J. G. Sharon.
8. Presentation of Class Gift to School, Ralph Pearson.

Dance And Fashion Revue To Be Staged

Plans are being completed for the annual Spring dance revue of Betty Ball Brown's Dancing School and the first fashion revue of the Yowell Company which will be held on Wednesday evening at 8:15 o'clock at the City Hall with the Campbell-Lossing Post of the American Legion as sponsor.

The program for the evening will open by depicting a spring morning and will then show scenes of a spring day and close with the spring evening. Music for the dancing will be furnished by Mero's Orchestra.

A feature of the evening will be a military tap dance which will be presented by Miss Doris Jackson, last year's cup winner of the dancing school. This number will be dedicated to the American Legion. During the revue a cup will be presented to the child of the dancing school who has accomplished the most during the 1930-1931 season.

Following the music and dance number the hall will be cleared for dancing which will continue until late in the evening.

HONOR ROLL ANNOUNCED

The faculty of the Sanford Grammar School has announced that the following pupils of the Grammar School have been placed on the honor roll for the school term of 1930-1931: Room 1, Jean Zorn, Daphne Takach and Donna Morgan; Room 2, Richard Lundquist; Room 3, James Tew; Room 4, Thelma Hughes; Room 5, Nancy Rossetter and Cecilia Truluck; Room 6, Doris Dorner and Minnie Strange; Room 7, Winona Purvis; Room 8, James Bradford, Vivian Butler, Marian Clause and D. B. Hodges; Room 9, Dorothy Warren, Helen Chapman and Mary Lou Lyles.

Mrs. Puleston Gives Party Honoring Club

Developing a color scheme of [illegible] pink and white, with the quantities of pink radiance roses, shasta daisies and lavender verbena arranged about the living rooms of the home of Mrs. Samuel Puleston in Rose Court when she entertained the members of the Saturday Club and a number of other guests with a bridge party on Saturday afternoon. The tallies were designed to represent bathing girls.

After several progressions of bridge, high score prize for the club members went to Mrs. R. A. Newman, while high score prize for the other guests was given to Mrs. Ralph B. Wight. Both received bathing bags. Mrs. W. J. Thigpen, who cut high, was the recipient of a guest room powder set.

At the tea hour a salad and sweet course was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. D. L. Thrasher, Mrs. R. A. Newman, Mrs. W. E. Watson, Mrs. J. E. Brouse, Mrs. A. G. Covington and Mrs. J. C. Benson. Those present were: Mrs. R. A. Newman, Mrs. D. L. Thrasher, Mrs. S. R. Dighton, Mrs. J. G. Sharon, Mrs. W. J. Thigpen, Mrs. J. E. Brouse, Mrs. George D. Bishop, Mrs. George A. DeCottes, Mrs. J. C. Benson, Mrs. Ralph B. Wight, Mrs. R. R. Deas, Mrs. H. B. Lewis, Mrs. A. G. Covington, Mrs. W. C. Hill, Mrs. A. P. Connelly, Mrs. C. R. Kirtley and two tea guests, Mrs. W. E. Watson and Mrs. Orion Burnett.

Piano Recital Given At Shinholser Home

Complimenting their parents and immediate families, the pupils of Mrs. C. W. Shinholser presented a program of piano music on Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Shinholser on Oak Avenue. What was considered a very appreciative audience gathered at Mrs. Shinholser's home for the occasion.

The program was given as follows:

1. "An Evening Song," Bilbro, Ruby Boniske.
2. "The Bugle," and "Out in the Snow," Bilbro, Marjorie Newman.
3. "Rose Petals," Lawson, Joyce Hunt.
4. "Pit-a-Pat," Kern, Douglas Bills.
5. "Amaryllis," Ghys, Ella Maude Jones.
6. "The Fountain," Bohn, Antoinette Hayes.
7. "Edelweiss Glide," Vanderbeck, Joyce Keeling.
8. "Waltz in E flat," Durand, Marjorie Boniske.
9. "To Spring," and "The Butterfly," Greig, Helen Wilson.
10. "Sextette from Lucia," Donizetti, Dorothy Smith.
11. "Venetienne," Godard, Doris Hopkins.
12. "Harpe Eolienne," Smith, Margaret Squires.
13. "Valse Caprice," Newland, Aldine Harrison.
14. "Deep River," Coloridge-Taylor, Doris Hopkins.
15. "Polonaise Opus 40 Number One," Chopin, Helen Wilson.

Mrs. Huff Is Hostess At Party Saturday

Mrs. James Huff entertained the members of the Owl Bridge Club with bridge party on Saturday evening at her home, 2120 Sanford Avenue. Five progressions of bridge were enjoyed during the evening at the conclusion of which high score prize, a box of handkerchiefs, went to Mrs. E. J. Routh, while low score prize, a hand embroidered handkerchief, was given to Miss Chloe Routh. Mrs. M. B. Smith was lucky in cutting and received an owl ornament.

Roses and petunias were arranged with fern in vases and bowls about the rooms where the guests were entertained. The tallies bore designs of owls, the club emblem. Late in the evening a sweet course was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. E. J. Routh.

Those present were: Mrs. M. B. Smith, Mrs. W. A. Routh, Mrs. J. E. Baker, Mrs. E. J. Routh, Mrs. Clifford Walker, Mrs. F. R. Adams, Miss Chloe Routh and Mrs. Huff.

CORRECTION

The Herald was misinformed Saturday as to the names of those who donated prizes for the subscription bridge party given by the Sanford Branch American Association of University Women Friday afternoon in the Episcopal parish house. Instead of being donated by [illegible], the pair of silk [illegible] was given by the Yowell Company.

Favorable Vote On City Charter Change Is Urged

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years, they will get a reduction of to pay in bonds at 1-3 of the orig- to pay in Bonds at 1-3 of the original cost.

"Is this right to the people who do pay 100%, and pay each year when their taxes are due? Is it fair and just to expect these people to pay and carry the burden, while others receive a discount for NOT paying? The taxpayer who pays each year, pays from 10 to 40% more because others do not pay. This is true, and our contention is that it is not fair or just—that if every taxpayer paid his proportionate share, the tax rate would be less, and consequently ALL would have lower taxes assessed against them. Shall we accept (by voting 'Yes') the amendment to the Charter, on Monday, June 8th, and all pay our proportionate share of taxes, according to the amount of properties we possess? Is not this more fair and equitable?

"Those who are opposed to this amendment say that it is not right to sell property for taxes. Is it right for you taxpayers who pay each year 100 per cent, to be compelled to carry the burden of the delinquent taxpayers in addition to your own? If it is fair for them to go delinquent, why not you? Then if all took the same attitude, our City government could not exist. Then what? There will be no schools, no garbage removed, no fire, no sanitary, no police protection, and the natural result which will follow will be chaos, then extermination.

"Those who are opposing this amendment also tell you it is well and good to give reductions to the delinquent taxpayers, in order to get their properties back on the Tax Roll. Is this fair and just to you who always pay your taxes 100 cents on the dollar, when due? Would it not be better to take the legal way to sell the properties for delinquent taxes—(I refer to the properties of those who wilfully neglect to pay, thinking they will get a reduction) to persons who are willing to co-operate with their fellow-citizens by paying their proportionate shares of taxes.

"If we wish to maintain our integrity, continue in a position of respectability and continue to exist, we cannot consistently vote against this amendment. If we fail to carry this election approving this amendment, our real estate will continue to diminish in value, with no hope for the better for several years.

"Those who are opposed to this amendment also tell you that the City Commissioners 'want to take your property'. This is not true. What the City Commission is trying to do is to save your property for you and build up a better City for you to live in—especially you who are willing to pay your taxes—so that you will not have to pay more than your just share.

"For the past three years the City has collected less than 58 per cent of its taxes. Is there any wonder why taxes are so high? Can you see any reason why Sanford should support the people? Would it not be better for the people to support Sanford?

"This amendment to the Charter DOES NOT make it mandatory on the Commission to start suit, but leaves it to the discretion of the City Commission, and the present City Commissioners do not expect to start foreclosure suits excepting as the bill provides—which is as follows:

"Section 1. 'That if Taxes are not paid on the first day of April following the year they are assessed, the City Commissioners MAY by resolution at any time AFTER TWO YEARS, direct the City Attorney to foreclose the Liens—and that the City Commission MAY direct the City Attorney at any time after the first day of May, 1931, to foreclose the liens for Taxes prior to the year 1930.

'That the City Commission MAY in its discretion direct the foreclosure of any Lien for Taxes in order in which such Taxes have become delinquent, foreclosing first Liens for Taxes which have been delinquent for the longest period of time.'

"This is fair and just, is it not?

"President Hoover says, 'the true growth of a Nation is the growth of character in its citizens.' To which the Times-Union adds: 'Citizens must be morally sound, mentally fit, spiritually alert. They must be workers, not drones; they must be optimists, not calamity howlers; they must be leaders, not stragglers and 'yes' men.' Therefore Sanford can be no greater than the character of its individual citizens.

"If we are to succeed we must have a tax system that can be enforced."

Closing Exercises Are Held At School

A large number of visitors attended the closing exercises held on Friday morning at the Sanford Grammar School auditorium. Each class room of the school contributed songs and readings on the program. Mrs. Pearle Babbitt, principal of the school, delivered a short farewell talk.

During the exercises prizes of books from the P.-T. A. were awarded to the four pupils of the fifth and sixth grades who had the highest scholarship, deportment and attendance averages for the entire year. Receiving these books were: Cecilia Truluck and James Tew, of the fifth grades, and Minnie Emma Strange and D. B. Hodges, of the sixth grades.

PICNIC IS HELD

Evansdale Park at Lake Mary was the scene of a picnic given last Friday afternoon for the children of the Wilson School, of Paola. A picnic lunch was served. Ice cream was furnished by the Wilson P.-T. A.

DIPLOMAS ARE PRESENTED TO SCHOOL PUPILS

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school but for the pupil.

The class song, "Garland of Old Fashioned Roses", was then offered by the group, following which Miss Alda Perkin read the class poem, "You". The orchestra then rendered another group of school songs.

The address of the day, delivered by the Rev. E. D. Brownlee, of the First Presbyterian Church of Sanford, preceded the awarding of diplomas, following which Dr. Marler offered a benediction, and the class marched from the auditorium for the last time.

The following pupils were members of the graduating class: the Misses Mildred Alspaugh, Euclaide Appleby, Florence Bauer, Myrtle Brewer, Harriett Brown, Phyllis Butler, Jewel Chapman, Ruth Cumming, Grace Clark, Helen Cereaoli, Eva Cunningham, Ruby Edmondson, Evelyn Echols, Mary Elizabeth Forrester, and Rebecca Fortier.

Also Freda Gates, Adelaide Higgins, Clyde Ricks, Herschel Hamby, Marion Haynes, Aldine Harrison, Shirley Kanner, Nell Knight, Margaret Kersey, Claudia Kinard, Sadie Leinhart, Virginia Lundquist, Sara Moye, Muriel McIntyre, Frances Mahoney, Mary Louise Meriweather, Willadine J. Noble, Mary Elizabeth Neely, Dorothy Powell, Marjorie Pope, Alda Perkin, Carol Sasser, Margaret Squires, Jane Sharon, Ada Singletary, Marlise Torrance, Margaret Takach, Margaret Louise Vernay, Katherine Vernay, Ouida Whiddon, Eugenia Warren, Juanita Walker, and Bonnie Young.

Also, George Anderson, Allen Ball, Clifford Barclift, Elmer Bandy, Leslie Tolar Bryan, J. P. Brown, Charles A. Betts, Kenneth Benton, Joseph Bennett, Billie Colbert, Clarence Collins, Jake Diehl, Sam Dighton, Harry Demos, Hubbard Eubanks, David Earle, Wilber Ferguson, Carl Fesler, Stewart Gatchel, Couey Hamil, Roy Herschcowitz, Archie Harriett, Lynwood Hughes, Osborne Herndon, Richard Hester, Clarence Hopkins, Basil Howell, Henry Jameson, Rene Jiminez, Clifford King, and Jack Kanner.

Also, Tom Lasseter, Hubert Lawson, Joseph Benjamin Lord, George McRory, Herbert S. Moses, John Minarik, Bruce Muirhead, Carl Parham, Roy Pearson, Steve Peters, Arthur Parham, Randall Priest, Max Rumbley, Frank S. Ray, Earl Robinson, Joseph Rinehart, James Smith, William Spier, Allen Smoke, Orville Touchston, William Thigpen, E. D. Tyler, William E. Vihlen, Zeno Vause, Hoyt Ware, Jr., Archie Ward, Keith Westfall, Earl Whitten, St. Clair White, Edgar Waits, and Robert Wallace.

Story Of Wealth In Gold And Oil Is Told About Mexico

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said they found an immense new archaeological district of shrines, temples, pyramids, forgotten idols and roadways, which they believe would supply valuable information if excavated. The drawback to this, they said, is the hostile attitude of the Indians to strangers.

Most of the men have guns and bitter tribal wars sometimes result over an acre of land. Miss Brenner reported that the villages of Zapotitlan, Lagunas and Xochihuehuetlan were slowly annihilating each other over a disputed strip of land a quarter of a mile wide. The feud had continued for many years.

There are about 50,000 Indians in the district and nearly every village has its own dialect. No one speaks Spanish.

Miss Brenner said the people are extremely monogamous and [illegible]. She declared that unfaithfulness is punished by death administered by an older relative of the offending man or woman.

Children are married at the age of 6 or 7, the parents believing that if their offspring have responsibilities they will settle down and work.

A wife is worth about $14, this amount being paid by the husband's parents to the father and mother of the bride.

The people are almost absolute vegetarians.

Senate Puts Okey On Intangible Tax Bill

TALLAHASSEE, May 25.—(AP)—The Senate today voted 21 to 14 for a bill to tax intangible personal property. The House departing from a consideration of finance and taxation measures voted 46 to 35 for congressional redistricting of the state by division of the present Fourth District. The state is allowed a fifth district as a result of the 1930 census.

The House passed four other bills, killed one, and adopted a resolution to prolong the exclusive study of finance, taxation, banking and revenue measures for another week. The Senate discussed the proposed equal distribution of three cents of the gasoline tax revenue among counties without action. A bill to set dollar and half tax on each $100 gross receipts from electric, gas, telephone and telegraph companies was introduced by Senator Adams, Crestview.

NEWSPAPER STRIKE ENDS

MEXICO CITY, May 25.—(AP)—The newspapers La Prensa, El Universal Grafico, which Saturday night were closed by strikers, appeared as usual yesterday. The strikes were called off after labor contract difficulties were settled.

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