



Christina's Later Life

The picture "Queen Christina" is as remarkable for its historic accuracy as for its dramatic qualities. Anything which Greta Garbo plays in is apt to be good, but it is seldom that one finds a story on the screen which ever had its exact counterpart in real life. Queen Christina, however, actually existed, and ruled Sweden from 1632 to 1654, much as the screen version said she did.

Standing in the bow of a boat bound for Spain after her abdication from the throne and the death of her lover, Christina made a beautiful picture with the ocean breezes blowing through her soft hair. But one may well have wondered what happened then? The picture left her there. Still young, just turned 23, bound for a romantic land, and full of the spirit of adventure, she had 35 years yet to live.

History recalls that her abdication did not strip her of her finances, or of her following of court attendants. She went to Rome and there created one of the most lavish establishments on the continent. She was a great patroness of arts and letters and gathered about her many of the foremost men in science and literature of that time. But her popularity at home was destroyed by the extravagance of her entertainments in Italy, Spain, and southern France.

While love of a sort was not lacking from her life in these later years, she never married. Scarcely three years after the picture left her in the bow of the boat bound for Spain, she gained almost loathsome notoriety by the murder at Fontainebleau of her grand quarry and lover, M. de Mole, while she escaped punishment for the act, her decline in popular favor was precipitate thereafter.

In 1660 Prince Charles, who had become king of Sweden following Christina's abdication, died, and she decided to return to her native land and regain the throne of her ancestors. For several years she carried on the most insidious sort of intrigue in her endeavor to regain the support of her subjects and capture the crown, but with little success. Finally she was forced to sign an agreement never to seek the throne of Sweden again.

She lived to the age of 61 but there was little in her life following her abdication which historians can find to commend. A new woman had emerged, a woman who had neither the loyalty nor the unselfish devotion which the Queen possessed, a woman who was to ruin the life so splendidly begun.

Now Is The Time

Now is the time to buy, and it is also the time to invest in real estate, particularly Florida real estate. And judging from the Palm Beach Post, now edited by that former Orlandoan, Bill Glenn, we are bound to conclude that many people feel that same way about it. Referring to a headline which said, "Largest Real Estate Deal Here in Five Years is Closed," the Post further declared:

"March is destined to be the largest single month for real estate deals in Florida since 1929 and, perhaps, when the final figures are compiled March 31st, the month may exceed any corresponding month in history, with the possible exception of 1926.

"It is unnecessary to preach the virtue of real estate activity in Florida. It speaks for itself. When real estate is moving there is prosperity, because so many individuals, so many interests are involved.

"Florida is a transient state in this respect: The natural winter playground of North America, with its millions of people seeking a temperate zone, is annually visited by vast numbers of people. They are seeking sunshine and climate, and a place to reside at a maximum of comfort and a minimum of expense and annoyance.

"Real estate activity is starting late in Florida, which presages an exceedingly good summer and accelerated business early this fall.

"Florida has her great citrus fruit industry, naval stores, fisheries, phosphate mining, Fuller's earth; with such single city and sectional industries as cigars, cement, fertilizer, shipyards and marine plants, sponges, foundries, etc., but real estate activity is a basis of wealth which affects and controls all business in every city and hamlet.

"The tourist 'crop,' according to figures, will aggregate \$800,000,000 this season. This 'business' nearly equals that of all other industries in Florida, but compared to a lively real estate market, it becomes comparatively small. Real estate for a varied range of activities—residential and business property, vacant lots and commercial locations—sweeps into the total, vast revenue of all sorts, touching every person's pocketbook, contributing to every form of business: from insurance to hardware, newspaper advertising to department stores.

"That real estate is coming back everywhere in Florida is indicated by the reports from all cities and communities. Now is the time to buy that 'corner lot' Briabane has been talking about for ten years or any desirable real estate. Buy 'anything' in the real estate 'line' now, and get ready to make a good profit on your investment this fall or next winter."

SANFORD, TWENTY YEARS AGO

The ever hospitable home of the Stewarts was thrown open to the ladies of the Baptist Aid Society Monday evening on the occasion of Mrs. Stewart's birthday. There was not one dull moment during the evening, which was spent with conversation, music and then the most laughable reports of a wedding in Bogville. Sanford people are going to have a chance to learn something about Mexico without the risk of running against any of the hellions of Hueco or the rebels either. An exposition car, entitled "Seeing Mexico," will be on exhibition at the A.C.I. depot four days this week.

The Sanford section will probably make more money from vegetables this season than any other section of the United States. Taking a general survey of what has already been marketed and what will be marketed in Spring crops and side to those in hay and corn crop and the figures would be most startling. W. H. Underwood stole a march on his friends here when he marketed his trip to Mexico the other day and returned home alone. Rumor was rife that he was making his trip to Bogville, with his wife.

ACTION IS SEEN BY ECONOMIST AS FEATURE OF YEAR

Attempts To Revive NRA Are Viewed As Blow At Consumer

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Whatever the criticisms which may be levelled against the New Deal, its success as a melodrama can scarcely be denied. Act follows act in quick succession, and each contains a new thrill. This is indeed a far cry from the days when America kept cool with Coolidge.

The present play has a whole series of villains, and the audience cheers exactly in turn as they come by the hero. In most of the latest acts the hero has been the N. R. A. Of all the villains, the one whose downfall has been received with the most spontaneous and universal applause is the proprietor of a sweatshop.

After departing from the platform, the sweatshop could not flourish. Suppose that, to the consumer, the additional cost of a suit of clothes is \$5. His income has not been increased. It follows that, if he buys the suit of clothes, he must spend for other goods exactly \$5 less than he would have spent had the sweatshops continued to flourish. Therefore, some merchant has his sales reduced by \$5. Some worker in some line, perhaps far removed from the clothing industry, loses a day's work. But this unknown worker is never allowed to parade upon the stage. He is one of the forgotten men.

This example illustrates the weakness inherent in all schemes for "passing the cost on to the consumer." The fact overlooked by the proponents of these plans is that the purchasing power of consumers in the aggregate is rigidly limited by the total product of industry. Unless more goods are produced, the buying power of the consumers will not enable them to buy the old volume of goods at increased prices.

When this fact is kept in mind, it is easy to understand why the N. R. A. has failed so abjectly in its promises to abolish unemployment. By increasing labor costs per unit of output, it has forced

producers to raise the prices of their finished products. Mean-while, it has not increased the total output of goods; hence, the consumers have had no additional dollars of buying power. Higher prices have, therefore, forced them to curtail instead of increasing the volume of their purchases. Under such circumstances it is scarcely surprising that the N. R. A. has failed to put the idle back to work.

But we digress. Let us return to the garment workers. The new factory-made suits cost \$5 more than the suits made in the factories. This extra cost means that many potential buyers will decide to make their old suits last for another season. The total number of suits purchased will, therefore, diminish. It follows that, even if they were in a position to accept the new sweatshop workers could find employment. Some are, perforce, added to the ranks of the unemployed and these must be supported by those members of their families fortunate enough to find work, or by the already overburdened taxpayers.

Furthermore, a large proportion of the sweatshop work has been performed at odd times by housewives whose home duties prevent them from working in the factories. These women are kept from using their spare time to eke out the family income. The natural result is that, in many cases, they and their children either suffer, or fall back upon charity for support.

The truth is that it is usually extremely difficult to cure economic diseases merely by treating the symptoms. It is exactly as easy to make workers prosperous by passing minimum wage laws as it is for a man to lift himself by his bootstraps. The one way by which the real wages of labor in general can be increased permanently is to invent methods of making industry more productive. The fact that a laborer today earns an hourly wage which will pay three or four times as much in the way of commodities as did the hourly wage of his grandfathers, is due wholly to the marvelous new machines and new processes which have been devised by men of genius.

True, labor unions often obtain wage increases for their members, but these increases are always at the expense of non-union labor. Labor legislation has helped labor by obtaining better and safer working conditions, but there is no evidence that it has ever added a penny to the total wage income of all the workers of the nation.

Recently there has been much talk about beneficial labor by obtaining a more equal distribution of income. Those advocating this policy commonly overlook the fact that, if all dividends and bond interest payments were distributed proportionately among all

recipients of wages or salaries, the incomes of these employees would, on the average, be increased by less than one-fifth. Furthermore, they need to remember that if interest and dividends were confiscated, savings would largely disappear, capital for expansion and improvements would not be forthcoming, and, as population grew, wages and salaries would decline far below present levels.

Those preaching wealth redistribution are doubtless actuated by belief in the Marxian theory that all returns to capital are stolen from labor. The fact is, however, that most of the share going to capital is merely pay for past labor. In the past, laborers desiring immediate enjoyment have sold the products of their toil to their thrifty neighbors. These more thrifty persons have been willing to forego present enjoyment in order to secure future income. The move to redistribute wealth is mainly a plan to enable the thrifless to sell the fruits of their labor, enjoy the proceeds and later steal these fruits from the luckless buyers.

But let us take another glimpse at the national melodrama. In this act, we see Uncle Sam giving jobs to the unemployed. The first scene opens in a most serious strain, but it soon shifts to burlesque. On all sides, we see public buildings, subways, and bridges unfinished, streets everywhere out of repair, schools closed, the Army weakened, and public scientific work being curtailed, all for the lack of funds to carry on, and, at the same time, in the same locality thousands upon thousands of "new workers," often unskilled with tools, wearing out the grass, or destroying the trees in the public parks, idling away their time upon the streets, or pestering busy citizens with foolish and useless inquiries.

During this scene while the "workers" line-up at the pay window, the pithy sayings of two near-by observers contribute greatly to the amusement of the audience. One of the observers is a typical farm hand who is used to working sixty-five hours a week for \$6 to \$8. His remarks, as he sees man after man drawing three times as much money for a thirty-hour week, are more forceful than polished. The other observer is the long-suffering taxpayer who knows that he will be called upon to foot the bill. His comments, though expressed in less lurid language, are equally pointed.

To celebrate the abolition of child labor as an event of 1934 is, to say the least, something of an anachronism. We do, nevertheless, have a really important child labor problem at the present moment. It is not, however, the protection of the children employed in mines and factories, but is rather the difficult question of how to teach our city-bred children habits of industry—how to find something use-

ful for them to do—how to prevent them from growing up help- less, disheartened, and likely candidates for the prison or the relief rolls. This is a problem affecting not a few paltry thousands, but millions of our youth.

The drama now being presented to the nation is unusual in that while one act is being performed another is being written. The question now on everyone's mind is whether, in the next act, Civil Works, Public Works and Rising Prices, having defeated and banished Depression, will graciously accept the plaudits of a thankful nation, or whether, instead, the last scene will picture the sad day when the unbalanced budget culminated in the breakdown of federal credit, and it is no longer possible to support millions of persons in idleness or pseudo-work.

Should this be the last act, we may be sure that it will provide a climax which is duly impressive—but unfortunately, the curtain will fall on a scene portraying not comedy, but rather high tragedy.

**WOMAN SENATOR NAMED**  
CHARLESTON, W. Va., Mar. 14.—(AP)—West Virginia's first woman State Senator has been named. She is Mrs. Hazel Yeager Hyre, of Ripley, appointed by Governor Krump to succeed her husband, Kenna K. Hyre, who died last week.

**PURTO RICO NOW WET**  
SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, Mar. 14.—(AP)—The end of prohibition in Puerto Rico, made possible cheap beer, wine and liquors here yesterday. The dry era, which began with an island vote in 1917, ended last midnight, ten days after the President signed an amendment to the organic act.

**COMMUNIST BEHRAVED**  
BURLINGAME, Calif., Mar. 14.—(AP)—Richard Bahr, 24, a communist convicted of setting fire to granaries, was beheaded yesterday, along with two other men sentenced to death for murdering and robbing a woman 75 years old.

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## Social Calendar

### THURSDAY

Seminole Chapter Number Two Order of the Eastern Star will have its regular meeting and a covered dish supper at 6:00 P. M. at the Masonic Temple. Conference of degrees will take place. Fourth annual flower and garden show of the Garden Club of Sanford will be held from 10:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M.

The Sanford Grammar School P. T. A. will meet at 8:30 o'clock at the school auditorium. An entertainment featuring a play will take place at 7:00 P. M.

### FRIDAY

The Deaf/Blind of the First Baptist Church will meet at 3:30 P. M. at the church.

### SATURDAY

The Sanford High School P. T. A. will have a benefit St. Patrick's Day dinner at 2:30 P. M. at the school auditorium. Reservations may be made with Mrs. O. M. Harrison.

### SUNDAY

Mrs. S. D. Highleyman and Mrs. O. M. Harrison will be hosts for a "fisher's day" at the Sanford Country Club.

### WEDNESDAY

Regular program meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church will be held at 3:00 P. M. at the church.

## Ladies' Day Observed At Sanford Golf Club

A golf tournament, luncheon, and bridge games were features of the weekly observance of "Ladies' Day" yesterday morning and afternoon at the Sanford Country Club. At the conclusion of the golf games luncheon was served informally in the club dining room which was decorated for the occasion with quantities of colorful plants, asters and lilies. During the afternoon bridge games were played and high score prize was awarded to Mrs. E. Hampton. Mrs. S. D. Highleyman presented with second high score prize. Those present were: Mrs. O. M. Harrison, Mrs. S. D. Highleyman, Mrs. O. M. Harrison, Mrs. E. Hampton, Mrs. G. D. Bishop, Mrs. H. S. Wiggins, Mrs. E. F. Hoesbolder, Mrs. Vivian A. Spear, Miss Elizabeth Shoemaker, and Miss Elizabeth Stevens.

## Circle Number Three Presents Old Drama

Before an audience of nearly 250 persons Circle Number Three of the First Methodist Church presented a play of old New England, "The Old Peabody Pew," last night at the auditorium of the church with Mrs. Walter R. Shelby as director. Tony Hill, Edgewood, Mass., as it was 60 years ago, was the scene of the play while the action takes place in the interior of the Tony Hill meeting house on a winter afternoon. The characters all wore costumes appropriate for the period. Miss Elizabeth Turner and Miss Sadie Williams, in Colonial costumes, distributed the programs at the door.

Assisting with the play were: Mrs. John Vaughn, who gave a reading, the Old Colony Male Quartette, composed of J. M. Stinecoper, Claude Howard, Dr. H. W. Butler, and Dr. Walter R. Shelby, which rendered vocal numbers, and Mrs. Burke Steele, pianist. Characters in the play were: Mrs. Walter R. Shelby, reader; Mrs. R. W. Turner, Mrs. Jeremiah Burlbank, president of the Edgewood Dorcas Society; Mrs. Eugene Higgins, Miss Lobelia Brewster; Mrs. W. R. Chapman, Mrs. Miller, wife of Deacon Miller; Mrs. R. F. Greenhaw, Mrs. Sargent; Mrs. Byron Squires, Miss Maria Sharp; Mrs. J. E. Courier, Mrs. Baxter, the minister's wife; Mrs. J. P. Hall, Miss Nancy Wentworth; Mrs. Glenn E. McKay, the Widow Buzzell; and John Alden Brown, Jr., Justin Peabody.

Accompanied by Mrs. J. M. Stinecoper and Rodman Lehman, sponsors of the club, the nine honor students of the 1934 class of Seminole High School were the guests of Rollins College at Winter Park last Friday afternoon. The party arrived at Winter Park about 2:00 o'clock and were met at Carnegie Hall where they were introduced to Dr. Hamilton Holt. They were conducted by student guides through the various buildings and visited several classes.

Later in the afternoon they were guests at a tea given in honor of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Vincent who are to leave Winter Park soon. After a dinner enjoyed at the "Beanyer," the college cafeteria, they attended a presentation by the college glee club of "Mikado," a musical comedy in two acts, in the Annie Russell Theatre.

Those attending were: Mrs. Stinecoper and Mr. Lehman, sponsors, the Misses Virginia Lawton, Marian Lundquist, Martha Bishop, Naomi Hutchins, Naomi Greer, Thelma Benson, Mary Nickel, Georgina Hart, and Robert Pearson.

## Seminole High P.-T.A. To Give Bridge Party

Contract and auction bridge, pivot style, will be played at the St. Patrick's Day benefit bridge party which will be given Saturday afternoon at 2:30 P. M. at the Woman's Club by the finance committee of the Seminole High School P.-T.A. In addition to the bridge games the guests will be entertained by a special program, including a skit by the Senior Class of the

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pitts of Florida, N. Y. are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julius A. Takach.

Friends of Mrs. T. G. Holt will regret to learn that she is ill at her home on Park Avenue.

Mrs. A. E. Harlweather has returned from Ivanhoe, N. C. where she spent a month with her sister.

Mrs. G. D. Bishop, Mrs. George A. DeCotte, and Mrs. H. B. Lewis and guests, Mrs. B. B. Croupe and Miss Betty Adelaide Croupe of Pittsburgh, spent today at Daytona Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tunncliffe had as their dinner guests last night at their home at Rutledge Station, Mrs. H. B. Lewis and guests, Mrs. B. B. Croupe and Miss Adelaide Croupe of Pittsburgh, and Dr. Samuel Puleston.

Mrs. H. E. Walker of Petersburg, Va. and Mrs. E. E. Pound of Richmond, Va., who are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Holly, East Seventh Street, are planning to spend tomorrow at Silver Springs near Ocala.

Mrs. R. J. Holly and guests, Mrs. H. E. Walker and daughter, Nancy, of Petersburg, Va. and Mrs. E. E. Pound of Richmond, Va., are planning to spend Friday in Halifax City with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walsma, formerly of this city.

## Jacksonville Left On New AirMail Schedule

ATLANTA, Mar. 14.—(AP)—Captain A. E. Waller, commander of section three of the Army air mail, last night said plans announced by Major B. O. Jones in New York meant abandonment of all lines in the South except from Atlanta to Washington and Jacksonville to New York. Discontinuance of the Cavalry Field air base will mean all but a few men will be assigned to other posts immediately, with only enough left here to service planes flying between here and Washington. The Greenboro-Atlanta leg of section will be taken over by section two with Washington planes continuing on to Atlanta. Operations between Jacksonville and Chicago via Atlanta, a route through Nashville, between Atlanta and New Orleans, and between Nashville and Memphis have been abandoned definitely.

## STUDY GROUP MEETS

Members of the Gamma School P.-T. A. attended a meeting of the study group of the organization held Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the school auditorium. Mrs. Pearl S. Balluff, teacher of the class, taught the outline from the "Child Welfare Magazine."

## MIAMI WOMAN ENDS LIFE

MIAMI, Mar. 14.—(AP)—Entering the house from play, 9-year-old Quentin Moore yesterday found his mother, Mrs. A. C. Moore 24, shot to death on her bed. Police said she committed suicide. Surviving are the husband, a salesman for a wholesale meat company, and two sons, Quentin and William. The body will be sent to her former home in Irvineville Ga.

Seminole High School, which has been organized by Mrs. J. M. Stinecoper, refreshments will be served late in the afternoon and prizes will be awarded. Reservations for the affair may be made with Mrs. O. M. Harrison.

## Touhy Gangster Is Blasted To Death For His Squealing

CHICAGO, Mar. 14.—(AP)—A sixth Touhy gangster went out of circulation yesterday, blasted to death in apparent vengeance by his former pals, while the law dealt out justice to a seventh member of the once powerful outlaw band. Charles "Ice Wagon" Connors was found propped by a roadside ditch, bullet wounds in his skull, left hand, chest and back. A penny was thrust in his right hand, expensively gloved, as the gangster's sign of contempt. Police learned with no undue surprise that Frank "Porky" Dillon and Edward "Father Tom" McPadden had been in Chicago. They added that fact to reports that Connors had refused financial help to Touhyites in trouble with the law, and arrived at an answer to the killing. Connors had plenty of money, some of it from a \$110,000 mail robbery at Charlotte, N. C., police said, but none of it went to help Basil Banghart, whose trial for the \$70,000 John Factor kidnaping ended yesterday. Banghart was convicted last night and sentenced to 90 years in prison.

## Federal Prisoners Ordered Removed From Tampa Prison

TAMPA, Mar. 14.—Immediate removal of all federal prisoners from the Hillsborough county jail was ordered yesterday by the department of justice at Washington. The order, transmitted to United States Marshal Hildreth by Sanford Bates, prison commissioner, "condemned" the jail because of "gross mismanagement and undue privileges allowed prisoners." Under it, 10 prisoners will be transferred to the Sarasota county jail this morning. So sweeping is the condemnation, however, that persons arrested in Tampa today or tonight or thereafter on federal charges must be sent forthwith to Sarasota. There isn't any prison roof here that satisfies the government. Action by the department was taken on a report by its own agents who had been instructed prior to Christmas to look closely into conditions in every jail in Florida and other states where federal prisoners are held. In the Tampa case the department refused yesterday to give the report to The Tribune's correspondent in Washington. They said conditions revealed were "so bad they could not be published." At the same time officials in Washington said similar orders had been sent to marshals in other districts and other states "to take similar action in the hope of bettering general moral conditions which had assumed unmentionable proportions."

## "Eskimo" One Of Most Spectacular Of Films

Mighty epic of the Arctic; a saga of love and passion that flamed in sub-zero temperature; the greatest film record ever made of a native people who defy death in order to live—these are a few of the elements that distinguish "Eskimo," which opens today at the Milano Theatre, as one of the most spectacular films of all time. Not only has the grandeur of frozen wastes been captured for sight and hearing, but in addition the picture contains vivid human drama that is heart-stirring in appealing tenderness. Intimate scenes of Eskimos in their lives and hates provide a realism that could only be equalled by actual experience among peoples of the North. Smashing thrills thunder across the screen in a breath-taking background for native adventure;

## Truck Crop Losses Over Week-End Not As Bad As Feared

JACKSONVILLE, Mar. 14.—(AP)—The state marketing bureau said yesterday while Sunday night's frost and cold weather had damaged vegetables in some parts of the state to a considerable extent, the loss would not equal that resulting from similar cold spells last spring. The statistician of the department of agriculture station at Orlando reported to the bureau there had been heavy frost damage to tomatoes and string beans in the vicinity of Canal Point and light damage at Wauchula. Beans, cucumbers and watermelons in Marion and Sumter counties, the station said, suffered heavily while cabbage escaped almost unharmed. Harvesting of spring crops, the statistician added, may be delayed from 10 days to two weeks. The marketing bureau said its east coast representatives report damage as high as 15 to 25 percent to spring crops in the Everglades region. Sanford, with much frost, reported heavy damage to escarole, with celery unharmed. Hastings growers said tender potato buds had been nipped, but the yield would not be affected.

## Seek To Stop 56 Days Of Bleeding From Nose

PENSACOLA, Mar. 14.—(AP)—Miss Ella Mae Cobb, 22, of Bagdad, has been bleeding from the nose for 56 days, and yesterday physicians called for transfusions that may prolong her life. The patient is growing steadily weaker, the doctors said, although there has been one transfusion already. They said there was little hope for her permanent cure. The case was diagnosed as "easy bleeding."

## BIGAMY CHARGE DROPPED

MEXICO CITY, Mar. 14.—Bigamy charges against John F. Howard, wealthy manufacturer of Haverhill, Mass., were dismissed yesterday because the court believed the present was not the proper time to prosecute due to confusion over Mexican divorce laws. Howard had remarried in Mexico after securing a Morelos divorce.

## LABOR PLANS BIG RALLY

SALISBURY, N. C., Mar. 14.—Plans for a huge labor mass meeting here Apr. 14 to adopt the legislative program of the American Federation of Labor were pushed by labor representatives yesterday after a conference here Sunday. Five thousand delegates, representing the Labor Voters League, are expected to attend.

## Balances In Florida Treasury Are Larger

TALLAHASSEE, Mar. 14.—(AP)—Florida's treasury is "looking up" in its balances. Millions poured in by motor vehicle licenses and gasoline taxes, and poured right out again in distributions to schools, the highway department, counties, and the general revenue fund, all making totals swell. Despite expenditures of \$5,032,684.19 from the treasury during February, the balance sheet at the end of the month showed an increase of \$851,514.31 over Jan. 31. The treasurer's office yesterday said the Feb. 28 balance was \$3,655,519.60 against \$2,804,005.29 on Jan. 31. Disbursements in February were \$5,032,684.14 and receipts were \$5,855,198.45. Heavy receipts continued into this month, and on Mar. 6, the balance was \$4,781,412.05, but it dropped off to \$4,324,894.03 yesterday.

## MAD DOG BITES ELEVEN

BRYSAN CITY, N. C., Mar. 14.—Eleven Bryson City persons ranging in age from 2 to 30 years are being treated in a Maryville, Tenn., hospital for bites by a mad dog here last week.

## ENDS OWN LIFE

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## OPERATION OF STATE SCHOOLS IS ASSURED

### FERA To Provide Funds For Teachers' Salaries If State Money Is Exhausted

TALLAHASSEE, Mar. 15. (AP)—By the simple procedure of changing one of its rules, the State Board of Education will supply its part of a newly announced federal-state program, for the operation of schools in counties where local funds are exhausted.

The rule, which probably will be changed at the next meeting of the State Board, governs the use of state school funds by counties.

At present 27 and one-half percent of the state apportionment must go to teachers, and 12 and one-half percent to transportation and other operating expenses.

By changing this rule, the State Board may allow counties which have exhausted all their local funds to devote all or an increased part of the state funds to payment of transportation and other expenses, provided teachers' salaries are guaranteed from some other source.

The Federal Emergency Relief Administration at Jacksonville last night approved a plan to furnish teachers salaries where funds for this purpose are not otherwise provided, if the state pays transportation and the other costs necessary to maintaining the schools.

The state accepted this plan, and today details were being worked out at FERA headquarters by Walter Wilbur, who will direct the program for meeting each county's individual needs along this line.

In a joint announcement last night Governor Dave Sholtz and Julius P. Stone, Jr., acting relief administrator for Florida, said they had worked out a plan to prevent the closing of the public schools of Florida in this crisis.

The relief administration agreed to provide salaries to "needed teachers in school districts whose resources are exhausted," the statement said, while the state government agreed to insure "all other operating costs, including the transportation of pupils."

Stone said Wilbur, director of relief under the new work relief program, would have charge of administering the plan.

The agreement was reached here last night in a conference between Stone and C. B. Truaway, chairman of the state advisory council of the Emergency Relief Administration, who represented the governor.

## Johan Lundquist Dies Suddenly At His Home

Johan G. Lundquist, 48, resident of the Upland section almost continuously since his birth, died suddenly at his residence this morning at about 8:30 o'clock. He had been in ill health for some months.

Funeral services will be held from the Lutheran Church in Upland on Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Burial will be in the cemetery adjoining the church yard, and Rev. Paul of Lake Mary will officiate. The Erickson Funeral Home staff has charge of arrangements.

Mr. Lundquist was well known in this city. He was born at Upland on May 20, 1885, and except for a few months spent in Jacksonville where he was employed, he had resided here continuously.

His survivors are his widow, Mrs. Anna Lundquist, who has been confined in the Fernald-Laughton Memorial Hospital for the past several days; five small children; the sister, Mrs. Henry Lundquist, of Sanford, and four brothers, Elmer Lundquist, Edwin Lundquist, and Hilmer Lundquist, all of Sanford, and Arin Lundquist of Jacksonville.

## OTTIE REKRED MILLION

ROME, Mar. 15. (AP)—Italy has one city with more than a million population, recent statistics show. They are Rome, with 1,077,000, and Milan, with 1,063,000.

## Dynamite Explosion Kills At Least 150

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador, Mar. 15. (AP)—Approximately 150 persons were killed when an explosion of dynamite almost destroyed the port of La Libertad yesterday. Following the terrific explosion, which occurred at the docks, nearby buildings caught fire and four blocks were quickly consumed by the flames. In addition to the 150 believed dead, a large number of persons were reported seriously injured and hundreds of automobiles were rushed from the capital to the stricken city to bring them to hospitals here.

## STATE EXPENSES IN 1933 REACHED THIRTY MILLIONS

### Expenditures On Highways Used Up Fifth Of Amount Paid Out

TALLAHASSEE, Mar. 15. (AP)—Net disbursements by the state government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1933, totaled \$30,968,516, but only \$2,861,541 or 9.24 percent, was for the state's general government, Comptroller J. M. Lee said in his annual report, handed to Governor Sholtz yesterday.

Of the total, \$12,531,522, or 40.47 percent, represented direct state-aid to counties.

General revenue receipts were \$5,029,201, and miscellaneous receipts were \$2,000,000.

## Part Time Boys' Class Is Proving Popular

That the recently organized Part Time Class in Farm Mechanics is proving to be popular was evidenced at Seminole High School last night, according to Alex S. Johnson, vocational agriculture teacher, when several members of the class gathered for one of a series of studies.

The course of study includes instruction in wood working, rope working, cold metal work, and simple blacksmithing. Mr. Johnson stated that the boys represented last night were between the ages of 14 and 25. He invites other boys to join the class and take advantage of the free instruction that is to be offered during the spring season. The class meets next Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock at Seminole High School.

## Florida Indians Have Right To Cast Ballot

TALLAHASSEE, Mar. 15. (AP)—Florida Indians are citizens if they were born or naturalized here, and are entitled to vote if they comply with registration requirements, Attorney General Cary D. Landis ruled yesterday.

## Lake Mary To Be Scene Of Boy Scout Court Of Honor Ceremonies On Monday

A Boy Scout Court of Honor, planned to be presented before fully 200 men, women and children, will be staged in the Lake Mary Community House next Monday night, starting at 7:30 o'clock, it was announced today by Arthur Brannan, chairman of the Seminole County Boy Scout Council.

All Scouts and Scout officials in the county are to be guests of the Lake Mary troop during the ceremony, and the public also is invited.

Judge J. G. Sharon is to preside over the Court of Honor, while Scout Executive H. M. Brown, III of Orlando is expected to attend as a special guest.

Unlike other sessions of the Court, the Monday night session will find members of the Court awarding merit badges and other decorations to Scouts who have

## DEPOSITS IN STATE BANKS ON INCREASE

### Nearly \$7,000,000 Gain Reported By Lee In 57 Day Period That Ended Last Month

TALLAHASSEE, Mar. 15. (AP)—Deposits in state banks in Florida increased \$6,759,104 in the 57 days from Dec. 31, 1933 to Feb. 26, 1934, and resources increased \$5,671,928 in the same period.

The figures were shown yesterday in a comparative statement prepared by the banking department of the comptroller's office. The report does not include national banks.

Comptroller J. M. Lee said "the increase in deposits is accounted for by better conditions in Florida and the return of confidence in banks, due largely to the federal insurance of deposits."

In the statement, the item of "borrowed money" showed a decrease of \$390,000, and Lee said this indicated the people "are more able to repay their loans."

On Feb. 26, the state banks had total resources of \$56,840,873, against \$51,186,944 on Dec. 31. Liabilities were the same.

Loans and discounts on Feb. 26 were \$12,833,893, a decrease of \$917,347 for the period covered. U. S. bonds held by the banks increased \$2,314,138, to \$13,535,100.

Cash and due from banks increased \$4,521,811 to \$16,201,466 in the 57-day period.

Individual deposits rose from \$16,560,297 to \$22,434,188 and savings deposits increased from \$9,260,870 to \$10,224,173. U. S. state, county and municipal deposits increased \$230,336 and totaled \$9,488,494 on Feb. 26. There was a decrease of \$308,249 in bill-payable, and \$392,598 in certificate of deposit.

## Wall Street Broker Is Held In Homicide Case

NEW YORK, Mar. 15. (AP)—Arthur W. Morse, Wall Street broker, was held on a charge of homicide yesterday in connection with the death of Mrs. Emma Field Leavitt, 26, member of a socially prominent Brookline, Mass., family.

Mrs. Leavitt was found unconscious in Morse's Greenwich Village apartment Tuesday after the couple had returned from a tour of the village night clubs.

## CAROLINA MAN KILLED

MIAMI, Mar. 15. (AP)—A man identified from papers found on his person as Dr. John B. Squires, 53, of Lenoir, N. C., was killed yesterday when his automobile plunged over an embankment and rolled into a ditch on the overpass highway about 7 1/2 miles south of here.

## DEATH TAKEN "PIKER"

OBERRAMMERGAU, Germany, Mar. 15. (AP)—Peter Renold, 63, chosen to act as the Apostle Peter in the coming Passion Play, died yesterday. His widow, Aloysia, was the daughter of the famous impersonator of the Christus, Joseph Mayr.

## NO PRACTICE TONIGHT

George C. Fellows, director of the Sanford Concert Orchestra announced this afternoon that due to conflicting engagements it has been necessary to postpone a scheduled concert rehearsal, to have been held at the Elks Hall tonight until next Thursday night at 8:00 o'clock. He requested that all members of the Orchestra make an effort to communicate this information to others so that they may be spared a trip to the Hall.

## SAFETY PRIZES AWARDED

CHICAGO, Mar. 15. (AP)—The national traffic safety contest, with 800 American cities competing for the prize in 1933, has been won by Evanston, Ill. St. Petersburg, Fla., won honorable mention in group five. The national safety council annually conducts the contest.

## SHOLTZ GIVES POSITION ON SCHOOL STATUS

### Governor Says \$1000 Year Salary Is Not Sufficient For Teachers Of State

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., Mar. 15. (AP)—The declaration that \$1,000 a year is "not enough" for school teachers was made today by Governor Dave Sholtz in response to an inquiry about his position on "the school situation."

"I will endeavor to make my position on the school situation clear," he said in a letter to Frank E. Jennings of Jacksonville "and I hope to make it so clear that he who runs may read and understand."

He revealed that "it had been suggested that in order to properly re-organize the school structure of this state it might be advisable to close all of the schools in the banking moratorium declared by President Roosevelt last March."

"I could not see it that way," the governor said. "A x x a day's education lost to our school children was lost forever accordingly I considered it best to work out this problem without actually closing our schools, and the result speaks for itself."

"By the practice of rigid economy, by elimination of the frills and furbelows from our curriculum, by drastic effort to collect our taxes and with federal assistance our children will have the benefit this year of a longer school term than for several years and

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## Gallant Tribute Is Paid To Sailors On British Rescue Ship

HONG KONG, Mar. 15. (AP)—A gallant tribute to the British sailors who saved 187 American sailors from a fiery death on the flaming gunboat Fulton came today from the Fulton's skipper, Commander Harry McHenry.

While the Fulton sailed north on pirate waters north of Hong Kong Commander McHenry and his men, safe in the harbor here, recounted their harrowing experiences following the burning of an engine room bearing and a subsequent fire which immediately spread to the fuel oil tanks and got completely out of control in a few minutes.

The men were brought in early today on the British destroyer Wabhart, which saved them, and the commercial steamer Tainan.

Pire aboard the Fulton meant while was expected to roar for hours as tugs began towing the ship into port.

Eight of the American crew were injured, but none seriously. McHenry said the British display of seamanship "will go down in naval annals."

The Fulton was known as the "grief ship" of the navy.

In 1922 she drifted for three days off Cape Hatteras with a broken propeller shaft. Commissioned in 1914, she was one of the first American vessels to be equipped with Diesel engines.

After the World War a German submarine engine was installed.

## Federal Court Upholds Georgia Power Rates

MACON, Mar. 15. (AP)—A three-judge federal court yesterday ruled rate reductions ordered by the Georgia public service commission for the Georgia Power and Light Company would deprive the utility of a fair return and granted an injunction restraining enforcement of the rate cut.

The company's court fight was the first made by a power concern in contesting rate reduction orders of the commission. The federal judges held that rates prescribed by the commission would reduce the Georgia Power and Light Company's return on its investment to one-half of one percent. Their order stated that if the service is costing more than it is worth, "we are not ready to put the consumers to find a substitute."

Forty-nine South Georgia communities are served by the company. The judges pointed to purchase of power by the company from the Florida Power Company as one reason why its rates could not be reduced to conform with those of the Georgia Power Company. The latter concerns generally meet of the current.

## Insull Said To Have Fled From Athens

ATHENS, Mar. 15. (AP)—Mrs. Samuel Insull, Sr., said today that her husband, the former Chicago utilities operator, had fled from Athens but she did not know where he had gone. Police detained two maids and one manservant for examination. Previously in the day the Greek government had declared Insull had to leave Greece before midnight.

## KIDNAPERS MAKE GOOD THREAT TO KILL AUTO AGENT

### New Yorker Abducted Last Week Is Found Dead On Long Island

NEW YORK, Mar. 15. (AP)—Kidnapers of Max Kasoff called members of his family last week demanding \$5,000 ransom "Or we'll send him home in pieces— an ear first." Altogether there were four phone calls.

The last one Sunday night said "So you notified the police, eh? O. K. We fix."

Today members of the family went to Rockville Center Long Island to identify Kasoff's body.

He had been blindfolded, shot twice in the head and once through the neck, and there was a deep cut on his head where he had been struck, apparently with a length of pipe.

The body was found early yesterday in front of a hillbald on the Oceanide. It was frozen and partly covered with snow. His name was in clothing labels.

A medical examiner fixed the time of death as early Monday morning, shortly after the last telephone call announcing "We fix."

Kasoff, 37, a well known automobile rental agent, disappeared last Thursday night.

At first the family didn't take the demand for ransom seriously because Kasoff was such a practical joker. Even a kidnap hoax was not too much to expect. Anything for a laugh.

Receipt of a letter also demanding \$5,000, however, caused them to report him missing, although police were not told of the kidnap threats.

## Malaria Outbreak At CCC Camp Not Serious

TALLAHASSEE, Mar. 15. (AP)—Dr. Henry Hanson, state health officer, does not consider an outbreak of malaria at the Civilian Conservation Camp at Newport, in Waukula county, of an alarming nature, he said yesterday after an inspection trip there.

Dr. Hanson said conditions at the camp were good and the boys there, with malaria apparently contracted it outside the camp. He recommended a few improvements, however.

Federal authorities recently reported they would transfer the camp because of the prevalence of malaria. Dr. Hanson said the improvements he recommended would correct the malaria danger.

## LINDY REFUSES SERVICE AS U.S. AIR ADVISOR

### Flier Does Not Care To Offer Advice On Idea He Thinks Unfair To Army, Private Lines

NEW YORK, Mar. 15. (AP)—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh last night notified Secretary Dorn of the War Department that he could not serve on the special committee to investigate the Army flying of the airmail.

"I do not feel that I can serve on a committee whose function it is to assist in following out an executive order to the Army to take over the commercial air mail system of the United States," Lindbergh telegraphed the secretary.

The noted aviator had been requested to join Orville Wright, Clarence Chamberlin and other airmen in the investigation.

"I greatly appreciate the honor of your request that I become a member of a special committee to study and report upon army aviation in relation to national defense," the telegram began.

"I would of course be glad to contribute in any way that I can to the maintenance of an adequate national defense. However, according to the announcement by the War Department, this committee is to study and report upon performance by the Army air corps in its mission to carry the air mail as directed by executive order."

"I believe that the use of the army air corps to carry the air mail was unwarranted and contrary to American principles."

"This action was unjust to the air lines whose contracts were cancelled without trial. It was unfair to the personnel of the Army air corps who had neither equipment designed for the purpose nor adequate time for training in a new field."

"It has unnecessarily greatly damaged all American aviation."

## Intrepid Russian Ace Believed Lost At Sea

MOSCOW, Mar. 15. (AP)—The intrepid Russian ace pilot Liapidevsky, who recently saved 12 women and children from an ice floe in the Arctic Ocean off the Bering Straits, was believed today to have met disaster in an attempt to rescue 89 remaining members of the Wrangel Island expedition.

The government rescue commission announced here early today that the flier had disappeared, and it was believed he had been forced down after taking off from Cape Wallen, across the straits from Alaska.

## All County Celery Growers Urged To Attend Agriculture Club Meeting

Urging the attendance of every grower of celery in this city and county, F. D. Dorn, president of the Seminole Agriculture Club, in an interview this morning, stated that tonight's meeting of the club, to be held at Seminole High School starting at 8:00 o'clock, is probably one of the most important in the history of the organization.

Three men will be selected tonight, Mr. Dorn stated, to represent the growers of Seminole County on the proposed celery marketing agreement control board which, it is confidently predicted, will soon be governing the celery industry of Florida.

So that these men will be representative of the entire section, Mr. Dorn pointed out that it is absolutely necessary that every grower be present at the meeting.

He extends a particular invitation to those growers who have expressed opposition to the agreement which, if approved by Secretary Wallace, will apply to all growers, whether they are in agreement with it or not.

In his interview, Mr. Dorn expressed approval of a statement made by Secretary of Florida Celery Shippers, Inc., who with Loring Raoul of Bradenton, president of the Shippers' group, left here yesterday for Washington at the request of De-

## Australian Cyclone Takes Lives Of 75

BRISBANE, Australia, Mar. 15. (AP)—Seventy-five persons are either drowned or missing today as a result of cyclones on the north coast of Queensland, centering between Cairns and Cooktown.

## KIWANIS CLUB TO SEEK CHANGE IN INTEREST RATES

### Resolution Calls Upon Legislature To Cut Charge To 6 Percent

The Sanford Kiwanis Club, at its meeting in the Montezuma Hotel yesterday noon, launched what is planned to be a state-wide campaign calling upon the Florida State Legislature to enact a bill at its next session providing that the maximum rate of interest on borrowed money shall not exceed six percent per annum.

Suggested by Kiwanian Howard Long and given the endorsement of the board of directors, the subject was contained in a resolution offered the entire membership by Kiwanian Gordon Barnett of the Public Affairs Committee.

Before the resolution was adopted, Kiwanian B. C. Moore expressed the view that passage of the act sought in the resolution might depress the flow of capital into Florida from other sections.

Pointing out that one of the reasons that the legal rate of interest in this state is higher than in some other states is because it was hoped that new money would be attracted here, Mr. Moore urged serious consideration of the possible consequence of reducing the rate at this time.

The resolution states that "The present reconstruction period following the recent depression requires and demands a most careful consideration and correction of those evils which beset the masses of our people, particularly such matters as oppress and stifle those who are waging a war of survival."

The current legal and contract rates of interest chargeable in Florida are held in the resolution as "enslaving our people and preventing many from recovery, even leading many to financial ruin."

"The seal of the money-lender is figuratively 'eating up' things house, making our people in their extremity pay unreasonable and exorbitant rates of interest," the resolution points out, "contributing further to the centralization of wealth in the few and preventing the mass of the people from rising above their financial difficulties."

It is pointed out that people in states where the legal rates of interest are lower "As readily find

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## LABOR WARNS OF STRIKE OF AUTO WORKERS

### General Motors Leader Says His Firm Will Never Recognize Federation As Such

WASHINGTON, Mar. 15. (AP)—The American Federation of Labor warned today that a momentous strike impends in the automobile industry, and the General Motors Corporation gave simultaneous notice that it would never recognize the A. F. of L. Union as such.

The views given were as far apart as the scenes themselves, with President William Green of the Federation appearing before a Congressional committee.

The downtown statement by Vice President William Knudsen of the Corporation was addressed to the NRA Labor Board which is seeking to conciliate between the automobile employer and the employed.

Strict observance of the NRA occupied both the legislative branches. Aware of widespread non-compliance protests, President Roosevelt reinforced regulations that require government contractors to respect all codes.

At the National Labor Board, a hearing called to try to prevent widespread strikes in the automobile industry brought demands from American Federation of Labor men that employers be made to recognize their unions, coupled with warnings that the auto plants were "like a tinder box" to which a match would be touched unless prompt action were taken toward satisfying the men.

## Rockefeller's Health Is Said Much Better

DAYTONA BEACH, Mar. 15. (AP)—After several weeks' sojourn in Florida, almost daily bathing in the sunshine and frequent automobile rides through the sea washed air along the Halifax, John D. Rockefeller is showing satisfactory improvement following the weakening illness that attacked him in the North last fall, attendants at The Casements, winter home in Ormond Beach said yesterday. He spends long hours in his sunparlor which is especially equipped with glass that permits the entry of violet rays.

So far Rockefeller has not felt strong enough to take up his usual winter routine of golf on the Ormond course, nor to attend church and chat with his neighbors on Sunday as in former years.

## Record Jap Peace-Time Budget Is Approved

TOKYO, Mar. 15. (AP)—A budget bill containing the largest peace-time defense fund in Japan's history was passed yesterday by the House of Peers. This completes parliamentary action on it. The House approved it overwhelmingly Feb. 13.

A total appropriation of 938,000,000 yen (\$272,020,000) is provided for the Army and Navy.

## CONSTITUTION IN APPROVED

RIO DE JANEIRO, Mar. 15.—The constitutional assembly voted approval of Brazil's new constitution as a whole, 173 to 17, after six months of debate. The assembly now has to approve each chapter.

## THE WEATHER

FLORIDA		
Station	High	Low
SANFORD	72	54
Reading below for Tuesday	64	44
Apalachicola	Clear 70	50
Bradenton	62	42
Clearwater	62	42
Daytona	62	42
Fort Lauderdale	62	42
Fort Myers	62	42
Fort Pierce	62	42
Green Cove Springs	62	42
Key West	Clear 70	50
Miami	Clear 70	50
Moore Haven	62	42
Ocala	62	42
Okechobee	62	42
Orlando	62	42
Palmdale	Clear 70	50
Tempe	Clear 70	50
Titusville	Clear 70	50

GEORGIA		
Station	High	Low
Atlanta	Clear 70	50
Augusta	Cloudy 70	50
Macon	Clear 70	50
Savannah	Clear 70	50
Thomasville	Clear 70	50