

Grange Official Asks Congress To Curb Grain Deals

Plea Is Made To Endorse Bill To Fix Commodity Margins

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 (AP)—A spokesman for the National Grange urged Congress today to curb "excessive gambling in grain and other food commodities."

The plea was made by J. T. Sanders, legislative counsel of the farm organization. He appeared before the Senate Agriculture Committee to endorse a bill giving the government the power to fix margins, or down payments, on commodity market dealings. The committee hearings are part of a broad congressional inquiry into market operations and speculation.

In another development, Senator Elmer Thomas (D-Ola.) charged that Senate investigators "laid" the office of a business associate "hoping to find something on me."

Thomas was assisting agents of the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee, which has been checking on Thomas' commodity trading. The Senator said he considered the inquiry a "closed incident."

Sanders is one of the few witnesses to endorse the margin fixing bill which Secretary of Agriculture Anderson has asked. He put into frequent arguments with committee members, most of whom oppose the measure.

Sanders said that under normal conditions there is no uniformity of margins, which are set by the individual exchanges. He added:

"It would appear that margin requirements are being used by the exchanges as a competitive device to attract speculative activity to exchanges with the lowest margins."

"Low margin encourages excessive speculation by the use of small, unimportant traders who have no connection with the production or distribution of commodities."

Such situations result, he said, in sudden price collapse and chaotic price movements, disastrous to orderly marketing and price stability.

"The reduction of the speculative inspired swings in prices will greatly improve the useful function of commodity exchanges," Sanders said.

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Mill buying developed mostly on the scale down with the situation in textiles quiet.

Texas advised said that planting was already underway in some southern parts of the state and that soil conditions were generally excellent in Texas.

Late afternoon prices were 75 cents to \$1.75 a bale lower than the previous close, March 32.01, May 32.24 and July 31.67.

Timid buying for an extension of Monday's rally bolstered the stock market, although many leaders were stalled by light selling.

Generally lower commodities tended to restrain bullish contingents to some extent. Individual favorites edged upward after midday, however, and advances of fractions to a point or so predominated near the close.

The ticker tape frequently halted. Transfers dwindled to around 700,000 shares for the full proceedings.

Republican Steel hardened on an increased extra dividend. Ahead most of the time were Youngstown Sheet, U. S. Steel, Santa Fe, Rock Island, Chesapeake & Ohio, Chrysler, Goodrich, U. S. Rubber, Boeing, Douglas Aircraft, U. S. Gypsum, Texas Co., Standard Oil (N.J.) and Pacific Western Oil. International Business Machines jumped several points on a few transactions.

Bunches of butter, cotton, wheat and the finish, was down \$1.15 to \$1.65 a bale. At Chicago wheat ended off 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 cents a bushel, corn up 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 cents and oats off 1/2 to 1 1/2.

Senator Tolley (R-N.H.) said the market price break probably will put off action indefinitely on bills to control high living costs.

"I think the peak of the high price range has passed. I think the edge is off the price problem," Tolley told a reporter.

He said his senate banking committee probably will wait a while before acting on anti-inflation measures.

Bills before the committee propose to:

1. Give President Truman power to restore limited rationing and wage-price controls if necessary.
2. Tell the Agriculture Department to prepare for meat rationing. A subcommittee already has voted three to two against this bill sponsored by Senator Flannery (R-Vt.).
3. "Freeze" all prices temporarily.

Chairman Wolcott (R-Mich.) of the House Banking Committee has suggested that Congress hold up for two weeks all economic bills except rent control.

Wolcott said Congress could also up effects of the commodity price drops by then and decide

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DeValera Ousted As Prime Minister; Costello Elected

Irish Parliament Defeats De Valera's Bid For Re-election By 70 To 75

DUBLIN, Feb. 18 (AP)—John A. Costello was elected prime minister of Eire today after parliament defeated Eamon de Valera's bid for re-election. The 65-year-old de Valera, who was born in New York, had headed Eire's government since 1932.

He mustered only four votes outside his own party, the Fianna Fail (Soldiers of Destiny), in his bid for return to power. He lost 70 to 75.

Costello, 56, a Dublin lawyer, was nominated for prime minister and was supported by five opposition parties. The vote for Costello was 75 to 68.

De Valera's party, with 38 members, is the largest in the new Dail (parliament) which was elected earlier this month. Parliament has 147 members. One member of De Valera's party was absent from today's session because of illness. Another, Frank Fahy, was re-elected speaker and thus was deprived of a vote.

Official States Reds Use Detroit As Gateway To U.S.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18 (AP)—Allens are using Detroit as their biggest gateway to sneak into the United States, Rep. McDowell (R-Pa.) said today.

"The situation," McDowell told the House, "has become a very bad one."

He said he has heard that "hundreds" of Communists have slipped past immigration officials.

"Unquestionably something has to be done up there," McDowell said. As chairman of the House Un-American Activities Subcommittee, he called in immigration inspector Francis Langhorne for questioning behind closed doors.

Langhorne, who lives at Farmington, Mich., has been on duty several years in the tunnel linking Detroit and Windsor, Ont., McDowell said.

The congressman described Langhorne as a "friendly witness." He said he has reason to believe the inspector has information that "harmful Communist criminals and fascists have been coming through thick and fast."

McDowell said they apparently head for Detroit, after getting into Canada from overseas, because more people go in and out of the country there every day than at any other spot along the border.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18 (AP)—One of every four Occidentals captured by the Japanese during the war was killed or died of maltreatment, Lieut. Col. T. F. Morneau of Australia told the International War Crimes Tribunal today.

Morneau, summing up casualty figures for the prosecution in the war crimes case against former Premier Hideki Tojo and 24 other war leaders, told the court:

"The Japanese captured 132,134 American, British and Dutch nationals and 35,754 died or were killed."

ATLANTA, Feb. 18 (AP)—A small fire broke out in a work room on the ninth floor of the Piedmont Hotel last night, with only injuries to feminine vanity reported.

The lobby was filled with women in curlers, their faces creamed and coats thrown over an array of pajamas and nightgowns—most of them trying to look inconspicuous. Firemen reported the fire as minor. It "was practically a flame alarm."

THE WEATHER

LAKELAND, Feb. 18 (AP)—The Federal State Frost Warning Service forecast for peninsular Florida tonight was partly cloudy and mild; warm Thursday; mild Thursday night and no frost seen through Saturday.

Temperatures

Low High

Boston 27 54

Chicago 23 53

Denver 27 50

San Francisco 48 65

New York 36 55

San Antonio 49 64

Seattle 46 59

Winnipeg 45 58

Jacksonville 50 70

Orlando 55 70

Parole Board Hit On Freeing Former Thugs

Doherty Says Citizens Shocked At Release Of Former Capone Gangsters

CHICAGO, Feb. 18 (AP)—A veteran police reporter for the Chicago Tribune today described the Federal Parole Board, which freed four hoodlums, as "naive" men who thought the Capone gang "was some kind of fairy tale."

James Doherty, who for 30 years has chronicled news for the Tribune, testified before a congressional subcommittee investigating the paroles.

At yesterday's hearing Mrs. Charlotte Campagna, wife of Louis (Little New York) Campagna, one of the paroles, said she paid \$10,000 to Attorney Paul Dillon of St. Louis to help obtain the parole.

Dillon was once a campaign manager for President Truman.

Doherty related he began inquiring into the paroles of the former gangsters when he said, "Chicago citizens were 'shocked and astounded' at the release of the men in August, 1947. They had served one-third of their ten-year sentences in alleged extortion of more than \$1,000,000 from the motion picture industry."

Besides Campagna, the paroles are Paul (The Waiter) Ricca, Philip D'Andrea and Charles (Cherry Nose) Gioe.

In Washington, Doherty said, he interviewed the parole board members but they could not reveal who had interceded in the gangsters' behalf. He said the members felt the men could be rehabilitated and were "not so bad."

Walsh and Gereck, working for the television companies, stated that their companies will show (Continued on Page Two)

THE TRACY, ACCUSED ROBBER, FREE ON BOND

GAINESVILLE, Feb. 18 (AP)—Joe Tracy, accused robber of the Perkins State Bank at Williston last Jan. 21, was freed today on \$25,000 bond.

His bond, originally set at \$50,000 by U. S. Commissioner William H. Chandler when Tracy was arraigned before him on Jan. 28, was reduced to \$25,000 by Federal Judge Dozer Devane of the northern district following a hearing in Tallahassee Feb. 10.

Returned here from Tallahassee today by officials of the U. S. marshal's office, Tracy signed the bond and said that he would resume his leather work business here while awaiting trial in June.

Mr. Stine today highly commended H. H. Coleman, former president and Mrs. J. H. Coleman, former secretary for "the marvelous work they have done during the past two years in promoting the series of successful concerts given here by top ranking musical artists."

"Plans are being made to continue to give Sanford fine musical programs, which will be governed in their quality by the number of members," said Mr. Stine. "It is felt that the people of Sanford and Seminole County have found out how good these concerts are and will be willing to join the Association during the coming season," he declared.

The National Male quartette, which made such a big hit at its concert here, will be secured again, if possible, to open the series of concerts here next year.

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7 DROWN AS VEHICLE PLUNGES INTO CREEK

POMEROY, O., Feb. 18 (AP)—Seven persons drowned last night when their automobile plunged into a flooded creek at Birdsbury, three miles southwest of here.

The victims, yet to be identified, were a man, four women and two boys.

The submerged automobile was found early today by Mrs. Emmett Lightfoot, who lived nearby. She had heard a crash about 11:30 P. M.

The automobile, an old model, four-door sedan, had missed a bridge over the creek on State Route 125. It ran down a 26-foot embankment and landed, upside down, in the water. About a foot and a half of the car remained above the surface.

Prices Hikes Of Steel Goods Will Cost Users 68 Million Per Year

NEW YORK, Feb. 18 (AP)—Price raises on steel products in the past week will cost steel users around \$68,000,000 annually, the Iron Age, trade weekly, said today.

"It could possibly be," the publication commented, "that some of these increases are anticipating the wage demand to be made this week by Philip Murray, steel union head."

"It is definite," the Iron Age added, "that Mr. Murray will not name a cents per hour wage demand. The union will ask for a substantial increase."

Boosted prices on pipes and tubes, certain semi-finished steel and extra charges of structural steel shapes were pointed to by the publication as evidence of steelmakers' "faith in the solidity of steel demand."

Cost increases to pipe consumers, principally the oil, gas and water industries, will total around \$45,000,000 annually, the paper estimated.

The Iron Age said changes in extra charges will cost structural fabricators around \$18,000,000 a year, while another \$10,000,000 must be borne from forging and

rolling billets, blooms and slabs.

It added, "Talk by steel officials advocating lower steel prices has not been supported by these price increases and by others which have been made since the first of the year and which included tin mill products, alloy bar extras, nails and fencing and certain railroad specialties."

Discussing supplies, the trade paper said "The recent decline in the steel input rate and the loss of output due to cold weather has not been met with increased consumer requirements."

Operations this week continued (Continued on Page Two)

Merchants' Association Plans Salute To Seminole Communities

An outstanding campaign of good will publicity in recognition of the value of surrounding towns to Sanford and to Seminole County was planned yesterday afternoon by the directors of the Sanford Merchants' Association at a meeting held at the Touchton Drug Store with W. A. Morrison presiding.

Funds were appropriated to promote a campaign to salute these communities in the county by means of the newspaper and radio, it was reported by Al Lyon, director of publicity for the Association.

It was decided to start the campaign immediately. The first town to be saluted will be Oviedo, second largest community in Seminole County, which will be greeted on radio broadcasts from Station WTRR Thursday morning and evening.

Oviedo has a population of more than 1,200 and is located about 10 miles southeast of Sanford, south of Lake Jessup in the center of fertile celery farms and citrus groves. On black hammock lands in that vicinity some of the

finest celery in the world is grown, and during the peak of the season, hundreds of refrigeration cars are shipped north on the Atlantic Coast Line and Seaboard Air Line Railroads that serve it.

Four large pre-cooling plants are required in or near Oviedo to take care of the huge amount of icing required for shipping. These include the one of the Lake Charm Fruit Company; the A. Duda and Sons plant at nearby Slavia, the Estes Plant and the Florida Pre-cooling Company.

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Company "I" Men Chile Seeks Army Feted At Legion Base In Disputed Supper And Meet Antarctic Circle

Hutchinson Says Vets Time In War II Is Counted As Double

Members of Company I of the National Guard were guests of Campbell-Lossing Post No. 53 at its supper meeting Monday evening at the Legion Hotel, and were addressed by Brig. General J. C. Hutchinson, Capt. Roy Green, and by Department Commander Frank Caton of the American Legion, it was reported by Joel Field, post adjutant.

Other Legion officials present were Department Vice-Commander Thomas H. Cooley, Department Adjutant A. Reid Mann and Assistant Department Adjutant Ernest A. Rowton.

General Hutchinson thanked the Post for inviting the guardsmen, and expressed appreciation for Legion interest shown in helping to make the re-activation of Company I a success.

He gave an outline of the history of the 124th Regiment of which Company I is now a part, and which during and preceding the war was "Company D," which was inducted into Federal service in November, 1940 and was sent overseas for action in the Pacific theater in 1944. He pointed out that when the company was organized in Sanford in 1921, 50 World War I veterans joined it, a better record than World War I veterans have made to date.

General Hutchinson said that National Guardsmen can retire after 30 years of service and can receive a pension of one-half of base pay beginning at the age (Continued on Page Two)

Democratic Heads State Light Vote Elected Isaacson

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18 (AP)—Democratic leaders said today a "light vote" contributed to the election of Leo Isaacson a Henry A. Wallace-supported candidate in Congress in New York yesterday.

That conclusion stirred calls for increased activity by party workers to "get out the vote" in November when the presidency will be at stake.

Symon J. Howard McGrath (R-I), Democratic National Chairman, sounded keynote of the party's reaction in a statement saying:

"It was a light vote and the Democratic Party never benefits from a light vote. The Democratic Party will make a grave mistake if it does not learn a lesson from the results of the special election in the 24th (Bronx) Congressional District of New York."

The moral is an obvious one, Democrats must have the courage to work with us, to vote, if we are to carry out a successful fight for Democratic principles."

McGrath said the results, however, "indicate still another minority election. Only about 40 percent of the vote participated. In 1944 there were approximately 120,000 votes cast in the district. In 1946 about 89,000 voted. Yesterday approximately 40,000 persons voted."

FLIERS RELEASED

WARSAW, Feb. 18 (AP)—Polish government spokesman said today Americans flying into Poland without plane clearance or visas in the future would be subject to one year in jail.

The Poles permitted five U. S. fliers to return to Berlin yesterday after being held overnight because they lacked formal entry papers. The five had flown U. S. Ambassador Stanton Griffiths back to Warsaw from London.

HIDES BARBECUE

More than 75 members of the Dusty Boots and Saddle Club attended the barbecue given Saturday at the Welva camp of R. T. Johnson and Roy Reller. All members of the club have been requested to practice at the track at the Municipal Airport for future cow pony races.

Beatrice Johnson Is Held For Deportation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18 (AP)—The Justice Department today announced the arrest for deportation of Beatrice Johnson, described as promotion manager for the New Masses, New York weekly publication.

The department said Mrs. Johnson had long been active in the Communist Party in this country and that she lacked citizenship.

She was taken into custody under the immigration laws providing for the exclusion of aliens who belong to groups advocating the violent overthrow of the United States government.

The arrest was made by immigration officers and FBI agents at 102nd Street and Columbus Avenue in New York City about 9 o'clock this morning.

U.S. Decides Its Position On Palestine

Marshall Says U. S. Re-considering Partition As Well As U. N. Police Force

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18 (AP)—Secretary of State Marshall said today the United States has just about decided what position it will take on the Palestine case in the United Nations Security Council.

The Palestine case is to come up in the Council Tuesday. The UN body will have to deal with such issues as these:

1. Whether an international police force should be sent to Palestine.

2. Whether the decision that Palestine should be divided in Jewish and Arab states should stand.

Marshall did not say what the United States may favor.

He told a news conference the United States representative at the New York UN meeting will be given instructions which are now being prepared.

Asked whether the American (Continued on Page Eight)

New Trailer Court Opened To Public On South Park Ave.

The Park Avenue Trailer Court in the 2700 block two blocks south of Geneva Avenue on Park Avenue, on which work was started a month ago, is now ready to accommodate 20 trailers and provide them with water and electricity, E. M. Dodson, who with Mrs. Dodson, is owner of the court, said today.

Mrs. Dodson will serve as manager while her husband, who is manager of the Te-Bill Homes, Inc., at the Municipal Airport, is occupied with that business.

The trailer court includes approximately 55,000 square feet of land and now has one large utility building where laundry showers and other facilities are provided. Palms are already being planted and further landscaping is contemplated, said Mr. Dodson, who added that he hopes to build a number of seasonal cottages in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Dodson have resided in this city for the past three months coming here from Miami where they were connected with Te-Bill Homes, Inc. for about three years. They formerly lived in Akron and Cleveland, Ohio.

Mississippi Passes Woman Juror Bill

JACKSON, MISS., Feb. 18 (AP)—The Mississippi Senate passed a bill yesterday allowing women to serve on juries.

Passage, on a 25 to 17 vote, came despite warnings of opponents that the bill might make it necessary for women to serve with negroes on the juries.

After passage, however, the Senate held the bill for reconsideration.

Senator H. H. Loving urged that the bill be killed on the grounds that recent United States Supreme Court decisions say, "No negro can be convicted and the conviction stand unless there are negroes on the jury."

"That," he said, "means that the women of Mississippi would have to serve with negroes."

Senator Raps Anti-Lynch Bill As Dangerous To States Rights

By MARGARET KERNODLE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18 (AP)—Proposed anti-lynching legislation is "a political football," Senator Maybank (D-SC) said today. The former South Carolina Governor appeared before a Senate Judiciary Subcommittee which is holding hearings on anti-lynching bills.

He said he opposed federal anti-lynching legislation "just as strenuously as I oppose this so-called anti-lynching" legislation.

"We, of the South oppose this not because of what it is but because of what it pretends to be," he said in a statement filed with the committee.

"I cannot bring myself to support a piece of legislation which I am confident will not serve the purpose for which it is intended and will only deny to our people one of the basic principles of self government."

Proposed anti-lynching legislation would fine or imprison individuals and officials who perpetrate or permit lynchings.

Maybank maintained the proposed "strike at the very roots of states rights." He said Congress should command rather than condemn states for "out-

standing service. You have only to look at the record. The decline of lynching has been just as steady over a period of years as our logical march toward law and order. It is because our people want it so; not because they were regimented into it."

"It is my sincere belief that passage of a bill such as this (anti-lynching) would ultimately stir up racial feelings such as we have not witnessed in our time."

He said enactment of an anti-lynch law would move responsibility closer to federal power and away from the people "in order (Continued on Page Three)

Truman Asks For \$570,000,000 Aid To Chinese Nation

Fuel Oil Shortage Is Explained At Kiwanis Luncheon

T. K. Ward Says Oil Demands And Consumption Increase

The current petroleum shortage was today explained to Kiwanians at the Tourist Center by T. K. Ward, Orlando oil distributor, as due to the increased demand and consumption of oil products. This shortage has prevailed, he said, in spite of the fact that more crude oil is being refined than during the peak year of 1945.

John Kider, former manager of the Sanford Celery Feds, brought apologies from Carl Hubbell, director of the New York Giants Farm School, at being unable to attend and address the meeting due to last minute complications caused by the arrivals of four news reel men.

Mr. Kider pointed out that the Seminole High School baseball team had no place to practice, due to work now going on at the Municipal Airport. He advanced the suggestion, seconded by Principal Herman E. Morris, that the City and County be induced to furnish and place clay on a practice infield for the boys at the school grounds.

Dr. L. T. Doss head of the Kiwanis Athletic Committee was directed by President Lamson to carry out this plan in behalf of Kiwanis. O. P. Herndon, county clerk, stated that he believed County co-operation can be secured in getting the necessary clay.

In connection with the oil shortage, Mr. Ward pointed out that the Army and Navy are using a tremendous amount of oil products, and told of the stoppage of the pipe line to the Middle East due to the trouble in Palestine. Refineries now are delayed in new construction due to steel (Continued on Page Eight)

Dixie Demos May Ask Southern Candidate

ATLANTA, Feb. 18 (AP)—Dixie Democrats, reviving over President Truman's Civil Rights Program, may demand a Southerner as vice presidential candidate, the Atlanta Constitution said today.

A committee of five governors may make the proposal at a conference with national party leaders in Washington Monday, the paper reported.

Governor Strom Thurmond of South Carolina is head of the committee, named at a recent meeting of Southern governors.

Among those reported under consideration for the vice presidential nomination were Senator Walter F. George of Georgia, Senator Harry F. Byrd of Virginia and former Secretary of State James F. Byrnes of South Carolina.

The committee may ask the President to back track on proposals for federal anti-lynch law, anti-lynching, anti-segregation and FEPC laws, the Constitution added.

First Of Sanford War Dead Will Be Honored Thursday

The remains of Jasper G. Spivey, first of the Sanford World War II heroes who died while serving their country overseas to be returned here, are due to arrive on ACL train No. 91 Thursday afternoon at 1:05 P. M. at the Sanford Depot, and will be met by an honor guard of the American Legion. It was announced today by Joel Field, adjutant of Campbell-Lossing Post 53.

T-5 Spivey, after serving in the Army since 1940, was killed in the Battle of the Bulge in France, July 25, 1944. He was born in Sumter county, Aug. 2, 1919, moved to Sanford with his parents when two years old and attended local schools.

He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Helen C. Spivey of Columbus, Ga.; the father, James I. Spivey of Sanford; and three sisters, Mrs. David Green and Mrs. Albert Johnson of Sanford and Mrs. William Luke of Palatka, and the step mother, Mrs. J. I. Spivey of Sanford.

All veterans organizations have been invited to take part in the ceremony Thursday. Ned Smith and John L. Galloway are co-

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Market Group Seeks Fruit Bill Extension

LAKELAND, Feb. 18 (AP)—The Federal Marketing Agreement Committee recommended today that current orange shipping regulations be continued next week.

They also suggested to the Secretary of Agriculture that Temple orange rules remain the same for the rest of the season. Regulations on grapefruit and tangerines already have been fixed for the season.

The committee also asked the Florida Citrus Commission to name a committee to study the possible revision of grade names for Florida citrus. There was no intent to change grading practices, but rather to make the terms give a better picture of what kind of fruit is designated.

EXPANSION

SHREVEPORT, La., Feb. 18 (AP)—United Gas Corporation and its subsidiaries plan to spend \$26,000,000 this year on development of gas and oil fields, says President M. C. McGowan.

Upon completion of the proposed expansion program, said McGowan, 27,000 additional homes, stores and factories will be provided natural gas service.

Case Of Having Courage To Risk Life For Country But Not To Face Life

By HAI ROYLE

NEW YORK (AP)—Dead at 25, Thomas Joseph Kavanagh began his brief public career with a toy pistol and he ended with his dying hand.

Both times he was trying to bluff fortune in small-scale fence-wolf robberies. But between the two episodes he won six decorations as a valorous doughboy overseas.

The short unhappy life of this hero-criminal is a masterpiece in human irony—a strange jigsaw puzzle with the key fragment missing.

In some way it holds a challenge to us all. A challenge to find out the "why" behind what he did.

All there is to go by now are the official police and War Department records, and this is what they say:

At the age of 16 Thomas Joseph Kavanagh, a Brooklyn boy of good family, tried to hold up

a Manhattan jewelry store watchman with a toy pistol.

Perhaps because of his youth he was charged only with petty larceny. He pleaded guilty and received an indeterminate sentence.

Was given him the opportunity to redeem himself and he made good in full measure.

He served in Africa and Italy. In that long "forgotten war" up the Apennines he was a front-line platoon commander for the veteran 168th Infantry Regiment.

Of all combat men platoon leaders have the highest mortality in battle. They take the lead where the metal flies thickest. General Patton once bluntly told a group: "Gentlemen, your duty is to be killed."

Thomas Joseph Kavanagh was not killed. But he did get a purple heart for wounds in action. Among his other decorations were three that are given only for personal bravery above the call of duty—the Silver Star, the

Bronze Star, the Bronze Medal and an oak leaf cluster.

I don't know what he fought the Germans with—pistol, rifle, machine gun or mortar—but he fought them long, hard, often and well. And he learned how to use weapons that were loaded.

He must also have seen men die, and gained that protective indifference to the sight of dead men all doughboys have to get or go crazy.

When he came home he left the Army with an honorable discharge and a good conduct ribbon.

Neighbors said he was rather silent and aloof, but so are many boys back from war.

Last Thursday evening Thomas Joseph Kavanagh walked into the Trans-Canada Air Lines office just off Fifth Avenue. His hand was in a brown paper grocery bag and he pointed it at the clerk:

"Here I am again," he said. "This is a stickup."

The clerk immediately recognized Kavanagh as the man who held him up last month, and took nearly \$1,000. Two detectives were in a back room waiting for just such a return call.

They stepped out of separate doors and as Kavanagh raised his arm menacingly they began firing. One bullet hit him in the head, two in his chest.

He fell dead. When they pulled his hand from the paper bag, they saw clutched in the ex-war hero's fist a toy pistol.

Later Kavanagh's father was brought to identify the body. He told him they also held him responsible for three other low robberies of the Colonial Airlines office. They gray-haired father held his son in his arms.

He said Kavanagh was recently held in a university under the GI Bill of Rights. Sigmund Janan, president of Colonial Airlines, sent a check for \$500 to the two detectives—one of whom had been wounded by the other's crossfire.

"This example of what can happen to any individual who thinks he can take anything he wants at the point of a gun without working for and earning it," Janan said, "should teach others a lesson."

But what is the thing we don't know? What can make a man heavily risk his life time after time for his country and then lose it away in a futile bluff with a toy weapon?

What gave Thomas Joseph Kavanagh the courage to be a stand-out hero in war yet left him without the long anonymous valor with which most of our other veterans are working out their problems peace brought them?

Death holds his answer.

CHANCE TO LIVE

KEY WEST, Feb. 12 (AP)—The Miami Post said today a man identified as Bruno Tassone, 35, of Chicago, has been given a 50-50 chance for life at municipal hospital here following an operation for a gunshot wound.

Monroe County Chief Deputy Sheriff Morano Wallace said the wounded man was arrested on nearly Stock Island Monday after the hospital received an anonymous phone call that a wounded man would be found on the island.

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U. S. Prestige Is Losing In Eastern Europe To Russia

By W. H. GALLAGHER

SOPIA, Bulgaria, Feb. 12 (AP)—American prestige in Eastern Europe has been losing ground in direct ratio to the Communist liquidation of opposition in each country.

There is a general disillusionment among Balkan peoples over the effectiveness of support from Britain and the United States.

This is the impression an American gets in talking to Bulgarian and diplomats in this Bulgarian capital.

As a corollary to the above impressions it seems safe to say there will be no serious opposition to Soviet domination of the Balkans until the Western powers can prove that their help to those undertaking it will be quick and effective. Since it is difficult to see how such help can be given under existing conditions, it is equally difficult to see any end to the present regime.

The pattern of events in Bulgaria has been virtually the same as that in Romania, Hungary and Yugoslavia.

In coming to power the Communists have not been content to limit but to smash all opposition, no matter how weak.

In Hungary, the leaders of the elected government were driven from the country. In Romania, the famous peasant leader who stood in opposition to the Communists was tried on vague charges, convicted, and jailed.

In Bulgaria, peasant leader Nikola Petkov, meeting the only effective opposition to Communist Georgi Dimitov's government, was hanged. His party was scattered, many of its members going to concentration camps.

Legion Meet

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26 Year Old Mother Has 4th Set Of Twins

WAREHAM, Mass., Feb. 12 (AP)—Mrs. Joseph A. Lopes, 26-year-old wife of a cranberry bog worker, has given birth to her fourth set of twins in five years.

The latest — a girl weighing seven pounds and a boy of six pounds, five ounces — were born two days ago at St. Tobey hospital. Mother and babies were reported doing well.

Five of the six other twins are still living — Joseph and Marlene, 2; Diane and Joan, 4; and Wanda, 5. One twin — Anita — died when she was a year old.

The Lopes have two other children — Marianne, 9, and Phyllis, 7. Mrs. Lopes is of Cape Verdean extraction.

Gromyko Calls U.N. Group Dutch Tool

LAKE SUCCESS, Feb. 12 (AP)—Andrei A. Gromyko, of Russia, charged today the United Nations Good Offices Committee on Indonesia had become a tool of the Dutch military.

In a 63-minute speech in Russian to the Security Council, Gromyko repeatedly said that the Netherlands had committed aggression in the Indonesian conflict.

He charged that the United States, Britain, Belgium and France had taken the side of the Netherlands and said they had done so because they all have "colonialist" aims.

The Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister declared that the conclusion of the truce agreement by the U. S., Belgium and the Netherlands was a "betrayal of the interest of the Indonesian people."

Newsreel Men

Sanford, Feb. 12 (AP)—The movie over the television stations some time next week.

The first pictures taken included shots of the large New York Giants sign painted on the former small arena stone building.

Academy Award-winning director, 150 of the Giants' players, coming from around the side of the building and gave an excellent view of the sign.

Rosal stated that Sanford was featured in all of the shots and an excellent script will be written to explain all the Giants school.

The photographers worked for nearly two hours taking various shots of training activities of the school.

On the movie, behind the pictures is to get people in the north and west to realize that baseball

is already underway down here, and create early interest in the game. Sanford will benefit tremendously from these pictures," Rosal added.

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Evangelist Talks To Large Crowd At Fellowship Front

Pat Withrow, famous Charleston, W. Va., evangelist, who is said to have been a saloon-keeper and gambler before his conversion 41 years ago, thrilled a large audience last night at Naval Base Auditorium, Fellowship Front.

With his dramatic sermon on "How To Get Rich Quick."

"Take God at His Word, trust His saving grace through Christ like I did when He cleaned me up inside and outside, and cast your all on His altar of His Service and He will supply you every earthly need, and that's God's way of making you rich."

The evangelist told several gripping stories of how God answered prayer in building that Great Union Mission in Charleston, that started on faith and \$100 and now covers a city block dedicated to saving human souls and giving a Christian home to homeless children.

Mr. Withrow is speaking every night this week in the former Naval Station auditorium and great preparations are being made for Washington's Birthday Celebration Sunday when he and former Congressman Wm. Upshaw will be the main speakers and free dinner will be furnished the great throng expected from all over Florida.

De Valera Ousted

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Costello, a member of the Fine Gael (United Irish) party, was nominated by General Richard Mulcahy, titular head of the party. Fine Gael has 31 members, the second largest party in Dail.

Fianna Fail lost its margin in the Feb. 4 general election. Mulcahy said the result of that election allowed the other parties "to say that they are willing to form an inter-party government."

This, Mulcahy said, "is the forerunner of a new spirit in Ireland. Immediately after the votes, Costello drove to the office of President Sean T. O'Kelly for confirmation of his selection as prime minister."

De Valera's hopes were dashed last night when five National Labor Party deputies switched to the anti-De Valera coalition. Moreover, Sean McBride, leader of Clann Na Poblachta (Republicans),

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Steel Price Hike

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unchanged at 93 per cent of rated capacity, it reported.

Declines averaging 75 cents a ton for No. 1 heavy melting scrap in the Chicago area and

30 cents in Philadelphia depressed the Iron Age scrap composite to \$49.08 a gross ton. This was a drop of 42 cents from the preceding week.

ARMEN RESCUED

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At Slavia is the A. Duda celery packing plant located near large celery fields. They also have large cattle interests. Oviedo is served by modern highways, two of which, have been improved by the State during the past year. These include the road to the east coast via Chuluota, and from Oviedo to Geneva. The latter road is due for another top surfacing. Oviedo is about 15 miles motoring distance from Sanford.

The Citizens Bank of Oviedo has deposits of more than \$1,300,543 as of Dec. 31, has fine churches and schools and a growing business section. Many homes and business buildings have been built there during the past year. The town recently acquired a new fire truck. Frank Talbot is mayor.

Plans were also made by the Sanford merchants for a big barbecue for their friends and guests to be held next Wednesday evening at the Elk Club grounds. Andrew Stine is chairman in charge of arrangements. More than 200 persons are expected to attend, including some of the New York Giant club trainers.

Importance of the outlying communities to the retail volume of Sanford was pointed out at the meeting, and it was estimated that this trade represents 25 percent or more of the retail business in Sanford, according to W. J. Lawton, who has been quite sick with the flu, is able to be back at the store a little bit now and then.

The Oviedo High School team is playing in the central Florida tournament at Tavares. They defeated Umatilla in their opening game Friday morning, and they were to meet the winner of the Winter Park-Mt. Dora game on Friday evening. Many students of the school attended the opening games Friday morning and evening.

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George Austin reported that the Merchants' Association membership drive is progressing nicely, and declared that it is hoped to have 100 full time members by the right of the barbecue.

Mr. Lyon today requested representatives of towns and communities who have news or historical facts about their towns available, to contact either The Herald or Radio Station WTRR in order that these facts may be made known to the public during the campaign.

Present at the meeting were: W. A. Morrison, W. V. Bittling, Jan Ivey, Ned Smith, Jack Hall, C. L. Redding, George Austin, Prothy Powell, R. T. Hunt, Andrew Stine, F. J. Willink, Edward Higgins, Robert Thompson, Al Lyon and J. C. Mitchell.

Anti-Lynch Bill

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that states, and their officials may be prosecuted for failure to carry out a federal edict which was passed on behalf of a minority in control of a few votes.

"More people will die in this country this winter from exposure to cold than were killed by lynching in the past ten years," he added.

"Is any vice which has claimed 36 lives in the past ten years deserving of such high priority on our legislative calendar in the face of such figures as more than a 1,500,000 major crimes every year?"

"How," he asked, "can men who are engrossed in the problem of human suffering by this million at home and abroad hamstring the legislative procedure of this Congress with a bill which

"hopes" to save an average of three lives a year. They cannot be sure it will save one life. I say it will not.

"Lives have been saved and lives are still being saved every day just as the record shows by a rising sense of responsibility on the part of the Southern sheriff and his officials."



Baseball . . . golf . . . or tennis may be your favorite sport, but odds are two-to-one that one of these two tan and whites is your favorite sports shoe. For with well-dressed men everywhere, they out-sell all others, just as the Fortune line out-sells all others in its price range. Come in for your favorite today.

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Garden Club

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It resembles very short piece of wire, name.

Choose a simple manageable culture that can be worn casually for every day wear but can be twisted into a becoming evening style for special occasions.

Experiment with just these two-for-you styles and you will find your own special brand of charm.

Just as it is important that your clothes be crisp, well-pressed and neat, regardless of whether they are the mode of the moment, that your makeup always look fresh and pretty and not stale, so also your hair always should be clean and lustrous.

Frequent shampoos will keep your hair gleaming. A good liquid conditioning shampoo will insure easy manageability. Your own special rinse will add high lights if you need them. Blondes often prefer lemon. Brunettes and redheads usually are partial to the vinegar rinses. The vinegar can bring lovely reddish glints to the dark-haired girl.

One prominent New York hair dresser sets hair in bees because he claims the wax stays in longer. There is no odor after the hair dries and many girls who do their hair at home, now use this method of setting the hair.

The achievement of a beautiful hair arrangement should be as the result of some experiment on your part so that your own personal coiffure will be a part of your own personality and complement your natural beauty.

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Elsie Knight Circle Holds Meet In Annex

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For her topic Mrs. Cleveland chose "The Always Unfinished House". Those taking part on the program, under the direction of Mrs. W. A. Foster, program chairman, were Mrs. J. A. Varn, Mrs. J. Brailley Odham, Mrs. Jameson, Mrs. Ouida Wilson and Mrs. Foster.

It was revealed during the program that the Home Mission Board is now operating in 20 different fields, including Cuba, Canal Zone, Panama and Costa Rica and that there are now 95 missionaries among the Indians. A total of 9,499 Baptist Church have been organized by the Home Mission Board.

Members were reminded of the all-day meeting to be held at the church on Feb. 23 and were urged to attend by Mrs. R. L. Garrison, sponsor of the circle. A covered dish lunch will be served at the noon hour, she stated. The meeting opened with the group singing, "Jesus Shall Reign", which is the W. M. U. song for the year.

Those present were: Mrs. C. H. Lake, Jr., Mrs. Odham, Mrs. Clarence Collins, Mrs. E. B. Carter, Mrs. J. T. Denton, Mrs. William, Mrs. W. A. Cagle, Mrs. Frances, Granger, Mrs. Lourine Beal, Mrs. Jameson, Mrs. Garrison, Mrs. Cliff Allen, Mrs. O. R. Mathews, Mrs. Robert Rauler, Mrs. Cleveland, Mrs. A. J. Peterson, Mrs. L. Thomas, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. A. L. Thoms, Mrs. Hal Gilbert, Mrs. Joe Kake, Mrs. John Rader and Miss Maude Jenkins.

CARD OF THANKS
Jim and Pearl White and family wish to express to their many friends their thanks for the many kindnesses rendered during the loss of their son, Curtis White, also for the beautiful floral offerings at the funeral and during his illness.

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Social And Personal Activities

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The annual Garden Club luncheon will be held at the Mayfair Inn at 12:00 o'clock. Madam Wu Chi Liu will be the guest speaker. Seminole Chapter No. 2, O. E. 3, will meet at the Masonic Hall at 8:00 P. M. Election of officers will be held.

FRIDAY
The Sanford Grammar School P. T. A. will observe Fathers and Founders Night at the school at 8:00 P. M. Rev. Douglas E. Charles will be the guest speaker with his subject being "Guidance and Leadership". Refreshments will be served following the meeting.

SATURDAY
A buffet supper will be held from 8:00 to 9:30 P. M. at the Seminole Country Club. Reservations should be made as early as possible, according to Charles Potter, manager of the club.

SUNDAY
The Sanford Story League will meet at the First Baptist Church at 8:00 P. M. to be preceded by the executive board meeting at 7:30 P. M.

A book exhibit will be held at the South Side Primary School. 800 books will be on exhibit and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Dependables Meet At Tillis Home

Mrs. M. L. Tillis and Mrs. W. W. Thomas were co-hostesses for the regular meeting of the Dependable Class of the First Methodist Church held on Monday evening at the Tillis home. Mrs. Roscoe Taylor presided over the meeting.

The group voted to hold a market basket sale at the next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. R. F. Cole. Members were asked to bring any articles of infant's clothing to this meeting to be given to a needy family. Following the business session refreshments were served to the members present.

Those attending were Mrs. Burke Steele, Mrs. Sue Loeschalt, Mrs. J. M. Leonard, Mrs. R. W. Herron, Mrs. J. D. Callahan, Mrs. Vela Prier, Mrs. C. L. Wallis, Mrs. Cyril Butler, Mrs. Theo. Pate, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. H. A. Appleby, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Lucille Johnson, a visitor, and the hostesses.

The regular meeting of the Seminole Teachers Club was held at the South Side Primary School on Monday evening at 7:30 P. M. The guest speaker for the meeting was Miss Rena Walker, assistant professor of counseling and guidance of the University of Florida Extension Division. Miss Walker had as the subject for her talk, "The School and Home Work Together for Good Mental Hygiene in the Community."

Also on the program was Rep. Brantley Odham who explained to the group the Youth Government Week which will be sponsored by the Seminole County Junior Chamber of Commerce. The plan will serve to educate students to accept their future responsibility as citizens, he said, and will include students between the seventh and twelfth grades who will participate in an election of county officials.

The short business session prior to the talks by Miss Walker and Mr. Odham was presided over by Dr. C. H. Root. The organization voted to hold future meetings on Tuesdays so that all teachers who are attending Stetson University and Rollins College on Mondays may be present for the meetings.

Other short talks heard during the meeting were made by Supt. T. W. Lawton and Miss Ruth Hand, County Supervisor. All rooms of the school were open and were visited by the teachers present.

Jacaranda Circle Has Regular Meet

The Jacaranda Circle of the Sanford Garden Club met on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. C. Hickson on Coley Avenue with their guest speaker being Mrs. L. E. Spencer who talked on azaleas. She spoke on the care and cultivation of the plants and illustrated her talk with various specimens.

Mrs. S. C. Graham appointed members to serve as hostesses at the information booth during the month. Those present for the meeting were Mrs. W. H. Brinson, Mrs. J. Roy Britt, Mrs. Fred Cooper, Mrs. John Courier, Sr., Mrs. Graham, Mrs. L. I. Hughes, Mrs. C. G. Methvin, Mrs. Robert Reely, Mrs. Albert Starke, Mrs. L. L. Still, Mrs. Hickson, Mrs. Spencer and a new member, Mrs. H. B. Fennell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Britt have as their guest at their home on Catalina Drive, Mr. Britt's mother, Mrs. W. H. Britt of Mobile, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Harper had as their guests over the past weekend Mr. Harper's sister, Mrs. Amelia Norris, and Miss Wanda Reeves of Plant City.

Henry Bunn McCall, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McCall left on Friday for Dallas, Tex. where he will enroll as a student at Southern Methodist University.

Friends of E. C. Harper will be glad to learn that he is improving after a recent illness at his home at 1315 Sanford Avenue.

Mrs. Clark Leonard returned on Monday from Palatka where she visited her niece, Mrs. Berta Morris. Miss Morris returned to Sanford with her to spend some time.

Friends of Mrs. J. E. Donoff will be glad to learn that she has returned from St. Augustine where they participated in the Champion of Champions tournament. In the qualifying round Mr. Smith shot 76 and Mr. Spencer 78. The tournament was made up of champions of clubs from all over the world.

C. E. Spencer and E. H. Smith have returned from St. Augustine where they participated in the Champion of Champions tournament. In the qualifying round Mr. Smith shot 76 and Mr. Spencer 78. The tournament was made up of champions of clubs from all over the world.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Carroll announced today the birth of a daughter, Brenda Kay, on Feb. 15 in the Fernald Laughton Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Carroll will be remembered as the former Annie Ruth Willis.

The game of poker is an adaptation of an old Persian pastime which was played with only 20 cards and limited to four players.

Bear meat is a source of trichinosis and should be thoroughly cooked before eating, according to California game authorities.

Mrs. Wight Honored With Shower Friday

Mrs. Joe Stewart and Mrs. Jack Morrison were co-hostesses for a shower given on Friday for Mrs. Ralph Wight. A Valentine theme was used in decorating and during the evening games were played with prizes being awarded to Mrs. Tony Thornley and Miss Ruth Davidson.

A Valentine motif was also carried out in the refreshments which consisted of open face sandwiches, cookies, candies and coca colas. Gifts for the honoree were brought into the party room in a basket trimmed with pink and blue crepe paper.

Those invited to be with Mrs. Wight were Mrs. P. C. Stanley, Mrs. Alfred Stanley, Mrs. Ed Willink, Mrs. Alice Wight, Mrs. Jenny Taylor, Mrs. Tony Thornton, Mrs. W. O. Livingston, Mrs. W. J. Morrison, Mrs. Frank P. Akers, Jr., Mrs. E. A. Brotherson, Mrs. Roy Britt, Mrs. L. P. Payton, Mrs. W. H. Duncan, Mrs. Grover Williams, Mrs. H. D. Smith, Mrs. Betty Childs, Mrs. William Morrison and the Misses Tol Livingstone, Lucille Caldwell, Ruth Davidson and Edna Payton.

TEEN TALK

AP Newsfeatures

Dear Judy,

The newest craze in the pigtail set is a headgear of wiglets—long pigtails made of yarn. The kids like them because they warm the ears and the wiglets can be tied around the neck when skating or skiing. Besides they really look cute. Dark haired kids usually pick yellow yarn and the blonde hops go for black yarn which gives them a pretty good indication of how they would look with mature colored hair.

Here is how to make wiglets: Cast ten stitches on number six needles, knit in a garter stitch for nine inches. Bind off. Cut remaining yarn into strands fifty-four inches long, sew each strand separately crosswise along center of knit piece which makes the center part. Then turn this part over and braid the yarn on each side starting below the ears. You can take your choice of long or short wiglets. Some of the kids like them very short; some have them down to the knees; others vary the effect by tying contrasting ribbon bows to the pigtails.

All tied up again: The kids are taking time with dad's ties again, only this time they are trimming them with colored sequins and wearing them to parties. You don't tie them in the conventional four-in-hand manner but wear them so that both ends fall over one shoulder fastened with a pin. If dad owns ties with his ties, these sequin ties can be found in the shops either in four-in-hand or bow ties.

The Metropolitan Youth Survey Company (Junior Achievement) landed its first client, and made a test survey among teenagers on cosmetic preferences for the company.

Fifteen girls ranging in age from 15 to 19 set to work interviewing 181 New York girls of high school age and gleaned the following facts: 23 per cent do not use face powder; 41 per cent do not use powder base; 1 per cent do not use lipstick; 8 per cent use it occasionally.

Have you heard about the "answer to a maiden's prayer"? It's a rayon satin pillow case with a life size photograph of her favorite star reproduced on the fabric. Such swoon artists as Sinatra, Crosby, Como, Milland and Ladd are decorating the rooms of the younger set—just for a lark, they say.

Telen says she got the shock of her life when she walked into her sister's dark room and the light shining from the hall hit one of the satin pillows because it looked for all the world as if Mr. Sinatra was sitting in the chair.

Beauty Boost. . . This is the time to chase away complexion blemishes so that you will be all set for the sweetly feminine spring fashions. Sweets and rich foods have to be cut to a minimum—and it may be tough giving up gooey sundae dripping with marshmallow, whip cream, and syrup but it will be worth it when spring rolls around. The job must also be tackled from the outside with thorough soap and water cleansing.

Vivian

In 1940 about 30 percent of U. S. dwelling units had no running water.

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THE GARDEN GATE

MRS. E. G. KILPATRICK, JR., Editor
Weekly Column of the Sanford Garden Club

As we left you last week, we had the soil analyzed and the proper P. H. established for the favorite plants; also we had grouped together the ones taking a sweet or alkaline soil, and in another part of our garden, the ones taking a sour acid soil.

Let us look to the garden pests that will attack the shrubbery from under ground. There is the cut worm, which short and fat, will come out at night and cut the tender plants off at the ground and go back into the soil by daylight, often when the plant has escaped until they are too tough for the worm, they will climb the stem and cut off the tender leaves.

The mystery to some of you, is what happened to the lovely plant you admired the night before. Take time to look carefully at the ground, close to the small stump and no doubt you will find a hole. Scratch lightly and just below the surface you will find the culprit. It is vicious because it means to murder another plant the next night.

The author would like to rectify a personal experience she had with cut worms. "We came to Sanford from a northern city. We liked Sanford very much, and after a few months driving around, we became intoxicated with the idea of farming."

We bought a farm and after a great deal of debating we decided to put in a spring crop of bell peppers. We ploughed and began to make ready the seed bed to raise our pepper plants. A farmer near by told how much work that would be and suggested that we buy the plants from him, who had had many years experience. We took his advice, buying the plants at a very high price. After we very proudly set the plants in the field, the fun began.

Our kind neighbor told us nothing about putting poison bait on the ground before setting, and the cut worms came out in droves to destroy the little helpless plants. Our sleep was too heavy to hear their cries of agony.

Of course we went to our friend in haste, and with a knowing and hidden grin, he suggested that the rabbits might be doing the damage. It happened to be moonlight, so night after night, until the new moon, we stayed in the pepper field with a shot gun waiting for the naughty rabbits. Every morning more plants would be gone and our helpful farmer would sympathize with us.

At last when the field was almost bare, the neighbor had a hearty laugh and told us it was cut worms, and how much fun he had about our rabbit hunting. It was heart-breaking and serious for us because peppers sold high that year.

It was not until quite a few years later that we could see fun in the experience, when we realized how green we had been not to ask others, but relied on our own advice, we could at least grin.

Now a word of advice—although the author is really trying to help you in every way, ask others who know, compare, and run it through the sieve of reasoning and apply to your own needs.

Another under ground pest is the mole cricket, a brownish gray bug, about one and a half inches long that burrows along on the top and leaving a very loose wake. The mole cricket

does the greatest damage, and this is not to be minimized, by working the roots of the small plants loose and allowing them to die of thirst. They are especially alarming to tiny seedlings in seed beds.

Let us go on to the wire worm that lives in the ground and causes its share of garden destruction. These attack more mature plants. When you see your dianthus begin to droop, and in a few days die, in spite of the water you gave it, you may be rather sure it is wire worm. Break the plant off and you will find a hole the size of a large darning needle about 1/4 of an inch long. It resembles very much a short piece of wire. Hence its name.

For these three garden pests use an insecticide by the trade name of 610 Mixture, one quart to 25 gal. of water. Use in a common sprinkling can, covering a thousand sq. ft. This is very effective and when applied in the fall will not have to be repeated for a year.

Root knot is another underground fiend. A worm parasite in plants, having a "swirl-like" body, called a nematode. It fastens itself into the roots of certain plants, making very ugly knots of the roots, checking the growth and at last causing death. Our most favorite shrub, the Gardenia, suffers much from the parasite. Prepare you for this shrub right to ten days before planting, following this diagram.

12 in. in between the dots and 12 in. between the rows of dots. At each dot, push an ice pick, of small stick 5 to 6 in. in the ground and pour in the hole one teaspoonful of lime. This sterilizes the ground and your shrub is safe for a long time.

Next week we shall deal with garden pests that attack above the ground.

Beauty Notes

By BETTY CLARKE
AP Newsfeatures Beauty Editor

SPRING is just around your frozen apple trees, so when you are planning a new wardrobe take a chain inventory as well. Map out a simple plan you'll find it is easy to follow.

It isn't much fun to court the idea of buying a \$75 outfit when you know you can afford only half that sum; to plan a wardrobe which is elegant enough for a White House debut when your social activities are limited to church social and club banquets to experiment with makeup intended for movie queens and stage folks when you are in a different niche in life.

"Know thyself" and then you will be able to plan for your own betterment. If you stick to your own last instead of trying to wear somebody else's you will be way ahead on the glamor train. Size up your pocketbook, the people with whom you associate, the places to which you go for amusement. Then plan just for YOU!

There always is a safe road you can follow if you aren't a good judge of yourself. . . choose the simple way every time. Simplicity is the basis for beauty and the adornments which are

Phil Grashoff Is Honored With Dinner

Among the activities at the Seminole Country Club were included this week a dinner given last evening honoring Phil Grashoff who left today for Detroit, Mich. Decorating the dinner table was a graceful arrangement of greenery flanked with white tapers in crystal holders.

Included on the dinner were fillet mignon served with a delicious menu. Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Grashoff, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coghurn and Mr. and Mrs. George Thurston.

added to enhance are merely for those who feel they can wear them gracefully.

Choose a simple manageable coiffure that can be worn casually for every day wear but can be twisted into a becoming evening style for special occasions. Experiment with just these two-for-you styles and you will find your own special brand of charm.

Just as it is important that your clothes be crisp, well-pressed and neat, regardless of whether they are the mode of the moment, that your makeup always look fresh and pretty and not stale, so also your hair always should be clean and lustrous.

Frequent shampooing will keep your hair pliant. A good liquid conditioning shampoo will insure easy manageability. Your own special rinse will add highlights if you need them. Blonds often prefer lemon. Brunettes and redheads usually are partial to the vinegar rinses. The same sprays can help bring redish-blonds to the dark-haired girl.

One prominent New York hair dresser sets hair in beer because he claims the wave stays in longer. There is no odor after the hair dries and many girls who do their hair at home, now use this method of setting the hair.

The achievement of a beautiful hair arrangement should be as the result of some experiment on your part so that your own personal coiffure will be a part of your own personality and complement your natural beauty.

Elsie Knight Circle Holds Meet In Annex

Mrs. M. N. Cleveland taught the Bible Study at the meeting of the Elsie Knight Circle of the First Baptist Church when it met in the church annex on Monday evening with Mrs. Henry Jameson presiding.

For her topic Mrs. Cleveland chose "The Always Unfinished House". Those taking part on the program, under the direction of Mrs. W. A. Foster, program chairman, were Mrs. J. A. Varn, Mrs. J. Brantley Odham, Mrs. Jameson, Mrs. Ouida Wilson and Mrs. Foster.

It was revealed during the program that the Home Mission Board is now operating in 20 different fields, including Cuba, Canal Zone, Panama and Costa Rica and that there are now 95 missionaries among the Indians. A total of 9,489 Baptist Churches have been organized by the Home Mission Board.

Members were reminded of the all day meeting to be held at the church on Feb. 23 and were urged to attend by Mrs. R. L. Garrison, sponsor of the circle. A covered dish lunch will be served at the noon hour, she stated. The meeting opened with the group singing, "Jesus Shall Reign," which is the W. M. U. song for the year.

Those present were: Mrs. C. H. Lake, Jr., Mrs. Odham, Mrs. Clarence Collins, Mrs. E. B. Carter, Mrs. J. T. Denton, Mrs. William, Mrs. W. A. Ogler, Mrs. Frances Granger, Mrs. Lourine Head, Mrs. Jameson, Mrs. Garrison, Mrs. Cliff Aydes, Mrs. O. H. Atthick, Mrs. Robert Raulerson, Mrs. Cleveland, Mrs. A. J. Peterson, Mrs. Varn, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. A. I. Thomas, Mrs. Hal Gilbert, Mrs. Joe Kiker, Mrs. John Kader and Mrs. Maude Jintine.

CARD OF THANKS
Jim and Pearl White and family wish to express to their many friends their thanks for the many kindnesses rendered during the loss of their son, Curtis White, also for the beautiful floral offerings at the funeral and during his illness.

The White Family

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COWAN'S

Grains Lead Price Slide Becoming General In Mart

NEW YORK, Feb. 13 (AP)—Grains led a price slide that became general in today's commodity markets.

Brokers reported very limited demand in the Chicago pits. Wheat fell as much as 5 1/2 cents a bushel. Oats were 1/2 to 3/4 cents lower. Corn was 1/2 to 1 1/2 cents below yesterday's close.

A burst of selling broke out midway through the trading session. Earlier corn rallied but could not hold its gains.

The break came on the heels of an Agriculture Department statement that the number of livestock on farms Jan. 1 was the lowest since 1939. Some grain analysts believed there naturally would be less demand for feed grains.

Stocks bumped along an unevenly lower trail in today's market. Narrow fluctuations in commodities did little to shake security traders from their indecisive attitude. Some of the oils and railroads were easier at times but there was no urgency in either bids or offerings. The ticker tape idled for long intervals. Near the fourth hour fractional plus and minus signs were widely scattered.

News developments to sustain a movement in either direction were lacking. Brokers said customers remained cautious pending clearer views of the effects of commodity price adjustments, and of prospects for tax legislation and foreign aid programs. Some timid bidding stemmed from hopes for a resumption of the technical comeback.

Andrew Stine

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A former master mechanic at the E. I. DuPont Chemical Company at Belle, W. Va., and resident at nearby Charleston, Mr. Stine came here three years ago when he purchased an interest in the Hill Hardware Co. He is a director and former president of the Sanford Merchants Association, is program chairman of the Ocala Club, and a member of the Ocala Executive Club. He is married and lives at 2305 Magnolia Avenue.

The "Hallet Intime" will mark the final program of the present season and will be presented on the evening of Mar. 2 at the High School auditorium.

U. S. Decision

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policy had been decided, Marshall replied the government has approximately the word he used in reaching its decision on what the instructions are to be.

Marshall also told his news conference:

1. That as far as he knows there is no basis for what he called rumors that the Russians have put out "peace feelers" to American officials in Berlin for settling the "cold war" between the U. S. and Russia.

2. That there is no foundation for the recent Russian charge that the United States negotiated with Hitler Germany in 1943 over a possible "separate peace" for World War II.

3. That the United States is deeply interested in the conflicting British, Argentine and Chilean claims to certain Antarctic islands but regards the issue as one for settlement by those three countries. Marshall said specifically that the Inter-American Defense Treaty signed at Rio de Janeiro last year does not apply.

4. That the United States hopes very much that negotiations beginning in London next week for four-power (U. S., Britain, Russia, France) agreement on an Atlantic peace treaty will be successful. He said this country will continue to negotiate as long as there is any chance for any agreement.

Marshall declined to discuss specific aspects of the Palestine situation or even to indicate what he considers the main UN issue to be.

There has been no change, he said, in the ban against shipping American arms and munitions to Palestine or the Arab countries. Asked whether any change in the ban was under consideration, he said the whole Palestine matter is under consideration.

A reporter asked whether failure of the United Nations to settle the Palestine problem would wreck the United Nations. Marshall said he did not think the United Nations could be killed off with a single blow. But he added that its action in the Palestine case is of vast importance to its future effectiveness.

Workers Fight Flood In Mississippi Area

By ASSOCIATED PRESS

Veteran flood-fighters worked steadily sandbagging levees on the Yazoo River around Greenwood, Miss., as waters rose to a dangerous high.

Convict labor and equipment were brought in from other areas to aid local forces.

The situation is becoming increasingly serious with the flood moving downstream, the neighbors' district corps of engineers reported last yesterday.

The flood crest on the Tombigbee River, which passed Columbus, Miss., last night, is expected to crest on the Alabama River at Montgomery, Ala., in the past few days.



Photo By Jameson

Nurses at Fernald-Laughton Memorial Hospital are shown as they inspected last Friday the new incubator which had just arrived from Cleveland, Ohio, and which was presented by the doctors of the Seminole County Medical Association as a means of saving the lives of babies born prematurely or with reduced vitality. Shown left to right are Miss Elizabeth Landgraf, hospital superintendent, Mrs. J. Thomas, Mrs. Mary Micker, hospital secretary and Miss Ruth Stenstrom. Beyond is shown the maternity ward.

Florida State News In Brief

FREIGHT DERAILLED
ORANGE HEIGHTS, Feb. 13 (AP)—Twenty-three cars of a Seaboard Air Line northbound freight train were derailed here early today.

Railroad officials said no one was injured and blamed the accident on a broken rail. The cars were loaded with non-perishable goods. Traffic was rerouted while cranes cleared the tracks.

AMOS WITHDRAWS
TALLAHASSEE, Feb. 13 (AP)—John B. Amos of Milton officially withdrew today as an opponent to State Senate President-designate Newman C. Bracklin in the First senatorial district.

He had qualified against Bracklin in protest against waiver of a "gentlemen's agreement" between Santa Rosa and Oklawaha counties. The pact permitted the two first district counties to take turns in sending state senators to the legislature.

Chinese Aid

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feel by another American move to check Communism's spread. Checking Communism is one of the arguments made for aid now going to Greece and Turkey and for the proposed European Recovery Program.

Mr. Truman said he thought helping China would help peace. He put it this way: "The United States has long recognized the importance of a stable Chinese nation to lasting peace in the Pacific and the entire world. The vast size and population of China make her an important factor in world affairs."

The President's program would provide: An appropriation of \$510,000,000 that China could draw on (as loans or gifts) and use to buy from other nations things badly needed. How much would be loans and how much gifts was not stated.

2. Another \$30,000,000 for "a few selected reconstruction projects to be initiated prior to June 30, 1946."

Mr. Truman said the imports to be financed would include cereals (wheat, rice), cotton, petroleum, fertilizer, tobacco, pharmaceuticals, coal and repair parts for existing capital equipment.

"The quantities provided for under this program are within the limits of available supplies," the President said. "The financing of these essential commodities imports by the United States would permit the Chinese government to devote its limited dollar resources to its most urgent other needs."

The \$30,000,000 would be used to repair roads and railroads, fuel and power plants, and factories which can make things the Chinese could sell to other nations.

"This work," Mr. Truman said, "could be undertaken in areas sheltered from military operations and could help in improving the supply and distribution of essential commodities."

Pending establishment of an administrative agency for the European Recovery Program, the President said, the aid to China should be carried forward under the existing machinery for foreign relief.

Legislation authorizing the Chinese program, he added, should provide for transfer of the Chinese aid administration to the ERP setup.

The United States has been helping China under general foreign relief programs. Mr. Truman noted in his message that the United States also supplied China with food, clothing and other necessities through the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration.

UNDERWOOD DIES
JACKSONVILLE, Feb. 13 (AP)—William F. Underwood, 61, owner, publisher and editor of the Florida Beacon, a monthly Republican newspaper, died early today after a long illness.

He was born in Philadelphia and had lived in Jacksonville about 25 years. He had published the Florida Beacon for 17 years and was active in state Republican affairs.

TOBACCO TAX HIT
TALLAHASSEE, Feb. 13 (AP)—The City of Miami's \$750,000 a year tax on tobacco products was attacked as an unauthorized consumer's levy and defended as a vital revenue measure in the Florida Supreme Court today.

R. K. Bell, attorney for a drug store operator challenging the levy, said it amounts to a consumer's tax which the city has no authority under its charter to impose.

Matron Given 2 Years For Beating Infants
ATLANTA, Feb. 13 (AP)—The middle-aged matron of a boarding house for babies is under a two-year sentence today for beating two of her small charges.

Mrs. Edna Roseberry, 52, was charged with mistreating a 10-month-old baby, Marjory Jean Gordon, and one-year-old Charles Stallings.

War Dead
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The remains will be escorted to the Erickson Funeral Home by the Honor Guard.

Funeral services for T-S Spivey will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the graveside at Sylvan Lake Cemetery on the Mt. Dora Road near Wilson Corner.

All Legionnaires and other veterans are requested to meet at the Legion Mt. Sunday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock in preparation for attending the service. Pallbearers are requested to meet at the Erickson Funeral Home at 1:00 o'clock and to proceed to the cemetery at 1:30 o'clock, said Mr. Field.

The Rev. C. B. Ruppe and the Rev. L. R. Rushton as well as the American Legion will conduct the services at the graveside.

Kiwanis Luncheon
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shortage. Many bankers used during the war are now in drydock, and a year is needed to put them in condition. He told of a \$50,000 refinery now being constructed in Brazil to refine the oil.

Oil interests are seeking to pool their facilities and terminals to cut the shortage, but this requires government permission, he pointed out.

Dr. L. T. Doss announced that the Kiwanis Club's Underprivileged Child Committee of which Roy Mann in chairman, had presented a baby incubator for use in the colored ward at Fernald-Laughton Memorial Hospital, in behalf of Kiwanis. It is similar to the one presented by the Seminole County Medical Association and is expected to arrive here in two weeks.

Guests included E. H. Thompson, of WIRL, L. E. Brown of Washington, D. C., J. E. Nichols, past president of West Liberty, Ky., Kiwanis Club, A. J. Thomas, Jr., of Orlando, Sheriff P. A. Mero, L. M. Carroll and Richard E. McNeil of the Key Club.

Citrus Market

STATE FARMERS' MARKET
SANFORD, FLORIDA
FEB. 13, 1946

DISTRICTS	PRICE
SANFORD	30 445
Oviedo	5 329
DEMINOLE CTY.	3 217
Sarasota	12 593
Lower E. Coast	6 547
FLORIDA	2 2693
N. CALIF.	53 2365
C. CALIF.	3 5485
S. CALIF.	21 971
ARIZ.	8
TOTAL 1945	87 10872
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PHILADELPHIA Market Daily

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State Farmers Market

Report No. 58

The following prices reported by the dealers on the Sanford State Farmers' Market for produce sold to truckers and dealers up to 12:01

A. M., Feb. 13

Beans, Green bu hpr 4.50 4.75

Schubert crt or ss 6.75 8.00

Califlower crt 2.50 3.00

Celery Golden crt 2.50 2.65

Celery Pascal crt 3.25 3.10

Collards doz bun 1.50 2.00

Cucumbers bu hpr 5.75 7.25

Eggplant bu hpr 5.50 6.75

Lettuce, Iceberg crt 2.50 4.00

Mustard Greens bu hpr 1.50 2.00

Onions, Green doz bun 1.25 1.50

Pas. English bu hpr 3.00 3.50

Peppers, bu hpr 6.00 1.00

Potatoes, Red Hills 50 lbs 1.00 1.25

Potatoes, Sweet bu hpr 2.50 3.00

Radishes 5 doz hpr 2.00 2.15

Tomatoes crt 1 lb crtns 4.50 5.10

Turnips to fill, 4 doz 3.00 3.50

Turnip Maid bu hpr 1.50 2.00

Turnips doz bun 1.25 1.50

Turnips bu hpr 1.00 1.25

Yuccas, Temple box 2.00 2.25

Orange box 1.45 1.75

Cantaloupes box 1.50 1.75

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Dimitrov Says U.S. Is Reds' No. 1 Target

House Un-American Group Is Checking On Anti-Communist Oaths Of Unionists

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (AP)—George M. Dimitrov, a Bulgarian political leader, said today that "American traitors" are being trained right now in Russia for eventual duty in this country.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (AP)—George M. Dimitrov, an anti-Communist refugee from Bulgaria, told Congress today that "America is Communist target No. 1."

Dimitrov testified to a House Un-American Activities Subcommittee. The committee is gathering information to use in drafting legislation to curb Communists in this country.

Members said one of the things the group wants to find out before it completes its investigation is whether any American labor leaders have lied when swearing they are not Communists. Any leaders who did could be prosecuted and jailed.

Dimitrov said that as soon as the first victories were scored against Germany, Communists be-

Senate Group Asks Whisky Grain Curb

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (AP)—A Senate Banking Subcommittee voted 4 to 0 today for rationing grain to whisky makers through Oct. 31.

The subcommittee recommended that the liquor industry be allotted not less than 2,500,000 bushels of grain a month.

An Agriculture Department official said the industry now is using 6,200,000 bushels a month.

President Truman has asked that grain controls be put back on. They expired Jan. 31.

Mr. Truman acted under a provision of the Republican-backed anti-inflation bill passed last fall.

Maddy Explains Front Program At Jaycee Meet

1,200 Guests Are Expected To Make Winter Homes Here

C. A. Maddy, director of the Fellowship Front at the Municipal Airport, told the Seminole County Junior Chamber of Commerce of the activities of his organization at the airport at the noon luncheon of the Jaycees today at the Mayfair Inn.

Maddy stated that repairing and rebuilding of the structures under his supervision has been started and there are 25 carpenters and five painters renovating the buildings.

He praised the work of the City officials in assisting with the establishment of the Fellowship Front. He said it has been a long and difficult process in which the U. S. Government, State, City and Chamber of Commerce worked jointly together to assist in becoming established.

He stated that by next year nearly 300 students will be enrolled in the school and 1,200 guests will make their winter home at the Fellowship Front Hotel.

"Sanford offers tourists more than just a winter home," Maddy said.

Observers Believe Ball Of Fire To Be Exploding Meteor

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 19 (AP)—Observers today sought further explanation of a strange "ball of fire" possibly a disintegrating meteor, seen in six states.

The brilliant explosion thousands of feet in the air was observed in Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Nebraska and Colorado yesterday.

Oscar Monnier, secretary of the National Meteorological Society, said at Fort Worth, Tex., he felt sure the fire ball was a meteor or disintegrating.

Officials of the Chamberlin Observatory at the University of Chicago, however, could offer no explanation.

Director A. W. Reicht said there was "no meteor shower and no other known phenomena in the sky to explain it."

At the University of Nebraska, Professor of Astronomy Oliver C. Collins said it might very well have been a meteor.

After the flash civil aeronautics and state highway patrol officials received reports of flaming plane crashes from widely scattered points. All reports proved groundless.

Negro Association Hits Regional Plan

COLUMBUS, S. C., Feb. 19 (AP)—The South Carolina Conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People said today it opposed any regional education plan entered into by this state.

J. M. Hinton, conference president, wrote Governor J. Strom Thurmond that, in the opinion of his organization, the regional education plan proposed by southern governors did not meet requirements of U. S. Supreme Court decisions.

Thurmond submitted yesterday to the legislature a tentative compact entered into by southern governors. This compact called for regional operation of the Meharry Military College for negroes at Memphis, Tenn.

"The general plan has considerable merit," Thurmond told the assembly.

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PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 19 (AP)—Two persons were reported near death and three others slightly injured today as a result of a storage tank failure which flooded Princeton University's Frick Chemistry laboratory with hydrogen sulfide.

A police report earlier had listed the two men as dead. Both were employed by Princeton University as laboratory maintenance men and were overcome while refilling the tank for use in a class demonstration scheduled for the afternoon.

Official Says Policy Move Is Truman Aid

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (AP)—Rep. Badowski (D-Mich.) said today "the only thing that can save President Truman is to change our foreign policy and nominate Senator Pepper (D-Fla.) for vice president."

The Detroitite told a reporter that is what he thinks in view of Tuesday's special congressional election in New York in which a candidate supported by Henry A. Wallace was the winner.

"The administration has been trying to scare Joe Stalin but instead has scared h-out of our own people," Badowski said.

He interpreted the victory of Leo Isaacson, American Labor Party candidate, in New York's 24th Congressional (Bronx) District, as showing primarily that the people are opposed to the nation's foreign policy.

"Whoever supports the Marshall Plan," said Badowski, "will get beat."

Income Tax Probe Ordered In Louisiana

Two Candidates For Governor Involved In Charges Of Income Tax Evasion

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (AP)—A move for a congressional investigation of income tax returns of some leading Louisiana politicians today was blocked until at least early next week.

That means an investigation and report is almost impossible before the Louisiana gubernatorial primary on Tuesday. Two candidates for governor are among the individuals it is proposed to investigate.

The developments came in this order:

First, the House Rules Committee approved a resolution calling for the investigation. This sent the resolution to the House floor. When the House met, Republican Leader Halleck of Indiana told it there could be no vote today.

The delay, Halleck explained, was caused by several factors. The death of Rep. Robinson (R-Ky.) and insistence of Rep. Herbert (D-La.), opponent of the investigation, that there be a roll-call vote on the resolution. Since the House is under a "gentleman's agreement" that (Continued on Page Three)

County Prosecutor Geo. A. Speer, Jr. Asks Re-Election

Continuing his pledge of service to the people, George A. Speer, Jr., County Prosecuting Attorney, qualified and announced his candidacy for re-election today.

In making his announcement Mr. Speer pointed out that when he first ran for this office he promised to fulfill his duties efficiently, fearlessly and economically. He then added: "I am seeking re-election on my record of services performed. Should the people of this county honor me by re-election, I shall continue to faithfully, impartially and conscientiously perform the duties of this office, striving at all times to increase its efficiency and economy."

Mr. Speer is a descendant of a Seminole County pioneer family, attended the local schools, and was in the first graduation class from Seminole High School; he then entered Washington & Lee University from which he graduated in 1932 with the degree of Bachelor of Laws and where he became a member of Phi Delta Phi, international legal fraternity. He has practiced law in Seminole County since his graduation.

He is a director of the Seminole County Chamber of Commerce, a member and past president of the Sanford Rotary Club, recording secretary of the Florida Wildlife Federation, a member of the Seminole County Junior Chamber of Commerce, Seminole County Sportsman Association, Seminole County Association and the Florida State Bar Association. He is a Junior Warden of the Holy Cross Episcopal Church.

He is married to the former Rose Hurt and has two children, Tommy, age 12, and Mary Rose, age 9.

State May Step Up Spending By \$5,000,000 In Next 4 Months

TALLAHASSEE, Feb. 19 (AP)—The State of Florida might safely step up its spending by about \$5,000,000 in the next four months, but that won't meet the demands of its agencies and institutions for full fulfillment of their legislative appropriations.

Comptroller Clarence M. Gay looked over the general fund books yesterday and forecast an unnumbered balance of \$27,000,000 when the fiscal year closes on June 30.

He warned, though, that \$25,000,000 of the balance must be set aside to finance the school and welfare programs in the months while they are waiting for their own money to come in from automobile license tags and racing taxes next winter.

After taking that away, there would be about \$2,000,000 left.

In making up his estimate of unnumbered balances, Gay anticipated that the Budget Commission sometime before the end of the fiscal year will release about \$7,000,000 it had been withholding as reserves.

The balance and the reserves make the \$5,000,000 which the comptroller's report indicates may be available for extra spending.

The cabinet won't have any trouble disposing of it. Legislative appropriations already on the books authorize expenditure of far more than that.

There are demands right now for release of \$3,000,000 that has been held back from the school foundation program capital outlay appropriation, for all or part of a \$2,500,000 allotment for construction of tuberculosis sanatoria, \$800,000 for new University of Florida dormitories, and several million more in operating reserve funds of agencies and institutions.

The estimated balance of \$27,000,000 at the end of this fiscal year would compare with an unnumbered general fund of \$32,407,000 at the beginning.

General revenue receipts during the first six months of this (Continued on Page Three)

General J. R. Hodge Says Koreans Act Is Insult To U. S.

SEATTLE, Feb. 19 (AP)—Lieut. General John R. Hodge today told Russia the mistreatment of two American officers in Soviet-occupied North Korea was "an insult to the United States Army."

Hodge is commander of the U. S. occupation zone in South Korea.

He wrote Lieut. General G. P. Korotkov, the Russian commander, that he held Korotkov responsible for the incident at Pyongyang Feb. 8.

Majors Darrel G. Costello and Richard C. Higgins were pushed around by Koreans and a camera was snatched from Costello. They were trying to watch a parade of the Russian-armed North Korean army. The army and a North Korean government were established by the Soviets in violation of international agreements. The Americans were on duty in Pyongyang as liaison officers.

Hodge told Korotkov in a formal note of protest:

"The incidents involved Korean civilians, Korean constabularymen and officers of the so-called Korean Peoples Army for whose conduct you are responsible.

"The incidents were observed by various Soviet army officers and enlisted personnel who took (Continued on Page Three)

Trailer Tax Is Set At \$10 Yearly

John Kilgore, state motor vehicle commissioner, recently announced that winter visitors with auto trailers used for housing purposes do not have to pay the \$10 yearly trailer tax provided the trailers carry current, valid tags from home state, also provided that they are not working or do not have children in school.

Otherwise, according to Attorney General Watson, trailers are subject to the \$10 tax when permanently or semi-permanently parked in the state and carry no current license tag.

Cuyler Smith is deputy with the motor vehicle commission in Orange, Seminole, Ocala and Lake counties.

Florida law states in part that "in every case where a non-resident shall accept employment or engage in any trade, profession or occupation or shall enter his children to be educated in the public schools of the State of Florida, such non-resident shall be required to register his motor vehicles in this state."

Rent Control Bills Are Making Progress

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (AP)—Bills to extend rent control made progress in Congress today.

The House Rules Committee cleared the way for a vote by the House next week on a measure which would continue rent controls through Mar. 31. The present rent control law expires Feb. 29.

The Senate Banking Committee has recommended a 14-month extension, but the Senate itself has not yet acted. The final measure may be a compromise between the Senate and the House.

Killed In Rioting Tripoli, Libya

TRIPOLI, Libya, Feb. 19 (AP)—The president and the secretary of the Arab Khuda Party and 50 others have been arrested as a result of rioting Tuesday in which five persons were killed, the British Military Administration announced today.

Those arrested, including a doctor and members of the Arab Nationalist (Hutla) Youth Organization, were charged with acts of violence. The British lifted a curfew which had been imposed after the rioting.

Sleepwalking Woman Wanders Through Traffic



CLAD IN NIGHT CLOTHES, with one shoe firmly in her hand, Mrs. Anna Bogdanoff, 30, of Los Angeles, walks in her sleep across one of the city's busiest intersections at Beverly Boulevard and Hampden Street. While motorists stop their cars (top, left), she starts across the street. Bottom, left, she is halfway across the street, with traffic at a complete halt. Top, right, police officers gently guide her in their car and finally across the street. Bottom, right, from the somnambulant trance as they get her into the vehicle. (International)

Gen. Wilhelm List Is Convicted For Humanity Crimes

Records Show Armies Killed Beyond Limits Of Military Law

MUENSTER, Germany, Feb. 19 (AP)—Field Marshal Wilhelm List, whose German armies killed hostages by the hundreds, was sentenced today to life imprisonment.

Seven Nazi generals tried with him also were convicted of war crimes. They drew sentences ranging from seven years to life. Two generals were acquitted.

MUENSTER, Germany, Feb. 19 (AP)—Field Marshal Wilhelm List, a grim-faced Prussian of the old German officer school, was convicted of war crimes and crimes against humanity today by an American tribunal.

General Walter Kuntze, one of List's army group chiefs, also was found guilty by the tribunal, which ruled in the course of its final judgment that these men should (Continued on Page Three)

Citrus Mutual Meets On Valencia Prices

LAKELAND, Feb. 19 (AP)—A special committee of the Florida Citrus Mutual will meet here tomorrow to determine whether enough of the new Valencia orange crop has been "signed up" to warrant establishment of prices for that crop.

The Valencia control plan is a sideline from the mutual itself which is being set up as a price-making agency.

Members of the committee said it all depends on how much tonnage of Valencias would be handled by the mutual as to whether the group will tackle the proposal of setting prices for the crop.

Under by-laws the mutual can not become a pricing agency until handlers of at least 75 percent of last season's utilized crop sign with the mutual.

Methodist Bishop Raps Medical Profession For Doctor Shortage

CINCINNATI, Feb. 19 (AP)—A "closed union" operated by the medical profession is to blame for a serious shortage of doctors, says Methodist Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam of New York.

The profession, he declared last night, controls the number of students entering medical schools and, as a result, the number of physicians in the United States increased only from 120,000 in 1920 to 175,000 twenty years later.

The shortage, he said, costs the nation 1,000,000,000 days of labor each year due to sickness and accidents.

Bishop Oxnam spoke at a session of the annual convention of the National Association of Methodist Hospitals and Homes which opened yesterday.

Dr. Karl P. Meister of Chicago, the board's executive secretary, said "The government will take over health and wel-

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Refusal Of Russians To Admit U.N. Commission To North Korea Raises Issue

LAKE SUCCESS, Feb. 19 (AP)—The United Nations Little Assembly was warned today "Korea may blow up" if the UN fails to unite the North and South.

The warning was made by K. P. S. Menon of India, chairman of the UN Korean Mission. Menon flew here from Seoul to ask the Little Assembly for instructions after Russia refused to admit the commission to Soviet-occupied Northern Korea.

"If this last hope too is shattered," Menon said, "Korea may blow up."

Menon told the Little Assembly the commission had found it impossible to carry out the UN Assembly's instructions to hold national elections. This resulted from Russia's attitude of non-cooperation, he said.

Russia and the five other Slav countries were not present as the Little Assembly heard the report of the commission's failure. They are boycotting this new UN agency.

Menon said some members of the commission were doubtful whether the UN should attempt to hold separate elections in the U. S. zone of Southern Korea. There was a strong belief, he said, that this might lead to a more difficult situation in view of the powerful military forces in Northern Korea.

He said some informants estimated the Northern Korean military strength as high as 800,000 men. The U. S. commander of Southern Korea, Lieut. General John R. Hodge, estimated the Northern Korean forces at 200,000, he said.

This situation, Menon went on, would make it impossible for the U. S. to withdraw its troops (Continued on Page Three)

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Herndon To Run For Re-Election As Clerk Of Court

O. P. Herndon today announced that he has qualified as a candidate for re-election as Clerk of the Circuit Court, an office he has held since 1935.

Mr. Herndon has studied law and has had considerable experience both in business and in the administration of the law. His legal knowledge and special training, plus more than 12 years of experience, are of great help to him in his office, he says.

During his terms of office, Mr. Herndon has used excess fees for improvement and better lighting facilities in his office. Photostatic equipment has been installed in the basement and this is used to record legal documents and vet. records discharge papers.

Born in Seminole County he received his education in local schools, later attended the University of Florida and engaged in business and in farming. He has served as a Justice of the Peace and as a representative in the State Legislature.

Mr. Herndon served the Elks Lodge three times as Exalted ruler, and was vice-president of the (Continued on Page Three)

Oil Explosion Rocks New York Harbor

RAYMOND, N. Y., Feb. 19 (AP)—An explosion in a grease mixing plant of the Tule Water Association today rocked New York harbor today but resulting flames were extinguished before reaching any of the extensive petroleum works on the waterfront. There were no reports of casualties.

The blast occurred in the ground floor of a three-story compound building located in the heart of the vast petroleum processing plant. The building is near the vast oil storage tanks of the Esso Standard Oil Company.

The blast shook the entire waterfront area and sent a column of black smoke mushrooming into the air. Two alarms were sounded, summoning most of the city's elaborate fire-fighting apparatus, designed especially to cope with petroleum fires. Firemen brought the blast under control within half an hour.

Former ACL Head Dies In Wilmington

WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 19 (AP)—George H. Elliott, 74, former president of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, died today after a long illness. Elliott was ACL president of the Atlantic Coast since 1942.

He was born at Norfolk, Va., March 22, 1873, and was graduated from Virginia Military Institute in 1892 with a civil engineering degree. After practicing engineering several years, he entered Harvard University and was graduated with a law degree in 1896. He was employed shortly afterward by the ACL in New York as a lawyer. He became the road's general counsel in 1916 and was made a vice president in 1918. From 1942 to 1946 he was chairman of the railroad's executive committee.

White Democrats

JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 19 (AP)—It is up to the chairman of the Mississippi Democratic State Executive Committee to set the date of a nationwide meeting of "true white" party members.

The committee today gave that authority to the chairman, Judge Herbert Holmes. The committee decided to invite "true white Jeffersonian Democrats" from all 48 states.

The committee acted today on a mandate from approximately 5,000 Mississippi Democrats who met Feb. 12 to protest the national party's sponsorship of "anti-Southern" legislation.

Navel Orange Loss Is 3,500 Cars In Calif.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 19 (AP)—A 3,500-carload loss to the state's Navel orange crop because of cold weather since mid-January is the estimate of the California Fruit Growers Exchange.

The exchange said the loss, 1,500,000 boxes, represents 15 percent of the crop. Dollar value of the loss was not estimated.

Damage to the Valencia orange crop has not been determined but is expected to equal or exceed the loss of Navel oranges, the exchange said yesterday.

The lemon crop, it added, will be "several thousand cars less" than last year's total, 33,000 cars. The crop, initially reduced by lack of growth because of the dry winter, suffered an additional five per cent loss from frost.

KING DIES

CARLO, Feb. 19 (AP)—A cable from Yemen today said King Zaidi Iman Yahya and three of his sons died there yesterday. The King was 82.

The advice was received by an Egyptian engaged in trade with the Arab kingdom. It said Relf El Hak Ibrahim, one of the King's 16 sons who had opposed the King's regime, was appointed head of a "constitutional government" with an advisory council.

FUNERAL RITES

VATICAN CITY, Feb. 19 (AP)—Pope Pius XII administered final absolution today in funeral rites for the Dean of the College of Cardinals, Gennaro Cardinal Granito-Pignatelli di Belmonte.

The prince of the Roman Catholic Church died Monday at the age of 96.

The body lay in state in St. Peter's Basilica, under the recently erected statue of St. Francis Xavier Carrini (Mother Cabrini).