

# SPEER and SONS

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January  
**28**

**JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE**

Through  
February  
**5th**

*THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY to Buy Quality Merchandise At Remarkably Low Prices and to Save Money. This Sale is Store Wide and Brings You Savings in Things to Wear NOW. Close Outs and Feature Spring Requirements-Be Sure to Attend This Sale, Every Item in Stock is Offered. Terms of Sale-Cash.*

## HOSIERY

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|---|--|
| Gordon's 117<br>7 Thread Service<br>Reg. \$1.35<br><b>Special \$1.15</b>    | Gordon's 110<br>3 Thread<br>Chiffon<br>Reg. \$1.00<br><b>Special 89c</b>       |
| Humming Bird<br>885 3 Thread<br>Reg. 89c<br><b>Special 74c</b>              | Humming Bird<br>790 4 Thread<br>High Twist Rev. 85c<br><b>Special 74c</b>      |
| Humming Bird<br>800 Short<br>Reg. 85c<br><b>Special 74c</b>                 | Dovercraps<br>510 3 Thread<br>Ringless<br>Reg. \$1.25<br><b>Special \$1.15</b> |
| Dovercraps<br>620 2 Thread<br>Reg. \$1.35<br><b>Special \$1.15</b>          | Dovercraps<br>452 2 Thread<br>Ringless<br>Reg. \$1.15<br><b>Special 98c</b>    |
| Dovercraps<br>400 4 Thread<br>Ringless<br>Reg. \$1.00<br><b>Special 89c</b> | Maid-O-Silk 791<br>Reg. 79c<br><b>Special 59c</b>                              |



Untrimmed  
**SPORT COATS**  
Reg. \$14.75 to \$29.75  
**1/2 Price**

## Tailored Dresses

\$12.75 and \$14.75 Regular

**Sale Price \$7.48**

Don't miss this

- TAILORED SUITS**  
Reg. \$12.50 to \$29.75  
**1/2 PRICE**
- NECKWEAR**  
Table Assortment  
Reg. 65c  
**Special 39c**
- Reg. \$1.25  
**Special 79c**
- HAND BAGS**  
Reg. \$1.00  
Reg. \$1.00 Spec. 79c  
Both Dark  
Pastel & White  
Reg. \$2.00  
**Special \$1.79**
- FUR TRIMMED DRESS COATS**  
Reg. \$29.75 to \$59.75  
**\$10.00 Each**

- Smart  
**SILK DRESSES**  
Reg. \$8.75  
**Special \$5.95**
- Come and get 'em  
Our loss is your gain
- Smart Fashions  
Group Reductions
- SILK DRESSES**  
Reg. \$18.75—  
\$14.75—\$12.75  
**SPECIAL \$5.95**
- FABRIC GLOVES**  
Reg. \$1.00  
**Special 89c**
- WASHABLE KID**  
Reg. \$1.95  
**SPECIAL \$1.79**



## Wash Dresses

PRINT  
**WASH DRESSES**  
Reg. \$4.19 & \$1.25  
**Special 98c**

CHILDREN'S  
PRINT DRESSES  
Size 4 to 14 **Special 59c**  
Size 11 to 17 **Special 98c**

Misses Carol King Fashions  
SIZES 11 TO 17—REG. \$1.95  
**Special \$1.69**

SIZES 11 TO 17—REG. \$2.50  
**Special \$1.95**

SIZES 11 TO 17—REG. \$3.50  
**Special \$2.95**



*All  
New  
Stock*

Humming Bird Famous Davenport Hose. More quality, more service, more value, and more satisfaction than any you ever dreamed of buying in full fashioned silk hose for so little.

### Bedding Special

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|--|---|
| 100% Wool<br><b>Double Blankets</b><br>Reg. \$10.75<br><b>Special \$8.95</b> | All Wool Wearwell<br><b>Blankets 72 x 84</b><br>Reg. \$10.75<br><b>Special \$8.95</b> |
| Single<br>90% Wool<br>Reg. \$5.95<br><b>Special \$4.69</b>                   | Wool Mixed<br><b>Double</b><br>Reg. 3.50<br><b>Special \$2.95</b>                     |
| Down<br><b>Comforts</b><br>Reg. \$19.95<br><b>Special \$16.95</b>            | Down Comforts<br>Sateen Covers<br>Reg. \$14.75<br><b>Special \$11.55</b>              |
| Wool Filled<br><b>Comforts</b><br>Reg. \$14.75<br><b>Special \$11.55</b>     | Conditioned & Chemical Free<br><b>SPREADS</b><br>Reg. \$2.50<br><b>Special \$2.00</b> |

- 3 Thread High Twist  
Reg. 89c  
**Special 74c**
- 4 Thread High Twist  
Reg. 85c  
**Special 74c**
- 3 Thread Shorties  
Reg. 85c  
**Special 74c**
- 2 Thread Chiffon  
Ringless  
Reg. \$1.15  
**Special 98c**
- 4 Thread Ringless  
Reg. \$1.00  
**Special 89c**
- 2 Thread Ringless  
Chiffon  
Reg. \$1.35  
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- 3 Thread Ringless  
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Reg. \$1.35  
**Special \$1.15**
- Figured Gallant  
Reg. 49c  
**Special 39c**
- ABC Figured  
Reg. 39c  
**Special 29c**
- Percale Firm  
Reg. 25c  
**Special 18c**
- Fig. Linen  
Reg. 89c  
**Special 79c**

- UNDERWEAR**
- SILK GOWNS**  
"Seam Proof" Gowns  
Reg. \$3.50  
**Special \$2.95**
- "Seam Proof" Satin and  
**CREPE SLIPS**  
Reg. \$2.00  
**Special \$1.79**
- DANCE SETS**  
of Silk, Satin and Crepe  
Reg. \$1.25  
**Special 98c**
- Satin Stream  
**SATIN SLIP**  
Reg. \$1.25  
**Special 98c**
- Run Proof  
**JERSEY SLIP**  
Reg. \$1.19  
**SPECIAL 98c**



- Hand Embroidered  
**PHILAFIN GOWNS**  
Reg. \$1.25  
**SPECIAL 98c**
- Figured Batiste  
Gowns  
Reg. \$1.00  
**Special 89c**
- Kickennick  
**Jersey Palamas**  
Reg. \$2.25  
**Special \$1.89**
- Tachstitch Pajamas  
Reg. \$1.00  
**Special 89c**
- Maiden Form  
**Brassieres**  
Reg. \$1.00  
**Special 89c**
- Kickennick Seanties  
Reg. \$1.00  
**Special 89c**

- New Spring Wash Fashions**  
The Original for  
Only Genuine Powder  
Puff
- MUSLIN**  
Reg. 45c  
**Special 39c**
- Talcum Powder  
**MUSLIN**  
Reg. 59c  
**Special 54c**
- Dotted Swiss  
Reg. 49c  
**Special 44c**
- Figured  
**Shandi Flake**  
Reg. 49c  
**Special 44c**
- Wash Goods  
White &  
Pastel Coating  
Reg. \$2.25  
**Special \$1.98**

## Silks Pastel and Solid

- 40 Flat Crepes  
Reg. 79c to \$1.00  
**Special 59c**
- New Patterns—Figured  
**Clipper Crepe**  
Reg. \$1.00  
**Special 89c**



ROUGH CREPE PRINTS  
Reg. \$1.00 **Special 89c**

FIGURED WANTUNG  
Reg. \$1.00 **Special 89c**

RAYON CREPE  
Reg. 79c **Special 69c**

FIGURED RAYON  
Reg. 69c **Special 59c**

FIGURED RAYON  
Reg. \$1.00 **Special 89c**



Speer's Budget  
**SHOES**  
Reg. \$2.50  
**Special \$1.50**



- 1 cut to a customer  
**Sheeting**  
10 yards for  
**\$1.00**
- Linen Towels  
17 x 40 Dove Loop  
Reg. 25c & 30c  
5 for \$1.00
- Seamless  
**Sheets**  
85 x 90  
72 x 90  
81 x 90
- Sale Price 89c**  
Special Table  
Damask  
Memory  
Chromolene  
ABC & Peach  
54" wide



Woolen-Cotton  
**Scratch Plaids**  
Reg. 39c  
**Special 29c**

New Millions Are Asked For U.S. Armament

Roosevelt Calls Present Army And Navy "Inadequate For National Security"

Naval Building Nearly Billion Money Is Also Asked For Improvement Of Army's Equipment

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—(AP)—President Roosevelt today asked Congress to authorize millions of new expenditures on the Navy's fighting forces and the Army's land defenses to bolster armaments which he termed "inadequate for purposes of national security."

Meeting Planned For Local District Of Townsend Clubs

DELAND, Jan. 28.—A district convention of Townsend clubs will be at 2 P. M. Sunday, Feb. 6, at the city hall in Sanford, according to an announcement by the district board chairman, J. L. Sparling, Orlando, received here thru G. B. Russell, president of the local Townsend club.

Essey Winners To Seek Gold Awards

WINTER PARK, Jan. 28.—(AP)—Chairman A. J. Hanna of the annual Irving Essey essay contest in Florida history today announced the names of five preliminary winners who will compete for the final award.

Famous Race Driver Dies In Speed Test

BREMLIN, Jan. 28.—(AP)—Bernie Rosenmeyer, famous German racing driver and 1937 winner of the Vanderbilt cup in the United States, was killed today in an automobile race on the Frankfurt-On-Main-Darmstadt Road. The front tire of Rosenmeyer's auto-union car, wrenched off while the racer was doing 80 miles per hour.

James G. Sharon Offers Candidacy For Legislature

Judge James G. Sharon, former Seminole County judge today announced his candidacy as a Seminole County representative to the State Legislature in Group 1.

Entrance In Group 1 Is First Here For Primary In May

Up to the present time there have been no offers to announce their candidacy for this post, subject to the primary election to be held in May.

Mercury Drops To 33 During Cold Wave

Although the mercury has not dropped below 33 degrees in Sanford during the current cold wave, according to the official weather report, truck farmers and citrus growers are awaiting with anxiety the possible result of the continued low temperatures on their crops.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 28

The State Board of Health today said Dr. A. J. Logan, director of the tuberculosis division, would give tests to school children in Nassau county tomorrow.

Twelve Die In Cold Weather Over Country

Niagara River Bridge Collapses, Millions Of Damage Done, Tractor Farmers Hit

By Associated Press

Death Overtakes John N. Telford, Former Merchant

John Newton Telford, 84, died at his home at 206 E. Third Street about 8:00 o'clock this morning following an illness of about two weeks.

New Disney Film, 'Snow White', Will Be Shown At Ritz

Men, women, and children of Sanford will have an opportunity to see a picture aptly Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at the Ritz Theatre.

Three Plead Guilty Before Judge Ware

Three guilty pleas were heard by County Judge R. W. Ware during the past week, records in the county clerk's office revealed today.

Bentley Backs Effort To Ban War Profits

Extensive Programs Presented At Inter-City Rotary Meeting With DeLand Club

Outlining the ideals of the Rotary Club and its accomplishments since its founding about three decades ago, Edward Bentley of Lakeland, past president of Florida Rotary, reported that the Rotary International should back the movement to take the profits out of war.

CITRUS WARNED

LAKELAND, Jan. 28.—(AP)—The government's frost warning bureau here said today that temperatures tonight and tomorrow morning would not be low enough to injure mature citrus crop or unopened citrus bloom but would endanger tender fruit crops and opened fruit bloom.

Commerce Group Has Two Child Members

TAVARES, Fla., Jan. 28.—(AP)—Two children are listed among the 1,123 members of the Lake County Chamber of Commerce.

Ex-Sanford Citizen Dies In Montgomery

Last rites for Mrs. D. J. Garrett, formerly of this City, will be held at her present home in Montgomery, Ala., this afternoon.

FRED SNITE BROADCASTS FROM 'IRON LUNG'



Speaking from his "iron lung" in which he lives at the family's winter home at Miami Beach, Fla., Fred B. Snite, Jr., infantile paralysis victim, broadcast a radio appeal for support of the foundation combating the disease.

Lewis Proposes National Guard Work Be Curbed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—(AP)—The United Mine Workers convention approved approval of John Lewis' proposal to keep the National Guard out of the labor disputes.

Combined Ages Of Trio Nears 250 Year Mark

The following article appeared in the Thomasville Times Enterprise of Thomasville, Ga., concerning the combined ages of a family of Floys in that city.

Roosevelt Selects "Little Business" Men

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—(AP)—Secretary Hooper announced yesterday the names of the 500 persons invited to attend a meeting of "small" businessmen here next Wednesday.

Firemen Called Out 4 Times Yesterday

Members of the Sanford Fire Department answered four calls yesterday.

Senae Candidate Speaks In Sanford On Campaign Issue

Finley Moore Makes First Talk Here In Race For U.S. Senate

Declaring that the people of Florida had "clean and honorable" candidates in Washington, Finley Moore yesterday spoke to the people of Sanford in behalf of his candidacy for the United States Senate.

Rhizoctonia May Be Bother For Golfers

GAINESVILLE, Fla., Jan. 28.—(AP)—George F. Weber, plant pathologist at the University of Florida Experiment Station, said today the man who plays golf may be bothered by rhizoctonia.

LOCAL WEATHER

Fair tonight, not quite so cold in extreme north portion of north coast, heavy frost in south and frost in south portion of north coast, heavy frost in south portion of north coast.

Grand Jury Of Fall Session Is Dismissed

Final Presentment Is Made Commending Officers Of Law, Herald, And Public

Hits Lotteries For Huge Toll Suggests That Next Grand Jury Continue Racket Drive

After an active session directed chiefly against the operations of "Bollita Barons" in this county, the Seminole County Grand Jury for the Fall Term was dismissed by Circuit Judge Millard H. Smith following its final presentment this morning.

Plans Made For Entertainment Of Indiana Farmers

Arrangements were being completed today by Seminole County Chamber of Commerce officials for a party of 200 Indiana farmers who will make a 10-day tour of Florida beginning February 20.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1938

VERSE FOR TODAY

Lead into the Lord, and re- righteousness and about all ye that are upright.

WE CALL THIS LIFE

Call this life, that is life's preparation, call this life, a little time of prayer.

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Call this life, that is life's preparation, call this life, a little time of prayer. I drink a little gold I win.

WE HAVE READ A GOOD DEAL

We have read a good deal in the papers about the Japanese soldier who stepped the face of an official in Nanking.

THE FIRST WOMAN WHO EVER

The first woman who ever was sheriff in Florida, we know why that fact would be so.

GOVERNMENT PLANS TO

The government plans to distribute the surplus of wheat to the poor. That is a good plan.

The Real Germany

Coming to the Ritz Theater Sunday and Monday is a picture which has created more political controversy than any other film since "The Birth of a Nation."

Characterized both as fascist propaganda and as an attack on the Hitler regime, the picture is a fair presentation of the goose-stepping Germans which under the Nazis are militarized from the cradle to the grave.

The picture shows Germany as the tourist would see it, humming with industrial activity and alive with development and new construction. And it shows Germany only as the humble workman knows it, crushed under a burden of overwhelming taxation, regimented under the dictatorship of a strongly centralized government.

And this picture also shows what is happening in the United States, how the same sort of Brown Shirt movement is getting under way here which brought about the complete centralized control of Nazi Germany.

The Nazi representatives in this country, as well as their Nazi sympathizers have done everything in their power to get this picture suppressed.

For the very reason that Hitler and his cohorts have decided that Americans shall not see this picture, most of us will be sure to be on hand where we can decide for ourselves whether it is propaganda for or against the Nazi ideal.

Plenty Of Good, Clean Water

When Ferdinand Lundbergh in his "America's 60 Families" charged that those who bathe frequently experience a subconscious feeling of guilt, and when North Carolina's Senator Joe Bailey ridiculed Secretary Ickes for having a shower bath in his private office, they did not realize that the great mass of American people are the greatest bathers in the world.

According to a release from the American Institute of Sanitation, the per capita consumption of water in this country is approximately three times as great as that of Europe.

"Not only is water supplied to American cities in larger quantities than in urban communities abroad," says this release, "but the quality of water in this country is far superior to that of the Old World."

The high quality of American water supplies reflects the higher living standards of this country. The United States, with only one-twentieth of the world's population, owns two-thirds of the automobiles.

So again, when we hear it said how much better off are the people of Germany, Italy, Russia, or some other foreign country than they are over here, remember that we have three times as much water to drink, and also three times as much in which to bathe.

Bentley Backs Effort To Ban War Profits

Continued from page one: out legislation in its forward progress and today was at the peak of its existence.

"Although the affairs of Rotary are in the second and in many instances the third generation, the fundamental principles on which the club was founded have not been dropped," the Lakeland attorney said.

Declaring that friendship, the fundamental principle of the club, has welded and held together the international organization, Mr. Bentley stated that because of the association with Rotarians of other clubs, other states and other nations, better understanding of the problems facing these clubs, states and nations is developed and a greater international friendship is maintained.

FLORIDA HIGHLIGHTS



The annual GASPARILLA CARNIVAL at Tampa is one of the most picturesque celebrations in America! Each year on Feb. 5, pirates sail into the harbor at high noon, emerge from a galleon and stage a mock invasion of the city.

Methodist Church under the leadership of Supt. T. L. Lingo, are taking a study course known as the Aldersgate course. The Bell Telephone Company has a crew installing some new cables in Oviedo this week.

WASHINGTON DAYBOOK

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—To a degree the carter has and cry for repeal of the corporate surplus and capital gains taxes have died down, and it is notable that the manifesto of the Vandenberg-Bailey group called for revision and not for repeal.

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may be more important to him than what is. A constant threat of a high income tax rate even if no such tax is ever levied is a mischievous deterrent to the investor and promoter than the actual existence of such a tax over an extended period coupled with a constantly renewed hope of repeal.

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RESPONSE TO FARMERS

WASHINGTON.—The staff of the Federal Farm Bureau is drawing up plans for a study course known as the Aldersgate course.

During 1938 the rural electrification administration expects to finish or place under construction about 20,000 miles of rural power lines.

These lines will provide light and power for 1,000,000 persons, for some 300,000 farms, homes, schools, churches and meeting halls.

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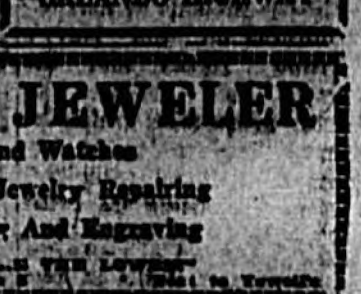
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# Social And Personal Activities

MARSHALL BRIGMAN JORDAN, Society Editor

Telephone 143

## Social Calendar

**SATURDAY**  
A bird house building contest will be held at 9:30 A. M. at First Street and Magnolia Avenue.

**MONDAY**  
A course of study on the Old Testament will be held at the Episcopal Parish House at 3:00 o'clock and will be under the leadership of Mrs. Amelia Noble. The women of Sanford and Seminole County are cordially invited to attend.

There will be a board meeting of the South Side P. T. A. at 8:30 o'clock.

**TUESDAY**  
There will be a board meeting of the Woman's Club at the club house at 10:00 o'clock.

**WEDNESDAY**  
The monthly business luncheon of the Woman's Club will be held at 12:30 o'clock. Hostesses will be Mrs. Eudora Curtis, Mrs. B. G. Smith and Miss Irene Hinton. Reservations call telephone 79-7.

## Nancy Rossetter To Give Senior Recital

Mrs. George Allen Moffatt will present Miss Nancy Janette Rossetter, reader, in her senior expression recital tonight at 8:15 o'clock at the Woman's Club. Miss Rossetter will be assisted by Mrs. Darlene Ashpaw Takach, pianist and Miss Doris Malcolm Jackson, violinist.

The program will be as follows:  
"Houses of Happiness"—H. Y. Williams.  
Dramatic reading, "The Music Master"—Charles Klein.  
Viola Solo—"Liebesfreud"—Fritz Kreisler.  
"Requiem"—Elvira Garner.  
Piano solo—"The Nightingale"—Albini.  
Dialect group—"Da Sweetie Sol"—(Italian)—T. A. Daly.  
"The Fiddlers"—(Child)—Strickland Gillilan.  
Musical reading—"The Land of Beginning Again"—Mrs. Booth Livingston.  
Others will be Miss Jacqueline Campbell, Miss Martha Wright, Lewis Wright, Robert Herndon and Kent Rossetter, Jr. Programs will be in charge of Frederick Rossetter. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## To-Night

Last Showings  
Balcony 10-25 Lower Floor 10-35

TESTIE HOWARD  
Loves  
BEHOLD DRINK  
AND  
IT'S LOVE  
Im After

THRILL  
of a  
LIFETIME

Saturday  
Gene  
LUTY  
"Rockin'  
Trotin'  
Rhythmic"  
Frank  
BUCK'S  
"Jungle  
Blues"  
KARLOFF  
"Invincible  
Man"

## Past Matron's Club Has Annual Program

The annual initiation ceremonies of the Past Matrons' Club of Seminole Chapter Number Two were held recently at the Masonic Temple.

Following the banquet the past matrons adjourned to the chapter room where a short business session was held. Mrs. McKay presented each with an attractive year book representing the Synodical Fern of Martha Junior past matron.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McKay, Mr. and Mrs. W. Turner, Mrs. Sybil Ruth, Mrs. H. F. Kent, Mrs. Odell Crosby, Mrs. Bertha Jenkins, Mrs. G. W. Bailey, Mrs. Murray Jarvis, Mrs. Eugene Higgins, Mrs. R. C. Maxwell, Mrs. R. P. Gonslow, Mrs. J. E. Courter, Mrs. A. K. Shoemaker, Mrs. B. C. Moore and John Goss, Rodman Lehman, and R. E. Paurifoy.

## Wells Fargo Trail Theme Of New Film

The historic Wells Fargo Trail—the line which connected St. Louis with San Francisco in early days—and the men who made and maintained it in the face of Indians, bandits and Nature, forms the dramatic background for "Wells Fargo," the motion picture which opens Sunday at the Ritz Theatre.

Called by some "The Lifetime of Empire" because of the important part it played in welding together the sprawling nation as it existed in 1850-70, the story of the Wells Fargo Trail is one of the most dramatic and romantic in American history.

The task of planning and opening the trails is handled in the picture by Joel McCrea. A man of vision and courage, he is forced to leave his wife, played by Frances Dee, as the trail takes him farther and farther West. Unable to understand her husband, a rift occurs. There are hitchhikes and reconciliations but as time goes on—the story traces the fortunes of the family for two generations—a break finally occurs.

The climax is reached after the War Between the States when McCrea and Miss Dee are brought together again by their children, now grown to young manhood and womanhood.

The brilliant supporting cast of "Wells Fargo" is headed by Bob Burns in his first "straight" role. Others in the cast of over one hundred are Lloyd Nolan, Henry O'Neil, Porter Hall, Robert Cummings, Ralph Morgan, Mary Nash, John Mack Brown, Barlowe Borland and many others.

ANNOUNCEMENT  
The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will observe a week of prayer, Jan. 30 through Feb. 6.

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## Personals

Mrs. Albert White of Jacksonville has been spending a few days with Mrs. F. E. Boiz.

Mrs. George G. Herring of Washington, D. C. is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Chase, Jr.

Charles A. Cropp of LaPorte, Ind. is spending several weeks with his sister, Mrs. Harry Lewis at her home on Magnolia Avenue.

Mrs. B. P. Young of Knoxville, Tenn. who has been spending the winter in St. Petersburg, is the guest of Mrs. F. E. Boiz at her home on Park Avenue.

Mrs. Sadie Moses, who is spending this week in New York where she is buying early spring and summer merchandise, will return Monday.

Miss Mildred Banks, who is attending Stetson University, is spending the mid-semester holidays here.

Mrs. Martha Hicks of Tallahassee is a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Smith on Mellonville Avenue.

Mrs. J. G. Patterson will attend a tea this afternoon given by Mrs. Frank Mizener at her home in Winter Park in honor of her daughter, Miss Mildred Mizener, whose engagement to Charles O. Andrews, Jr. was announced last Sunday.

## Auxiliary Prepares For Week Of Prayer

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will observe a week of prayer, Jan. 30 through Feb. 6.

The program for the various days will be as follows:  
Monday—Jan. 31—3:00 o'clock—Subject, "Thanksgiving"—Leader, Mrs. Victor Greene  
Tuesday—Feb. 1—3:00 o'clock—Subject, "Confession"—Leader, Mrs. F. S. Verna  
Wednesday—Feb. 2—The meeting will be held at 7:30 o'clock in conjunction with Prayer meeting. Subject, "Commitment"—Leader, Dr. H. C. Tracy  
Thursday—Feb. 3—3:00 o'clock—Subject, "Intercession"—Leader, Mrs. E. D. Brownlee  
Friday—Feb. 4—10:00 o'clock—All day meeting at the Church. Lunch at noon. Devotional, Mrs. Roy Mann. Foreign Mission Study Book, "Glorious Living"

Chapter 1—"China"—Mrs. Harry Woodruff  
Chapter 2—"Japan"—Mrs. Will Brumley  
Chapter 3—"Korea"—Mrs. F. F. Dutton, Jr.  
Chapter 4—"Brazil"—Mrs. F. E. Cormac  
Chapter 5—"Mexico"—Mrs. G. W. Stuart  
Chapter 6—"Africa"—chapter 1—Mrs. J. C. Hutchinson  
Chapter 7—"Africa"—chapter 2—Mrs. Joe Corley.

## Funeral Is Held For Former Sanfordite

Funeral services for E. E. Page, former Sanford resident, who died in West Palm Beach Monday, were held in the Erickson Funeral Home Wednesday afternoon with Rev. Harry C. Wilson, Methodist minister of Deland officiating. Interment was made in the Evergreen Cemetery.

Among the out-of-town attendants at the funeral services were: L. H. Kimball, Delmar Hooks, and Robert Miller of Canal Point, Harry Blackmore, and John Alderman of Pahokee, C. E. Wilson of Okechobee City, Mrs. C. B. Collins of Dade City, W. A. Farnell of Jacksonville. Mr. Page's sister, Mrs. W. A. Farnell, and his mother, Mrs. Laura Page, also of Jacksonville.

## New Protests For Japanese Insults Entered By U. S.

Tokio Is Asked For Money And Men To Continue Contest

By Associated Press  
Japan, confronted with new American protests against treatment of Americans and American property in China, was told today she must prepare to fight a "country other than China," probably Russia.

War Minister General Sugiyama made the statement before the Japanese Parliament in Tokyo. He asked for more men and money to continue the fight in China.

The State Department in Washington made new protests to Japan against reported disregard for American property and rights of American citizens in areas of China now under Japanese control.

War in Spain shifted to the north of Teruel, where the government threatened to sever Generalissimo Franco's route for supplying lower Aragon armies. Both Government and insurgent army claimed victories.

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SHANGHAI, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Japanese authorities, hastily apologizing for an incident in which an American diplomatic official at Nanking was slapped in the face by a Japanese sentry, today threatened "punishment without mercy" for any soldiers or civilians involved in such attacks.

Notices were posted warning against "blemishing the name of Japan" after the Japanese consulate, acting on a formal protest, directed the officer of the Japanese unit involved to apologize for the slapping of John Allison, acting United States consul at Nanking.

A Japanese military spokesman expressed hope that the incident could be settled locally in order that it might not lead to a further strain on Japanese-American relations so soon after the sinking of the American gunboat Panay in the Yangtze river

## near Wuhu by Japanese planes.

The Japanese spokesman said Allison was slapped by the sentry when he allegedly refused to leave the premises of a building occupied by Japanese forces in Nanking.

The 20-year-old Allison, a native of Holton, Kan., and another American, unidentified, were slapped, the spokesman said, after being repeatedly asked to leave the premises.

The consul and his companions, accompanied by Japanese police, were investigating a Chinese house.

"The case was aroused," the spokesman said, "from the insolent attitude adopted by Allison who sought to deal with the Japanese soldiers as a policeman would treat a law-breaker."

Allison personally made his protest to the Japanese consulate and obtained the apology.

Despite the international incident in Nanking Japanese authorities in Shanghai announced that effective today Japanese censors will demand "coddle message books of all commercial firms, regardless of nationality."

The announcement was made by the Japanese embassy, which said that consular certification that the messages are bona fide also will be required before the business messages will be transmitted.

Foreign consular officials had not been officially notified of the action, it was said.

The embassy official said that the purpose of the measure was to control all military information. The penalty for any attempted violation of the order, he said, would be suspension of future filing privileges.

Chinese military dispatches from Hankow reported Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, drawing

## a steel ring around the key city of Taining from the north and southwest, has ordered a general assault to break Japan's drive southward against the Lanchow railroad dividing north and central China.

The recent capture of Sunan-lin, between Taining and Yen-chow, by Chinese was said to have cut off the main artery of Japanese reinforcements although 2000 Japanese troops were reported at Tschuhien, 15 miles southeast of Yen-chow on the direct road to Hsuehoh.

In the northern Tsinpu sector the right wing of the Chinese armies was reported by Chinese dispatches to have surrounded a large Japanese force at Mengyin.

CARD OF THANKS  
For the many expressions of sympathy and for the acts of kindness extended to us upon the death of our beloved husband and father, we are deeply grateful.

Mrs. E. E. Page  
Ma-ha Page.

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### What Westbrook Pegler

(famous columnist)  
Says about  
"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs"

You may think it an extravagant opinion, but I will say that Walt Disney's new film, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," is the happiest thing that has happened in this world since the armistice and stand on Dunk. There are no words on my keyboard capable of appreciating, much less exaggerating, the beauty of this great artistic achievement in a work which took three years.

And it would be futile to try to communicate in print the enchantment which for an hour and a half, soothes the souls of those who go to the theater confidently expecting to be entertained, of course, for this is Disney who never fails, and presently find themselves disembodied and adventuring in a realm that never did exist before. Not even the great authors of fairy tales could have visualized anything like this, and the imagination of children could not hear the songs of the dwarfs or see the fairy and chipmunk, the rabbit and the squirrel tending up the little house deep in the enchanted forest.

MANY CONCEALED THINGS  
When the play was over and the rather hard-boiled professional audience in the balcony reluctantly stirred to go, slowly as if loath to return to reality, there were some who made no effort to conceal the moisture in their eyes and others who hunched in their handkerchiefs, actively drying their tears. Disney has made these characters real while retaining the lovely unreality of fancy which may have the sound of laborious paradox but is, only an apologetic attempt to describe a miracle.

As Miss Pelawick wrote in the Journal, "When other producers attempt imaginative things become self-consciously arty and pound out poetic artifices with adequate background music, Disney presents the most artistic and far-fetched idea in so simple and understandable a form that the impossible seems perfectly natural." Yes, but he also seems to tug you with a poison which prepares the spirit to accept the joyous situations as reality and to overcome for the moment the last, lingering thought that all this is too good to be so. He makes it so.

It seems to me that if Mr. Disney and those who worked with him do not mind our unseeing in to that extent we all should claim and acclaim this moving picture film as a national triumph because no other country on earth has produced anything that is even comparable, and any other country that would be boasting its buttons with national pride. The Americans need to have a reputation abroad as bragging, but since the war we have become self-critical to a fault and the neighbors have taken us at our word, while many of them have gone toasting in a manner that makes our most offensive claims of the old days seem like apologies.

REALLY MODEST BY COMPARISON  
George M. Cohan's war song "Over There" offended the British and French on the grounds that up to the time of its writing the United States had done nothing to justify such self-revelation. But it was really modest, little thought by comparison with some of the songs and speeches and writings of the fascists and the Nazis in later years.

When Mussolini's son thought of entering the movie business his career was halted in Italy as an accomplished feat and another triumph of fascism, and the same have been said of his heart out waiting for Max Schmeling to win the heavyweight championship so that the title may be claimed as a national treasure and Max trained to the status of state idol of the Italian youth. In Hollywood, however, the most ordinary producers turn out as routine jobs films which would call for national honors and some movie exhibitors far the north of the door if it were done by him in Italy. And the heavyweight championship—which has always lived here except, briefly, when Carnera and Schmeling dubiously held the title—has never been an article of national pride with us.

I am not overrating you of the splendor of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs." The whole country will be gasping over it soon, but it is an achievement which seems to justify some strutting. Yet when it happened in New York in the Radio City Music Hall—a theater which in any other land would be a clamorous national boast—how did it happen?

This is how it happened—At 11:30 o'clock in the morning a movie operator slipped the first reel on the axle, snapped on the switch and let it run. And that was the premiere of the greatest moving picture ever made.

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### Sales Taxes Have Been Adopted By Numerous States

#### Once Opposed By Tax Experts, Scheme Is Becoming Popular

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Sales taxes adopted by many states in the past few years as a way out of depression difficulties are in effect in 23 states, and it is expected that more states will adopt them in the near future, according to a report from the National Tax Association, which is being published in the Public Administration Review.

Seven of the nine states which have regular legislative sessions this year are still without sales taxes, according to the authority. Massachusetts and New Jersey, two of this number are reported as considering them. New Jersey is one of six states that have had sales taxes and have either repealed them or had them invalidated.

Kentucky, one of the states the legislature of which is now at work, is also in this group. Other states with recently convoked legislatures which are without sales taxes are New York, which approved its tax to take effect in 1936, South Carolina, and Virginia. Mississippi and Louisiana are the only states with sales taxes in the group of nine which have legislative sessions this year.

Experts estimate that the sales tax is a productive one, ranking second only to the gasoline tax in revenue production. The objection raised against it is that it falls on all alike, without consideration of ability to pay, and cannot be graduated according to means or the income tax.

States which now have sales taxes are: Arizona, New Mexico, North Dakota, South Dakota, Missouri, Louisiana, Illinois, Mississippi, Alabama, North Carolina, West Virginia, Indiana, California, Washington, Utah, Wyoming, Colorado, Kansas, Iowa, Arkansas, Michigan, Oklahoma, and Ohio.

Not all of these are quickly recognizable by the retail customer. In Indiana, for instance, the levy takes the form of a gross income as well as business receipts. In other states the sales levy is

### WHEN DEER ARE NOT DEAR



In Pisgah National Park in North Carolina, deer have multiplied so rapidly that it has become a problem for the government. Recently an open season was declared during designated periods for 2,000 hunters who were allowed one deer each. Here are some of the large number of fawns feeding at a special trough of "baby food."

known as a gross receipts tax, an occupational tax or a consumers' tax. Other states like Connecticut, Delaware, Pennsylvania and Virginia, although having a moratorium on them, keep it so small that they are generally excluded from the sales tax classification.

States which have had sales taxes and have either repealed them or which have had them repealed are: Massachusetts, Maine, New Jersey, Oregon, and Vermont.

Nine states this year are putting constitutional amendments on a variety of subjects before their voters, and only one of these states is included in the group having regular legislative sessions. For the most part, citizens are expressing themselves on matters put before them by previous legislatures. This information is relayed from a report issued jointly by the National Association of Secretaries of State and the Council of State Governments.

No two states are voting on the same issue. In Alabama it's a question as to whether motor vehicle taxes shall be used exclusively for construction and maintenance of state highways. Florida is considering \$5,000 homestead exemption law, and is also asking the voters to decide whether the

state shall give greater support to public schools. Illinois is putting before its citizens a proposal to repeal a law imposing double liability upon bank stock owners. Maine's referendum is a proposal to lengthen the residency requirement for voters.

In Michigan it is salary increases for elective state executive officials which are being asked of the electorate, by way of a constitutional amendment. Oklahoma has several issues—provision for retirement allowances for state and school employees and proposals to alter membership of house and senate and to fix an annual salary for members of the Legislature.

South Dakota voters will decide whether the state shall get new apportionment for state legislature, while Wyoming ballot-casters will write yes or no on the question of paying interest on public money at the rate paid on private deposits. In New Jersey, the Constitutional issue is whether horse-racing and pari-mutual betting shall be legalized, and voters will be given an opportunity to decide if the legislature re-adopts a resolution to put this matter to the electorate.

Last year was a lean one for direct state legislation by the people, the Association found. Voters of only eight states were asked to submit their wishes on a total

### Grand Jury Of Fall Session Is Dismissed

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TRUE BILL.

"In this our final report we desire to express our thanks and appreciation to the law enforcement officers of Sanford and Seminole County, in the Sanford Herald, and to all law-abiding citizens, who by their untiring efforts, publicly and public opinion, have earnestly cooperated with us in our determination to rid Sanford and Seminole County of the Cuba and Bolivia racket, which in the past has taken such a toll from our people and from legitimate business channels.

"We earnestly and respectfully recommend to the members of the next Grand Jury that they continue where we leave off and use all the law enforcement facilities to ascertain and obtain evidence against all persons who, in open defiance of our laws, continue to operate, or take part in, such gambling schemes.

"We wish to express our appreciation to the Honorable Arthur H. Smith, Judge of the Circuit Court, and the Court Officials for the courteous cooperation extended to us in the performance of our duties.

"And now, having finished our labor, we respectfully ask the Court to discharge us."

Respectfully submitted,  
(Signed) J. H. COLCLOUGH,  
Foreman of the Grand Jury.  
(Signed) J. M. STINECIPHER,  
Clerk.

### Cards Are Stacked Against Farmers In The Dust Bowl

#### Insufficient Rains In Middle West Results In Very Dry Soil

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Midwest farmers in the grain belt as well as the Dust Bowl—face the 1936 crop growing season with the weather cards stacked against them.

The soil, particularly the subsoil, in large areas of the middle west is unusually dry this winter, due largely to insufficient rains in the last four months of 1935. And the rainfall for the entire year was inadequate to restore the seriously depleted soil moisture.

J. B. Kinser, crop-weather expert of the United States weather bureau, says the present dryness does not necessarily mean dryness next spring or drought next summer. But he points out that "it seems likely crops this year must depend largely on spring and early summer rains."

Moisture has been scanty, Kinser says, in the western states where rainfall has been deficient for a long time. South Dakota had only 54 percent normal precipitation in the last four months of 1935; Kansas had only 65 percent and Nebraska, 67 percent.

Corn-growing Iowa, Missouri and Illinois, as well as Minnesota, were short on fall rains, the Iowa precipitation being only 56 percent of normal. Another adverse factor cited by Kinser is that winter precipitation in the middle west, notably in the Great Plains, seldom is sufficient to restore normal moisture to a dry subsoil.

Moisture is below normal in most of the dust bowl which government agencies say constitutes a 90,000,000 acre expanse in parts of Oklahoma, Colorado, Kansas, New Mexico and Texas. While Texas had 111 percent normal precipitation in the last four months of 1935, the rainfall for the entire year was only 87 percent.

On the other hand, precipitation was unusually abundant nearly everywhere east of the Mississippi river. The Pacific coast states also had much more than normal rainfall.

### Women Don't Respect Our Customs

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Travel abroad all you like, young lady, but don't try to outsmart the customs bureau when you come back. The men aren't much trouble, one customs official here says. But the women he contends, "seem naturally disposed toward petty smuggling." To back up this opinion he points to bureau seizures of \$60,327 worth of wearing apparel in 1935—most of it, he says,

from women who thought they could smile their way past the blue-uniformed men on the docks.

Whether William F. Grisee is a dive or not depends on the answers to the following questions: "Which side of the bed did he sleep on?" "Who were the hangers on in our shop?" "Where did we keep our receipts?" "What kind of shirt did you wear habitually?"

### Wife Prepares Quiz To Test 'Dead Man'

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The queries were prepared by Mrs. Clara Grisee, who is trying to collect \$5,025 insurance on the ground her missing husband, William, is dead.

Now a hospital attendant working under a different name and in the missing William Grisee. Denying the identity, Mrs. Grisee made out the quiz for use in the trial of the case.

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Hundreds Die In Explosion In Gun Plant

One Of Italy's Largest Munitions Factories Demolished In Disastrous Blast

400 Persons Are Believed Killed

Town Of 10,000 Population Suffers Destructive Damage

TETSEGGI, Italy, Jan. 29.—(AP)—From 300 to 400 persons are believed to have been killed and injured today in a series of explosions which blasted one of Italy's greatest munitions factories.

Frantically working rescue crews have been able to drag but nine bodies from the wreckage. Firemen believed many more would be found when they are able to penetrate the smoldering ruins.

The explosion is blamed officially on the carelessness of a worker who broke a compressed-air tube.

A communique announcing the disaster gave no casualty figures. Tetseggi, a town of 10,000 people, 28 miles southeast of Rome, suffered widespread damage.

King Vittorio Emanuele and Queen Elena hurried from Rome to the scene of the tragedy. Premier Benito Mussolini is expected to take personal charge of the rescue work.

Squadrons of firemen rushed from Rome and other towns to fight the blast started by the explosion.

Ducks On Florida West Coast Show Little Decrease

For the first time in three years ducks on the west coast of Florida show no decided decrease in numbers over the previous year, according to C. R. Mason, who has just returned from St. Petersburg.

Mr. Mason and Dr. Herbert Mills of Tampa this week covered the coastal district from Charlotte Harbor to St. Marks, estimating the number and species of ducks and geese for the Bureau of Biological Survey for the third successive year.

The survey was made by airplane, with the cooperation of the U. S. Coast Guard Air Station at St. Petersburg. Planes from other Coast Guard Air and Naval Stations covered other sections of the Atlantic and Gulf coasts while interior districts were covered by boat.

In 1937 the ducks and geese in this area had shown from 65 per cent to 80 per cent decrease over 1936, and while 1936 shows a 100 per cent improvement over last year, the numbers are still far from equal to those of three years ago.

A decrease still continues in this area among the Scaup Ducks, more commonly known as Blue-bills and Blackheads, formerly one of our most common species of the salt water birds.

Two Snow Geese were also seen among the flocks of Canada Geese along Apalachicola Bay, Mr. Mason said. Although these winter in considerable numbers in the Louisiana marshes, the Snow Geese is a rarity in Florida.

1937 Income Rise Over Those Of 1936

SEEKS POST

Former Seminole County Judge James G. Sharon yesterday announced his candidacy for representative from Seminole County, running in Group No. 1. He became the first to announce his candidacy for the post in the off-year election.

Nation Observes 56th Birthday Of F. D. Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—(AP)—A quiet dinner at the White House with his family and old friends, followed by a message to hundreds of thousands celebrating elsewhere, will be President Roosevelt's part tonight in the national observance of his fifty-sixth birthday anniversary.

President Roosevelt has come through another hard year at the White House in excellent physical condition. Take that on the word of his personal physician.

For the President it has been a year of unusual strain. He fought and lost the fight to enlarge the Supreme Court and watched the fanfare over the discovery that a former Klansman had accepted an appointment to the court.

Yet, says Dr. Ross T. McIntire, White House physician, Mr. Roosevelt enters his 57th year in full vigor.

Lesson For Executives In that Dr. McIntire finds a lesson for all busy executives, "Any normal executive can and should exercise regularly and moderately," he says, "and he should get away from routine as much as possible."

True, the routine of the last 12 months did have its effect on the President. A couple of months ago an infected tooth spread poison through his bloodstream and he suffered a heavy cold. But the tooth was pulled and, despite the challenge of the recession and a delicate international situation, he apparently has come back to health.

Rev. John Everington Will Preach Here

The Rev. John Everington has been secured with his beautiful colored pictures of Jerusalem and environs for the Sunday night service at the Presbyterian Church, Dr. E. D. Brownlee, pastor, said today.

Those who were fortunate enough to attend the recent service at which the Rev. Everington showed his pictures of the Sea of Galilee urged that he be sought for another service the pastor said. These pictures were personally taken by the Rev. Everington during a visit several years ago when he spent some months in Jerusalem and other sections of Palestine.

They will make the scope of Bible history more real and inspiring and may throw much light on some passages.

The public is especially invited to attend. The service is given by the Young People of the church.

No Proration Of Celery For Coming Week

Control Committee Decides Market Outlook Has Improved During Past Week

A motion recommending to the Secretary of Agriculture that no proration period be declared to restrict the shipment of Florida celery for the week beginning Jan. 31 was adopted by a 13 to 3 vote at a meeting of the Control Committee of the celery marketing agreement last night.

Included in the motion, however, was a clause requiring shippers to continue to ask for weekly allotment, and requesting that the estimators continue their estimates of the celery available for shipment.

The minority favored a 100 percent prorate limiting shipments to the amount submitted in the allotment applications, rather than allowing shipments to continue unrestricted throughout the week.

Yesterday the approval of the Secretary of Agriculture was received for the establishment of a series of weekly prorations beginning Jan. 31 and continuing through May 31.

The message from Washington AAA headquarters was as follows: "The Secretary of Agriculture has established a series of 17 weekly regulation periods for the Florida celery industry during which shipments may be regulated pursuant to the Florida Celery Marketing agreement."

The Board estimated that approximately 225 cars of celery will be available for shipment from the state during the coming week, 225 cars from Seminole County district and 25 from other districts.

Stolen Plymouth Is Found In Swamp

The 1935 Plymouth sedan which was stolen from City Commissioner A. W. Lee earlier in the week was reported located in a swamp in Orange County this morning, Chief of Police Roy G. Williams, said today.

The local Police Department head said he was informed that the car was damaged but the extent of the damages was not learned.

The thieves stole the car, filled with gas and oil, from the garage at the home of the City Commissioner, Tuesday night. Laurel broadcasts and contacts with law enforcement officers in surrounding counties failed to produce any results prior to the information received at the local department this morning.

CITY NEWS BRIEFS

Rotarians who were not able to attend the intercity meeting in DeLand Thursday will get credit for their attendance going to the Valdes Hotel Monday at 12:00 o'clock, Dr. A. W. Epps, secretary of the club, said today.

Dr. J. Harrison Griffin, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Winter Haven, Fla., for the past twenty years, will conduct a series of revival services at the First Baptist church here for ten days beginning on March 20 and continuing through March 30th.

Capt. and Mrs. Fred Feren will preach farewell services at the Salvation Army Citadel Sunday. Mrs. Feren will preach in the morning on "Candles of the Lord" and Capt. Feren has chosen as a subject for his remarks at the evening service, "The King of Reconciliation."

No Roosevelt Ball will be held in Sanford tonight on the eve of the President's birthday as in 1900 other cities over the nation for the benefit of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

ASSOCIATED PRESS TO GET NEW HOME



The Associated Press Building, shown above in an architect's drawing, will be erected immediately in Rockefeller Center, New York, to provide a new home for the growing general headquarters of the world's largest cooperative news gathering association.

As a member of The Associated Press, this newspaper also will make its New York news headquarters in this new 15-story building, to be completed this autumn.

King Carol Says Rumania Will Not Try Jew-Baiting

BUCHAREST, Rumania, Jan. 29.—(AP)—King Carol monarch of 18,000,000 people assured the world today it need fear no Jewish program in Rumania.

Speaking rapidly in perfect English, the king said: "A Jewish problem? Yes, we have one and we are wrestling with it. How ultimately the problem is to be met is not altogether clear, but the first and most important point of our policy will be that there shall be no violence against Jews. Of that we are certain."

He seemed completely certain of a satisfactory solution of the perplexing issues confronting the new government of Premier Octavian Coga, which has made nationalism and antisemitism its chief program.

VIENNA, Jan. 29.—(AP)—The Austrian state council yesterday rushed consideration of measures for curbing the influx of Jews being smuggled by the "underground railway" from Poland and Rumania.

The underground—a system of speeding fugitives from one secret hideaway to another, until safety has been reached—has been geared to high speed because of increasing anti-semitism in Poland and Rumania.

The system, reminiscent of that which aided escaping slaves before the American Civil war and aristocrats during the French revolution, has brought 350 Rumanian Jews to Austria in the last 10 days.

Since November, approximately 1500 Jews have been smuggled into Austria from Poland. From the Vienna terminus the "railroad" fans out to the west; Switzerland, France, the United States and South America.

Seminole High Cage Team Wins Over Eustis Panthers By Score Of 25-13

The crack Seminole High School basketball team last night won their fifth straight Northeast Conference victory over the Eustis Panthers by a 25 to 13 margin in a fast game on the local court last night.

The Leonard McClucas coached quiet took a 11 to 0 lead in the first few minutes of play and maintained a wide leading margin throughout the game.

Johnny Morgan, ace Fed guard, again led his teammates for scoring honors racking up 8 points with Marshall leading the visitors with seven points to his credit.

In hotting up the game last night, the powerful local cage team became one of the leading contenders for the conference championship, and with the ex-

Little Matsui Is Bright Boy Of Jap Army

Commander Of Japanese Forces In China Is Old Friend Of Chiang Kai-Shek

By RELMAN MARIN AP Foreign Service Writer TOKYO, Jan. 29.—The little man with the biggest job in China today is General Iwane Matsui, Japan's "bright boy."

He commanded the Japanese army at Shanghai, smashed Chiang Kai-shek's "Hindenburg Line," chased a demoralized enemy up the Yangtze River to Nanking, and then pierced the massive walls of the Chinese capital and took the city.

His triumphal entry was the high spot of a notable life, Bright From The Start.

He became "the bright boy" of the Japanese Army 40 years ago in the Tokyo Military Academy. His instructors were not quite sure about young Matsui. They grudgingly admitted that his grades were the highest, his boots the shiniest and his solutions to strategic problems the most brilliant in the Academy.

(And that against the competition of such men as Sadao Araki, who later became Minister of War, and Senjuro Hayashi, one day to be Prime Minister.)

But Japan's "West Point" felt a vague uneasiness about this student who was so smart. His nimble brain jugged technical problems and performed military acrobatics with too great facility, his instructors reported.

The Japanese army likes its men to work hard-for what they get, to encounter great difficulties in their preparation for future wars. Matsui never had to work hard.

Reputation Grows Forty years of soldiering on the Asiatic mainland have only added to Matsui's reputation.

He was an officer in the Russo-Japanese war, it came through the terrific battle of Port Arthur without a scratch.

The next few years saw him move up the line with no better than normal speed. Not even brilliance, such as he is credited with having, can dislocate the machinery of promotion in Japanese army. Up to a certain point the only way to climb the ladder is by having birthdays.

Matsui was a staff officer in the Japanese Expeditionary Forces during the Siberian adventure, after the World war. Then he campaigned in Manchuria and Mongolia.

The years passed, and he reached the Supreme War Council, was a delegate to the Geneva conference in 1931.

The outbreak of this current "incident" was Matsui's big moment.

China His Hobby For more than ten years he had been one of the leading formulators of Japan's China policy. He has been the backstage director of that policy ever since.

HEADS FRESHMEN



Miss Martha Murphy of Miami was elected president of the Freshman class at Florida State College for Women at Tallahassee recently.

Little Damage Done To Local Crops By Cold

Beans In Okeechobee Damaged 75 Percent By Mercury Plunge

With temperatures reported as low as 28 degrees in the farming sections of Seminole County, the early crop here was handed its hardest blow of the season when the sub-freezing temperatures wilted the tops.

W. M. Scott, local manager of the American Fruit Growers, however, stated that because of the cloudy condition existing early this morning, preventing the sun rays from striking the frozen leaves, no permanent damage will result.

Handall Chase of Chase and Company, also revealed that Seminole County citrus narrowly missed heavy damage when the mercury remained at 23 degrees for three hours. Mr. Chase indicated that no heavy damage in next year's crop was done because of the fact that only a few of the blossoms have opened.

The American Fruit Growers manager revealed in information received from other crop producing sections that in Dade county tomatoes were slightly damaged and that Miss Triumph potatoes, generally had escaped the frost blasts.

Beans and English peas, Mr. Scott said, over a considerable area in the Okeechobee section were reported damaged up to 75 percent. Pompano beans were reported 25 percent damaged.

A report from Mr. Lee, of the Haulins Potato Growers Association, revealed that all sprouted potatoes in that section had been frozen to the ground but that only 15 to 20 percent of the acreage had sprouted.

In the Federal Point section all tubers 60 days old were reported killed while in the Manatee section no damage to crops was reported.

Warning Is Issued Against Firearms

Following a complaint of the Sanford Women's Club regarding the use of firearms within the city limits, Mayor Edward Higgins today reminded citizens of an ordinance prohibiting their use in the City and the penalty provided for violation of this ordinance.

A letter to the City Commissioners from the Club is as follows: "The Civic Department of the Sanford Women's Club, at a recent meeting, made the following recommendation, which was duly accepted: that the use of so many guns in the City by so many boys be called to the attention of the City Commission."

In commenting upon the request, Mayor Higgins referred to Section 113 of the Revised Ordinances of the City which provides "any person who shall be guilty of firing a gun or pistol in the street, vacant lots, public squares or other places within the limits of the City, unless duly authorized to do so by the authorities, shall be fined not more than \$10 or imprisoned at hard labor not more than 10 days."

It was indicated that Chief of Police Roy G. Williams will rigidly enforce this ordinance within the corporate limits.

Erie Ice Floes Add Damage In Niagara Gorge

Grinding Ice Mass Covers Huge Sixteen Million Dollar Electric Plant

Cold Does Little Harm In Florida Strawberries And Tender Vegetables Are Reported Damaged

NIAGARA FALLS, Jan. 29.—(AP)—A change in the weather today threatened to send new Lake Erie ice floes tumbling over the cataract into the ice-clogged Niagara Gorge and cause new damage to the world's largest power center.

Deep in the Gorge a grinding mass of ice upheld the grotesque wreckage of America's famous "honeymoon bridge" and almost completely covered the \$16,000,000 generating plant of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission.

Although the ice on the Gorge showed little change since it wrecked the "honeymoon" span Thursday, the weather prediction for the weekend indicated a slight thaw and southerly winds followed by colder winds Monday.

Some similar weather, accompanied by strong wind, early this week sent huge masses of Lake Erie ice into the turbulent river waters and caused the worst jam in Niagara Gorge for 20 years.

LAKELAND, Jan. 29.—(AP)—Wintry weather began its retreat from Florida today. The Frost Warning Bureau here reported the thermometer rising and forecasting temperatures "above the danger point" for citrus and truck crops tonight and tomorrow.

The lowest temperatures predicted were 32 in the Gainesville district to above 50 degrees in the lower east coast.

Reports today indicated the latest cold snap inflicted little or no damage to the Florida multi-million dollar citrus crop. Tender vegetables, however, suffered in some sections. The extent of damage will be some days in determining.

The State-Marketing Bureau said reports from the interior of the Everglades area said peas and beans had been hurt. The Dade county agent said the loss would not exceed 10 percent.

The bureau also said it had been reported that 25 percent of the strawberry bloom in the Plant City area had been damaged and a few berries frozen. It said the remainder of the crop would be delayed.

Mary A. DeCottes Dies In Jacksonville

Mary A. DeCottes, mother of George A. DeCottes, prominent local attorney, died at her home in Jacksonville last night following a lingering illness.

Mr. DeCottes left to attend the funeral services which will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the St. Johns Episcopal Church of Jacksonville, of which she was a member.

Mrs. DeCottes, it was learned, was in her 84th year at the time of her death and is a well-known resident of the city where she has made her home for many years.

Loan Fund Started For 4-H Club Group

TAVARES, Fla., Jan. 29.—(AP)—A revolving loan fund was started in Lake county this week to allow 4-H Club boys to buy registered livestock.

Wilmer Bassett, assistant farm agent, said private and friends of the boys are subscribing to the fund. The boys have from three to nine months to repay the loans.

LOCAL WEATHER

Generally fair and warmer tonight and Sunday.