

DID SANFORD WOMAN BEAT ROOSEVELT?

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age of 70 years.
"Few men have clear minds after they pass 70, and we have only two justices of the Supreme Court under 70."
"Most old folks are full of prejudices. They live in the past and aren't inclined to be progressive."
"They really aren't capable of defining the constitutionality of laws passed by our intelligent Congress, laws passed for the good of all our people."
"I believe in a Supreme Court, but Congress ought to pass a law requiring the members to resign at 60 or 65."
"Once a man, twice a child," is indeed true in most cases.
"We cannot believe, when our forefathers formed the Constitution, that they intended it in any way to interfere with progress or fail to benefit ALL the people during every age."
"If all the members of the United States Supreme Court were younger men, instead of 75 or 80, more of the good laws passed by Congress would have been declared constitutional, especially the Wilcox Municipal Bankruptcy Law, a law that invades the rights of no one, but would help thousands of American cities."
The Constitution is made for man, not man for the Constitution."

Court 'Packing Morally Wrong' Says Wheeler



Senator Burton K. Wheeler (extreme right), Democrat of Montana, told the senate judiciary committee: "If it is morally wrong for a private litigant to pack a jury it is just as morally wrong for the government as a litigant to do the same thing." Wheeler is being questioned by Senator Tom Connally (extreme left), Democrat of Texas, who also opposes President Roosevelt's plan to reorganize the court. Wheeler dramatically read a letter from Chief Justice Hughes deprecating the court reform plan. (Associated Press Photo)

Churches Plan Special Program On Easter Morn

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transfer, William Branham and J. L. Ingley, Jr., torch bearers; William White, flag bearer. The Rev. Martin Ham will deliver the Easter sermon.
The Rev. A. H. Cole announced the "One to Win One Campaign" will be brought to a close Sunday morning in the First Methodist Church with a score or more persons becoming formally members of the institution. Members are urged to bring their Easter baskets to morning services for depositing in the baskets to be placed at each of the doors.
...Baptist Church services in the morning include "When It Was Yet Dark," and "Christ Our Passover," both by the choir; a solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," by Mrs. Joseph Knapp. The Rev. Dr. E. D. Brownlee will deliver the Easter message.
At the night service a musical program will be sponsored by the young people of the church. Its highlights:
"We March, We March in Victory," by the choir; "The Lilies of Easter," by the Junior Singers of the church; anthem, "Come Sing with Exultation," by the choir; anthem, "The Magnificence," by Doris Dwyer, Virginia Ford, Daphne Tack, Robert Brandon, and Louis Wright; solo, "Where Have They Laid Him?" Mrs. J. A. Takach; recessional, "Brightly Gleams Our Banner," by the choir.

Chicago Police Unseat Sit-Down Strikers



Armed with warrants based on an old law against the withholding of property from the owners, Chicago police swung into action and removed hundreds of sit-down strikers from two factories and a garage. Except for some grumbling, the sit-downers vacated without resistance. Officers are seen wading into a plant while strikers came out with hands high in the air. (Associated Press Photo)

CHILD BRIDE BACK TO SCHOOL



The duties of being the wife of a 21-year-old crane mill foreman will not interfere with the education of 12-year-old Mrs. Chandler L. Howell who is shown on the steps of the school she attends at Sanford, Fla. The child bride, whose husband is a grandfather, will continue her studies in the seventh grade. (Associated Press Photo)

Local Golf Course Is Used By 68 In Period Of 10 Days

Sixty-eight Sanfordites and 68 out-of-towners used the golfing facilities of the Sanford Country Club within the past ten days, according to Bert Fort, manager.

Sanford residents shooting the course were J. H. Bond, C. F. Swinney, F. A. Urie, H. M. Grimball, George Thurston, W. G. Ball, C. E. Clem, Chester Eddy, Harold Herbst, W. F. Vibber, Roy Holler, Henry Watson, G. W. Spencer, Raymond Lundquist and H. W. Rucker.
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Local Golf Course Is Used By 68 In Period Of 10 Days

Out-of-town residents playing were C. H. Cobler of Waterbury, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller of Detroit, Charles Hayward of Jacksonville, W. L. Bradburn of Haines City, R. E. Hoffmeyer, L. E. Russell, L. E. Jackson, L. W. Henry, V. E. Smith and A. W. Yaman all of Orlando; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Stern of La Porte, Ind., William Koelle and A. J. Weeks, C. L. Gilliam, Mrs. Parko and Mrs. Maxwell, all of Allamont, Springs, E. Scholtz and L. Scholtz Jr., of Dunkirk, N. Y., L. R. Latzer, A. E. Deane and Grady Battle, all of Deland, Mrs. Williams of Battle Creek, Mich., and Ted Ostman of Haddentield, N. J.

Harry Bradham, Karly Housholder, G. D. Workman, J. C. Hutcheon, B. C. Moore, Henry Zullide, Pete Higgins, Alex Sharor, Mr. and Mrs. E. Compston, A. C. McReynolds, A. W. Darwin and Lincoln were born on the same day.

Effortless fishing.
KEY WEST, Mar. 26.—(AP)—William Guenther, winter visitor from Hokah, Minn., told yesterday about catching a Spanish mackerel without even fishing for it. He was standing on a pier watching a school of fish when one leaped four or five feet and flopped on the dock at his feet.

BARBON'S EX-AIDIE DIES
WATERTOWN, Mass., Mar. 26.—(AP)—Leroy Deering Peavey, 62, retired president of the Barbon Statisticians Institute, died yesterday at his home after a long illness.

FLORIDA MAN UNCOVERS TRY AT EXTORTION

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wood and today, caused a 43-year-old housewife to confess writing a black hand note to Anne Stimpfle McPherson, demanding \$200.
The note, one of two received yesterday by the evangelist, warned that "you are in great danger of the black hand."
The arrested woman, Underwood said, explained that "I needed \$200 to pay down on a 'new car.'" She was looked on suspicion of extortion as Mrs. Lydia Swenson.
The note was signed Mrs. L. Akers, but carried Mrs. Swenson's Glendale address, officers asserted.
Her home was searched which disclosed an ink of the identical shade and cards and envelopes of the type used for the extortion note.
History is the heaviest of American woods.

Her Scream Routed Strange Bedfellow



When Mrs. Magda Miesone (above) of New York awoke and found a strange man in bed with her, she let out a mighty scream that put him to flight in nothing but an overcoat. Police arrested a man listed as Eugene Reagan who was quoted as confessing he broke into the house and climbed in her bed because he thought "she was the most beautiful woman I ever saw." (Associated Press Photo)

200 Million Is Yearly Value Of Florida Products

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000,000 as compared with less than \$2,000,000 the same period of 1936.
A new industry, papermaking from Florida pines, has placed several mammoth plants in the Sunshine State in the past few months.
"Florida is the only place outside of China where tung nut trees can be grown profitably and the largest tung oil pressing plant in the world is located at Gainesville, the American tung oil center."

TO START AGAIN
SAN PEDRO, Calif., Mar. 26.—(AP)—Amelia Earhart came home yesterday and voiced determination to make another start within 30 days on a "round-the-world" flight. The aviator, who crashed last Saturday in Honolulu, was greeted at quarantine on the liner Matalo.

Being A Film Villainess Is Fun For Bette Davis

By BETTE DAVIS
(Pinch-hitting for Robbin Coons)
HOLLYWOOD, Mar. 26.—For some reason it is my peculiar fate to make people think I must be like my meaner roles. When, on meeting strangers and chatting with them a while, I catch them watching me with a certain expression on their faces, I know what they're thinking.
Some of the more forthright have told me. They are saying to themselves, "Why, she seems fairly pleasant in real life. How odd!" One particularly frank person remarked that when he first saw me in person he thought I looked distinctly mean.
"You've since obliterated the impression," he said. "At first I thought you had a mean eye and a sneering curl to your lips, and your voice sounded tense as though you might be restraining anger and whip-lash words."
That sort of thing began with "Fog Over Frisco" and "Of Human Bondage." Several towns were added by "Border Town." At first I was a little dismayed. I talked to other girls who had played "mean" roles, and then to several cinema villainess. It bothered me a little that they'd confessed such experiences. Did I really seem "mean" not only on the screen but in person? Was my success in portraying nasty characters due to some streak in my own nature I wasn't aware of?
Then I had some pretty good luck with a few sympathetic roles. This brought an odd reaction from various fans, who wrote urging me to do more likeable roles before I became fatally typed as a villainess.
Gradually all these things I have mentioned have come to mean a good deal to me in the way of encouragement and sincere praise.
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Mr. The Associated Press
Spanish Government troops pushed insurgents down the highway toward Alcaracjos today in what was described as a "disorderly retreat." Insurgent commanders, however, insisted the fall of Pozoblanco, which they had been besieging, was imminent.
Sierra del Toro, in Grananna Province, overlooking insurgent-controlled Monrill, was reported to have fallen to Government troops.
In Madrid, insurgent artillery resumed intermittent shelling, but no casualties were reported.
Sanander and Gijon on the Biscayan Coast were attacked by insurgent planes, which killed at least one sailor, injuring others.
Gen. Francisco Franco's fleet raided a Government airplane at Alcala de Henares, setting fire to three planes and damaging others.

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Citrus Prices Said To Be On Increase
WASHINGTON, Mar. 26.—(AP)—The Agricultural Economics Bureau predicted today that prices would advance this spring.
The supply of oranges is slightly smaller than usual, the Bureau said, adding "at least the usual seasonal rise" can be expected in the price of California navels and Florida fruit.
Early predictions were for an exceptionally large production, but it was cut by the California freeze.

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Explanation Of New Railway Pension Agreement Is Offered By The Railway Age Magazine

Pensions for railway employees when they reach 65 (or with certain limitations, at an earlier age) are provided for in an agreement announced on Mar. 16 by President J. J. Pelley of the Association of American Railroads and George M. Harrison, chairman of the Railway Labor Executives Association. According to the announcement, "complete agreement" has been reached between the management and the 21 standard railroad unions. To give effect to the agreement it will be necessary for Congress to pass two acts which the roads and the unions join in requesting—amending the present Railroad Retirement Act and the other, a substitute for the Railway Tax Act (now enjoined by the federal district court of the District of Columbia) which was to have expired Feb. 28 last, but which was extended recently by Congress to the end of the fiscal year 1938.

The passage of the legislation may be delayed because of the attitude of the U. S. Treasury Department which has questioned the adequacy of the proposed tax rates.

Collective Bargaining Succeeded.

Where Politics Fall Behind, in a little more than two months of negotiation, a goal which railway employees and latterly the railway labor organizations have tried vainly to reach for many years by the employment of political methods. The benefits to be paid to retired employees are computed on the 1926 basis as under the present Railroad Retirement Act, with a maximum monthly payment of \$129. Under the agreement the new pension plan will include present railway pensioners (estimated at about 500,000)—An approximation of the number of railway employees who are immediately eligible for retirement provided the proposed legislation is enacted by the end of the fiscal year 1938.

The new plan provides for a total tax of 5 percent of the payroll, not in excess of \$20 for any one month for any employee to be paid into the United States Treasury. This tax increases gradually, to a maximum of 7 percent, after 12 years. One-half of the tax will be paid by the railroads and the other half by the employees. The rate in the existing Railway Tax Act was 7 percent, equally divided.

2. All annuities are to be paid out of the United States Treasury.

3. Plan is to be administered by the Railroad Retirement Board as now provided.

4. Method of computing amount of annuity to be paid retired employees is the same under the plan as now incorporated in the Railroad Retirement Act.

5. An employee is eligible to retire voluntarily upon attaining the age of 65 years, but may retire at 60 years of age after completing 30 years of service with a reduction in the annuity at the rate of one-fifth for each year he is under 65.

6. An employee can continue to work after attaining 65 years of age but must continue to pay the tax, although he will not be credited with any service earned by such employment after July 1, 1937.

7. Plan permits retirement of employees because of physical or mental disability after 30 years of service with full annuity privileges.

8. Present pension rolls of the railroads are taken over under the plan.

9. No annuity will be paid to an employee who retires and engages in "regular gainful employment" in some line of work.

10. Provisions for death benefits for a deceased employee's estate.

11. The plan affects approximately 1,500,000 employees of railroad associations and of railroad labor organizations, are also included. Further details of the plan are set forth in the statement of Messrs. Pelley and Harrison as follows:

Retirement at 65 No Compulsory

The plan provides for voluntary retirement at 65, this being at the election of the employee. There is no compulsory retirement age in the Act, but any employee who continues to work beyond the age of 65 will receive no credit for service after 65. If a man has 30 years of service and has reached the age of 65, he may retire, but in that case there is a cut-back of one-fifth for each year the employee is under 65. Persons who are totally disabled are eligible to retire if they have completed 30 years of service. Any man who reaches 65 may retire and secure an annuity based on his years of service even though he is not in railroad service when he reaches the age of 65. No one is entitled to an annuity unless he was in an employment relation on or after Aug. 22, 1935, the enactment date of the Act to which the proposed Act is complementary.

How Payments Are Computed

The amount of the annuity is determined by multiplying the years of service by a certain percentage of the monthly compensation of \$100. This percentage is the compensation as of the first day of the month in which the employee reaches 65. If the employee has worked for the railroad for less than 30 years, the compensation is determined by the average monthly compensation earned by an employee as far as the service is rendered after Jan. 1, 1937. However, the employee is entitled to have 20 years of service considered if he has worked that long. In the case of an employee who has less than 20 years of service after Jan. 1, 1937 there is to be added the years of service in reverse order prior to Jan. 1, 1937 in an amount sufficient to make 20. As to the years of service counted prior to Jan. 1, 1937 the actual earnings are not necessarily taken, but the compensation is that of a test period, which includes the years 1921 to 1931 inclusive with a provision, however, that if an employee did not work in the test period, or if for any reason that period proves to be unfair, the Railroad Retirement Board may adopt such a basis of computation as is fair and equitable.

The plan provides for a minimum annuity for persons who have had at least 20 years of service, the minimum being related to the monthly compensation according to a graduated scale of percentages. In no event, however, can the annuity be less than the old-age benefit

Nation Meets at Great Lakes Exposition in Cleveland



SOUTHERN PALMS were in the breeze of Lake Erie as thousands of the Great Lakes Exposition at Cleveland stroll through the 190 acres of the big show that opens, all new and greater, on May 29 to run for 101 days. In the background is the big modernistic Varied Industries Building, which houses the exhibits of the nation's manufacturers and which is a companion building to the 100,000-square-foot Hall of Progress that shows the development of the home through modern science and electricity. A marine theme marks the Exposition, which has as a chief entertainment feature Billy Rose's huge 1,000 seat theater - restaurant Aqueduct, with its company of 500 Lady-Go-Diving girls headed by Eleanor Helen Jarrett, Aquabelle No. 1 of the show. More than 30 foreign nations will be represented in the "Division of the World" at the Exposition which will draw more than 5,000,000 visitors from Canada and the United States this summer.

If an employee would receive under the Social Security Act of 1935 after Dec. 31, 1936, a benefit in the form of a pension as defined in the Social Security Act.

How Payments Are Computed

The plan provides for a joint and survivor annuity under which, if the employee so elects, he will be paid part of his normal annuity when he retires, the balance to be used to purchase an annuity for his wife if she survives him. This benefit is provided for persons who were employed after Dec. 31, 1936. Under the new plan, if the employee dies before he has completed 30 years of service, his family will receive a lump sum of \$100 for each year of service up to 30 years, plus 50 percent of the average monthly compensation earned by an employee as far as the service is rendered after Jan. 1, 1937. However, the employee is entitled to have 20 years of service considered if he has worked that long. In the case of an employee who has less than 20 years of service after Jan. 1, 1937 there is to be added the years of service in reverse order prior to Jan. 1, 1937 in an amount sufficient to make 20. As to the years of service counted prior to Jan. 1, 1937 the actual earnings are not necessarily taken, but the compensation is that of a test period, which includes the years 1921 to 1931 inclusive with a provision, however, that if an employee did not work in the test period, or if for any reason that period proves to be unfair, the Railroad Retirement Board may adopt such a basis of computation as is fair and equitable.

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Italians Assure Great Britain Of Non-Intervention

Grandi Tells England Italy Will Not Send More Troops To Aid Spanish

Rome Indications Cause For Doubt

Mussolini Mobilizes Legions; Prepares Them For Voyage

ROME, Mar. 27.—(AP)—Informed Italian sources said Count Dino Grandi, Rome's ambassador to London, assured Great Britain that Italy does not intend to send more volunteers to the Spanish civil war.

The authoritative statement was qualified in Government circles to embrace this statement: "Unless other nations start to send volunteers again."

However, in Rome last night Premier Benito Mussolini was reported to have concentrated new divisions of his troops for immediate dispatch to Spain if the rebel generalissimo, Francisco Franco, suffers another major setback.

The troops, it was said, are at (Continued on Page Three)

Executive Group To Open Bids For Painting Hospital

The Executive Committee of the Memorial Hospital will meet at 2 P. M. Monday in the hospital to open bids for painting the building, Chairman T. W. Lawton announced today.

It was estimated that the painting operation would cost between \$100 and \$500, according to the figures in the year's budget.

Mr. Lawton announced that repairs totaling \$500 to \$600 are now in the process of being made on the hospital. They include a replastering of the nurses' home and other minor activities.

Painting will begin immediately after the major part of the repair work is completed.

Ohio Students Pay Visit To Sanford Farming Industries

Fourteen students from the University of Ohio covered the Sanford section yesterday afternoon on an inspection tour of the truck farming industries here.

The group was guided by Dr. Noel Howard, head of the U. S. Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine in Columbus, O. Professors H. D. Brown and A. Davidson of the University also were in the party.

After visiting several citrus and truck farms the students went to Markham to gain some first-hand information on turpentine distilling.

The group left here for Palatka and a visit to Azalea Gardens. Later it will be in Daytona Beach.

Tag Day Campaign Of Salvation Army Postponed For Week

Salvation Army Tag Day, scheduled to be held today, was postponed by Capt. Fred Feren, commander of the local Army Post, because of rainy weather.

The event will be held next Saturday.

Mrs. Betty Akin is in charge of Tag Day activities and will direct a corps of girls seeking contributions to help the Army raise \$3,500 for its annual expenses.

Reports today indicated that nearly \$2,000 has been donated, since the financial campaign opened last week.

Security Act Ruling Seen Before June

Federal Government Joins Alabama Company In Seeking Hurried Action

WASHINGTON, Mar. 27.—(AP)—A Supreme Court ruling before June on the constitutionality of the Federal Social Security Act became possible today when the Government joined an Alabama corporation in asking for a quick ruling on the validity of the law.

Solicitor General Stanley Reed, speaking for the Government, asked the court to pass on the litigation filed by Charles C. Steward Machine Company of Alabama in an effort to recover from the Alabama collector of internal revenue \$16 paid as a tax under the Social Security Act.

Both the Northern Alabama Federal District Court and the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals ruled against the company.

Rainfall In City Hits 2.25 Inches

Rainfall in Sanford through last night totaled 2.25 inches, according to an official report made at 8 A. M. today by G. P. Paxton, city weather observer.

Mr. Paxton thumbed through his records to uncover the fact the recording was the greatest since June 8, 1936, when a plentiful amount fell.

However, the weatherman pointed out last night's and this morning's deluge came within a period of eight hours and consequently is more unusual.

CITY NEWS BRIEFS

Mrs. Fannie Munson will be organist at the special Easter services in the Holy Cross Episcopal Church tomorrow.

The Fire Department was called yesterday afternoon to Oak Avenue and the Orlando Highway where a grass fire was burning. No damage was reported.

Woodrow N. Stribling and Miss Nell Knight, both of Sanford, were issued a license to wed yesterday afternoon, according to records in the office of County Judge R. W. Ware.

W. J. Patterson, director of the (Continued on Page Three)

Lehmann To Speak Before Kiwanians

Karl Lehmann, secretary of the Lake County Chamber of Commerce and former secretary of the Seminole County Chamber of Commerce, is to speak at the new Wednesday meeting of the Sanford Kiwanis Club.

The Program Committee is Joseph L. Marenzette, A. D. Smallwood and T. E. Simpson.

The club meets at 12:15 Wednesday in the Valdez Hotel.

Orlando Attorney To Address Rotary

Raymond F. Maquire of Orlando, an attorney, will speak before Sanford Rotarians Monday when the civic club assemblies at 12:15 for its regular weekly session in the Mayfair Hotel.

Mr. Maquire's subject will be the Supreme Court and the Constitution.

Housholder Plans To Remodel House

A building permit for \$1,000 worth of remodeling to a residence at 2044 Hibiscus Avenue has been issued at City Hall to E. F. Housholder, building records show.

A second permit was obtained by J. T. Pope for \$200 in repairs to a residence on Holly Avenue between Third and Fourth Streets.

LEGISLATOR TURNS SIT-DOWNER



Dr. J. A. Gray, a Republican member of the Missouri House of Representatives, went on a one-man sit-down strike to emphasize his demands that he be informed how many employes are on the legislative payroll. "I'm going to sit until I get a certified list," said the colon who is seen munching a sandwich in the capitol at Jefferson City.

Fifteen Millions Could Be Fed From State Soil

Florida Has 60,000 Farms Comprising An Acreage Total Of 6,000,000; Produce Highly Valued

Florida has more than 60,000 farms with a combined acreage of almost 6,000,000 acres. The State is divided into 67 counties.

The total value of Florida agricultural products in 1936 was more than \$17,000,000 of which fruits and vegetables contributed \$7,000,000.

More than 1,000,000 acres of potential land for cultivation only some 500,000 have been subdivided and approximately only 1,150,000 are in actual cultivation in Florida.

Florida's agricultural products jumped in value from slightly more than \$15,000,000 in 1935. (Continued on Page Three)

WPA Is Expected To Start More County Projects

Release Of Agricultural Labor May Influence Decision

New WPA projects for Seminole County are looked for within a few weeks, W. S. Earle, work director and engineer, said today in explaining that agricultural labor is beginning to be released and returning to Government work.

No definite reports on opening approved jobs have been received by the local WPA office, Mr. Earle announced, but he indicated that the release of labor on the farms in this section has had an influence on beginning new endeavors.

The work director said he and his employees on the High School Athletic Field project at present. They are occupied chiefly with leveling off a football field, removing the sand from higher places of the gridiron and dumping it into a sink hole to build up the terrain for a diamondball field.

At the Farmers' Market, Mr. Earle reported completion of the assembly shed where growers may place their wares to accumulate a carload lot of produce. One more (Continued on Page Two)

Young People Of Churches To Hold Sunrise Service

Uniting their efforts for Easter Morning, the young people of Sanford Churches will sponsor sunrise services Sunday at the Municipal Bandshell in Lake Monroe. (The Jacksonville weather bureau gives sunrise at 6:22 A. M.)

Mrs. Julius Tokach will lead special choir music. Instrumental and vocal numbers have been placed on the program to which the public is cordially invited.

The complete program: Processional, choir; invocation the Rev. J. B. Root; Scripture, the Rev. A. H. Cole; prayer, the Rev. W. P. Brooks, Jr.; address, the Rev. Martin J. Bram; solo, Mrs. W. G. Fleming; instrumental duet, Mrs. O. P. Herndon and Robert Herndon; hymn, by the choir; instrumental solo, Lewis Wright; benediction, the Rev. Dr. E. D. Brown; recessional.

In case of rain, the ceremonies will be transferred to the First Presbyterian Church.

Homestead Exemption Deadline Falls Soon

Seminole County homeowners will have the final opportunity next week to file applications for homestead exemptions. County Tax Assessor Sanford Brundage announced today.

At the close of business this afternoon, only four more days remained in which to ask for the tax benefit.

Mr. Brundage said he will find his assistance to anyone who is not familiar with the routine of filling out a homestead blank.

Disasters Claim 888 Lives Through First Quarter Of This Year

Ball Players To Be Entertained At Chamber Fete

Civic Organization Sets April To Open Membership Drive

Poultrymen Form Association For Central Florida

Organization Designed To Standardize Egg, Meat Prices

The Board of Directors of the Seminole County Chamber of Commerce, in special session last night unanimously approved plans for a gala banquet in honor of the Chattanooga Baseball Club now in spring training at Sanford.

This affair, which promises to be one of the largest assemblages of baseball enthusiasts and friends ever gathered in Seminole County, will be held in the Episcopal Parish House, Thursday night, guests of the Chamber will include officials of the Chattanooga club, players and newspapermen assigned to the training camp at Sanford, and also officials of the Washington Senators, located at Orlando.

An interesting program is being arranged at which Chamber President T. E. Simpson will be the main attraction.

The banquet is open to the public and tickets priced at \$1.00 a person can be secured at the Chamber Building. All reservations, however, must be made before a week Wednesday.

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15 Seminole County Boys To Be Taken For Duty With CCC

Fifteen youths from Seminole County will be included in the April CCC quota of Florida, Mrs. J. P. Ridge, director of social welfare in this County announced today.

Youngsters accepted for enlistment have been returned to report at Mrs. Ridge's office in the Court House Friday, Apr. 2, for transportation to Orlando where they will be given physical examinations.

Those selected from this area will not be sent to the same camp, according to a custom established by the recruiting office, but will be scattered widely over the southern States.

Only white boys are being taken in this quota, Mrs. Ridge said. Those from relief families or boys with no means of support are eligible.

Chapman To Direct Masonic Services In Orlando Park

Edwin H. Chapman of Sanford, deputy grand master of Florida Masons, will have charge of Easter sunrise services sponsored by Central Florida Masons in Edly Park, Orlando, tomorrow morning at 6:35 o'clock.

A number of Sanfordites belonging to the fraternal order will attend the service, and they issued an invitation to any non-members to be present.

A program featuring 11 events has been planned.

The service is an annual one of Central Florida Masons and has been well attended in the two years of its existence.

Director Of Parks Urges Visit To Zoo To Inspect Blooms

James Moughton, City superintendent of parks and streets, today urged local citizens to visit the Easter blooming flowers in Municipal Zoo.

He said the blossoms are out in splendor and profusion never before seen here, transforming the grounds into a multi-colored carpet of beauty.

Mr. Moughton said the Municipal Zoo flowers bloom at their best during the Easter season.

The blossoms were considerably freshened by last night's rain which knocked off the drying flowers and left only the heartiest and most beautiful.

Texas School Blast Placed First In Nation's Tragedies With 455 Deaths

Plane Crashes Increase Total

Bus Accidents Also Added To Unprecedented Fatalities

The Associated Press Distasters claimed 888 lives in the first quarter of this year, more than quadruple the number of deaths for the same period of 1936.

The spark which set off the blast in the New Loudon, Texas, school on May 18, killing 455 children and teachers alone more than doubled the figure for the corresponding three months from all disasters.

January's mid-continental flood which caused 358 deaths and property damage of more than \$500,000,000 brought to the Mississippi and Ohio Valleys their greatest catastrophe.

The wreck of an air liner near Pittsburgh Thursday claimed a series of major airplane accidents. Five persons, including the big game hunter, Martin Johnson, died in the crash of a passenger plane near Burbank, Calif., in mid-January.

Another air liner, going in (Continued on Page Two)

First Work Sheets Accepted Thursday By Seminole Agent

The first work sheets under the 1937 Federal Soil Conservation program will be taken in this County on Thursday at Atlantic Springs, County Agent C. R. Dawson announced today.

Under an experimental plan, the farm agent contemplating visiting every community in Seminole County to accept work sheets rather than ask that growers come to the Court House to file them.

However, Mr. Dawson said, if the plan proves to be unsatisfactory he will revert to the old system that was in use last year.

Work sheets will be taken two days, April 1 and 2, in Altamonte Springs, and two days, April 3 and 4, in Titusville, according to the farm office schedule.

Elks Name Thurston As Exalted Ruler; To Install Apr. 9

Local Elks last night elected George Thurston as exalted ruler to fill the fraternity's highest post for one year. He succeeds Fred F. Barber.

Other officers named are as follows:

Andrew Cartaway, esteemed leading knight; W. Herbert Meyor, esteemed loyal knight; Charles Tomm Jr., esteemed leading knight; the Rev. Father J. H. Kellerman, secretary; W. J. Tall, treasurer; Ed Bourke, clerk; John Zimmerman, trustee for three years; and Mr. Dorner, alternate to the Grand Lodge Convention.

Installation of the new officers will be an event of the next meeting, April 9.

LOCAL WEATHER

12	75	54	89
13	76	51	89
14	77	52	86
15	78	50	86
16	74	48	82
17	58	45	82
18	59	44	80
19	58	43	80
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