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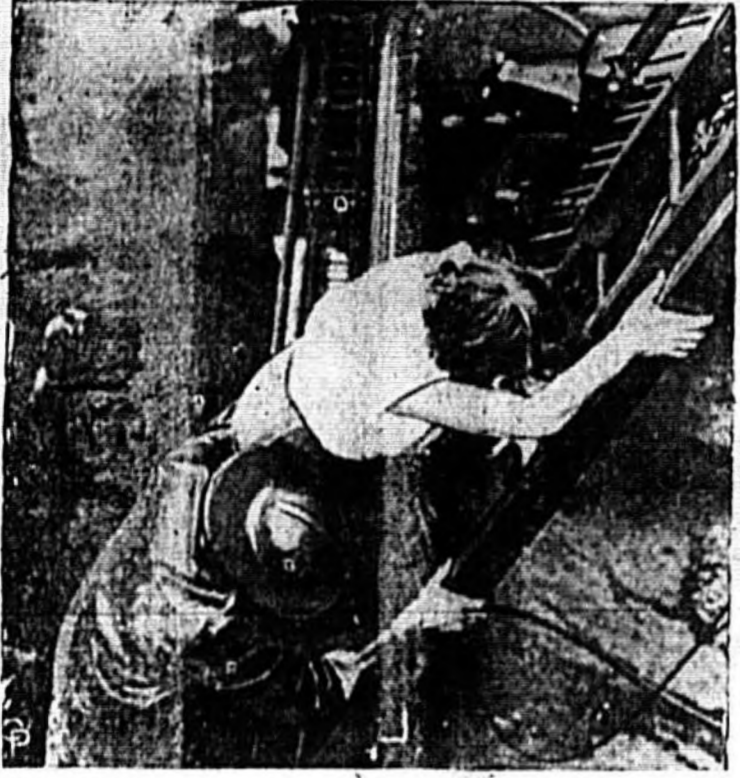
ACL's new all-coach streamliner, The West Coast Champion, will make its initial stop here at 12:50 P.M. Dec. 13. Its initial north-bound trip will be made Saturday arriving here 11:50 A.M. Effective Dec. 12, No. 91 South Bound will arrive Sanford 1:20 P.M., No. 92 North Bound will arrive 2:07 P.M. On same date No. 89 local South Bound will arrive 12:35 P.M.

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 Phone 63

Atlantic Coast Line
Railroad Co.



PROWING THE ROAD near the Sanford Coal Company in the Imperial Valley. A state police car protects strip miners working nearby. At left, a coal miner is seen in a truck carrying coal from the surface mines to a loading platform. (International Soundphoto)



WHEN FLAMES TRAPPED Mrs. Rose Hughes in her fifth-floor room in a 100-year-old hotel in Grand Rapids, Mich., fireman Ace Hall came to her rescue. Here he is shown helping her down a ladder to safety. Thirty guests were treated for superficial burns. (International Soundphoto)



IN AN ADDRESS before the American Standards Association in New York, Lt. Gen. Ira G. Eaker, deputy commander of the Army Air Forces, urged that bases be built to protect the Arctic frontier. The general said that this was the only quarter from which a possible future war could be waged from either Europe or Asia. (International Soundphoto)



BALES OF HAY are loaded into a plane at Pueblo, Colo., to be flown to the state's snowbound areas. Sub-freezing temperatures prevented the thawing of the drifts, thus making it impossible for land-going vehicles to reach the ranges where cattle and sheep faced death from cold and hunger. The plane dropped the hay over the livestock. (International Soundphoto)



150 Guests Escape In Gotham Hotel Fire

NEW YORK, Dec. 10, (AP)—Fire broke out today in a room in the 27-story Lincoln Hotel, just off Times Square. About 150 guests were routed out as a safety precaution, but the fire never got out of the room in which it started, and nobody was hurt. Only yesterday, special orders for hotel fire inspections were issued by Mayor William O'Dwyer, of New York, as a result of the disastrous Winecoff fire in Atlanta.

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HUNT'S TUXEDO FEED STORE

CORNER SECOND & SANFORD PHONE 358

Civil War Flares Up In Oil Wealthy Middle East Area

(Continued from page 1) what sort of resistance was encountered.

Now that Iranian politics have reached the civil war stage, foreign diplomats are worried. They see the conflict as a test of Soviet influence in an area formerly occupied by the Russians. While there is no sign that Russia will back the Azerbaijanis with arms, there is no doubt where Moscow's sympathies lie.

Azerbaijan revolted last year while Soviet troops were occupying the area, and subsequently the province was granted some home rule. Parliamentary elections were scheduled throughout Iran for the two weeks that began last Saturday.

Premier Ahmed Qavam has insisted that he will not recognize the return from Azerbaijan unless the government forces watch the balloting. But local Azerbaijan leaders are suspicious. They say that Qavam is trying to control the election in favor of his own party.

According to Iran's chief of staff, General Bazmeh, the government troops made contact with the Azerbaijanis at the entrance to a strategic pass at Ghaflankhob. That pass straddles the main route into Azerbaijan, and might become the stage for violent fighting.

While there is some concern in Iranian government circles that Russia might give indirect aid to the Azerbaijan separatists, a British Foreign Office spokesman says Britain regards the new dispute as "a purely internal affair." This spokesman told newsmen that Britain's attitude would remain unaltered even if the current fight developed into an all-out conflict.



A PRAYER of thanksgiving is uttered by Mrs. Maria Buslacchi in her Milwaukee home during a party given for her on her 100th birthday. The wrinkled centenarian, who came from Sicily in 1897, was feted by more than 200 members of her family. (International Soundphoto)

2 British Officers Hurt In Italian Riot

PADUA, Italy, Dec. 10, (AP)—Two British officers and several Italians were injured today in a two-hour riot set off when a British army truck ran into a group of Italian pedestrians.

Padua is the site of general headquarters of Britain's central Mediterranean force. The Italians, estimated to be total more than 150, attacked British personnel and tore down a British flag in the mistaken belief that the truck had killed two of their countrymen.

Notice To Electrical Contractors

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, Court House, until 10:00 A.M. Wednesday, December 18, 1946, for the furnishing and installation of lighting fixtures and necessary wiring in the Junior High and Sanford Grammar Schools.

The owner does not oblige himself to accept the lowest or any other bid.

Drawings and specifications may be obtained from Moughton & Lindsey, Associated Architects, 511 Atlantic National Bank Building, Sanford.

BOARD OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY

ACTING in line with the executive, Gov. Harry F. Kelly of Michigan calls his offices in the state capital at Lansing to proclaim a state of emergency because of the critical coal shortage. Municipal governments received authority to enforce rigid conservation measures. (International Soundphoto)

There are stone idols on Easter Island in the Pacific that weigh 50 to 60 tons each. United States.

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THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy and mild tonight and Thursday. Gentle to moderate southeasterly winds over the north and central portions and moderate to fresh easterly winds over the east and extreme south portion and through the keys this afternoon through Thursday.

In Unity There Is Strength— To Protect the Peace of the World; To Promote the Progress of America; To Produce Prosperity for Sanford;

No Clues Are Reported On Missing Plane

Plane With Marines On Board Is Lost In Rugged Country South Of Seattle

SEATTLE, Dec. 11, (AP)—A flying Coast Guardman has radioed that he has spotted wreckage three and a half miles from the airport at Toledo, Wash. The wreckage lying near the western fringe of the Cascade Mountains between Seattle and Portland may be the Marine Corps transport which has been missing since yesterday with 32 men aboard. The Coast Guard observer said he could not determine whether anyone was alive. A group of searchers have set out to investigate the report.

Pilot Club Maps Charity Program At Tourist Center

Upon a recommendation of the board, members of the Pilot Club voted to contribute the sum of \$10 per year to International Relations of Pilot International to further the work that has been started in this direction, at the regular business meeting of the group held at the Tourist Center last night with Mrs. Mary Rawlins presiding.

Warrants Against 54 Strikers Issued

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 11, (AP)—Warrants were issued today against 54 strike demonstrators in the Allis-Chalmers plant. They are charged with unlawful assembly and riot. The warrants were issued by District Attorney William McCausley shortly after Governor Goodland declared that he would not order the state guard to the plant unless the Milwaukee county sheriff finds that cannot cope with the situation.

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WEST ALA.'s mayor had requested that troops be sent to the strike-bound plant of the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company where there has been recent violence. But last night Sheriff George Hanley declared that the situation was under control and that he felt his 800 trained law enforcement officers could deal with the situation better than the state guard.

Habits That Hurt Personality

- 1. Untidiness—carelessness uncleanliness or slovenliness in dress or appearance deters customers from buying. 2. Unchaste language—defined as swearing or obscene talk. Denotes a poor vocabulary. 3. Unattractive mannerisms—defined as motions or eccentric habits that repel others. 4. Unclear thinking—what the mind thinks is reflected in the appearance. 5. Drinking—excess-alcoholic intake definitely hurts personality. 6. Egocentricity—self-centered, the person has too much "I trouble." 7. Braggung—don't boast too much. 8. Pessimism—don't broadcast gloom. 9. Criticism of others—The critic, sees his own bad habits in others. Caustic criticism leaves lifelong scars. 10. Hate—always harms the sender.

Habits That Help Personality

- 1. Neatness of attire—clothing kept clean and neat. 2. Courtesy—consideration of others. A habit that can be cultivated. Is our greatest asset and costs us nothing. 3. Cordiality—Do things for people as if it were a genuine pleasure, not half heartedly or grudgingly, but joyously. 4. Facial magnetism—Don't have a "dead pan." Practice smiling; it requires 72 facial muscles to frown; only 14 to smile. 5. Friendliness—Benjamin Franklin said: "If you would have friends, be friendly." The average little dog has it all over some people in the art of making friends. 6. Right mental attitude—It is easy to regard others as being wrong and ourselves as being right. It is narrow to be wrapped up in self, broadening to be able to see the other person's viewpoint. Embittered attitude leads to disorders of body. 7. Gracious manners—Are the result of being genuinely interested in the welfare, success and mind; friendly attitude promotes health, happiness of others. Call for greatness of soul. 8. Optimism—Keep up a bright outlook. See the best qualities of others. 9. Enthusiasm—Give a man enthusiasm and nothing can stop him. 10. Faith in the Almighty will do more than anything else to develop in us fine qualities and attractiveness of personality.

Meeting Of Courtesy Clinic Hears Discussion On Selling

Personal factors in salesmanship that build customer-good will and principles in human relations were stressed last evening by Vernon T. Grizzard, business and sales counselor to a large group at the Tourist Center attending the second lecture of the "Courtesy Clinic" sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and Merchants Association.

There were many business men present, and employees represented progressive concerns of the community. As on Monday, Roundhill and Anderson and Touchton Drug Stores closed two hours earlier than usual in order that their employees might have the benefit of the instruction.

Government Wins In Civil War In Iran

TEHRAN, Iran, Dec. 11, (AP)—The civil war in Iran's northernmost province of Azerbaijan appeared to have ended today in victory for the central government of Premier Ahmad Qavam.

NAME RUTH HOSPITALIZED

NEW YORK, Dec. 11, (AP)—The condition of Babe Ruth was described as good today by a spokesman at Finch Hospital, where Ruth has been undergoing treatment for a sinus infection. The spokesman would not indicate, however, when baseball's one-time home run king would be discharged from the hospital.

British Rescue 742 Wrecked Jews On Syria

Refugee Ship Is Destroyed By Storm As Attempt Is Made To Enter Palestine

JERUSALEM, Dec. 11, (AP)—The British navy announced today that 742 shipwrecked Jewish refugees have been rescued from the Greek island of Syros. The Jews were marooned on the barren, waterless island last Sunday when their immigrant ship was wrecked in a Mediterranean storm.

Rudolph Smith, Jr. Receives Letter From Noted Author

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Bodies Of 3 Children Discovered In River

WASSAIC, N. Y., Dec. 11, (AP)—Searchers discovered today the bodies of three children who had been missing in wooded swamps since yesterday afternoon. The bodies of 12-year old David Murphy, his 10-year old brother Clarence and their 9-year old sister Mary were recovered from the waters of Ten Mile River at a point almost within sight of their farm home.

HUNT MISSING GIRL

BENNINGTON, Vt., Dec. 11, (AP)—Connecticut detectives were asked today to assign one of their ace operatives to aid Vermont police in the search for 18-year-old Paula Welden. The Bennington college student disappeared ten days ago and Vermont authorities said every clue to her disappearance now has washed out. Her father, a Stamford, Conn. industrialist, has asked the aid of police of his home state in the search for the missing girl.

Rockefeller Offers Big Sum For U. N. Site

Troop Inventory Proposal Is Dropped In Order To Speed Disarmament Talks

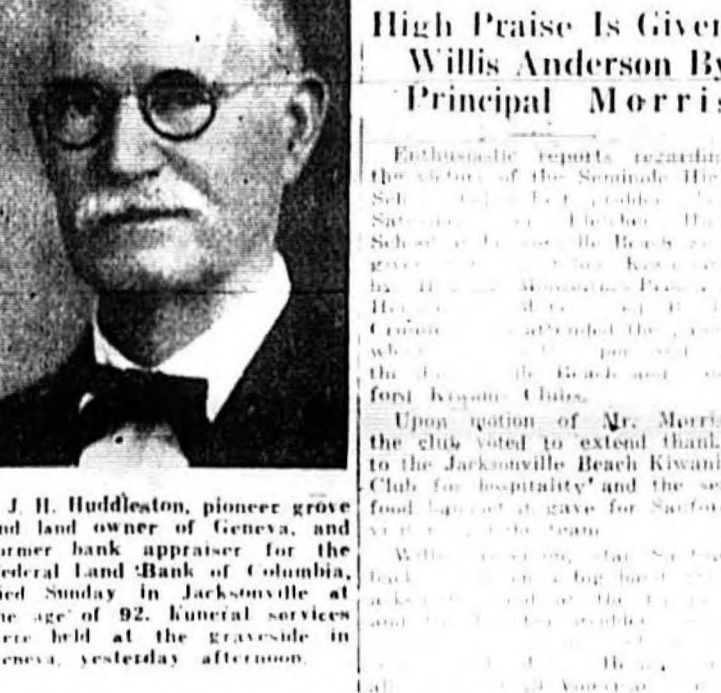


AT A HOSPITAL in Atlanta, Ga., Mr. J. H. Huddleston, 92, who survived a ten-story fall in the tragic World Hotel fire, is shown being comforted by his family. The 92-year-old grandfather was rescued from the tenth floor when he was held by a sheet and lowered to the ground by escape, lost his hold and dropped to the hotel's marquee. (AP Wirephoto)

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Dec. 11, (AP)—The homeless United Nations got a surprise offer of a permanent site today from John D. Rockefeller, Jr. Mr. Rockefeller offered the UN a gift of more than \$8,000,000 to buy land right in midtown New York City. Rockefeller said that a tract along the East River in Manhattan is available if the UN wants to accept the money gift and buy it.

The United Nations itself, disarmament plans got a boost today, according to word from qualified informants. It is said that the powerful drafting committee has dropped a controversial proposal for world-wide troop inventory, in order to speed disarmament.

Geneva Pioneer Dies



J. H. Huddleston, pioneer grove and land owner of Geneva, and former bank appraiser for the Federal Land Bank of Columbia, died Sunday in Jacksonville at the age of 92. Funeral services were held at the graveside in Geneva yesterday afternoon.

Kiwanians Hear Reports On Game At Jacksonville

High Praise Is Given Willis Anderson By Principal Morris

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11, (AP)—Representative George Bender of Ohio is sharply critical of modern trends in education. He said today that Americans are becoming dependent on less and less skill, especially those who know everything there is to know about something at all.

Funeral Services Held At Geneva

Funeral services for J. H. Huddleston, 92-year-old pioneer resident of Geneva and former land bank appraiser, were held yesterday afternoon at the graveside in Geneva with the Rev. Fred G. Yerkes, Episcopal clergyman of North Florida district and grandson of Mr. Huddleston officiating.

Shopping Days Left advertisement with a cartoon character and text: '12 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS'

STORES OPEN

A number of furniture stores have decided to remain open on Saturday, Monday and Tuesday evenings before Christmas until 9:00 o'clock. They include the Sanford, Math, Thorpe, Haynes and Williams and Wagoner Furniture stores.

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BIBLE VERSE FOR TODAY

SOME DO NOT BELIEVE IN SACRIFICE... 1 Cor. 1:18

Footnote to a Fable... Do you still remember

Town Mouse, Town Mouse... Do you still remember

Town Mouse, Town Mouse... Do you still remember

Town Mouse, Town Mouse... Aye, but you remember!

As we said the other day... There was some candy for sale

Commenting on the "assassination" of the little deer

Another victim of the Atlanta fire... a Miamian, has died

The evidence being brought out in the Atlanta trial of Columbians, Inc.

John L. Lewis gets a \$25,000 a year salary from the United Mine Workers

United States delegates at the UN conference demand a demobilization of the vast armies of the world

Civic Music

Tomorrow is the last day to become a member of the Sanford Music Association

These concerts are well worth the price for everyone who appreciates good music

There is another reason for supporting the Civic Music Association which should appeal to those who do not ordinarily attend such concerts

So do your part toward making Sanford a better city in which to live

Safety Valve

In Great Britain, freedom of speech is now restricted by the extreme sensitiveness of men in high government positions

A psychologist would probably say that such undue sensitiveness is due to a feeling of insecurity

Guying the government is one of the sports most taken for granted over here

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CHIEF OF THE JOINT GENERAL STAFF of the Brazilian Army, Gen. Salvador Cesar Obino (right) is shown with Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, in the latter's office in Washington

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

By RUSSELL KAY

While I have always admired and respected John L. Mathews of Jacksonville, I cannot agree with him in his contention that the State Democratic Committee be given full control of Democratic primaries

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John contends that our state primary laws permit the registration of Negroes as Democrats and that in a number of counties, the Negro vote would constitute the balance of power

The Negro voters have it in their power, he points out, particularly in Duval County which has a large percentage of them, to name the nominees of the Democratic Party

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The good book admonishes us that "The thing we fear shall come upon us" and such an open declaration of race-war as Senator Mathews proposes would in my estimation be the surest and quickest way to bring about the conditions he seeks to avoid

I do not believe that the CIO-PAC or any other group can successfully regiment, all Negroes and drive them to the polls like cattle to vote as instructed, nor am I ready to accept the belief that Negroes, as a group, demanding or expecting social equality, intermarriage between the races or commingling

While a considerable number of Negroes were registered in the last election only a small number actually voted and I venture to say that of these, few voted an "instructed" vote

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Isn't it true that you keep in touch with many friends only by sending them Christmas cards? Isn't that good reason to send them quality Christmas cards?

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Gifts of Distinction 114 Mag. Phone 147

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B. L. Perkin's CORRECT MEN'S WEAR

The Negro, given half a chance, is a pretty good citizen and I think it would be a grave mistake to encourage him to form his own party and team up with the Communists, CIO-PAC or any other group

The real question in the Mathews proposal is not whether the Negroes would take advantage of the state-controlled primaries to exercise the balance of power, they haven't done so as yet, but whether conduct of the primaries, free of state law regulations, by the party organization would tend to fairer elections, better choices of officials, and less fraud and manipulation in casting and counting the votes

Committee control of the primaries would make it possible for a majority of the Committee, which could easily be made up of self-seeking, designing politicians, to practically dictate the qualifications of candidates, methods of election, voting and other regulations, to the end of insuring the nomination of favored candidates

On top of that it would open the way for dishonesty in elections, which would be beyond statutory prosecution or penalty

No, John, your plan is not the answer to the problem and if adopted would only serve to aggravate the situation

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Social And Personal Activities

— TELE. NO. 148

Social Calendar

THURSDAY

The T.E.L. class of the First Baptist Church will meet in the church annex at 7:00 P.M. A Christmas party and covered dish supper will be held and members asked to bring a gift for the tree and a covered dish.

The Seminoles Chapter of the Red Cross will meet at 10:00 A.M. at the chapter house.

The Home Demonstration Club will meet at 3:00 P.M. at the home of Mrs. J. P. Thurmond, 612 Elm Avenue.

FRIDAY

The circles of the Garden Club will meet as follows: Azaleas with Mrs. J. A. Young at 8:00 P.M. Central with Mrs. H. M. Papworth at 10:00 A.M. Dixie Gardeners with Mrs. Charles Gunn at 10:00 A.M. Hibiscus with Mrs. S. W. Woodruff at 3:00 P.M. Magnolia with Mrs. W. R. Williams at 2:30 P.M. Rose with Mrs. J. D. Woodruff at 10:00 A.M. Jacaranda with Mrs. Fred Ganas at 3:00 P.M. Mrs. J. L. Emmons will be the speaker.

The Hallie Harrison chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet with Mrs. F. E. Roumillat, 910 Palmetto Avenue. All visiting daughters are

Betty King To Marry Gilbert J. Blocker

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Austin King of this city are announcing today the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Betty, to Gilbert J. Blocker, son of Mr. and Mrs. George William Blocker of DeLand.

Miss King graduated from Seminole High School and attended John D. Stetson University where she was a member of the Delta Delta Delta social sorority.

Mr. Blocker attended schools in DeLand prior to entering the U.S. Navy in 1942. He served 20 months with the Third Fleet in the Pacific theatre of operations. The wedding will be an event of early January.

Personals

Friends will be sorry to learn that Mrs. Flo McCarly is ill and confined to her home in SanLanta.

Miss Angela Melach whose wedding will be an event of Dec. 21 has arrived in Sanford from the University of Kentucky to be with her parents on West First Street.

Hugh Carlton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hugh Carlton, has been awarded a letter in football at Stetson University in recognition of his services as a player this year. The young student is a freshman in the liberal arts college.

Glee Club Presents Program On Friday

The glee club of the Seminole High School presented a program during the regular chapel meeting on Friday morning. A small admission was charged to go toward the glee club trip to Tampa for the State Music Festival. Another performance will be given on Jan. 9 at the high school auditorium with new numbers added to the program.

The show was entitled the "You Name It Show" and was opened with the chorus of "Dark Town Strutters Ball" followed with a review of the following: "Bicycle Built For Two," Peggy Pippin and Kay Shoemaker; Boy's double quartet, novelty number, "Mosquitoes"; "Dark Town Jockey Club," Spencer Hardin; hill billy band with Houston Babcock as leader, soloist Alvin Tenley in "The Frier's Face"; Eloise Cook, acrobatic number; Mary Alice Herndon, "Summertime"; M. H. H. to Frank, "A Little Bit of Heaven"; Nancy Williams, "Blues in the Night"; Clarence Grantham, "Shorin' Bread"; dancing chorus, "St. Louis Woman" by DeLore McClelland, Anita Aiken, Betty Rene Hall, Betty Duncanson and Betty Jane Copeland.

The interlude was Harold Kestner and the six end men were Clarence Grantham, Bill Ludwig, Spencer Hardin, Carl Williams, Earl Lee and Jack Moye.

Couple Is Honored With Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. David Smith and Mrs. L. A. Palmer honored Miss Cecelia Truluck and Clyde Terwilliger, Jr. with a dinner party on Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Cueists gathered at the Palmer home in SanLanta for cocktails. The living room and den were lovely with pink color scheme being used throughout. Dahlias, snapdragons and gladioli formed the flower arrangements. For the occasion Miss Truluck wore a black crepe gown with cap sleeves and an intricate strapping at the back of the skirt. The neckling formed a deep V in the back and a set-in belt was encrusted with rhinestones. The hostess and hostesses all wore white corsages of white rosebuds and chrysanthemums.

Cantata To Be Given At Methodist Church

The Methodist Church assisted by the Seminoles High School Mediators will present a cantata, "The Story of Christmas," by Lorenz at the Methodist Church Dec. 15 at 7:30 P.M.

The cantata is under the direction of Mrs. Ollie Reese Whittle with Mrs. J. McKean as organist. Those in the choir are: Mrs. Howard Morthoth, Mrs. Bert Chapman, Mrs. Z. B. Ratliff, Mrs. W. M. Kirby, Mrs. H. V. Aiken, Mrs. Ernest Southward, Mrs. Burk Swartz, Mrs. W. G. Fleming, Mrs. H. R. Lantz, Mabel Chapman, Virginia Chapman, Ollie Reese Whittle, Dr. H. W. Rucker, Edward Kucher, Robert Jones, Robert P. Allen, Leland Rudd, Nollie Trapp, Edwin Shindolser and Charles Morrison.

The Mediators include Nancy Williams, Mary Alice Herndon, Lillian Boyle, Myra Southward, Helen Slaughter, Margaret Patton, Louise Clark, Peggy Pippin and Mona Ruth Mills.

GENEVA NEWS

Mrs. A. E. Moran

The Garden Club met at the home of Mrs. J. T. McLain, Jr. on Wednesday afternoon for their annual Christmas party. Gifts were exchanged among the members.

The hostess, Mrs. McLain, served refreshments of pumpkin pie and coffee to the following: Mrs. Lucile Norton, Mrs. Phillip Bauer, Mrs. Geiger, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. May Nickel, Mrs. Judson Leonard, Mrs. Lulu Alderman, Mrs. Louise Bills, Mrs. Albert McCulloch, Miss Evelyn Daniels, Mrs. Ernest Ward, Mrs. W. L. Sieg, Mrs. J. H. Hibrey, Mrs. Ray McGill, Mrs. Jergenson and Mrs. Emma Youta.

Couple Honored With Party Monday Night

Cecelia Truluck and Clyde Terwilliger, Jr. Monday night with an elegant party at the home of her parents at 1217 Magnolia Avenue.

A bright red and silver color scheme was used in decorating the party rooms. Red gladioli and greenery were bunched on the mantel and in the white bookshelves were poinsettias in tall silver vases. Red roses were in other arrangements around the living room and sun porch. Burning red candles in silver candleholders were used in lighting the home. A face cloth covered the dining table and at one end was the crystal punch bowl encircled with maiden hair fern and the red flowers. Red tapers in silver holders lighted the dining room and the table was lovely with large silver and crystal trays of canapés, dainty cookies, small individual fruit cakes and composites of salted nuts.

These assisting Mrs. Holt in serving were Mrs. M. S. Wiggins, Mrs. Isabelle Barnwell, Mrs. E. L. Perkins, Sr., Mrs. Richard Brown, Mrs. Dale Scott, Jr., Mrs. Frank Ray, Miss Elizabeth Dyeon and Miss Kathryn Wiggins.

Those invited to be with Miss Truluck and Mr. Terwilliger were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Scott, Jr. and Mrs. Ed Whitton, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. James Crapps, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Altman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wright, H. Mr. and Mrs. Thoney.

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Celery Crate Board Of Directors Meet

The business meeting of the board of directors was held on Friday evening at the Celery Crate.

Those present were Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Rucker, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Lunsing, Mrs. R. W. Loring, Mrs. V. M. Green, Mrs. C. K. Carter, George Stine, Coach Fred Ganas, Treasurer John Alexander, Hospitality Chairman Simon Dingfelder, Decoration Chairman Ida May Gehr, Program Chairman Dolores Lee, Refreshment Chairman Betty Jean Precourt and Advertising Chairman Peggy Pippin.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Lieut. and Mrs. Harold Clark announced today the birth of daughter, Diana Merrill, on Nov. 30 at the Navy hospital in Norfolk, Va. Mrs. Clark is the former Merrill Crockett of Palm Springs, Calif.

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INSIDE SPORTS REPORT

By ARTHUR BECKWITH, JR.

GILMER STEELE

An article concerning Maj. H. Gilmer Steele recently appeared in Stars and Stripes, an army publication for the European Theater.

Maj. Steele is the son of Mrs. G. M. Harrison, 1311 Palmetto Avenue, and is stationed near Frankfurt, Germany and is officer in charge of athletic activity for the men stationed in that area.

Ernie Reed, staff correspondent for the publication has this to say: "Following on the heels of the team's startling 16-13 upset victory over the hitherto undefeated Berlin Bears, the CBS athletic officials have decided to abandon plans for any further competition for the 1946 pigskin season."

Maj. H. G. Steele, athletic officer, said: "We felt that anything the team did after its superb Thanksgiving Day performance would be strictly anti-climatic. The squad deserves a complete rest."

With the announcement, tentative plans for the All-Stars to oppose the winner of the CBS inter-league championship eliminations were dropped.

The surprise conquest of the Berlin eleven, which might have clinched the ET football crown by winning its final test, was attributed partially to four new razzle-dazzle plays developed for the game by coach Eddie Overman. The trick plays set the stage for the winning touchdown.

CELEBRITY FED GRIDDERS

The announcement that three Seminole High grid machine members were named on the

first squad for the all-East Central Conference came as a pleasant surprise to all Celery Fed boosters.

Willie Anderson, Harold Kaatner and Bill Ludwig were the team members named, with Spencer Harden placed on the honorable mention list for goals.

Anderson was given a unanimous choice for the team by the coaches representing each school in the conference, which is also an honor.

ST. AUGUSTINE SAINTS

An announcement came out of the Los Angeles baseball conference last week that the St. Augustine Saints of the Florida State League will be part of the Chicago Cubs farm system next year.

The Saints joined the National League ball club's minor league system under an agreement reached at the meet in Los Angeles.

The Cubs reportedly will send nearly 80 farm chattels to the Ancient City for Spring training next year.

As they gathered in the dressing room, the little coach, who weighed about 140 pounds, brandished a finger at the big tackle and shouted: "You, you're just a bum, that's all. You can't take it. Oh, if I had your size—if I just had your size, I'd be heavyweight champion of the world. Nothing would stop me."

Room 6 Captures Grammar School Softball Tourney

Room 6 of the Sanford Grammar School captured the round robin softball tourney held last week on the school grounds.

The contests featured unusually streamlined rules such as two outs retiring a side, three called balls awarding a man a free pass, two strikes an out and if the second strike is a foul it is called one-half strike and a third foul would be one-half strike and an out.

The victors defeated rooms 7, 8, and 9 in order to win the championship. Co-captains for the team were Terry Correll and Spencer Hardy. Members of the team included Calvin Wright, Tommy Rumbley, Hebben Bedner, A. B. Gattin, Jack Annan, Gene Wilkinson, Raymond Cobb, Raymond Yates, Paul McTeer and the co-captains.

Whirly's Money-Winning Record To Be Overcome Soon

MIAMI, Dec. 11, (Special)—Whirlaway's money-winning record would be safe for years to come if the purse values now in effect had been prevalent when the famed Mr. Longtail established his mark. This is the opinion of Plain Ben Jones, Whirlaway's trainer, who is currently at Hialeah Race Course readying Wasten Wright's string for the January 17 opening.

"It looks like a crumb Stym and Assault will surpass Whirlaway's record next year," said Jones, "but things would have been different if the purses were the same then as they are now."

Jones based his statement on the fact that Hirsch Jacobs' Stymie is a scant \$15,000 behind Whirlaway's all time mark of \$50,161 and one victory under the present scale would surpass the record.

In recent years practically all of the important stakes have been increased in value. The records drawn Plain Ben. Why, the Triple Crown alone is worth close to \$100,000 to the winner and when Whirly won the Kentucky Derby, Preakness and Belmont Stakes they amounted to just half that.

Jones pointed out that almost every stake that Whirlaway won has been raised. The Pimlico Special only added \$10,000 to the bankroll in 1942 while the present value is \$25,000; Garden State's Tenor Handicap has been raised from \$10,000 to \$50,000; the Dixie Handicap, Booklyn Handicap, Walden Stakes, The Dwyer, The Classic, American Derby and the Narragansett Special have all gone into the higher brackets.

Whirlaway won all these events. Jones figures that under the present scale Whirlaway's earnings would have reached the \$100,000 mark.

Assault, Horse of the Year, is also within striking distance of the Whirlaway standard.

"I'm not trying to take anything away from Assault," said Jones. "He's a great horse and set a record of over \$100,000 as a three-year-old. Whirly would have won about \$50,000 more for his three-year-old season."

The war time restrictions on racing also cost Whirlaway thousands of dollars in purses, said Jones. Shipped to Santa Anita in 1941 for the \$100,000 Handicap, the shutdown forced him to remain idle all winter. The ban on shipping horses kept him out

COACHING VET

By Jack Sordis



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SPORTS LAUGH

By Associated Press

Calumet Farm still has a horse in their barn which might retain money winning honors for the stables. He is the durable Armadillo. The five-year-old gelding was recently named handicap champion of 1946 in the Jockey Club poll. After the Narragansett Special he was retired for the balance of the year. Jones has put him back in training and if he shows anything like his old form will be nominated for the \$25,000 Michigan Handicap and the \$50,000 Widener. He could be flown to Santa Anita for the \$100,000 handicap. Victories in all three of these events would retain the crown for the Warren Wright stable.

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Pompano Market Is Slated To Break Seasonal Record

JACK SONVILE, Dec. 11. (Special)—The Pompano State Farmers' Market appears slated to break another seasonal record this Fall, shipments in one three-day period last week totaling 171 cars.

Produce moving from the Pompano Market is far ahead of any past seasons. Market Manager J. L. Warren estimates that the peak of production will be reached about December 20, three weeks earlier than ever before.

The strawberry movement from the Plant City State Farmers' Market increased nicely during the last week, reporting 31,715 pints for the reporting period.

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State Farmers' Market as expected to continue through December, though the peak of the season was passed a week ago.

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Four Senators Ask Labor To Propose Laws

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Knowland of California agreed with Flanders although he would not hazard a guess on the outcome of such suggestions from Labor leaders.

Democratic Senators Edwin Johnson of Colorado and John McClellan of Arkansas were also in agreement with Flanders on certain points of his argument. Senator McClellan, however, expressed some doubt as to the suggestions Labor leaders would give. He says previous suggestions of reform proposals on strike legislation has aroused much opposition in Labor circles.

Senator Johnson said he did not believe Labor will oppose offering suggestions. He said Labor leaders will have constructive and worthwhile ideas on the subject. Johnson maintained that responsible Labor leaders recognize the fact that strikes—such as the soft coal walkout which tied up the nation for 17 days—must be averted in the future.

Meanwhile, the Labor spotlight has now swung to the CIO. The CIO plans to make public a study by Robert Nathan, an economic consultant, on increased living costs. The CIO plans to use the study as a bolus in its current drive for postwar pay boosts.

Attorneys for John L. Lewis and the government have agreed to a truce in any further legal battles in lower courts. The truce will stay in effect until ten days after the Supreme Court gives a decision on the United Mine Workers appeal against the levying of contempt fines against the union and Lewis.

J. H. Huddleston Funeral Services Held At Geneva

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his oldest daughter, Mrs. Yerkes, he is survived by another daughter, Mrs. Estee G. Baxter of Gainesville, and one son, John Fletcher Huddleston, who is a high ranking official of the United States State Department, and who is now stationed in or near Rome, Italy. Nine grandchildren, including Rev. Yerkes, and two great-grandchildren survive him.

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The compromise proposal is said to have been urged by Assembly President Paul Henri Spaak. The Big Three representatives sitting on the eight-nation drafting committee on disarmament have accepted the suggestion. They agreed to report to their chiefs and then to give the result of their consultations to the 20-nation disarmament subcommittee at 3:00 P. M. today.

Winchell Recalls Last Wishes Of Runyon

MIAMI, Dec. 11, (AP)—Walter Winchell, the New York columnist and an intimate friend of Damon Runyon, who died last night, said the writer's last wish was that his body be cremated and his ashes strewn over Manhattan from an airplane piloted, preferably, by his friend, Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker.

Winchell added that originally, Runyon expressed the wish that his ashes be scattered over Dade county (Miami) but later changed his mind.

"He loved Dade county, but Manhattan was his beat," Winchell said and the columnist added he is undecided whether to complete a movie on which he had been collaborating with Runyon, called "Proceed With Caution," as a memorial to Runyon. "I don't know what I'm going to do."

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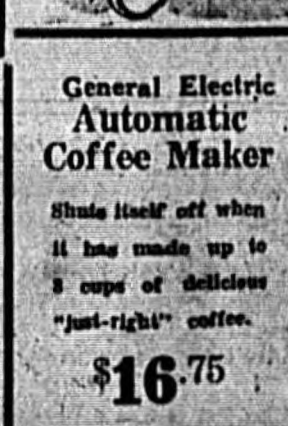
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Cloudy with scattered showers and
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8 Are Killed, 35 Trapped In Gotham Fire

Tenement Is Wrecked When Explosion In Adjacent Building Starts Fire Raging

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—(A7)—The number of persons trapped in a wrecked Manhattan tenement house is now estimated at more than 30. Eight persons are known dead in the disaster, and rescue workers are carefully digging through the debris in search of other victims.

There is no sign of life from the pile of bricks and rubble that used to be a building housing 24 families. The tenement was wrecked when fire broke out in an unused ice house next door, and a wall of the ice house collapsed on the tenement.

Police have revealed that four boys have admitted starting a fire in the ice house yesterday afternoon. But the authorities say that so far as can be determined at this time, there is no connection between the earlier blast and the fire which later resulted in the disaster.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—(A7)—At least eight persons have been killed and 24 injured in an explosion that wrecked an upper Manhattan tenement early today. An unknown number of persons are still believed buried in the wreckage, and about 40 persons are reported missing.

The explosion occurred during a fire in an unused ice-house adjacent to the apartment building at West 124th Street and Amsterdam Avenue. The blast ripped out one wall of the burning ice-house and knocked down a wall of the tenement.

The dead include a city fireman, Frank Moorehead, an 11-year-old boy, Anthony Blancardi, and Daniel Corrado 24 years old. Blancardi and Corrado were occupants of the tenement. Moorehead and young Blancardi died after being taken out of the wreckage. Corrado was dead when found.

Six other persons have been removed from the huge heap of rubble. Police say that at least 40 persons are still missing, including a mother and her three children. Some of the missing are presumed pinned in the wreckage and believed to be firemen.

The tenement building was virtually sheared in half. The pile of debris rose to the second floor level.

The mother and three children believed trapped in the wrecked building had been turned in. Fire Commissioner Quigley and Police Commissioner Walfender also were at the scene.

The mayor said he had directed the police, fire commissioners and housing authorities to get the facts of the disaster and general conditions before the fire broke out.

Fire Marshal Thomas Brophy said that the cause of the explosion in the ice house had not been determined. However, he said that a small rubbish blaze had been extinguished three late yesterday afternoon. The next morning a reported fire brought 25 fire companies and a number of ambulances to the scene.

A boy who was taken out of the wreckage was identified by neighbors as Joseph Poppe, Jr., nine years old. He was suffering from scalp lacerations and a doctor and fireman who looked over him had treated his extreme courage. The fireman asked, "Was there anybody else in there with you?" The boy's voice was weak from crying and shouting, but he was able to reply: "My brother and my sister." His parents were not accounted for and neighbors feared that they too are missing.

As the desperate effects of the explosion continued, the boy's face was bloody and swollen, but he was able to smile when firemen finally managed to pull him out from the debris. Young Joseph then was taken to Vanderbilt Clinic.

Scott Gallowsy, 18 year old son of Mrs. J. Q. Gallowsy, suffered a broken nose while taking gymnastics at Seminoles High school yesterday morning, and after being given emergency treatment by Dr. C. L. Park, was taken to Orlando for further treatment by Dr. Henry Padgett. Scott was brought back to his home at 118 Poplar Avenue this morning.

He'd Rather Stay And Picket



A PROTESTING PICKET is dragged to the patrol wagon by police after a demonstration at the entrance of the struck Allis-Chalmers plant in West Allis, Milwaukee, Wis. Bricks flew and badges were ripped off policemen's uniforms in a wild half-hour fight between 1,500 pickets and 800 policemen, who arrested twenty-five strikers. (International)

Half Of Plan To Reduce World's Arms Is Approved

Program Adopted Must Be Okeyed By General Assembly

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—(A7)—A United Nations sub-committee suddenly turned on the speed today and approved the first half of a plan on world arms reduction. Two new provisions were voted into the draft by the committee. Here they are: 1)—A requirement that any program adopted by the Security Council must be approved by a special session of the General Assembly. 2)—A condition that any arms reduction program must provide for the control of atomic energy to the extent necessary to see that it is used only for peaceful purposes.

The Big Four foreign ministers are all set to wind up their affairs today in New York City, completing the first phase of historic peace talks following World War II. Treaties now have been completed for Italy, Finland and the Balkan satellites of Germany and will be signed in Paris in February. The foreign ministers' deputies will meet in London next month to begin preliminary discussions of the German and Austrian peace treaties, while the big four themselves will meet again until March when they gather in Moscow.

Meanwhile, Secretary of State James Byrnes is planning to enter the stalemate United Nations effort for a world program of arms reduction and a troop census. Byrnes plans to enter the UN discussions today in what is described as an 11th-hour attempt to salvage this part of the UN program for international peace and order.

Elsewhere on the UN front, the committee to select a permanent site for the world organization is working overtime today as a result of a surprise offer of an \$8,500,000 headquarters site in New York.

The offer has been made by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., who has told the committee he has only a 30-day option on the property. The proposed gift site is located in the mid-Manhattan area on the East River. Chief American delegate Warren Austin has told the UN site committee the Rockefeller offer has American support and is the best site he has heard of personally.

Open Stairways Are Banned For Disaster

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 12.—(A7)—A national fire authority today blamed the Wincock Hotel disaster in Atlanta last week-end on the existence of unenclosed stairways which were likened to a great chimney without a brick enclosure.

Speaking to a group of city and state fire prevention authorities in New Orleans, Assistant Chief Engineer A. C. Hutson of the National Board of Fire Underwriters said the protection of vertical openings in hotels and other public buildings was the basic answer to the hazard of fire.

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Leon Blum Is Elected Head Of France

Veteran Politician To Serve As Head Of Republic Until Mid- dle Of January

PARIS, Dec. 12.—(A7)—A veteran French politician, Socialist Leon Blum, today was elected president - premier of the interim French government. Blum will serve until the middle of January, when a permanent government is to be established. Vote tabulars said the national assembly gave Blum about 576 ballots. The 74-year-old leader needed only 310 ballots for an absolute majority.

Blum's first job will be to get all parties to agree on a program. He declines also to decide whether the Rightist parties should be included in the cabinet.

Tax Reduction, National Debt Raise Issues

By ASSOCIATED PRESS

The men of Capitol Hill are debating their throats for what promises to be one of the biggest sessions in the coming Congress. Lining up on one side are the proponents of tax reduction and on the other side are those who believe the national debt should be cut down first.

The debt reduction advocates point out that interest payments alone on the debt are \$5,000,000,000 a year. That more than the government took in each year from all revenue sources before the war. So these men say cut down the debt by every dollar possible right now while people still have money. This group says a recession later on could very well upset our economic apple-cake.

The other side argues that the budget can't be balanced next year something paid off on the debt and taxes reduced at the same time. They say a cut in taxes could even increase our national percent deficit on across the board in personal income taxes.

The House Republican Steering Committee backs up its contention that tax rates can be cut and greater government revenue derived by referring to the Republican record in the 1920's. Tax rates were reduced four times during that decade which coincided with a boom in business and economic growth all out for new records. The result was increased tax collections and the national debt was reduced 20 1/2 percent, approximately \$1,000,000,000 a year for 10 years.

But the chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, Clarence Cannon of Missouri, does not believe taxes can be cut and a sizeable payment be made on our huge debt at the same time. That can be paid, he says, is \$200,000,000,000. Cannon wants Congress to stipulate by law that \$3,000,000,000 must be lopped off the national debt each year before there are any tax cuts. He feels tax reductions might ease today's public tax burden only to make it tougher for the next generation.

Others in this group look at the 1920's tax collections of \$1,000,000,000 in a boom year. That is \$1,000,000,000 less than the annual interest on the national debt now. They say these are flush times and people can afford to pay taxes toward reducing our national obligations.

But the tax cutters contend that government levies have already reached the point of diminishing returns. They quote Andrew Mellon, secretary of the Treasury in 1921, that high taxes tend to stop business transactions that would normally go through, and discourage wealthy men from taking risks incidental to the development of new business.

Grocery Store Adds Mirrors, New Lights

The Margaret-Ann Grocery, in line with its new beautification program, has installed an attractive vegetable display counter with reflecting mirrors and concealed lighting. Another innovation is a loud speaker system which is used to announce special sales.

Manager Joe Saunders announced that sales of the store will be kept clear and that side-walk displays will be kept at a minimum in front of the store. No unsightly boxes or crates will be left on the sidewalk, he said.

Minden, Germany, the headquarters of the Joint Anglo-American Economic Control group for the Reich, was a busy trading post as far back as the times of Charlemagne.

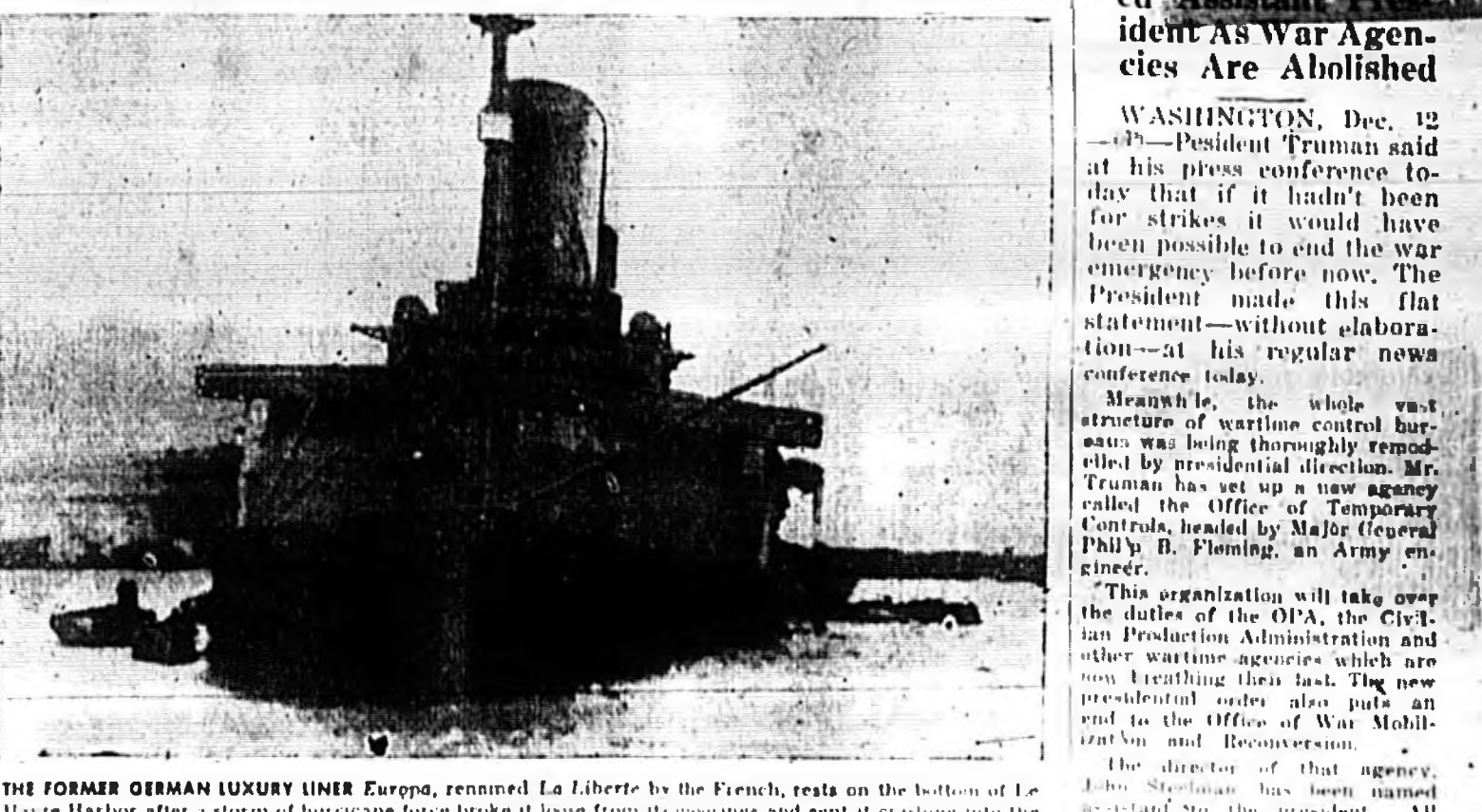
Civic Music Report To Be Made Tonight

All reports of workers on the Civic Concert series membership program are requested to be in by 8:00 o'clock this evening, according to Miss Katherine Brock, director. This will mark the final time that tickets can be sold for the concert series.

The check up on sales reported yesterday was extremely good, said Miss Brock, and she revealed that many workers have not as yet reported their sales. Response is excellent from outlying communities, including Casselberry, Deland and Longwood, she said and predicted that this county will have an extremely fine Civic Music Association.

President Blames Strikes For Delay In Production

Luxury Liner "Europa" Sitting In The Mud



THE FORMER GERMAN LUXURY LINER Europa, renamed La Liberté by the French, rests on the bottom of Le Havre Harbor after a storm of hurricane force broke it loose from its moorings and sent it crashing into the concrete bulk of the French liner Paris, tearing a gaping hole in the starboard side. This view is from the bow and was made after tugs succeeded in virtually righting the 49,740-ton ship. (International Radiophoto)

Tourist Club Is Organized At Meeting At Tourist Center

A Sanford tourist society, with Mrs. Clifford Earle as temporary chairman and Carl R. Eisenhower of Williamsport, Pa., as acting secretary, was formed last evening at the Tourist Center when a number of water guests met with a number of local citizens and representatives of civic clubs, according to E. M. Armitage, tourist entertainment director.

It was decided to hold weekly meetings on Monday nights at the center and much entertainment is being planned for the guests, the first program of which will be presented at 7:30 o'clock next Monday evening under direction of Mrs. W. B. Brinson of Sanford. On Thursday evening, the Semolee High School Office Club under direction of Miss Olive Hester, will entertain with a special Christmas program of songs.

The object of the club will be not only get together meetings for our winter guests, said Mr. Armitage, but also that local people may enjoy supper, games, boat trips, shuffleboard, card parties and other recreational activities.

The meeting last evening was opened by Chairman of Commerce Manager Edward Higgins, Paul Stine and Leo R. Lesher represented the Rotary Club; Mr. Higgins, Mr. Armitage and Edward F. Lane represented the Chamber of Commerce; Jack Rutigan, the Junior Chamber of Commerce; Mrs. Sybil South and Miss Edna Chittenden, the American Legion Auxiliary, and Thomas W. Jones and A. C. Madden were representatives of the Shuffboard Court Club.

Present were Mrs. Earle, Mrs. Brinson, Mrs. Frank Lesker, Mrs. Mary Frances Smith, Mrs. Elizabeth Hegen, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hawthorne, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watson, Edward F. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Schwandt, Mr. and Mrs. Carl R. Eisenhower, Mrs. Viola Stahl, Bert Coss, Arthur Moore Henry, Mr. and Mrs. William M. Weimer, Thomas W. Jones, Howard E. Nutt, Mrs. E. Holly, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Armitage, H. Long and William Eckhardt.

Jaycees Sponsor Program To Honor Outstanding Man Community Service Will Be The Basis Of Local Awards

The Jaycees will sponsor a part of a nation-wide program of honor a member of a community club, an award which will be presented to the young man in Sanford at the end of 1947 who has given outstanding service to the community, it was announced by President Jack Rutigan at the Jaycee meeting today at Motor Inn.

In addition, there will be awarded to the members of the Jaycee group who each month are pledged to have given the best service to the community. The award for the year will not be conferred to members of the Jaycees and Jayettes.

Members of the organization were requested by President Rutigan to bid the newly formed Sanford Tourist Club in providing interesting entertainment for visitors, welcoming them, aiding them in arranging accommodations and in attending their Monday evening meetings at the Tourist Center.

Work on the new tourist club at Park Avenue and Second Street is expected to start as soon as subcontracting bids are in hand.

Gene Tucker urged members to secure tickets for the Civic Center program today, and suggested purchase of tickets for employees or friends as Christmas gifts.

Plans are being made by the board of directors of the Jaycees to attend the Azalea Festival in Palatka, it was announced by Mr. Rutigan.

Guests were Eddie Jensen, manager of the Sanford House, Mr. Leyley, Charles Volovich of the Henderson Realty Co. and Guy Allen, who after Jan. 1, will manage the Central Service Station at the southeast corner of Park Avenue and Second Street and which will be owned by Bradley Oilham, Gulf products dealer.

250 People From 42 Firms Attend Courtesy Clinic

Civic Leaders See U. S. Engineers On River Deepening

At least 250 business and professional men and employees, representing more than 42 firms and organizations, attended the recent Courtesy Clinic conducted by Vernon T. Grizzard at the Tourist Center, according to Mrs. Gladys Eaton, secretary to Mr. Grizzard.

City employees, numbered about 41, attended the lectures given for them yesterday and this afternoon.

Firms and groups which participated in the Courtesy Clinic include the following: Touchton Drug, Roumfillat and Andersons, Sanford Paint and Glass Co., Winn Lovett Stores, Peninsular Life Insurance Co., The Sanford Herald, The Orlando Sentinel, Chase and Company, Mathes Furniture Company, City School teachers, H. B. Pope Co., Crown Paper Co., Office Machine Co., Bender Real Estate, George Stone Machine Co., Lucie's Beauty Salon, Central Foods of Florida, Robb's Bakery, General Food Sales Co., Roberts Grocery, McCarty's.

Other groups participating were: Hill Hardware Co., Holly-wood Shop, Yowells, Celery City Printing Co., Mayfair Inn, H. J. Gut Life Insurance, Florida Power and Light Co., Strickland Motors, B. L. Perkins, Florida State Bank, Sanford Atlantic National Bank, Holler Motor Sales, City of Sanford, Andrew Caraway Agency, Sanford Credit Association, Ivey Rhoe Store, Erickson Funeral Home, Kader Jewelry, J. C. Hutchison and Co. and Haynes and Williams Furnitures.

A forest service report on fires for the year 1945 estimates total timber and property damage at \$26,726,918.

Rotarians Will Hear Astrologer Monday

Judging from letters of commendation from numerous Rotary, Kiwanis, Optimist and other clubs throughout the nation, members of the Rotary Club are due to enjoy a program that combines humor with inspiration and Astrological revelation when they meet Monday noon at the Tourist Center to hear Franklin C. Doyle, lecturer and humorist.

Andrew Caraway, city commissioner and insurance agent is the Rotarian in charge of program arrangements. Wrote a Jacksonville Times reporter: "Roars and shouts of laughter greeted the speaker, Franklin C. Doyle, concerning those born under the different signs of the Zodiac. Many of them received the good-humored gibes of their fellow clubmen."

\$100,000 Fund Given To Childrens Home

The Florida Methodist Childrens Home at Enterprise, which is directed by the Rev. Harold Barnes, has been granted \$100,000 of J. C. Penny Company stock as part of a near-million dollar gift to the Methodist Church and its institutions.

The donor is R. H. Gilbert, 73 year old St. Petersburg man, a steward in the St. Petersburg Methodist Church, and a retired manager of the J. C. Penny store at Ardmore, Okla.

Part contributions to the church, according to Dr. Harry H. Waller, Methodist superintendent for the Tampa district, include \$50,000 and a gymnasium to Florida Southern College at Lakeland; a \$385,000 building and property for a hospital and \$100,000 in cash to the Oklahoma Methodist Foundation. He also gave the Ardmore Methodist Church, \$50,000.

Steelman Is Appointed Assistant Ident As War Agencies Are Abolished

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—President Truman said at his press conference today that if it hadn't been for strikes it would have been possible to end the war emergency before now. The President made this flat statement—without elaboration—at his regular news conference today.

Meanwhile, the whole vast structure of wartime control bureaus was being thoroughly reorganized by presidential direction. Mr. Truman has set up a new agency called the Office of Temporary Controls, headed by Major General Philip B. Fleming, an Army engineer.

This organization will take over the duties of the OPA, the Civilian Production Administration and other wartime agencies which are now shutting their last. The new presidential order also puts an end to the Office of War Mobilization and Reconstruction.

The director of that agency, John Steelman, has been named assistant to the president. All this was announced at the President's news conference today. He also told reporters that he has no intention of seeking re-election.

Washington, Dec. 12.

President Truman ordered a complete reorganization of the entire war emergency set-up in Washington today. He revealed at his news conference that he has abolished the War Mobilization and Reconstruction Office, and named John R. Steelman as assistant to the President.

In addition, the President has set up an agency called the Office of Temporary Controls, which will take over the functions of the OPA, Civilian Production Administration and the Office of Economic Stabilization and will be headed by Major General Philip B. Fleming.

Mr. Truman also named Raymond M. Foley as Housing Administrator, and made it clear that the Administration has no intention of abandoning rent controls.

Mr. Truman also announced the appointment of a general advisory committee to the Young Men's Christian Association on military and technical matters. The advisory committee will be headed by President James B. Conant of Harvard University.

Local Youths Offer Blood In Accident

Rapid appeal for blood donors of type "O" which is necessary to aid in saving the lives of accident victims of the automobile smashup that yesterday resulted in a fatal injury to four Orlando youths, brought a response from local youths, William David Harlan and Rudolph Walters of Sanford.

The two men were sent from The Herald office to Jack Rutigan at Plymouth Motors Company. Mr. Rutigan was unable to contact blood bank headquarters in Orlando by telephone, so the two young men decided to go there themselves, and to see if their type of blood is acceptable.

William Harlan is EM 2/c, U.S.N.R., served with a repale unit in the Philippines and New Guinea; Rudolph Walters as MM 3/c, U.S.N.R., was stationed at the Miami Naval Air Station.