

### Tennessee's Harmonica System Will Show Up In Sugar Bowl

By WILLARD YARBOROUGH AP Features

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 15—A smooth orchestra on the players' bench would make Tennessee's Volunteers feel at ease next Sugar Bowl Day at New Orleans. For half a century, Tennessee has been perfectly with Tennessee's unique offensive, which stresses rhythm and more rhythm.

The Tennessee system, as developed by former head coach Col. Bob Neyland, who learned his football as a West Pointer, involves tricky reverses that necessitate split-second timing for execution. Without this timing, or rhythm, the Volunteer ground attack is nil.

Coach John Barnhill, who learned this system as a Tennessee player and later succeeded Col. Neyland when the latter entered the Army two years ago, is a fundamentalist too. He stresses Tennessee, as Tulane University will learn New Year's Day, relies mainly on its running attack to produce the necessary yardage. This ground game yields to aerial attacks only when the rhythm falls to open holes in the forewell of the opposition, or when blocking is weak.

"Our main weapon is the running attack," Barnhill declared. "This offensive football has always paid touchdown dividends and we have no reason to change our tactics at this stage of the game."

Tennessee is powerful in the air too, as many strong opponents learned the past season. Fordham and Louisiana State boasted passing acts in Steve Filipowicz and Alvin Dark, respectively, but the Volunteers handled sufficiently to beat both at their own game.

The two-team system, which makes Tennessee somewhat invulnerable in itself, has been carried over to Neyland's Virginia. This year there is but little difference in the Vols' first and second teams. One is just as powerful as the other on the offensive, with the first stringers carrying the stronger on the defense. The teams usually alternate each quarter.

Bobby Clifers, a Tennessee native, who currently leads the nation's punters in the kicking department with a 42-plus average a try, and Walter Slater, a Yankee from Providence, R. I., alternate at the tailback slot.

Triple-threat Clifers, a dark curly-haired boy with a physique not unlike a Trojan, is the starter. His quick kicks, which incidentally have been used more as an offensive weapon than a defensive one this year, have been surprisingly good. His ball kicking has been short of terrific and his passes aren't at all bad.

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The Volunteers are replete with backfield men and there isn't enough difference among them to start an argument about them. There's Lawrence (Red) Zontini, sophomore of Whitesville, W. Va., and Soph William (Bill) Hillman of Kane, Pa., whose names are synonymous with 30, 40 and 50 yard runs.

William Meek, senior from Birmingham, Ala., and Charles Mitchell, St. Albans, W. Va., share the quarterback post. William (Bill) Nowling, senior from St. Petersburg, Fla., usually starts at the fullback slot, yielding to either Piledriver Clyde (Ig) Fuson, 212 pound Middleboro, Ky., boy, or William Gold, a junior from Brockton, Mass. Jim Gaffney, Cumberland, Md., speedster, is the starting wingback.

### Colliers 53rd All-America Grid Team Announced

NEW YORK, Dec. 15, (Special)—Selections for Collier's 53rd annual All-America football team, a perpetuation of the All-American started by Walter Camp in Collier's Weekly in 1889, were announced today. They are:

Ends: Donald Curran, Boston College; David Schreiner, Wisconsin.  
Tackles: Richard Wildung, Minnesota; Robby Olds, Army.  
Guards: Lindell Houston, Ohio State; Julius Franks, Michigan. Center: Joseph Domnanovich, Alabama.

Quarterback: William Hiltbrand, Indiana.  
Halfbacks: Frank Rinkwich, Georgia; Paul Governal, Columbia.  
Fullback: Michael Holovak, Boston College.

The squad from which the Collier's All-America is chosen is made up from nominations by ten veteran football writers covering all sections of the country, who have earned the respect of both coaches and fans. Their idea is not to pick a team that might beat some rival line-up but to reward those who have contributed most, those who have shown the greatest all-around ability.

In view of the closeness of the vote for many of the positions on the team, Collier's this year publishes the nominations made by each of the judges, in addition to the final choices.

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### Hutson Is Sure, Guarded Player Of Pro Football

By DILLON GRAHAM AP Features Sports Editor

NEW YORK, Dec. 15, Don Hutson is perhaps the only player in football who is thoroughly guarded on every play. Most teams assign two players to watch his every step—and even then they seldom are successful. He is almost as valuable to the Green Bay Packers as a decoy, as he is as a pass catcher.

As one rival coach mused, Hutson is football's No. 1 unsolved problem. No matter what defense you set up against him, he'll score against you. Up to this year, New York was the only team that had held him scoreless on passes. Don decided to shatter that jinx. So, when the Packers came to the Polo Grounds a few weeks ago, he not only scored two touchdowns, but he tied the league record for 14 pass receptions in a single game.

The Giants had two men on him—behind him. They figured it was impossible to keep him from catching passes and their job was to tackle him quickly and keep him from scoring. Only near the goal did the Giants concentrate on breaking up the pass.

This slim, tall, almost frail-looking end probably will soon be voted professional football's most valuable player, just as he was in 1941. His performances during the season just ended were perhaps more spectacular than in any of his eight years in the pro game. He broke a record—generally his own—every time he caught a pass.

In his last game against Pittsburgh, he booted a field goal that brought the Packers' triumph. He also kicked three points after touchdowns for a season's total of 33, bettering by two points the old record held by Automatic Jack Manders.

Here are some of the league records Hutson set this year: 138 points scored, 74 passes caught, 17 touchdowns, 1,215 yards gained on passes caught, 14 passes caught in one game, the Don Looney's mark, 72 touchdowns passes caught in his career, 5,530 yards gained in his career, 524 points scored in his career.

The Chicago Bears are the best team in football and George Halas, who coached them last year and part of this season, is perhaps the smartest tutor. In the western division playing for the Chicago Bears in 1941, the Bears had 12 different defenses designed expressly for Hutson. They assigned three men to him.

Hutson brings grief to any man assigned to guard him. He has several speeds or changes of pace. He is a past master of feinting and faking. He catches a football like Tris Speaker use to catch fly balls in the outfield. He can glance over his shoulder, judge the distance of the pass, strike out running, and then stretch his hands out to get the ball at the last second, and just at the right time.

No matter what you do against Hutson, it generally turns out to be wrong. Without him, the Packers probably would have been just another team rather than in the runner up to the Bears in the western division. With all credit to Hutson, part of his success must be attributed to his passer, Cecil Isbell. Isbell is one of the best passers in the league, some say as good as Sammy Baugh, and his accuracy in pitching makes pass catching much easier for Don.

### SEMINOLE COUNTY COURT RECORDS

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Federal Farm Mortgage Corp. vs Fred D. Zerkner et ux. Kus, Joseph A. Tillie Kus vs Paul Florence et ux.

Don is just 29 and probably has several more great years of football in his system. Chances are after he leaves, pro football will move through many a season before his equal is found.

### National League Operation Is Not Affected By War

By SID FEDER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15, (AP)—Professional football's "big show" the National League—decided Monday to continue operations during the war, but failed to hold the regular draft of college players, which annually provides the material to operate with.

In their regular December meeting, a brief affair that lasted less than two hours, the 10 club owners or their representatives voted unanimously to keep right on going, "subject, of course, to whatever regulations or conditions might arise." Yet, they adjourned the meeting without making the usual selection of 200 graduating college players, which is the one reason the class was called.

With about 200 of their players already in military service and more reporting almost daily—even

### Head Coach Ray Flaherty of the newly crowned champion Washington Redskins is heading for the Navy immediately—the outlook is slightly less than rosy. One coach shook his head and asked: "We can vote to operate, but can we?"

As for the draft, the owners pointed out that it could be held during their annual meeting next April. It was pointed out privately, too, that at that time the owners could also change their minds and vote to suspend operations for the duration, a suggestion that at least two of the magnates have made in recent days.

After announcing the "business-as-usual" (for as close to usual-as-possible) decision, League Commissioner Elmer Layden named the 32 players who will make up the all-star loop squad, which will tangle with the Redskins in the "pro bowl" game for the United Seaman's Service in Philadelphia December 27. These performers were recruited from every club in the league, nine of them, from the Chicago Bears whose reign as kings of pro foot-

### ball was ended by the Redskins yesterday with a 14-6 defeat that stands out as the season's most startling upset.

Announcement also was made that each of the Redskins received \$965.39 as his share of the players' pool from yesterday's championship game, which drew a record playoff gate of \$113,266.40.

Notice is hereby given that the final report as Executor of the estate of Harry Milton Papworth, deceased, on this 22nd day of November 1942, is: JUNA LOWMY PAPWORTH, Executor of the estate of HARRY MILTON PAPWORTH, deceased.

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### LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE, SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA. IN RE: ESTATE OF PHOENIX JANE MONTMAGNER WELCH Formerly Phoebe Jane Montmagner, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PHOENIX JANE MONTMAGNER WELCH, the County Judge of Seminole County, Florida, has filed in the court house of said county at Sanford, Florida, within eight calendar months from the time of the first publication of this notice, the claim or demand which she is writing, and shall state the names of residence and post office address of the claimant, and shall be sworn to by the claimant or agent, or attorney, and any such claim or demand not so filed shall be void. JOHN G. LEONARD, As executor of the Last will and Testament of PHOENIX JANE MONTMAGNER WELCH, deceased. First Publication December 14th, 1942.

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By FRAN STRIKER

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—PATRICK HENRY.

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## British Push West Of Old Nazi Line Near El Agheilia

### Germans Retreat At Full Speed And Offer Weak Rear-Guard Resistance

(By Associated Press) Allied planes strafed Marshal Eric Rommel's retreating troops 100 miles beyond the collapsed El Agheilia front while British vanguards pushed west of the old Nazi line, indicating the Germans were retreating at top speed, offering only weak rear-guard resistance. Tunisian reports indicated the long-tailed battle for Tunisia and Bizerta might flare up at any moment.

American and British vanguards probed against outer defenses of the Axis-held cities. United Nations' planes continued to blast enemy positions.

British Imperials paced by a mighty Allied air arm, were reported close on the heels of the Africa Corps in the race for Tripoli last night amid signs that Marshal Erwin Rommel might flee past that port to join the Axis last stand in Tunisia.

Unofficial reports said Rommel already has arrived in Bizerta and taken over command of the Tunisia defense from Gen. Walther Neitzing and Allied reconnaissance was said to have revealed streams of Axis troops moving into Tunisia from western Tripoli. It confirmed three reports would indicate that the Tripoli garrison is being withdrawn and that Rommel intends to abandon the great Axis harbor without a fight.

A British communique reported that the Africa Corps was continuing its headlong flight from El Agheilia and was putting up only a weak rear guard action which the British quickly routed at each contact. The Nazis, however, abandoned the great Axis harbor by means of large numbers of mines which are being methodically cleared by our forward troops, the communique said.

Fighters and fighter bombers, including bomb-fitted American P-40s, raked ahead of the British forward troops and littered the dusty desert road with the wreckage of Rommel's transport and kept his men scrambling for cover. There was virtually no Axis air opposition to the intense strafing and bombing.

Meanwhile American and British planes, stepping up their bombardment to a new peak, made heavy attacks yesterday against Axis Tunisian bases for the fourth straight day as winter rains continued to bog down the ground fighting.

A late dispatch from a United Press correspondent at Allied North African headquarters said the ports of Bizerta, Tunisia, Sfax and Gabes again were battered in the new attacks, which came after dispatch from Cairo said Allied night raiders had scored their heaviest blows yet on the Tunisian strongholds the night of Dec. 12-14.

## Germans Launch Strong Attacks Near Stalingrad

### Red Offensive Rolls Of Moscow West Steadily Along

(Continued from Page One) The German launched full-scale attacks, spearheaded by tanks and planes, to drive an armored wedge into Russian lines southwest of Stalingrad as the Red offensive on the Moscow front rolled steadily through snow-covered forests.

Announcement of the new Soviet successes followed front dispatches and an earlier communique reporting the capture of a dominating height near Velikie Luki on the central front, a fortified village southwest of Stalingrad and a chain of hills northwest of the city.

The two towns west of Rubezh fell to the Russians in stubborn fighting which cost the Germans 400 troops, 14 gun emplacements and 11 pillboxes, the Tuesday midnight communique said.

Soviet forces in another sector west of Rubezh damaged 26 tanks and inflicted heavy losses on the Axis troops, the communique said. Russian artillery fire was credited with destroying several dozen enemy dugouts and silencing nine enemy artillery and mortar batteries along the Rubezh-Vysma railway. Upward of 1000 enemy troops were dispersed and partly wiped out.

Northwest of Stalingrad, some 1000 German troops repeatedly counter-attacked the newly-won Soviet positions, but all were repulsed and the enemy lost five tanks and about 200 officers and men, the communique said.

Soviet troops in a factory district of Stalingrad continued the demolition of enemy fortifications, while in the southern outskirts, Russian big guns knocked out 10 gun emplacements, 11 blockhouses and six guns and killed about 200 soldiers.

Southwest of Stalingrad, the communique said, a sudden Soviet blow on the German flank split off a group of enemy infantry and tanks from the main forces and they are being annihilated.

A Russian motorized unit in another sector of the same front killed "hundreds" of Axis troops and destroyed nine tanks in repulsing fierce counter-attacks.

Two more German planes, three of them transports, were shot down Tuesday on the Stalingrad front.

## U.S. and French Leaders Confer in Africa



American and French army and navy leaders are shown conferring at an undisclosed U.S. headquarters in French North Africa. They are, left to right: Rear Admiral A. G. Bennett, U.S. General Haiseau, of the French African Army; Major General Lloyd Fredendall, commander of the American Central Task Force and Admiral Houtou, of the French naval forces.

## William Weiskopf Addresses Civic Club At Meeting

### States Service Men Enjoy Recreation Of Home Variety

Service men away from home for home life and therefore United Service Organizations have adopted the slogan, "A home away from home," said William Weiskopf, addressing the Kiwanis at luncheon today at the Hotel Mayfair.

Mr. Weiskopf explained that the national USO movement set up to provide men in the armed forces with recreational and social facilities, was sponsored by peace-time organizations, National Catholic Community Service, which is directing the organization here, the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the Y. M. C. A. and the Young Women's Board and the National Army.

It is expected that headquarters will be set up in Sanford in the empty store on East Street, formerly occupied by F. W. Woolworth & Company, he said, adding that the USO organization "was proud to locate in Sanford" (Mr. Weiskopf was introduced by Frank Shames, chairman of the Seminole County Recreation Division). "Many men of this community can assist us in entertaining the service men," Mr. Weiskopf said, "especially by taking them hunting or fishing."

William Alexander Zachary was welcomed to membership in the Kiwanis by O. P. Herndon, who presented him with a lapel pin and card.

President E. C. Harper referred to the winning of the war banner by Boy Scout Troop 5, at their meeting Monday evening at the South Side Primary School. He stated that Scoutmaster Jack Russell and his assistants had done a fine job, and that Kiwanis was proud to be the sponsor of the troop. He also announced that a party for underprivileged children would be held at the regular meeting time next Wednesday in the Hotel Mayfair dining room, and that Dr. H. W. Rucker and Mrs. Julius Dingfelder were in charge of the program.

G. E. McKay proposed that the convention of the State Key Club be held here in March and suggested that the club act on the matter at a later date.

At the request of the local Red Cross, the club voted to supply 15 kit bags, filled with necessities for use of service men about to embark for overseas duty.

Capt. George Woods reported the case of a young lady in need of special treatment according to Dr. H. McCallin, and stated that the matter was being turned over to the underprivileged child committee.

Special notes were Al Brock of the Seminole High School Key Club and Samuel Senator, New York committee member.

**STORM WARNINGS.**  
(By Associated Press) United States weather bureau today warned of heavy disturbances on the Atlantic Coast from Cape Hatteras to Brunswick, Ga., and on the Florida coast from Tampa Bay to Apalachicola. Another warning was made from Orundale, La., to Mexico, Fla.

There are an estimated half-million untrained engineers and scientists in the United States.

## Dr. Scott, Lawyer, Educator Is Residing At Mayfair Hotel

### Cable Messages May Be Sent To Marines Overseas

(ATLANTA, Dec. 16, (Special)) A new service for communists rapidly and inexpensively with Marines stationed overseas is now in effect. It is known as the EPM (Expatiation Force Messages) and it is in effect in any public telegraph, cable or radio office.

From now until Dec. 23, 1942, the service will be available to any person who has a telephone and a radio set. The service will be available to any person who has a telephone and a radio set. The service will be available to any person who has a telephone and a radio set.

Mr. Stevens, who is a cousin of a local man, A. B. Stevens, said that Dr. Scott is enjoying his stay in Florida where the salubrious climate is helping him to regain his health.

## Colonel Washburn Transferred From Benning To Texas

Lieut. Col. Harold Washburn, who until recently was the executive officer of the 12th Infantry Regiment at Fort Benning, Tex., and has been assigned as chief of the infantry law section of the medical school at Camp Hatteras, N. C., was transferred from Benning to Texas.

Mr. Washburn's duties will be instructing medical officer candidates in the organization and employment of medical administration.

Completing 34 years of service in the Army, Col. Washburn is a graduate of the Advanced Course for Field Officers, the Infantry School, class of 1940 and the Command and General Staff Course, Fort Leavenworth, Kas. in 1942. He and Mrs. Washburn are residing at 246 Merchant Street, Abilene, Tex.

## Fred A. Dyson, Jr. Enlists In Air Corps

Fred A. Dyson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Dyson who reside on Twentieth Street, enlisted as an aviation cadet in the United States Army Air Corps Reserve Nov. 4, at Orlando Air Base.

A graduate of Seminole High School in 1941, young Dyson attended the University of Florida where he is a member of Pi Kappa Alpha social fraternity. At the present time he is employed by the Florida Power and Light Company.

## WPA Man Says Relief Problem Will Appear

(ATLANTA, Dec. 16, (AP)—Willard Hutchins, Florida WPA administrator, yesterday predicted here at a meeting of the Southern region of WPA administrators that the stoppage of WPA activities will create a substantial relief problem for the State of Florida.

He said 9,000 are now on WPA rolls in the State and "it is questionable whether over 25 percent can be located in other employment."

"Some of the projects, such as recreation and child protection, we hope will be taken over by local agencies with the use of the Lanham Act funds. We hope the State will take over and operate the school lunch program."

## Endless Bombs Fall On Japs Near Mambare River On New Guinea

### Farmers' Groups Meet To Discuss Labor Situation

### Employment Manager Answers Questions For Local Growers

Faced with the possibility of a shortage of labor necessary to harvest and pack what is termed "the golden crop" of citrus and other fruits, the Sanford Trade Association has produced in many ways, and with crops bringing such meager prices, to put growers back on their feet again.

Representatives of three organizations, the Sanford Trade Association, Citrus and Cattle and Sugar and Cattle, met yesterday afternoon at the City Hall to confer with the employment manager of the United States Department of Labor, Mr. J. H. Lehman, who is in charge of the labor situation in the Sanford area.

Mr. Lehman, manager of the Sanford State Employment Market, stated that according to information given him by State and national agricultural heads, there would be no discrimination in the employment of citrus growers and that he believed that in event labor was needed, it could be sent here from sections of the country having a "surplus" season.

In answer to a question by Mr. Simmons as to housing laborers, Mr. Lehman stated that he would be glad to give to him of the amount of additional labor required, together with wage scales, housing guarantee, and a promise to work the labor for at least 75 percent of the period, indicated allowance being taken for off days due to weather conditions and other factors. Representatives of the three organizations agreed unanimously to these proposals and made estimates of required labor, and were assured by Mr. Simmons that the government employment service would immediately make a farm labor survey to locate workers not now actively employed.

Present at the meeting were: Mr. L. Cullum and T. W. Jones of Chase and Company; A. D. Abrams, W. W. Scott and Ted Wathen of American Fruit Growers Inc.; Walter Mewing and Tom Meredith of the Sanford-Orlando Truck growers; Leo Rutter, president of the Seminole County Farm Bureau and Henry Thurston, also of the local business community; Edward Higgins, secretary of the Seminole County Chamber of Commerce; H. J. Lehman, County Agent; Dawson, Police Chief; H. G. Williams, Sheriff; C. M. Hand and Mr. Simmons.

### Duten 'Fuehrer'



Anton A. Duten, the Quoting of Holland and head of the San party, that occupied country last night. He is the "Fuehrer" of the San party, that occupied country last night.

### Men May Enlist In Armed Forces At Local Boards

(By Associated Press) Men in the Sanford area may enlist in the armed forces at local draft boards, according to a statement by the War Relocation Authority.

The statement said that the draft boards are now open for enlistment in the armed forces. The draft boards are now open for enlistment in the armed forces.

### Land Troops Assault Enemy's Remaining Buna Section Shore Positions

(By Associated Press) MacArthur's New Guinea forces ceaselessly bombed Japanese forces lodged in a new foothold near the mouth of the Mambare River, while land troops exerted heavy pressure over the invaders' dwindling Buna area shore positions. Allied artillery also pounded the Japanese positions.

### Sanford Shriners Will Be Hosts To Visiting Members

(By Associated Press) The Sanford Shrine Club will be the hosts to visiting members of the club from other parts of the country.

### Program Announced For 'Ladies Night' Of Rotary Club

(By Associated Press) The Rotary Club of Sanford has announced a program for "Ladies Night" on Wednesday, December 16th.

The program will consist of a dinner at 6:00 o'clock, followed by a social hour. The menu will consist of roast lamb and pork, bushy pork, hopped John, Sanford style bowl, pickles, olives and coffee and sweet potato pone.

Mrs. Roland Dean will be the principal speaker on the program and will have as her subject "The Beaten Path in Florida." The following pupils of Miss Marjorie Cogburn's dancing class will also entertain:

Peggy Pippin, singing and dancing "Winter Wonderland"; Nancy Kurka and Allayne McNeill in the "Waltz of Flowers" from the "Niteracker Suite"; Norma Jean Sayer, dancing "White Christmas";

Also on the program will be Joan Antrim, singing "Hearts Should Be Warm at Christmas"; Melba Frederick and Joan Embury in a duet; "Oh, Lovely Christmas Star"; Melba Frederick, singing "I'm All the Santa at Our House"; Community singing will be led by Charles Morrison with Harry Kuhl at the piano.

Officers of the Sanford Naval Air Station and their wives have been invited as-honor guests.

## W. G. Fleming Is Lieutenant In Army

W. G. Fleming, who has lived in Sanford for the past eight years, has been commissioned a first lieutenant in the Army and is now stationed at Camp Blanton, attached to the 76th Battalion. He served in France during the last war as captain in the infantry.

Lieut. Fleming was commanding officer of the national guard unit at Cordele, Ga. for 14 years and while he lived here, he was employed by Strickland Motors, Inc. Mrs. Fleming, who is an election teacher and their son, Billy, a member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, will remain here.

## President Of Bethune Negro School Retires

(DAYTONA BEACH, Dec. 16, (AP)—Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune, founder and for 31 years president of the Bethune Cookman College here, resigned yesterday and the board of trustees named Prof. James A. Colston, 33-year-old director of Ballard College, Mason, Ga., as her successor.

She also named Dr. Bethune president emerita of Bethune Cookman, but she said the title was merely honorary and she would have no further direct connection with administration of the negro institution.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, a trustee of Bethune Cookman College, wired approval of the change, Dr. Bethune said.

## 65 Killed In Fire

(BOSTON, Dec. 16, (AP)—Boston's third disastrous fire in a month today sent more than 65 firemen and coast guardsmen to hospitals. It also wrecked a five-story brick armory building in the shopping district. The loss was estimated at possibly \$1,000,000.

## Lieutenant Gillon Is Jap Prisoner

Lieut. Jack Allen Gillon, son of J. M. Gillon, who was reported missing in action by the War Department several months ago, was captured by the Japanese in the Philippines, according to a telegram received by his relatives from the War Department. Lieut. Gillon was in the Pacific Army Air Force.

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WEDNESDAY, DEC. 16, 1942.

WE TOO CAN SIT DOWN

IN THE BREAKFAST ROOM,
THEY ARE HAVING THEIR
MESSAGES AND HAVE FEL-
LOWSHIP WITH THEM, BUT
NONE SO INTIMATELY AS
WITH THE INCOMPARABLE
WAXMEN.

BIBLE VERSE FOR TODAY

MOST OF ALL,
(From The Christian Science
Monitor)
Let me walk over the Downs
again
When the wind from the ocean's
blowing.

Don't forget to give your con-
tribution to the Christmas Seal
Fund for tuberculosis victims.

"Praise the Lord and Pass the
Ammunition" is said to be giving
way in popularity to a new tune
from the South Pacific, "I
Left My Gal on Guadalcanal."

We see where Janet Bush, bus-
on mezzo-soprano concert singer,
practices with birds. That's the
way we got our start. The
trouble with us is we started with
screech owls.

According to Admiral Stirling,
the Japs will attack Russia next
summer. If the Germans hadn't
busted their nose on the Stalin-
grad front the Japs would have
attacked Russia this fall.

Substantial wage increases have
been promised West Coast air-
craft workers. That's fine for
them, but what we can't see is
how you can keep on raising wa-
ges without blowing the lid off
selling prices.

Leut. John Kleinman, son of
Mrs. Jessie Kleinman, formerly of
Sanford, now living in Thailand,
is visiting his mother. He has
just returned from a tour of duty
in the Solomon which embraced
the original landing on Guadal-
canal.

The State of Florida received
\$2,800,000 from horse racing last
winter. If horse racing should be
banned or discontinued this win-
ter, there would be another size-
able chunk of State revenue gone
to the same place where gasoline
tax revenues are rapidly going.

Just because a man has money
is no assurance that he is a suc-
cessful investor. We know a local
fellow who is willing to carry any
body who has a million. —The
Herald Star — Advocate. Hear-
dville. Think of what a time she'd
have trying to cure his indiges-
tion.

We won't object to meat ration-
ing if they just won't make us
have meat, says the Sanford
Herald. We'd even eat horse meat
in a pinch—just so long as it
was some of that horse de com-
mand. —Miami Post. Well, it may
be, but we get through with
that.

Reports that about the time
they and Navy decided old
times at St. Pete were over
they were through the war.
—General and Admiral
—Miami Post. Regardless of who
decides, the Herald prints a line
of it as usually as old as he

Manpower Shortage

It is becoming increasingly evident that many women
who have never taken life more seriously than is evident
at an afternoon bridge party are going to have to go to
work if a complete breakdown of many essential, though
not exactly war industries, is to be avoided.

Although it is open to considerable dispute whether
there is today an actual labor shortage and there is un-
doubtedly some truth in the assertion that if all men were
willing to do a full day's work six days a week there would
be no need for recruiting women, still the fact remains that
under present day conditions private enterprise is facing a
critical manpower crisis.

Hotels are closing because they are unable to secure
bell boys, elevator boys, and chamber maids. Restaurants,
cafes and other public eating places are practically eliminat-
ing service because they cannot get cooks and waitresses.
Cleaning and pressing establishments complain that they
are forced to use common untrained labor to operate intri-
cate pressing machines.

Almost every business establishment you go into con-
fesses the same difficulty. Stores are unable to get suffi-
cient properly trained clerks to wait on the public. Women
who would be glad to relieve this situation to some extent
are unable to do so because they cannot get maids to do
the cooking and look after the children. Grown boys who
could help some to their own benefit and that of the public
are prohibited from doing so by Child Labor laws.

In this emergency a spirit of tolerance and understand-
ing on the part of the public will go a long way toward
alleviating this situation. It does no good to hawl out the
waiter when he spills some hot soup down your collar.
He probably never waited on a table before in his life. And
too, when the carrier boy leaves your paper a half a block
from your front door, remember that carrier boys these
days are at a premium.

But to get back to the point of this editorial. Folks
who are not now working and who are able to work, are
slackers on the home front if they spend all their time
frivolously away their time and complaining about the poor
service they are getting in the local grocery store or at the
filling station. And at those same establishments men and
women may be working until 12 o'clock at night so that
the doors can remain open at all.

In this war everybody has got to get in there and
pitch. Not everyone can join the Army or Navy. But
everyone can do his bit in one way or another. It isn't a
question of whether you need the money, or how much does
the job pay. It's a matter of winning the war and whipping
the socks off Hitler and Hirohito. We can't do it if local
business falls through lack of manpower to carry on.

Everyone has got to help.

Tires Next Year?

Jesse Jones, secretary of commerce, is credited with
the statement that artificial rubber production may reach
1,000,000 tons a year by the end of 1943. That is just a
little more than a year from now. Production in normal
times was estimated at two-thirds of that.

On the basis of his statement, many people with tires
in pretty good condition may decide to drive about as usual.
If so, they will be making a serious mistake. It will be
remembered that some of Secretary Jones' estimates in the
past have been too optimistic. And in the present case,
there is going to be an unprecedented demand for rubber
as production nears normal again.

That demand will come not only from the driving pub-
lic, but from the army, whose supplies are being used up
fast and whose needs grow continually. It might take at
least two years for private motorists without priorities to
replace their present tires. Better be careful, drive slowly
and watch every mile.

Treason

Treason trials have been a great rarity in this country,
but since this war began people are getting used to them.
The latest example is the conviction of Anthony Cramer of
Yorkville, N. Y., found guilty of helping the Nazi saboteurs
who were recently executed in Washington. He is sentenc-
ed to 45 years in prison and fined \$10,000. As he is now
45 years old, it means a life sentence unless the present
severity in such cases is relaxed later on. A feminine friend
gets three years in prison for having guilty knowledge of
his treason and not informing the authorities. The severity
in such cases is justified by national danger, and will dis-
suade many potential traitors.

Current Comment

By AGNEW WELSH

There has been recent talk
about reviving the old liquor pro-
hibition law which led Dr. Gallup
to make a survey of sentiment.
His report is that 64 percent
would vote wet, leaving 36 per-
cent dry. So, that's that.

This alphabetical soup, as Al
Smith named it, is getting thier-
ker-gone up to six letters, the
latest being APTTC, meaning
armed air force technical training
command.

Coronella Otis Skinner tells in
her book how she and a girl
friend made a trip to Europe on
a very limited budget and said that
while they did not roll in the lap
of luxury, they did hope to sit
on her knees. Add smiles I read.
The three all looked at though
they had come off the same pro-
duction line.

"I see in the Miami paper
pictures of them 'fine lookin' fel-
lers punchin' a little white ball
over a meedey. They look a
though they'd make durned good
soldiers," writes my friend Isaac.

They have a new name for that
aching void caused by gas ration-
ing: they call it gas pains.

Here the war affects the local
manpower is shown by the Bell
Telephone's statement that 135
of its Miami men are in the ser-
vice and the Herald prints a line
of it as usually as old as he

GENEVA

John Culpepper, Ship's Cook
3rd class who is stationed at Or-
ange, Texas arrived Saturday to
spend a week with his mother,
Mrs. A. A. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hickok have
as their guest, Mrs. Hickok's
brother, Corp. George Heza who
is stationed at the Motor Base in
Atlanta, Ga.

The Women's Society of Chris-
tian Service will meet on Thurs-
day afternoon at 3 o'clock, at
the home of Mrs. J. C. Billa.

The Christmas program will
be held at the school on Thurs-
day evening at 8 o'clock.

The Share-the-Meat Program
was organized on Monday even-
ing at the home of Mrs. J. C.
Billa.

Mrs. W. L. Eieg is chairman of
the neighborhood deaders who
are as follows: Mrs. O. R. Math-
ews, Mrs. Walter Yarbrough,
Mrs. W. G. Kilbee, Mrs. La Rue
Altman, Mrs. F. W. Prevatt,
Mrs. J. C. Billa, Mrs. Edson Gott,
Mrs. Ethel Thomas, Mrs. Lois
Smith and Mrs. Haljerman of
Oaccola.

After the business meeting, de-
lightful refreshments of eccaise
cheese with whipped cream sand-
wiches and hot chocolates were
served.

William Randolph Hearst
spent half a million dollars in
buying in Spain an 11th century
monastery and removing it to
this country. My, what a lot of
youngsters that sum would have
educated. Recently it sold for
\$19,000 "A lot" but why finish
the quotation? You know it as
well as I do and know that it
is true.

An old maxim runs: "He who
knows the most says the least."
You might look over your list of
acquaintances for conformation.

The Saturday Evening Post of
Nov. 28 had as a guest editoria-
list the editor of another great
magazine, "Bueller McMullen, of
the "Farm Journal and Farmer's
Wife". Mr. McMullen blasts to
smithereens a statement by the
Archbishop of Canterbury who
said "It is true to say that the
more a man has the less there
is for other's, so a man's success
represents corresponding failure
in his neighbors." In arriving at
this conclusion the ecclesiastic
may have looked over the golf
courses, hunting grounds or vast
estates of his neighbors but in
our free American system his
argument has no leg upon which
to stand. Mr. McMullen points
out that Agriculture alone, one
of our major industries, refutes
the argument for it produces from
the soil and never robs any hu-
man being of anything, and the
same is true of most of our great
industries the former Adm points
out.

Colliers once said that since
World War I, there has been
printed each week an average of
2,000 books, magazine and news-
paper stories concerning it. What
a flood will be let loose when we
begin to write the history of the
present one.

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FRUIT CAKE

Stripseuze Organizes R.A.F. "Sweethearts"

NEW YORK, Dec. 16. (AP)—
Ann Corio, one of the leading ex-
ponents of the striptease art, is
organizing a group which she
calls "Sweethearts of the A. E.
F." She is rounding up a group
of Broadway and Hollywood ac-
tresses as charter members of the
organization, purpose of which is
to "adopt" boys in the armed
forces overseas, write letters to
them and send at least once a
month a package of candy, cook-
ies, cigarettes and other gifts. Each
member, says Ann, will be as-
signed a boy by drawing a name
from a hat.

Mrs. O. P. Parrish of Fort
Lauderdale is spending a few
weeks with her mother and sister,
Mrs. R. LeFlis and Mrs. S. S.
Thomas.

Captain Howard William Lint-
sey of Greenville, S. C. on his
way to Tampa stopped over Mon-
day afternoon to visit his mother,
Mrs. G. H. Lindsey and sister,
Mrs. Edson Gott.

Bernard LeFlis who is attend-
ing St. Charles College in Catons-
ville, Md. is expected to arrive
Friday to spend the holidays with
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C.
LeFlis.

Mrs. Edson Gott expects to
leave Friday to spend the holi-
days with her husband, Mr. Gott,
in Guilford, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther David,
Mrs. Gus Wolcott and Mrs. E. M.
Ward of Sanford spent the week
end with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Al-
len.

Pilots Encounter New King Of Wind Storm

CAIRO, Dec. 16. (AP)—Pilots of
the transport planes and bombers
being flown across Africa to the
Middle East, Russia and India are
encountering a strange, new weath-
er obstacle—something differ-
ent from anything ever ex-
perienced in the United States.
It is the harmattan, a windstorm
in which fine particles of sand
picked up in the Sahara, are
carried thousands of miles. Visi-
bility frequently is cut to a few
hundred feet.

Other hazards are the amount,
a hot blast of air which reaches
a temperature of 125 degrees, and
the hhamain, a hot, dry, dust-
laden windstorm which creates
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preciable rainfall occurs only once
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# Social And Personal Activities

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## Social Calendar

### THURSDAY

The Senior Y W A of the First Baptist Church will meet in the church annex at 7:30 o'clock.

The Townsend Club will hold their regular meeting in the Court House at 8:00 P. M. with L. Hagan presiding.

The Surgical Dressings Room at the Grammar School will have a night session beginning at 7:30 o'clock under the direction of Mrs. C. R. Kirtley.

The regular meeting of the Seminole Chapter, Number Two of the O. E. S. will hold their regular meeting at the Masonic Hall at 7:30 o'clock.

### FRIDAY

The Surgical Dressings Room at the Grammar School will be open all day from 9:00 A. M. until 5:00 P. M. Teachers are urged to attend.

The Philathea Class of the First Presbyterian Church will meet with Mrs. Joe Corley, Cameron Avenue, at 8:00 P. M. for their Christmas party.

Mrs. George Maffett will present her expression pupils in a recital at the South Side School at 8:00 o'clock. The public is invited.

Rotary Club's "Ladies Night" Lake Mary Community Building, 8:00 o'clock.

The Young People's Club is open tonight and every night through the holidays. Students are invited free of charge.

The Glee Club of Seminole High School under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Jackson will present a program of special Christmas music at 2:30 o'clock in the school auditorium. The public is cordially invited.

### SATURDAY

The offices of the Garden Center, located in the Sanford Furniture Co. will be open from 2:00 A. M. until 5:00 P. M. under the direction of Mrs. S. C. Dickerson.

The Junior Commanders will have a Christmas party at the Woman's Club at 1:30 P. M. All who have been or are Commanders are invited to attend.

The Young People's Club is open tonight and every night through the holidays. Students are invited free of charge.

## Past Matrons Have Annual Holiday Party

The H. F. Club of Past Matrons of Seminole Chapter, Number Two of the O. E. S. celebrated their Christmas party at the regular business meeting at the home of Mrs. C. L. Erwin, Palmerton Avenue, with Mrs. Stewart Dutton and Mrs. Odel Crosby as co-hostesses Monday night.

Mrs. R. C. Maxwell presided over the business meeting and routine business was carried out. Resolutions in memory of Mrs. E. C. Harper, a beloved member, were read, and officers for the coming year were elected. They are as follows: Mrs. J. E. Crenshaw, president; Mrs. J. E. Courter, vice president; Mrs. Erwin, secretary; Mrs. James O. Huff, treasurer; and Mrs. R. W. Turner, press representative. When plans for the annual banquet to be held in the Masonic Hall in January were completed, the meeting was adjourned.

Mrs. Erwin then lit the gaily decorated Christmas tree under which gifts in Christmas wrappings to be distributed to the members were placed. Red berries and greenery further carried out the holiday decorations and large cases of pom-poms were used. Games were played and Mrs. L. M. Tyrer and Mrs. R. W. Turner were presented prizes.

Mrs. Maxwell retiring president presented each member with a hand-embroidered tea towel, and each member read an original poem disclosing who had been a "secret elector" to another member throughout the year.

A salad and oyster course was served by the hostesses to the following: Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Crenshaw, Mrs. Tyrer, Mrs. Glenn E. McKay, Mrs. Harry Kent, Mrs. E. J. Routh, Mrs. H. C. Moore, Mrs. Courter, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Huff, and Mrs. Mamie Griffin of Jacksonville.

## Personals

Mrs. George Townsend and children and G. W. Townsend have moved to St. Petersburg.

Ellen Betts who underwent an operation at the Fernald Loughlin Memorial hospital yesterday, is recuperating satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alden Brown of Daytona Beach and Mrs. Edward C. Mitchell of Mt. Dora were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Mitchell Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Reel and son, Billy Ray, have gone to Cocoa to make their future home. Roy Reel, U. S. N. R. is stationed at the Hanna River base.

Miss Mildred Hatfield, a student at Stetson University, has arrived home to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hatfield.

Miss Elizabeth Whitcomb and Miss Lucy Roumillat will arrive tomorrow from Tallahassee to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents.

Mrs. H. M. Pearce has returned from Lake City where she attended the funeral of her brother, Sidney H. Harden of Jacksonville who died Thursday.

Mrs. W. R. Russell has returned to Sanford after spending four months in the North. She was accompanied home by Leo F. Smith who will remain here for the winter.

Corp. Karlisle H. Housholder arrived Monday from Camp Robinson, Little Rock, Ark. to spend a short furlough with his parents, Judge E. F. Housholder and Mrs. Housholder.

The Misses Gladys and Eliza both Pippin, arrived from Stetson University yesterday to spend a three weeks holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Pippin at their home on West First Street.

Corp. G. David Smith and Mrs. Smith of Camp Handing spent last weekend with Corp. Smith's father, W. I. Smith. Father and son put their respective letters in the Baptist Church on Sunday.

Mrs. D. R. Ulrey and son have returned from Fort Wayne, Ind. terminating a six weeks visit. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Ulrey's father, F. E. Fash, who will make his future home with her.

Mrs. James Taylor Lewis, wife of New York Capt. J. T. Lewis and Miss Lewis and young James Taylor Lewis, 13, of Camp Handing spent Sunday with Mr. H. M. Papworth at her home on Park Avenue, Mt. Dora. Mr. Lewis will visit here about tomorrow.

## Christmas Party Given By Philatheans

The Philathea Class of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. John L. Lee for their monthly business meeting and annual Christmas party last night with Mrs. Lee and Mrs. T. M. Paulk as hostesses. Yuletide decorations featuring a lighted Christmas tree were used. A large red vase filled with red gladioli was placed in front of a mantle which reflected a miniature snow scene. Brazilian peppers and poinsettias were also placed about the room where the meeting was held.

The business meeting was presided over by the newly elected president, Mrs. Walter Feiler. The Christmas story was read by Miss Elizabeth Franklin after which a party to be given in the near future for the members of the Naval Station was planned. A white elephant sale was conducted for the benefit of Chinese war relief and Polynesian were drawn.

After the meeting was adjourned, gifts were exchanged by the members, and refreshments also depicting the seasonal motif were served by the hostesses to the following: Mrs. M. Stusscher, teacher, Miss Beatrice Gamble, Mrs. James A. River, Miss Ruth Cumming, Miss Vera Lodge, Mrs. J. B. Phillips, Mrs. Foster Mrs. Jeff Hallway, Miss Helen Gurney, Miss Elizabeth Whitcomb, Mrs. Jack Purdon and Mrs. Clayton Smith.



FOR SERVICE TO HIS COUNTRY. Sergeant Alvin K. York, U. S. Army, is shown in uniform. York, the immortal hero of World War I, was here standing in the city of Sanford.

## Ruth Gordon Wright Plans Christmas Party

The Christmas party planned by Ruth Gordon Wright will be held at her home on West First Street on Thursday night. The party will be given for the members of the Naval Station and will feature a white elephant sale and refreshments.

## Service Men's Calendar

Thursday, Dec. 17, 1942. Christmas Eve. The Service Men's Calendar for 1942 is now available. It contains a list of service men and their families, and is a valuable resource for those who wish to send gifts or letters to the front.

## But Bag Program At Mrs. Pappworth's Christian Endeavor Gives Surprise Party

The But Bag Program at Mrs. Pappworth's Christian Endeavor meeting on Wednesday night was a surprise party for the members. The program featured a variety of games and refreshments, and was a great success.

## Mrs. Frances Bolz Entertains Circle

Mrs. Frances Bolz entertained the Circle on Wednesday night at her home on West First Street. The party was a great success and featured a variety of games and refreshments.

## Notice

The Young People's Club of the Lake Front will be open every night from Dec. 18 to Jan. 4 except Sunday from 8:30 P. M. until 11:30 P. M. All students from the Grammar Junior High and High Schools are invited free of charge. Special dinners will be given on Christmas Eve, Christmas night, New Year's Eve, and New Year's night.

## Berry St. John Jr. Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. George Maffett entertained at her home 2441 Lily Court Monday from 4:00 o'clock until 5:00 o'clock in honor of Berry St. John, Jr. who celebrated his second birthday on that day.

The table where the guests were served was beautifully decorated with Christmas greens and centered with a large birthday cake in red and white topped with lighted candles. Miss Dorothy Stokes presided over the coffee service and served the mothers while Mrs. Maffett served the young guests cookies in the form of Santa Clauses, ice cream, and other goodies in the seasonal colors.

Each youngster was presented a tiny horn as a gift from the hostess, and moving pictures were made on the lawn. Those enjoying the affair with the young honoree were: the Misses Mary Ann Ludwig, Dorothy Williams, Mary Audrey Gharon and Dorothy Alexander, Larry Beel, Jr., Jackie Miller, Allan Maffett, and Mrs. J. B. St. John, Miss Stokes, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. Larry Reel, Mrs. Robert Williams, and Mrs. John Ludwig.

## Meeting Is Held By Azalea Circle

The Azalea Circle of the Garden Club met with Mrs. J. P. Powder at her home on West First Street with Mrs. J. P. Powder as hostess. The meeting was a great success and featured a variety of games and refreshments.

**THE GREY CAB COMPANY**  
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In order to eliminate the confusion caused by different zones and fares the following prices will prevail:

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YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND A CHRISTMAS TEA, SPONSORED BY THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY, TO BE HELD THURSDAY, DEC. 17th, 4 to 6 P.M. at the LAKESHORE HUT, on the Lakeshore Drive. There is no charge of any kind! - Please come!!

## Legion Auxiliary Plans Christmas Tea

Final plans have been made for the Christmas Tea of the American Legion Auxiliary, to be held at the Lakeshore Hut on Thursday, Dec. 17, from 4 to 6 P. M. The following program featuring the patriots as well as the Christmas theme will be presented.

Approximate Program: 4:00 P. M. - Christmas Tea; 4:15 P. M. - Patriotic Songs; 4:30 P. M. - Christmas Story; 4:45 P. M. - An Old-Fashioned Game; 5:00 P. M. - When Did You Get Married?; 5:15 P. M. - Patriotic Music; 5:30 P. M. - Appraisal; 5:45 P. M. - The Wally Game; 6:00 P. M. - I Love My Country; 6:15 P. M. - Santa Claus; 6:30 P. M. - Mrs. E. H. Gurney; 6:45 P. M. - Mrs. J. B. Phillips; 7:00 P. M. - Mrs. J. E. Courter; 7:15 P. M. - Mrs. J. E. Crenshaw; 7:30 P. M. - Mrs. J. E. Courter; 7:45 P. M. - Mrs. J. E. Courter; 8:00 P. M. - Mrs. J. E. Courter.

## Baptist Junior YWA Has Regular Meeting

The Baptist Junior Y W A of the First Baptist Church will hold their regular meeting on Thursday night at the home of Mrs. J. E. Courter. The meeting will be given for the members and will feature a variety of games and refreshments.

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### Leagues To Change Training Camps If Becomes Necessary

By JUDSON BAILEY  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
NEW YORK, Dec. 16. (AP)—The major leagues Tuesday reiterated their hope that they could go through with training camps in Florida and California even though some of the clubs said they were already considering alternate arrangements in line with a government hint that they be prepared to move their Spring bases.

Baseball officials were informed yesterday that Joseph B. Eastman, director of defense transportation, would give a definite ruling on their training plans not later than the league meeting in February, but that clubs should have in mind possible other locations in case a change was held necessary.

An Associated Press survey Tuesday brought out a general belief that the switch could be made on short notice and that the clubs would wait for a clear cut ruling before abandoning the sites so far selected, although all stressed their willingness to cooperate.

Clark Griffith, president of the Washington Senators, who talked to Eastman and conveyed his message to William Harridge, president of the American league, said that he was going ahead with plans to train at Orlando, but that he had given consideration to Charlotte, N. C., and Chattanooga, Tenn., as alternatives.

### SEMINOLE COUNTY SCHOOL NEWS

The Senators have minor league affiliates in both cities. Griffith recalled that the Senators trained for five years at Charlottesville, Va., which he said was "all right, but a little cold." He pointed out that he already had pared the original training mileage of his club 80 percent.

Branch Rickey, president of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who has been reported thinking of a shift to Durham, N. C., where the Dodgers have a farm club, said, "We've been working on the situation for 10 days" but had made no decision about leaving West Palm Beach.

Rickey said he didn't believe eastern clubs could train at home unless they could obtain indoor facilities such as a university field house, but that he had even been exploring in that angle.

William E. Benswager, president of the Pittsburgh Pirates, one of four clubs planning to train in California, said any change in his program would be made in conjunction with the two Chicago clubs and the St. Louis Browns, all now headed for the Los Angeles area.

"Our plan has already been modified to cut off considerable mileage," he explained, "but we stand ready to make a change if necessary. As soon as we get official notice telling what areas are prohibited we can announce an alternative site the next day." Jim Gallagher, general manager of the Chicago Cubs, said he was still hopeful of going to California if agreeable to the ODT and would not choose an alternate site now because he felt he could get any of numerous places if and when the ODT directs a change.

### Football Sponsors

By VALARIE WELLS

The eyes of the crowd were turned expectantly to the right end of the football field during the half, longing to get a glimpse of the sponsors chosen out of the senior girls by the Celery-Fed football team to preside over their Home-Coming Game against Leesburg.

First, outstepped Helen Hutchinson dressed in a blue-wool suit with matching blue accessories, being escorted by Herbert Moreland.

Next, came Lois Caldwell, dressed in a blue-wool suit with matching brown accessories, escorted by Emmett Herndon.

Kathryn Wiggins, dressed in a blue-wool suit with matching brown accessories, then followed. Lois Caldwell out of the field. She was escorted by Billy Brumby.

Mary Rabun, with a chapeau dress and brown fur jacket with matching brown accessories, escorted by Bill Earle, brought up the end of the attractive procession.

Each sponsor wore the traditional large yellow chrysanthemum corsage and walked down the middle of the field to the music of Leesburg's High School Band and took the places that had been reserved for them in which they presided over the rest of the game.

### S. H. S. Alumni

HELEN QUARTERMAN

Jack "Buttercup" Senn, '42, who lives in Vero Beach with his parents, visited the Journalism Class Monday. He says Vero Beach is okay but Sanford is better.

Patty Hodge, '42, a student of Rollins College, enjoyed the Fall Frolics at Gainesville last week-end. Luck girl!

Harold Hall, '42, has received his notice to report to Atlanta, for his final physical examination for the Navy.

"Dub" Epps, '41, who belongs to the Naval Medical Reserve, will finish two years of college at Rollins next Wednesday.

Thomas Hatfield, '41, is in training for the U. S. Signal Corps at Georgia Tech.

Martha Wight, '39, is the envy of all the girls since she's been telling them about her duties as assistant director at the U. S. O. in Byrnes, Tenn.

Paul Moore, who is in training in Naval Training Station Great Lakes, Ill., is assistant Company Clerk which has a rating of Second Class Petty Officer. Paul plans to fly home Jan. 5, on the Eastern Airlines Transport.

### LEGAL NOTICES

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

John Callahan, a resident of state other than the State of Florida, that his last known address is 2115 Gordon Road, Atlanta, Georgia. You are hereby notified and required to appear to a certain Bill of Complaint filed by Myrtle Callahan against you for a divorce, now pending in the Circuit Court of Seminole County, Florida, on or before the January 15th day to-wit: the 4th day of January, A. D. 1942, in default thereof said cause will proceed Ex-Parte.

Let this Order be published for the statutory time required by law in the Sanford Herald, Sanford, Florida, a newspaper of general circulation in said county and state.

Witness my hand and official seal of office at Sanford, Florida, this 2nd day of December, 1942.

J. P. HERRINGTON,  
Clerk of Circuit Court,  
Seminole County, Florida.  
By: NOHINE NORWOOD,  
Deputy Clerk  
(Official Seal)

The Freshmen Home Ec. classes are giving a Christmas Party for their mothers Friday, December 18.

Two of the county board members with their wives at supper in their attractive class room. It was a large order for the ninth graders, but the supper measured up to the highest standard of achievement. Miss Balkrom can feel justly proud of the class. The following girls comprise the class: Elizabeth Farnell, Aleasa Glass, Stance, Lucy Hagan, Mildred Lane and Dorothy Rose Link. Bryan Nettles from Osteen entered the fourth grade Dec. 7. We welcome him.

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MYSTERY  
PUEBLO, Colo., Dec. 16. (AP)—Mrs. Hubert Glover's Sunday School class occasionally contributed money to a Methodist school at Baroda, India. The other day Max Morton found a letter addressed to Mrs. Glover sticking under the windshield of his car. How it got attached to the windshield wiper still is a mystery.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has four times as many employees as it had during the first World War.

Until 1910 the government leased the seal-catching privileges on Pribilof Islands, Alaska, to private corporations.

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"Silent Night"  
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"O, Come All Ye Faithful"  
"Joy To The World"  
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"Good King Wenceslas"  
"Good Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen"  
"Silent Night"  
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Oviedo School  
Notes  
The Oviedo High School is included in the Orlando Air Base for furnishing trucks and hauling U. S. scrap, stated Principal R. F. Cooper. The pupils collected and brought to the school 40,000 pounds of scrap. In addition to 14,000 pounds cast iron which this the Future Farmers brought as sold to the state for O. S. Y. defense work. The school also has certificates for several thousand pounds from individual sales connected with the school.

Friday evening, Dec. 5, the ninth grade class in Home Economics entertained the faculty, local school board members, and

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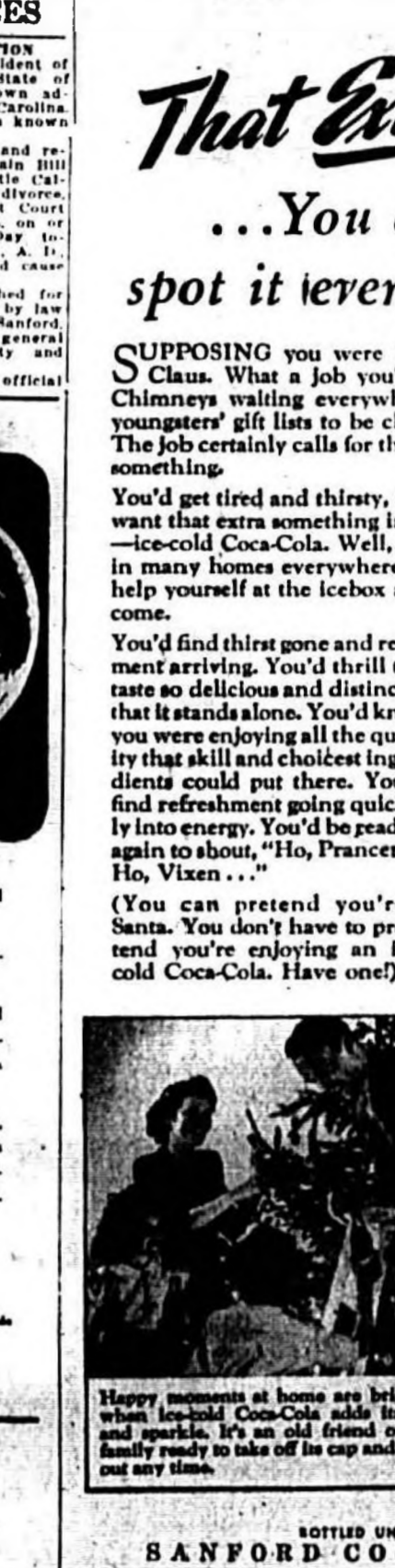
That Extra Something!  
...You can spot it every time

SUPPOSING you were Old Santa Claus. What a job you'd have! Chimneys waiting everywhere... youngsters' gift lists to be checked. The job certainly calls for that extra something.

You'd get tired and thirsty, too. You'd want that extra something in refreshment—ice-cold Coca-Cola. Well, you'd find it in many homes everywhere. You could help yourself at the icebox and be welcome.

You'd find thirst gone and refreshment arriving. You'd thrill to the taste so delicious and distinctive that it stands alone. You'd know you were enjoying all the quality that skill and choicest ingredients could put there. You'd find refreshment going quickly into energy. You'd be ready again to shout, "Ho, Prancer! Ho, Vixen..."

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## Japanese Ordered To Hold Positions In New Guinea To Last Man

### Statement Issued Before Big Allied Assaults In Buna And Gona Sectors

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17. (AP)—Navy divebombers striking at Japanese ships in the area in a Japanese attack on the island of New Guinea, hit and damaged one enemy destroyer and cruiser, the Navy reported today. While flying fortresses engaged and destroyed 12 Japanese Zero fighters, nearby an entire force of Zeros which attacked the fortresses destroyed one fortress whose crew was rescued. One divebomber failed to return. This brought to 112 the number of Japanese ships announced sunk or damaged in the Solomons.

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS in Australia, Dec. 17. (AP)—Captured Japanese intelligence officers told Emperor Hirohito gave orders to troops on Nov. 28 to hold their New Guinea positions to the last man. The order was given after the Emperor heard of the pounding his men were getting from MacArthur's soldiers in the battle preceding the capture of Buna and Gona by the Allies.

In the Buna area of New Guinea, Allied soldiers are fiercely engaging the Japanese in three main pockets of resistance. There is heavy fighting at the Buna government station, the Buna military camp and the Buna airfield.

Other Allied soldiers are reported to have been killed.

It was believed that only a small proportion of the men brought to the area in a Japanese convoy Monday made strenuous attempts to land their scattered stores. They tried to swim to shore with floating barrels and drums of fuel and other supplies but these made an easy target for the airmen for the Japanese had marked the equipment with white and blue flags.

Other Allied airmen dumped a number of 500-pound bombs on the drome at Lae, New Guinea, and a dozen 500-pounders on the Japanese airfield at Gasmata, New Britain. Of 12 Japanese planes which met the Gasmata attack, five were reported shot down or disabled by one four-engine B-24 "Liberator" bomber.

These reports said two Japanese planes crashed in the sea and disappeared in flames beneath the clouds and parts flew off two others.

## University Graduates Group Of Lieutenants

### GAINESVILLE, Dec. 17. (Special)—One hundred and sixty-eight men received second lieutenant's commissions Wednesday in the first graduation of the Army Administration Officers Candidate School No. 3 here on the University of Florida campus.

Significant is the fact that only one before in the history of the nation have limited service men graduated from an officer candidate school, and that only a week ago. Approximately 80 percent of yesterday's graduates are classified for limited service.

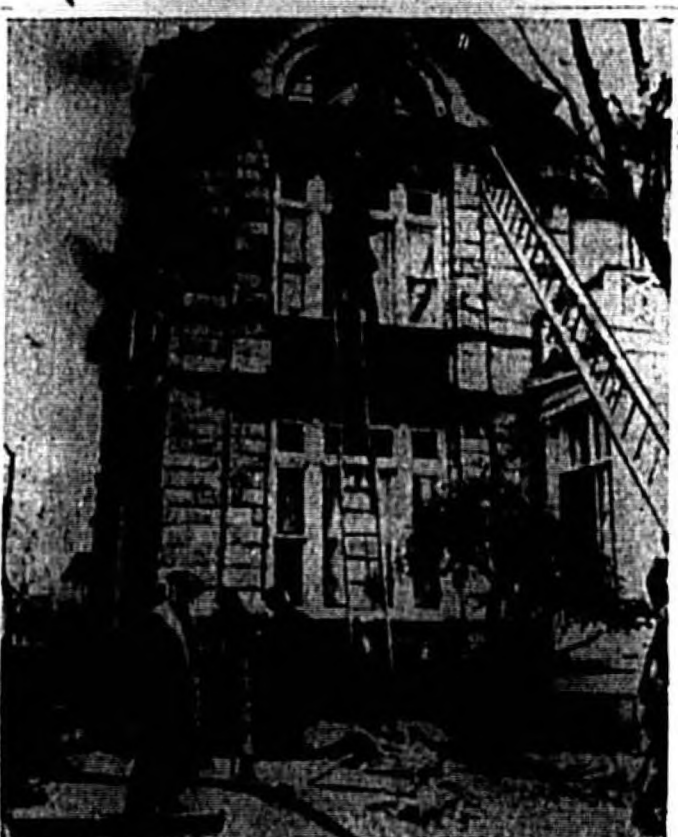
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## Rescue Child at Chicago Fire



Chicago firemen rescue a little girl from the upper floor of a three-story rooming house after it took fire. Three other persons were hurt when they jumped out of windows to escape the flames. Two of the injured are lying at the foot of the ladder. An invalid, who could not be moved, perished in the fire. This is a phonograph record.

## Braves President Optimistic About Spring Training Here

### President Bob Quinn of the Boston Braves, who arrived here yesterday to make a preliminary survey to determine if conditions here are favorable in event a decision is made to train in Sanford again, stated that as before, he had found the Municipal Ball Park in excellent condition, and other local conditions appeared to be satisfactory.

"Baseball men in general have, however, positively made up their minds to carry out the wishes of Joseph B. Eastman, defense transportation director, and as we want to do everything we can to live up to his suggestions, an affecting team travel, our decision as to whether or not to train here, will be greatly influenced by this factor," he said. "If we do come," he added, "I am of the personal opinion that we will favor us in this respect, we will not do anything for practice games other than to nearby towns like Orlando or Deland. Then when we go north, no exhibition games will be played that are off our line of travel. In this way, we intend to live up to what Mr. Eastman wants us to do.

## Officer Commends Sergeant Chandler

### Mrs. Robert W. Chandler, the former Lucille DeKle, recently received a letter from Capt. William E. Bickley, commanding officer of the medical detachment, 131st Station Hospital, commending her husband, Staff Sgt. Chandler.

Capt. Bickley wrote of Sgt. Chandler, whose address is c/o Postmaster, "It gives me a great deal of pleasure to be able to report to you that like all red-blooded American youth, your husband ranks high in the organization as a good soldier. You may well take pride in the reputation he has established for himself among the officers and enlisted men of this unit.

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## Soviets Smash New Offensive On Stalingrad

### Russians Disclose Capture Of Five More Strongholds West Of Rzhev

(THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)—In a correlated squeeze against the Axis, the Red army today smashed a big Nazi winter-offensive southwest of Stalingrad and captured five more strongholds west of Rzhev. Elsewhere along a 1000-mile segment of the snow-covered front from the Soviets closed a breach in their lines south of Stalingrad, overran inhabited points in a sudden advance in the Moudok area of the Caucasus and dislodged the enemy from a base point west of Rzhev, the midnight communiqué announced.

German counterattacks, continued on both the central and southern fronts, but once again they were repulsed and more than 100 enemy officers and men were killed, the communiqué reported.

The newly-captured town in the Don loop, lay west of Surovino, itself 14 miles due west of Stalingrad on the east-west railway linking the Volga city with the Moscow-Rostov line.

Besides 305 tons of various calibers and 1500 motor vehicles, the Russians seized two trains loaded with war supplies, ammunition dumps and much other war material, the communiqué said.

Southwest of Stalingrad, Soviet forces routed enemy troops who had broken through their lines near Verkhedumski in a do-or-die attempt to relieve Axis units encircled between the Don and the Volga. Fifty tanks belonging to a regiment of motorized infantry from the Sixth German Tank Division were "disposed of" in a two-day battle, the communiqué reported.

Thirty-five more German planes were shot down on the Stalingrad front, Wednesday, including four transports engaged in flying supplies to the trapped Axis garrisons.

In the northwestern outskirts of Stalingrad itself, small Soviet patrols penetrated the enemy lines and blew up gun emplacements with their garrisons, the communiqué said. A number of enemy forts in a Stalingrad factory area were demolished by Russian artillery and mortars.

The Germans lost 200 officers and men and five tanks in full-scale attacks northwest of Stalingrad.

Cossack guardsmen who captured three inhabited points in a thrust near Moudok in the Caucasus killed 300 Axis troops and knocked out 11 tanks and 200 motor vehicles in beating off subsequent Axis counterattacks, the communiqué revealed.

The Germans also attempted to push back Soviet forces south of Moudok, but their initial positions after losing 50 men and five tanks. Five enemy planes were shot down and six others damaged.

## CITY BRIEF

Warren Daniel and Billy Fleming, backfield players of the Seminole High School Celery Feet, received honorable mention in the All-State Football Team for 1942.

E.B. Carter, selective service clerk, has been authorized by the Jacksonville Navy Headquarters not to take enlistments in the Navy until further notice.

Strip Tease Producer Gets Six Month Term  
NEW YORK, Dec. 17. (AP)—H. Berk, 49-year-old veteran theater man and co-producer of "Wine, Women and Song" was today sentenced to six months for his part in producing an adjoined indecent performance revue involving strip-teasers.

YARN MOBILIZATION DAY  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17. (AP)—President Roosevelt today proclaimed Jan. 18 Farm Mobilization Day when meetings were held to consider a means for "increasing the production of wool, mohair and other animal products."

COFFEY'S MINE  
NEW YORK, Dec. 17. (AP)—The Lost and Found department of the Hotel Belmont Plaza posted a notice that a ring of coffee was found in a room. The ring was made of diamonds. No one was asked for the ring. Two persons reported about the ring but the police did not take any action.

## Eighth Army Cuts Rommel's Retreating Forces In Two

### This Nazi Sub in St. Lawrence Was Sunk



Just after this photo of a Nazi sub in the Gulf of St. Lawrence was taken an RCAF bomber dropped depth charges on the vessel, which was returning to the Atlantic from the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The sub was returning to the Atlantic from the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

## Lundquist Takes Up Management Of Country Club

### Stewart, In Florida Since 1926, Goes To California

Raymond Lundquist, who has been golfing pro and manager of the Country Club during the summer season, will manage the club in California. Mr. Lundquist, who has been in Florida since 1926, will be in California for the winter season.

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