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Infantile Paralysis

The local campaign to raise funds for the fight against infantile paralysis is now getting under way with T. Bradford Byrd as county chairman...

Half of the money raised in this county will be sent to the national organization to help combat infantile paralysis throughout the country.

The other half of the money raised in this county will remain here to carry on the work against the spread of this disease in Seminole County.

Lag in Production

That defense production could be stepped up if men worked six days a week instead of five seems fairly obvious to the average layman, but it will probably take more than the testimony of Glenn Martin...

Testifying before the House Naval Affairs Committee which is investigating the "lag" in defense production Mr. Martin described the abolition of the five-day week and the establishment of a six-day week as "essential" and said that this would increase production by 12 or 15 percent...

The answer to this argument has generally been that no increase in hours should be made until all of the unemployed have been put back to work.

As a matter of fact there is an actual shortage of labor not only in the defense industries but in many other industries which have nothing whatever to do with the rearmament boom.

Present laws do permit the use of labor for more than five days a week provided time and a half is paid for over time.

He Kept His Mouth Shut

There are all sorts of ways to put brakes on your behavior habits, Ralph A. Hobbs points out in Your Life Magazine. He cites the case of James Simpson, one-time chief who used to be chairman of the board of Marshall Field and Company.

Invited To Call on President

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Secretary of War George B. Maguire has been invited to call on President Roosevelt in his capacity as the only member of the cabinet to be invited to call on the president.

Army Fliers Will Be Taught Spanish

TAMPA, Jan. 13.—The Army is going to equip its flying cadets with Spanish language training as a part of its preparation for the Spanish front.

THE NOT 'SO WONDERFUL' LAND OF OZ



WEEKLY NEWS COLUMN

By JOE HENDRICKS

OCALA, FOREST—Joe Kirker, Regional Forester in Atlanta, and Mr. Kramer, also connected with Forest Service, have just called at my office at this writing to discuss the acquisition of additional forest lands which have already been approved and I am glad to report that the Agricultural Department this year has recommended an increase of one million dollars in the Acquisition Appropriation.

RESULTS—I introduced two bills the first day of Congress. One of them was providing the sixth penalty for sabotage upon the recommendation of a jury. I have discussed this with Judge Tompkins, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee and to quote him, he says: "I am in sympathy with your bill and think I will give you a hearing in a few days."

CRACK DOWN ON JAPAN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The Tariff Commission today announced in accordance to Senate Resolution 10, in which it was requested that the Commission investigate the tariff on Japanese crab and lobster and to the United States.

ONE NIGHT WILL IMAGINE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The House today passed a bill to provide for the construction of a new building for the Department of the Interior.

THE NEW SENATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The Senate today passed a bill to provide for the construction of a new building for the Department of the Interior.

Famed Clown Will Appear in Tampa

TAMPA, Jan. 13.—Poodles Hanford, famed clown equestrian and originator of many unusual riding feats that have featured circus programs for years, has been engaged for daily appearances at the Florida State Fair, Feb. 4 to 15, P. T. Strieder, general manager, has announced here.

Rehabilitation of Adults Is Sought

VENICE, Jan. 13.—A movement in medical circles to win cooperation of the Federal government with states, in the surgical rehabilitation of physically handicapped adults, was launched before the American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons in its ninth annual convention at New Orleans this week.

5 DIED IN FIRE

NEW YORK, Jan. 13 (AP)—Five men died Tuesday and 12 others were injured in a fire which police said was caused by an attempt to thaw out two cans of paint by putting them on a kerosene stove.

Corssages — Bouquets Funeral Arrangements, etc. Call us for quality and service in supplying your every need in flowers. A. K. ROSSETTER FLORIST — CECILY AVE. "WE TELEGRAPH FLOWERS ANYWHERE, ANYTIME"

Plant Dahlias Now! We Have Just Received A Nice Stock Of Roots Henry A. Russell Seed Co. 100 W. FIRST ST. TELEPHONE 41 WE REPRESENT GLEN ST. MARY NURSERIES CO. LET US ORDER YOUR FRUIT TREES THIS SPRING

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Leads Bowling League As Pope And Reel Tie In Third Place

Two teams are tied for third place, both only one game behind the second place Florida Power and Light Company as the Sanford Bowling League approaches the end of the tournament with Sunday Service Station still holding the first place position.

Table with columns for team names (Florida Power & Light, Sunday Service Station, etc.) and bowling scores for various players.

Games rolled Wednesday, Jan. 7... Games rolled Friday, Jan. 9... Games rolled Saturday, Jan. 10... Games rolled Sunday, Jan. 11

Beware Coughs That Hang On

Cremolusion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel mucus from the lungs and soothe inflamed bronchial mucous membranes.

Classified Advertisements

LOST & FOUND: DIAMOND dinner ring on Magnolia Ave. or near Times Union Office... W. J. KING, Plumbing, Phone 50

MISCELLANEOUS: B & W NEON SIGNS... HELP WANTED: CARPENTER... SITUATION WANTED: MABEL BRYANT

Celery Fed Cagers Score 27-18 Win Over Leesburg

Sanford's Celery Fed cagers ran wild in the last quarter of their game with the Leesburg Yellow Jackets and slipped the ball through the hoop to a total of 27 to 18 in a game played on their opponents' home ground.

Long Shots Win Featured Races At Kennel Club

Long shots continued to deliver for Sanford-Orlando Kennel Club patrons last night, lapped up by a \$100.00 daily double.

Greyhound Results

Table of greyhound race results including race numbers, dog names, and winning times.

are required to appear on the 11th day of February A. D. 1941, before the above entitled Court, in the Bill of Complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause...

GOOD GULF PRODUCTS



Get The Thrill

TONIGHT'S ALL-STAR FEATURE NINTH RACE - 5-16 MILE... EXTRA SPECIAL... POST TIME 8:15 P. M.

DELAND, Jan. 15 - (Special) - No, it's not Matt and Jeff, but it is five foot eight inch Lester Smith of Daytona Beach, and six foot five inch Bob Barnes, of Jacksonville.

combination represents two forwards on the 1941 Stetson University Basketball team. Smith, with three years varsity experience, is as usual fighting for his alma mater, while Barnes, a member of last year's all-state freshman champions, already has accounted for a number of Stetson's points in the infant season.

Tonight's Entries

Table listing race entries for Sanford and Leesburg, including dog names and owners.

DAN DUNN - Secret Operative 48

HERE'S STACY'S PLACE - NOW TO GET INTO A CONVERSATION WITH A GARDENER OR SOME OTHER FLUNKY... I MUST GET MORE INFORMATION IF WE ARE GOING TO BE SUCCESSFUL IN STEALING THAT JEWEL, THE SNAK'S TEAR.

ETTA KETT: MAY THIS PLACE BE IN THE HIGHEST BRACKETS... WILL ONLY DASH IN AND GET THE BAND-LEADER'S AUTO... TWO? RIGHT THIS WAY?

RANGER: I'LL TAKE A CHANCE ON THE HIGHEST BRACKETS... TWO AGAINST THE MOB: IF WE COULD BE ON THE ONE BIG ROCK THAT BLOCKS THE ENTRANCE, WE COULD GET OUT.

AH---WERE YOU LOOKING FOR A MATCH?? YEAH-- DOGGONE I'M ALWAYS FORGETTING THEM-- THANKS!

By PAUL ROBINSON: MUST BE GREAT WORKING FOR A MILLIONAIRE? THAT'S WHAT YOU THINK I NEVER SEE HIM-- HIS SECRETARY GIVES US FELLOW'S CUP ORDERS. IT'S JUST LIKE WORKING IN A FACTORY!

By FRAN STRECKER: GET THE SHOVELS WORKING! BLAST IT ALL THAT CLEAR AWAY THE SHALE... JEEPERS!! - AFTER TEN YEARS THERE'S A CONCRETE CHAOS!

By PAUL ROBINSON: I'M REALLY NOT HUNGRY-- WHEN DOES TEDDY SWING AND HIS ORCHESTRA PLAY? AT TEN O'CLOCK, MISS? (GULP) THAT'S AN HOUR YET?

By PAUL ROBINSON: GEE THE PRICES LOOK LIKE THE ESTIMATES ON A BATTLESHIP? CAN'T WE JUST ORDER A SANDWICH OR SOMETHING?

By FRAN STRECKER: GET THE SHOVELS WORKING! BLAST IT ALL THAT CLEAR AWAY THE SHALE... JEEPERS!! - AFTER TEN YEARS THERE'S A CONCRETE CHAOS!

San Antonio, Tex. policemen say obtain a full four-year college education while continuing their regular duties under a program developed jointly by city officials and St. Mary's local college.

Perfect for today's popular "Tossed" salads

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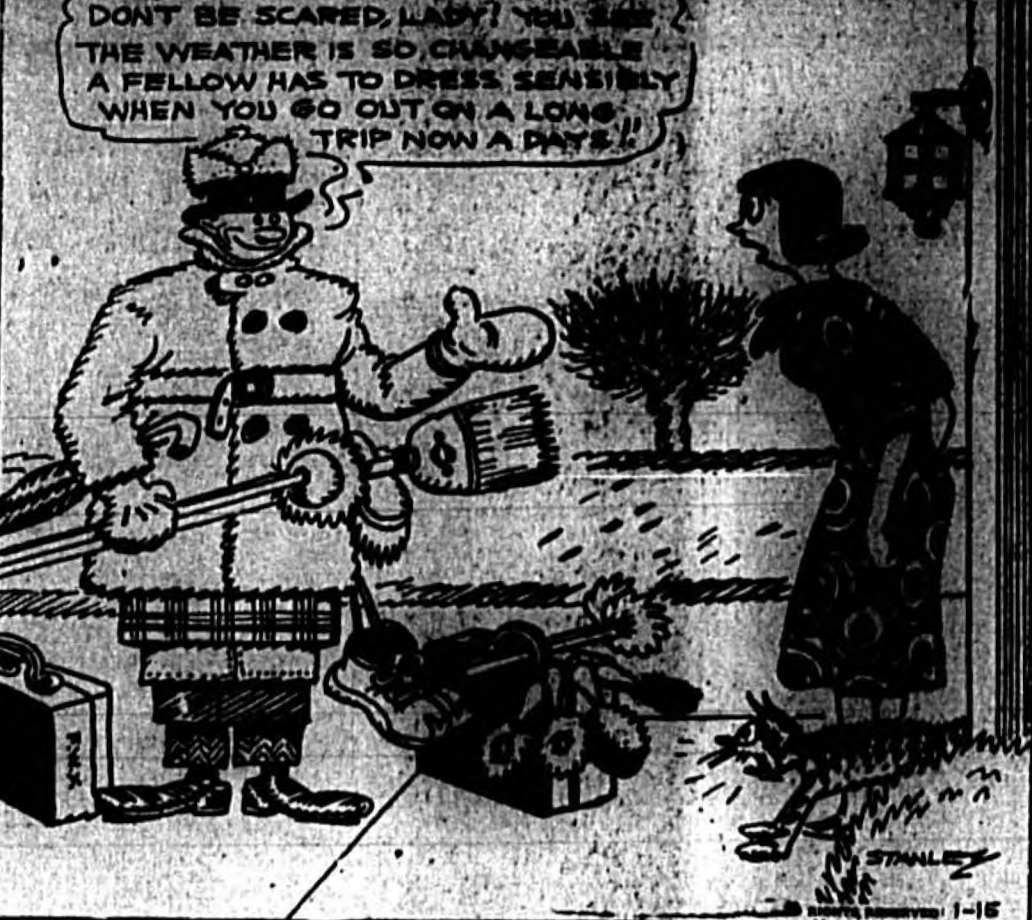
Progress Of Beef, Dairy Industry In State Is Reviewed

TAMPA, Jan. 15.—Reviewing 10 years of progress in the fast growing beef and dairy cattle industry in Florida, L. H. Lewis State Marketing Bureau, R. E. Blaser, agronomist, and Dr. W. G. Kirk, department of animal husbandry, speaking under the direction of the State Department of Agriculture, have launched an educational program for livestock improvement that will be made a feature of the annual Livestock Exposition at the Florida State Fair, Feb. 4 to 15.

In one decade since the State Department of Agriculture, under aggressive Nathan Mayo, began an intensive program to develop Florida's cattle industry, the average weight per animal has increased 100 pounds, the dairy industry furnishes every drop of fluid milk used in the State, 65 percent of the cattle have been put behind fences, 250,000 acres of land has been put into improved pastures, and the number of high grade bulls has been increased from 250 to more than 9,000.

These are but a few of the great strides made in the livestock industry which the department will stress at the Florida

THE OLD HOME TOWN By STANLEY



Stewart Says—

Reconstruction Of Last War

By CHARLES F. STEWART, Central Press Columnist

TWO WARS in one generation are too many. A generation that hasn't had one already, because of the war, has to have another. A generation that hasn't had one already, because of the war, has to have another.

Director of United States Customs, William S. Kneeland, and his associates in the Office of Production Management are facing this situation with their job, selective for the industry.

The selective service outfit's dealings are with young men who were heavily out of short pants when the 1918-19 fight started. They don't know, at first hand, a thing about military preparation, warfare and what follows it. Most of them don't mind being selected. Some actually like it. It's a novelty.

Director Kneeland's job has to do business with a crowd of hard-boiled industrial leaders, for a man usually doesn't attain this kind of a magnate's status until he's tolerably mature. Well, the last war was in their generation alright. They're fully acquainted with what accompanies that sort of thing. Still, they know it from their own experience, having lived through a spell of it once, personally.

Large scale preparation for war, or defense, is a new thing for the trice—while it lasts. They make considerable money out of their activities; perhaps too much, though the CPK is doing its best to guard against that. They own large plants and capacities and assume that they're carrying a process.

That is, that's what they assumed during and for a while after the first World War. They assumed it because there hadn't been a previous war recently enough to warn their 1918-'19 counterparts that it was a phoney kind of prosperity.

Memories fade.

In due course it blew up, and that was sufficiently late for the industrial magnates to recall, in fullest detail, all the particulars of the crash and subsequently protracted depression. "Never again," was their motto. About 50 years

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Special Deluxe Sport Sedan Just like new.

1939 CHEVROLET
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Deluxe Townsman, 4 new tires, looks and runs like a new car. Radio.

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1937 Ford Deluxe Tudor

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ALICE IN MONEYLEND By Jack Sords



ALICE MARBLE
RETIRED AMERICAN AMATEUR TENNIS QUEEN, NOW ON A PROFESSIONAL TOUR OF THE COUNTRY

State Fair Livestock Exposition and pastures and feed show, officials say. Not only will the progress of the past 10 years be reviewed but the definite program mapped out for further expansion and improvements in the next 10 years will be charted.

Contending that the livestock industry is dependent upon pastures and feeds, extensive educational programs are underway, according to Mr. Blaser who will direct the exhibit of feeds, showing what the State has now and what is possible in the future. It is a practical exhibit to show the varieties of clover, soils to which they are adapted, the inoculation of seeds and proper fertilization methods. Wire grass that produces only 10 pounds of feed per year will be shown in comparison with the new napier grass that produces over 300 pounds annually.

Various hay crops, hedges, alfalfa, cow peas and many other legumes augmented by such new crops as peanuts, soy, vetch, beans and others, sugar cane and silage, will be included in the display. A new corn with a yield 50 percent greater than the ordinary corn will be shown.

More than 97 percent of the mobile shows in the past five months of 1940 were

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Danger Of Invasion If British Navy Is Destroyed Is Cited

Stimson Says Lease-
Lend Bill Is Best
Plan To Carry Out
British Aid Policy

England's Need
Of Funds Noted

Morgenthau Submits
Statement To For-
eign Affairs Body

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15—
(AP)—Maintenance of an
army of 1,515,000 men is
needed in the War Depart-
ment budget of \$5,974,475,500
for the fiscal year starting
July 1.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16
(AP)—Secretary of War
Stimson told the House For-
eign Affairs Committee to-
day, "I think we are in very
great danger of an invasion
if the British navy should
be destroyed or surrendered."

Stimson described the
British navy as a "fortright
and clear grant of power which
will enable the President to place
in operation the best and simplest
plan to carry out a national
policy which has been stated and en-
acted by Congress."

Stimson further asserted he
feared the Navy could be broken
down under conditions very ad-
verse to the United States.

Stimson said the statement when
made by the Navy Department
last week was "a very serious
warning to the United States
that the British navy is being
destroyed by the German navy."

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Navy's Request For 400 Ships Gets Approval

Recommended Outlay
Tops Billion Dollars
In 24 Hours;
Craft To Be Small

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15—
(AP)—The House Naval Committee
today gave unanimous approval to
an urgent Navy request for the
authority to spend \$900,000,000
for 400 relatively small new ships
and for fast conversion of ship-
building and ordnance plants.

The action brought to \$1,200,-
000,000 the naval outlays which
the committee had recommended
in less than 24 hours.

The 400 new ships will consist
mostly of subchasers, escort ves-
sels, minesweepers and torpedo
craft.

The Ministry of Economic
Warfare said yesterday British
information tends to confirm, in
part, recent assertions that in
some ways the United States is
still aiding the Axis powers.

The Ministry hastened to add, how-
ever, that British authorities be-
lieve such help is not deliberate.

In this connection, it was un-
derstood British had renewed re-
presentations in Washington re-
garding United States shipments
to Vladivostok, Russia.

"Some United States producers
are helping Germany indirectly
by selling Russia commodities in
which Germany is deficient," the
Ministry said. "Of these, cotton is
the most important."

"British figures show that be-
tween Oct. 15 and Dec. 15, 1940,
Russia imported more cotton from
the United States than she had
imported from all sources dur-
ing a full year. In 1940 Russia
exported to Germany 100,000
tons of cotton in accordance with
the Soviet-German trade agree-
ment and under the new agree-
ment signed Friday it is pro-
posed to increase those deliveries.

"It is clear that such Russian
shipments are possible only be-
cause of Soviet imports from the
United States."

At the first meeting of the
class in defense industry which
met at the High School Farm
last night the 20 persons present
voted to have the classes
every night, except Saturday
and Sunday, from 7:00 o'clock
until 10:00 o'clock. So many
men attended the class last
night that another class will
probably have to be started,
Alex Johnson, director of the
classes, said this morning.

Last night the class was
limited in its work as there is
some difficulty in getting ma-
terials due to the large number
of defense orders. Mr. Johnson
surmised. The men received in-
structional work in castors and
spark plugs last night and will
start the actual repair of
motors when the materials arrive,
he said.

Mr. Johnson expects to get a
motor in a few days so the men
can start work. The other ma-
terials are also expected in the
near future.

Benefit Picture Is
Playing In Schools

A moving picture, "Elephant
Boy" is to be shown at schools
in the county on Thursday and
Friday and proceeds of the show
are to go to the Seminoles
County Tuberculosis and Health As-
sociation, Mrs. Dorothy Lamb, coun-
ty nurse, who is in charge of the
program, said yesterday.

Babu, Indian boy actor, plays
the leading role in the picture
based on the story "Tomat of the
Elephant" written by Ed-
ward Kipling.

In the next drive past the
association, the negro schools
of the county turned in a total
of \$29 for the fund. Mrs. J. L.
Inley, chairman of the as-
sociation, said.

Building Permit For
New Home Is Issued

A permit for building a new
home was issued today by the
City Hall yesterday. F. A. Dy-
son was issued the permit for
the frame house to be erected on
Eighteenth Street, between
Park and Oak Avenues at a
cost of \$2,000.

Mrs. E. E. Boyer was issued a
permit to do some remodeling
work on her home on Park
Avenue, between Broadway and
Fourteenth Streets, at a cost of
\$1,000. Another permit to re-
modeling work was issued to M.
E. Harris for a building on Sun-
day Avenue, between Broadway and
Twelfth Streets, at a cost of
\$1,000.

Waterway Congress
To Meet On Feb. 7

Directors of the Florida Wa-
terways Congress will meet Feb.
7 at New Smyrna Beach and
the annual relations and com-
munity will be held the following
weekend at the New Smyrna
Beach Hotel.

The Florida Waterways Con-
gress will be held at the New
Smyrna Beach Hotel, between
Broadway and Twelfth Streets,
at a cost of \$1,000.

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BRITISH MUNITIONS SHIP BURNS OFF AUSTRALIA



A mysterious fire consumes the 5,826-ton Orungal after ammunition in the stern of the ship exploded. The ship, aground on a reef near Berwon Heads, Victoria, Australia, since last November, was to have been salvaged two days before the explosion set fire to the vessel loaded with munitions for Britain.

Lights Of Cars To Be Checked, Brooker States

Co-Operation Asked
To Continue Good
Record Of County

Next time you drive into your
favorite filling station to get a
tank of gas, don't be surprised if
the attendant begins checking
your lights, and perhaps suggest
that new bulbs be needed.

It's a part of a drive being
conducted by William Brooker,
State highway patrolman, to
maintain the high record of Sem-
inole County with respect to the
condition of its automobiles. Mr.
Brooker is calling on every fill-
ing station operator in the county,
he said today, and requesting
him to check the lights of all the
cars he serves.

"If the lights are faulty, the
attendant will advise the motorist
to have them fixed."

On Feb. 1, a state-wide drive
will be conducted by Florida's
highway patrol to see that the
lights of each car in the state
are in good working order. The
county which has the fewest num-
ber of cars with faulty lights will
be recognized as No. 1 out of the
67 counties.

When the drive begins, a group
of highway patrolmen will con-
verge on this section, and be sta-
tioned at different points to check
the cars. No arrests will be made,
but the names of those driving
cars with bad lights will be sent
to the State headquarters and
filed.

At the time of the inspection
of motorists for drivers' licenses in
November, Seminole County
came out ahead of all other
counties in the state. No arrests
were made here by the eight
patrolmen who checked cars for
three hours one day, Mr. Brooker
said. The rating given was 95
percent.

Checking on drivers' licenses in
Volusia, Lake, and Orange coun-
ties, the patrolmen spent three
days each, in comparison with the
three hours they were here, Mr.
Brooker pointed out.

"It is this good record I am
seeking to continue," Mr. Brooker
said, and asked motorists to join
with him in the effort to make
good showing in the light in-
spection drive next month.

Coast Guard Ship Is
Tied Up At Sanford

The Coast Guard ship, Althea,
tied up at the Municipal Pier
yesterday afternoon to spend the
night but no information would
be given out as to the reason
for the visit to Sanford. This
ship patrols the inland waters
along the east coast of Florida,
according to members of the
crew, and has a regular route
between West Palm Beach and
St. Augustine.

No guns are on board since the
duty of the ship and crew is to
attend and repair boaters of the
inland waters. The visit to San-
ford is not in the schedule of the
boat but is a special trip to help
the ships in this territory, the
crew members said.

When fully manned the Althea
carries a captain and a crew of
eight. Right now one of the men
is not on board for this trip, one
of the crew said.

11th BAPTIST MEET

GAINESVILLE, Jan. 15—
(AP)—Florida Baptists here tonight on
their education and religious in-
stitutions Wednesday night as
they completed the first day of
their 11th annual State con-
vention. The 11th day of seven
sessions had concluded.

George Bledsoe, Celery Farmer, Dies At Home

George L. Bledsoe, celery grower
in Sanford for 31 years, died
at his home on Celery Avenue
at 6:30 A. M. today after a lin-
gering illness. He was 70 years
old.

Born in Troy, Ala., Feb. 7, 1870,
Mr. Bledsoe formerly lived at
Quincy and Vernon before coming
to Sanford. He had recently re-
tired from celery farming because
of his health. He was a member
of the First Methodist Church of
Sanford, and the Masonic Lodge
No. 62.

Survivors include the widow,
Mrs. R. G. Bledsoe of Sanford;
a son, Merrill Bledsoe of Tampa;
two brothers, Troy Bledsoe of Jay,
and Gus Bledsoe, Andalusia, Ala.;
two sisters, Mrs. Ida Austin,
Jacksonville, and Mrs. John Wall,
Cannell, Ala.; two granddaughters,
Mrs. E. J. Nelson, Jr., and
Mrs. Charles A. Bell, both of
Sanford; a grandnephew, E. G.
Hickson, Jr., of Sanford, and one
great-granddaughter, Terrell
Jean Nelson of Sanford.

Funeral services will be con-
ducted at the Vickroy Funeral
Home at 3:00 o'clock Friday af-
ternoon, with the Rev. W. P.
Duhman of the First Methodist
Church officiating. The Masons
will have charge of the service
at the cemetery, and pallbearers
will be selected from members of
the lodge. Burial will be in Lake
View Cemetery.

It is requested that all Masons
meet at the lodge at 2:00 o'clock
Friday in order to make arrange-
ments to attend the funeral of
Mr. Bledsoe.

Ethiopians Called
To Rise In Arms

ON THE ETHIOPIAN-SUDAN
FRONTIER, Jan. 15—(AP)—
The rhythmic toning of 44
pistol war drums has broken the
desolate silence of this desert
area with a summons to Ethio-
pian patriots to rise in arms
against the Italian masters.

From peak to peak the message
carried the message from
Emperor Haile Selassie
Tuesday night, and Wednesday
hundreds of Ethiopians slipped
across the border to join their
comrades assembling an army
at Gollam, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan.

Group To Seek Gift
Fruit Legislation

LAKELAND, Jan. 15—(AP)—
Express shipments and road-
side dealers handling citrus fruit
Wednesday took the first steps
toward setting up an organiza-
tion through which they will
seek legislation regulating the
gift fruit business.

An 18-man committee, with a
member from every county rep-
resented at the meeting, was ap-
pointed and will meet at Win-
ter Haven Jan. 31 to draft pro-
posed legislation. State Senator
A. W. Young of Vero Beach ac-
cepted temporary chairmanship.

LINER STILL STUCK

NEW YORK, Jan. 15—(AP)—
The U. S. Lines said Wednesday
attempts to refloat the liner
Madhattan fast on a sand bar
near West Palm Beach, would be
renewed Friday when the tug Re-
lief arrives from New York.

HOA PRICE GAINS

CHICAGO, Jan. 15—(AP)—Ris-
ing sharply to the best level in
nearly 17 months, the hog market
continued to gain Wednesday,
with show classes reaching a
top price of \$9 per hundredweight.

The world's only producing
association, the Orange County
Hog Raisers' Assn., held its
annual meeting at the Court House
yesterday.

William L. Wilson, state direc-
tor of markets, L. M. Rhodes,
state marketing commissioner,
and S. W. Hill, vegetable mar-
ket specialist, all of Jacksonville,
were the main speakers at the
meeting.

German Naval Base Pounded In Raid; 20 Killed, 35 Hurt

Southampton Is
Sunk Following
Attack By Axis

Italians Claim That
14 Warships Were
Sunk Or Damaged

The British Admiralty today ac-
knowledged the 3100-ton cruiser
Southampton was sunk by British
forces after it caught fire fol-
lowing damage by Axis bombers
off Sicily on Jan. 10. Most of the
crew were reported saved.

Rome asserted the 22,600-ton
British aircraft carrier Eagle was
torpedoed in connection with
a running battle with a heavily
protected convoy which started
Jan. 9 from the Strait of Sicily.
The British had already disclosed
that the aircraft carrier Illustrious
had been damaged by German
German dive-bombers in an at-
tack Jan. 10.

The Italians claim 14 warships
and two merchantmen have been
sunk or damaged in an Axis air
drive in the Mediterranean
since Jan. 9.

The seafarer aircraft carrier,
Illustrious, attacked for seven
hours on Jan. 10 by German dive-
bombers, came into a Mediter-
ranean port under her own power
yesterday.

Forty to 50 Nazi planes, mak-
ing the heaviest attack upon a
single British warship of this
type, flung torpedoes at the Illus-
trious, and 100,000 pounds
of high explosive bombs at her
flight deck in an unsuccessful at-
tempt to put this newest of Brit-
ain's carriers under water.

The German pilots, during heavy
gunfire, splattered the decks
with machine-gun bullets and dis-
tributed bombs on the Illus-
trious port and starboard sides.

Extension For Auto
Licenses Is Given

TALLAHASSEE, Jan. 15—
(AP)—A mixup in the price of
mobile license tags for three
months in a 16-day extension of
the time for all automobile
owners to get their plates.

Governor Holland granted the
extension which moved the dead-
line for new license tags for 11
months last night to Feb. 1.

At the same time, D. W. Em-
ley, State motor vehicle com-
missioner, said all persons who
had obtained \$10 license tags for
body types of 1941 Fords, Chev-
rolets and Plymouths, which later
were found to require \$16 plates
must exchange them for the new
tags and pay the \$6 differ-
ence.

If the exchanges are not made
the automobile owner will be
subject to arrest for operating a
car without a proper license, Em-
ley said.

Antlers Make Plans
For Tri-City Meet

Antler lodges from New Smyr-
na and Daytona are expected to
attend a tri-city meet to be held
at a meeting of the Sanford lodge
last night to have a street parade,
dance, and banquet in honor of
the visitors. The meeting was
held at the Elks Club House.

A hay ride will be given Friday
night at Sanlando Springs for
Antlers and their dates in honor
of Elmore Gardick, recorder,
who will leave Saturday for St.
Bernard College in Alabama.

Members and their guests will
meet at the home of Father A.
B. Peck, 318 Palmetto Avenue, in
time to leave at 8:00 o'clock.
Past exalted Antler Ralph Ray
was inducted with the past exalted
Antlers jewel last night, and two
members, Bernhard Collins and
Ben Crawford won their mem-
bership buttons.

Glass Urged To
Accept New Post

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15—
(AP)—Administration leaders
were reported Wednesday to have
urged Senator Glass of Virginia,
supporter of President Roose-
velt's program for aiding Britain,
to accept a place on the Foreign
Relations Committee, which soon
will take up the "lend-lease"
bill.

If Democratic leadership plans
work, Glass and Senator
Byrnes of South Carolina, who
is drafting the Administration
measure probably will be
added to the committee in a day
or so to fill two vacancies.

City News Briefs

A meeting of the Seminoles
Gun Club will be held at the
Recreation Hall of the lake shore
on Thursday at 8:00 P. M. All
members are requested to be pre-
sent.

Crawford L. Chapman and Al-
vira Wilson, both of Orlando,
and Fletcher G. Jackson and
Betty Loy Rogers of Sanford
were the main speakers at the
wedding ceremony held at the
Court House yesterday.

The Florida State Bank of
Sanford had a very prosperous
year during 1940, according to
reports made at the annual
meeting of the stockholders held
last Tuesday afternoon.

Directors were re-elected as
follows: Lloyd F. Boyle, W. L.
Cooper, Charles Dunn, W. E.
Kirchhoff, Jr., M. G. McNa-
mara, Ralph A. Smith and J. H. Van
Hoy. Forrest Gatchel, prominent
local grocer, was elected a new
member of the board.

The annual report of Presi-
dent G. G. Nair to the stock-
holders indicated an excellent
year from every angle. As an
indication of the growth of San-
ford's youngest financial insti-
tution, the report showed a gain
for the year of 110 in deposits of
more than 100 percent and in
number of depositors approxi-
mately 185 percent. More than
3500 local loans were made dur-
ing the year.

The statement presented to
the stockholders showed a net
earning for 1940 in excess of
12 1/2 percent on the capital
stock. Confidence was expressed
for an equal increase in business
during 1941.

Following the stockholders
meeting the directors met and
organized by electing officers as
follows: M. G. McNamee, presi-
dent and chairman of the board;
J. H. Van Hoy, vice president;
J. E. Rowland, Jr., cashier;
and E. G. Bennett, assistant cash-
ier. In addition to the officers,
other employees of the bank
were: Don Hall, secretary;
C. H. Hays, Jr., bookkeeper,
and Sheldon Harris, bookkeeper.