

M. M. St. John, of the Florida State University, will be at 4:30 p.m. Saturday, April 25, at the University Auditorium, to speak on "The Negro in the South." The admission price is \$1.50. A. M. Settimi, of the University of Miami, will be at 6:30 p.m. Saturday night.  
The conference will be held in the University Auditorium, gates open at 3:30 p.m., admission \$1.50. The program will include a panel discussion on Negro problems in the South, moderated by C. L. Johnson, and a panel discussion on Negro problems in the cities, moderated by Dr. W. E. B. DuBois.  
Coaches from all 12 schools will be present, and all-conference games will be played. The participation of the Negro in football, basketball, baseball, tennis, golf, swimming, track and field, and other sports will be discussed.  
The conference will be opened with a general session, followed by a panel discussion on Negro problems in the South, moderated by C. L. Johnson.  

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## Florida High Team Sets Record Score

GAINESVILLE, Fla., April 17.—(Special)—A new record of 5,750 points for college football, O. T. C. 10-man football team was set this week by the University of Florida team as it defeated with its most brutal game ever played, the Maryland Islands, 17-0, at Gainesville. Nebraska and Louisiana State.  
The mark, made from possible 4,000 points, surpasses the old record of 3,750 set by the Florida Gators team.  
In the first half, the Gators scored on three consecutive plays.

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GAINESVILLE, Fla., April 17.—(UPI)—A new record of 5,780 points for college, E. O. T. C., won the 10-man rifle team title set this week by the University of Florida team as it remained winning in most meets against Maryland, Iowa, Oregon, Ohio, Illinois, Nebraska, and Louisiana State.

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## Hitler Seeks Early Peace In Greek War

Pressure Applied To Settle Hostilities In Albania Now On Mussolini's Terms

**600,000 Nazis Ready To Fight**

Greece Can No Longer Look For Help From Turkish Ally

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**BALKANS**, Feb. 18.—(AP)—Balkan diplomats reported today that Hitler has brought pressure on Greece to make a quick peace with Italy—on Mussolini's terms—under a threat of having Nazi troops invade the Aegean kingdom.

**DIAPOLEON**, Bulgaria, Feb. 18.—(AP)—Greek leaders met with the regent of the new Turkish-Bulgarian neutrality accord, Greece to have time to attack through Yugoslavia.

If Greece refused, it was said, the Balkans would demand that Germany withdraw from Rumanian and Bulgarian Balkans into east-central Europe.

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## War Moves In The Balkans



The map shows where rumblings of war are being heard louder in the turbulent Balkans. Fleets of Nazi warplanes sighted over Budapest point to massed arrival of German troops in Bulgaria. Experts believe the troop concentrations in Bulgaria and Rumania mean new German drives may be directed at Greece (1) or the Bosporus in Turkey (2).

## Gentry Ruled Not Guilty In Auto Accident Suit

### Two Cases Scheduled Tomorrow Are Last Of Spring Docket

### Plans To Attend 7th District Meeting Discussed By Group

Circuit Judge Millard B. Smith yesterday directed a verdict of not guilty for Vernon Gentry, defendant, in the case of Dennis E. House, a suit for \$10,000 damages growing out of an automobile accident on the San Joaquin highway July 21, 1939.

Two cases are scheduled for a hearing of Circuit Court tomorrow at 9:30 o'clock, and conclude the spring term of the Civil docket.

As in all other Legion activities, the Campbell-Lassing Post is doing its duty 100% in the cause of Commander Field, who has not been returned, he added. The deadline for sending them in is Feb. 22.

Two new veterans applied for membership at the meeting, bringing the 1941 membership within four of the 1940 enrollment of 202, he said. A report was made of the purchasing and distribution of the desk flags to the schools last week, through a letter from Past Commander Lloyd F. Hoyle, who is out of the present version of the bill would enable the United States to become the leader as well as the arsenal for emboldened democracies.

Wallace had told reporters Britain eventually may need large quantities of corn, wheat, meat and other products from this country. He conceded that this problem was complicated by the changing shipping tonnage. Neither Wallace nor Barkin intimated that food shipments are urgently needed now or would be in the near future.

Plans were made for a large number of legionnaires with cars to attend the Seventh District Conference at Leesburg, May 2, and provide transportation for the S. A. L. Drum and Bugle Corps and the Junior Auxiliary.

As it will be the last meeting of the Legion Auxiliary in their post, to have their community fair, to be held in the near future, was read at the meeting.

Sid Richardson was officially appointed chairman of the S. A. L. Squadron for 1941. After the appointment by the group, he briefly outlined the new chairman as he urged the support of all Legionnaires whether they be members of the Squadron or not.

**8 Winter Visitors Arrive In Sanford**

Eight of the 12 new arrivals in the city last week were tourists intending to spend the winter, according to the report of the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Two others indicated their intention of becoming permanent residents of Sanford.

The winter visitors include P. H. Miller, Mrs. John Williams, W. W. Marshall, Miss Jewel Clegg, Mrs. M. H. Collier, Mr. and Mrs. Larson, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Kathleen Lynn, permanent residents arriving are Mr. N. Strode and Mrs. W. M. Murphy. Two other arrivals are Mrs. Varney and Tom Howell.

**DECLARE BETTER DIVIDEND**

**ANROW**, Jan. 18.—(UPI)—Chairman of the board of directors declared a dividend of \$1.00 per share on the common stock of the company.

The United States has about 500,000 miles of roads, gravelly and paved, which are open for travel.

Chairman Clarence McKee of the board of directors, Page, both of

## Senator Clark Hits Aid Bill As Big Gamble

### Isolationist Says U. S. Is Brought To Brink Of War Without Defenses

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—(AP)—Senator Clark (D-Mo.) today opened the opposition's frontal attack on the British aid bill, roundly condemning it as legislation that meant "the very brink of war," stripping of American defenses, and "autocratic powers" for the President.

He declared the measure would reverse completely the foreign policy the United States has followed since the time of Washington, also would wipe out simultaneously the restrictions on the executive power over diplomatic affairs which form the "bulwark" of the nation, our people have held most dear.

He saw the bill as a gamble "upon the outcome of a complete British victory."

Warren R. Austin, of Vermont, a strong advocate of the President's foreign policy, spoke yesterday on the British aid measure, and declared that if invaders strike at the nation they would hit New England first by way of Iceland, Greenland, Newfoundland and the St. Lawrence River. He declared there are "much worse things than war" and said American youth would go out and fight to "save Christianity and the principles of freedom" from ruthless destruction by a fiend."

"If it ever becomes necessary for us to fight—we will fight!" he exclaimed to the applause of spectators.

Senator Penner, of Florida, predicted the United States would go to war, if necessary, to prevent a German triumph over Britain.

"Call it war or no war, but put this down as a promise—America will not let England fall to Hitler," he said.

Meantime, there were growing indications that the United States may be called upon to send vast quantities of food as well as war materials to Britain under the lend-lease program.

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## Social And Personal Activities

MRS. LOURINE BEAL, Society Editor

### Social Calendar

#### Mrs. Kimbrell Has Party For Friends

**WEDNESDAY**  
Members of the Junior Auxiliary of the American Legion will meet at the home of Miss Betty Petrie, 1809, Sanford Avenue at 8:30 P. M. The Community Sewing Club will meet at the home of Mrs. R. U. Fletcher at 8:00 P. M. The Junior Womans Club will have a bridge party at the home of Mr. J. Schirard, Jr., 2300 Palmetto Avenue at 7:30 P. M. For reservations telephone 765-1.

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will hold its regular meeting at 8:00 P. M.

Sewing sessions will continue for the Red Cross in the Woman's Club on Oak Avenue from 9:00 A. M. until 11:30 A. M.

The annual bridge and luncheon of the social department of the Woman's Club will be held at 1:00 P. M. at the club house on Oak Avenue. Hostesses will be Mrs. H. E. Morris, Mrs. A. H. McCallister, Mrs. Lea Lester, and Mrs. E. Spencer. The party is for all members of the club.

**THURSDAY**

Sewing sessions will continue for the Red Cross in the Woman's Club on Oak Avenue from 9:00 A. M. until 11:30 A. M.

The Townsend Club will meet in the Court House at 7:30 P. M.

Institutes for Club Women will be held at the Social Club House in Orlando. Mrs. C. R. Dawson, 765-1, for reservations.

**FRIDAY**

Post Office Auxiliary and Clerks will meet at the home of Miss Mary Louisa Muller, 318 Elm Avenue at 7:30 P. M.

The South Side P. T. A. is sponsoring a Marionette show at the South Side auditorium beginning at 8:00 P. M.

The Ayles Circle of Sanford Garden Club will meet at the home of Mrs. O. P. Holland, 1804 Sanford Avenue at 3:00 P. M.

Mr. J. W. Hayes will be co-chairman. The subject will be "Birds."

Junior Auxiliary of the American Legion is sponsoring a fair to be held at 8:00 P. M. at the Legion Hall on the lake front. The public is invited to attend. A special in-

terest is extended the tourists.

At the evening refreshments were served to the following:

Mrs. George Townsend, Mrs. Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Landress, Rev. Oran Orohood, Miss Geraldine Petras, Miss Betty Petras, Miss Myrtle Townsend, Miss Wilhelmina Niblock, Miss Mary Edna Landress, Miss Betty Meyer, John Beswachin, Charles Rowland, George Rowland, O. D. Landress, Jr., Cecil Jones, Joe Petras, Robert Meyer, Sonny Horton, and Carl Williams, Jr.

**TWO WIN PRIZES AT CHURCH CLASS PARTY**

The Willing Workers Class of the First Christian Church were entertained Friday evening at the home of their teacher, Mrs. J. T. Humphrey, on the Orlando Highway. For excelling in the contests which were in keeping with the Valentine theme, Miss Betty Petras and John Beswachin were awarded prizes.

Late in the evening refreshments were served to the following:

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**MR. AND MRS. J. L. TILLIS**

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tillis spent the day Sunday in Lake Wales with friends. They also visited Bok Tower and Cypress Gardens.

**MR. AND MRS. R. P. WRIGHT**

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Wright of Winter Haven, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Petris of Creston City visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tillis.

**MR. AND MRS. V. A. WILLIAMS**

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Williams, Talks On Stewardship

Plans were made to serve supper to the Men's Class on Feb. 25 at the meeting of the Wesleyan Society of the First Methodist Church at the home of Mrs. H. A. Swanson last Friday evening. Mrs. Benben Mason is the chairman and Mrs. J. L. Clark, president of the Womans Society of Christian Service, was welcomed as a visitor.

A contest was enjoyed and refreshments served to the following members present:

Mrs. A. K. Shoemaker, Mrs. M. B. Smith, Miss Reuben Mason, Mrs. Paul Johnson, Mrs. Gertrude Page, Mrs. M. E. Nancy, Mrs. W. Childre, Mrs. Nancy Brock, Miss Lillian Thurber, Miss Louise Swain, Miss Betty Burman, Miss Ethel Rice, and Mrs. Clark.

**MR. AND MRS. E. H. DAVIS**

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Davis, Jr., of DeLeon Springs were the weekend guests of Mrs. Ava Wright Davis at her home on Oak Avenue.

**MR. AND MRS. J. H. COLEBROOK**

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The second in a series of bridge lessons by Mrs. Charles Gehrler was sponsored by the Social Department of the Woman's Club at the clubhouse on Oak Avenue last Friday afternoon. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. H. W. Rucker, Mr. H. G. Freeman, and Mr. J. G. Michael.

After an afternoon spent playing, refreshments were served to the 80 persons present.

The next lesson of the series of four will be held next Friday afternoon. Those wishing to make reservations may do so by telephoning 765-1 in the afternoon.

**Mrs. Townsend Is Hostess To Class**

Mrs. George Townsend was hostess to the Builders Class of the First Christian Church for its February meeting. Decorations were in keeping with Valentine's Day.

The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. J. L. Horton at which time a chili supper was planned for Feb. 20 at the church.

During a social hour Mrs. Horton was awarded a prize for the most original poem on Valentine's Day. Other games were enjoyed after which refreshments were served to the group.

Mrs. J. L. Niblock, Mrs. Horton, Mr. H. E. Corleil, Mrs. J. P. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGrath, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Landress, Mr. and Mrs. George Townsend, Mrs. E. T. Humphrey, Miss Bertie Huches, Miss Betty Meyer, J. N. Durden and Rev. Oran Orohood.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We sincerely thank our friends for their sympathy and kindness during our recent bereavement.

Mrs. A. G. Appleby

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Steele

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Miz

Miss Carol Jean Miz

Palmetto, the Netherlands, Religion and Norway all maintain government posts in London.

**BARGAIN DAY TODAY DOUBLE PROGRAM**

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**Stewart Says—**  
Capital Is Jammed  
As Defense Workers  
Add to Congestion

By CHARLES P. STEWART  
Central Press Columnist

OF EVER there was a popular, non-congested area, Washington and its surrounding suburbs are about it at present. The rate at which defense workers are pouring into the capital beats all records.

The city itself can't begin to absorb them, so they are crowding into Maryland, Virginia, and elsewhere, but how much the community's increased numerically in the last few months, it's hard to say, for any accurate estimate.

Official figures are not available, but those employed in the manufacture of material supplies of a defensive nature and those with white-collar jobs in the many and rapidly expanding executive agencies engaged in promotion of the defense program.

And, besides those the governments hiring, there's the army of residents for positions on Uncle Sam's payroll.

Furthermore, they bring families with them—wives and children, and hotels are jammed, of course, but the overwhelming bulk of the new arrivals aren't seeking the hotel accommodations. They expect to live in the capital or near it, for quite a while anyway, and want housekeeping apartments, or rooms by the week or month, or boarding houses, or quarters with private families. It's getting to be almost impossible to find places to rent.

Naturally, rental rates are skyrocketing. There's talk of legislation to control 'em. The difficulty is that it's enacted, a lot of householders with spare space available, provided they can get that price for it, simply won't rent it at all, thus aggravating the situation.

#### Rents Up and Down

Washington always has been, periodically, a mean place for its transient population, because, with Congress in session, it invariably is crowded, and landlords have made exorbitant charges for their rentals.

But, now, with the lawmen gone, the rents have come down.

Alas, as visitors realized this, began to build curiously.

Then, came the new Dec. 1, 1941, rent-control令, and the rents began to be arrested again.

Now, with consumers being almost exclusively and with defense requirements, conditions rapidly are approaching the extreme limit.

Monday isn't the only problem, at the hour when the government's binders are going to work.

The hour when they're quitting, too, doesn't leave room on down-town sidewalks. There's discussion of the feasibility of staggering the hours and schedules of government workers and quitting hours to accommodate the new situation.

There's only a given amount of room in the District of Columbia, and there isn't enough of it to accommodate all the would-be consumers.

#### Motor Traffic

On Saturday, Oct. 12, murder! On Sunday, Oct. 13, not to mention the day when the District had its first accident, it has 270.

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**Export Trend Is  
Downward, States  
Secretary Wickard**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18—(Special)—I believe, said Secretary of Agriculture Wickard, in his recent address to agricultural governments, "that if we were to take a group of farmers or agricultural leaders or economists (including the government variety), what is the reason we are reporting so little wheat or corn or cotton or lard this year? I would receive a reply in unison: 'The war!'

That answer would be accurate on the basis of certain comparisons. But it would be in error if we say that World War No. 2 is the sole cause for our almost complete loss of exports and that as soon as we end the war we will have what we think of as "normal" exports.

The facts are that the trend of American farm exports has been downward since the turn of the century. I don't mean to say that the decline has been constant. It has been by fits and starts. Exports shot up during the World War days. But they had been declining before that for 15 years. Exports fell off like a stone dropped from a tower after the Smoot-Hawley Tariff Act of 1930.

The most important thing to remember is the long-time trend of our exports is downward. For many times our national policies have been such as to discourage rather than encourage our farm exports. Also, the rest of the world has lived in fear of war during our generation; and the nations of the Old World have been trying to become self-sufficient in food. Also, new land in the Americas and in the Eastern Hemisphere has been taken out of cultivation by the millions of acres in the past 40 years.

A movie survey indicates the most popular screen actors, as a group, usually are between 20 and 34 years of age. Most popular actresses usually are between 25 and 29.

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**Fern Park News**

Mrs. J. Faulk was called to Winter Garden this week on account of her daughter's illness there.

The Fern Park Women's Club met Feb. 12 at the home of Mrs. A. E. Barnett and adopted the local Bundles for Britain unit as an auxiliary of the club. Mrs. Ruth Neal, president, announced that the next meeting of the club will be devoted to sewing for the B.F.P. unit.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Geiseler of Pittsburgh and also Miss Emma Geiseler are visiting at the Ed Geiseler home.

Friends of Col. Chas. Hallett, former Fern Park resident, will be glad to learn that he has fully recovered from a severe illness and is now in Richmond, Va., this 10th year.

The Fern Park Chamber of Commerce has given out the following interesting population figures:

Altamonte Springs	1930	1940
Longwood	281	551
Fern Park	318	408
Total	04	108
	663	1065

This increase of nearly 50 percent during the past ten years indicates that these three towns (sometimes known as "Seminole's Golden Triangle") constitute one of the fastest growing sections of the United States.

British army chauffeurs averaged 200 accidents a day in the last two months of 1940.

Here are some of the 700 reserve midshipmen from all parts of the nation as they began a 90-day training period at the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., first ever conducted there. The course qualifies the men as ensigns in the naval reserve; teaching them one particular date.

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By PAUL ROBINSON



**Shuffleboard Club  
Director Opposes  
Reinstating Jones**

MIAMI, Feb. 18—(Special)—Contesting plans for retirement of L. S. Jones as a member of the Lummi Park Shuffleboard Club, Welfare Director Gerald Ash charged the club's former president last week with "trying to run" the park.

Jones, however, said the issue was whether the shuffleboard or the city's recreation department should control the conduct of the club.

He claimed the city's attitude was divided, and the enthusiasts from Miami to Lake Worth, St. Petersburg and other resorts where he said, a warmer welcome was extended to them.

Ash accused Jones, who resides at 1601 N. W. Seventeenth Street, of soliciting money for private entertainments, installing a "juke organ" at the park clubhouse and "stirring up trouble generally."

The welfare director, former head of the recreation department in Sanford, said an order of his nipped the intention of individuals to hold bingo games in the park.

Ash declared members of the quasi-public shuffleboard club, formerly in sympathy with Jones, "have contacted me since his membership was rescinded, stating the general atmosphere has improved 100 percent."

Jones' annual membership fee of \$3 was refunded by the city on Jan. 29, closing to him the recreational facilities of Lucerne park—billiards, bowling, quoit and cards.

As a consequence, petitions requesting the reinstatement of Jones as a member and stating he no longer wished to serve as president were signed by approximately 150 persons and presented to A. D. F. Bloodworth, assistant city manager.

Ash, writing Bloodworth, declared the petition "was made up and written out in longhand by Mr. Jones personally."

"In checking the application card, we find that a good third of the signatures were not written by those persons whose names appear on the petition," continued Ash.

"Also, nearly one whole page is signatures of members of the bowling club, which club has no connection with the Miami Shuf-

feebold Club."

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