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Make Your Reservations For St Cloud Cottages For the Next Winter



ST. CLOUD TEMPERATURE			
	Max	Min	Rain
Thursday, July 24	86	74	.04
Friday, July 25	80	72	.35
Saturday, July 26	99	73	.92
Sunday, July 27	90	71	.22
Monday, July 28	91	79	1.5
Tuesday, July 29	88	70	
Wednesday, July 30	82	70	

VOLUME 11, NO. 49—EIGHT PAGES THIS WEEK.

ST. CLOUD, OSCEOLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, THURSDAY, JULY 31, 1919.

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# MAYOR IS ORDERED TO CALL SPECIAL ELECTION

## Circuit Judge Holds Ordinance Governing the Filling of Vacancies is Valid and There is Vacancy in Treasurer's Office--Mayor Blamed For Confusion in City Affairs in Failing and Refusing to Comply With Law

The hearing of the mandamus case wherein Fred B. Kenney asked that Mayor L. Q. Bower be compelled to call an election in compliance with the city ordinances, was heard before Circuit Judge C. O. Andrews in his office at Orlando last Saturday, having been postponed from Wednesday of last week. After the argument was completed the judge took the case under consideration and gave permission of the attorneys for the mayor to file an amended answer if they desired, by Monday of this week.

Yesterday the opinion of the court was handed down, which holds in substance that the city ordinance governing special elections to fill vacancies is still in force and effect, and were not repealed by the new charter. The writ, commanding the Mayor to call an election within seven days, to be held within thirty days, was sent to Sheriff Ingram last night and served just after noon today. The writ in whole is as follows:

In the Circuit Court for the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in and for Osceola county, State of Florida, ex rel. Fred B. Kenney, Plaintiff, vs. L. Q. Bower, as Mayor of the city of St. Cloud, Fla., defendant.—Mandamus.

Peremptory Writ of Mandamus The State of Florida, to L. Q. Bower, as mayor of the city of St. Cloud, Florida, Greeting:

Whereas by petition filed in this court, by Fred B. Kenney, it has been made to appear:

1. That petitioner is a resident citizen, and taxpayer of the city of St. Cloud, Osceola County, Florida, and a qualified and registered voter of said city.

2. That the legislature of the State of Florida, in regular session in the year 1919, and duly enacted an act entitled, "An act to Abolish the Present Municipality of the City of St. Cloud, Osceola county, Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the city of St. Cloud, Osceola county, Florida, to prescribe the territorial limits thereof, to prescribe the form of government and confer certain powers upon said municipality and the officers thereof, and to provide for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this act," and on the 20th day of April, A. D. 1919, said act was duly approved by the Governor of the state of Florida, and is now in full force and effect.

3. That L. Q. Bower is the duly elected, qualified and acting mayor of said city of St. Cloud, Florida.

4. That Section 53 of the aforesaid act of the legislature of the State of Florida, among other things provided: "The code and all ordinances now in force in the city of St. Cloud, not inconsistent with the provisions of this charter shall remain in force until repealed, modified or recodified, as provided herein."

5. That on the 4th day of September A. D. 1917, the city council of the city of St. Cloud, Florida, duly and regularly passed an ordinance entitled "An ordinance amending section 98 of the revised ordinances of St. Cloud, Florida relative to vacancies in offices of said city," wherein among other things it was provided, "vacancies in any office, caused by death, resignation or removal from city, shall be filled, by the council, if occurring within three months prior to the regular election. If such vacancy occurs prior to three months from the regular election, a special election shall be called by the mayor for the purpose of filling said vacancy, said election to be held not less than twenty days, and not more than thirty days after said notice, and pending the election and qualification of such successor, the council may, by a majority vote of its members, elect a temporary successor, who shall perform the duties of said office until such time as a permanent successor shall be elected and qualified," which said ordinance is duly and regularly approved by the mayor of the city of

St. Cloud, and published as required by law, and is now a valid ordinance of said city of St. Cloud, Florida.

6. That on the 26th day of May 1919, one W. G. King who was then the duly elected, qualified and acting treasurer of the city of St. Cloud, and by virtue of his office as such treasurer a member of the city council of the city of St. Cloud, Florida, tendered his resignation as such treasurer and member of the council, which said resignation was duly and regularly accepted and the said W. G. King thereby ceased to hold the office of treasurer and member of the council of the said city of St. Cloud, and a vacancy now exists in said office, and that more than three months will elapse before the holding of the next regular election in said city as provided in its charter.

7. That although said vacancy in the office of treasurer and member of the city council of said city of St. Cloud, Florida, has existed since the 26th day of May, 1919, the said L. Q. Bower mayor of the said city of St. Cloud has failed and refused and still refuses to call an election, as required in the aforesaid ordinance of said city to fill said vacancy.

8. That by reason of said vacancy in said office of treasurer and member of the council of said city of St. Cloud, the said city of St. Cloud is deprived of the services of an officer provided for in the charter and a great confusion has arisen in the management of the affairs of said city, and there is no person to whom the funds collected by the clerk and collector of said city can be paid as provided in the charter and ordinances of said city.

9. That by reason of the failure to fill said office by election as provided in said ordinance of said city the said city of St. Cloud, Florida has suffered and will suffer irreparable damage and great confusion in its municipal affairs, and that petitioner and all other citizens of said city of St. Cloud, Florida, are without remedy in the courts save by the extraordinary remedy of mandamus.

And we having adjudged said petition to be true, now therefore, we being willing that full and speedy justice should be done in the premises do direct and command that you, L. Q. Bower, as mayor of the city of St. Cloud, Florida, do within seven days from the service of this writ call a special election in said city of St. Cloud, Florida, for the purpose of filling the vacancy in the office of treasurer of said city of St. Cloud, Florida, and that you publish a notice thereof in accordance with the charter and ordinances of the said city of St. Cloud, Florida, said election to be held not less than twenty days, nor more than thirty days after said notice, and that you make due return to this writ, showing your compliance therewith.

Done and ordered at Orlando, Florida, this 30th day of July, A. D. 1919.  
CHARLES O. ANDREWS,  
Judge of Seventeenth  
Judicial Circuit of the  
State of Florida.

The arguments of Attorneys Johnston & Garrett contended that the mayor should not be compelled to call an election because there was no vacancy, citing the fact that Mr. Bower had appointed W. A. Arrowsmith to the place and contending that his appointment had been confirmed by the city council and his bond accepted. This argument followed a practical admission that the mayor had no power to appoint to fill vacancies, but admitting that he did have the power to appoint temporarily. When it was indicated by the judge that the city ordinance requiring an election to be held to fill vacancies caused by resignation was not repealed by the new charter, but was in full force and effect, and the further indication by the judge that there was a vast difference between filling a vacancy caused by sickness or temporary absence of a city official and filling a place vacated by resignation or death, etc., then the point was made in asking for quashing of the writ that there was no vacancy, which made it necessary for the judge to pass on the

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# Son of St. Cloud Family in Chicago Bank Fire

When the dirigible balloon, sent up by the Goodrich Tire Company at Chicago, crashed through the roof of the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank on July 21st, ten persons were killed and several others died later of injuries. The heavy engines used in the balloon fell through the roof to the main floor of the bank and the gasoline tanks exploded, spreading flames amid the employees and customers in the bank at the time.

In the main bank building when the accident occurred, a son of Comrade James Goff was busy performing his duties in the bank, but he escaped injury, according to word received by Mr. Goff last week. He sent a copy of the Chicago Tribune which contained some interesting pictures of the burning balloon as it fell to the ground as well as photographs of the bank building after the accident and fire. On the picture was indicated the place where Mr. Goff was working when the explosion occurred.

# BAPTISTS MAKE PLANS FOR BIG DRIVE THROUGHOUT THE STATE

## FLORIDA CALLED ON TO RAISE ONE MILLION OF THE TOTAL SEVENTY-FIVE MILLION TO BE RAISED

Jacksonville, July 30.—Rev. W. W. Willian was unanimously elected as state organizer for the Baptist 75-million dollar campaign at a meeting of the Florida Council yesterday in the Professional building. In accepting this work he will continue general supervision over Baptist Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. work in the state.

The Florida drive will be organized by counties, with a committee of five in charge of the work in each county, according to plans made yesterday. The chairman of the committee will be the county organizer and the secretary will be county publicity director. Each committee will have a woman member who will be Woman's Mission Union organizer for the county.

Florida Baptists are called on to raise one million dollars of the 75 million to be raised by three million Southern Baptists.

During the meeting Dr. Frank M. Unger, state publicity director, spoke on the necessity of a machine gun fire of publicity for the campaign. Dr. Purser was connected with the educational department of the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board at Richmond, Va. for five years. During the war he was a chaplain in the United States army, with rank of first lieutenant. He has just come to Florida to take up his activities as state publicity director for the campaign.

Organization of Churches Each Baptist church in Florida will

# How To Beautify Home Grounds

## Fine Results At Small Expense With Grass, Shade Trees, Shrubs, and Flowers As Beautifiers.

Adropos of suggestions recently made through the Tribune by Mrs. John B. Somerville (president of the Women's Improvement Club) and Joshua H. Ferguson about the desirability of utilizing trees, shrubbery, flowers, etc., for adorning home premises and beautifying St. Cloud generally, Prof. W. J. Floyd of the College of Agriculture (at Gainesville) lately has published suggestions and information that would be of value to any St. Cloudian interested in making his home and our city as attractive as possible.

"Certainly there is no State which affords greater opportunity for beautifying the home grounds with so little effort as does Florida," says Prof. Floyd. "Yet a GREAT MANY yards have no grass, flowers, or shrubbery! Why not give a little more thought and a little more time to making our home grounds more beautiful? With very little time and expense, most of our homes could be transformed into attractive places."

He suggests shrubbery and flower beds among the more important features. "Remember, however, that their arrangement has a great deal to do with the effect produced," he says.

Shade should be provided, both as background and as setting for the house, but the trees should not be planted directly in front of the house. February is not too late for setting out young trees, and desirable shade trees can be obtained without cost from nearby woods.

St. Augustine grass is best for the lawn, if it is shady; St. Lucie or Bermuda if it is open. The ground should be covered with well-rotted manure and then plowed and the grass sown before planting the thorny. A later application of tankage or nitrate of soda will prove of valuable assistance to its growth.

Unightly objects such as wood piles, partition fences, etc., can be screened by closely planted shrubs, such as cherry laurel or bamboo. If there are no gutters to carry off the eaves' drip, a plants that will stand harsh treatment, such as arbor vita or oleander, can be

# ODD FELLOWS INSTALL NEW OFFICERS AND GIVE DEGREE

The meeting of the St. Cloud Lodge No. 66, I. O. O. F., held Tuesday evening was the occasion of an official visit from the District Deputy Grand Master, Lawson, of Sanford, when work of the first degree was administered to candidates, new officers of the local lodge installed and refreshments served to the large number of members and visitors present.

The meeting was well attended and created much interest in the work of Odd Fellowship in St. Cloud.

The following officers were installed to serve for the remainder of the year: Past Noble Grand, Anson McGill; Noble Grand, Gehue Rowland; Secretary, Fred B. Kenney; Vice Grand, Thomas Summers; Right Supporter to the Noble Grand J. I. Cummings; Left Supporter to the Noble Grand, G. W. Penn; Chaplain, Sidney Viers; Right Supporter to the Vice-Grand, James Long; Left Supporter to the Vice-Grand, Joseph Tracey; Warden, M. Reynolds; Inside Guardian, Jesse D. Harris; Conductor, James Sage; Right Scene Supporter, Emil Graf.

About thirty members of Osceola Lodge No. 74 visited the St. Cloud Lodge for the purpose of assisting in the degree work of the lodge and otherwise enjoying a fraternal visit. After the degree work had been completed, Deputy District Grand Master Lawson appeared on the scene, and proceeded to install the newly elected officers of the St. Cloud lodge. This work was impressively accomplished as the District Deputy Grand Master and his degree team were proficient in their charges. After work followed recreation in the form of relaxation, ice cream, etc., and thus ended another very successful business gathering of the St. Cloud Odd Fellows.

District Deputy Grand Master Lawson has now installed all the elective officers in his district and feels highly encouraged at the great animation which is being displayed throughout his district. He reports that all but one elected officer was on hand to be installed and that one had been named on the installation night, therefore could not come. There is a laxity in attendance on lodge meetings by past grands, which is anything but commendable. After having received the high honors of the order the very least they could do is to make it convenient to put in an occasional appearance at the lodge meetings and encourage the younger fry to grow into larger fish.

Special I. O. O. F. Car.

An automobile decorated thus: "Special, I. O. O. F. Home, Gainesville, Florida," passed through Kissimmee on the way to the I. O. O. F. picnic to be held at Winter Haven this week. In this car were Mr. E. B. Marable, Miss Hortense Marable and three of the Odd Fellow's orphans. Mrs. Marable, the matron of the home, goes by rail to Winter Haven today, accompanied by the remainder of the children, eight in number, that are inmates of the Gainesville home of the Fellows orphans.

July 28 four candidates applied for the degree of love in Osceola Lodge, No. 74, and it was conferred on them. They were put thru a severe ordeal and were presented with an exemplified les-

# Clarence Bailey, Returned Soldier, Buys Grocery Business For Himself

People who knew Clarence Bailey before he joined Uncle Sam's army several months ago and went to France, will be pleased to learn that he has taken up his share of the responsibility in making his home town grow, and that he is now a full fledged merchant, and located on New York avenue. Clarence purchased what remained of the L. E. Firkins store on Friday of last week, and has been busy putting in new goods to fill the storeroom with good things to eat right fresh from the manufacturers, so that by the time you are reading this, The Clarence Bailey Grocery will be in full swing.

Clarence has a host of friends he made before he went to war, and that he has entered business for himself in his old home town indicates that although he traveled far and wide, he still has faith in St. Cloud and proposes to do his part to make the town grow.

The Bailey Grocery is located one door north of the Farris House and Clarence says he will sell the best things to eat at the lowest prices possible to obtain good food.

Any child whose parents or guardian are unable to provide the necessary clothing or books shall be so provided otherwise and must attend school. The teacher or principal of a school must keep an accurate record of the attendance of children, and the county superintendent is empowered to call on any private school for reports on attendance of children.

This school-attendance law applies to the whole State and replaces the county or school-district laws heretofore affecting attendance at schools.

TAX ON FOR HIRE CARS DUE TO BE PAID GOVT TODAY.

As to the tax on for hire automobiles, James M. Cathcart, collector of

Internal revenue, says that the war revenue act of 1918, section 1001, calls for a special tax on automobiles for hire at the following rates:

Each automobile having a seating capacity of more than two and not more than seven, \$10 per annum.

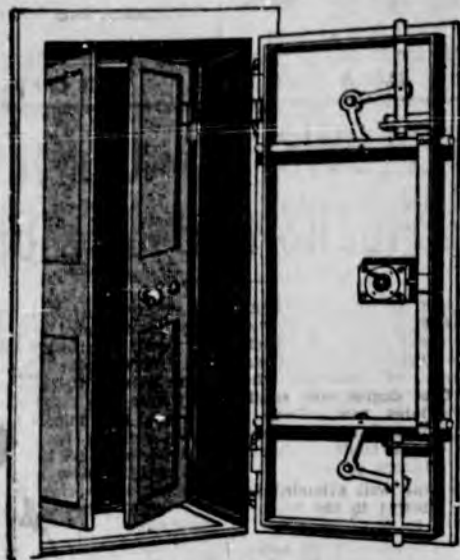
Each automobile having a seating capacity of more than seven, \$20 per annum.

This is a special tax and must be paid in the month of July to avoid statutory penalty. It is for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920.

"As I do not want to see any of these good fellows penalized I hope every one will pay this month and I am trying in this way to tell them about it," says Collector Cathcart.



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## NARCOOSSEE

from St Cloud this week to visit some friends and attend to some business here.

S. E. Waters of Orlando came down by automobile to look at his nice grove near Narcoossee this week.

Roy Low and his family have just moved to the J. B. Houser premises.

### SABBATH SCHOOL GLEE CLUB'S MEETING.

The Sabbath School Glee Club was entertained at the home of the director, Edith Harrod, last Tuesday afternoon. After the members present had indulged in games and singing a while, they were given a delightful treat by the hostesses, Mrs. Eckley and Mrs. Harrod.

Those present were Lena Harris, Navonda Haubert, Marjorie Strode, Irene Murray, Pearl Davis, Genevieve Haubert, Alton Childers, Willie Murray, Wayne Davis, Edith Harrod, Mrs. William Eckley, and Mrs. A. L. Harrod.

### MANN-SHARP WEDDING.

Mr. Henry Daniel Mann, and Miss Neoma Eliza Sharp were married at the home of Mrs. Sharp, east of St. Cloud in the country last Sunday. B. F. Ralls officiating. The couple have many friends in St. Cloud and are well known throughout the county. They are receiving congratulations this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Peed motored over

## State Bank of Kissimmee

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## Dawson to Manage Hardee's Fight for Governorship

Hernando County Legislature Appoints Manager of Live Oak Man's Candidacy For Governor.

From Jacksonville, Jacksonville, June 17.

Representative M. L. Dawson of Brooksville, Hernando county, will manage the campaign of Cary A. Hardee of Live Oak for Governor. Mr. Dawson having yesterday accepted the appointment as manager, tho in his letter of acceptance he declared that he had hoped at the expiration of the Legislative session to retire from politics to his farm and grove at Brooksville.



CARY A. HARDEE.

Mr. Dawson is a new man in State politics, so far as the active management of the campaign of a candidate for high office is concerned, but there are few men whom Mr. Hardee could pick who have a better and wider acquaintance of stanch and true friends. In his letter to Mr. Hardee yesterday the responsibility and trust are accepted as follows:

Hon. Cary A. Hardee, Live Oak, Fla.— Dear Mr. Hardee:

I am certainly grateful to you for your invitation to take an active part in your campaign for Governor.

I am quite sure, however, that you overestimate any aid that I may be able to give you; in fact, I do not think that you really need any help from me. I have recently sounded the sentiment in all sections of Florida, from Pensacola to Jacksonville and from Jacksonville to Key West. I find that serious, earnest, and thoughtful men everywhere favor your election and are, in fact, determined to elect you.

I had hoped that when the Legislature adjourned, ending, as it would, my third term in that body, I could retire from politics and devote my entire time to my farm and grove at Brooksville. The fitful fever of a hotly contested political campaign has little attraction for me. I fully realize, tho, that these are troubled times, and there is undoubtedly an undercurrent of restlessness and dissatisfaction permeating all classes and that the future is uncertain. Under these conditions, I am persuaded that it is no part of a patriot to shirk labor or responsibility.

You are right, I and all thinking men in the State are weary of impractical, visionary, and radical things. We are anxious to hasten the coming of the day when safe and conservative government will once more be in the saddle. If you feel, therefore, that I can be of any help to you in bringing about this result, I shall be very glad indeed to place my services at your disposal in whatever capacity you can best use them. In this connection, however, I wish it to be plainly understood that I do so with no string tied to them. I am working for the triumph of a great principle, and, when you are elected, I shall not be an applicant for any position in your administration. Sincerely yours, M. L. DAWSON.

### WHAT TO PLANT IN FLORIDA IN AUGUST.

Every month in the twelve as a planting season in Florida. This State's boundaries extend from near the twenty-fourth to the thirty-first parallels of north latitude—thru seven degrees. There are corresponding differences of normal temperatures and conditions. Vegetables and field crops that may be planted in August in this section of the State (from Titusville, St. Cloud, Lakeland, Tampa, and southward), are as follows:  
Bean (snap), cabbage seed, cantaloupes, carrots, cauliflower seed, collards, cowpeas, cucumbers, eggplant, English peas, Irish potatoes, kale, kohlrabi, lettuce, mustard, onions, peppers, pumpkins, radishes, rape, rutabagas, spinach, squash, Swiss chard, tomatoes, turnips, Windsor beans.

## Union Veteran Urges Law For Old-Age Pensions

begin work on a new congress enact an old-age-pension law that would keep the wolf from the door of aged people in the twilight of life in America, says the Washington correspondent of the Jacksonville Metropolitan.

Gen. Isaac R. Sherwood of Ohio is the man back of this movement. He will be 84 years old next Aug. 13 if he lives until then, and the indications are that he will be spared to continue his beneficent works in and out of Congress a good while to come, as he never was in better health than at present.

Gen. Sherwood is author of the "dollar-a-day" pension law for veterans of the Civil War. He is the author also of other humanitarian measures. He hopes now to crown his Congressional career by securing old-age pensions for worthy workers—for those who produced the wealth in the richest country in the world, and who keep the wheels of industrial progress whirling, and whose labor on the farms contributes so much to feed the world.

Gen. Sherwood declares his old-age pension bill "will do more to pacify the conflicts between capital and labor than any other endeavor." It was one of the three measures considered at the first meeting of the labor committee of the House of Representatives at this session. It carries the endorsement of the American Federation of Labor and of all the prominent labor organizations. The labor group in the House (more than a half dozen members who hold union cards) will co-operate with Gen. Sherwood in pushing the bill. He intends to concentrate his efforts in this Congress upon its passage, and he says he will press for early hearings on it.

### United States Is Only Great Country Lacking Behind In Pensions.

"The United States is the only great country in the world, excepting Russia, that has failed to enact legislation for the care and comfort of its worn-out workers," Gen. Sherwood says. "The men and women of the shops, mines, and farms, who produce ALL of our wealth and who have made this the richest nation in the world, are treated with total indifference after their working days are over."

The general emphasizes the humanitarian aspect by saying: "Why not do something along the lines of human progress by creating substantial legislation for the benefit of that widely neglected class too poor to organize a Congressional lobby in their own interest? Not only would benign alleviation of the woes of the workers heal the antagonism so apparent in labor strikes, but it would be an inspiration to patriotism for every worthy worker in the United States. Our flag would be then a hope and a symbol of helpfulness. As a matter of national defense, it would be a cogent inspiration to every worker."

In support of his efforts for this legislation, Gen. Sherwood has prepared a review of the world's labor situation showing that Germany, France, Great Britain, New Zealand, Austria, Holland, Belgium, Sweden, Switzerland, and even Turkey, Egypt, and Japan, besides other important nations, have adopted a system of old-age or service pensions in one form or another.

He recites the railroad trunk lines, aggregating 45 per cent of the entire railroad mileage of the United States, that have provided for the old age of nearly 1,000,000 faithful workers and WITHOUT REQUIRING ANY CONTRIBUTORY CLAUSE, and says most of the other important industries are doing the same. He emphasizes that the fatalities among the industrial workers are twenty times as numerous as in the army—covering a period backward of a half century.

According to authentic statistics, in 1915, prior to the industrial drive to win the war, there were 2,000 fatal accidents in coal mines alone.

### Regular Meeting of Elsie P. McElroy Auxiliary

The Elsie P. McElroy Auxiliary No. 17, Army and Navy Union, met at the usual meeting place with Lady Commander Esmeralda Vreeland presiding. Two officers were absent. There was an appreciable attendance for such a showery day.

Lady Commander Vreeland reported that Dr. Foster found Lady Comrade Clark sick in bed. She sent several meals to her. Lady Chaplin Williams (nurse) has taken her home and will care for her.

Lady Pickett McCarthy reported Comrade Jones as better and gone to the Soldiers Home. Lady Comrade Stillwell reported Comrade Stillwell as being no better.

Motion was made and seconded that we meet at 2 p. m. instead of 3 p. m. and was carried. As there was no further business, the meeting closed in due form.

All Lady Comrades remember the time for next meeting is 2 p. m. on August 11, and all come, MARY P. DOUGHTY, Lady Adjutant.

### RECORD LAYERS REPORTED FROM ST. CLOUD FARM

About two weeks ago we published a report of what one Comrade had accomplished with hens at this season of the year, and this report brings forth another from Grip Prather, who is operating the Newland Poultry Farm west of town:

Twelve white leghorn hens from May 10 to 31 laid 167 eggs. From June 1 to 30, 210 eggs.

Twelve Barred Plymouth Rock hens from May 10 to 31, laid 197 eggs, and from June 1 to 30, 188 eggs.

The July report will be given out August 1, if desired. This report was tabulated from the date when hens were penned off in breeding.

The Tribune will be pleased to publish reports of this kind from any one in Osceola county.

## W. C. T. U. WILL MEET

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of St. Cloud will meet at 8 p. m. Monday, Aug. 4, in Oak Grove church.

Business of importance will be considered. We urge all members to be present. We hope to push thru business without waste of time and give ample time for the program.

Mrs. L. L. Kibbe, vice-president from the Presbyterian church, will preside, and will have charge of the program also.

One feature of the program will be a question box. Any question any one would like to ask for information concerning the work or for the good of the union we will try to answer.

We are planning an interesting meeting. Come and help us make it worth while. MRS. J. E. RILEY, Secretary Pro Tem.

## Official Minutes of July Meeting

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C. L. Bandy, commissions	80.47
Waters & Carson Grocery Co., supplies to poor farm	65.34
Osceola Hardware Co., repairs on sewer at courthouse	11.35
W. B. Makinson Co., water meter	4.50
A. B. Vines, carbon sheets for tax assessor	12.73
W. H. Arnold, amount due on construction of vault	2,116.50
W. I. Barber, tax-assessing commissions for June	218.81
W. I. Barber, tax-assessing commissions on IRS assessment	569.47
John H. Baisden, transporting county pauper to St. Cloud	11.50
J. D. Chinn, county physician	125.00
F. J. Lowell, medicine to county paupers	19.96
R. Thor Weaver, gasoline and oil for June	44.10
State Bank of Kissimmee, interest on poor farm mortgage for six months	200.00
Mrs. H. H. Holland, maintenance	8.00
T. M. Murphy, Judge of Juvenile Court	12.50
W. B. Crawford, conviction fees	20.00
Bank of St. Cloud, pay roll for witnesses of Circuit Court	40.70
Bank of St. Cloud, pay roll for witnesses of County Court	63.20
G. T. Whitfield, costs in Gadsden case	12.00
L. H. Ingram, costs in Ford case	9.03
T. M. Murphy, costs in Ford case	8.77
L. Wilson, \$4; E. Hart, \$4; C. Thomas, \$4; Fannie Evans, \$4; H. Thomas, \$4; Lulu Mae Newton \$4; Lulu Newton, \$4—witnesses in Ford case	28.00
Ethel Simmons, \$2.70; W. L. Winn, \$2; Vernon Partin, \$2.70; Clay Partin, \$2.70; Steve Partin, \$2.70; Nellie Williams, \$2.70; Ruby Bass, \$2; D. Partin, \$2.70; Mrs. S. Simmons, \$2.70; Charles Simmons, \$2; Miles Simmons, \$2.50—witnesses in G. Baisden case	28.70
Joseph P. Fries, court stenographer	25.80
J. D. Chinn, witness for prosecuting attorney	3.00
T. M. Murphy, costs in Baisden case	9.50
L. H. Ingram, costs in Baisden case	20.49
L. H. Ingram, feeding prisoners	42.90
Joseph P. Fries, court stenographer	23.35
L. H. Ingram, costs June term of County Court	208.49
J. L. Overstreet, costs June term of County Court	62.86
Osceola Hardware Co., supplies to road gang	24.00
Waters & Carson Gro. Co., supplies to road gang	44.92
L. H. Prather Garage, supplies for road gang	257.00
Waters & Carson Grocery Co., supplies to road gang	251.04
J. K. Singelary, lumber for Boggy creek bridge	110.77
Dan Brown, guard	55.00
G. W. Ashton, superintendent of road grading	100.00
L. E. Farmer, road supplies, City Market, west to road gang	6.30
Miller-Jackson Grain Co., mule feed for road gang	237.60
W. B. Makinson Co., supplies for road gang	22.49
C. G. Tiner, supplies for county automobile	38.17
Kissimmee Wagon Works, repairs on county wagon	3.00
F. A. Babb, work on Bonnet creek road	6.00
E. V. Phillips, work on Bassenger road	19.25
M. W. Simmons, work on Wolf creek road	39.00
Pat Johnston, for payment of bills for dipping vats	2,600.00
Osceola Hardware Co., material for dipping vats	25.45
Fred Lorenz, \$44; R. V. Lanier, \$40.50; H. L. Overstreet, \$71.40; Walter Brown, \$47.90; C. C. Bass, \$84.20; Dave Bass, \$56; H. H. Hull, \$95; W. P. Tison, \$51; Charles Donegan, \$59.50; H. Simmons, \$5; Nat Stratton, \$24.20—inspectors of cattle dipping	942.70
G. A. Crum, \$71.35; Lewis Johns, \$24.75—work on dipping vats	354.90
State Bank of Kissimmee, order for Tucker Brick Co. material	152.90
F. F. H. Pope, lumber for dipping vats	13.20
Southland Garage, hauling material for dipping vats	94.00
D. A. K. Smith, filling dipping vats	9.00
G. H. Lawson, driving well for dipping vat	9.00
First National Bank of Fort Meade, order of J. C. Ledbetter for lumber for dipping vats	234.32
Atlantic Coast Line Railway Co., freight on brick	3,871.51
Southern Clay Manufacturing Co., brick to county	2,900.00
Paid warrants were ordered canceled from the various funds as follows:	
General revenue	\$1,175.00
Fine and forfeitures	192.45
Road and bridge	8,550.59
Special public	1,900.00
Tick eradication	3,280.32
Hard surface road	2,888.11
The reports of the county depositories showed the following balances in the various funds July 1, 1919:	
General revenue	\$6,725.72
Fine and forfeitures	4,731.42
Road and bridge	2,415.18
Special public	201.78
Tick eradication	664.51
Hard surface road	7,845.01
The tax collector's report showed the following taxes collected: General license, \$9.50; polls, \$7.	
The board then adjourned until its next regular meeting—the first Monday in August.	

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## Official Minutes of July Meeting Board of County Commissioners

(From the Minutes of J. L. Overstreet, Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Osceola County.)

The Board of County Commissioners of Osceola County met on July 7 in its regular monthly meeting, at Kissimmee, Commissioners A. F. Bass (chairman), Ernest Mach, John Partin, and B. H. Guy and Clerk J. L. Overstreet being in attendance. The board was called to order by Chairman Bass and the minutes of the regular and special sessions of the board for June were read and approved.

W. R. Fuller and R. L. Lupfer, representatives of the Southern Clay Manufacturing Company, appeared before the board and stated that brick for the Shingle Creek road had been delivered and asked the board for a settlement.

J. M. Johnston asked the board to recommend the cancellation of certain tax certificates covering lands in section 32, township 25 south, range 31 east, and subsequent omitted taxes on said lands for a flat sum of \$50 and the clerk's costs. On a motion by Commissioner Mach, seconded by Commissioner Partin and carried, the request was granted and a resolution adopted to that effect.

J. M. Johnston also asked the board to recommend the cancellation of certain tax certificates, together with the

sequent omitted taxes on the southeast quarter of lot 1 of block 8 of H. A. Mathew's Addition to Kissimmee City, at a flat sum of \$25 and the clerk's costs. Commissioner Mach moved, seconded by Commissioner Partin and carried, that the request be granted, and a resolution to that effect was adopted.

H. L. Overstreet appeared before the board and presented a petition signed by the citizens of the Point settlement asking that a road beginning at the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 1, township 26 south, range 28 east, and running due west one-fourth mile, thence due south three miles along the half section line to the southeast corner of the southeast quarter of section 24, township 26 south, range 28 east, be surveyed and declared a public road. Commissioner Mach moved the request be granted. Seconded by Commissioner Guy and carried. The board then requested Mr. Overstreet to try to secure a right of way from the owners of the lands thru which said road would run, and it asked L. R. Farmer to see that the road is opened and made passable.

Commissioner Partin made a motion that compulsory cattle dipping in Osceola county be discontinued and that all inspectors be discharged, but that the board continue to pay Ordla Bass \$75 per month for his services, he to take care of private cattle dipping for those

who wish to dip their cattle, the county to provide any one with the dipping fluid. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Guy and carried.

B. C. Kyle came before the board with a view to putting lightning rods on the courthouse, the estimated cost of the same being \$850. No action was taken.

Z. Bass appeared before the board and presented an application for a widow's pension for Mrs. M. L. Breaker, which was examined and approved by the board.

Mrs. H. H. Holland appeared before the board and stated her husband is crippled and not able to support her, and she asked the board to allow her something for support. Commissioner Mach made a motion that the board allow her \$8 per month maintenance. Seconded by Commissioner Guy and adopted.

C. L. Bandy, tax collector, presented his list of errors, insolvencies, and double assessments for 1918 to the board. After careful examination of it, the board made and attached to the list the following certificate:

"We, the undersigned members of the Board of County Commissioners in and for the County of Osceola, have carefully examined and compared the above lists and have allowed the same. C. L. Bandy is therefore entitled to credit, on account of said list, for the following amounts: Total State taxes, \$1,924.45; total county taxes, \$6,375.90; total school subdistrict taxes, \$548.20; total special road district taxes, \$3,723.97. County and special district taxes divide as follows: General revenue fund, \$1,202; general school fund, \$1,684.20; hard-surface road fund, \$1,684.20; general road fund, \$902.25; fine and forfeiture fund, \$300.75; special publicity fund, \$120.30; the eradication fund, \$481.20; school subdistrict No. 1, \$450.45; school subdistrict No. 2, \$5.69; school subdistrict No. 3, \$91.42; school subdistrict No. 5, 50 cents; school subdistrict No. 6, 23 cents; special road district No. 1, \$604.64; special road district No. 2, \$2,981.12; special road district No. 3, \$138.21. Done in open session, A. F. Bass (chairman), John Partin, B. H. Guy, Ernest Mach. Attest: J. L. Overstreet, clerk."

Will Love, a representative of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, appeared before the board and informed it that the action of the board in allowing the Peninsular Engineering and Construction Company the retained percentage before the entire work is completed is a violation of the terms of the contract and therefore released the bond company from any further responsibility. Mr. Love stated he believes the company will complete the work according to the contract and he advised the board to follow the terms of the contract more closely than it had in the past.

A committee consisting of R. A. Petten, H. M. Starke, F. W. Ames, W. E. Whitley, H. J. Smith, T. M. McNaughton, J. D. Prosser, James M. Glick, Frank Gausing, George Treat, T. G. Brown, and E. Breyan appeared before the board. Messrs. Petten and Starke, acting as spokesmen, each stated that they were before the board for the purpose of getting the road from Kissimmee to the Lake Wilson settlement worked and placed in condition so the fruit from their section can be hauled to Kissimmee to be packed and so they can come to this city to do their trading. Mr. Katz had appeared and introduced the gentlemen. J. W. Thompson also appeared, and he stated he is acquainted with the condition of the roads mentioned and that he is of the opinion that the request should be granted and the road worked. The board agreed to take care of the road and have it worked and placed in good shape.

Commissioner A. F. Bass reported to the board that Osceola county had agreed to pay an amount equal to any amount that Osceola county would pay on the construction of a fence between these counties, and he asked the commissioners if they wished to specify any amount for this purpose. Commissioner Partin made a motion that the board allow \$100. Seconded by Commissioner Guy and adopted. A warrant was ordered drawn to Phillips & Bass to apply on the work.

Miss Albina Smith came before the board and asked it to allow her \$300 to assist her in carrying out her plans in the work she is engaged in for the county—canning clubs, etc. Commissioner Guy made a motion she be allowed \$300. Seconded by Commissioner Mach and adopted.

Joseph Johnston appeared before the board and asked it to give him surveying work. On motion of Commissioner Mach, seconded by Commissioner Guy, Mr. Johnston was appointed to take charge of the work on the Shingle Creek road.

W. H. Kempfer came before the board and asked it to take care of the Jane Green swamp bridge in making up its budget for 1919. The commissioners assured Mr. Kempfer they would consider the matter.

The board then recessed until 2:30 p. m., when it met again, with a complete board present.

The board ordered vouchers drawn as follows: Special road and bridge district No. 2, to Peninsular Engineering and Contracting Company, for work completed as per estimate of engineer, \$6,162.14; special road and bridge district No. 3, to Florida Engineering and Construction Company, for work completed as per estimate of engineer, \$4,896.82; Florida Engineering and Construction Company, for force account, \$132.53; R. G. Reynolds, for surveying special road and bridge district No. 3, \$213; also a warrant for \$200 for interest on poor-farm mortgages for six months.

C. S. Acree appeared before the board and stated that he understood compulsory cattle dipping in the county had been discontinued, but that he intended to continue to dip his cattle, and he asked the board to allow him the use of one of the testers. Commissioner Overstreet made a motion that Mr. Acree's request be granted. Seconded by Commissioner Partin and carried.

The clerk presented and read in open board a letter or proposal of F. A. Stroup to grant a right of way for a

road running thru his pasture, the terms of which were not satisfactory to the board. Commissioner Partin made a motion that the clerk be instructed to write to Mr. Stroup that the board would build a fence on either side of the road as per his specifications and construct under-ground passages for his stock as prescribed by the board. Seconded by Commissioner Guy and carried.

The clerk was instructed to ascertain if the \$14,000.00 collected by the State Bank of Kissimmee had been deposited in the Bank of St. Cloud. If not, to instruct that it be so transferred.

The clerk read several communications addressed to the board, among them one from Prof. H. P. Rolf asking the board to allow \$145 for a scholarship for a student from Osceola county to the Agricultural College, at Gainesville. No action was taken.

The board instructed the clerk to make his report for services rendered as inspector of cattle dipping on proper blanks, so that his claim can be approved and paid.

C. A. Carson Jr. appeared before the board and asked that he be allowed to construct a dipping vat at Haulerson branch. Upon a motion by Commissioner Overstreet, seconded by Commissioner John Partin, the request was granted and Mr. Carson was instructed to proceed.

The clerk presented a petition for a road in section 4, township 26 south, range 31 east, which petition was ordered filed.

The report of Dr. Weaver, county demonstration agent, was filed with the board; also the report of Peter F. Murray, vice-president of the Peninsular Engineering and Contracting Company, which was ordered spread on the minutes of the board.

The notary bond of T. M. Murphy, with Eugene C. Bryan and J. Z. Robinson as sureties, was examined and approved; also the notary bond of Mary Puckett-Foster, with the American Surety Company of New York as surety.

The cost bills of the State of Florida vs. O. J. W. Ford and Gus Baisden, together with the sheriff's food bill for prisoner, were examined, approved, and ordered paid.

The clerk of the Circuit Court having prepared estimates of the revenues and receipts from sources other than taxes to be levied, and reasonably to be expected, from Oct. 1, 1919, to Sept. 30, 1920, the said estimates having been properly verified, they were ordered spread upon the minutes of the board and the original to be filed as a part of the records of the board.

The tax assessor having presented his books showing the assessed valuation of property, for examination by the board, in compliance with the requirements of section 23 of chapter 5596, Laws of Florida, and the board having given notice for fifteen days by publication in the Kissimmee Valley Gazette that the board would meet on this day as a board of equalization for the purpose of hearing complaints and receiving testimony as to the value of any property—real, personal, or mixed—as fixed by the county tax assessor of taxes for assessment for the taxes of the year 1919, and no one having appeared before the said board for the purpose of making complaints as to the valuations of his or her property, and the board having carefully examined and considered all valuations on both real and personal property as fixed by the tax assessor, decided to adhere to the valuations made by the tax assessor. So the tax assessor was instructed to assess the property at the valuations fixed by himself.

The tax books being ready to be returned to the tax assessor for the purpose of extending the taxes thereon, as provided by law, the Board of County Commissioners took up estimates for necessary expenses for the fiscal year from Oct. 1, 1919, to Sept. 30, 1920. Having considered the receipts estimated by the clerk, and the valuations of the property of the county as shown by the assessment rolls prepared by the tax assessor, and having fully considered the needs of the county and the requirements for the different purposes to meet the expenses during the said fiscal year, the board determined and declared the expenses of all special and extraordinary purposes contemplated for the fiscal year of 1919-1920 from ad-valorem taxation and estimated receipts from other sources that will be available, the estimates were ordered spread on the minutes of the board.

The board then proceeded to fix the rate of taxation for county and special-district purposes for the fiscal year impending.

The County Board of Public Instruction having filed with the Board of County Commissioners its itemized estimate of the funds for school purposes for the coming school year, ending June 30, 1920, and having requested a tax levy of 9 mills for general school purposes and 1 mill for subdistrict No. 1, 3 mills for subdistrict No. 2, 1 mill for subdistrict No. 3, 2 mills for subdistrict No. 5, and 1 1/2 mill for subdistrict No. 6, the following resolution was introduced and adopted by the commissioners:

"Whereas it has been ascertained and determined by the Board of County Commissioners of Osceola County that it will be necessary to raise amounts by taxation for the current year in the following funds, respectively, for county purposes designated as:

General revenue fund	\$25,000
Fine and forfeiture fund	6,250
Road and bridge fund	40,000
Special publicity fund	2,500
Tick eradication fund	10,000
County school fund	45,000
County fair fund	11,000
Interest and sinking fund for bond district No. 1	11,000
Interest and sinking fund for bond district No. 2	26,500
Interest and sinking fund for bond district No. 3	5,330

"Be it resolved, that the following sums be levied on real and personal property in Osceola county, Florida: General revenue fund, 5 1/2 mills; Fine and forfeiture fund, 1 1/2 mills; Road and bridge fund, 9 mills;

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Special publicity fund	1 mill
Tick eradication fund	2 mills
County school fund	9 mills
County fair fund	1 mill
Interest and sinking fund for bond district No. 1	7 mills
Interest and sinking fund for bond district No. 2	13 mills
Interest and sinking fund for bond district No. 3	4 1/2 mills

The following additional levy was ordered in special tax school districts: District No. 1, 1 mill; district No. 2, 3 mills; district No. 3, 1 mill; district No. 6, 3/4 mill.

It is further ordered that an occupational tax of 50 per cent of the amount prescribed by the statutes of Florida be levied on persons engaged in any occupation; that the tax collector is directed to collect any such occupational tax in the same manner as he would collect for the State; provided, that if by law the counties are permitted to levy a greater per cent than 50 per cent for such tax, then the tax collector is ordered to collect the full amount so levied.

Resolved, that the tax assessor in and for the County of Osceola, State of Florida, be and he is hereby directed to levy and assess all of the foregoing taxes as fixed and levied by this board upon the property as levied, and that he extend the taxes on the valuations of such property according to said millage as fixed and determined by this board on all property subject to taxation in the said county of Osceola as to all taxes levied and intended to be entered on the assessment roll under the head of "county taxes" and upon all property lying and being within the districts as described within the county of Osceola as of the first day of January, 1919.

Resolved, further, that the clerk of the Circuit Court and of the Board of County Commissioners be and he is hereby directed to furnish to W. I.

Barber, tax assessor of Osceola county, a full and complete copy of the foregoing minutes in so far as the same relate to the subject of levying taxes, describing homesteads, etc.	
The following bills were examined, approved, and ordered paid:	
A. F. Bass, commissioner	\$12.00
E. L. P. Overstreet, commissioner	10.00
Ernest Mach, commissioner	8.00
John Partin, commissioner	10.00
B. H. Guy, commissioner	14.00
Pat Johnston, attorney for board	20.84
J. L. Overstreet, clerk and auditor	110.00
J. E. Bass, janitor of courthouse	50.00
W. B. Gravelers, prosecuting attorney	25.25
Henry	25.00
R. Thor Weaver, county demonstration agent	100.00
L. H. Ingram, care of jail	12.50
A. M. L. Chauncey, maintenance	10.00
T. M. Murphy, county judge	10.00
J. B. Owens, maintenance	10.00
Mrs. J. E. Stenson, maintenance	8.00
Mrs. L. Mahies, maintenance	8.00
Mrs. J. C. Wilson, maintenance	8.00
Mrs. M. Bronson, maintenance	6.00
Samuel Montadeca, maintenance	6.00
C. G. Smith, maintenance	6.00
Amelia Evans, maintenance	5.00
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Mary Kiner, maintenance	5.00
S. M. McClelland, maintenance	5.00
E. Vogler, maintenance	5.00
Claud Sylvester, maintenance	5.00
Mary Kiner, maintenance	5.00
Della Collington, maintenance	4.00
Kissimmee Valley Gazette, blanks for tax assessor	5.00
Kissimmee Water and Light Plant, lights and water for June	15.00
Kissimmee Telephone Company, telephone rent for courthouse and poor farm	7.15
Wentner & Sawyer, typewriter ribbons	2.20
Western Union Tel. Co., messages to Tallahassee for board	7.61
Remington Typewriter Co., repairs on typewriter	10.95
Elliot-Fisher Co., repairs on book machine	35.63
H. & W. B. Drew Co., record books	55.62

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Among other interesting articles are noted some from Capt. R. E. Rose, of Tallahassee, State Chemist, who always has been an enthusiast on the practicability of sugar cane cultivation in Florida.

It is an indisputable fact that the muck lands and even much of the sandy lands in and around St. Cloud are adapted to sugar cane cultivation.

Closing down and failure of the Disston sugar plantation and mill here were not due to fault of soil nor to climatic conditions, but to circumstances that were entirely and easily avoidable—defective methods of cultivation, excessive salaries, employment of managers who knew less about manufacturing sugar than they did about having "good times," and disagreements between owners about whether products should be marketed in New Orleans or Philadelphia.

In other words, the industry was operated at a loss caused wholly by incapacity and needless "overhead" expenses.

St. Cloud's vicinity remains, and will continue to be, a section adapted to the sugarcane production and its related industries, and this fact should be widely proclaimed and assiduously exploited, NOT as a part of any scheme to sell land at exorbitant prices, but as an inducement for the investment of capital that would be profitable alike to the investors and to the community at large.

The trend of prices is higher for sugars and syrups, and promises to remain so thru years to come. The manufacturers of standardized sugarcane syrup alone would be a profitable industry here.

Our farmers, business and professional men, and others, should initiate the promotion of the sugar and syrup industry in St. Cloud.

Following closely on the successful vote for bonds to bulkhead the lakefront at Kissimmee, Eustis has also voted bonds to bulkhead their lakefront. Eustis, already one of the beauty spots of Florida, will become one of the "gems" often referred to by writers who tour the state.

St. Cloud has an opportunity of beautifying her lakefront at a less cost than any other city in this section. Its time to get busy.

George Wilder, of Plant City, Speaker of the House during the recent session of the Florida legislature, announces that he will contest with the Hon. H. J. Drane for the place in Congress from the First district in the 1920 primaries. George is getting wild and wilder. Why not run for governor, George?

The sheriff of Polk county has been sued for \$100,000 for false arrest and imprisonment. And in most cases when a man proves his case these false arrests and prison terms are costly. All of which should cause officials to be sure they are right before a person is placed behind the bars.

The Sick Man of Europe and the Titan of St. Cloud must possess a fellow feeling aside from similarity of sanguinary temperament and of appellations.

So, on we came, across the dry and

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To Editor of St. Cloud Tribune:

Received the Tribune and read it with much pleasure as always do. Many thanks to the one we are indebted to for its visits. We have read it for about ten years, I think, and the old National Tribune all our lives.

We spent two months in St. Cloud in the winter of 1917 and it is as pleasant a place as we have ever visited. We made many friends while there and saw people from all over the United States.

Our dear father, G. G. Curtis, whose name appears on the front of the Soldiers hall there, lived in St. Cloud eight years before his death in November 1917. Although we were sad while visiting mother, we learned to love the Sunny City as no other.

We enjoyed the pictures of St. Cloud so much, and the beautiful lake we will never forget. Our Mother is still living there, and although 83 years old, she lives alone and does her work, loving her little home too well to leave it.

Yours Respectfully, HENRY CALLON and WIFE, Gage, Oklahoma

To Editor of St. Cloud Tribune:

Enclosed find \$1.00 for subscription to your valuable paper which will pay to about October 1st, when wife and I will be thinking very seriously of packing our trunks for St. Cloud. We have had a nice time here this summer, only it has been awful hot the past two weeks. Our friends and others were glad to hear of our good report of St. Cloud and its people. I think we shall bring several families with us when we come back. I always pass the Tribune around so my friends can see what is going on at St. Cloud and they are very favorably impressed with the make-up of your paper, and what it says for the town.

By the way, since we left St. Cloud I have passed the 77th mile stone, also my 50th golden anniversary day. We were given quite a nice reception by our children and intimate friends, who wished for our continued health after we return to St. Cloud. Several gold pieces were in evidence when we turned over our plates at the head of the table, as well as some other presents.

In conclusion will say that I am lost without your paper, and am enclosing 25c for some back numbers. The last I received were June 19 and July 10, with the aviation picture of St. Cloud, which I think is fine. Quite a few will remember wife and I, for we lived over the post office for four months or more last winter, and we have a lot of good and tried friends in the little city of St. Cloud. At least we think so.

With kindest regards to all, Yours Respectfully, E.W.M.

Kansas City, Mo.

To Editor of St. Cloud Tribune:

On the 5th of July 1919, the writer started from Drain, Oregon, my native state, on my trip to the Sunny South, my destination being Labelle, Florida. I had been for some time in correspondence with Mr. E. E. Goodno, of Labelle.

I came the Southern route through California, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas, Louisiana, Alabama to South Florida. In the route I passed through Los Angeles, Yuma, Tucson, El Paso, Valentine, San Antonio, Houston, New Orleans, Mobile Pensacola, Tallahassee, Jacksonville to St. Cloud, "The Wonder City," and thence on via Kissimmee, Lakeland to Fort Myers, and by auto from there to Labelle, my future home.

My journey was like a passing panorama. First we had the green fields and noble mountains of my home state, next we passed over the wonderful Shasta route into the mighty state of California. Crossing the Sacramento river at Port Costa on the great ferry, we took the train again for Los Angeles, passing through the San Joaquin valley. From our car we viewed the wonders of one of the richest and most beautiful spots on earth, but our heart was set upon a home farther on where we believed the Creator had gathered together even more things of beauty and human comfort than California could offer to a common son of earth such as am I. So, on we came, across the dry and



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ard regions of Arizona, New Mexico, seeing every minute of our waking hours new things rare and beautiful, and past comparison. At night we came to El Paso, a most beautiful little city, shining among her thousands of electric lights and thence on to Valentine, Texas, once our home for four years. There we stopped one full day and breathed once more her health giving air at 4424 feet above the sea. We found it cool and refreshing after the hot spots we had passed over.

Then on to San Antonio, where again we stopped for two whole days with old friends who reluctantly allowed us to pass on our way. We stood in the Alamo that sacred shrine of Texas liberty and saw the spot where those heroes paid the greatest price human can pay, that humanity should not fall by the hand of cruelty.

Thence on to New Orleans and on to Sunny Florida. We came at last to St. Cloud, our present home. Here we rested three days and again took the train to Fort Myers where we arrived at bed time. We stopped at the Bradford hotel and were treated royally. On the dock we had breakfast, and were so pleased that we returned there for dinner too. In the evening we motored thirty-five miles up to Labelle our ultimate destination. To say that we were pleased is to put it mildly.

This letter is getting too long so I can not add much more. At Fort Myers, which is in my judgement the most beautiful little city I have ever seen, we visited Edison's Florida home and ate a mango from his trees there. At Labelle we met Mr. Goodno, a man of nerve and determination, who kindly showed us his magnificent property there.

We were shown over the new town-site "Goodno," and were carried in an automobile over his large stock range and were taken out to where the state is spending \$500,000 dredging, and two great locks. This work is near the town-site of "Goodno." The railroad depot, now completed, is inside the city limits. We were well pleased with all we saw and I am sure that the future of Goodno is bright.

AARON P. APPELGATE, Special Correspondent.

Mr. Wm. Griffin, St. Cloud, Fla.

My Dear Mr. Griffin:—Thanks for your letter of July 21st. I am glad to have your views on the question of locating the Home, and shall have it in mind for possible use when the opportunity offers. From your description I imagine the location would be most desirable.

Hopeing everything is going well with you, I am

Yours Very Truly, FRANK W. MONDELL

Mayor is Ordered to Call Special Election

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question of Arrowsmith's appointment to determine the merits of that argument.

In deciding that an election must be called, and making the writ of mandamus permanent, the judge has sustained Fred B. Kenney in his contention that Arrowsmith was not properly appointed or that he was not legally qualified to receive the city funds, and Mr. Kenney's refusal to recognize Mr. Arrowsmith and turn over any city funds is also sustained, according to the attorneys for Mr. Kenney.

When the Tribune's representative asked Mr. Arrowsmith this morning if he would be a candidate in the special election when it is called, he said he did not want us to say anything about him as a candidate for the place.

MAYOR UNDECIDED

The Tribune sent the following message to the mayor, before we received a copy of the mandamus: Dear Mr. Mayor:

We learned this morning that Judge Andrews has rendered an opinion in the Kenney mandamus case, and that he has issued an order for the calling of an election.

Have you received this order? If so, have you prepared a call which you would prefer to have printed today in order to speed the matter? Have you any other statement re-

garding this matter for publication? Mr. Cathcart informs us he has been relieved from service as marshal and that you have appointed Mr. Armstrong to the place. Please confirm this for us.

Thanking you in advance for this information, I am,

Very truly yours, CLAUD F. JOHNSON

Mayor Bower's Reply

"I have heard the Judges rendering in the case have not yet decided what I do yet nor went until I confer with council and our attorney. Cathcart has resigned and Armstrong is waiting the star."

L. O. BOWER, Mayor.

Part of Switzerland's food conservation was a process whereby bigger holes were placed in the cheese manufactured. Other nations went about the work by making bigger holes in their pocketbooks.—Ex.

Of course, the short-skirted lady never sees herself as others see her.—Ex.

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LOCAL PERSONAL SOCIAL

S. W. Porter, real estate, insurance. Auto for hire. S. W. Porter. Dr. M. Puckett-Foster made a business trip to Orlando on Wednesday.

W. B. Makinson, of Kissimmee, was a St. Cloud visitor on Tuesday of this week. Miss Kathleen Riggan and Mrs. H. C. Hartley spent Thursday in Kissimmee.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williamson, left on Thursday to return to Kinsman, Ohio. Mrs. Cox returned home last Thursday after spending two weeks with relatives at Tampa.

Geo. F. Snow will leave for Eustis, Florida on Saturday where he expects to remain until next October. Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Phelon, who have spent the past two months at Tacoma, Washington, returned home last Saturday.

Next Monday the county commissioners and county school boards will hold their regular monthly meetings at the court house in Kissimmee. Dr. J. D. Chunn has been confined to his home all this week suffering from an attack of neuritis.

Mr. and Mrs. Worrell, Clifton Tidholm and Ella McAllister were the dinner guests on Saturday last of Mr. and Mrs. George Barber on Massachusetts avenue. Mrs. H. C. Stanford and daughters, Margaret and Mattie, Mrs. S. H. Bullock and daughter, Violet, and Miss Betty Aultman motored over from Kissimmee last Wednesday to a bathing party.

A daughter, Vivian Ruth, was born July 12 to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bass, Dr. J. D. Chunn was the attending physician and Mrs. Maude Vockrodt nurse. Mother and baby are doing fine. Mrs. J. F. Bullard, and Mrs. Murphy left Monday for Johnson City, Tenn., where they will spend some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Dekker, Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Stewart, Mrs. Thon and Miss Dora Thon were visitors on the west coast last week, stopping at Clearwater beach, St. Petersburg and other points. They returned to St. Cloud on Saturday.

H. F. Cathcart this week resigned as city marshal of St. Cloud and Mayor L. Q. Bower appointed John Armstrong to fill the place. Mr. Armstrong has been well known as the well driller in this section and lives at the corner of Seventeenth street and Connecticut avenue.

J. O. Cowger, who has been serving with Uncle Sams army in France for the past year, returned to his home in Kissimmee last week. On Friday of last week he and his mother, Mrs. Leonora Cowger, were visitors in St. Cloud, spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cowger, on New York and Seventh street.

We learn with sorrow of the death of Mrs. Frances Deborah Anderson, the mother of J. Starr Anderson, who was for many years a prominent business man in this city.

The Michigan Association meeting scheduled to be held on Wednesday of next week at the home of Mrs. Rawlins in Douglas addition, will be held at the home of James Goff, on account of sickness in the Rawlings home. All members are urged to be present.

L. P. Lucas, one of St. Cloud's young men who has been with the army in France for several months, is on his way home and is expected to join his mother here within a few days. Mr. Lucas received a medal from the French army for his gallant service, the details of the particular service which won the medal being unknown at this time.

The members of the Croquet Club held a picnic on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. Gessford last Thursday afternoon. The time was pleasantly spent playing croquet. Those present at the picnic supper were: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gessford, Mr. and Mrs. Anson McGill and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Harris and family, and Mrs. Cox. The out of town guests were Mrs. Sellers and son of Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Prather celebrated their fifty-third anniversary of their wedding last Saturday, at their home west of St. Cloud. It is said that "those present" consisted of about twenty-five showers of rain. But Mr. and Mrs. Prather enjoyed the memories of fifty-three years of wedded bliss together and felt that it was "showers of blessings" for the world just the same as though they had been entertaining a house full of guests.

Few writers of modern fiction have a greater following than Louis Joseph Vance, whose ingenious and diverting novel of adventure, "The Lone Wolf," has been transferred to the screen under the masterly direction of Herbert Brenon, and will be presented under the Selznick-Pictures trademark at the Palm theatre on Saturday night. Heading the cast that is almost entirely composed of players of the stellar rank are Hazel Dawn and Bert Lyell, while in other important roles are such well known people as Alfred Shay, Stephen Grattan, William Riley Hickman, Edward Abeles, William E. Hatch, Florence Ashbrooke, Juliet Brenon, Joseph Chailles, Ben Graham, Robert Fischer and Master Cornish Beck.

SMITH-HUFFMAN ENGAGEMENT FORMALLY ANNOUNCED AT SOCIAL AFFAIR. From 3 to 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon, July 24, at their home, north of Fort Pierce, Fla., Misses Mildred and Irene Smith entertained very pleasantly a number of their friends in compliment to their house guest, Miss Beatrice Tanner of Parma, Idaho, and to their sister, Miss Florence Smith.

About 5 o'clock, refreshments, consisting of ice cream, cake, and salted nuts, were served, and with these was the surprise of the afternoon. Perched on top of the ice cream was a small arrow, to the shaft of which two hearts were attached by a ribbon. These were used to announce the engagement of Miss Florence Smith, a sister of the hostesses, to Lieut. J. M. Huffman of Miami. The date for the wedding, Aug. 21, also was announced.

Those present besides the hostesses and the two guests of honor were Misses Easter Russell, Julia Russell, Maggie Lou Poppell, Charlotte Norris, Wanda Glenn, Margaret Gladwin, Roberta White, Jewell Swain, Evelyn Gates, Olive Smith, and Marion Smith, all of Fort Pierce, and Misses Helen and Dorothy Daly of Vero.

Lieut. Huffman formerly was one of the staff of the late First National Bank of St. Cloud, leaving his employment there to go to the officers' training camp at Fort McPherson. About three months ago he was discharged from the Government's military service with the rank of second lieutenant.

The well wishes and congratulations of the Tribune and other St. Cloud friends of Mr. Huffman are extended to him and his prospective bride.

INVITATION TO YOUNG FOLKS. The Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian church invites you to attend its services at the church next Lord's day evening after the union services in Oak Grove park.

Our Endeavor Society has stood firm and has gained in spite of the "summer slump." Come, every one—and welcome. EDITH HARROD, President.

EARL WILLIAMS SHOWS BETTER QUALITY IN PORTRAYING Old Sleuth, the expert one can always find at police headquarters, whose head is full of philosophy, will testify that a morally wrapped brain has no limit of treachery.

The Vitagraph has presented to the screen a powerful demonstration of this argument in its feature, "The Hornet's Nest," which features Earle Williams. The picture will be shown at the Palm Theatre on next Thursday night.

There may be honor among thieves, but as it is shown in "The Hornet's Nest" there is more often an absolute lack of honor that plumbs the depths of coldblooded treachery. The traitor in the story is The Pink

Mouse, pal of The Hornet. He helps Hornet to steal the supplies and documents, then steels them himself, then sells them to two bidders.

"Dad's Reminiscences Reveries and Ruminations" It is proverbial that a writer writes best about those things which he has experienced. In which case Sergt. H. F. Cathcart of St. Cloud, lately with the American armies in France and more recently marshal of St. Cloud, has a large source of inspiration for the volume of sixty-seven poems and one later written by him in European army camps to his family in St. Cloud, and just published by the latter in a second edition. The varied scenes of his verses are partly indicated in some excerpts wherein he writes:

"I've faced Nebraska's wintry breeze." "I've tolled o'er Oklahoma's sands when the sun was blistering down." "I've choked on Idaho's chalky dust." "I've seen Florida's mighty oak trees."

"I've waded the Grand Ronde river (Oregon) when the needle ice flowed thick." Also to Minnesota, then to the celebrated Medicine Hat (Canada) of weather notoriety, and northward on to Edmonton, and thence to North Dakota. Another section, too, have known his activities, the latest being Florida and France.

Our soldier verse maker's subject are therefore varied in theme and scene and mood—grave, humorous, philosophical, anecdotal, sentimental, and religious.

The volume largely in one of personal reminiscence, however, and as such it will be of special interest to people acquainted with the Cathcarts. None of them who can should fail to obtain a copy of it.

Before going to Europe to fight the armies of autocracy, Mr. Cathcart had made no pretensions, nor even any effort as a writer of verses. He began it as a sort of pastime in writing to his loved ones. In St. Cloud, and it became a continually increasing habit with him in his correspondence to his home folks.

That Mr. Cathcart has poetic talent that, if it had been trained and developed, would have placed him among poets of more than average merit is apparent.

Some of his verse, in spite of the fact that he is an amateur versemaker, would do credit to writers of some reputation.

The major interest of "Dad's Reminiscences, Reveries, and Ruminations," and the humorous touch given them. For instance, in "Reveries of Dad," (page 41):

"I remember in early manhood I often had to 'shake a leg' Helping Sam to build a gun stick Which (he said) I'd like on egg; How Sam's mate used to fab him And the stick's shape deride,

Saying: 'It looks like an egg, all right, But like one that's fried.'"

Almost equal in interest are the author's affection for his family and his reverence for the better things of life. The Tribune can use about fifty lbs of good clean white rage, and will pay the market price.

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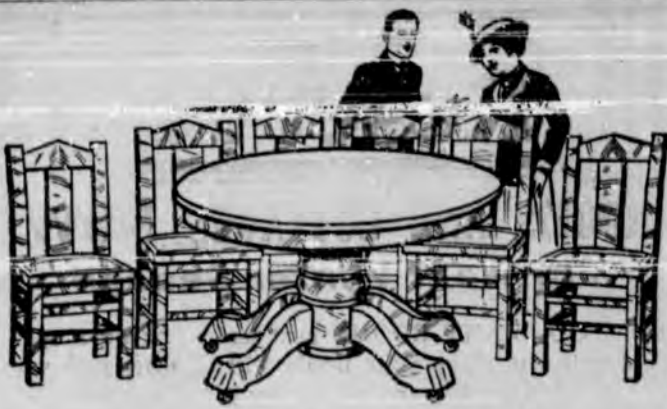
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A number of workmen have been making rapid progress on the Mecker garage to be located at Tenth street and Florida avenue, ground for the foundations of which was broken a week ago today. Work will be pushed on that part of the building to be located on the Tenth street corner of Florida avenue so that it may be occupied before the winter season begins.

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The barn on a modern farm is something more than a house for the live stock and their feed. By choosing a style of architecture for the barn design that conforms to that of the other buildings or that adds to the general appearance of the farm group, the owner derives a great deal of satisfaction from such a new structure. Beautiful, graceful lines of the building, combined with its utilitarian value, have brought the gothic barn in great favor during the last 20 years. Herewith is illustrated a gothic barn that will be a notable addition to any farm building group. And besides its attractive appearance, this barn is designed so that its interior arrangement



will combine all the features and allow for all the equipment that have been found to be necessary in the proper care of live stock and to do the work required to care for the animals. The building is 30 by 40 feet, of wood construction, set on a concrete foundation. The stable floor is also of concrete, which permits of a driveway and gutter, the latter being one of the prime necessities in keeping the live stock housed in a clean building. The floor plan given shows one use of the space in the barn. This arrangement, however, may be changed to suit the needs of the owner, whatever they may be. It is equally possible, of course, to increase the length of the barn, the width being ample for all practical purposes, and to make over the interior arrangement to provide for either horses or cattle. It also should be understood that in getting the artistic roof lines there is

necessary to health and productivity of come in for a share of the water carrying water to each stall also saved much labor.

Along either side of the barn are windows spaced so that the interior of the stable floor is well lighted and will be a great germ killer and goes far toward making the building sanitary. For this reason many dairymen prefer to face the animals in, so that the sunshine hits the gutter. It also has been noticed that cows in a field invariably graze with the sun at their backs.

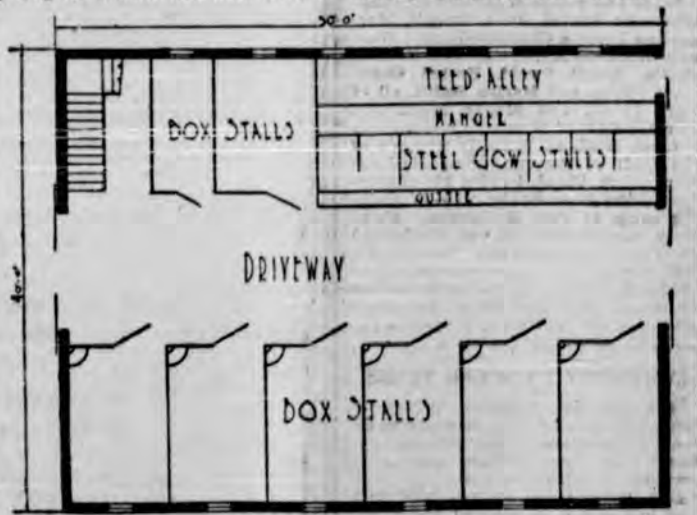
This is an exceptionally good barn design. It is so large that it costs a great amount of money, but is large enough to supply the needs of the average farm.

Every individual who needs buildings, whether they be a home, a barn, a granary, a business or manufacturing building, is urged by the government, and all others who have the welfare of the country at heart, to build now. Recent investigations of the cost of building materials have shown that the increase in prices of lumber, cement and all the other things that go into a building have increased far less than any other commodity. And furthermore, it has been determined by the United States department of labor, after a careful survey of conditions, that there is no probability that these costs will be decreased within the next few years. Reconstruction demands in Europe, coupled with a shortage of supply, make it seem certain that building materials will remain at the present price level.

There is a profit-making side of owning good farm buildings that the government officials also are bringing to the attention of the farmers of the country. Never in the history of the United States have the prices of foodstuffs been so high. Grain of all kinds brings double the price it did only a

few years ago; live stock prices have increased in proportion. While it is true that the cost of producing grain and of feeding and fattening live stock for the market have also risen, they have not gone up in proportion to the price obtained for the farm products. The fact that labor costs are high makes it all the more essential that the farm crops and farm stock should be housed in buildings where the work can be performed with the least amount of effort. Saving a couple of hours a day in caring for the live stock is a worth-while saving.

Building a modern barn at this time is not only a patriotic thing to do, but it is good business. Grain and cows are too valuable to be housed in any building that does not keep the former from the weather and the raids of rats and other animals, and the latter in a healthy and productive condition.



Arrangement of Gothic Barn.

no waste of materials, the architect having worked out this plan with the idea of economy in materials foremost in mind. The heavy arches necessary to support the roof have been provided with little more material than is used in the ordinary barn.

The floor plan given is for eight cows and a like number of horses. However, it is an easy matter to make this a model dairy barn by facing the animals in and putting litter alleys and gutters on either side. The driveway through the center of the building is of exceptional value, as it allows the owner to drive into the barn with feed, eliminating the necessity of carrying it in by hand.

By the ventilator shown on the roof of this structure it will be seen that the architect has provided a system of ventilation, without which no modern barn is complete. Fresh air and fresh water—plenty of both—are as

There are more arguments for building now than against it, and a careful consideration of both will convince the progressive business farmer that better farm buildings mean better crops and better live stock.

There is an added advantage in building such a barn as the one shown here. There is the satisfaction that comes to every farm owner in having his buildings of such a type that they will command the admiration of his neighbors.

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Katherine had gone with her mother to take some rolls and soup to one of mother's friends who was moving into the neighborhood. The friend was voicing her gratitude for the gifts when Katherine said: "Mother," she asked, anxiously, "are you sure you left some of these rolls and soup at home for ourselves?"

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The startling news that Well Number ONE is about to reach the pay sand must sound like music to your ears. It does to ours, and is of great import to all our shareholders. It will mean that the coming in of a good well in our own NEW FIELD, right at San Antonio's door, will send the price of Texas Central shares soaring HIGH.

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It may mean removing the shares from the market absolutely without notice. In fact, I am bound to protect myself by reserving the right to return your money in the event of over-subscription. YOU WILL BE among the fortunate ones if you HURRY.

Additional information is yours for the asking, but it is advisable to ACT before it is too late. While information is on the way, stock may be advanced to 5 or 10 to 1.

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MAKING HOGS PAY.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

To get the most out of hogs they should be raised in relatively small numbers on farms where there is considerable waste, such as skim milk, buttermilk, culled fruits and vegetables, grain and forage fields to glean, and other foods which would otherwise be wasted or marketed with difficulty.

Give the animals green pasture, but also give them a plentiful supply of concentrated foods.

Feed the young pigs well until they are ready for the market, which should be at about 160 pounds.

Provide shade and fresh drinking water.

Do not exert hogs during warm weather.

Use self feeders for finishing market

Prevent hog cholera by vaccination.

Do not feed lice, but kill them by means of using the dipping vat or some device whereby the hogs may rub crude oil over their bodies.

Breed your herd by keeping only the best individuals and breeding to a purebred sire of the same breed.

AN ENDLESS CHAIN "IN HOGS."

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

There are many plans of financing the pig club boy. Many banks are now ready to take the boy's note unsecured for both animal and feed.

In the endless chain plan a breeder or a bank agrees to furnish the female pig and agrees to take in return one or more pigs from the increase. The contract generally provides that the boy shall belong to a pig club, and observe its rules and follow as far as possible the instructions and suggestions by the club leaders and to make all of the reports required. The man who furnishes the sow agrees to carry the risk of death from causes that are not due to negligence on the part of the boy.

The boy agrees to breed the hog when not less than eight months of age to a registered boar of the same breed and to raise the resulting litter under the same rules that govern the care of the sow.

The boy then agrees to give the man who furnished the sow first choice of all the little female pigs, and in case it is agreed to breed a second time during the year, a second choice is given at the age of eight weeks. These two pigs are then considered full payment for the original sow and the boy is entitled to all that he can make.

There are many variations in this plan. In case the sow pig is received by the club member at weaning age, two pigs from the first litter at the same age, or one from the first and the second, may be returned.

FEEDING FORAGE CROPS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

Pigs that are kept in pastures, where they have access to green succulent grasses, do not suffer from a water shortage as much as those that are fed in dry lots on dry feed. If the dry feed needs considerable water to further the work of digestion the more succulent green feeds will be eagerly eaten afterward. Many feeders find that withholding water tends to induce fattening hogs to eat more forage, and helps balance the ration by furnishing protein as well as acting as a laxative.

But for breeding hogs, and growing pigs, one cannot go far wrong in allowing the animal to decide when he wants water and how much. He is generally the best judge of both food and drink.

BIG HOGS AND YOUNG ONES.

[National Crop Improvement Service.]

The most desirable hogs are those that weigh 200 pounds, but many of them are good up to 300 pounds, depending on their physical construction.

Thousand-pound hogs, pound for pound, are not as valuable as hogs that weigh less, because their fatness is mostly lard and other things than ham and bacon and chops. It is the fat that depots on such hogs and not the meat.

Quick pork is the desideratum nowadays, and the packing houses prefer them because they can keep up the uniformity of their brand, and they are certain to have young and tender meat.

PIG CLUB RECORDS.

Every member of a pig club should keep a record of his work. He should weigh his pig when he gets him and keep a careful account of the weight and cost of feed and the monthly weight of the hog. He will be expected to write a complete report from beginning to end.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that E. G. Parke, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 823 and 978, dated the 24 day of July, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificates in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lots 115, 116, 141, 142, and 147, Seminole Land and Investment Company, to-wit: Section 25, Township 26 South, Range 30 East, and Lot 22 of Block 182, St. Cloud. The said land being assessed at the date of issuance of said certificates in the names of G. W. Taylor and Unknown.

Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deeds will issue thereon on the 23rd day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida, 48-51)

NOTICE OF BANK AUTHORIZATION

Treasury Department, State of Florida, Office of Comptroller, Tallahassee, No. 291. Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that a banking association under the name of the People's Bank of St. Cloud, located at St. Cloud, Florida, and organized under the laws of Florida, has complied with all the provisions required to be complied with by the banking laws of the State of Florida before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking.

Now, therefore, I, Ernest Amos, Comptroller of the State of Florida, by the authority vested in me by Section 8 of Chapter 6226 of the Laws of the State of Florida, certify that the People's Bank of St. Cloud, St. Cloud, in the County of Osceola and State of Florida, is authorized to commence the business of banking under the name above given, with a capital stock of twenty-five thousand dollars.

(Given under my hand and seal of office this sixteenth day of June, A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred Nineteen.)

ERNEST AMOS, (Seal of Comptroller, State of Florida, 45-87)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that Arnold Busch, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 912, dated the 24 day of July, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lots 11 and 12 of Block 82, St. Cloud. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of J. Busch. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 11th day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida, 46-51)

IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA in and for Osceola County.—In Chancery.—J. K. Rankin and Joe W. Rankin, Her Husband, Complainants, Vs. E. L. Lesley et al., Respondents.—Foreclosure of Mortgage.—The State of Florida, by George A. Branscomb, Route No. 4, Campbell, South Carolina. You are hereby commanded to appear in the above-entitled cause on the first day of September, A. D. 1919, in the Court of the Honorable C. O. Andrews as Judge of the above Court, and my name as Clerk thereof, and the seal of said Circuit Court at Kissimmee, Osceola County, Florida, on this, the 19th day of July, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida, 45-51)

JOHNSTON & GARRETT, as Counsel for Complainants. 45-51

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA in and for Osceola County.—In Chancery.—J. K. Rankin and Joe W. Rankin, Her Husband, Complainants, Vs. E. L. Lesley and Wife and Norman G. Reisel and Wife, Defendants.—Foreclosure of Mortgage.—Notice of Order for Sale.—Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, as Special Master heretofore appointed in this cause, that the said undersigned, as such Special Master, will, on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1919, between the legal hours of said, in front of the Courthouse at St. Cloud, Florida, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the interest of E. L. Lesley and Jennie K. Lesley, his wife, Norman G. Reisel, and Mrs. Norman G. Reisel, his wife, in and to the following described property, to-wit: The N1/2 of NE1/4, SW1/4 of NE1/4, N1/2 of NW1/4, SW1/4 of NW1/4, and 81/2 of Section 23, Township 25 South, Range 29 East, Osceola County, Florida. Purchaser to pay for deed. This 1st day of July, A. D. 1919.

G. P. GARRETT, As Special Master in Chancery in Said Cause. 45-51

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that L. L. Baker purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 1061, dated the 24 day of July, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 16, Block 276, St. Cloud. The said land being assessed at the date of issuance of said certificate in the name of A. Klakann.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 16th day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida, 47-51)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that William Johnson purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 819, dated the 24 day of July, 1917, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 249, Seminole Land and Investment Company's Subdivision of Fractional Section One (1), Township 26 South, Range 30 East. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 16th day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida, 47-51)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that John Bush, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 992 and 1093, dated the 24 day of July, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificates in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 22, 23, and 24 in Block 307 of the Town of St. Cloud. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificates in the name of J. Bush and J. O. Leary. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deeds will issue thereon on the 13th day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida, 45-51)

By S. H. BULLOCK, D. C. 45-51

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA in and for Osceola County.—In Chancery.—Henry O. Parlin, Complainant, Vs. F. A. Sadler et al., Respondents.—Bill to Quiet Title.—Order for Sale.—Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, as Special Master heretofore appointed in this cause, that the said undersigned, as such Special Master, will, on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1919, in front of the Courthouse at St. Cloud, Florida, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the interest of F. A. Sadler, Alfred Jauannet, Marie Manger and Her Husband (if she be married), William A. Thomas, and Oregon W. Thomas, His Wife. You are hereby commanded to appear in the above-entitled cause on the 6th day of October, A. D. 1919.

To All Persons Claiming an Interest in the 81/2 of the NE1/4 of Section Forty-Three, Township Twenty-Six, South Range Thirty-East of Tallahassee Meridian, in Osceola County, Florida, Under F. A. Sadler, Alfred Jauannet, William H. Lynn, and Ramonella Lynn, His Wife, William H. Lynn as Trustee, Marie Manger and Her Husband (if She Be Married), William A. Thomas, and Oregon W. Thomas, His Wife or Any of Them, if ANY of the Same Be Deceased, or Otherwise Claiming an Interest Therein: You are hereby commanded to appear in the above-entitled cause on the 3d day of November, A. D. 1919.

Witness the Honorable C. O. Andrews as Judge of the above Court, and my name as Clerk thereof, and the seal of said Court, at Kissimmee, Osceola County, Florida, on the 24th day of July, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida, 47-12)

JOHNSTON & GARRETT, as Counsel for Complainant. 47-12

IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

IN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA in and for Osceola County.—In Chancery.—L. B. Ingram, Complainant, Vs. L. M. Park et al., Respondents.—Bill to Quiet Title.—Order for Publication.—The State of Florida to All Persons Claiming Interest in the South Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 16, Township 25 South, Range 29 East, Tallahassee Meridian, Osceola County, Florida, Under L. M. Park, Josephine D. Satterthwait, Ernest H. Satterthwait, or Josephine D. Satterthwait, if Any of the Same Be Deceased, or Otherwise Claiming an Interest Therein: You and each of you are hereby commanded to appear in the above-entitled cause on the 6th day of October, A. D. 1919. Witness the Honorable C. O. Andrews, as Judge of the above Court, and my name as Clerk thereof, and the seal of said Court, at Kissimmee, Osceola County, Florida, on this 2nd day of July, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida, 45-12)

JOHNSTON & GARRETT, Counsel for Complainant. 45-12

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that Wilson Jones, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 990, dated the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 8 of Block 160, St. Cloud. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of S. L. Meek. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida, 45-51)

Fortunate is the man upon whose face is written a letter of credit.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that Bernard Mullin, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 804 and 807, dated the 24 day of July, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificates in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 61, Seminole Land and Investment Company's Subdivision of Section 16, Township 27 South, Range 30 East, and Lot 2 of Block 26, St. Cloud.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificates in the name of M. A. Contoit. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deeds will issue thereon on the 23rd day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida, 45-51)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that John H. Johnston, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 812 and No. 813, dated the 24 day of July, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificates in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lots 491 and 492, Seminole Land and Investment Company's Subdivision of Section 6, Township 26 South, Range 31 (Thirty-One) East. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the names of Unknown and J. D. Coppek.

Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deeds will issue thereon on the 13th day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida, 47-51)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In Court of the County Judge, Osceola County, State of Florida.—In Re Estate of William Hicks.

To All Creditors, Legatees, Distributees, and All Persons Having Claims or Demands Against Said Estate: You and each of you are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you or either of you may have against the estate of William Hicks, deceased, late of Osceola County, Florida, to the undersigned Administrator of said estate within two years from the date hereof.

Dated June 5th, A. D. 1919.

S. W. FARRER, Administrator. 42-91

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED.

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Lula Strewing, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 529, dated the 7th day of August, A. D. 1918, has filed said certificate in my office and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lots 325 and 348, Seminole Land and Investment Company's Subdivision of Section 4 in Township 26 South, Range 30 East. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of Seminole Land and Investment Company. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 23rd day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Circuit Court J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida, 48-51)

By S. H. BULLOCK, D. C. 48-51

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In Court of County Judge, Osceola County, State of Florida.—In Re Estate of Charles W. Wood.

To All Creditors, Legatees, Distributees, and All Persons Having Claims or Demands Against Said Estate: You and each of you are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you or either of you may have against the estate of Charles W. Wood, deceased, late of Osceola County, Florida, to the undersigned Executor of said estate within two years from the date hereof.

Dated July 5th, A. D. 1919.

DONALD L. WOOD, Executor. 46-81

THE SEASON IS HERE WHEN MANY A FAMILY MAN WOULD LIKE TO SWAP HIS BIG AUTOMOBILE FOR A SMALL COAL YARD.

Fishing for a husband is a good deal like the other kind of angling. It is always the big ones that get away.

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Large advertisement for 'LAMB'S REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE' featuring various property listings with prices and contact information for Leon D. Lamb, Manager, Notary Public, St. Cloud, Fla.



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#### ABOUT THE TOUR

##### OF PRESIDENT WILSON

Much speculation is rife in Washington as to whether the proposed trip of the President over the country to speak on the League of Nations will really materialize. It will be remembered that the announcement was made that the trip would begin immediately after the Peace Treaty had been presented to the Senate, but several weeks have elapsed now and no further word comes as to the journey. It has been expected that the itinerary of the trip would be made public so that sections of the country through which the President would travel could make suitable preparations to receive him, but even in this there is

a heavy silence. That the country took the announcement of the proposed trip seriously is shown by the invitations that have poured in from every State, asking the President to take part in celebrations that would be devised in his honor. The query is now being heard on both sides of the Capitol Building, as time passes and nothing comes from the White House, as to whether it was the fixed purpose to canvass for the treaty and league or whether it was a sort of "sounding out" as to opposition to both; also what it might bring forth as to the popularity of the President toward giving him a third term.

#### LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

##### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Notice is hereby given, that Foster Newton, purchaser of Tax Certificate Nos. 575, 578, 581, 583, 584 and 585 dated the 2nd day of July A. D. 1917, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property, situated in Osceola county, Florida, to-wit: Lot 25, Lot 106 and Lot 127 Seminole Land and Investment Company's Subdivision of Section 32, Township 26 South, Range 31 East, and Lot 56, Lot 90 and Lots 104 and 105 Seminole Land and Investment Company's Sub-division of Section 33, Township 26 South, Range 31 East.

The said lands being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificates in the name of P. Weas, J. F. Keonig, H. J. Cramer, Unknown, H. M. Kimball and N. A. Keat. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1919.

J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida

##### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Notice is hereby given, that Henry Goff, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 880, dated the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1917, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Osceola County, Florida, to-wit: Lot 13, Block 44, St. Cloud. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of said certificate in the name of W. B. Crawford. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1919.

J. L. OVERSTREET, Clerk Circuit Court, Osceola County, Florida

#### REPORT OF STATE PLANT BOARD GIVES THIS STATE SECOND PROPOSITION

California leads Florida only by a small margin in the acreage of oranges and grapefruit, according to the report of the State Plant Board, which consumes four years in the making. California's total acreage is 172,000 as compared with 160,397 for this State. The lemon plantings in California total 48,000 acres, while they are comparatively negligible in Florida. Of the 160,397 acres devoted to citrus trees in grove formation, 115,324 acres are in bearing age trees and 45,073 acres are non-bearing. It is estimated that 80 per cent of the 47,401 citrus growers in Florida market their fruits.

In everything except the number of citrus growing properties Polk county takes the lead for the entire State, with 13,795 bearing acres and 8,830 non-bearing. That county has 165,635 trees bearing while the number of non-bearing trees are 618,165. Pinellas county ranks first for citrus growing properties, having a total of 4,682. Standing third is Lake county in bearing trees and bearing acres but she is eleventh both in number of non-bearing acres and non-bearing trees, indicating that the groves in that county are better cared for than those in any other county.

Wakulla and Liberty are the only counties in the State not having at least one bearing acre of citrus fruit, any other county in the State, only Liberty has less citrus properties than nine having registered for the whole county.

Duval county ranks among the largest in the State for citrus growing properties, with a total of 1,250. Over one-third of her citrus acreage is bearing fruit. The statistics are: Acres bearing, 355; acres non-bearing, 105; trees bearing, 24,861; trees non-bearing, 7,339.

The table gives no record of citrus nursery stock. Oranges and grapefruit are not listed but it is generally conceded that 65 per cent of the citrus acreage is composed of oranges, and 35 per cent of grapefruit, lemons and lemons.

A careful inspection of the Florida Keys under the direction of District Inspector A. L. Swanson, showed a total of 2,341 acres of lemons and lemons during the winter of 1917-1918.

Four years were required in compiling the figures in the report of the State Board and the table is believed to be as nearly accurate as possible.

#### THE PRESIDENTIAL YACHT, "THE MAYFLOWER"

It is a beautiful sight to witness the message of the President's yacht, the "Mayflower," as it glides majestically down the Potomac River, its graceful bow cutting the water sharply and its white color brightly gleaming in the sun. It is always at the command of the President, and since his return from France he has taken several short outings aboard the vessel, accompanied by the members of his household and government officials. The "Mayflower" carries a crew of 75 officers and men, and has its special deck at the Washington Navy Yard. It is a vessel of about 2,000 tons, and is capable of battling with heavy ocean waves. It carries a complete wireless outfit, which enables the President to keep in close touch with affairs and happenings on land. The "Mayflower" was the only ship in the Navy that was not placed in active service during the war.

#### FREE POSTAGE FOR MRS. ROOSEVELT

Free postal privileges for Mrs. Roosevelt, widow of the late Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, as provided in a bill favorably reported to the House of Representatives by the Postoffice Committee. When passed, it will mean that Mrs. Roosevelt need only sign her name on the upper corner of the envelope used by her, in the usual place where stamps are affixed, and her letters, or parcels of any kind, will be transported free by the government. The same rights were given Mrs. McKinley, Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Grover Cleveland. As yet no bill has been offered to provide Mrs. Roosevelt with the usual pension of \$5,000 yearly, the sum heretofore given by Congress to widows of Presidents.

#### UNCLE SAM LOSING OUT

It will be a surprise to learn that the aviation service of the Army has been practically reduced to a mere shell, the announcement coming from the Senate Committee on Military Affairs. At present the government owns but very few combat planes, and after September 30th it will have no flyers to man them, because no provision has been made to hold men in the service. The personnel of the service then will consist of but 232 officers whose duties will be entirely administrative. Prompt action will be necessary by Congress to provide ways and means to advance the aviation department, if Uncle Sam is to keep up with many other countries.

#### THING THAT LOOKS WELL TO PASSERS-BY.

Excellent streets, kept cleanly and in repair. Business-houses and residences neatly painted. Roads and streets graded and no "duck ponds" allowed to form. Front yards with concrete, cinder, or other kind of paved or hard walks, and with flower beds, and with vacant lots seeded to grass and frequently mown. Back yards so clean that they inspire admiration. School grounds sanitary and with adequate play grounds for children. Store windows with neat displays of goods and a spirit of thrift in evidence. Churches well filled on Sundays. No street corner loafers nor bums. A strong spirit of civic pride. These are good signs. Push them along or display them.

## LEAGUE OR WAR DECLARES FORD

### MANUFACTURER MAKES IT CLEAR HE BELIEVES GOVERNMENT IS GREAT STEP.

Whirlwind of Questions Fall to Shake Composure of Man Who Sues for Million Because He Was Called "Anarchist"

Mt. Clemens, Mich.—The high idealism of Henry Ford has freshened the proceedings of the Ford-Tribune libel case and has brought into the wearisome arguments of counsel and the dull repetition of cross-examinations, a new quality.

For a week the man who has been described as everything from an "anarchist" to the greatest patriot of his day, has been on the stand facing a merciless fire of questions.

During the reading of an article written by John Reed on Henry Ford, and published in the Metropolitan Magazine, the audience in the court chamber violated all precedent by breaking into applause and Mr. Ford, visibly embarrassed, raised his hand in protest.

Tribune counsel, and endeavored to quote paragraphs from the Reed article but had been compelled, by objection of Ford attorneys, to introduce the interview in its entirety. In the main it was highly complimentary to Mr. Ford.

"Make Farmer Independent"

"What I want to do," Mr. Ford was quoted as saying, "is to make the farmer as independent as I am; independent of the banks, independent of the trusts, independent of the railroads."

The audience, many of them from the surrounding farms of this community, showed visible evidence of its appreciation of that ideal.

Twice Mr. Ford, wearying of the questions having to do with his knowledge of history, said "Oh, I'll admit that I'm an ignorant idealist if you wish."

"What is an idealist?" queried Tribune counsel.

The innate goodness of the man glared up his sandy eyes with a new light, as he leaned forward and answered slowly, "I think an idealist is one who tries to make people happy and prosperous. I think I do that a little."

4409. Unassuming, courteous and unobtrusive, Henry Ford made a deep impression on the audience. Not once did he lose his temper under the needle of opposing attorneys, even when their questions verged on the edge of insult, but when the examination touched on subjects which are close to his heart, the League of Nations, war and the happiness and prosperity of humanity, counsel found him eagerly alert.

A League of Nations, or preparedness up to the hilt.

"That is the way he sees the situation today. We must either," he said, "accept the covenant of peace or democracy must arm and stand guard forever at the threshold of liberty."

"War is Murder"

He hammered that fact home and with it he always added, "War is murder."

"I was a murderer," he said, "I was a helper of murder. When the crisis came we all took a hand. But it is all the same. War is murder."

"What do you mean by murder?"

"I mean killing people."

"Killing people to protect the interests of the people?"

"Killing anybody or anything. I don't know what else war is. War is murder. There is a far better way."

"What is the better way?"

"Why, to educate people. To teach them to think for themselves."

A long examination was conducted which sought to quiz Mr. Ford concerning his views on history, based on a remark which he once made that "I wouldn't give five cents for all the history ever written."

"I don't think much more of it now than I did then," testified Mr. Ford.

"The war showed us that history didn't last a week. All the things they told us would happen didn't happen. They went ahead, knowing what war meant, and made the same mistakes all over again. The history we write today is the thing that counts. I'm not interested in yesterday."

#### The Flag of Nations.

The much discussed flag of a League of Nations, which it has been stated Mr. Ford was having made in his factory before the United States entered the war, was brought into court. The testimony developed the fact that Mr. Ford did not originate the design of the flag and had never seen the banner itself. He saw a small drawing of it once in St. Paul's Cathedral, Detroit, he said, but had never heard of it again and knew nothing about it.

He denied emphatically that he ever said he would raise this flag above the Stars and Stripes, and said the statement that he revered this banner above the flag of his country was "A terrible thing to say about an American."

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