



### The Passing Parade

By HAROLD S. MAY

● We are pleased to have word from President Henry E. Lamar of the Chamber of Commerce that an open meeting of the membership is planned. Titled the Annual Meeting, a full report of the Chamber's activities will be given the members and we trust that time will be allotted for those in attendance to offer suggestions to the officers and board of directors that should be of value in promoting the interests of our community. This is a good start. Maybe we can expect other open membership meetings during the year. As this will be the first opportunity in many years that the entire membership is given to gather together, it should be a fruitful occasion.

● Statistics show that one-third of our citizens never get out of debt. This is new? Not to us.

● The current school situation came to the boiling point at the annual AEA meeting in Birmingham last week and continues to move more than summer at this moment. With the State Board of Education meeting Friday afternoon in an effort to solve the problem, teachers, administrators, parents and students mark time with the prayer that a solution may be found. We are certain that never in the history of the state have so many been concerned over the future of education in Alabama.

● The office boy just couldn't do anything right and finally, in desperation, his immediate boss blasted: "You and the president of our company have got one thing in common. The boy, happy with the comparison, asked: 'What's that?'" "You've both gone as far as you can go in the company," was the explanation.

● The folks who get up in the world today, someone has said, are the ones who drove carefully last night.

● The new maid was being shown around the house and each piece of furniture was being pointed out as one needing special care. "This dining room table," said Mrs. Upchurch, "goes back to Louis the Fourteenth." "That's nothing," replied the new maid in a sympathetic voice, "my whole living room set goes back to Sears the fifteenth."

● Oh, for the good old days when the panhandlers asked for a nickel for a cup of coffee and so did the restaurant owners.

● A native Floridian and her husband were visiting in Florence during one of our recent snows. She was just thrilled at the sight of snow and told her husband that she had decided to mail some back to her children who, also, had never seen snow. "But the snow will be gone long before the package reaches them," he explained. "Don't be silly," she said. "Who'd steal a little bit of snow?"

● You can't make dollars by depositing quarters—in an easy chair.

● The woman seeking a divorce from her husband listed among other things his lack of affection and attentiveness, summing it all up with: "I declare that if anything happened to me he couldn't identify the body."

● Most reformers come from the middle class.

● The young man, apparently sure of himself, approached his girl's father to ask for her hand in marriage. "And upon what income do you propose to support my daughter?" was the question that the stern father asked. "Five thousand a year," he replied. After a moment's thought, the father remarked: "Oh, I see. Then with her private income of \$5,000 a year, 'Just a minute, sir,' the prospective bridegroom interrupted, 'I've counted that in.'"

● The girl gazed soulfully into the eyes of her new boy friend and asked: "Am I the first girl you ever kissed?" The boy thought seriously for a moment and replied: "You may be, did you ever attend the University of Alabama?"

● The boss returned from lunch in an exceptionally gay mood and called his staff in to listen to a couple of jokes he'd picked up. Everyone but one girl laughed uproariously. "What's the matter?" grumbled the boss. "Haven't you got any sense of humor?" "I don't have to laugh," said the girl. "I'm leaving Friday anyhow."

● The church was almost filled that Sunday morning except for the first five rows. Just before the services began, a bus driver entered and walked straight to the middle of the very first pew. After the sermon, the preacher went to the man and asked him why he sat in the front row all alone. "Well," replied the driver, "I just sat up here to see what you did to make everyone move to the back."



**HEADS ALABAMA DISTRICT**—Wilbur Hodge, president of Florence Kiwanis Club, congratulates Jimmy Gamble, Florence State Junior, who was elected Governor of Alabama District Circle K at the annual convention held on the campus of University of Alabama.

## House Measure Would Provide Referee System

Senate May Write Own Bill; Prolonged Debate May Result

### BULLETIN

A last minute demand by House civil rights bill Wednesday afternoon postponed action on the measure until this afternoon. Passage was predicted.

A provision was written into the relatively mild House civil rights bill Tuesday providing court appointed referee system to supervise Negro voting rights. The write-in vote was 198 to 104.

Passage of the amended bill expected Wednesday on a roll call vote would send the measure to the Senate where a more prolonged debate is expected if not a completely rewritten civil rights bill. The Senate weary by many days and nights of civil rights debate which began on February 15, has not yet agreed on a bill. The body was expected to take at least another week, perhaps longer.

Should the two houses thus pass separate versions, action by a conference committee would be needed to compromise the differences and would open the bill to another attack by Southern opponents. If the Senate should accept the House bill then it would be sent on to the President for his signature without further delay.

Southern Senators however, may renew their filibuster when a House bill or their own reaches the floor. In this case there would likely be an effort to force a vote. Southerners in the House have attacked the measure bitterly as unconstitutional interference with state affairs. A number of amendments had been prepared but most agreed work on the bill by the House would be completed on Wednesday.

## Bids For Natchez Trace Bridge To Be Opened April 7

It was announced Saturday that bids for construction of the two abutments and 37 piers that will make up part of the multi-million dollar Natchez Trace Parkway bridge and parks development will be opened on Thurs., April 7. The development will span Pickwick Lake just west of the Tri-Cities.

Information received from C. H. Buchanan, division engineer, U.S. Bureau of Public Roads, Natchez Trace Parkway, said that bids will be opened at the division office in the First National Bank building, Florence, on that date.

As to expected cost of this phase of the bridge that will connect the two ends of the Parkway running north to Nashville and south to Natchez, Miss., no information or estimate is available.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McDaniel, Jr., of 800 Sannor Ave., were hosts during the week end to her brother, Jerry Pelham of Graceland, Fla.

**MAIL BOXES ARE FOR MAIL ONLY**  
Postmaster Don Holt stated this week that numbers of candidates' cards have been left in mail boxes. Since mail carriers are instructed to pick up any paper or article left in a mail box a person or persons doing so may be charged for postage. Actually regulations require that mail boxes be used exclusively for mail and the cooperation of candidates and others in observing this is urged by the postmaster.

## Cotton Acres Released To Aid Income

A gross farm income of well over \$2,000,000 can result from cotton acreage released by farmers in Colbert, Lauderdale, Lawrence and Franklin counties and the amount of acreage reassigned from the State ASC office to the same counties.

Figured on the basis of \$170.00 gross income per acre, as was last year's figure for Lauderdale, Colbert and Lawrence, the figure this year would run around \$1,968,000.

In Lauderdale, County 3,400 acres had been released by farmers and an additional 1,143 acres from the State, making a total extra acreage of 4,543.

Over 135,000 acres were released state-wide this year as compared with 65,000 last year. It is estimated by farm officials that this could mean some \$23,000,000 in extra income for state cotton farmers. This sum will also help Alabama retain its cotton allotment since farmers who did not plant or release at least 75 per cent of their cotton acreage stand a chance of losing up to 50 per cent of their allotment for 1961.

## Grand Opening Of House Of Beauty Sunday Afternoon

Ray Reed Enterprises Announces Open House At New Location

Announcement of the Grand Opening of the beautiful new beauty salon of Ray's House of Beauty and the facilities of Ray's University of Beauty on the ground floor of the 412 South Court Building, Florence Sunday during the hours of two and five was made today by Ray Reed, owner and director. The spacious and most attractive installation has created much interest throughout the city, as well as in the industry, and an opportunity to visit and inspect the new quarters of this widely known establishment is being offered the public.

Mr. Reed, known throughout the beauty culture industry, is a nationally recognized authority on hair control. He is a member of the official hair fashion committee of the National Hair Dressers and Cosmetologists Association and served as the first president of the Alabama Hair Dressers and Cosmetologists Association.

In addition to the operation of Ray's House of Beauty and Ray's University of Beauty in Florence, other members of the Ray Reed Beauty Enterprises are the Nashville University of Beauty and Nashville House of Beauty, both successful operations in the Tennessee city.

Mrs. Tommie Reed, associate director of the chain is also a recognized hair stylist. Mrs. Mary J. Martin, business manager of the Ray Reed Beauty Enterprises, is a well-known business executive of Florence. Long associated with the Reeds in the management of the business, her business ability is appreciated throughout the industry.

Of special interest for the Grand Opening Sunday is the handsome portable television set that will be presented to some guest on this occasion. It is urged that every visitor register to be eligible for this gift.

Elsewhere in this issue is a formal invitation to the public to attend this event.

## Lions Ready For F-Day Football

Annual Charity Game To Be Played Wednesday At Coffee High Stadium

With better weather prevailing the Florence State Lions got in some valuable practice sessions during the past few days preparatory to their big F-Day football game at Coffee Stadium on next Wednesday afternoon. Notable was the work on offense, according to Coach Hal Self.

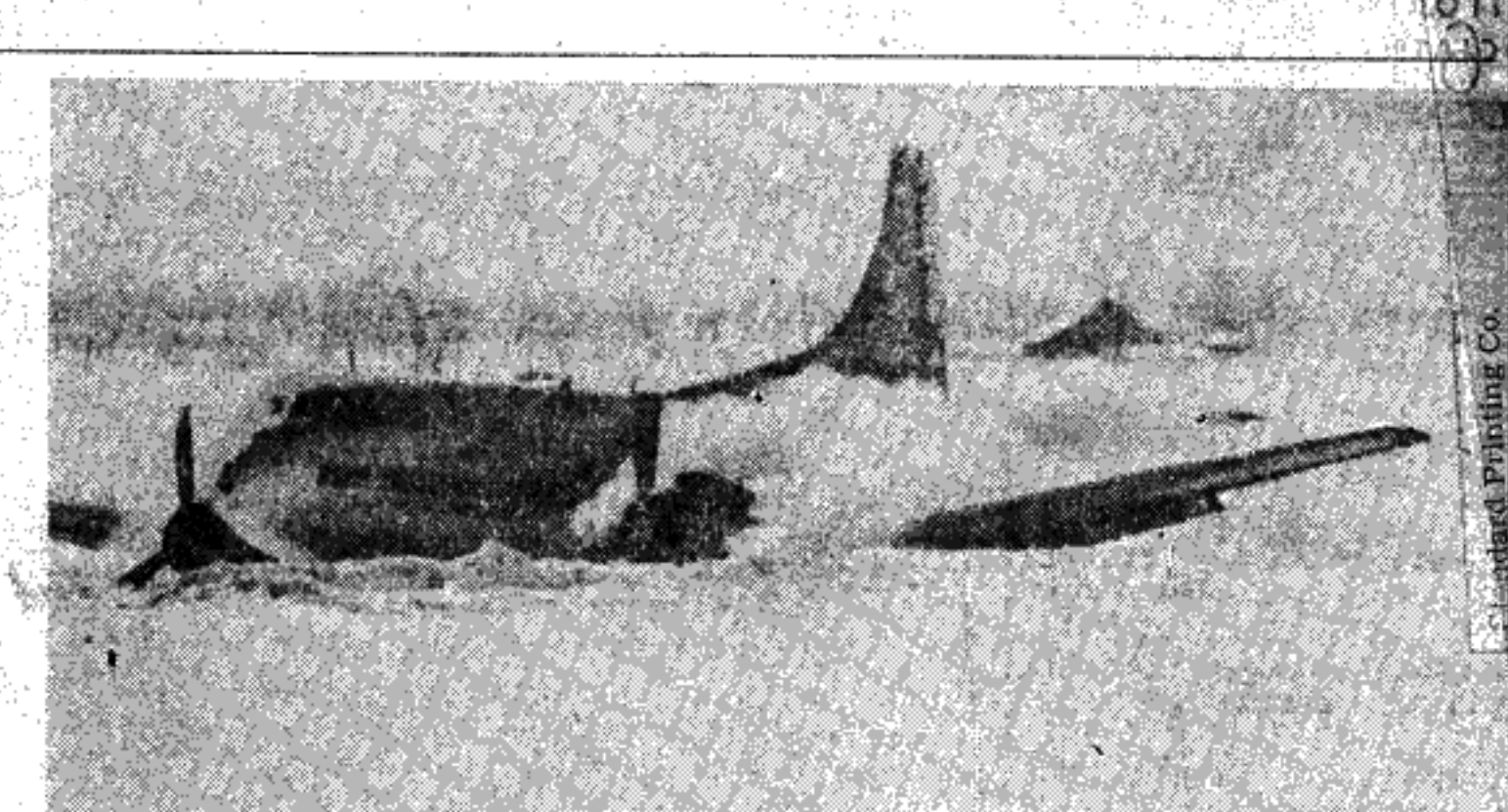
The Kiwanis-sponsored charity game is an annual affair with proceeds going to support the club's free dental clinic for underprivileged children and other charities. In addition to this game will be given a preview of next season's squad which should prove one of the local college's outstanding football aggregations.

Tickets may be purchased from Kiwanians or at the gate. Admission prices are 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students. A number of local firms have provided tickets for athletic squads of nearby high schools and these will be brought by busses to the game, it was stated.

A half time program has been provided and members of the Kiwanis club will sell coffee, cold drinks, and hot-dogs at the concession stand.

The Mars Hill spaghetti supper will be held on Friday night, from 5 to 7 o'clock in the school lunch room.

# Florence City Schools To Run For Full Nine Months - Hibbett



**WHEELS-UP LANDING** in Kansas is eased by four inches of new snow on the runway. The TWA plane, with six passengers aboard, lost its port wheels as it took off from Chicago on a scheduled flight to Peoria, Ill. Snowy but safe set-down was made at Olathe Naval Air Station, near Kansas City.

## Late News

● Negro students, renewing an attack on segregation barriers, Tuesday demanded enrollment at the all-white University of Alabama Center in Montgomery. This was the first reported anti-segregation attempt in Montgomery since students at Alabama State College for Negroes ended demonstrations 14 days ago. Police, with orders to let school authorities handle the problem, stood by to interfere only if disorder broke out.

● Police fired on Negro mobs Tuesday as rioting against South Africa's white supremacy laws broke out for the second day in the Langa settlement near Cape Town. Monday, police shot down angry demonstrators in Langa and Sharpeville, another district, killing at least 64 and wounding 250. The disorders in Langa erupted as firemen fighting eight fires, two of them in churches, which were set by rioters, were approached by the mob and stoned.

● Queen Elizabeth II and the Duke of Edinburgh Tuesday named their third child Andrew Albert Christian Edward. He will be called Prince Andrew in honor of Scotland's patron saint. The name also honored their fathers, the Duke's father being Prince Andrew of Greece and Albert being the first name of the Queen's father, King George VI. It is expected that some time in the future the Queen will give her son the title of Duke of York, the same held by her father.

● Polly Thompson, 75, companion of Helen Keller, died in Bridgeport, Conn. Hospital Sunday night following a long illness. Miss Thompson, born in Glasgow, Scotland, lived with Miss Keller at the famous blind author's home in Easton, Conn.

● Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev arrived in Paris Wednesday for an eleven-day official state visit with French President Charles de Gaulle. Indications were that disarmament would be among the principal topics the two would discuss.

### ECM HOSPITAL LISTED FOR ACCREDITATION

Made public last Thursday, March 10, by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals, was its annual list of accredited hospitals. Among the 6,000 hospitals eligible for accreditation include Eliza Coffee Memorial Hospital.

Accreditation of a hospital has been likened by many to "sterling on silver." It is a mark of distinction and earned by high standards of care.



**MADE FOR EACH OTHER**—Tommy Smrekar, 10, gets an affectionate kiss from his new pal. He found the dog wandering the highway near his Williston, Wis., home. His parents wrote the owner, whose name was on the dog's collar, asking if Tommy could keep the animal. He could.

## Patterson Says More Taxes If Session Called

Superintendent Rufus G. Hibbett of the Florence city schools, in an address before the Exchange Club at Hotel Roeder Tuesday noon, announced that the City Board of Education, in session the previous night, had voted unanimously to operate the local school system for its scheduled nine months term in spite of the \$30,000 cut back ordered for the Florence schools by Gov. John Patterson in his 10 per cent proration of school funds. The school system is free of debt except for its bonded indebtedness, Mr. Hibbett pointed out and added that the \$80,000 necessary to complete its budget would be obtained through a local bank loan if necessary.

Mr. Hibbett, who attended last week's meeting of the Alabama Education Association in Birmingham, was critical of both Governor Patterson and Revenue Department Director Harry Haden, who, he said, talked to the teachers and school administrators as if they had no minds of their own and were ignorant of the sources of school funds. Especially did the Florence superintendent criticize the high-handed manner in which Mr. Haden addressed the school administrators. Mr. Haden, Mr. Hibbett said, went so far out of line in his remarks that it was necessary for the moderator of the meeting to call him down, advising if he could not show proper courtesy that he would be asked to discontinue his discussion.

In giving the club members a clear insight to the situation that has caused the unrest throughout the state because of the four straight years of proration in school funds, Mr. Hibbett paid his compliments for the manner in which the schools have been supported by the people of Florence and the county. He pointed out that if all the taxes committed for school funds into the state educational fund by the taxpayers of Lauderdale county were returned, the best system in the state nation could be in operation. However, he said, the minimum school program—a most excellent law—made it possible for local taxpayers to pay a share of the cost that could, in no other way, support an adequate school term.

### County Board To Meet Saturday

A meeting of the Lauderdale County Board of Education has been called for Saturday afternoon for further study of the financial problem facing the school system. The board members are deeply concerned over the situation and are exploring every angle in the hope that a solution may be found, Mr. Thornton said.

Facing a 10 per cent proration of school funds ordered by Governor John Patterson Lauderdale County teachers in a resolution Monday night at Killen agreed to fulfill their contracts as long as they receive full pay under the 1959-60 agreement, allowing Lauderdale schools to operate through April 25 or some four weeks short of normal 180 days.

The resolution adopted by the Lauderdale teachers in their special session on Saturday points out that "anything less than 180 days is a failure on the part of the State of Alabama to meet its obligation to provide, a adequate education for the boys and girls of our state," and emphasizes that a short term will affect the promotion and graduation of students.

The resolution further states that the teachers accepted their professional responsibilities for 1959-60 in good faith but that the state would not meet its part of the financial obligation to enable the Lauderdale Board of Education to fulfill the terms of its contract, further pointing out that the teachers believe "the schools should be put on a sound financial basis in order that the annual problem of proration may be eliminated, relieving teachers, students, and the public of anxiety concerning the school problems."

The resolution stated that the teachers could not afford any reduction in salary and had been promised a five per cent increase in salary during the 1960-61 school year.

The resolution concluded by stating that the teachers would fulfill their contracts for the present school year only for such period of time that its respective members are paid each month in accordance with the provisions of the respective contractual agreement... that no further legal or moral obligation will rest upon them to continue teaching in the Lauderdale County System for the present school year.

The Lauderdale County Board of Education had previously agreed that it would not operate schools for any longer than it could pay the teachers.

## Legion Celebrates 41st Anniversary

Approximately 80 were in attendance at the 41st Birthday Anniversary celebration meeting of the Florence-Lauderdale Post No. 11, American Legion, held at Gilbert Elementary School, Florence last Thursday night, March 17.

Included among the Legion notables who were guests at this meeting were Department Commander Joe Foster, of Huntsville; Dept. Adjutant Lawson Lynn Montgomery and Hugh Overton Wadley, National Committeeman and principal speaker for the occasion.

The special anniversary meeting was well attended and enjoyed by all.

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### State Board To Meet

Indications pointed to a rejection of Governor John Patterson's pared-down school budget by the Alabama Board of Education when the body meets with the chief executive on Friday. The Board has been called to a special meeting by Patterson to take action on the present school crisis.

The State Legislature voted a \$48,000,000 appropriation for a school year that fiscal year but expected taxes did not come in and the Governor was forced by law to call a 10 per cent proration or cut in school funds. Patterson proposed to the Board that it approve a revised budget which scaled down school expenditures to \$135,000,000 for the year.

### Two Choices Faced

The State Board of Education voted to delay action on the Governor's budget until the meeting was adjourned leaving the Board one of two choices:

One would be to reject the budget and keep teachers' salaries at the present level and close the schools when the money is exhausted.

The other would be to accept Patterson's terms in which teachers' salaries would be cut and schools would continue for a full nine-month term.

### Governor Against Session

Patterson, who does not favor a special session said it would call for more taxes and he did not think there was much sentiment in the state for more taxes at this time. He said he was opposed to any new taxation.

### Theatre Program

**SHOALS—Florence**  
Thurs-Fri-Sat., Mar. 24-25-26  
**THE RISE AND FALL OF LEGS DIAMOND**—with Roy Danton, Karen Steele, Elaine Stewart.  
Sun-Mon., Mar. 27-28  
**A TOUCH OF MADNESS**—starring James Mason, Vera Miles, George Sanders.  
Tues-Wed., March 29-30  
A Russian drama being shown in this country at the request of the U.S. Department of State as a part of the cultural exchange agreement with the Soviet Union.  
**THE CRACK ARE FLYING**—Winner of Grand Prize at the Cannes Festival.  
**CINEMA—Florence**  
Thurs., Mar. 24  
**HERE COME THE JETS**—with Steve Brodie, Lyn Thomas, also ALASKA PASADENA—with Bill Williams, Nora Hayden.  
Fri-Sat., Mar. 25-26  
**GUNFIRE AT MIDNIGHT**—with Vera Ralston, Anthony George, also THE CROOKED CIRCLE—with John Smith, Steve Brodie.  
Sun., Mar. 27  
**THE MIRACLE OF THE HILLS**—with Rex Reason, Nan Leslie, also FLAME FRONTIER—with Bruce Bennett, Jim Davis.  
Mon-Tues., Mar. 28-29  
**HORROR OF DRACULA**—Color, with Peter Cushing, Christopher Lee, also THE THING THAT COULDN'T DIE—with William Reynolds, Andrea Martin.  
Wed., Mar. 30  
**GUNS OF THE TIMBERLAND**—Technicolor, with Frankie Avalon, also LOVE, JEANNE CRAIN, Albert Reynolds, Alan Ladd, Noah Berry Shook, prices.



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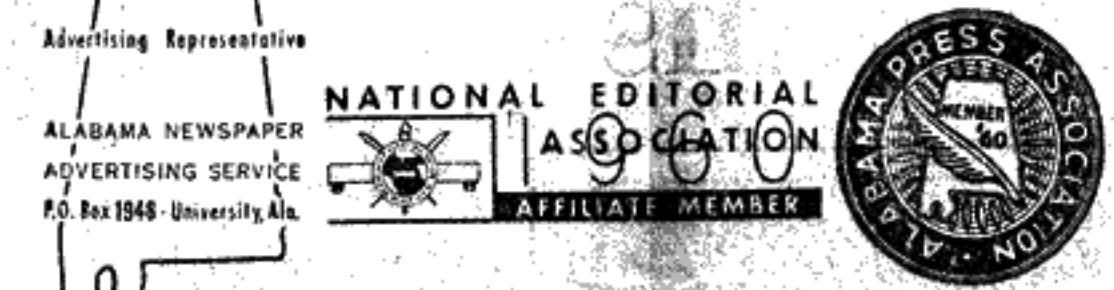
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## We Must Cope With Crime

Scores of articles have appeared in both press and magazines in recent months deploring the increasing circulation of obscene literature through the mail and in periodicals. FBI chief J. Edgar Hoover is one of the most outspoken critics of our failure to cope with this menace facing our impressionable teen-agers. Mr. Hoover points out that teenage crime has increased 800 per cent in just a short time. He calls for the cooperation, of not only law enforcement agencies, but all citizens as well.

People should not view law enforcement as the sole duty of the Federal Government nor of any one agency. Federal domination over crime could never be achieved except in a free America. Organized crime, says Mr. Hoover, "exists only by exploiting weaknesses in our society whether they be city ordinances, county codes, state statutes or Federal laws. The 'lawless legion' infiltrates through every loophole, its booty flowing into underworld coffers whether it be nickels and dimes from a jukebox in a bar in the smallest town or from a multi-million dollar stranglehold on large metropolitan centers obtained through the domination of dishonest labor officials. Their depredations are an endless shame to the countless honest, law-abiding labor leaders and businessmen across the nation."

Mr. Hoover says it is encouraging that this country's citizens and governing bodies are becoming more and more concerned over organized crime and interested in providing methods of successfully fighting it. Naturally results will depend upon how much concern is shown and how much effort is made to do an effective job.

It is a greater threat to our freedom than communism.

## One Way To Beat Inflation

We are living in a period of inflation. Prices are high and wages are high as well but the wage earner's dollar buys less than it ever did. Many people say, "I got along better when I made a lot less."

Perhaps they did but they had less. Today's inflationary prices have not stopped the greatest spending spree ever witnessed in the nation. Big wages have bred a desire to have things out of proportion to the earner's capacity to pay and as a result many, many salaried people are so up to their necks in installments and other obligations that one little set back is all that is needed to sink their ship.

Inflation is spending from the top without knowing the barrel itself is empty. Real estate men readily admit it is hard to sell an old house because almost nobody has the down payment. And after all why should anybody buy an old outmoded structure, however good, when a brand new one can be purchased for comparatively little down. The price of property in today's standard of values is secondary. It may never be paid for anyway. It is cheaper to buy than rent.

Smart people, especially young married couples starting a family, are the ones who do live within their means and invest in property or a home they can conveniently make payments on in a crisis and who can forget how many gadgets the Joneses have or what make of automobile the Joneses drive.

Staying solvent is the art of living within one's income. It is easy to get in debt . . . it is hard to get out.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## VETERANS OF WORLD WAR I IN NEW ORGANIZATION

Editor: The Veterans of World War I of the USA, Inc., is the fastest growing veterans organization in the history of the nation. The humble beginning was a meeting of some dozen veterans of 1917-1918 in the Olmstead Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio, one cold October evening in 1949.

Others, one by one, began to feel the same as the Cleveland men—that World War I veterans were being forgotten in the rush to organize the younger men and, with the ranks of the other organizations being filled with World War II and Korean veterans, they needed an organization of their own.

It was decided to call the local units "Barracks" and within a short time there were 24 "Barracks" formed. Inquiries were pouring in and requests to join rapidly increased, but there was no particular National setup with which to work.

Finally, in 1953, the demand for something really definite to be done could no longer be ignored. So, representatives from 60 widely-scattered groups met in the old city of Baltimore, Md. This was the launching of the real organization. So far, all activities had been under an Ohio charter, but at the Baltimore meeting it was decided to drive for a Congressional Charter, thus putting our organization on an equal footing with other major veterans organizations. The 1954 meeting was held in Buffalo, N. Y., and in 1955 in Indianapolis, Ind. The drive was still on for a National Charter and pension bills were discussed. Our National Convention was held in 1956 in Portland, Oregon, and in 1957 in Minneapolis, Minn.

In 1958 the 85th Congress of the United States granted us a congressional charter with a vote of 367 to 2 in the House of Representatives.

sentatives and unanimous in the Senate. President Eisenhower signed our charter bill into law on July 18th, 1958. In 1958 our National Convention was held in Springfield, Ill., and 1407 barracks sent delegates. Membership was reported to be 95,000, plus. In possession of a Congressional Charter and on a par with other organizations, sights were then set for real progress. The 1959 convention was held in Louisville, Ky., in September and 5174 delegates packed our convention hall. Reported membership was 147,770 in 1959 barracks representing 43 states chartered as Departments. As of Nov. 1, 1959, thirty odd barracks had been chartered and advanced paid up membership showed a 100 per cent increase over the year before. All you Buddies of World War I belong in this organization. For further information contact me.

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## Foy, Ward Attend Annual Meeting

W. L. Foy, Jr. and Grady B. Ward of The First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Florence, attended the annual meeting of the Southeastern Savings and Loan League held March 17, 18, and 19, at Miami, Florida. More than 400 members of the league, representing savings and loan associations from the Southeastern states attended.

The meeting was addressed by some of the outstanding business and civic leaders of the nation, including Norman Mason, head of the Housing and Home Finance Agency and Albert Robertson, chairman of the Federal Home Loan Bank System.

Mrs. Foy and Mrs. Ward accompanied their husbands.

Giving a child some choices in color of clothing helps promote feelings of independence and self-confidence, which are important in developing the child's personality.

## In The Week's News

## Sixty-Two Die In Plane Crash

A plane identified as a Northwest Airlines turbo-jet carried a crew of six and 56 passengers to their death last Thursday as it crashed in the Southern Indiana hills near Tell City. The plane was identified by the Federal Aviation Agency in Indianapolis as Northwest Airlines' Lockheed Electra Flight 710 from Minneapolis to Miami. It was first reported that the passenger plane and a jet craft had collided along the Ohio River; however, the FAA said a second plane had not been found and what had appeared to be a falling jet probably was a wing from the Electra. The FBI is investigating the crash.

## Germans Quit Rocket Team

Some of the German rocket scientists of Wernher von Braun's team at Redstone Arsenal in Huntsville, including Frederick K. Mueller, former deputy director of the Army Ballistic Missile Agency's Guidance and Control Laboratory, are leaving the Arsenal to take jobs in private industry. It was estimated that the number leaving vary from two to 15 key men in the Huntsville rocket projects.

## U.S. To Protest Prison Term

The United States will make the "strongest possible protest" to Red China for giving a 10-year prison sentence to Roman Catholic Bishop James E. Walsh, an ailing 68-year-old American prelate. The U.S. does not recognize Red China and has no diplomatic relations with the country. Peiping radio said Friday that Bishop Walsh, who had been in China since 1949, admitted plotting to overthrow the Communist government.

## Negroes Admit Dual Slaying

A scrawled license number on a bloodied paper and a set of car keys led Chicago police to two men Friday night who admitted the killing of two postal investigators who had seized them for mail theft. The man who wielded the gun, George Wilson, 37-year-old Negro, claimed he was high on dope and didn't know he had killed anyone. A third man, still at large, is Alan (Nick) Goulson, also a Negro.

## Two Die In Destroyer Collision

The U.S.S. Darby, a Navy destroyer escort manned by reservists returning home from a two-week cruise, was towed into port at Norfolk Sunday with two dead and 13 injured, an aftermath of a collision between the Navy warship and the Swedish ore ship "Soya-Atlantic" in the Atlantic Ocean off Capt. Henry, Va., lighthouse Saturday night. The Swedish vessel suffered only minor damage but the Darby had a gash ripped near her stern that was 15 feet across and deep into the ship's crew quarters and two magazines.

## Collins Advises Close Lunch Counters

Gov. Leroy Collins, of Florida, declared Sunday night that Florida variety stores ought to shut down their lunch counters unless they can serve white and Negro patrons alike. Collins, who is known as a moderate on the race issue, told a state-wide radio and television audience in a prepared talk there is some basic fairness to demands of Southern Negroes to be served if the stores cater to the general public and accept their business in other departments.

Veterans' Column  
State Dept. of  
Veterans' Affairs

County Service Officers are always very anxious to give advice and assistance on matters pertaining strictly to veterans and benefits for them and their dependents; however, income taxes, federal or state, are entirely out of our field, states W. C. Crumby, Veterans Service Officer, Lauderdale County. Service Officers are not trained to give advice on this subject, nor are they trained to complete income tax forms. Guidance in this matter may be obtained from the nearest representative of the Internal Revenue Service, an accountant or an attorney, states Mr. Crumby.

Regarding G. I. Loans Mr. Crumby states that the direct loan program comes to an end for all veterans on July 25, of this year, however the guaranteed loan program will remain in effect for Korean Conflict Veterans until January 31, 1965, but will come to an end for World War II veterans in July, 1960.

Here is another reminder for the thousands of veterans and their families in Alabama who are drawing VA monthly non service pension payments.

In the mail you recently received word about a new pension system that goes into operation this coming July. You have a choice to continue getting your present pension check or to move over to the new pension law. There is no need for you to hurry in coming to a decision.

There is no deadline for making your choice. You can switch at any time you please but if and when you do change to the new system, you can never go back to the old one. Think this over carefully.

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Salesmen Qualify  
For 300-500 Club

Three salesmen from Campbell Motors, Inc., Florence, will be presented Ford Motor Company's 300-500 Club Award at a banquet in Memphis March 23 honoring high-ranking Ford dealerships car and truck salesmen of 1959 in the Memphis sales district.

L. T. Warriner, manager of the Ford Memphis sales district, said 300-500 Club membership awards are presented for excellent retail sales performance. He pointed out that the efforts of winning salesmen are of particular significance because they contributed to Ford's leadership over all other makes in sales last year.

Mr. Warriner added that the average 300-500 Club member sold the equivalent of 100 new cars and 70 used cars in qualifying for the national honors, and that club members in the aggregate sold more than 3 billion dollars worth of automotive merchandise.

Local Ford salesmen qualifying for 300-500 Club membership are P. Blackburn, W. H. Bevis and E. W. Danley.

BRUNSON ATTENDS  
CHICAGO MEETING

George W. Brunson, Controller of First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Florence, and manager of its North Florence Branch Office, is this week attending the annual meeting of the Society of Savings and Loan Controllers in Chicago.

One of the primary functions of the Society is aiding management in finding new methods of efficient operation.

Mrs. Brunson will accompany him.

There are more than 50,000 tractor accidents annually.



## Personality Sketches

By FRANCES HALL



FRED LONG

"Fred Long, with his quiet and effective manner of approach to any financial problem and his thorough knowledge of both banking and the economic situations in this area, represents in a most able manner the high regard and position of leadership in which The First National Bank of Florence is held by citizens throughout the Muscle Shoals district," was the word picture a business man of this city drew of the board chairman of that institution.

"Mr. Long has been identified with every progressive move in the business and industrial life of the area and his clear insight to financial problems has proven a valuable guide in the business growth of this community," he added.

Fred Long was born in 1900 in Lawrenceburg, Tennessee, the son of James A. and Amanda Ballinger Long. The family moved to Sheffield in 1903, where Mr. Long attended the public schools, later attending Auburn.

Before becoming connected with The First National Bank of Florence in 1924, he was associated with his father in the retail coal business in Sheffield.

Before entering his business career, Mr. Long served in the U.S. Army during World War I and since has been interested in Veterans' affairs, being a long-time member of Florence Post No. 11, American Legion.

In 1930, Mr. Long was married to Virginia Hart, of Nashville. They moved to Florence at that time and have been residents of this city since.

During his 36 years with The First National Bank, he learned the banking business in every detail, having served the local financial institution in practically every capacity. Today, as Chairman of the Board of Directors and Trust Officer, Mr. Long's capabilities, long recognized, are now given wide range of execution.

From his appointment as Cashier and Assistant Trust Officer in 1951, at which time he was also

made a member of the Board of Directors, Mr. Long's executive ability was more fully recognized and appreciated. As an executive officer of the bank, his additional duties added to the high regard in which he was held.

Mr. Long holds other important business posts and now serves as president of the Florence Land Company and is treasurer of the City of Florence. He also serves as treasurer of the Lauderdale County Crippled Childrens Association, treasurer of the Lauderdale County United Fund and is chairman of the Savings Bond Sales Committee for Lauderdale County, an office he has held for the past six years.

He has been active in Chamber of Commerce work and is a member and past president of the Florence Exchange Club.

Active in the First Methodist Church, Mr. Long is a member of the Board of Stewards and has served as chairman of the board. He has given much of his time to church work of which he is vitally interested.

Mr. Long's hobby, if it may be so called, centers around travel and especially the exploring of rural sections of Lauderdale County where he finds much interest and valuable relaxation.

As an able banker and valuable citizen, Mr. Long's contributions to the growth and welfare of Florence and the surrounding area are reflected in the very progress and prosperity of the district.

Southern Airway  
Adds New Flights

Four To Atlanta, Three To Memphis, Two Each Nashville, New Orleans

It was announced Sunday by Southern Airways that an additional roundtrip service providing Muscle Shoals passengers with eleven flights daily, four to Atlanta, three to Memphis, two to Nashville and two to New Orleans, will be placed in service on April 1 when Southern inaugurates its new service to Decatur.

The latest flight to Atlanta gives Muscle Shoals passengers an earlier arrival time in Atlanta. The first new morning flight departs Muscle Shoals at 8:15 a.m. (CST) with stops at Decatur and Huntsville, and arrives in Atlanta at 11:02 a.m. (EST).

The second morning flight leaves Muscle Shoals at 11:05 a.m. and terminates in Atlanta at 1:38 p.m. (EST). This flight originates in Memphis.

The afternoon Muscle Shoals-Atlanta flight departs Muscle Shoals at 2:30 p.m. and terminates in Atlanta at 5:18 p.m. EST. Originates in Memphis.

Flights from Atlanta—morning flight departs at 7:40 a.m. and arrive Muscle Shoals 8:30 a.m. Afternoon flight departs from Atlanta at 12:15 p.m. and arrive at Muscle Shoals 1 p.m. Evening flight leaves Atlanta at 8:40 p.m. and arrives at Muscle Shoals at 9:28. These flights continue on to Memphis.

Shoals to Nashville morning flight departs at 10:05 a.m. and arrives at 10:54 a.m. Originates in New Orleans.

Shoals to Nashville evening flight departs 8:55 p.m., arrives 9:44 p.m.

Shoals to New Orleans morning flight departs 7:50 a.m., arrives 10:59 a.m.

Shoals to New Orleans evening flight departs 6:06 p.m., arrives 9:09 p.m.

Schedule of other flights may be obtained by calling Southern Airways office at Muscle Shoals Airport, EV 3-4381.

In all pork cooking, low temperature cooking is important.

Miss Dot Teel To  
Receive Diploma

Blind Student At FSC Graduates May 27; To Work With Handicapped

May 27, 1960 will be a very special day for Miss Dot Teel, a social science major and English minor of Florence State College. That is the day when Dot will receive her coveted diploma, the day when she will begin a life of service to others.

Feelings of admiration and inspiration will be aroused at Dot's graduation, as she cannot see with her eyes but "with her fingers and her heart."

Dot was born on May 29, 1933, in Moulton. She, with her family, moved to Decatur when she was three years old, later settling in Talladega.

Dot attended the Alabama School for the Blind at Talladega, after which she decided to enter Florence State, because as she said, "My mother, my father and several of my kinfolks attended Florence State, so I decided I would, too."

With the help of recordings, made by several Jewish women of Florence who record Dot's assignments on record and bring them to her, she is able to study her lessons. She does her outside reading by means of Braille readers, many of which she obtains from the Library for the Blind located in Atlanta, Ga.

She takes notes in class with a slate and awl, a device with a metal plate and a punning instrument.

After graduation, Dot hopes to go to Overbrook School at Philadelphia, Penn., or to the Talladega school where she wants to do social or home teaching, working with handicapped people.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for their many expressions of kindness, love and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our dear husband and father, May God bless each of you.

Mrs. Maudie W. Wallace  
Mrs. and Mrs. James Wallace  
and Jimmy

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For Your Interest

of Education voted to turn the abandoned Valdosta school building over to the Shriners on a 99-year lease, at the cost of one dollar.

Next, the Shrine Club handled the sale of the tabloid newspaper on Palm Sunday, 1959, at which time a sum of some \$8,000 was raised.

On this year's Palm Sunday, April 10, the Shriners will again handle the paper sale as a means of carrying on the project on a permanent basis.

At the conclusion of the dedication ceremonies, the Muscle Shoals Association for Retarded Children, assisted by the ladies of the Order of Eastern Star will serve refreshments to those in attendance.

Soil Test Proves  
To Be ProfitableSavings In Fertilizer  
Of \$971 On 110-Acre  
Farm Is Shown

By L. T. WAGNON, County Agent  
Last January Mrs. Blanch D. Sharp, 410 Simpson Street, Florence, visited the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation and County Agent's offices to discuss her farm problems. Upon getting the information regarding the conservation reserve program she compared the possible results with that of having her 110 acres of cropland cultivated.

Following her decision to put her land in the conservation reserve, Mrs. Sharp began looking for someone to prepare the land and seed the 110 acres to sericea. She contacted Turner Jackson, Route 4, Florence, and he took the job. The next move was a visit to the ASC office at Florence by Mrs. Sharp and Mr. Jackson to determine the fertilizer and seed requirements for government assistance. When it was learned that the office would require the use of 500 to 600 pounds of 0-16-8 fertilizer and two tons of agricultural limestone per acre, Mr. Jackson asked the office personnel if a soil test recommendation would be accepted as a substitute for the limestone and fertilizer the office recommended. Upon being told that it would, Mr. Jackson explained the meaning of the test to Mrs. Sharp and he took the County Agent's office to take soil samples and forms to take the test. After approximately two weeks later the recommendations from the laboratory at Auburn arrived.

The fertilizer recommendation for the various areas on the farm, in addition to 1 1/2 tons per acre of limestone, were as follows: 150 pounds of potash per acre on 14 acres, 100 pounds of potash per acre on 41 acres, 200 pounds of 20% phosphate per acre on 15 acres, and 1 1/2 tons of crushed limestone per acre (without any fertilizer) on 41 acres.

At present retail fertilizer and limestone prices the two tons of limestone and 500 pounds of 0-16-8 fertilizer per acre would cost \$1947.00. The limestone and fertilizer recommended by the laboratory will cost \$975.61. A small soil testing cost has saved Mrs. Sharp \$971.39.

As pointed out, the information deals with limestone and fertilizer needs and does not include the sericea seeds, the cost of preparing land and planting the sericea. This doesn't point out the Mrs. Sharp will receive government payments equal to about 50 per cent of the cost of carrying out this practice provided she gets a good stand of sericea. These payments will further reduce the cost of planting the crop. This is a good example of the value of soil testing to farmers in Lauderdale County.

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Hester Leads Life  
Insurance PanelLife Underwriters Hold  
Mid-Year Meeting In  
Louisville This Week

Among those attending the Mid-year Meeting of the National Association of Life Underwriters, in Louisville, Ky., March 21-24, representing the Alabama State Association of Life Underwriters is George Hester, Executive Secretary, and Mrs. Hester of Florence.

The four-day program got underway Monday, March 21, with National Committee meetings in session all day beginning at 9:00 a.m.

A "Community Affairs Forum" was held Tuesday morning at 9:45. George Hester participated in this forum leading the discussion on "Life Insurance Education Week."

Other topics on the agenda were Anti-Inflation, Social Security, economic discussion groups, public service award, and association-school liaison.

The moderator for the forum was Marvin A. Kobel, Director of Public Relations for the National Association of Life Underwriters, Washington, D.C.

POWELL SUPPER  
FRIDAY NIGHT

Powell School will sponsor its annual Supper Friday night, March 25, to be held at the school at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited, and a special invitation goes out to all candidates. Price of plates will be 50c and 75c.

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Stewart Alsop To  
Speak On FridayConvocations To Present  
Famous News Analyst  
At Coffee Auditorium

Stewart Alsop, news commentator, analyst, author, lecturer, will be presented by the Danforth Convocation Committee of Florence State College Friday, March 25,

8:15 p.m. in Coffee Auditorium. His topic will be "Looking Forward."

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## Social and Personal

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### Home Ceremony Marks Newton-Phillips Vows

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edward Phillips (the former Barbara Ann Newton) have returned from a honeymoon in Memphis, Tennessee, and are now at home at Elgin Cross Roads.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Arthur O'Neal Sledge of Rogersville, Route One, and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Claudius Phillips of Killen, Route One.

Against a background of greenery, basket arrangements of white gladioli and chrysanthemums delineated the candlelighted altar in the livingroom of the Sledge home where nuptial vows were spoken in early evening of Friday, March eleven. The Reverend Sheppard, minister of Springfield Presbyterian church, read the half past six o'clock service.

Given in marriage by her stepfather, O'Neal Sledge, the bride chose for the occasion an inheritance-length gown of white lace over bridal satin. The basque bodice was detailed with a scooped neckline and cap sleeves and the skirt was very full. A tulle of sequins and pearls held her fingertip veil of silk illusion and she carried a white Bible marked with white carnations showered with lovers' knots.

Miss Martha Newton was her sister's only attendant and Billy Gerald Newton was best man for the bridegroom.

Mrs. Sledge and Mrs. Phillips, mothers of the bride and groom, were both costumed in navy with white carnations at their shoulders. Mrs. Sledge wore matching accessories and Mrs. Phillips, black patent.

Assisting at the reception which followed the ceremony were Mrs. Curtis Butler and Mrs. Marie Campbell, aunts of the bride.

Leaving later for their wedding trip, the bride was wearing a tweed suit with matching accessories and her corsage was the carnations from her bouquet.

### Evening Courtesy Fetes Bride-Elect Wanda Marks

Miss Inah Mae Young and Miss Annie Ruth Wallace entertained in the Central Heights home of Miss Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Young, on Saturday evening, March twelfth, as a compliment to Miss Wanda Marks of Florence, Route Four, bride-elect of Roy Keith of Ft. Oglethorpe, Georgia.

Lighted yellow tapers and arrangements of yellow blossoms decorated the party rooms where Miss Marks and her mother, Mrs. Homer Marks, greeted the thirty-odd guests who called, the honoree wearing red tulle complemented by a corsage of white carnations. Assisting the hostesses were sisters of the bride-to-be, Miss Gwendolyn Marks who registered the guests and Miss Sandra Marks who presided at the refreshment table.

Party hours were from half past seven 'til nine.

### Miss Wanda Lee Marks To Say Vows In Georgia

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee Marks of 415 North Pine Street have announced the betrothal of their daughter, Wanda Lee, to Roy Edward Keith, son of Mr. Everett Bullock of Ft. Oglethorpe, Georgia, and G. B. Keith of Greenville, South Carolina.

The wedding will be an event of March twenty-sixth in First Baptist church of Ft. Oglethorpe.

### Frederick Lee Staggs To Take Bride In April

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. James D. Benson of Phil Campbell of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Barbara Ann, to Frederick Lee Staggs of Florence. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lee Staggs of 430 Hansel Court, Florence.

April twenty-ninth has been chosen as their wedding date.

### Music Study Club Elects New Officers

The March meeting of Florence Music Study Club was held recently in Trinity Parish House.

New officers elected include Mrs. Wendell Edwards, president; Mrs. Hugh Porter, first vice-president; Mrs. Pearson Shanks, Mrs. Joe Sale, Mrs. J. Will Young and Mrs. Earle Darby, second vice-presidents; Mrs. Charles Jackson, third vice-president; Mrs. Broze Dixon, recording secretary; Mrs. W. M. Hellard, corresponding secretary; Mrs. M. C. Sandlin, treasurer; Mrs. J. W. Scarborough, historian; Mrs. John Doolittle, custodian; Mrs. C. C. Cooper, parliamentarian.

Delegates were elected to the State Federation of Music Clubs Convention which will be held in Tuscaloosa on March 28-30 as follows: Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. W. R. Cadenhead with Mrs. George Jackson and Mrs. Young as alternates.

Music of German and Italian composers was featured on the program. Mrs. Mullen, program leader, introduced Mrs. Philip Arellio who gave biographical sketches of two composers, Scarlatti and Bach. Piano selections were by Mrs. Scarborough and Mrs. Cadenhead and a duo piano number was presented by Mrs. Julian Nance and Mrs. R. J. Baker. Hostesses were Mrs. Earl Beasley, Mrs. Walter Bell, Mrs. Edwin Gregory, Mrs. E. C. Luna, Mrs. W. R. Norton, Mrs. Otto Speake, Mrs. C. C. Cooper, Mrs. Hugh Porter, Mrs. J. W. Scarborough and Mrs. Hester Wulfaardt.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Williams are vacationing in Miami, Fla.

### Valley Garden Club Has "Auction" Meeting

Members of the Valley Garden Club met at half past two o'clock on Monday afternoon in the Hickory Hills home of Mrs. Dan Tallman to make plans for their tenth anniversary celebration which will be observed at The Town Club on April eighteenth.

An "auction sale" was a feature of the meeting and auction items brought by the members included bulbs, potted plants and rooted ivy sprigs. H. J. Furman was the efficient auctioneer and the proceeds will be used to finance the approaching afternoon tea.

Mrs. William Shelby, president, presided and the hostess was assisted at teatime by Mrs. Fred Kosack, cohostess.

About twenty members were in attendance.

### Miss Rogers Hostess To 20th Century Club

Miss Mary Rogers welcomed members of the Twentieth Century Club on Tuesday afternoon when she was hostess to the group at The Town Club, including in the hospitality two additional guests, Mrs. Hal Kernachan and Mrs. Walter Moore.

Program chairman for the meeting, Mrs. T. M. Kelson entertained her listeners with a review of Alexander King's, "Mine Enemy Grows Older" and "May This Hand Be Safe From Tigers." Non-fictional in content, these best sellers by the former associate editor of Life Magazine tell, through anecdotes and in characteristic style, the author's autobiography.

Mrs. D. O. Dugger assisted the hostess with teatime courtesies.

### Rebecca Canaday Has Tenth Birthday Fete

Balloons and paper hats were presented as favors to guests who assisted Rebecca Canaday in celebrating the arrival of her tenth birthday at the Cloverdale Road home of her mother, Mrs. Charles Vaughn, on March sixteenth.

Games and contests were a feature of the fun-time and a big birthday cake and other goodies were served from the refreshment table which was covered in a gaily printed cloth.

Attending were Peggy Brown, Judy Bevis, Doris and Jackie Johnston, Patsy, Debbie and Peggy Perryman, Betty Jean Sego, Lee Allen, Shelia and Ricky Hanback, Gene McGee, Boby, Glenda and Charles Vaughn, Jr.

Assisting Mrs. Vaughn and Rebecca were Mrs. Clarence Perryman, Mrs. Edward Vaughn and Mrs. Everett Hanback.

### Linda Pruett Feted With Birthday Gala

Ten candles topped the cake which was served to Linda Pruett and her guests on Wednesday afternoon, March sixteenth, when Mrs. Bertha L. Pruett honored her daughter on her birthday anniversary.

Florence Recreation Center was gaily decorated for the occasion and assisting with games and, later, with refreshments were the honoree's sister, Mary Gargis, and Mrs. Jonnie Mitchell.

Pre-teens present included Maureen Bitters, Frances Potts, Candy and Cookie Gunter, Randa and Donna Kay Mitchell, Janet Stanford, Vicky King and Janice Lindsey.

### DAR State Conference Attended By Florentines

Nine members of Alamance Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, attended the State Conference which convened in Huntsville, Monday through Wednesday.

Present from Florence were Mrs. S. Baxter Wilson, Regent, Mrs. J. Will Young, Mrs. E. W. Henley, Mrs. A. H. Barnett, Mrs. Merwin Koonce, Mrs. E. F. Matteson, Mrs. W. T. Nichols, Mrs. J. W. Powell and Mrs. Paul M. Wilson.

Headquarters was at the Russell Erskine Hotel and a busy schedule of meetings for committee chairmen and delegates was highlighted by the opening address of the National Society President General, Mrs. Ashmeade White. The defense luncheon in the community-center at Big Spring Park was an event of Tuesday when Brig. General John A. Barkley of Redstone Arsenal was the guest speaker.

Twickenham Town Chapter, hostess for the conference, entertained Tuesday afternoon with a tea in the Burritt Museum and a program of patriotic music was planned by Mrs. J. Will Young, national chairman of American music, for Tuesday evening. Included was a trio presentation of a new composition by Mrs. Rosamonde Henderson of Birmingham. Business sessions concluded the conference on Wednesday.

### Teen-age Garden Clubbers Have All-Day Meeting

Taking advantage of the recent school holiday, Link Garden Club members enjoyed a spend-the-day meeting in the home of Mrs. Earl R. Stamps.

Plans were started for the flower show, "Heavens Above," which the club will sponsor on May 14 and prizes for the Florence Garden Club's show of April 1 were begun. Also, a part of the day was spent making favors for hospital trays.

Teen-age members include Eileen Egan, Mary Emma Turner, Patti Sue Beavert, Martha Whitely, Ginny Perry, Sandra Robinson, Georgia McCorkle and Linda Sharp.

Miss Betty Darnall will arrive tomorrow from Lindenwood College in St. Charles, Mo., to spend the spring holidays with her mother, Mrs. Theodore Gerber, and Mr. Gerber, at their home on North Wood.

### Golden Age Club Has St. Patrick's Day Party

The Golden Age Club of Florence entertained with a St. Patrick's Day Party on the evening of the 15th at the Recreation Center.

Guests present included members of the Park and Recreation Board, Charlie Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Young and Harold Hammond; Mrs. John Foster and daughter of Sheffield; Mrs. Christine Sanderson, William Crumby, Mrs. Wendell Edwards, Mrs. Julian Haynes. Rec Center employees Miss Sallie Folden, Jim Spain and Jimmy Stanfield were also present, as were three Huntsvillians.

A program of Irish music and Irish folk dances was an entertaining feature.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Young of Central Heights were their former neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kimberley, now of Alexander City, Ala., who were en route to Memphis for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Walker, Mr. Walker, and children, and their son Gene Kimberley, Mrs. Kimberley and family.

Dr. George Erwin Roulhac and children, Debbie, Polly Ann and Erwin arrived from St. Louis on Saturday for a week end visit with his mother, Mrs. G. E. Roulhac. Debbie is remaining for a longer visit and, with her grandmother, is spending the remainder of Spring Vacation as guests of the George Dudleys in New Orleans.

Mrs. Alex Clark of New York City is expected tomorrow and will be a guest of her longtime friend, Mrs. Louie P. Rossmasser in Tennessee Court Apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Shradre Casey were called to Manchester, Tenn., last Thursday by the death of his mother, Mrs. R. W. Casey.

Mrs. Black Palmer of Central Heights is in St. Petersburg, Fla., where she is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Hannah (Caye Palmer), Mr. Hannah, and little Gerilyn Palmer Hannah whose arrival on March 15th has been announced.

Mrs. Jack Graves and children, Mary Louise, Jack and Jeff of Birmingham spent the long week end with Mrs. Graves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Barnett on Jackson Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gunn (Myrtle McPeters) left Friday for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kornman, Gary and Kay have returned from vacationing in New Orleans and other coastal points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Lannes Foy, Jr., have returned from Miami, Fla., where he attended sessions of the Savings and Loan Associations convention.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Duncan and children, Stephanie, Shelia, Shelaime and Sherry, formerly of 424 N. Crown St., Florence, are now at home in Orlando, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sloan and children, Sannon and Scott, are in Gulfport, Miss., where Mr. Sloan is a participant in the Southern Invitational Golf Tournament.

Enroute home from a Florida vacation, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Old visited his son, R. H. Old, Jr., Mrs. Old and their children in Atlanta.

John H. Graham is continuing convalescence at his home, 3637 Old Lee Highway, following a recent illness in Nashville.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Pounders Peggy and Donnie Pounders, returned Friday from Ft. Gordon, Ga., where their son and brother, Townsley Pounders, was graduated from MP school.

Mrs. Albert Tease is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Grady Yelzer, in Savannah, Tenn. Carter Brown, a student at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, was a week end guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. John Brown, 711 Prospect.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Erskine arrived yesterday from Ormond Beach, Fla., and are guests of his sister, Mrs. Frank Irvine, and of Mrs. Carl O. Walker and Miss Josephine Penney.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ball have returned to Lebanon, Tenn., after a visit with his mother, Mrs. Moody Redd, and Mr. Redd, on North Wood Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Shaw and daughter, Suzanne, and W. H. Walker spent the recent AEA holiday in Washington, D. C., with the Shaw's son and Mr. Walker's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shaw.

License Numbers May Be Painted On Watercraft

Two changes in Alabama's new Water Safety Regulations were announced today by Conservation Director William C. Younger.

An approved amendment to boat registration methods now allow boatmen to paint license numbers on their boats, and provides that the registration number issued this year be retained upon re-registration for 1961.

The new registration regulation requires that the identification number be painted in a legible form of block characters, not less than three inches high in the event this method is used. Numbers may be larger than the previously prescribed three-inch minimum size.

Under Alabama's new Water Safety Act, passed in 1959, a valid identification number must be displayed on each forward bow of a motor-propelled vessel, sailboat, or boats for hire operating on waters of the state.

The Act requires that a registration certificate be carried on board the vessel.

## Alabama Second In Highway Building

Interstate System Shows  
209.1 Miles Now Under  
Construction; 78 Done

Alabama ranks second in the number of miles completed on interstate highway system, a report

by the Bureau of Public Roads shows.

In recent figures released, Alabama had 209.1 miles of interstate highways. The first section, an eight mile stretch near Warrior, was opened and officially dedicated on December 10, 1959.

Total cost of construction underway or advertised in Alabama, excluding projects authorized prior to July 1, 1956, is \$68,207,000.

Throughout the nation, the Bureau of Public Roads says, construction contracts costing over \$2,000,000 have now been completed on 5,332 miles of the Interstate Highway system.

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While the nation had 4,241 bridges completed and 4,725 underway, Alabama had finished 38 bridges with 140 under construction or advertised for bids.

In addition to the \$2,000,000,000 in construction contracts, the Bureau said \$2,016,000,000 had been authorized or spent for preliminary engineering work on acquisition of right-of-way since July 1, 1956.

In other road projects, Federal aid primary and secondary highway systems and their urban extensions, work was underway on 18,380 miles including 4,393 bridges at an estimated cost of \$2,240,000,000.

Producers should not expect the price of turkeys to hold recent levels throughout the rest of the year.

According to a U.S. Department of Agriculture report, producers intend to raise six percent more turkeys in 1960 than they did in 1959. And this increase in number will probably result in a surplus of turkeys and reduced prices next fall.

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## Citizen Of Year Award Presented Grady Richards

Civilians Honor Member For Work In Education, Scouting, Many Fields

H Grady Richards, principal of Gilbert School, Florence, for 38 years, received the Citizen of the Year award presented by the Florence Civitan Club at the annual Civitan Ladies Night held last Thursday night at the Florence Country Club.

Mr. Richards, very active in Scout work, has been Scoutmaster for 39 years and was one of the leaders in the first National Jamboree in Washington in 1937. Recently he received the Silver Beaver award, the highest award given in Scouting.

He was president of the Alabama Department of Elementary School Principals for two years, president of Florence-Teachers Assn. for two years, and is a life member of the National Education Association, National Elementary Principals, and Alabama Congress of Parents and Teachers, and is a member of the Florence State Alumni Association.

A staunch supporter of PTA

activities. Mr. Richards has been a member of the local PTA for 35 years and is a current member of AEA-PTA committee for Alabama.

He has been a member of the Florence-Lauderdale Post No. 11 American Legion, for 36 years, holding various offices. He is also a member of the Florence Rotary Club and has been active in Red Cross work for a number of years. Furnishing the entertainment for the evening was Graham Jackson, Negro organist, who also plays the piano and accordion, from Atlanta, Ga. Graham opened the program with a classical selection, and followed immediately with semi-classical and popular tunes, playing all requests, in the grand manner for which he is noted.

Known as a favorite of presidents and governors, Graham has played for the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt, President Harry Truman, and President Dwight Eisenhower and for the last five governors of Georgia. A native of Portsmouth, Virginia, he has studied at Hampton Institute, Morehouse College, Chicago Musical College, Loyola University and Atlanta University. Constantly in demand, he conducts several tours yearly and has appeared on the Ed Sullivan and Dave Garroway shows. Jackson is acclaimed by many as one of the few living great musicians who can play "anything."

Let The Herald Print It!

## Foods of the Future

### CHICKENS SOLD TO HIGHEST BIDDER

At your grocer's meat counter, the chicken you see in a clear wrapper may have been sold "sight unseen" at least once since it left the farm.

Poultry producers in Alabama and other states now auction off their flocks to buyers who never see the broilers until they are delivered!

Inspectors check flocks before an auction for weight, grade and health, and submit this data to buyers. At the auction, buyers bid from the data they have.

Changing times may mean new methods of packaging, production and marketing in the food processing industry, but many kinds of "Foods of the Future" will be enjoyed with those two "old stand-bys" BEER and ALE.

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## THE SPILLWAY



WITH SPRINGTIME LOITERING 'long the way  
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From beaches where lithe palm trees sway  
And lasses dance sans shoes...

BUT NEVER HAS beautiful Hawaii beckoned more enticingly than during recent weeks when our Spring season continues to tarry... and never have we known more Florentines with plans for a visit to our fifth state.

LEAVING BY PLANE on Sunday morning... Betty Martin hied herself away to this island paradise where she's being guested for the ensuing two-weeks by (her brother and sis-in-law) Carl and Beverly Naffs...

MONGST THE CLEVEREST of parties was that of last Friday noon... hosted in Betty's honor by those party-givers par excellence... Virginia Carr and Jeanna Tauber... in the lovely home of Jeanna and Jack on Woodward Boulevard... Guests arrived in costume... (looking for all the world like native islanders)...

to be greeted by grass-skirted hostesses and served a simply delicious menu of Hawaiian meat balls with wild rice... baked bananas... et cetera... Bon voyage gifts presented to the honoree included novelties like (Erin's) a tremendous and gold spigot-ed pineapple from which could be coaxed that ambrosial juice for which the isle is famed... 'Twas really a fun-time event...

OTHERS WITH SIGHTS set on the selfsame spot are Helen and George Stanford... heads of one of our three Families of the Year...

Their leave-taking is set for late March and (as rumor goes) there's a possibility that they'll become island residents... Our tears will mingle with our congratulations... in such case...

TAKING ADVANTAGE OF the recent AEA interlude were Mary Eliza Southall and (her mom) Katherine Southall and (HER mom) Clara King... who motored to Marshall, Texas, for a family get-together with that all-time Florence favorite... Eliza King Smith and (her hubby) TP... A lot o' pleasant visitin' was reported upon their Sunday return.

OTHER RETURNED vacationers include Ann and Ben Craig... whose New York sojourn with (Ben's sister) Libba and Ronald Hood and chillun was highlighted by an Old-Home-Week gathering on Sunday-a-week-ago... Joining them for a few chit-chat hours were Annie Powell (Hood) Johnson... Gene Southall... Amelia and Bill Nussle and Nancy and Lee Kirk with chillun... Cindy and Carter... A more charming group we'd be hard put to imagine...

TRAVELIN' COMPANIONS... Pat and (Colonel) Gil Levy (both now of Huntsville) are tripping to Rio de Janeiro this week with the Medarises (General John, and his

lady)... "TWAS off to Dallas, Texas, yesterday for Bob Dabney... It's the annual Wholesale Grocers' Convention and with him are two of his favorite folks... (his aunt) Edna Arnold and (his sis) Liz Gerber... ARRIVING from Birmingham last weekend... Elizabeth Gleason was a guest of her oft-times traveling companion... Zillah Kernachan... and was feted by her hostess on Saturday afternoon at the Kernachan home on Meridian.

INTERESTING NEWS from over Georgia way... concerns young and personable Billy Flanagan... son of ex-Florentines Mary Louise (Flagg) and Bill... who is one of seventeen national finalists from which group a "Tom Sawyer" will be chosen for a TeeVee serial... We stand by with prideful interest.

WE'VE BEEN CHOSEN as a committee of one to make reply to the tender missive from "Anita" which has been received by a number of gents 'round about... and to say (secretly... o'course) that your suggestions (which caused flutters wherever received) are hereby accepted... (And to our readers... you'll have missed a choice item if you fail to see the invitations sent by the Medical Auxiliary to the annual Doctors' Day Party... Original... and VERY clever...)

WE HOPE YOU SAW the stunning gent from up Vandy way who was at home during last weekend... On the eve of his fraternity's Old South Ball (he's a KA... if memory serves) Brad Darnall is wearing the most becoming and decorative Van Dyke we've laid our two eyes on... Handsome as they come... that's the word that's being passed around...

AND WE HOPE you glimpsed (as did we) that delightful Florence duo... Frances and Gene Nix... who appeared Friday and Monday and Tuesday on the "Play Your Hunch" TeeVee program from New York... They (with their son... Michael) were vacationing... and a nice bit of local advertising (which we just know their impressive appearance has given us) is incidental...

A BIG WELCOME HOME to Lucille and Bill Chisholm... who took up residence for a spell in Albany, Georgia... They're now domiciled in the 400 block of North Walnut... where their many friends are again dropping in to enjoy the warmth of pleasant companionship...

AND NOW... CHEERIO and goodby... until more news comes through The Spillway...

To brighten tarnished silverware, let the silverware soak for an hour in water left after boiling potatoes. It will come out as bright as new.

## Number Convicted In Circuit Court

Spring Term Opened Monday With Criminal Cases Before Judge Hill

Convictions in two felony cases was the result in trials by Circuit Court jury panels Monday as the spring term of criminal proceedings in Lauderdale Circuit Court opened before Judge Robert M. Hill.

Robert Alexander Cullon, charged with selling, removing or concealing personal property covered by a lien or claim, was found guilty Monday morning after a brief trial.

Percy Lee Warren, charged with

transporting illegal whisky in quantities of more than five gallons, was tried by a 12-member jury and found guilty as charged.

Robert Elbie Martin and George Lovelace, both charged with bastardy, entered pleas of guilty during their case Monday and the case against Doris Edward Davis, charged with manufacturing whisky and possessing a still, was tried Monday afternoon.

On Tuesday, Ashford Cates, Millard Russ and George Allen Battles, all charged with manufacturing whisky and possessing a still, entered pleas of guilty and asked probation. Their cases were continued until Saturday, April 9, for final disposition by the Court.

Ananias Johnson and Billy Shelby, Jr., both charged with assault with intent to murder in cases growing out of a series of shoot-

ings at the Blue Moon Cafe in Florence during January, entered pleas of guilty and asked probation. Their cases also were continued for sentencing and hearing on their requests for probation.

In other dispositions Tuesday, Doris Edward Davis, charged with manufacturing whisky and possessing a still was tried by a jury which had not reported at mid-afternoon Tuesday.

In the case of Willie James Gilbert, charged with assault with intent to murder, trial was delayed until April 7 during the second week of criminal cases for the spring term.

The case of Henry Smith, charged with assault with intent to murder was continued with an agreement that it would be not pressed, pending payment of damages to the prosecuting witness by the defendant.

Ralph C. Linville, charged with transporting prohibited liquor in quantities of more than five gallons, had his case returned to the Grand Jury.

Cases pending on the docket in addition to the jury verdict in the Davis case included: Sonny Michaels, charged with leaving the scene of an accident; Elmer Keeton, arson third degree; Roy Ivey, forgery second degree; Clyde H. Seitz, selling unregistered securities; Buel Ricks, charged with bastardy and Norman Hayes, charged with carnal knowledge of a girl over 12 and under 16.

Capital cases have been set for the week of April 4 by Judge Robert M. Hill who is presiding over the court term.

Representing the State in the cases were W. D. Almon, Circuit Solicitor, and John R. Barnes, Law and Equity Solicitor.

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## Mrs. Owens Seeks Committee Post

North Alabamian In Race For Democratic Nat'l Committeewoman

Mrs. Wyatt (Ruth Johnson) Owens has formally opened her campaign for Democratic National Committeewoman from Alabama. Mrs. Owens, sufficiently recovered from a severe attack of the flu to begin a hand slapping tour of Alabama, issued the following statement:

"We Alabamians are faced with the most violent attack on the principles we believe in since the War for Southern Independence. Nero fiddled while Rome burned. Grant sat idly by while the 19th Century radicals began the first reconstruction and now Eisenhower amuses himself with golf and travel while the 20th Century radicals work around the clock to destroy our civilization.

"In the 1860's, as in the 1860's, the evil geniuses of our ancient army—the Republican Party—are not without support from Democratic Sealwarts. The present battle in the United States Senate provides ample evidence of this fact.

"On May 3rd we Alabamians will elect a Democratic National Committeewoman who will represent us on the Democratic National Committee, the governing body of our Party.

"As a life long Alabama Democrat, a housewife and the mother of two school age children, I am vitally interested in preserving our Southern Way of Life.

"I feel that my experience in business, government and civic

work qualify me to represent my fellow Alabamians on the Democratic National Committee. The vote and support of my fellow Alabamians will be deeply appreciated. In return I promise them that the Alabama Viewpoint will be presented in no uncertain terms on their Democratic National Committee.

Mrs. Owens who was born in Jasper served as administrative assistant to Gov. James E. Folsom during his second administration. She is the mother of two children and lives in Birmingham.

## Salvation Army Committees Are Named By Beard

The following were announced last week by C. L. Beard, board chairman:

**Executive Committee:** Chairman C. L. Beard, M. I. Glazier, E. S. Enoch, Merwin Koonce, Ethel Trowbridge, Bill Tune.

**Nominating Committee:** Chairman—R. H. Old, John Whittleman, Bill Tune, M. I. Glazier, Robert Hyde.

**Finance Committee:** Chairman—Sam Israel, John Whittleman, J. H. Christopher, E. S. Enoch, Bill Tune.

**Property Committee:** Chairman—Robert E. Hyde, Dan Davis, Roy Crump, E. S. Enoch, M. I. Glazier.

**Bequests and Endowment Committee:** Chairman—Merwin Koonce, Mrs. Trowbridge, Bill Tune, Sam Israel, Scott Reeburgh.

**Public Relations Committee:** Chairman—John Whittleman, Oscar Lewis, Ethel Trowbridge, Luther Baker.

**Youth Committee:** Chairman—J. S. Gallenger, Mrs. J. O. Dabney, J. H. Christopher, Bill Ferguson.

**Welfare Committee:** Chairman—E. S. Enoch, Ellis Wilson, Mrs. R. B. Turner, Scott L. Reeburgh, Robert Hyde.

**Emergency Disaster Committee:** Chairman—W. L. Ferguson, Luther Baker, Ellis Wilson, Merwin Koonce, M. I. Glazier.

**ABC BOARD TO SELL CONFISCATED CARS, TRUCKS**

Edward J. Azar, Administrator of the Alabama Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, announced today that the A.B.C. Board would sell Thirty One (31) confiscated automobiles and trucks at Public Auction to the highest bidder at the A.B.C. Board Warehouse, 2050-60 Blackshear Drive, Montgomery, Alabama, at 10:00 a.m. Friday, March 25. This group of vehicles consists of various types and makes and range in models from 1947 model to 1953 model and were seized and confiscated for transporting illegal liquors.

The demand for agricultural college graduates is about twice the annual supply.

Understanding tax deductions can save the farmer money.

## TELEVISION

FOR WEEK OF MARCH 25 THROUGH MARCH 31

DAILY — MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

CHANNEL 6—WBRC-TV CBS

CHANNEL 8—WSIX-TV ABC

CHANNEL 13—WAPI-TV NBC

CHANNEL 15—WOWL-TV ABC - CBS - NBC

WBRC-TV—Channel 6

Reluctant Series 5:30

Country Boy Eddie 5:40

Morning Show 5:50

Alabama Farm News 5:55

Morning News 6:00

Captain Kangaroo 6:15

For Better or for Worse 6:30

On the Go 6:45

I Love Lucy 6:50

December Bride 6:55

Brighter Days 7:00

Search for Tomorrow 7:10

Guiding Light 7:15

Sue 7:20

As the World Turns 7:30

San Francisco Beat 7:35

Houseparty 7:40

The Millionaire 7:45

Verdict Is Yours 7:50

Big Game Hunt 7:55

Secret Storm 8:00

Edge of Night 8:05

The Californians 8:10

Bugs Bunny 8:15

News 8:20

Highway Patrol 8:25

Alabama Newsweek 8:30

Doug Edwards News 8:35

WSIX-TV—Channel 8

Sign on 8:45

Cartoons 8:50

Room 9:00

My Little Margie 9:10

Sue 9:20

Our Miss Brooks 9:30

NIGHT

FRIDAY, MARCH 25

6 McGraw 6:00

Mr. D. A. 6:15

Huntley-Brinkley 6:30

Rawhide 6:45

Walt Disney 6:50

Real McCoy 7:00

Star Parade 7:10

Coronado 7:15

Troubadours 7:20

Man from B'ham 7:25

TV Guide Awards 7:30

Lawrence Sanders 7:35

Twilight Zone 7:40

Certainly 7:45

Partners 7:50

The Detectives 7:55

TBA 8:00

Blackout Bowling 8:05

Maverick 8:10

News Scope 8:15

Hennessey 8:20

Mystic Circle 8:25

Great Movie 8:30

Jack Paar 8:35

Home Theater 8:40

News 8:45

SATURDAY, MARCH 26

6 Agriculture Series 5:30

6 School Story 6:00

6 Mr. & Mrs. North 6:15

6 Huntley-Brinkley 6:30

6 Rawhide 6:45

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# Florence Of Long Ago

By OSCAR D. LEWIS

Since there have been a number of requests by readers of the Herald for re-runs of several articles on Florence history published a number of years ago, this story of Bailey Springs is the first of several that will appear in future issues. Since the stories were familiar under the heading, Florence of Long Ago, this same title is being used again.

This story deals with the one-time famous inland resort, Bailey Springs, established around 1809 by Jonathan Bailey, a native Scot, who came to Alabama by covered wagon from near Pulaski, Tennessee. Satisfied with the site Jonathan first built a large log cabin to serve as a dining room then five smaller cabins for living quarters. Words of the crystal waters that bubbled from seven springs at Bailey Springs quickly spread and Jonathan's settlement grew as well as the fame of the springs. Great claims were made for the curative benefits from drinking the waters and so many people came to the new resort that tents were erected until larger buildings could be constructed to accommodate the visitors. Jonathan Bailey charged them \$10 a month for board and gave them permission to drink all the water they wished.

By the time of the War Between the States, Bailey Springs was a nationally known inland spa frequented by diplomats, army and navy officials, members of Congress, rich planters and by people from all walks of life, seeking the social contacts of the place as well as renewed health from the famous springs. From a \$10 a month beginning Bailey Springs became a \$10 a day resort plus a large fee for drinking the water.

Bailey Springs then consisted of a large rambling frame hotel with a commodious ballroom where one could dance to the lively strains of the Virginia Reel with a lovely lady in hoop skirts or sip mint juleps under the rustling leaves of giant magnolias. It was a day when

conversation turned to blooded horses, a boat trip to New Orleans or to the great race in Nashville, the Peyton Stakes. Bridal paths rambled beneath huge oaks, past the blue waters of Shoals Creek then sloped back into the wooded hills.

The supposed virtues of the waters from the seven springs, all of them different, became so well known that it was bottled and shipped all over the nation. Apothecaries sold the water by the glass over their refreshment counters.

During the Civil War Jonathan Bailey, his wife, two daughters and two of his three sons died. Only one remained, Richard Absalom Bailey, who died in 1869. Richard was survived by his widow, Mary Jane, three sons and a daughter. One of the sons was the late Richard James Bailey, known to hundreds of Florentines as "Uncle Dick." He was survived by 3 sons, Julian and Luther, of Florence, Walter of California, and a daughter, Mrs. J. V. Powell of Birmingham.

The original founders and owners of Bailey Springs are buried in the family cemetery there where only a few of the old landmarks remain to mark the place where the elite of the nation once played and rested from their everyday cares.

Succeeding owners let the place run down and it was not long after the Bailey's interest were sold that Bailey Springs fell into decay and the great rambling hotel burned to the ground leaving only memories of the glorious tradition of the old South so vividly portrayed at the famous resort.

The cool seclusion of the great woods and the quiet creek bank still beckon the city dweller and many modern cabins now dot the shores near the old springs still reminiscent of the beauty of a hundred years ago when ardent lovers whispered sweet nothings beneath the low-hanging boughs above the pathways. And so a salute to Jonathan Bailey and the springs he made famous so long ago.

# Historical Group Issues "Bulletin"

Number Articles Of Interest To Florentines Included In Volume

The annual "Bulletin" of the North Alabama Historical Association, Volume Four, has just been issued by Florence State College in co-operation with the North Alabama Historical Association.

Six articles relating to the Tennessee Valley's history are included in the current issue.

Dr. Malcolm C. McMillan, research professor of history at Auburn, has an article on the three prominent O'Neals of Florence: General Edward A. O'Neal III, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

George C. Whitley, assistant professor of history at Jacksonville State College, has an article on Justice John McKinley who was a resident of Florence at the time of his appointment to the United States Supreme Court in 1837.

"The Sack and Occupation of Athens, Alabama" is a Civil War Study by Dr. Loraine B. Pabst, associate professor of history at Athens College.

Dr. Herbert L. Hughes of Athens College has a paper on General Wheeler in Huntsville in 1893. The Mountain Home School is the subject of a paper by Ralph E. Graham of Courtland.

Finally, Creek Indian activity in the Tennessee and Cumberland Valleys is described by Charles E. Wilson, a graduate student at the University of Alabama.

The North Alabama Historical Association is composed of some 200 members throughout the Tennessee Valley. The annual dues of the organization are \$2.00 per year, and members receive a copy of the Bulletin. William H. Jenkins, Principal, Decatur High School, Decatur, is secretary-treasurer of the association.

The Bulletin is edited by Ben-narr Cresap, Florence State College history professor. Copies of the current and past issues of the Bulletin may be secured from the editor at 50 cents per copy.



"The tribe returned and found the campus wore a new spring coat!"

When Florence State guys and gals returned from AEA vacation, the college campus did seem to look fresher and greener. Maybe that elusive Lady Spring has finally decided to remain at school for a while. (We hope!)

Political speeches were heard in the Amphitheater this morning as twelve students made their pledges for the SGA offices that they hope to be elected to in tomorrow's election.

Hopefuls for president of the student body are Ed Goss, Joe Magnuson, Charles Weathers, and Luther Whittle. Vice-president candidates include Wayne Collier, Charles Weatherly, and Ward Webster.

Mary Helen Manning and Margaret Britton are candidates for secretary while Rosemary Hampton, Benny Roberson, and Randy Strait are hoping to fill the treasurer's office.

Monday was the final day for students to apply for the top Florida (the college newspaper) positions. Applications for the positions of executive editor, associate editor, and business manager were submitted to Dr. W. T. McElheny.

The students chosen by a special committee to fill the F-A positions will be announced at a later date.

The Danforth Foundation is bringing another well-known person to the FSC campus.

Noted news commentator and analyst Stewart Alsop will lecture Friday, March 25 at 8:15 p.m. in Coffee Auditorium.

Mr. Alsop, an outstanding newspaperman and lecturer, is co-author of Sub-Rosa, a book based on World War II, and We Accuse, a book which he collaborated with his brother Joseph.

The public is invited to attend Mr. Alsop's lecture which will be entitled "Looking Forward."

Another important event at CHS Auditorium tonight—the last of this year's series of Audubon Screen Tours.

Featured on the program will be Mr. W. J. Breckenridge, director of the Minnesota Museum of Natural History. He will present a film-lecture entitled "Island Treasure," which tells the dramatic history of the wilderness far up the Mississippi River.

One hundred tickets will be given away on a first-come-first-serve basis in Bibb Graves Hall. Student tickets will be \$75.

With a slight hint of spring in the air, there appears (again) on campus an extra bundle of sparkling diamond engagement rings! Among the many planning summer weddings are: Dorothy Davidson, Florence, and Tom Green-shaw, Athens; Bonnie Barnes, Florence, and Ralph Sturges, Florence; Carolyn Jones, Florence, and Gordon Morrow, Lawrenceburg, Tennessee.

Pledging their vows recently were Dorothy Gargis, Sheffield, and Eddie Foote, Florence.

Red-circle events upcoming include: April 6—WSGA tea; April 14—WSGA banquet and installation of new officers; April 21, 22—Cheerleader tryouts and election; April 22—ROTC Military Ball.

The W.S.C.S. Circle No. 1 will meet at 1:30 Wednesday afternoon at the church.

Next Sunday will be a special day at the Methodist church. The Wesley Fellowship of Florence State College will have the entire morning worship service, and everyone is cordially invited to come.

Mrs. Louise McPeters is recovering from injuries received in a recent fall.

Mrs. Y. G. Roberts is a patient in ECM Hospital.

Mrs. Lou White is on the sick list at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Atticus Harrison.

Mrs. Mattie Frye and Mrs. Gus-sie Belew of Florence were Sunday visitors here.

Miss Mary Ella Hammonds of Sheffield visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Annie Maud Harris and Miss Ila Cox attended A.E.A. at Birmingham last week.

Mrs. Velma Liles and daughters, Mrs. Lewis Williams and Mrs. Walter Littleton of Florence visited Mrs. Mattie Overton Thursday.

PLANT EVERGREEN TREES AND SHRUBS THIS MONTH

Plant ball and burlapped ever-shrubs and trees now, for later plantings will require the use of container grown plants and extra watering and mulching.

However, regardless of the plants used, the chances for success are greater if the soil is properly prepared, according to Auburn University Extension Horticulturist Troy Keeble.

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Joan Roberts drew a puzzled expression from Sheba, a Bactrian (two humped) camel, when she pointed to the Corvair aluminum engine as the undisputed champion of machine or beast operating forever without water. Sheba, though passive, was content to relinquish the camel's historic endurance laurels to the new compact car's rear-installed air-cooled engine which never needs water. At any rate, the camel can hold the "no water" record until 1959 B.C. (before Corvair).

## News Of CLOVERDALE

By Mrs. Kathryn Smith  
Phone 2073-M-2

### Personals:

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher from Kentucky are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Noel Glascock this week. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher are the parents of Mrs. Glascock.

Mrs. Venson Kelley of Iron City, Tennessee, was guest of Mrs. Leona Burgess Sunday.

Miss Martha Ann Young was spend-the-day guest of Debra Smith Saturday.

Mr. Elen Lindsey was Saturday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lewis. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis and family and Mrs. Bobbie Lindsey and daughter Vicki were guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis.

We are sorry Mrs. Eva Ahonen is ill.

### Birthday Celebration:

Mrs. Coy Smith honored her mother, Mrs. Pugh Thrasher, with a surprise birthday party Sunday afternoon at the Thrasher home. Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cagle, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Dave McCorkle, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Kerby, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Fulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Shelton, Mrs. Frank Sharp, Mrs. Venson Kelley, Mrs. Leona Burgess, Misses Judy, Jannet, Joan, and Joyce Fulmer, Miss Linda Kerby,

Miss Debra Smith, Miss Janie Tate, Sammie and Coy Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Sharp and son Rickey, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Montgomery and daughter Patty. The party table was overlaid with white lace, a birthday cake embossed in pink and white was centered on the table.

Mrs. Thrasher was showered with a number of beautiful gifts.

**P.T.A.:** Cloverdale P.T.A. will meet April 7 at 7 p.m., at which time open house will be held. All parents are urged to attend.

## News Of Rogersville

By Mrs. Oswald Waddell  
Phone CH 4-3256

### Garden Club:

Mrs. Rex Roberson was the hostess when the Rogersville Garden Club met on Thursday evening for a discussion of window, porch and patio boxes led by Miss Bessie Crow.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Buford Mitchum with Mrs. Henry Hudson giving the devotional.

Miss Crow listed a goodly number of plants being used in boxes with an idea of bringing the outdoors indoors in the patio and porch boxes. She suggested soil preparation, cultivation and care and pertinent facts essential to the

growing of pretty plants for desired effect of color or greenery.

### Pastors Meet:

On Monday the East Lauderdale Pastor's Association met at the Methodist church with representatives from nine churches present.

A showing of the film, "The Accused," starring Loretta Young, under the auspices of the Rogersville Civic Club in cooperation with the East Lauderdale County Pastor's Association will be shown at Lexington, Saturday, March 26 at 7:30; Lauderdale County High School, Monday, March 28, 7:00; Springfield school, March 29 at 7:30; Anderson school, March 30 at 7:30 and Killen school, March 31 at 7:30. The fight against using the mails to sell indecent literature is one of the objectives of the association.

The film is free and your attendance is urged as a citizen in the fight for cleaning up this avenue of filth into the home of many of our people.

T. A. Duke, Anderson, is president of the association; Hugh Thomas, Killen, vice-president and Gerald Harris, Rogersville, secretary-treasurer.

### Personals:

Jimmie Lee attended the outing to Chattanooga over the week end given by the Birmingham papers to their carriers.

Arthur Bayles, who has been critically ill at his home, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Leach and family of Gadsden were week end guests in the Dr. J. R. Waddell home.

## News Of GREENHILL

By Mrs. Mary McLaurine

The W.S.C.S. met in the home of Mrs. T. L. Green Wednesday afternoon with eight members present. After an interesting program the officers were elected for the year. They are: Mrs. Lucille Liles, president; Mrs. Birdie Killen, vice-president; Mrs. Lola Green, secretary; leaders appointed were Mrs. Milliea Truitt, Mrs. Virginia Green, Mrs. Birdie Shaw, Mrs. Mary E. Green, Mrs. Millie Jo Monerret, Mrs. Eula Mae Springer and Mrs. Lois Poss.

Travis Liles and Miss Eleanor Gaddis were united in marriage by Rev. E. L. Hunt at his home in Cloverdale last week. They are making their home in Sheffield.

Bill Atkins and Miss Shelby Scott were married in Pulaski, Tenn. last Tuesday. They are making their home in Maryland where Mr. Atkins is stationed with the Army.

George Bretherick will deliver the evening sermon at the Methodist church Sunday, March 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Green, and son of Auburn were week end guests of relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. William Smith and James visited the Fulton Scotts in Chattanooga the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Killen and Buddy spent the school holidays in St. Petersburg, Fla. with relatives.

Mrs. Willie T. Hill and son of Florence were the Wednesday guests of her mother, Mrs. T. L. Green.

Susan Allen of Iron City spent the week end with Jean Ann McLaurine.

Mrs. Robert Lind and children were the supper guests of Miss Louise Shaw in Florence Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wheeler and Cathy of Florence visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wheeler Sunday.

Mrs. Elston Green was the guests of her mother, Mrs. Viola Burkhead at Oakland Wednesday.

### PROTECT FAMILY WITH NEW FALLOUT SHELTERS

The survival and recovery of our country in case of a nuclear war would depend heavily on the farmer. And his primary danger is radioactive fallout.

Radioactive fallout can kill men, and animals, but according to Auburn Extension Engineer J. T. Gaillard, our farm families can protect themselves by building a fallout shelter. This shelter can be made with earth, sand, or concrete, and the more material there is between the family and the fallout, the better protection there will be.

## News Of NEBO

By Mrs. Ada Haney

A large crowd attended Sunday school at Nebo Sunday.

Rev. Hall from Tenn. will be the speaker at both the morning and evening services next Sunday at Nebo.

Announcement was made Sunday of the plans to build a manse at Nebo in the near future.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Ritter has been sick in ECM Hospital.

Mrs. Mamie Howard has recovered enough to be dismissed from ECM Hospital.

Mr. Monroe Hunt was carried from ECM Hospital last week to the home of his son Franklin Hunt in Florence.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Gwen McCain and children was destroyed by fire Thursday night. They were not able to save anything.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy McCain and little son visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McCain and Clyde over the week end.

Visitors of Mrs. Anna Howard and Mrs. Lena Mason Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Guston Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Almon Howard and Sherry and Mrs. Ada Haney.

Mr. and Mrs. Redis White and girls visited Mrs. Ada Haney and children Saturday evening.

Mrs. Idell Comer visited Mrs. Anna Howard and Mrs. Lena Mason Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Marrow of Waynesboro, Tenn. visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Howard Sunday.

Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Elton Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Johnson and Kenny, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Flemming, Keith and Timmy.

The United States is the world's largest exporter of farm products. Figures for the fiscal year 1959 show that this nation supplied 17 percent of the world's exports in commodities, such as are produced in the United States.

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## Bell Brings TV To Muscle Shoals

Did you know that the radio program you hear and the television programs you see in Florence and Lauderdale County are transmitted over telephone company channels? "The Bell System's experience in serving radio networks dates from 1923 when network broadcasting began," according to F. W. Brice, local manager for Southern Bell.

Brice says, "Bell System scientists pioneered also in sending television images from one place to another by both wire and radio. The years of experience in serving radio networks have been invaluable in solving the problems of TV network transmission. The System has linked about 465 TV stations in more than 300 American Cities."

Brice also asks, "Did you ever wonder where your voice travels when you make a telephone call?"

"Well, it probably would surprise you to know how it zooms through the wires, through complex switching equipment in the local central office and on to the party you are calling."

Several of the local citizens have visited the local central office according to Brice, but for those clubs, school groups and others who haven't seen it a quick tour can be arranged at almost any time by calling the Business Office and arranging for a date.

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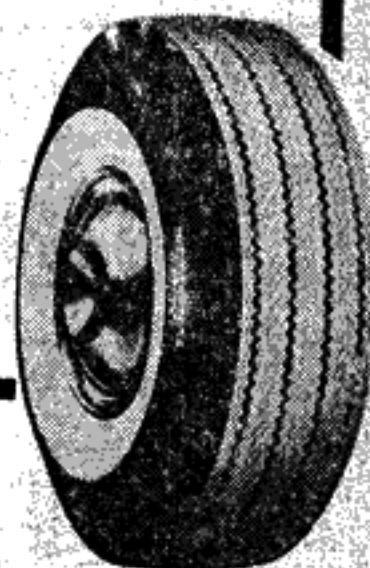
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**ALL'S WELL THAT END WELL**—Hostess Sharon Lorentzen is helped from a Martin 404 passenger plane in Olathe Naval Air Station, Kansas. She, two other crew members and six passengers were safe after their plane made a belly-landing on a snowy runway. The craft lost its port wheels on Chicago take-off.

**News Of  
Goodwin Town**

By Mrs. Stella White

Reverend Fisher of Florence was the guest speaker at Hickory Flat church Sunday.

A revival will begin at Mt. Pleasant church on March 27. Everyone is cordially invited. Reverend Baker of Florence will be the evangelist.

Mrs. Evalyn Parker of Center Star, Mrs. Juanita Barnette and Mrs. Mary Thigpen spent Monday with Mrs. Joy Littrell and boys of Lawrenceburg.

Miss Cheryl White spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Don Phillips of Killen.

Mrs. Deanie Mills, Ronald and Teresa of Sheffield, Mrs. Georgia Thigpen and Homer of Florence and Mrs. Carl Parker and Donald

of Center Star spent Friday with Mrs. Lula Barnette.

Mrs. Hood Barnette and Mrs. Fulton Allen spent Friday with Mrs. Preston Barnette, Patsy and Karen.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Jackson visited Mrs. Carrie Michael Sunday.

Mrs. Malene Putman and children spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Odus White.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Richardson and children of Indiana spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Richardson.

Miss Patsy Barnette spent Friday night with Miss Barbara Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Staggs and Mrs. Doris King and Wanda and Mike of Florence spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cleon McGee and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Littrell, Ricky and Steve of Lawrenceburg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Barnette.

Miss Betty McGee spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Mable McGee.

Ronald White spent Sunday afternoon with Royce and Neal McGee.

**News Of  
Central Heights**

By Mrs. Andrew Thrasher

**Church:**

Calendar of services at New Hope church of Christ: James Beck, minister.

**Sunday:**

Bible Study—10:00 a.m.  
Worship—11:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m.

**Thursday:**

Bible Study—6:30 p.m.  
A standing welcome to all who wish to attend.

**Personals:**

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Woodis, Sr. spent the week end in Allsboro with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davies and family of Birmingham were guests of Mrs. Dave Thrasher and also attended the funeral of Mrs. Davies's aunt, Mrs. Mildred Broadfoot.

Henry Pennington was admitted to the hospital Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Patterson is spending this week with her daughter Mrs. James Campbell and Mr. Campbell.

Recently Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kimberly of Alexandria City, en route to Memphis, Tenn. to see their children Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kimberly and family and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Walker, spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Young.

Misses Dotty Brown and Connie Crews left Thursday to spend the A.E.A. holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Brown in Jackson, Tenn. They returned Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brown after they had visited with them Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Broadfoot and family left Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Pierce McFall, of Mobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Denver Rhodes and family went on a sight seeing trip to the Azalea Gardens in Mobile during the A.E.A. holidays.

Mrs. Leona Woods of Huntsville is the guest of Mrs. Terry Woodis, Sr.

Wesley Butler, Misses Charlotte and Patsy Butler, of Jasper were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Butler.

Miss Sarah Ann Smith, of Birmingham was home for the week end, having a birthday dinner, given by her mother Mrs. John Smith, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan West (Virginia McFall) and two boys have returned to the states since he has served four year U.S. service overseas. His latest post was in Italy. They, with her parents Mr. and Mrs. James McFall, Rogersville, Tenn. have been here visiting this week with a host of relatives and with her brother, George McFall and family and sisters, Mrs. Marion Rhodes and family of Florence. They returned Sunday to Detroit, Michigan where they'll be making their home permanently.

Miss Johnnie Jones, of Killen, was the Sunday guest of Miss Elaine Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Waylon Hawkins of Florence were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Broadfoot.

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**News Of  
GRASSY**

By Mrs. Agnes Williams

**Church:**

Rev. Kaylor filled his appointment at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

Singing the third Sunday night was very good. People came from Anderson, Lexington, parts of Tenn. and Florence.

Mrs. Mildred Newbourn gave an all-day quilting at her home last Tuesday, there were about 20 ladies who came to quilt. They finished seven quilts that day.

Ed White was ill last week with pneumonia. He is improving at this time. Most all of their children came to visit him and Mrs. White last week. They were Mr. and Mrs. Dayton White, Mr. Clifford White, Mrs. Ruby Pettus of Florence, Mr. and Mrs. Horace James and son of Athens.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hooie and family of Birmingham visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hammond last week.

Mr. Osbourn White, Mr. and Mrs. Monty Steadman visited Mr. and Mrs. James White of Florence Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Balch and Gerald of Rogersville visited Mr. and Mrs. Almon D. Williams Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dot Nicholson of Centerville, Tenn. were Sunday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reeder Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littrell and daughter of Lester visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Craig Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shook and Mrs. Willard Mcsley visited Miss Beadle Akins of Lawrenceburg, Tenn. Sunday. Miss Akins was in an accident a few days ago and is confined in the Lawrenceburg hospital.

There were several parents who met at the school Thursday afternoon and painted cabinets and waxed floors. Frankie Grubbs and Eckard Walker, Mrs. Lella White, Mrs. Rosa Walker, Mrs. Ora Cottrell, Mrs. Eva Lee Burbank, Mrs. Betty Hammond and Agnes Williams were among the group.

Friends of this community are in sympathy with the family and relatives of Mrs. Sallie Williams. Misses Gene, Juanita, and Jewel Shelton attended church at Union Hill Sunday.

Agnes Williams attended church at Union Hill with Mr. and Mrs. Will Burgess Sunday morning and the funeral of Mrs. Pearl Bassham Sunday afternoon at Appleton, Tenn.

Mrs. Inez Hayes and Franklin visited relatives in Leoma, Tenn. Thursday through Saturday of last week.

A. E. Owens celebrated his 82nd birthday Sunday, March 20. There were 67 friends and relatives there to enjoy the dinner with him.

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OF DECATUR, ALABAMA

(COMPTROLLER'S CALL)

March 15, 1960

**RESOURCES**

Cash and Due from Banks	\$16,659,357.22
U. S. Government Securities	23,534,280.00
State, Municipal and Other Securities	6,021,881.03
Loans and Discounts	27,893,109.47
Buildings and Equipment	1,558,134.41
Stock Fed. Res. Bank	105,000.00
Other Real Estate	267,286.33
Other Assets	10,982.50
<b>Total Resources</b>	<b>\$76,050,030.96</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Common Stock	\$ 1,500,000.00
Surplus Account	2,000,000.00
Undivided Profits	1,290,277.46
Interest Collected—	
Not Earned	173,090.91
Reserve for Taxes, Int., Etc.	280,467.40
Reserve for Loans—	
Unallocated	773,508.04
Deposits	70,032,687.15
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$76,050,030.96</b>

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Your Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

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Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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# REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF FLORENCE IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA

At the Close of Business on March 15, 1960  
Published in Response to Call Made by Comptroller of the  
Currency, Under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 5,330,193.69
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	3,528,760.88
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	3,462,336.75
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	100,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$54,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	54,001.00
Loans and discounts (including \$1,519.36 overdrafts)	11,249,642.93
Bank premises owned	\$510,736.19
Furniture and fixtures	166,989.13
Real estate owned other than bank premises	7.00
Other assets	236,914.54
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$24,639,582.11</b>

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$13,066,226.89
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,989,400.85
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	179,445.33
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	2,129,473.34
Deposits of banks	371,688.73
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	48,891.64
<b>Total Deposits</b>	<b>\$21,785,126.78</b>
Other liabilities	470,379.34
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$22,255,506.12</b>

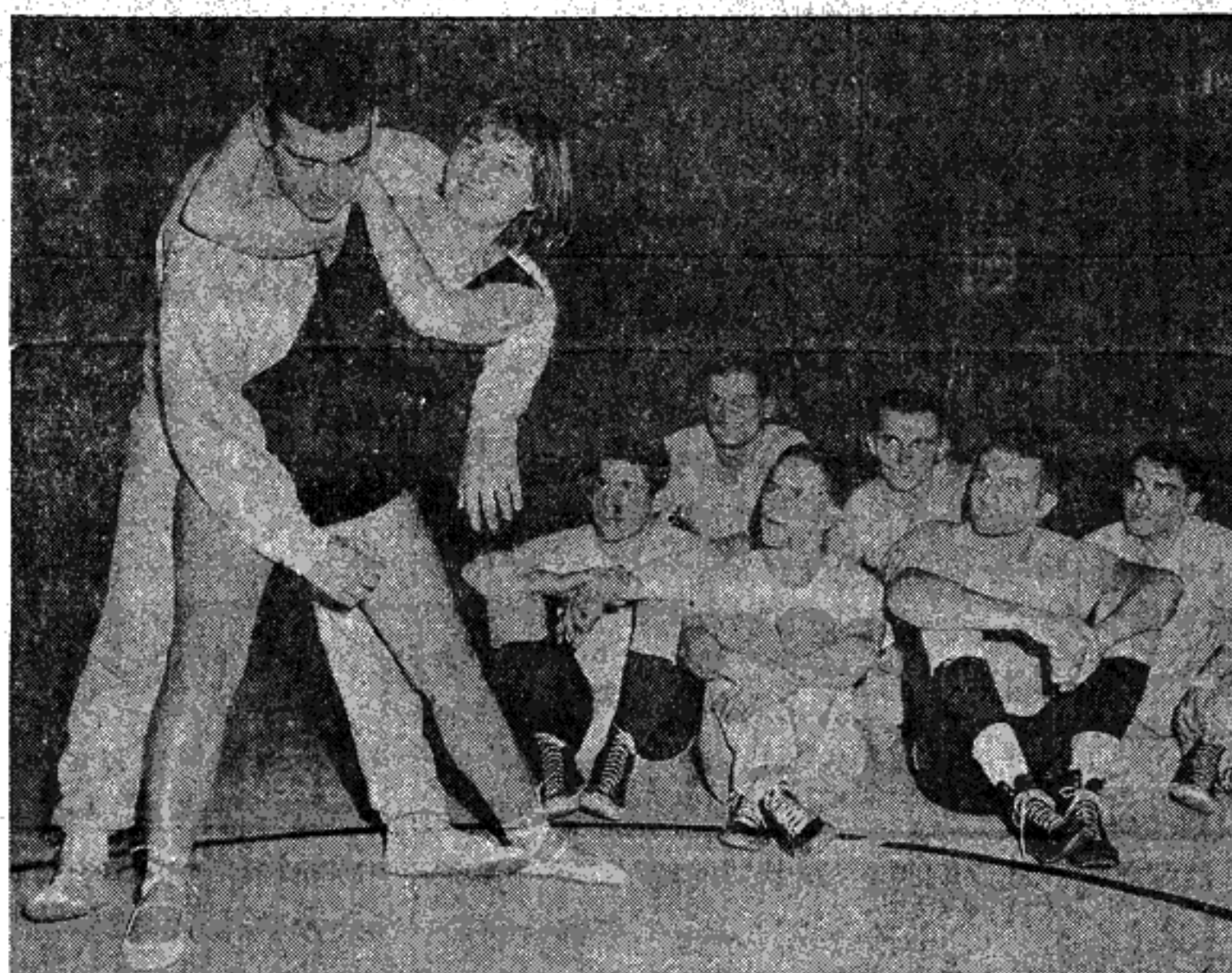
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Common stock, total par	\$ 750,000.00
Surplus	1,250,000.00
Undivided profits	384,075.99
<b>Total Capital Accounts</b>	<b>\$ 2,384,075.99</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>\$24,639,582.11</b>

MEMORANDA	
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$ 2,848,096.78

I, Chas. L. Peery, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHAS. L. PEERY, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest:  
T. M. ROGERS, JR.  
FRED LONG  
W. H. MITCHELL  
Directors.

State of Alabama, County of Lauderdale, ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd day of March, 1960, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.  
(SEAL) JANE F. REDING, Notary Public  
My commission expires January 9, 1963.



**THROWING A PARTY**—The party to be thrown is Bob Sonnenburg, the thrower brainy lady wrestler Raymond Rousselot. Paris-born Raymond is showing the University of Chicago wrestling team the skill she uses on U.S. wrestling mats. To her fans she's known as Raymond Coty. Before leaving France in 1951, she studied law at the Sorbonne. She's also a secretary at Chicago U.

## News Of LUTTS

By Mrs. Verta Weeks

**Church:**  
Bro. Bradford Johnson filled his regular appointment at Balentine church the 3rd Sunday.

Bro. Stanfield will be the speaker at Balentine church the 4th Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Everyone is invited.

**Personals:**  
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Warrington and children of Waynesboro spent Wednesday night of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alice Holt and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright and son of Greenhill spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Horton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henson.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Barkley spent awhile Sunday with Mrs. Mary Barkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Robertson and daughter spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Montgomery spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Montgomery. Mrs. Icie Balentine and Mrs. Verta Weeks were called to ECM

Hospital Thursday night to the bedside of Mrs. H. O. King, who underwent minor surgery there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weeks and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright and son, and Mrs. Icie Balentine and Jimmy Barkley attended the musical entertainment at the King Grocery Store on Cloverdale Road Saturday night.

George Reaves spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Icie Balentine.

## Lamp Wiring Is Subject Course

A workshop for all 4-H boys and girls on lamp wiring and electricity will be held March 17 in the Municipal Building Auditorium.

This workshop will be conducted by the county extension workers with TVA home economist and agriculture engineers cooperating. The program will start at 9:30 a.m. and will last about two hours.

All 4-H members who are interested in competing in the lamp contest should make plans to attend this event.

## Political Announcements

The following Political Announcements have been paid for by the candidates whose names are affixed thereto.

**FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for member of the Lauderdale County Board of Education subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary, May 3, 1960. Your vote and support will be sincerely appreciated.  
**A. D. RAY, JR.**

**FOR MEMBER, BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for member of the Lauderdale County Board of Education subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary May 3, 1960. Your vote and support will be appreciated.  
**LAWRENCE GOINS**

**FOR TAX COLLECTOR**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for Lauderdale County Tax Collector subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary, May 3, 1960. Your vote and support will be sincerely appreciated.  
**WEAVER FUQUA, Jr.**

**FOR TAX COLLECTOR**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Tax Collector of Lauderdale County subject to the will of the voters in the Democratic Primary May 3, 1960. Your vote and support will be appreciated.  
**HAROLD KOONCE**

**FOR TAX COLLECTOR**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Tax Collector of Lauderdale County subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary, May 3, 1960. Your vote and support will be appreciated.  
**NOLAN PHILLIPS**

**FOR TAX COLLECTOR**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for Lauderdale County Tax Collector subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary May 3, 1960. Your support will be deeply appreciated.  
**VERNA H. TUCKER**

**FOR TAX ASSESSOR**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Tax Assessor of Lauderdale county subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary May 3, 1960. Your vote and support will be sincerely appreciated.  
**B. P. (Junior) LOVELACE**

**FOR TAX ASSESSOR**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Tax Assessor subject to the will of the voters in the Democratic Primary, May 3, 1960. Your vote and support will be sincerely appreciated.  
**MRS. HELEN L. MURPHY**

**FOR SUPT. OF EDUCATION**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Lauderdale County Superintendent of Education subject to the will of the voters in the Democratic Primary May 3, 1960. Your vote and support appreciated.  
**ALLEN THORNTON**

**FOR COMMISSIONER, District 4**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for member of the Lauderdale County Court of Commissioners, District 4, subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary, May 3, 1960. Your vote and support will be appreciated.  
**NOLAN ROBINSON**

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**ANDY WHITE**

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**PERCY WRIGHT, Jr.**

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**SAM THRASHER**

**FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, Beat 10**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for Justice of the Peace, Beat 10, subject to the will of the voters in the Democratic Primary, May 3, 1960. Your vote and support will be appreciated.  
**H. F. KOONCE**

**FOR CONSTABLE, Beat 10**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Constable, Beat 10, subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary, May 3, 1960. Your vote and support will be appreciated.  
**W. R. (Bill) DALTON**

**FOR CONSTABLE, Beat 10**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for Constable, Beat 10, subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primary, May 3, 1960. Your vote and support will be appreciated.  
**JOHNNY F. OLIVER**

**FOR CONSTABLE, Beat 10**  
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**FORREST W. BRICE**  
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### News Of WATERLOO

By Mrs. W. E. Cherry

The Baptist church and the church of Christ will hold regular morning and night services Sunday.

Bro. J. E. Stewart will preach at the Methodist church at Wright Sunday morning and at the Waterloo church Sunday night.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet at the home of Mrs. L. O. Jagers Friday night of this week.

Mrs. Clark Newman has been dismissed from ECM Hospital and is convalescing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Canterbury on Ridge Avenue in Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jagers and children, of Tusculum, were supper guests of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. O. Jagers Saturday night.

Mrs. S. E. Cherry and children spent Thursday with Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Hall in Sheffield.

Patricia Lard from Florence visited last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lard.

Mrs. Jackie Vaughn and little son, Jeffrey, arrived Saturday from Mishawaka, Indiana, for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Cherry.

After attending A.E.A., Rev. and Mrs. L. O. Jagers visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lee in Anniston and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jagers in Athens.

Mrs. Earl Stewart is in Mobile where she is visiting relatives.

Miss Judy Howard of Gallatin, Tenn.

Rev. and Mrs. Reuben Speakman and Annette escaped serious injury. Mrs. Speakman suffered a broken leg and bruises. Their automobile was a total loss. Mr. and Mrs. Travis Butler visited Mrs. Speakman in the hospital Sunday.

lumbia, Tenn. The accident occurred in Spring Hill, Tenn. Rev. Speakman and Annette escaped serious injury. Mrs. Speakman suffered a broken leg and bruises. Their automobile was a total loss. Mr. and Mrs. Travis Butler visited Mrs. Speakman in the hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams the visitors in church Sunday wish to take this means of thanking their many friends and neighbors for all the food, flowers, help and sympathy shown them in their recent sorrow from the loss of his mother, Mrs. Sallie Williams. Darvis Jean Daniel and sons of Montgomery, and Mr. and Mrs. James Kimbro of Scottsboro. One hundred seventy attended Sunday school and many others came in for the preaching service. Among the visitors in church Sunday were: Mrs. Eroy Williams and children of Birmingham, Mrs. Edna Williams and children of Florence, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ingram recent sorrow from the loss of his mother, Mrs. Sallie Williams. Darvis Jean Daniel and sons of Montgomery, and Mr. and Mrs. James Kimbro of Scottsboro. One hundred seventy attended Sunday school and many others came in for the preaching service. Among

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### News Of ANDERSON

By Mrs. Myrtle McGraw

Dal Belue was taken to the Athens Limestone hospital Sunday with a broken arm.

Miss Jane Grisham is confined to the ECM hospital in Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Patterson and children of Cleveland, Ohio visited his mother, Mrs. Eunice Patterson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Eroy Williams and children of Birmingham and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Williams and children of Florence visited their mother, Mrs. Louella Williams over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ingram and son of Huntsville visited in the Grady Ingram and the Noah Burch homes over the week end.

Allen David Garner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Garner, was given a free trip to Chattanooga last Thursday and Friday by the Birmingham News Co. Allen David is their salesman here.

Rev. and Mrs. T. A. Duke and daughter visited in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duke, of Siluria last week.

Medford Williams and two sons of Alvia, Florida, were here last week to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Sallie Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Embree of Birmingham visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zander Belue, and other relatives here over the week end.

Ragnal Threet and Miss Zelma Lett of Birmingham visited in the home of Miss Dixie Burch during the week end.

Velpo Patterson is serving on the Federal Jury in Birmingham his week.

Misses Judy Folker and Blaine Cutler spent the week end visiting

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Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	Luke	1	1-138
Monday	Luke	2	28-50
Tuesday	Luke	2	1-40
Wednesday	Luke	2	41
Thursday	Luke	5	1-144
Friday	Luke	5	1-139
Saturday	Luke	6	1-19

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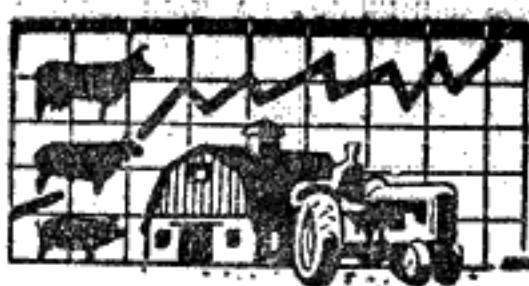
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# Farm Review and Forecast



## Farmers Should Know Varieties

Since good, high quality cottonseed of recommended varieties will be short this year, farmers should make early buying arrangements with their seed dealers.

In northern Alabama wilt-resistant varieties recommended by Auburn Extension Agronomist Melvin Moore are Auburn 56, Plains, Dixie King, Coker 100A, and All-In-One.

etics are Stoneville 7, Stardel, Pope, Hale 33, and Fox 4. Moore adds that in southern Alabama the will resistant cottonseed are Auburn 56, Plains, Dixie King, Coker 100A, and All-In-One.

Heavy infestations of lice on cattle are usually evident because of the appearance of the hair on the neck and back regions. Every farmer should read the tag on seed before buying.

## How To Increase Corn Production

### Selection Of Ground, Cultivation And Seed Are Prime Objectives

By S. M. EICH, JR., Assistant County Agent

Corn is one of the most important crops in Lauderdale County. In 1959 Lauderdale County farmers made a good average yield of corn. However, while the average yield has increased, it can be improved and there are many farmers in Lauderdale County who are making more than 100% better than the average.

The following are some production practices that will help you to increase your corn yields in 1960.

1. SELECT THE RIGHT CORN LAND — Corn should be planted on productive well drained soil that is high in organic matter.

2. PREPARE A FIRM SEED BED — Break the land six to eight inches deep thoroughly turning under stalks, weeds, litter, etc. Disc and harrow to smooth the soil.

3. PLANT A GOOD HYBRID — The following is a list of good hybrids recommended for Lauderdale County:

Early Season  
Funks G-95A (Yellow)  
Funks G-134 (Yellow)  
Funks G-704 (Yellow)  
Pioneer (PGA) 403 (Yellow)  
Pioneer (PGA) 631 (White)  
Pioneer (PGA) 633 (White)  
Pioneer 302 (Yellow)  
Pioneer 309A (Yellow)

Full Season  
Coker 911 (White)  
Dixie 22 (Yellow)  
Dixie 29 (White)  
Dixie 55 (White)

North Carolina 42 (Yellow)  
4. PLANT ON TIME — Planting dates recommended for our area: (a.) Extra early varieties (mature in 75-80 days) April 20-May 10; (b.) Early varieties (mature in 90-100 days) April 10-April 30; (c.) Full season varieties (mature in 110-130 days) April 1-April 20.

5. FERTILIZE PROPERLY — (a.) Soil testing — The best way to determine how much fertilizer

and lime your land needs is by soil test. Your county agent will furnish you with instructions and cartons for taking soil samples from your corn fields. The report from the laboratory in Auburn will tell you the kind and amounts of lime and fertilizer necessary for making the most economical yield. (b.) If you wait too late to send in a soil sample, I would suggest that you use the following fertilizer recommendations which should supply the needed plant food for your corn crop. Apply 60 to 90 pounds of nitrogen and 30 pounds each of P-2-O-5 and K-2-O per acre. These amounts may be supplied at planting time or other mixtures of fertilizers that will give you the same amounts of plant food per acre. Side dress your corn at the second cultivation or about 30 days after planting with 150 to 200 pounds of ammonium nitrate or 200 to 400 pounds of nitrate of soda per acre or equal amounts of nitrogen from other sources.

6. CULTIVATE SHALLOW AND LAY BY EARLY.

7. CONTROL INSECTS IF NEEDED.

According to Farquhar, a strong chute with steps and tight sides often makes prodding or hurrying the animals unnecessary and will prevent excessive bruising and shrink. A firm bank to which the truck can be backed so that it can be used as a loading ramp will also serve the same purpose.

Most farmers have enough material on hand to build a satisfactory chute, points out the Extension specialist. He adds that the prevention of excessive shrink and bruising makes the animals marketable and often than pays for the cost of the chute or loading ramp. The stair-step chute is proving to be one of the best types since cattle prefer it over the conventional inclined chute.

In constructing a chute, Farquhar recommends a long enough incline to allow the cattle to move freely. Keep the sides tight and make the width either narrow enough for a single animal or wide enough for two or more. Also, the chute should be sturdily built to give the animal confidence as he starts up.

Hybrid Corn Is Good Producer

Recommended varieties of hybrid corn are now out-yielding the best open-pollinated varieties by about 30 percent.

Because of this difference in yield, a steady increase in favor of the recommended hybrids has taken place during the past 18 years, reports Extension Agronomist Melvin Moore. And he adds that the use of hybrid corn seed from the crib is just as bad a practice as the use of open-pollinated varieties. The Auburn University Experiment Station and many other experiment stations throughout the nation have proved that second generation hybrid corn seed from the crib will yield from 15 to 30 percent less than first generation seed.

In addition to increasing corn yields with hybrid varieties, plant

breeders have made progress toward perfecting southern hybrids that resist lodging and insects and have better quality ears and grain. For example, says Moore, the same hybrids that out-yielded the best open-pollinated varieties in Alabama during 1958 also lodged less than half as much. Besides this, the hybrids had 25 percent fewer kernels damaged by insects at harvest, and they had a good quality rating while the open-pollinated variety was rated only fair.

Eggs Are High In Nutrition

A shell-sheltered package of complete food—the egg—is recommended by nutritionists for daily diets.

Since March is National Egg Month, the protein food is an especially good buy. Supplies are large and prices are low—the large and extra eggs being one of the best protein buys in the grocery store.

According to Auburn Consumer Education Specialist Dorothy Overby, proper storage keeps the quality of eggs high. Buy eggs from a grocer who keeps his supply in a refrigerated case, and then put the eggs into the home refrigerator as soon as possible. If eggs are left in a hot kitchen, they lose some of their quality. Also, keep them covered so they won't absorb strong odors.

Sometimes blood or meat spots may be found in eggs but the Extension specialist says these do not affect the nutritive value or flavor of the eggs in any way. She suggests removing the spot and using the egg anyway.

If the recipe calls for separating eggs, do so immediately after removing from the refrigerator because cold yolks are less likely to break. Cover left-over egg yolks with a small amount of cold water and refrigerate. Also place left-over whites in a covered container and put them in the refrigerator.

Release your cotton allotment by March 15 if you do not plan to plant 75 percent of it.

## WEEKLY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

### Asiatic Animal

HORIZONTAL 54 Its horns are frizzled from stubbing —

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19 Chinese river

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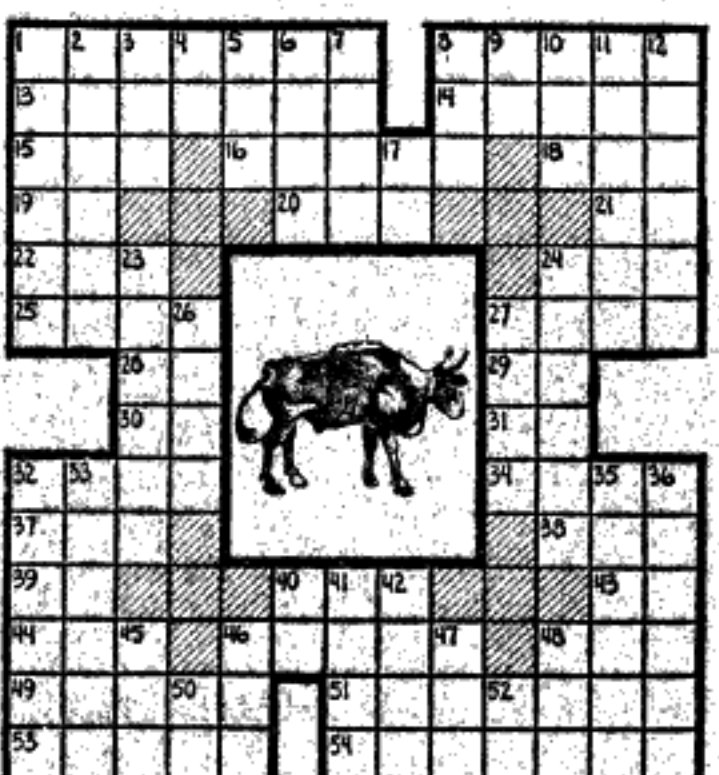
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### Here's the Answer



## The Nematode Is Enemy To Crops

The nematode is one of mankind's most important enemies in the insect and animal world.

This microscopic worm is found in the soil all over the earth in almost incredible numbers, says Auburn University Entomologist Jerry Ruffin. The nematode attacks the roots of plants and annual damage is estimated at about 10 percent of the world's food production. This means that if the nematode could be completely exterminated, food production would increase 10 percent without any improvement in farming methods.

The nematode appears to be the most destructive single crop pest. According to the Extension specialist, it does a great deal more damage than the boll weevil or corn ear worm on a world-wide basis.

Ruffin advises seeing the county agent for recommendations on nematode control. They have the latest information for controlling the pests in fields, truck farming, and gardens.

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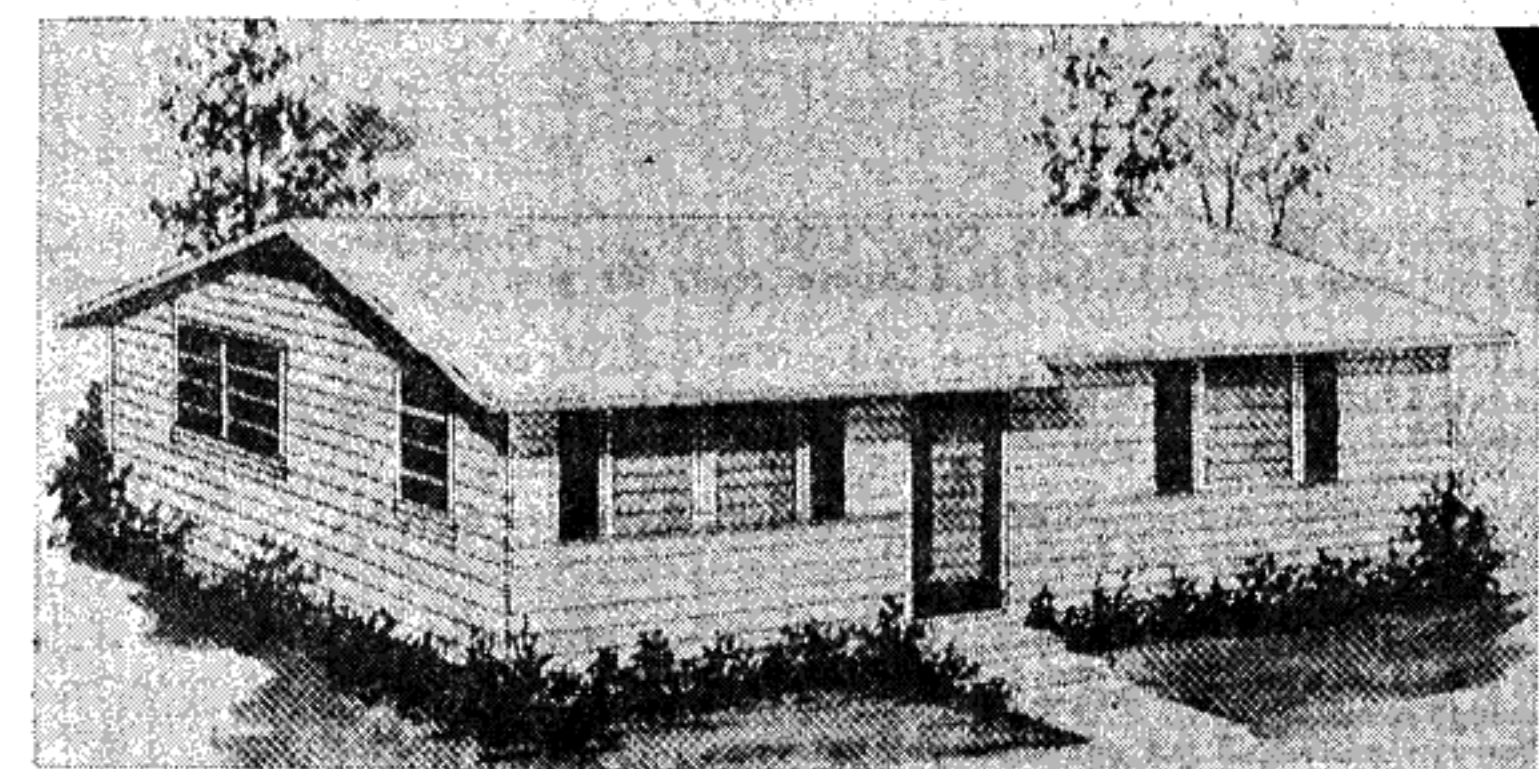


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## Legal Notice

STATE OF ALABAMA  
LAUDERDALE COUNTY  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITYM. S. KILLEN and MINNIE  
LOUISE KILLEN,  
Complainants,  
Vs. J. K. FISHER, et als.  
Respondents

CASE NO. 4269

LEGAL NOTICE

TO: J. K. Fisher, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Demp Thompson, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Burt M. Wright, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; G. L. Simmons, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; J. A. Noblin, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Clyde Cooksey, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Ethel Bailey, if living, and her unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Virginia Miles, if living, and her unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Edward W. Gray, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; James Anthony Brink, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Frances A. Moody, if living, and her unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Paul O. Moody, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Ollie M. Moody, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; James C. Phifer, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; and any and all unknown persons claiming any title to interest in, lien, easement or encumbrance upon said lands hereinbelow described, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given that in the Circuit Court of Lauderdale County, Alabama, in Equity, there is pending a verified bill of complaint filed on the 16th day of March, 1960, against that certain real estate situated in the City of Florence, Lauderdale County, Alabama, known and described as follows, to-wit:

To find the point of beginning, commence at the northeast corner of the SW 1/4, Section 36, Township 2 South, Range 11 West and run south no distance and 24 minutes east for a distance of 138.5 feet to a point, said point being the point of beginning for the parcel herein described, said point being also the SE corner of Magnolia Park Subdivision; continue thence south no degrees and 24 minutes east for a distance of 462 feet to a point; run thence west for a distance of 2287.07 feet to a point, said point being on the east right-of-way of Darby Drive; run thence northwardly and eastwardly along the east line of Darby Drive and Hermitage Drive (formerly known as Jackson Highway, and later as Old Jackson Highway) for a distance of approximately 730 feet to the south line of the "Strip Killen" homestead; run thence east for a distance of 344.55 feet to a point; run thence north for a distance of 6 feet to a point; run thence east for a distance of 102.3 feet to the point of beginning.

Subject to an easement for public road right of way 12 feet in width evenly along entire South boundary line of above described tract; and against J. K. Fisher, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Demp Thompson, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Burt M. Wright, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; G. L. Simmons, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; J. A. Noblin, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Clyde Cooksey, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Ethel Bailey, if living, and her unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Virginia Miles, if living, and her unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Edward W. Gray, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; James Anthony Brink, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Frances A. Moody, if living, and her unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Paul O. Moody, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; Ollie M. Moody, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; James C. Phifer, if living, and his unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased; and any and all unknown persons claiming any title to, interest in, lien, easement or encumbrance upon said lands hereinabove described, or any part thereof. Said bill being filed to establish the complainants' right and fee simple title to said lands and to clear up all doubts and disputes concerning the same.

In this cause it being made to appear to the Register of the Circuit Court of Lauderdale County, Alabama, in Equity, by affidavit of M. S. Killen, one of complainants in said cause, that:

(1) J. K. Fisher, if living, is over the age of 21 years, but that his whereabouts and residence are unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable diligence and diligent inquiry.

(2) Demp Thompson, if living, is over the age of 21 years, but that his whereabouts and residence are unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable diligence and diligent inquiry.

(3) Burt M. Wright, if living, is over the age of 21 years, but that his whereabouts and residence are unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable diligence and diligent inquiry.

(4) G. L. Simmons, if living, is over the age of 21 years, but that his whereabouts and residence are unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable diligence and diligent inquiry.

(5) J. A. Noblin, if living, is over the age of 21 years, but that his whereabouts and residence are unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable diligence and diligent inquiry.

(6) J. R. Johnston, if living, is over the age of 21 years, but that his whereabouts and residence are unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable diligence and diligent inquiry.

(7) Clyde Cooksey, if living, is over the age of 21 years, but that his whereabouts and residence are unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable diligence and diligent inquiry.

(8) Ethel Bailey, if living, is over the age of 21 years, but that her whereabouts and residence are unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable diligence and diligent inquiry.

(9) Virginia Miles, if living, is over the age of 21 years, but that her whereabouts and residence are unknown and cannot be ascertained after reasonable diligence and diligent inquiry.

(10) M. S. Killen and Minnie Louise Killen are in actual, peaceable and exclusive possession of the above described lands, and claim to own the fee simple title thereto.

(11) M. S. Killen and Minnie Louise Killen acquired title to the real estate hereinabove described from the following named persons and in the following named manner:

(a) Warranty deed dated August 31, 1939 from Sophie M. Winfield and husband, H. J. Winfield, to M. S. Killen and Minnie Louise Killen, filed September 5, 1939, recorded in Book 284, pages 281-82 in Lauderdale Probate Office. Consideration: \$4000 cash. (Blocks No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, excepting Lot 22 in Block 3 and Lots 43 and 49 in Block 5, all in Muscle Shoals Addition No. 2 according to plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1 on page 9 in Lauderdale Probate Office.)

(b) Quit-claim deed dated August 31, 1939 from Sophie M. Winfield and husband, H. J. Winfield, to M. S. Killen and Minnie Louise Killen, filed October 5, 1939, recorded in Book 285, pages 282-83 in Lauderdale Probate Office. Consideration:

News Of  
LEXINGTON

By Myra Porter

## Church:

A meeting will begin at the Northside church of Christ Sunday March 27, with bro. Charles Holt of Florence, doing the speaking. Services will begin at 7:00 for the young people and regular service at 7:30. Everyone is invited to attend.

The spring revival will begin next Sunday at the First Baptist church in Lexington. Evangelist

\$100 cash. (Lot 22 in Block 3 and Lots 43 and 49 in Block 5, all in said Muscle Shoals Addition No. 2.)

(c) Warranty deed dated October 20, 1939 from Lewis E. Bailey et als to M. S. Killen, filed November 4, 1939, recorded in Book 685, pages 196-200 in Lauderdale Probate Office. Consideration: \$600 cash. (Lot 49 in Block 5 in said Muscle Shoals Addition No. 2.)

(d) Warranty deed dated October 13, 1939 from C. C. Midkiff to M. S. Killen, filed October 16, 1939, recorded in Book 681, pages 401-02 in Lauderdale County Probate Office. Consideration: \$775 cash. (Lot 2 in Block 5 in said Muscle Shoals Addition No. 2.)

(e) Vacation proceedings vacating and annulling in whole said Muscle Shoals Addition No. 2 subdivision map and plat and divesting all public rights in the streets, alleys and public grounds therein, dated November 18, 1939, filed November 18, 1939, recorded in Book 678, pages 86-87 in Lauderdale Probate Office. Consideration: compliance with provisions of this Section 16, Code of Alabama, 1940.

(12) M. S. Killen and Minnie Louise Killen claim to own the fee simple title to all of the above described lands by reason of deeds and proceedings hereinabove described in preceding paragraphs (1) and by virtue that they and those through whom they claim have been in actual, peaceable and exclusive possession of said lands for more than twenty years next preceding the filing of their bill of complaint in this cause.

(13) M. S. Killen and Minnie Louise Killen claim to own the fee simple title to all of the above described lands by reason of deeds and proceedings hereinabove described in preceding paragraphs (1) and by virtue that they and those through whom they claim have been in actual, peaceable and exclusive possession of said lands for more than twenty years next preceding the filing of their bill of complaint in this cause.

(14) The above named respondents, if living, and their unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased, are requested to claim some right, title, claim, interest in, lien, easement or encumbrance upon the lands hereinabove described, or some portion thereof.

THEREFORE, the above named parties respondents, if living, and their unknown heirs or devisees, if deceased, are hereby given notice to appear in said cause and set forth and specify their respective title, claim, interest in, lien, easement or encumbrance upon said lands, or any part of said lands, and show how and by what instrument the same is derived or created within the time prescribed by law in order that such claims may be adjudicated by the Court so as to clear up all doubts or disputes concerning the title to said lands, otherwise said cause shall be submitted for final decree as provided under Article 2, Sections 1116 to 1122, inclusive, Title 7, Code of Alabama, 1940, as amended.

It is further ordered by the Register that this notice be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in THE FLORENCE HERALD, a newspaper having a general circulation published in Lauderdale County, Alabama, and that any and all persons claiming any title to, interest in, lien, easement or encumbrance upon the above described lands, or any part thereof, are hereby required to plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint by the 18th day of May, 1960, or a decree pro confesso may be taken against them in the said cause.

Done this 16th day of March, 1960.  
ELBERT L. DALY  
Register

MORTGAGE SALE  
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage from Sam Calhoun and wife, Rhodie Calhoun, to The First National Bank of Florence, Florence, Alabama, to secure an indebtedness therein described, which mortgage is recorded in Mortgage Record 594, pages 517-19 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Lauderdale County, Alabama, and said mortgage and the debt, thereby secured having been duly assigned to the undersigned, and default having been made in the payment of indebtedness secured thereby, the undersigned, as assignee, will on Thursday, the 7th day of April, 1960, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, within legal hours of sale in front of the Courthouse in Florence, Lauderdale County, Alabama the real estate described in said mortgage located in Florence, Lauderdale, Alabama, to-wit:

Lot 5 in Block 6, in the Bunting Hill Subdivision, in Florence, Alabama, according to the map and plat thereof recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Lauderdale County, Alabama, in New Plat Book 2, at Page 76. This sale is being made to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, and the proceeds of sale will be applied as therein directed.

E. B. Haltom, Jr.,  
Assignee  
Mar. 17, 24, 31; April 7

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE  
Estate of Sidney J. Lovelace, deceased.

PROBATE COURT  
Letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 21st day of March, 1960, by the Hon. Estes R. Flynt, Judge of the Probate Court of Lauderdale County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Mrs. Parilee Lovelace  
March 24, 31; April 7

Jerry Roberson will do the speaking. Services will begin at 7:30. Everyone has an invitation to attend.

Persons:

We are glad to report that Dr. Taylor is now at home after a stay in the ECM Hospital. He has shown much improvement.

We are sorry to report that Mr. and Mrs. Owen McCain's house was completely destroyed by fire last Thursday night.

Visiting with relatives in Lawrenceburg over the past AEA week end was Carolyn Allen and Myra Porter.

P.T.A.

We would like to remind everyone of the P.T.A. pancake supper to be held in the school lunchroom March 26 from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. All plates will be 65c. Everyone is urged to attend as the money will be used for our P.T.A. project.

The Variety Show, which was called off several weeks ago because of snow, will be held on Saturday night April 2 in the school auditorium, at 7:30 p.m. The prize for this show will be 35c and 50c. The program planned is one that is sure to be enjoyed by all. The proceeds from this also goes to the P.T.A. project.

Club:

The Home Demonstration Club met on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. E. W. Wright as hostess. Mrs. Lila Springer and Mrs. Dessie Porter served as co-hostesses. Twenty-three members were present. Miss Sara Frances Comer gave the demonstration on coordinating the wardrobe. A Sunshine Basket was arranged by the group for Mark Williams who is a patient at Decatur General Hospital. The April meeting will be with Mrs. Marvin Davis.

The Lexington Iris Club met March 5 at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Hollis Truitt. Thirteen members were present and the club welcomed one visitor. A hat parade was the feature of the evening. Each one was asked to decorate a hat and wear to the meeting. Some very odd and unusual creations brought many laughs. Mrs. Laura Allen gave a demonstration on flower arranging, bringing out the design in arrangements. The April meeting will be a work shop meeting at the club house with Mrs. Annie Campbell as hostess.

School:

The Annual Alumni Association Banquet which was held Sat. night was very successful. The very well planned program was enjoyed by around two hundred people.

Mr. Howard Green, a graduate of this school, was guest speaker of the evening.

New officers for the coming year are Norris Hammond, president; Robert Fields, vice-president, and Myra Porter, secretary and treasurer.

A total of nearly three billion pounds of surplus food was donated by the U. S. Department of Agriculture during the fiscal year 1959 for use in school lunch programs, by charitable institutions in this country, and by needy persons here and abroad.

Another drop in farmers' net income this year, amounting to about half of that for 1959 has been predicted, reports Extension Marketing Specialist A. W. Jones.

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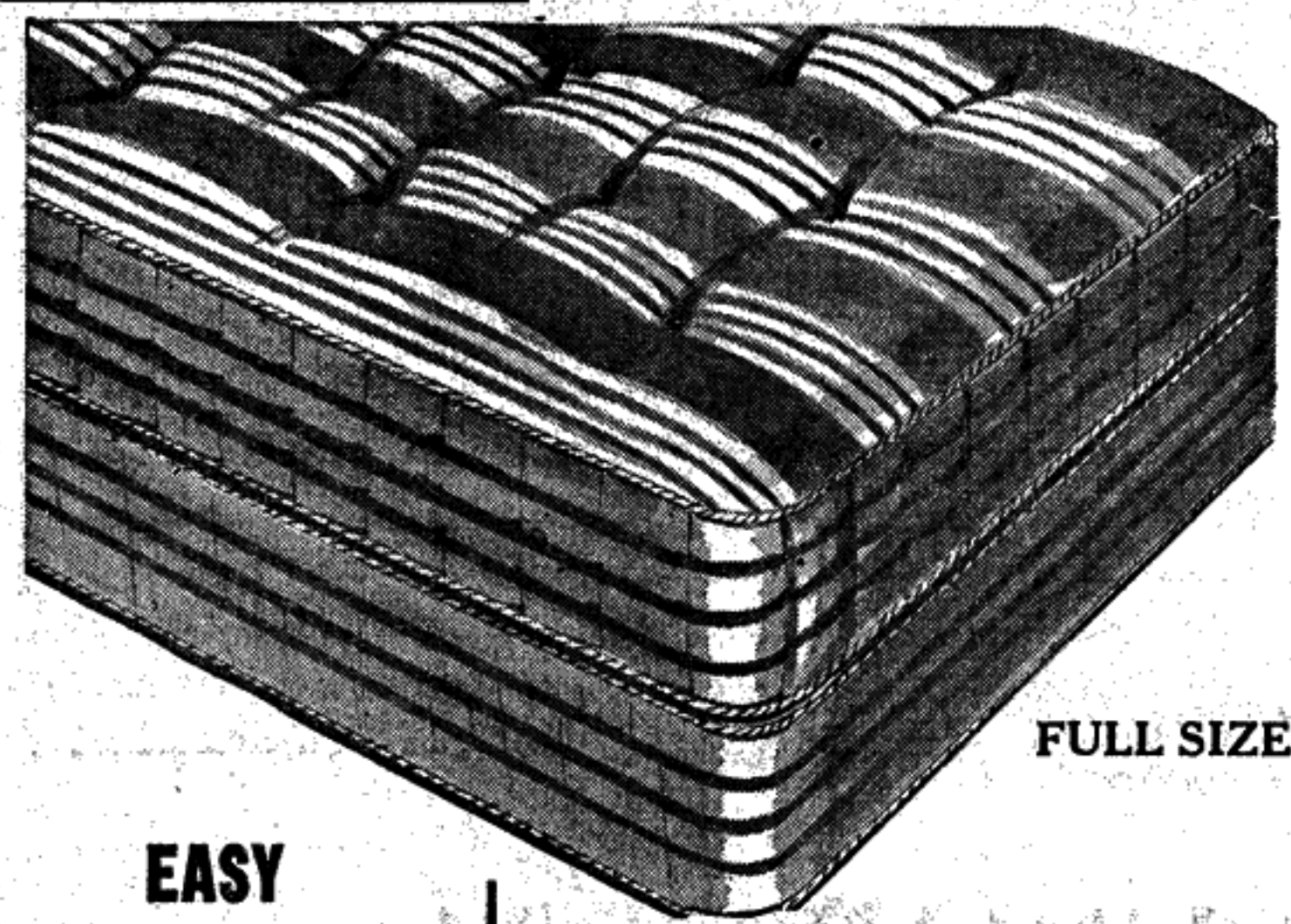


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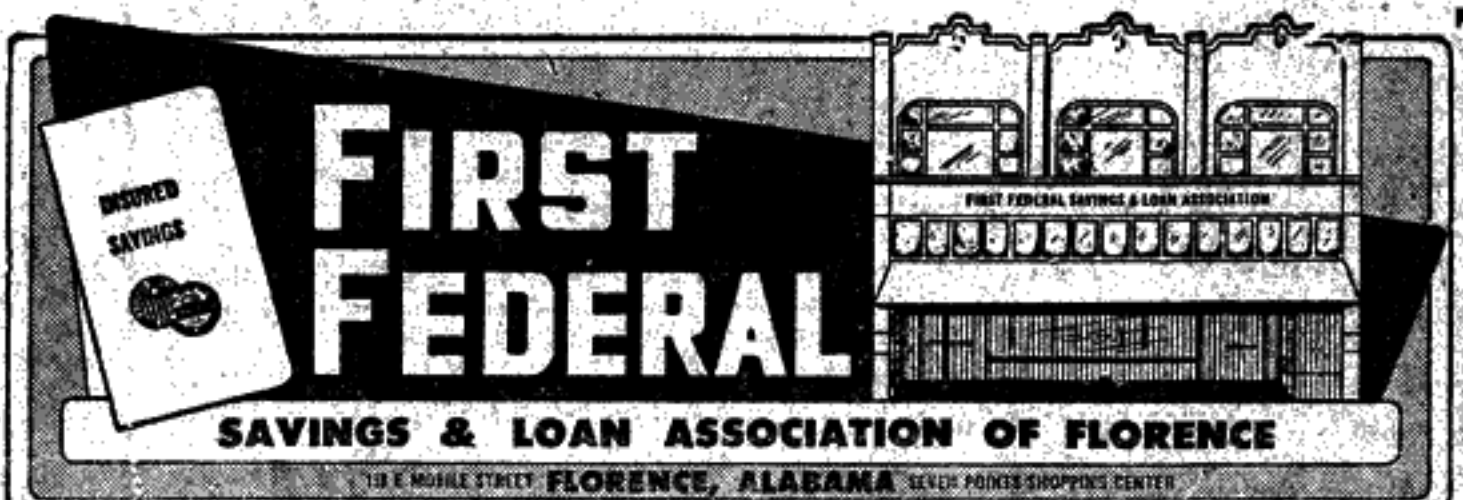
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