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VICE IS RAMPANT IN CUBAN CITIES SAYS VISITOR TO ISLE

The "District" Flourishes Every Night From Dark to Daylight, with Government Sanction

CRIMSON CUBA

Crimson Cuba. It is one of the first things the traveler sees as he rides through Havana at night and the memory lingers long after other incidents are forgotten. Cuba like most foreign countries have what they call a "district" but it is doubtful whether Paris in all her glory ever dreamed of a district like that in Havana and to some extent in the smaller cities of the island.

About noon the "girls" begin to poke their heads out of a small door and until well after midnight they stand there plying their trade like so many horses standing in their stable. Little, narrow, single rooms, one after the other lining both sides of the street—that's the "district". And there with full authority of all governments in Cuba, these disease carriers ply their business early and late.

In common with many government employees the police of Havana have not been paid of late, so in addition to paying their rent, supporting themselves and saving for sickness and accident the girls are now forced to contribute daily to the police. When the writer was in Havana each girl gave each policeman who went on the beat \$3.00 and there were two of them a day. That made an overhead of \$6.00 a day for tribute to the police alone.

During the day the "district" is not crowded but when night comes there is one steady stream of men walking from one end to the other and down the side streets that branch off the main street. One is forced to walk slowly because the traffic is so heavy and frequently the street is the only place available to walk. It

is the nightly review in Havana, the men out looking them over and the women trying to coax them inside. This procession starts early in the evening and midnight sees it still on. Scattered here and there along the streets are moving picture shows for men only, where all sorts of nude delicacies are served to help whet up the appetite of the native and the visitor. In some of these picture shows they have a dancer or two to add a bit of zest to the performance and to make the show a bit more real. Busses that take tourists around Havana advertise that the night life of Havana is more than the equal of that of Paris and from appearance it is.

And so the revelry goes on night after night, seven nights a week and fifty-two weeks a year. The same spirit of manana that is evident everywhere in Cuba is evident in the "district" in Havana and in the "districts" in the other cities. Everywhere the same cry is heard—manana, manana.

The girls, some of them not more than sixteen years of age throwing away everything for nothing. And men, old enough to know better, parade back and forth through the district watching and taking part in the extravaganzas. The stranger about to leave the island takes one last look at Crimson Cuba. There in Havana right under the very eyes of the government with police acting as leeches, stretches the crimson path through the very heart of the city of tomorrow. The panorama of the past passes in review, the ignorance of the people, their love of gambling, the history and their present and the stranger asks himself the question—Where will it all end? Manana? Manana!

To Establish Hudson-Essex Service Station

Homestead is to have a new garage and service station, according to Gordon E. Thompson of the Hill Motor Co., of Miami, who has been a constant visitor to Homestead. Mr. Thompson has sold a number of these popular cars in this section, but owing to the distance to Miami, has not been in a position to give the very best of service.

The plans call for the erection of a 50x105 interlocking tile garage and service station on the lots immediately north of the town hall. The front 35 feet of the structure will be devoted to a show room, where the Hudson and Essex models will always be on display. In the rear will be the service station, where mechanics who specialize on these cars will be employed. It is also Mr. Thompson's intention to have an expert car washer in his employ. Work on this building will start within a few days.

For the present Mr. Thompson is commuting between here and Miami, but will move his wife and baby here as soon as he is able to find living quarters. Housing space for his demonstration cars has been rented in the Turnage Garage.

Mr. Thompson will have active charge as dealer, working under the Hill Motor Co., of Miami, distributors for Southern Florida.

Mrs. F. H. Lindeman entertained the Monday afternoon card club at her home Monday.

A GOOD ANSWER

A citizen who was carrying an express package from a city mail order house, was accosted by a local merchant: "Why didn't you buy that bill of goods from me?" he asked. "I could have saved you the express, and besides you would have been patronizing a home store, which helps pay the taxes and build up this locality." With characteristic frankness the citizen replied: "Why don't you patronize your home paper and advertise? I read it and didn't know you had the goods I have here, nor do I ever see your name in the paper inviting me to come to your store."

"Banana Growing in Florida" is the title of a 15-page pamphlet for which the Central News is indebted to Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. McRae of Florida. It contains valuable information for any person interested in banana culture. A copy may be obtained without cost by requesting one of Mr. McRae at Tallahassee, Fla.

ADVERTISE IN THE ENTERPRISE

Twenty-Five Perish in Asylum Fire



Twenty-five persons were trapped in and perished, twenty-two of whom were violent cases, in the fire which destroyed the Manhattan State Hospital for Insane at New York City, Feb. 15. The picture shows firemen in the ruins searching for bodies. Insert shows front entrance after fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes Matthews of Moberly, Mo., who are wintering in Lauderdale, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Matthews and the Smiths are planning a trip to Royal Palm Park next Saturday.

Miss Olivine McEwen had as her guests on Sunday, Hannah and Roy Morton of Miami.

S. S. Johnson and wife of Blue Earth, Minn., were visitors in town on Friday last.

Miss Marie Mays of Miami was the guest of Miss Lillian Mills over the week-end.

Mrs. John H. Carr of Boston, Mass., Capt. Geo. J. Jenks, of Waterbury, Conn., and W. W. Whiting of Nashua, N. H. were visitors in town Sunday, making a careful inspection of Homestead and vicinity.

American Legion Nets About \$100
The Melville Comedians ended a week's stay here on Saturday night, and left with the Legion boys about \$150 as their pro-rata share. The attendance and show were nothing extra, and the boys only made the amount remitted by the council.

Tom Winn, who formerly lived in Homestead arrived back this week, as a fruit packer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Budd were welcome visitors in town on Saturday last.

Homestead Growers shipped 17 cars of tomatoes last week, and expect to have about 20 for this week.

Mrs. Lena Knowles was pleasantly surprised on Monday by the Rain or Shine club, who presented her with a lovely cake in honor of her birthday.

C. T. Fuchs and family, F. H. J. D. and C. M. Reid and families, and Dan Roberts and family motored to Cape Sable last week, and got quite a few clams.

The Royal Palm Truckers are shipping eight cars of tomatoes this week.

Mrs. T. C. Hill is visiting her sister, Mrs. I. J. Leggett at Princeton during the illness of the latter.

Gilbert Telfer arrived Sunday from Detroit, Mich., to visit his aunt, Mrs. J. F. Umphrey.

There has been some difficulty getting started on the east glade road, owing to the fact that the Ford trucks belonging to, the road forces cannot pull out of the pit with the rock, whereas the big trucks are not able to run on the glade. This difficulty is being overcome however.

Mrs. Mark Nabors left Monday for her home in Newark, N. J., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Free and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burton.

The Redland Citrus Growers Association is running out about three cars of grapefruit this week for Dr. P. Phillips.

Receiving word that his mother was hardly expected to recover from an operation she had undergone, Given Victor left hurriedly on the night train Monday for Moberly, Mo., to be at her side.

E. Leedsbain, a Californian, has purchased an acre of the R. L. Moser homestead and is planning to erect a home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Sessler and family motored to Hialeah on Sunday.

Rev. R. A. Selby of Titusville, former pastor of the Homestead M. E. Church South, is preparing to start soon the erection of a fine residence on Church street.

Claude Shannon, E. O. Clemons and wife and Miss Alice Tichenor of Miami were visitors in Homestead Sunday.

Dances are to be held twice a week in the I. O. O. F. Hall from this time on. This coming Wednesday and every other Wednesday the married folks have their dance. On Saturdays and the alternate Wednesdays the dances will be public, with good music.

Key West is having quite a time of it with their oil business. Someone dug a well and found oil instead of water. The assumption was that the oil was a leak in a pipe line, but the leak could not be found, so everyone decided that Key West was going to be a second Tampico or Burkburnett. At present oil experts are examining the finds and also the coral formation to see if there is any foundation for the belief that crude oil can be found in paying quantities. In the mean time every one is excited here.

Mrs. L. L. Howard left Monday for Starke, Fla., having received word that her son-in-law, Walter O. Strickland was very ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Meyer will arrive Friday or Saturday from Chicago, for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. W. R. Crow.

A very enjoyable time was had at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Woodbury Monday night, when friends dropped in to surprise Mrs. Lena Woodbury, it being her birthday. A lively time was had by all. The evening was spent in dancing. Delicious refreshments were served, and Mrs. Woodbury received many nice presents.

The Church of God is negotiating for the purchase of a lot in Homestead on which they intend to construct a house of worship.

Mr. and Mrs. Given Victor and Mrs. and Mrs. E. H. Hiner entertained the 500 club last Thursday evening at the home of the Victors on Krone Avenue. The place cards were hand-painted hatchets, in keeping with Washington's Birthday.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fuchs, Mr. and Mrs. Walton, Mr. and Mrs. Rue, Mr. and Mrs. Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. Lindeman, Mr. and Mrs. Dedin, Dr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Schaff, Mr. and Mrs. Hoenshell, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Skill, and Mr. Johnston.

First prizes were awarded to Mrs. Lindeman and Mr. Fuchs. Second prizes, Mrs. Lehman and Dr. Smith. Third prize Mrs. Walton and Mr. Lehman. A three course luncheon was served at close of the evening.

City Almost Has Monopoly.
About 90 per cent of the diamond-cutting establishments in the United States are in New York.

SUCCESSFUL STAY IS PROSPECT FOR THE CHAUTAUQUA

Indications Point to Excellent Attendance at Three Day Program in Seminole Theatre

This year The Radcliffe Chautauqua has a unique program. Tuesday, the opening day is of especial interest to all those whose hearts are young and who believe "He Can Who Thinks He Can."

Wednesday afternoon is of special interest to women as Dr. Mook's message is "The High Mission of Women" and the Old New England Choir furnishes the Concert.

Thursday afternoon we want all the business men out to hear Dr. Bingham discuss "What Are You Worth" or "The Fundamental Principles of Business Prosperity" and enjoy the Concert which The Jesters give.

Get your Season Ticket at once and

help the community by encouraging the Womens' Club.

The programs are being held in the Seminole Theatre and in addition to the Chautauqua are the pictures, which are given absolutely free by the Chautauqua committee.

The picture program will be run through early starting at 7:00 o'clock allowing the Chautauqua to begin at 8 P. M. Tickets are the same price whether only one show is attended or both.

The Chautauqua program this year has been planned so that there is something for all to enjoy and gives food for thought after it leaves. Get your season ticket which is only \$2.00 for the six programs. Season tickets for children \$1.00.

It Happens in California, too.

Did you ever back up against a bee? Or sit on a mosquitos tail? Did you ever shovel coal all night? Or "swab the deck" of a jail? Did you ever have a horses hoof land flat across your back? Were you ever hit by a railroad train? Or a speeding taxi hack? Did you ever fall down a mountain side A mile and a half or so? Did you ever push your auto home When the darn thing wouldn't go? If all these things had happened to you And happened all together— You'd know how we felt the past two weeks. With the flu and this rotten weather. Los Angeles correspondent of N. Y. Packer.

Those who attended the services at Naranja Sunday night are unanimous in their appreciation of the wonderful sermon delivered by Dr. John Dennis at that time. We cannot see how it could be improved upon. Dr. Dennis was one of the instigators of that work, and without his promise of co-operation it would hardly have been started. He has more than fulfilled his obligation, thus far, and to him and his daughter they owe many thanks for the piano now in use in the church.

About ten of the Homestead Glee Club went to Naranja Sunday night and assisted in the services. In fact they gave the entire music of the evening. If it is appreciation that they love, they certainly found it there and will find a hearty welcome when they can come again.

The Minute Men of the M. E. Church South S. S. held a business session on February 18th at the home of their teacher Mrs. S. E. Livingston. The class was reorganized and the annual election of officers held as follows: Lorenzo Glass, President, Millie Boak, Vice Pres., George Manley, Secretary, Joe Burton, Treasurer. Mem. Com., Wilbur Free, Billie Russell and Howard Field.

Flower Committee, Cole Redd, James Roberts and Boucher. Douglass Tower was guest of honor.

The evening was spent in games and story telling after which light refreshments were served. The S. S. is justly proud of The Minute Men for they surely deserve their name. They won the banner three Sundays out of four over fifteen other classes.

HOW TO WIN

The store that does not fall for every advertising scheme, programs, pamphlets and the like, and advertises consistently in the home town newspaper, backed up with the goods, is generally the store that wins out when it comes to business and good will.—"Patriot," Quincy, Mass.

Mrs. J. J. Williamson of Lebanon, Tenn., has been the guest of Miss Frances Davis at the home of J. E. Davis for the past few days. Mrs. Davis entertained a few friends at six o'clock dinner on Sunday in honor of Mrs. Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Roberts and children were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wm Van Winkle.

Woman's Club Notes

On Thursday afternoon an interesting program was given at the Baptist church by the Woman's Clubs of Redland, Homestead and Longview. Mrs. Skill sang "Just Four Years Old" and as an encore "Mighty Lak a Rose."

The gifted reader Mrs. Reade of Boston and Florida City gave two beautiful selections typifying child life and mother love.

Mrs. Ozro Hainlin of Redland spoke on the importance of instructing children in sex hygiene.

The real event of the afternoon was the address by Mrs. Laurie Jean Reid of the State Health Dept. on "Child Welfare and Mothercraft." A committee for the free distribution of literature on these subjects was appointed as follows, Mrs. C. N. Walker, Mrs. W. M. Bradley, Mrs. E. A. Ennis and Mrs. Jackson.

Punch and cake was served at the close of the meeting. The club women extend thanks to their Baptist members and friends for the use of the church.

The Baptist ladies will give a food sale, Saturday afternoon, March 3rd, near Campbell's furniture store. You will find just what you want for your Sunday dinner.

School Notes

Quite a few of the teachers are taking examinations at Miami this week. Miss Aycock, Mrs. Field, Mr. Bonitez, Miss Sullivan and Mrs. Brown are members of the faculty in attendance. Mrs. Lamar Dickinson and Miss Lillian Mills are also taking the examinations.

One of the hardest fought battles on the local court was won by the Homestead girls quintet on Friday night, when they took in the scalp of the Y. W. C. A. team of Miami. This is the first defeat suffered by the Miami girls and the high school girls are naturally a little swelled up over their victory. The score was 7 to 6.

Miss Carroway, of the Radcliffe Chautauqua was present at the chapel exercises Tuesday and told some very interesting stories.

Mrs. Henry Carter has been teaching in the high school this week, substituting for some of the teachers taking examinations. Mrs. C. R. Daniel is teaching in the grades.

PROGRAM

Eighth Grade Literary Society Reading—John Tower, "A Camping Trip." Recitation—Helen Livingston. Reading—Earle Matthews, "Bringing Up Children." Piano Solo—Grace Cobb. Story—Louise Wallam. Newspaper—"The Tattler," Essie Geiger.

Interesting Compositions

The contest inaugurated by the Parent-Teachers Association last year has been bearing fruit in increased interest manifested in the work. The pupils have cases shown marked improvement in the composition. The contest was held at the school on Tuesday.

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MUST UNCLE SAM BE THE GOAT

German payments of reparations and Europe's payment of indebtedness must be made in the commodities of commerce. There can be no doubt about that, and the delivery problems are very different from those presented by the ordinary growth of balanced trade from one year to another.

Looking the situation straight in the face there is presented a great one-sided transaction—a flood of goods one way without corresponding movement of goods in exchange. Obviously such movements have in them the potentiality of mischief, in causing the derangement of regular established industry. Nor will we protect ourselves from dumping by high tariff walls.

The French, in thinking of reparations naturally visualize only money with which to pay the bill for the reconstruction of devastated territory, but it is out of the question for Germany to pay in that way. Germany must pay with labor or the products of labor. Now in the Ruhr, German labor declines to function. This is a serious situation. The Ruhr is vital to Germany, and soon unless the occupation be ended, Germany must import coal from France. If Germany must export to pay for the coal she must get from England then to what extent will England and the United States receive exports from Germany in order that France may receive her reparations. Back of the whole difficulty stands the United States, holding aloof from foreign entanglements. The phrase becomes almost a catchword when considered in the light of the actual situation unless America is satisfied to be the goat.

KEEP PEACE BY ADVERTISING

The larger metropolitan newspapers in both the East and West have been quick to sense the delicacy of the situation existing between this country and Japan, as outlined recently in this newspaper, and coming as a result of the Japanese invasion of Siberia, at invitation of the United States during the world war. While the subject is treated with a certain degree of reserve, notwithstanding this tension is quite apparent at Japanese delay in withdrawing her troops from all Russian territory.

Relief is felt in the recent retirement of Japan from Chinese territory, which naturally bespeaks in a peaceful inclination stripped of any thought of territorial extension. If this policy be followed in the case of Russia, Washington will breathe easier.

One of these days the great power of advertising will be used to clear the atmosphere and prevent international misunderstanding. Perhaps no greater opportunity ever has presented than exists now in the Japanese situation. America practically stands sponsor for the good faith of Japan. However, nothing would make for better understanding than a few simple frank and authoritative publicly advertised statements which would indicate the real thought of the Japanese people.

When intelligent and honest advertising shall take the place of intricate diplomacy the world will rest on the bedrock of public understanding and that will mean world peace.

OUR NEXT GOVERNOR

The Miami Herald is looking ahead to the future of Florida. In their editorial columns on the 20th, the candidacy of one of Florida's educators for the gubernatorial chair was advocated. Without so much as consulting this distinguished gentleman, they have suggested that he be placed in nomination for this office.

Florida could take no better forward step. We are now in the midst of the tenure of office of one of the best governors Florida has ever had. His deeds have somewhat washed from our memories the fiascos of the "late" Governor Sidney J. Catts. As there is a rule that governors cannot succeed themselves in this state, we are up against the proposition of choosing the proper man. For the sake of Florida let him be a man and not a politician.

Such a logical candidate would be Dr. A. A. Murphree, head of the state university. Dr. Murphree is not a politician, which of course is a poor recommendation to the professional office holder. But to the average voter he represents the most desirable type for governor.

It is yet early to begin an active campaign for the governor's chair. But it is not too early for us to be considering who would make the best man.

Four Sisters Are Basketball Champions



Unusual in athletics is the performance of the Hannon sisters of West. They were the state championship basketball team in March. For three years these sisters have been all-star choices. Reading from left Ori, Elsie and Eva.

Reduces Counterfeiting.
The idea of imbedding small picks of silk in the paper of which bank notes are made was the means of reducing counterfeiting by 90 per cent.

Acts With Irresistible Power.
No receptacle has ever been made with sufficient strength to resist the bursting power of frozen water.

Repairing Water Pipes.
A satisfactory temporary repair of a leaking water pipe may be made by binding around several layers of string well soaked in thick oil.

Her Hands Full.
It keeps the wife of a self-made man busy making alterations.—Boston Evening Transcript.

Fighting "Miners' Blindness."
Blowing white dust-down mine tunnels to increase the illumination is the latest scientific aid against "miners' blindness," a disease which costs England \$5,000,000 annually.

France's Business Spokesman in U. S.



The reelection of Mr. Emile Utard for the fourth time, as president of the Franco-American Board of Commerce and Industry, is tribute to his wonderful organizing ability in carrying forward a program to strengthen Franco-American commercial and industrial relations. This board renders service without charge, last year being the recipient of 7,000 inquiries as compared to 1,870 the first year of its organization. Offices are in the Flatiron



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Our readers and subscribers for the support they gave the Twice-a-week Enterprise. This second edition was started during the winter months to see if Homestead could support a Twice-a-week paper. The aid given us in this improved service is greatly appreciated, and will not be forgotten.

The Enterprise has faith in Homestead and we believe that by next year Homestead will be able to keep up a twice-a-week paper the year round. Our success during the winter months just past show this.

In making this edition the last of our Tuesday papers for the season 1922-23, we are but postponing the permanent establishment of a twice-a-week paper. Our efforts during the spring and summer months will be concentrated on making the weekly edition bigger and better and also to boosting for Homestead.

Oh, no, we are not going to stop our comic section, by any means. You will get that in the Friday paper.

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The Concealed Accounts

By H. IRVING KING

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"Guardian, is there any way I can get rid of my money?" The speaker was Charlotte Lander, twenty-two years old, considered very good-looking by everybody and the most beautiful creature on earth by John Fenton. The place was a lawyer's office and the person addressed was Lawyer Norton. City, New York.

Lawyer Norton looked at his questioner in blank astonishment. He was a heavy, pursy man, with a bald head and side whiskers. His face was stern, but in it there shone a pair of kindly eyes.

"What in the world put such an idea as that into your head?" cried he. "No, but can I? I mean it."

"Why, I should say, offhand, that there were many ways in which you could get rid of your money—if I would let you.—You might throw it off the Brooklyn bridge, or the Battery, if you preferred that place; or you might hand it over to the United Charities."

"The very thing!"

"What?"

"The United Charities."

"Now, look here, Charlotte," said Mr. Norton sharply, "will you stop this sort of talk and tell me just what it is that you are driving at?"

Charlotte blushed, started to cry and thought better of it; looked sheepish, began to play with a pencil on the table before her and, at Norton's abrupt "Come, out with it," said in a wheedling tone:

"Well, guardie, dear, if I don't get rid of my money I can't be married. There! Now you will let me, won't you?"

"My dear Charlotte," replied Norton, "this is positively childish; besides being incomprehensible. Since when, pray, was a young woman's fortune an obstacle to her getting a husband? Explain yourself—if you can."

And Charlotte, with a good deal of roundabout verbiage and hesitation and digression, did explain. She was in love with John Fenton and he was in love with her, but John was poor and had scruples about marrying a rich girl. Therefore Charlotte proposed to divest herself of her wealth.

"It's only my hateful money that stands between us and—happiness," she explained. "And I thought it would be so easy to fix that."



Looked at His Questioner in Blank Astonishment.

"Hum!" said the lawyer. "Hum! And what is this remarkable young man's occupation and address?" Charlotte gave the required address and stated that John was a mining engineer.

"Now look here, Charlotte," said Norton, "I think you are both as mad as March hares. But having dandled you on my knee as a baby, and been your guardian ever since the death of your parents, I will talk with the young idiot of the second part and see what can be done."

Charlotte gave the old lawyer a resounding kiss on his bald forehead and tripped away full of hope. Her guardian never had denied her anything, and she was constantly resorting to him in her perplexities. Her Aunt Matilda, with whom she lived in an old brownstone house in a side street below Madison square, was a dear old soul, but perfectly spineless—a nebulous old maid whom Charlotte simply bewildered.

Lawyer Norton wrote a note to John Fenton requesting him to call at his office at a certain hour next day. John knew that Norton was Charlotte's guardian and foresaw what the interview would be about.

So when Fenton appeared at the appointed time at Lawyer Norton's office he was anything but at ease. His scruples with regard to Charlotte's wealth rather pleased the old lawyer, who had been somewhat anxious lest

some beguiling wooer who had one eye on the fortune and the other on the girl, should capture his ward's fancy.

"Well, young man," said Norton, "my ward, Miss Lander, informs me that you won't marry her because she is rich."

"Oh, no, not that, exactly, sir," stammered John. "But we both thought that if our fortunes were more equal we could be married now and not have to wait until I had accumulated sufficient money to enable me to—in short, sir, that we ought to be more nearly equal as to means, and she very unselfishly promised to arrange matters. You must admit yourself, sir, that it doesn't look just right for a poor man to marry a rich girl—now, does it?"

"What's your present salary?"

"Three thousand a year."

"Humph! When I was married I was only getting one thousand."

"But perhaps, sir, you did not marry an heiress."

"No, I did not. My poor Bessie and I rose in the world together."

"There, sir, that's just what Charlotte and I want to do!" exclaimed John. "You see, I am going down to examine some mines in Mexico and have been promised a share in them. If they turn out all right it will make a rich man of me. I am to get an increase of salary, too. Charlotte and I thought we would like to be married before I go South—if the money part can be arranged—and you have no objections to me?"

"I am glad you have come to that at last," replied Norton. "It is rather the custom, you know, before marrying a young lady to speak to her parent or guardian. How much salary do you expect while in Mexico?"

"Six thousand, sir; just double what I am getting now."

"Hum! Well, young man, I am sorry, but I don't see my way clear to let my ward divest herself of her fortune just to gratify a whim. Good-day."

John went out in despair; he flew to Charlotte and they were both in despair.

"We must wait, that's all," they said. "But at the end of a week John came to Charlotte filled with a desperate resolve."

"Charlotte," said he, "never mind if you are rich. Hang the money! Let's get married right off."

"Ho! Mr. Fortune Hunter!" cried Charlotte, gayly, "so that is your game, is it? Well, just look here."

And she showed him a letter from her guardian which read:

"Dear Charlotte—I have to inform you that the income from your estate for which I shall account to you until further notice will be \$6,000 a year instead of \$15,000 as heretofore. Your money is invested in securities, and you know that stocks sometimes lose

their value. P. I. & C. has gone down to nothing—is practically valueless." Then they danced a merry saraband—with John's increase of salary their incomes would be equal. They were married within the week. Three years passed. John Fenton was a rich man now and able to spend most of his time with Charlotte in New York. Lawyer Norton summoned Mr. and Mrs. Fenton to his office. "I am getting old," he said. "It is time I gave an account of my stewardship. Here, Charlotte, are the accounts—your original fortune and the \$9,000 a year I have been holding back out of your income. I reckon John is rich enough now to match you."

"But, guardian, you said—"

"I said your money was in securities, and that securities sometimes lost their earning power. So they do. I didn't say that yours had. I said that P. I. & C. was down to nothing. So it was. I didn't say your money was in it. Now did I? There, Name the next boy after me and settle on him the money I have been holding out on you. I'll add enough more so that if he wants to marry an heiress her guardian won't be forced into concealing her accounts."

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NOTICE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Take notice that the undersigned will, on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1923, apply to the Honorable H. P. Atkinson, Judge of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Dade County, for a license to manage, take charge of, and control my property, and to become a Free Dealer in every respect.

AMELIA J. REAP, 12-20
P. & P.

IN COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE, STATE OF FLORIDA.

In re: Estate of SIMEON H. RATHBUN, deceased, Dade County Florida. To all Creditors, Legatees, Distributees and all Persons having Claims or Demands against said Estate:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you, or either of you, may have against the estate of Simeon H. Rathbun, deceased, late of Dade County, Florida, to the undersigned Sarah A. Rathbun, Executive of said estate, within two years from the date of last publication of this notice or same will be barred.

Dated February 10th, 1923.
SARAH A. RATHBUN, Executive,
326 N. W. 5th St., Miami, Fla.

THOMPSON, RAYNES, THOMPSON, Attorneys for Executive. 12-26

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Special Master, under and by virtue of the final decree of foreclosure made and entered in that certain cause pending in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida for Dade County in Chancery, wherein John W. Travis is Complainant, and Margaret E. Moore, William Hamel and Blanche Mamel, his wife are defendants, will offer for sale and sell at public outcry to the best and highest bidder for cash at the south front door of the courthouse in Miami, Dade County, Florida, between the hours of eleven A. M. and two P. M. Monday, March 5, 1923, the following described real property, situated in Dade County, Florida, to-wit:

The center fifty feet (50') of Block One (1) and two (2) of Block Eleven (11), of Lawrence Estate, Land Company's subdivision, according to plat thereof in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Dade County, Florida, with appurtenances.

Dated January 29, 1923.
ROSS WILLIAMS,
Special Master in Chancery.

EVANS & MERSHON, Attorneys for Complainant. 8-16

IN THE JUSTICE OF THE PEACE COURT OF THE THIRD JUSTICE DISTRICT, DADE COUNTY, FLA.

A. K. DAMETRY, FRED DAMETRY and MOSES DAMETRY, co-partners trading and doing business as A. K. Dametry and Brothers, Plaintiffs.

vs.
TONY COLLARIS, doing business as CONEY ISLAND CAFE, Defendant.

NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT.
TO TONY COLLARIS, doing business as CONEY ISLAND CAFE, Defendant, and all other persons interested.

You are hereby notified that a writ of Attachment has been issued against you and your property attached to satisfy the demands of the Plaintiff in the above styled cause, amounting to \$53.14.

Now, unless you shall appear before the Justice of the Peace Court of the Third Justice District, Dade County, Florida, on the 5 day of March, A. D. 1923, judgement will be rendered against you and the property sold for said debt.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Justice of Peace Court of the Third District, Dade County, Florida, this 27 day of January, A. D. 1923.

Geo. M. O'Keefe,
Justice of the Peace of the Third Justice District, Dade County.

STAPP & VINING, Attorneys for Plaintiff. 8-16

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

W. T. DARRACH, Complainant,

KATHERINE M. L. DARRACH, Defendant,

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION DIVORCE.

It appearing by affidavit appended to the bill filed in the above stated cause that Katherine M. L. Darrach, the Defendant therein named, is a non-resident of the State of Florida, and is a resident of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, that there is no person in the State of Florida, the service of a subpoena upon whom would bind such Defendant; and that she is over the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered that said non-resident Defendant be and she is hereby required to appear to the Bill of Complaint filed in said cause on or before Monday, the 5th day of March, A. D. 1923, otherwise the allegations of said bill will be taken as confessed by said Defendant.

It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Homestead Enterprise, a newspaper published in said County and State.

This January 27th, 1923.
BEN SHEPARD,
Clerk Circuit Court.

(Ct. Ct. Seal) By H. F. McLUNEY, Deputy Clerk.

L. EARL CURRY, Solicitor for Complainant. 8-16.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

In Chancery.

S. A. CEFALU, Plaintiff,

vs.
MAUDE (BOWERS) CEFALU, Defendant.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.

It appearing by affidavit appended to the bill filed in the above stated cause that Maude (Bowers) Cefalu, the defendant therein named, is not a resident of the State of Florida, and that she is a resident of the State of Alabama, and that she has been absent from the State of Florida sixty days next preceding this application for order of separation; and that there is no person in the State of Florida, the service of a subpoena upon whom would bind such defendant, and that she is over the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered that the said Maude (Bowers) Cefalu, be and

she is hereby required to appear to the bill of complaint filed in said cause, on or before Monday, the second day of April, A. D. 1923. Otherwise, the allegations of said bill will be taken as confessed by said defendant.

It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Homestead Enterprise, a newspaper published in said county and state.

This 24th day of February, 1923.

BEN SHEPARD, Clerk of Circuit Court.

(Ct. Ct. Seal) By H. F. McLUNEY, Deputy Clerk.

By Deputy Clerk, FRANKS & FRANKS, Solicitors for Complainant.

Damascus Returns Old Waterfall.
Damascus is surrounded by a walled city and a waterfall six miles in circumference.

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A man wishing to dig a well usually chances his luck in doing so, and may waste a lot of labor and money in vain digging. The mole, which has water, also digs wells, but

at a waterfall 25 feet high up in the county and every sunrise in the peary pool at its foot lets the Hackensack river pour down.

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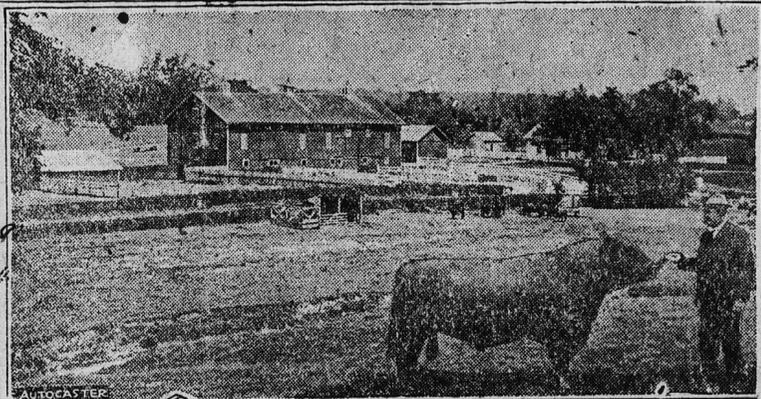
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SCHOOL NOTES

(Concluded from first page)
The Enterprise is reproducing two of them here. The rest will be shown in the Friday edition, and the one on disease of swelled head by his own example.

his wife and three sons, G. J. and O. H. Sullivan settled in town in 1857, and were the first to live in the township. They later moved to Homestead, where they are now the Town of Homestead. Mr. W. D. Horne built the first house in Homestead and Mr. S. E. Livington was the first to build the second.

T. A. Campbell, C. C. McMillan, L. Smith, L. S. Mowry, Frankton and J. U. Free were among the first homesteaders to take up on the town site.

In the year 1907 the first passenger train came to Homestead. It was the first conductor, and the train was operated by R. F. Tatum was elected Mayor.

W. J. Tweedell, J. E. Cochran, M. Budd, J. U. Free and J. D. were the first councilmen.

S. E. Livington was the first to build a house of about 300 and about 20 feet wide and there were no streets, no electric lights and no other improvements.

The first electric light plant was installed in the year 1917. There was a great celebration, singing, sports and dancing on the main street. The street is now "Dixie Highway."

The first fire protection came in the year of 1914, and was of much use.

The first drug store was owned by J. E. Cochran.

Doctor Brooks was the first physician, and Doctor Tower came afterwards, and is still with us.

The first bank was built in Homestead and was named the "Bank of Homestead."

The first church built in Homestead was the Baptist church and preacher was Mr. H. H. Sturgis until that time the people had been having Sunday school in the school house.

The first school house was built in the year of 1907, and the teacher was Mr. O. L. Strickland.

The second school house was built in 1913, and they are now building a new high school in the year 1923.

The first girl born in Homestead was Loretta Horne.

The first newspaper was published in Homestead by Mr. Kahl in the year 1912 and called "The Florida Banner" later it was changed to the "Homestead Enterprise" is now owned and published by Graw and son.

The first laundry was a hand-dry owned by Charlie Hammon in 1922 R. L. Hobson put in the steam laundry.

The Homestead Bank was the first concrete building. The Homestead Mercantile Co. store was built at the same time.

The first paved street was "Dixie Highway" going to Miami.

In the ten years since 1913 the population has grown from 300 to 2500 which shows a fine growth. Mr. J. D. Reid is now county commissioner, Mr. O. H. Sullivan, president of the Council and Mr. W. D. Horne, president of the bank, and Mr. Fuchs, Sr., vice-president, and Mr. Fuchs, Jr., secretary.

Rock Shapes and Faces
The artist has sculptured a profile of the immortal, out of the rocks at Evergreen; Juniper, at Palmer Lake, Platte River; Mother Grundy, in Clear Fork, along the Colorado & Santa Fe Railway; Human Skull, on Skyline Drive, at Owls, in Estes Park, and Lingering Lion, in the Garden of the Gods, at Colorado Springs.

Living Glaciers
In the Boulder glacial district, which may be visited in a one-day trip out of Denver, is Arapahoe glacier, the largest in the Colorado Rockies, nearly a mile square and which moves 27 feet a year.

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My wife Louise having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by her on and after February 20th 1923.
S. D. Palone

FOUND. Gold watch at Horne lumber yard. W. F. Pennington. 14-20

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"Tis the star spangled banner
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O'er the land of the free,
and the home of the brave!"
Ovid Sullivan, (Age 9 years).

The soldiers always held our flag above their heads in war and they always respected it and they always will.

There are thirteen stripes on our flag, and each stripe stands for one of the first thirteen colonies. There are forty-eight stars, and each represents one state in the United States.

We think a lot of our flag. It is often spoken of as the "Red, White and Blue." Many songs have been written about it.

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CURE FOR SWELLED HEAD
(Success Magazine)

In his book "My Years on the Stage," published by Dutton, John Drew tells how Joseph Jefferson helped cure the younger actor of the disease of swelled head by his own example.

Joseph Jefferson told me that when he had his big success with "Rip Van Winkle"—that play that was to immortalize him and that he was to do where for years to come—he thought himself fairly important and everyone knew of his success.

One night, after the theatre, as he was going to his room in the Fifth Avenue Hotel, a stockily built man with a grizzled beard got into the elevator with him.

"Are you playing in town now, Mr. Jefferson?" he asked.

"No, Mr. Jefferson," he replied in the affirmative rather pitied the man for his ignorance and his total lack of understanding of what was going on in the world.

"What a simpleton he is," thought the man who did not know that "Rip Van Winkle" was a record run.

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COLD DAMAGE NOT AS GREAT AS WAS FIRST REPORTED

Some Growers Report Fifty Per Cent Of Bean Crop Safe—Effect of Cold Not General.
(Plant City Courier)

Much encouragement is felt in this section over the fact that late reports show the cold snap of Sunday and Monday was not as disastrous to vegetable crops as was at first indicated. Some growers this morning reported as high as fifty per cent of their bean crops safe.

From reports reaching the city, it is shown that the effects of the cold were not general. In some locations all tender vegetation seems to have been destroyed, while in others the damage was very slight. This is accounted for by the elevation, protection by and from the wind, etc.

Many growers had protected parts of their crops, and these were not materially injured. Some covered strawberry plants and saved the bloom and young berries. In some instances the bloom and young berries were not seriously damaged even though they were not covered.

Those whose crops were the most seriously damaged are busy today preparing to replant, orders for seeds having gone out by wire yesterday. Others, whose crops were not so badly damaged, will try to replant, saving all that is possible of the old crop and planting the missing places for a later one.

While it is generally agreed that the frost of Sunday night is the one that did the damage, the Government thermometer at this point did not register as low as on Monday night, following, the official reading for Sunday night showing a minimum of 34 degrees, while this morning's reading showed a minimum of 32 degrees.

The report for today indicates that the cool weather is past, and, unless an unusual season is experienced, spring crops will flourish from this time on.

What Think You?
"You never met my wife, did you?"
"No. I never had that pleasure."
"What makes you think it's a pleasure?"

Fairy Tale Way to China
In a volcanic crater in the Sangre de Cristo mountains in San Isabel National Forest, west of Pueblo, Colorado, is an apparently bottomless pit, with black marble sides, in which depth soundings of 1,500 feet have failed to touch bottom.

ARE YOU DOING MORE THAN SHOOTING WOODPECKERS TO CONSERVE FLORIDA'S FORESTS?

A man who was enthusiastically interested in forest conservation stopped once in the middle of a speech on that subject. Shaking an accusing finger at his hearers, he shouted, "I venture to say there is not a man in this audience who has ever lifted a hand to prevent the destruction of our forests. If there is an exception, let him stand up."

A thin, earnest-looking man stood up. He carefully laid a paper on his chair and nervously fingered a corn-cob pipe. Looking directly at the speaker and with a slight tremble in his voice, he said, "I've shot woodpeckers, and I think that ought to help some."

And to hear specialists and officials on this subject, one is inclined to believe that is about the extent of the efforts made by the average citizens of Florida to prevent the laying

waste of its rapidly vanishing timber supply.

"The worst enemy of our forests is the man who persists in burning the woods, be he cattle owner, who wants 'new grass' for his cows, or turpentine operator," one public official who travels over much of the state, recently remarked. "The man who burns the woods ought to be arrested for arson, just as much so as he who sticks fire to stores, warehouses or residences. There can be no essential difference unless it is in the intent. However, to make up for moral difference, the man who burns the woods does very much more damage than the man who burns houses, in almost every case, certainly in the ultimate."

Continuing, the official said, "Anyone who visits the state's manufacturing plants which use wood in their products, and who will then make a study of what is being done to reforest, will soon realize that a very serious problem—a gigantic problem—

is fast approaching the lawmaking bodies and the agricultural developers of this state. Every month's delay now means future years of timber scarcity.

"The problem is essentially a state and national problem, but individual livestock men, lumbermen, turpentine men and others may do much to prevent further waste and destruction. Stop burning the woods; stop cutting timber as though we had unlimited quantities of it; plant a tree for every one cut down; these are rules which if observed by all will help to solve the problem."

Singing and Seeing 'America'
Tourists travel is a recognized industry in Colorado, where in 1922, visitors spent \$42,000,000, according to a canvass made by the Denver Tourist Bureau. It's the only known business wherein the purchaser literally uses the scenic goods then puts it back, satisfied, on the high shelf of the Rockies.

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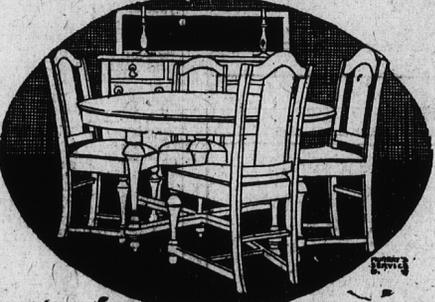
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