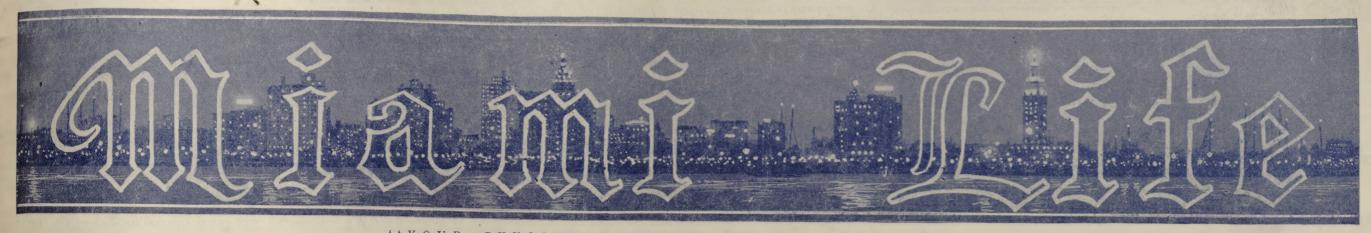
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-"Are The Lions Good Spenders?



' YOUR SKYLINE REMINDS ME OFNEW YORK'

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Storm Warning! Look Out, Politicians!

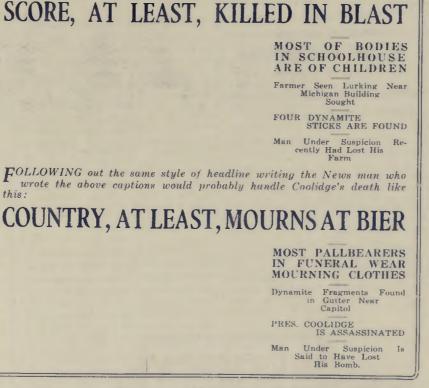
ELL, WHETHER it's due or not to this paper's steady campaign for the last three and a half years to shake Miami's electorate out of its apathy, our voters and taxpayers have at last awakened.

Last fall's elections at Miami Beach brought out nearly every qualified voter. Miami's municipal primary election this month polled seven or eight thousand more votes than were ever mustered before. Every candidate opposed to the Florida Power & Light Co. was nominated. There's a record-breaking registration for the coming general election. And last Wednesday night 15,000 or 20,000 people attended the racing rally in Royal Palm Park.

Times have changed. There's a new order in Dade county politics.

That Wednesday-night meeting interests us. Whenever a political problem such as pari-mutuel betting interests such a large percentage of our voters, there must be something doing. And when such a large group of voters rise to denounce our duly elected state representatives, it is time for every office-holder to have an inventory to decide whether he ought to represent himself or the people who took the trouble to stand in line for an hour or so then go into a sweaty polling booth to vote for him.

In the racing bill and the bill for the new county of Miami Beach, our duly elected representatives have proven they are not really representatives. Both bills provided for a vote—the racing bill for local option, and the Miami Beach county bill for a complete Dade county referendum. Could anything be fairer? And isn't it a fact that personal prejudice on the part of the representatives—or misrepresentatives, as it were—we worked so hard for last year



has led to virtual defeat of these two bills that a majority of Dade county people are most interested in?

After all, why all this hullabaloo about racing and betting? We read over our Bible today and we find no prohibition in it about betting? It is not listed among the Ten Commandments. This inhibition about betting that our preachers have been trying to impose on us for many years seems to be an attempt upon the part of the clergy to improve on God's laws—and up to the present time they haven't got very far in Kentucky, Maryland, Illinois and some other states of the union.

And why should they?

Isn't wagering, or betting, or gambling the most natural thing in existence?

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Anyone who says buying real estate in Miami during the boom was not a gamble is crazy.

As a matter of fact, there's very little we do in this human existence that isn't a gamble. Buying automobiles on installments, taking up oil leases, subscribing to insurance, driving on Flagler street -aren't all gambling? In almost everything we undertake we're gambling. Every man who sets up a business is betting his judgment is better than his competitor's. So why deprive some human beings who like horseflesh from the fascinating pastime of backing up their predictions with some greenbacks? The fact that there are a few weaklings who might steal from their employers in order to bet on racing should not warp our judgment; they'd steal anyway.

David probably bet some fellow citizen that he could hit Goliath in the eye; and Noah probably wagered an elephant or two that the flood was coming; and Samson undoubtedly risked several simoleons on his boast that he could tear down the temple in spite of his Miami Beach haircut. Is there any essential difference between betting on Sun Altos to pay money in the fifth race and a local church tearing down its well-built edifice and erecting a skyscraper thereupon in the hope that office-rent will pay for the building?

Hereafter, if we've got to have preachers represent us in the legislature, let's do the thing right and elect men who are really D. D.'s-and we could name several who'd be a lot fairer to the race track than this "business-man's ticket" we let slip in last fall!

The Lions Are Coming!

 $\boldsymbol{\tau}$ HE Lions' convention will be under way soon. It is going to be a big affair. It will bring

more people to Miami at this time of the year than have ever been brought here before. Miami THIRTY CENTS will be on probation while they are here and the A NUMBER of complaints have returning Lions will carry back their impressions to other states. A splendid program has been mapped out. Everything is being done to entertain them. But-what about the city itself? If the city is a dirty spot or two. Empty stores if they have the interests of the city at heart; f they have time from their other business to bother about the Magic City for a few moments -then they should issue an ultimatum to the citizens to clean up and tidy the city before the Lions come. Just here and there throughout the cit vis a dirty spot or two. Empty stores should have the attention of the cleaner. All windows should be polished bright and all paintwork redone or washed. The city must be made to don its clean frock for the Lions are coming. Their impressions will do a great deal for Miami or will do it a lot of harm. Clean up, paint up, doll up. And after the Lions have come and gone -keep up the good work and make Miami the cleanest city in the United States. Just as it used to be before so many gave up hope.

Meter-ological Report

IAST JANUARY the Miami Life printing office was working three shifts-day and night -because business demanded it. The bill for electricity in that month was about \$90.

Since that time business has been gradually dropping off from the winter's peak and the shifts have been reduced to two and then to one.

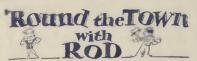
As the work in the office declined during the spring and summer months the bill for electricity he gone up until last month when it was about \$149

A protest to the Florida Power and Light ompany brought forth a reduction of this bill to \$117. You see, the meter reader had inadvertently read one of the power meters as a light

We dread the next electric bill for the current consumption has been much less this month.

It's not right at all. Why, soon we will be paying as much as the average six-room residence does.

TIS stated that the Florida Power & Light Company's tto is Sunshine Service." Can it be possible that nave made a deal with Old Sol and have got him seed up for the next 29 years? 661



methods used by the city in collecting thirty cents a parcel for lots advertised in the delinquent tax list. When the owner has not paid his taxes at all he pays the extra thirty cents and lets it go at that. But there are other owners who pay their taxes, as one correspondent did, some time in April and are billed for a few of the extra thirty cent items. Almost a month be-fore the first list was published one owner (who had already paid his taxes in full) was billed for sixty cents on two lots. An advertisement told owners they were allowed until May 1 to pay their taxes. Every owner who paid at that date would be billed for the advertising of his lot or lots It is not much of an advertisement of the city's method of bookkeeping and sounds suspiciously like a holdup.

A CROWDED COURTROOM

The Collins' trial, in which the defendant confessed to the killing of both Mr. and Mrs. Nevers. with whom he lived out around 96th street, resulted in a verdict of manslaughter.

I attended most of the trial. was not a dramatic affair. Rather it was one of morbidness and sordid details. The audi-ence, composed largely of women seeking the sensational, and straining their necks to get a look at the well-groomed and fairly good-looking defendanta defendant to all outward anpearances the calmest may in the room-seemed to take pleasure in crushing and perspiring away for hours, in the hope that some choice morsel of the type featuring the Snyder-Gray affair might crop up.

Once, during the testimony of a waitress in an outlying roadhouse, it seemed that cherchez les femme was at hand, but it turned out to be a dud. The whole plot of the story

lacked the ingredients of a sensation. It was merely the chronicling of a trio engaged in the manufacture of poor home-brew and who made the mistake of drinking the stuff themselves.

Weede Out the Constituents

J S. RAINEY, county agent, received a query from Representative Fred L. Weede, inquiring as to just what the Dade county milk dealers wanted in the way of a tax on milk imported into Florida.

With milk selling at prices ranging from 22 to 30 cents, per quart, and half pints of cream retailing at 40 cents, an additional burden of five or ten cents might not be noticed by a consuming public already getting gouged from all sides.

Yet, the proposition shows in a way the great misrepresentation Miami and Dade county has been getting from its prize Tallahassee trio.

GOVERNOR MARTIN is now threatening to dry up the Everglades in spite of the Daily News. No wonder the Indians are moving out.

Deserted Gold Fields

POOR little kid! You'rs stranded here aren't you? Your crimson lips That would trade a caress for perhaps a fortune Or at least the safety of a comfortable marriage, Are curled in difiance at a heedless world. Your eyes still fight Beneath that frossy blonde hair. You're stranded But you won't admit it, Will you?

AND you had such hopes when you left the little place cailed home

place called home To make your career out of Miami, You were going to cheat a little On that thing called roman.e You knew what the cracked mirror told You about yourself And the price man would pay. You were coming to the gold fields of love Because your blue-eyed hero who carried your school books Taught you of th inconsistency of man.

POOR little kid!

What a thrill you had when you arrived here in midwinter. The sun was bright and So were your hopes. You did it up right with your fancy bathing suit at the Roney The tanned hoy with the pointed mustache Didn't take long to pick you out Didn't take long to pick you out And take you out And soar your hopes to the high heavens. It was nice when you found out who he was And the other girls envied you And you believed him. Weren't theer visions of summer mansions With shining silver And you behind the other silver candlestick on That mahogany table? You could stand a few years, Long enough to salt enough away to never worry again. THERE was a little doubt in your mind at the train time When he promised to send for you. The days wore on and You tried to hit again. Too bad it was too late. You had played the losing game. You still had the jig and dance left And the wise cracks And the small talk that those flamb moments on Broadway taught you. BUT poor little kid, Who is going to pay your carfare home? Or are you going the other way With fickle money in your stocking? JOE COPPS



THERE is one thing that we don't have to worry about. We didn't elect politicians to go to Tallahassee for us. If Watson, Weede, Dillion and

Wilson are politicians, a new rule book on the ways and means of ascending to a higher office or getting back on the old job will have to be written. The boys have kicked the old dogmas to The boys the four winds and have succeeded in doing everything possible to prevent themselves from even becoming a delegate to a lodge convention again.

We might be wrong on this vote-getting procedure but if we had an eagle eye in the direction of the often abused ballot box we would at least attempt convince our constituents that we were representing them. We would at least keep poised on the middle of the proverbial fence.

Here the boys have had a couple of straddling opportunities offered them. Still they are as bad off as Lindbergh on his nonstop flight to Paris. They're all over the ocean and may land in any spot to their serious dis-

advantage. First, of course, comes the racing bill. Watson proposes and the other trio in the nosier house disposes. They can't see that by putting their OK on the local option measure, that meet submitted to the people of Dade county, they are not commiting themselves to racing. The political wise would bluster out with the creed of self-determination. They'd have a logical apology to the long-haired who believe all race horses should be in cornbeef cans and would make a gestowards those who snap their fingers at six dollars a race across the board at the Hialeah stadium.

They may probably heed the tremendous mass meeting in Roval Palm Park this week and lock the barn door after their political hobby Morse has departed. But the voters at the next election will leave their little square on the ballot as clean Miami-laundryed shirt is of buttons

Miami Beach wanted to have their own county commissioners (Continued on Page Four)

What Is Democracy?

(From Florida State News) THE DADE county delegation has refused to introduce a bill in the general assembly for the creation of Miami Beach county. Proponents of the measure were extremely liberal when they asked their bill be offered with a county-wide referendum clause. There are only a few instancse on record where counties in Florida were created under the referendum. Self determination is one of the bulwarks upon which democracy is founded.

We do not believe the Dade delegation is fair in declining to offer a bill giving the people of that county an opportunity to pass upon the question.

A Slow Motion Picture

ONCE upon a time there used to be fair transportation to the City of Coral Gables. All that is over now. If you want to go to the sister city you must have all sorts of time on your hands. It is hurting the Gables to some extent. People are leaving there and coming to live in Miami again because the transportation is so rotten. The good people of Coral Gables are choking them-

selves to death, so to speak. If they want to prosper they must get busy and inject a little pep into transportation between Miami and that city. The rapid transit runs once in a while on a longer schedule than formerly. There are no busses that run into Coral Gables. The Flagler street car line is one of the most haphazard street railways in existence at this date.

Transportation in the Greater Miami district is about the worst in the world and it is time that something was done about it.

AN octopus was caught off Miami last Thursday. If the Florida Power and Light Company will arrange for transportation it can have its mascot back.

Beach Demands Are Fair

MIAMI BEACH is again giving the district a lesson in fairness. Blocked in their efforts to have Senator Watson introduce their measure to separate from Dade county, the beach delegation then requested the senator to amend the bill and provide a county-wide referendum

Counties are generally created by a vote within the limitations of the proposed division but here comes a people so convinced that they are right in their stand, that they are willing to leave the decision in the hands of the citizens of Dade county.

It was a splendid loop-hole for Watson, but a bugaboo from the Dade commissioners shook a warning finger at him and he refused to introduce any new-county bill. He offered, however, to compromise with special legisla-tion which would give Miami Beach the relief they are asking-and Dade taxpayers undoubtedly are going to set up a yell when they find out the cost.

As we have said before, we are not convinced that a new county would be the best thing just at this time but certainly our representatives should allow Miami Beach the privilege of placing its case before the voters of Dade county.

Page Two

THINGS I'D LIKE TO KNOW ?

If Irv isn't having a lot of trouble trying to decide which one to propose to

When Handsome Harold is



JACK'S GRILI CHICKEN-STEAKS-CHOPS

SALADS-SEA FOOD (IN SEASON)

Florida Grown

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going to declare himself for pub-lic office . . . and how many lic office . . . and how many votes has he collected to date

Why the Leonard charges extra for iced tea when the menu states plainly that tea is included in the regular dinner charge

pointed himself chief entertainer at the party Tuesday night, es-pecially since he hadn't even been If Bert thinks the broken mirror was responsible for his recent bad luck 9 9

How Jean enjoyed the hay r de, and why she said it seemed like old times of the Friday night dances

What happened to Mayme's bargain bathing suit when she went in the water

Who set the type for the A. who was holding hands with a certain pretty blonde Beach P. story of the Gray-Snyder case that appeared in Monday's Herald, and if the proof reader was on a vacation—or just asleep

When Mr. Wood plans to leave for Sarasota

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If Harry wasn't just a little bit presumptious when he ap-

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make a lot of boy friends and if she's getting many party calls

- LITTLE GERALDINE -

Little Geraldine heard her fa-

ther say he didn't know how to keep his light bills down and

she just laughed and laughed

because she knew he could keep

them down with a paperweight

9 9 9

If Irene will attend any more

Why Fritz invited Dora and

Who the handsome man was

Who gave Walter the pretty

If Ralph G. hasn't some keen

What, besides her face, is keeping Dottie out of the mov-ies, and if she really has had

How Mr. Findlay enjoyed his

If "Doc" is still knocking his

business rivals and if he thinks

If Henry "got up" or "stayed up" for church Sunday

If the strange girl in green at

the beach night club party didn't

"early morning" walk, and if he walked from choice or necessity

Geo to dinner when he knew they had already had dinner

widow Wednesday

new necktie

competition ?

three offers

that is ethical

Why Doc wanted to stay at the beach party Sunday night

Why McMann doesn't use his own car for such errands

Why it was better dancing on the deck of the little brown house on Alton road ?

How the tea room in Fort Dal-las park got along Sunday morning

What Joe thought when the detective told him he would have to have a license the other night and how long it was before he realized that he was talking about the automobile

If Dave really likes the taste of Victrola records ????

If the blond was really curious about Joe's "It" and if she was disappointed

If the house with the stuffed fish in the dining room ever tells

beach in his Chevrolet et al aren't often expensive If Earl enjoyed her moonlight swim and if she is in favor of a certain law on bathing suits

If the "refined Mr. Frazure" found anyone desiring a

summer Where Dick B. lost his glasses and if he really is contemplating

9 9 9 Why Happy sent Earl that S. O. S. message and what it con-

How a certain party liked the judges' decision

Why Armstrong won't let Martin introduce him to the bunch

Miami Life is READ—not skimmed



"THE TENDER HOUR"

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

You Pays Your Money and Takes Your Choice

EDITOR MIAMI LIFE: I ask you, where did Percy get that idea that the editor of the "Miami Beach Beacon" had a hunch about the Democratic Convention. Doesn't Percy know that such a brilliant thought emanated from Mrs. D. A. McDougal, Democratic National Committeewoman for the State of Oklahoma? Anyone knowing Mrs. McDougal (and she is no stranger to Miami, having a home in Shenandoah, and having a splendid record of strenuous work done for the interests of Miami) can understand that action followed the thought, and she wrote to Mayor Ed. Romfh, who took up the matter with the Chamber of Commerce, and so on and so forth. Percy seemed so anxious to give credit for the idea to the originator, and seems to have failed sadly, so won't you just make this correction in your next issue.

a Miami Beach editor for starting the movement to bring the Democratic Convention here. This is entirely wrong. The first more in this direction was made by Senator Duncan U. Fletcher when he was here early this year. If you are anxious to give the V. KAY

Joe Smoot's Hialeah place will be tainly getting on the police force if men play like Pat, Red and Soldier are not fe properly reduced." Little Geraldine, the laughing the plan foster child of Mr. Greeby, who was making mud pies and play-could be fully tossing them at passing city to busses, broke forth into laughter the and remarked men



that the three had Fixed already been ber properly reduced, asset a but escaped se- at a rious results from sired the outbreak because some pass-ing pedestrian K. P. d chewing tobacco of cho made a good shot. Greeby, highly form

the old city commissioners had not provided sidewalk cuspidors, im- Gmi mediately made use of the large to mediately made use of the large to me forgot the interruption. "I shall immediately install a

dietian room in the north wing of So wuz ah lodge kraut from extinguished pipples. Dis kraut con-the incinerator. All overweight policemen must report there and secure reduction calories. Only predigested food, which has been

concluded soch pipple like Cholly Miller, wot he's ah nutted high-his houze! stapper; wid Jack Rescal, tsee wot, I'm stotting my champagne wid thoroughly tested by passing wot he's an extinguished musician; ah good pletfumm. Wote for me through all garbage drivers' hands, wid Tom, wid so moch more wot an gave me ah chence to prove wot been thoroughly incinerated, and dis will gonna look like ah social ragister, yi-yi-yi! I'll gonna do for MeYamee an bul-live me when I'm collected City Commissioner, so my success will "A sample of the menu, as re-

commended by Dr. Ziebold is as folsure wot I'll gonna be collected for its will show dem dot de pipples lows, but please don't mention it want there own candidate. Remember my pletfumm when with Doc's becoming the next city promise dot we'll gonna have you go to de poles to vote. I'm manager.'

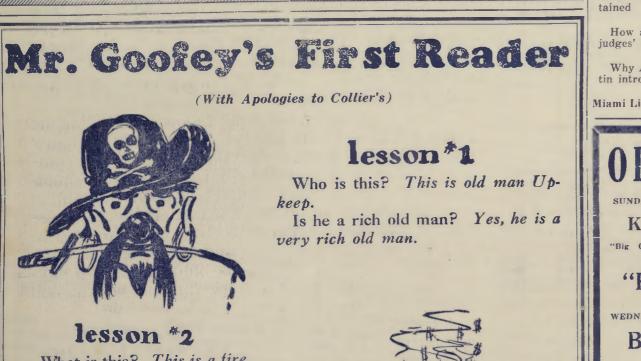
The reporter having promised not to mention it, Mr. Greeby, with the aid of his two twin sons, Absolutely, the eldest, and Positively, the youngest, submitted the following menu, printed on one of those "Elect a Business Man Commis-sioner" cards:

BREAKFAST ice Radish Tops Silo Juice Fried Croton Oil

> LUNCH Nothing DINNER

Stewed Bran Broiled Grapefruit Skins, 3-in-1 Oil Dressing Boiled Hearts of Alfalfa Brown Sugar Sauce Crisp Rye Bread, Incinerator Browned Iceless Water

"Smoking after meals will be positively prohibited," stated Greeby, "but I have no objection if the boys desire to take a few whiffs from the incinerator, especially after the remains from some kosher banquet are being tested. The menu will be changed weekly, and the results will be published in all the leading papers. By this method it is expected that the police will be materially reduced. "Fraud will be eliminated. T That little fat fellow on the post office corner may think he's reducing by wearing a larger coat, but if he attends class regular he won't need to resort to such subterfuges." The reporter, having secured all the information necessary regard-ing the police department, inquired of Mr. Greeby if it was a fact that the "Time for a Change League" was grooming him for Florida's next governor, but on advice of his counsel, Bob Taylor, refused to answer, except with the remark that the league would certainly be doing a great public good if it followed that suggestion. "I do not desire no publicity in the matter, but some guiding hand should have charge of them Everglades bond money, and the public would know where the money went



What is this? This is a fire. What is burning? Money. Who's burning up money? Old man Upkeep. Why is he burning up money? Because he has money to burn.

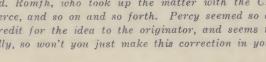
"SAMMEH OF MINSK GABAIRNYEH" If Harry's Sunday trips to the (Copyright, 1927, M. J. B .--- Reproduction Prohibited) JELL, wot I should tell you, pup pipples is spicken wot MeYhmee is gatting desoited. Yi-yi-yi! Lest wick so's wuz by me ah holiday. So I wuz tutt wot I'll go to de Bich wot I could go bathink hall alone. Vell, when I got to de Bich-hm-m-m-m, so wuz soch ah lodge kraut from pipples wot I tutt maybe its wuz ah rite!

chauffeur to drive north this

a trip to Atlanta to get some new ones

So from hall dis pipples so I'm gonna irrigate my hoppunnets wot City Commissioner. Foist of hall, want there own candidate.

got to pay \$25 ah munt for fife rooms wot it concludes ah slipping puch, wid ah dinink room, wid ah bad-room wid tween bads, wid ah



HAROLD V. BROWN EDITOR MIAMI LIFE: I notice that you are giving credit to

credit where it is due you will publish this.

By "Doc" Benjamin

EPPIS-OATE HATE.

wid silver, wid daily mate service, hall de woters free, ah Tan hacre wid ah janitor! Yi-yi-yi! trect from hoil lend; wid . . . vell, Where they gat soch noive from, gave me your vote an if I dunt

I'll gonna promise you dot not only den for de pipples, so my name will you gat hall dot free, ubber wunt be Sammeh! you'll gonna gat yat somm money (To be continued)

Prompt

free rents! Wots de hidea wot we

kitchen, wid ah beth-room, wid

Nuh, nuh, nuh; when I'll

gonna be de City Commissioner,

from de lendler wot you gave him

BOXING

BALL PARK

Monday, 8:45. Ladies Free

Ted Morgan vs. Ben Spivey

W. 16th Ave. and 3rd St.

Saturday, May 21, 1927

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lesson *3

Who is this? This is a motorist. A smart motorist? No, a misguided motorist.

What does he do? He supports old man Upkeep with his money. How does he give money to old man Upkeep? He leaves it somewhere.

lesson*4

What is this? This is a causeway.

Does old man Upkeep know about this causeway? Yes, this is where Misguided Motorist leaves a lot of his money for old man Auto Upkeep to find.

Is it a long causeway? Yes, a very long causeway.

Does old man Upkeep like long causeways? Yes, old man Upkeep is very fond of long causeways.



lesson*5 What are these? These are two

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dimes. Whom do they belong to? They be-

long to Smart Motorist.

Will old man Upkeep get these dimes? No, Smart Motorist will pay one of these for toll and save the other.

## lesson \* 6

What is this? This is where Smart Motorist will pay his toll.

Is this a long causeway? No, this is Venetian Bridge -- its two miles shorter.

How will Smart Motorist save the other dime? By holding out on old man Upkeep.





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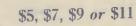
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DAY OR TWO

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**From Percy** 

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THOSE six men who managed to get nominated for the election are going to be asked a lot of questions that are going to be jolly

difficult to answer. In fact, sev-eral groups are getting ready with viewing was not to we twins, being on med with a hatful questionaires that would make your bally old hair curl. Labor gathered at ranis getting ready with a broadside of "we want to knows" among rench, and Greeby g else in a search which will be one that will take a rap at civic departments. They t week," shouted want to elicit a promise from the nominees to the effect that they ve a new picture eves said he would will, immediately on being elected,

fire every married woman whose husband is already working or any married man whose wife is working full time in a city department. They want no two persons in one family raking in a pay envelope WE thousand each week. It seems a good idea aid the Herald and one that will distribute money over a larger area. Here's hoping they'll have some success. thousand save . Seven thou-

Milam . . . and We have an expenditure re-quisition from the office of Our whatever the , crowded the Little Nell referring to a piece of work done in Coral Gables. 'ark Wednesday The figures are interesting. For 1 not use a locul instance, the total estimated cost of the job is \$692 and the esti-mated annual revenue \$480. ason . . . ora-... denunciatlamoring for to de county's rep-...Weede, Wil-This, according to this document, will leave \$240 as the net from operation. This is about 35 ner cent on the initial outlay—a fair weren't true elected them return. we'll sav. tcards unheeded

ing referendum There is an increasing number of complaints about the cost of hair cuts and shaves to mothing of inst it . . . the anared by the shines, in this jelly old burg. While everybody wants to see the union conspicuously under the operations he other 13,000 everybody wants to see the union wo ker get a living wage it is also brilliant electhe Florida cessory that the customers be alt Company fur. lowed to live and indulge in a hair I saw Mr. cut. shave or shine as often as poscrowd . . . yet rmined to have ber shops in this city. Quite a number are non-union shops. The pany is in turn owned by the Elecat Miami and non-union shops are cutting prices g again ... lure no more ... to some extent and giving a hurry up hair cut or shave that is far from satisfactory. Here is one place where the local unions can help the city dwellers. Expensive horseshnes and tourists seek hair cuts and shaves kill a lot of want to forget business. It is better to have a little less for the work and have a alloping ponies lot more work to do. ayers . . . Hia

Work is just starting in Coral Gables on the new Seaboard station. It will be situated on Coral

## The Call of the Mild

Editor Miami Life :-- I have been living in Miami since 1924 and have met quite a few very fine women-figuratively speaking-but all of them have been afflicted with the gimmies, more or less, especially since the boom. It seems that the girls still have the idea that every man they meet is a "three-inch steak man."

What has become of the good old-fashioned girl who was satisfied with a nice walk in the park and the promise of a ham sandwich?

What I am driving at is this: Why can't we boys organize a Walk and Promise League? Something has to be done. I, for one, can no longer afford two or three quarts of liquor, high-powered motors and expensive night clubs.

The city has anticipated the needs of the young folks. It has built a park on the bayfront. But no one seems to be deriving any benefit from it except "Our Nell" and a few gardeners who are on the payroll.

This park is ideal in every respect. There is always a good view of the moon shining over the rippling water; ample benches under beckoning palms; walks that wind through sunken gardens; in fact a more romantic setting would be hard to find.

Let's have some action on this Walk and Promive movement. J. P. T.

We agree with J. P. T. that a Walk and Promise League would help when the exchequer is low. The only trouble is that the cops would turn us out of the park at midnight, that being one of the rules. Also, the girl could not knit on Sundays as there appears to be an ordinance against knitting on the Sabbath in public. And a girl who would want to belong to League would want to knit-just to keep her hands occupied. Then the ham sandwich might not appeal if her name was Rebeccah. There are a few details to be worked out, but the movement has possibilities. With Biscayne rippling to the east; romance lurking in the shadows; and all those electric lights-love, honor and a bay would be the vogue again

Eagle Squawks At Our Nell

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7NDER the heading of "Light and Power Essentially a Monopoly," The American Eagle, published at Estero, Fla., gives some facts and figures about Our Nell. The following is an extract from the leadtric Bond and Share Corporation,

ing article in the current issue: The word "monopoly" is from the said to own 140 electric light and meaning alone, power companies throughout the Greek "monos," "polein," meaning to sell, United States and foreign countherefore one having sole or exclutries sive selling right in a given terri-The stock of privately tory. owned electric power and light monopolies is mainly held by nonresidents to the territory in which they operate. Territory,-as often an entire state,—is controlled by subsidiary companies under varying names, these in turn being owned by giant holding corporations with headquarters in leading financial centers of the north. Thus the syndication of electric light and

-recently absorbed by a more powerful combination called the Florida Power and Light Company. While sible. There are far too many bar-ber shops in this city. Quite a

and

Through operating in this secre-tive way this big holding corporation has been enabled to very largely swallow up the electric lighting and power territory of the country without attracting much attention or occasioning public outcry against the monopoly. An interesting light is thrown on the operation of these holding compa-

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#### MIAMI LIFE

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## THEY TELL

THAT Chief Wood must have been in a great hurry to get back from his vacation, if the speed he was making across the causeway could be taken as a criterion

THAT great curiosity was manifested in the name of the man getting a permanent wave in a beach beauty shop

THAT Jack would make a good publicity man . . . if he doesn't fall down on the job again

THAT Latch and Bernice are a great little couple

THAT Jerry Weinberg won the about that insidious thing, which

ing on a recent report of the Federal Trade Commission as follows eral Trade Commission as follows: "The trade commission also uncovers financial control of these power coropra-tions by certain banking groups that reap huge profits through their 'holding companies.' while the stockholders of the local power corporations have to be con-tent with an 8 to 12 per cent return. The commission finds that some of these holding companies reaped from 19 per cent to 55 per cent profit in 1924 and from 21 per cent to 40 per cent in 1925, in addition to dividends on preferred stock and interest on mortgages. Many of these holding companies represent lit-tle or no actual cash investment, but are simply milking devices for profiteer-ing on the power consumers of the country."

A recent innovation has been in stituted in the selling of small blocks of stock in local or subsid iary companies to residents in the various operating localities, this being a very cleverly conceived plan to enlist local support and endorsement of the company, or the theory that a man's sympathies are usually in the direction where his money is invested. It will be noted, however, that no stock is eing peddled of the holding cor porations which make the big rakeoff from the subsidiary light and ower companies.

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LITTLE GERALDINE There was a heated discussion as to how much liquor a Scotsman could hold and Little Geraldine just laughed and laughed because she knew he would any given quantity.

men's beauty contest at the Biscayne fronton

THAT Mary and Mattie do not like their new apartment, or is it the restrictions

!!! THAT Joe's new manicurist wants to be mentioned in this column.

THAT both of the fighting blondes have left Miami

THAT Eleanor should try to keep from crying when she knows that mascara runs

> 1 1 1 THAT Charlotte's new boy

friend has an odd-shaped nose for an Irishman THAT two certain prominent

anti-racing league members were not opposed to racing some two years ago

THAT Al is rushing the little manicurist again-now that his parents are away for the sum-

1 1 1 THAT Edith needn't have tried so hard to keep it a secret, for everyone knew about it

THAT J. B. evidently doesn't waste his valuable time reading advertisements, and so couldn't

expected to know anything

even his best friends won't tell him THAT Harry J. is convinced now that a Ford is much easier to park than a Lincoln-also easier to buy as, etc., for THAT Phil and Mary have about decided to change Mary's

last name 1 1 1 THAT Florence has stopped wearing hair nets

THAT the Georgia crackers who are worrying themselves and everyone else with tidal wave predictions should go back to Georgia and the boll weevil

THAT Lillian must spend a lot of time digging up the past lives of her friends 1

THAT Tommy received what might be called a royal welcome when he arrived Wednesday after a three-day absence

THAT Jack doesn't seem as happy as he did a week ago,



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but it's a long walk to Indian

THAT C. M. R. is stepping out

THAT it won't be long now

until a lot of curious folks will

find out just how serious Ted is

in his attentions to the pretty

is the

**RED CROSS** 

PHARMACY

Miami's

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quite a lot lately considering the fact that he admits he is a con-

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lades haven't et ... but mos ng in Hialeah . build. , business mers . . . clam anding that the sken off Dade , and that 1 to continue as f all winter relegislature . . . Florida's mon-Real estate is moving again and the prices are back to those in ild North Flor vogue in 1924. For those who have

no wonder the yearning for tinnes ... next epresentutives.

#### Testers

Seventh avenue will see a near boom in real estate activity within is going up from the next year. That is destined to W. Seventh avbe one of the busiest streets in ourt and N. W. Miami-and the time will not be ind maybe a few long. n that vicinity. ower and Light the city garage

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city. Besides this novelty in rail-way construction plans are out and work will start soon new city hall. The city hall will be situated on Coral Way and will face down towards Ponce de Leon boulevard. The building will have a colonaded front in semi-circu-lar form and will be one of the city's finest buildings.

the cash many snaps can be picked

up and are being picked up by dis-

criminating buyers. Sales are not confined to any one part of Greater Miami. They are dotted all over the city and outlying districts. N.

HE most convincing answer to which way the barometer of business realty and values is trending, is in the concrete instance that the Seaboard Air Line Railway has just let its contract to the H. & H. Construction Company, of Coral Gables, for the building of its Coral Gables main line station at Avenue P and Coral. Way.

Railroads do not spend millions of dollars to reach communities that are dead or dying. Everybody is familiar with the spectacular struggle of the Seaboard to build into Greater Miami, to tap Coral Gables, and move on down to Homestead and the rich farming lands of the Redlands area. Only a few weeks ago the line to and through Coral Gables was completed and the first train welcomed in.

Now that the contract is let and work starting upon one of the most attractive, tropically beautiful stations in Florida-a station of Spanish architecture, adapted to the tropical situation which is the great builder of South Florda.

The main approach will be from Coral Way. Passengers arriving will find themselves immediately in a semi-tropical garden or patio with low enclosing walls-a patio planted in tropical shade trees and flowers, giving arrivals from the North the instant atmosphere of America's Only Tropics. The patio, a decidedly unusual feature, is 41 by 36 feet.

A screened porch or loggia leads from the patio to the principal waiting room, affording a pleasant open-air shelter. The loggia will be paved with Cuban tile and its ceiling will be vaulted. The main waiting room ceiling will be beamed with peckycypress. There will be a cast-stone fireplace, and the floor will be of Cuban tile.

A tower 50 feet high will have provision for a four-faced clock. The train-shed, 180 feet long, will be entirely covered with Cuban tile roof. In its entirety the station is a high example of the Coral Gables standard of beautiful and substantial building. Its frame is of reinforced concrete, its wall of stuccoed terra-cotta tile.

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Is Miami's Harbor a Flop?

M/ITHTOUT going into any details as to the various plans for a harbor for Miami-what's the matter with the harbor, anyway? Colonel Alstaetter, one of the best harbor engineers in the world,

was employed by the City of Miami to build its new harbor. He has been employed on that for several months now and had an office on the bay front. Last week he shook the dust and passed out of the

Passing Out

**D**<sup>1D</sup> you ever notice what

around your table in Miami

night clubs when the wine is

flowing and the bill is hitting

on all eight? And, did you

ever notice how the hostesses

disappear in direct ratio to the

rising influence of the cup

that cheers? And, then, at

last-you are left to stagger

to the door, clutching the re-

Their Busy Day

IT WAS the busiest day in the

and Labeling Company's large and well-equipped plant, Hia-leah, Scotland. It was Monday,

owner: "What are we going to

a little corn with a little wood

alcohol and drop in a few grains

were being introduced-

snappy," said the owner.

week at the Bootleg Bottling

ceipted check-sans ladies-

sans money-sans hope!

a host of hostesses flock

picture. Shortly, if rumors are correct, his office staff will be disbanded and the office closed permanently.

What is the reason?

Is it because the harbor development is handled by the same department that attends to the sewers?

Did the colonel get any co-operation from the department that was handling the harbor development? Anyway, Miami's harbor has gone flooey, from all appearances. One of the things needed here is

a harbor commission. This commission should be divorced from politics and have full powers as far as the harbor is concerned. would be self supporting in a few years—if not immediately. New York monkeyed around with its harbor under a city department until Boston and Philadelphia stole nearly all the business away. Then a harbor commission was formed, money spent, and New York be-came the leading port in the western world.

There is a time-worn fallacy that as soon as a harbor is built shipping immediately begins to use it. It doesn't. Port Royal in South Carolina has one of the deepest harbors in the world. It was built at great expense and left there for any ship to sail into. It is almost unknown although it is only a few miles north of Savannah. It is 60 feet deep and perfectly protected but empty.

Harbors need to be promoted. Farmers and other shippers have



Miamians attend great mass meeting to protest against inactivity of three Dade county representatives regarding racing bill . . . Mr. Milam says quite a few were there but some were hostile \* \* \* Miami Beach not to have a separate county . . . and several select slices of funds are promised \* \* \* Court of Crimes for Dade county . . . a new \$6,000 per annum job for someone \* \* \* "Miss Florida" goes to Galveston . . . she may become "Miss America" \* \* \* Much complaint against tactics displayed by Justice of Peace O'Kell in recent cases \* \* \* Real estate market shows spark of life \* \* \* Everglades fire under control \* Collins found guilty of manslaughter in killing Mr. Nevers ... will be tried for murder of Mrs. Nevers next week ... Fred Pine works as hard when not paid as when drawing fat fee \* \* \* New paper starts in Allapattah . . . former Miami Life man the editor \* \* \* Schools closing . . . and graduates go forth to tell the world how to do it \* \* \* Florida Furniture Dealers hold convention in Miami \* \* \* Monkey bill still worries legislature . . . but two apes are reported sojourning on Mr. and Mrs. Judge Ad's estate \* \* \* Abe Aronovitz admits he shamed the officials to cut their own salaries \* \* \* Politics warming up ... new deals and combinations reported ... "Bankers' Ring" and Florida Power & Light Co. trying to support some candidates . . . but candidates keep crying they don't want such support . . . leastwise, don't make it public \* \* \* Cabarets face padlock . . . cases coming up in Jacksonville on Monday \* \* \* Liquor market on the fritz . . . Hialeah stuff converting the old boys into prohibitionists . . . prices fluctuating \* \* \* News Tower and Everglades hotel saving on electric light bills . . . towers are dark \* \* \* But contract on the verge of collapse \* Flagler street drilling still continues \* \* \* Oil wells still reticent \* \* \* Work continues on causeway . . . trying to repair engineers' and builders' blunders on bridges \* \* \* Lions are coming \* \* \* Summer tourists urged to visit Florida by Chamber of Commerce \* \* \* Investigation fails to reveal starving of Miamians . . . although quite a number out of employment \* \* \* Baseball season still on . . . have you seen Miami play? \* \* \* South Beach gambling center closed by order of George Christie \* \* \* MORE NEXT WEEK.

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## Round the Town with Rod

Lions, to the number of about 10,000, will gather in Miami June 13 to 19, inclusive. They are coming by boat, train, foot, horseback and autos. Miami's scenery and great charms must be displayed. Who's

loyal Miamian.

fer your best car for the convention. Show this gang what Flor-ida, and especially Miami, hos-pitality really is.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday after-noon and the bottles and labels DRAWING CARD Jimmy Hodes Follies, at Miami Said the chief bottler to the put into these new ground glass Gordon bottles?" 'Better make it something

best aggregations of talent ever brought to this district and the cabaret performance is well worth seeing. Moderate prices and a snappy orchestra are filling Jimmy's.

MIAMI LIFE

## MeTELL-TALE TOURIST

This Thursday half-holiday trick may be just the proper thing, but as an observer, it appears to me that it is an extra useless labor producer. The big stores cover up

their counters and goods twice a week now. Employes just about get started on a picnic when they have to turn around and come back and the fun is fast and furious. to set the alarm so they'll not be late on Friday morning. Thurs-day half-holidays and daylight saving time are both probably the offfigure. spring of one of those efficiency experts so prevalent years ago.

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There's lots of plotting, scheming, and mysterious meetings going on. You're wrong if you think they're political. You see, schools are beginning to graduate the young 'uns, and they are set and ready to remould conditions according to the latest information conveyed in McGuf-fey's Third Reader. And even at that, they could probably do

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There's also been lots going on around the beach, along the wooded drives and underneath the new blooming coconut palms. The big moon has been voodooing all kinds of the younger set, and the older set also. June is in the offing, and the brides-to-be have been practicing how to say "yes" in their sweetest manner. Next month comes the honeymoon days. Preachers' incomes pick up. Jewelry stores report increasing sales. And the fineries departments of most stores are selling all kinds of them dainty whatnots and undies. Better get you a sweetie 'fore they're all gone.

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Another reason why South Florida is foreign to North Florida has been disclosed. A group of Miamians went to Tallahassee, and those slickers up there swapped old corn-liquor for the good stuff the Miamians brought along. As a result, several of the local boys have applied to the hospital for a shot of that new snake serum just brought in.

Great activity is being shown by the Woman's club members in this district and a lineup of entertainments has been mapped out for the summer months. At Coral Ga-bles the Woman's club stages a "Community Night" each Monday

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at the Country club. A fifty cent cover charge is all that is collected These affairs have been well attended and other clubs have been invited to attend at the same small

000 On the Beach the Woman's club is also energetic in pro-

moting weekly teas and the at-

tendance is going to be good. from all accounts. Mrs. Howard

H. Baldridge, who is the public-

ity chairman, is giving a patio

Flamingo drive. Last Monday

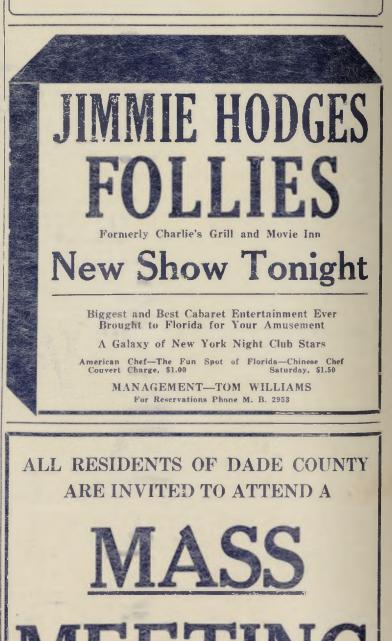
tea on May 24 at her home, 3538

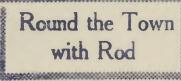
the club luncheon was held at the Pancoast hotel and several interesting speeches were delivered during the afternoon. A telegram was sent to Mrs. Clayton Sedgwick Cooper, wishing her bon voyage.

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of Dade county. The election would parallel the old story of the tail wagging the dog but they chose to kick several thouto politicians but we didn't elect politicians. They are business men lost in a maze of Tallahas-

Beach, is drawing big crowds every night-and the reason is easy to find. This is one of the

Jim go. The particular caddy she wanted has a steady job caddying every afternoon in a certain foursome and is sure of his two or three dollars but there are many, many capable caddies who often go days without work, and it is up to Jim to see that the jobs are more evenly distri-buted. And he has done it efficiently-but that didn't seem to make any impression on the management.

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to laugh about and even went

so far as to offer a referendum

to the entire voting population

Referendum measures are pie

see lobbying. Let's try the politicians the next time, they get more for us.

**RENA B. WOODWARD** 

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Miami Beach

READINGS DAILY

sand votes in the face.

Whereupon the management let

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Saturday, May 21, 1927

sold on the idea of ships to carry their freight and produce. At the present time Dade county is selling grape fruit in Europe via New York. There is no earthly reason why this fruit should not be loaded on ships in Miami harbor and sent directly to Europe. This would cut out the cost of railway freight, heated cars incidental charges. and several Farmers and fruit growers should be told that business is to be secured by using the harbor. As soon as they demand water bourne carriage of their produce the ships will begin to use Miami harbor.

Miami is in much better geo graphical position for the South American trade than New Orleans. Yet New Orleans gets the business. Miami could go after a big slice of it and get it

Twenty million dollars will be spent in making the Everglades a fit and proper place to farm. What is going to happen to the produce Is it going to be sent north by rail and all the profit eaten up in freight charges? Or is it going to be sent by water, at a much smaller rate, and as swiftly or more swiftly than by rail?

Miami has millions of dollars' worth of business asking for a harbor and the harbor is allowed to be under the jurisdiction of the sewer department.

Is that the city's way of disposing of it?

New Fighters Coming  $A^N$  all-star card of three ten rounders and one six will be the attraction at the Ball Park on Monday night. Ted Morgan, junior welterweight from Tampa, will have as his opponent Ben Spivey in the top ten of the evening and this Morgan can fight, too, according to reports that have drifted here from the West Coast city where he has been seen in several bouts, not having lost a decision in his entire career.

Joe Silver, a mighty good bantamweight from the West Coast city, will oppose "Mutt" Griffin in the second ten while Emel Schiavone will cross gloven with Rene Duray the Frenchman who knows nothing but fight.

of bluestone. We just gotta make that stuff good or people'll think it's faked.

"Mix

"We're getting short of John-ny Walker bottles," observed the second bottler, "and labels for the Bacardi won't stick on the bottles

"Well," the owner suggested, 'just wet them good and everybody'll think they've been sunk in the bay."

about champagne?" 'How asked the third bottler.

"Let some ginger ale stand open for an hour or two and add one-third home brew. Don't use no more of them Piper labels; I gotta think up another name. Any of you guys know of a good brand?"

Nobody knew but one promised to look it up in the dictionary. Said the fourth bottler: "What in hell am I gonna do with all this spoiled home brew and the washings from them bottles?" "Add a pound of sugar and some analine dye and label it Fin-

est Port," said the owner. Then all was quiet again except for the slapping of labels against bottles and the squeak corks being driven into the necks.

LITTLE GERALDINE Little Geraldine often wondered why the Florida Power and Light Company was called an octopus until she caught one in the bay the other day and she just laughed and laughed because she saw that it depended on a lot of suckers to

keep it alive. noven 34 S.Miami Ave.

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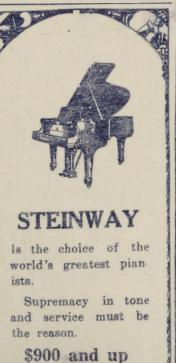
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#### ELEVATORS COME HIGH

When the discussion about the steel work at the new county courthouse was underway one of the arguments put up by the county commissioners was that the work must go to the lowest bidder. Evidently that only applied to the steel work for the elevator contract went to a firm that bid something like \$16,000 higher than the low bidder. It's a poor policy that doesn't work two ways.

#### BIG JIM GOES

You don't see Big Jim start-ing off golfers at the Bayshore A few days course any more. ago Jim, who is rated as one of the most capable caddymasters in the south, refused to permit a woman to have a particular caddy she had asked for and she wrote a letter in to the management cancelling her membership.



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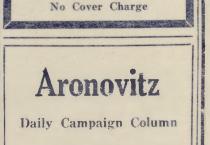
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Your vote will aid in giving him the largest majority in the history of Miami.

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According to law the only method of taxation permissible in the Citv is by the levy of a millage tax upon real estate and personal property. This is a good law and a fair one, because it serves to distribute the burden of taxes upon all property owners whether they are citizens and reside here, or not. It is right for property owners to pay their share of taxes for all public improvements, whether they live in the North, East, West or in Miami.

Several years aro a water system for the bringing of pure water from Hialeah was installed, and we are charged for such water a price that the Company calls fair. Then along comes the City Administration and without authority of lawadds a surcharge of 50% to our bills-thereby penalizing us because we are residents, citizens and water-users.

I have alwars opposed the delivery of our million dollar water plant to the company without rent or interest and do not see any reason why we should have entered into a deal whereby the company always gets the long and we citizens always get the short end.

ABE ARONOVITZ Nominee for Commissioner (Paid Political Advertisement)

## **County** Division IN **FLAMINGO PARK MIAMI BEACH**

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Monday Evening, May 23rd At Eight o'Clock

The inconsistent actions of our state senator in refusing to allow the people whom he represents the privilege of self-determination will be discussed. The relief bills that will effect Dade county as a whole, including ocean front protection, better school facilities, representation on the board of county commissioners and the repair of Baker's Haulover will be explained. The benefits that Dade county and Miami will receive from the separate county movement will be presented.

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