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A Fifty-Thousand-Dollar Editorial-

VERYBODY, OF COURSE, expects us to say something about Justice of the Peace Penney who had us arrested this week for criminal libel and furthermore brought a \$50,000 suit against us. But Penney is running for a political job next spring—which one we can't recall at this moment, and it doesn't matter anyway, because he'll never get it—and we hate to give him the publicity that he is evidently seeking.

Justice Penney is, of course, ridiculous. He probably always will be. Merely because we point out a technical violation of the law in his court, he gets peeved. Men of the type of Penney do not "desire no publicity" for their errors. Men of the calibre of Penney (really, we hate to be giving this fellow this publicity because he doesn't deserve it) never like papers of the type of Miami Life.

We could, if we were a mind to, give this little

justice of the peace what he deserves.

We could mention about him renting part of his office to professional bondsmen. We could mention his assessing cost charges against discharged defendants in violation of law. We could mention the tricks his court has played upon unwary negroes. We could mention Penney's connection as coroner in nearly 100 inquests and his violation of law in nearly every one, and we might mention something of the scandals connected with the bonds he o. k'd.

But we won't. He is simply of the order that is passing out in Miami—slowly, but surely. He is so certain to quit office, or be kicked out of it, in the early future, that we don't feel like tromping on him

His statement to the Daily News about running for office makes us laugh. Really, we hollered.

If Mr. Penney got two votes for any office in Dade county, he'd surely be accused of repeating!

Hard On the Newsboys

FOR SOME reason, best known to himself, City Manager Wharton, shortly before he left office, made a ruling that worked a hardship on the newsboys of the city. He had the police department do away with the boxes and seats used by the boys to rest while selling their papers.

There is hardly any reason why the newsboys should not have a seat on their own corners. Some arrangement should be made whereby the boys could provide corner stands and seats to sell their wares from. The average citizen buys his paper from the boy on the corner and that boy should not be forced to stand all day long so as to be there when the citizen wishes to purchase a paper. Miami is losing all city ways as far as the streets are concerned.

the introduction of ordinances doing away with this and that the people are beginning to give the streets a wide berth. This is bad for the storekeepers as well as the smaller merchants—the newsboys. Let's all get back to a reasonable way of thinking again. Miami is no over-

crowded metropolis. Let us make our streets picturesque. Erect kiosks for the

retailing of newspapers and add another touch of color to our colorful streets.

To Tip, Or Not to Tip?

ET your dollar ready and become a member of the Anti-Tipping Society. That is, if you are one of the people who protest daily against this practise.

Tipping is becoming a nuisance; in fact, it has long been a nuisance that should have been eliminated from our lives. There seems to be no real cure for it. Societies have been started to combat the evil but they have always fallen flat, for some reason or other.

We should really approach this tipping business from the point of view that it is un-American. No healthy, decent American can take a tip tendered by a customer and still retain his self-respect. If we can make the accepters of tips see that they lower themselves by so doing, the anti-tippists will find the going easier.

All workers should be paid a living wage. None should have to lepend on the misplaced generosity of patrons to fill the pay envelope. When a man eats he should get service without paying ten per cent extra for it—in the form of a tip.

FROM the looks of the box score, it seems that the Orlando baseball team was in better Form-by.

Transportation Is Rotten

TRANSPORTATION in Miami and Miami Beach is getting worse every day. Since the Florida Power and Light Company made up its mind to do all the transportation here we have had indifferent

Jitneys and private bus lines have been bought, chased or frozen out. And for what? So that the power company can carry a few people on the stupid old trolley cars they have crawling around a of our streets.

With the elimination of competition Miamians are getting the worst transportation ever given in this city. If the Florida Power Light Company is to have all the transportation franchises they should be made to give some sort of service. Not good service—we couldn't expect that from them—but just ordinary poor service. At present the service is rotten.

The only real service in the city is given by the few private bus

ine still operating.

How long will it be before the octopus puts them out of business?

NOW LET US BLOW!

ON THIS date one year ago a West Indian hurricane headed straight for the south part of Florida and registered a bull's eye on Greater Miami-with disastrous effect—the next day, September 18.

Last year the wind did the blowing—this year we can blow about what we've done since that time, and we have something to blow about.

No sooner had the storm passed than we became a community of willing workers and started to rehabilitate.

We acted like honest-to-God human beings and undid the destruction of nature in record time. What we did immediately after the storm is a monument to the bravery and resourcefulness of the people of Greater Miami.

What we have done since is another monument to the indominitable spirit and business ability of the people who dwell in this part of the United States.

Miami-wrecked and broken on September 18-arose to a thriving city again. In record time the tangled tons of wire was sorted out; our water supply was purified; and living became a pleasure again. Wreckage disappeared as if by magic. Workers started to repair buildings. Every roof was dotted with workers who were stopping leaksrepairing the covering. Tottering walls were pulled downwith wonderful speed new walls grew in their place.

We did well. We did better than any other people in any other nation could have done. And we did not stop there.

When we breathed again, we started in to finish what we had begun.

In the twelve months that have elapsed since the big blow we have erected \$20,000,000 worth of buildings-including a 27-story courthouse and half a dozen skyscrapers: we have laid 40 miles of sewers at a cost of \$900,000; 15 miles of sidewalks at a cost of \$100,000; 40 miles of paving at a cost of \$2,000,000.

We have planted hundreds of trees in our parks; created the most wonderful bayfront fairyland of tropical vegetation; made new docks and dredged our harbor at a cost of millions.

We have opened up dozens of streets, put in miles of street lighting and built a world-famous highway-Biscayne Boulevard.

A new railway has reached the city, new stations and freight sheds built and everything made ready to handle the passenger and freight traffic without loss of time.

Our bank clearances almost reached the half billion mark; our per capita savings in the banks is nearly \$700. We have a right to blow about it.

Miami Beach, almost flattened by the wind and washed away by the ocean, has come back a more beautiful city than ever before.

It has issued 196 building permits with a value of \$2,422,159; built a \$250,000 city hall, a large storage warehouse, and is building a new casino and Bath Club.

A \$3,000,000 seawall is being built; Carl G. Fisher has done wonders over at Terminal Island; the Fisher interests have sold \$600,000 of original holdings for cash payments: its delinquent tax list was very small.

Thousands of palm trees have been planted in Lummus Park; hundreds have been given away by the city and thousands of plants with them to help beautify the city; all the city parks have been landscaped; a recreational forum has been formed in Flamingo Park; the city has acquired a municipal golf course; laid 11 miles of sidewalks; built about 170 homes—and one apartment house.

A police and fire alarm system has been installed; new transportation arrangements made; new car tracks laid; and the whole beach front beautified.

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In Coral Gables, where the strict building regulations keep down the loss, the flattened trees were all propped up again in less than a week; window panes were put in and the city tidied up in record time.

Its hospital cared for those injured in other districts: it refused help from the Red Cross, but gave them a building to work from for other districts.

Since the hurricane it has issued building permits for \$4,345,795; finished the million-dollar Douglas entrance; started three new church buildings, and a city hall; and built hundreds of homes that have nearly all been sold before construction was completed.

The largest coliseum in the south is nearing completion; 157 miles of sidewalk have been laid; 87 miles of paving is finished; 12 miles of parkways added to the city's highways; six acres of parks landscaped; 53 miles of water main laid and five miles of storm sewers; eight miles of canal cut, and a \$2,000,000 dredging contract is changing the landscape in the Biscayne section.

And it has all been done without increasing the tax-

Bank deposits work out at a per capita division of

\$1,500. Yes. we have something to blow about.

Let's Economize

THE Dade County Commissioners, sweating under a strain of heavy expenses, notify the public that they are now on the verge of inaugurating an epidemic of economy which shall hit high and low. They have told the county solicitor where to head in, and soon other county departments will feel the axe.

Let's look into this matter a little. Let's study out the problem and reason out the why of all this safe and sane economical streak which has so lately developed. Perhaps then, Dade County voters might be a bit more economical when another election comes around.

Homestead had a bank. It was quite an institution while it was going. Indications seem to point to the fact that most anyone could go there and get a loan. putting up real estate or a wheel-barrow for

Eventually Dade County's commissioners heard of this bank. They deposited \$80,000 of the county's money there on securities passed on by the State Comptroller. But the bank needed more money. So the county, liberal and good-hearted, deposited \$268,062.50 more of the taxpayers' money, without any better security than \$61,500 worth of Bankers Trust Company certificates (the Manley Banks of Atlanta, which went broke) and the balance of \$206.562.550 was secured by mortgages and notes.

Of this last sum of \$268,062.50, the State Comptroller never vouched for a cent. And the county commissioners put it there without following the instructions of Section 1560 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, which state security for county deposits must be secured by federal, state, county or municipal bonds, or guaranteed by a legalized surety company.

So now the commissioners wish to economize. That is, they do not wish to spend any of the money coming in, but they are dead willing to assess Dade County with a new \$3,000,000 bond issue which will go for bulkheading Miami Beach's ocean front, about 85 per cent of which is owned by private interests, and of which Miami alone must pay \$1,800,000.

Our only hope is to get new officials in before the old ones let everything go.

Doctors Continue War

DADE county medicos met in the Woman's Club on Friday night and fired the second gun in the 20-hour-a-day war. Mrs. B. M. Tuller, who has operated a physicians' exchange and nurses' register for the last seven years, has been thrown into the discard. Another registry office has been started with Adele Hampton, who runs a vocational bureau. Mrs. Tuller has run an excellent organization for the doctors at the small cost of \$4 a month, and several medical men owe her many months' fees. The Dade County Medical Association has connected up with this new registry at a cost of \$2.50 per medico. They are advertising for nurses who are willing to work twenty hours a day. They are going to reduce the price of being sick, they say, but are not willing to take any less for their own work. Mrs. Tuller will have to register doctors who are not members of the association if she is to remain in business. Her nurses will not be of the 20 hours-a-day kind but will be thoroughly competent women who will be right on the job—even if the doctor isn't.

Creating a Payroll

MIAMI is after industries. Miami wants a payroll to keep the city busy and prosperous during the slack season. One day there will be no slack season and this payroll business won't cut so much ice, but at present it is essential that we keep all the industries we have in good working condition.

Several owners of manufacturing plants in this city have dropped in to see us during the last few weeks. They are all worked up about not being able to induce the banks to take care of their payrolls for a short time. The business is good, they say, but collections are slow. They really only need a few hundreds to tide them over the present

Some banks tell them to try a certain finance corporation to raise a loan. This finance company is willing to lend. The rate they charge is only five per cent--per month. Which works out at something like seventy per cent a year, when the interest has been compounded.

Miami is striving for a larger payroll and cannot take care of the one it has now. The banks simply refuse to make loans just at present. They might be right, as far as that goes, but it seems hard on the merchants and manufacturers.

Perhaps some of those people who have money hidden away in safety deposit boxes might take a chance on some of the manufacturers. Personally, we don't think they would be taking any chance

A MIAMIAN, commenting on the mosquito barrage, says he drove over to the beach with his girl and after lingering a while discovered he had five

Tie Dum

"They played the fife lowly.

"And drove the hearse slowly.

"As they carried poor Wen Phillips Away."

THE DAY was one of those dark and dismal affairs, reminiscent of the days when the boll weevil completely domineered Georgia. Traffic policemen, inured as they were to hardships, were arcaded in various shelter spots in an attempt to escape the wet rain which continued to pour down. Street cars were late and shoppers were beleagured and marooned, without the price of a "\$2.00 an hour" car. Stock salesmen for prospective oil wells were as quiet as a row of ex-real estate men staring at a collection plate. The amagamated association of apartment house owners subscribed several months' rent for bouquets to be immediately dispatched, while Coast Guard boats trimmed their upper decks and pulled the teeth from all three-pounders, and the city commissioners, pouring over plans of how to fill an empty treasury, listened in amazement to the news and shared and aired their views on whether to invite the W. C. T. U. for next year's convention

It was a day previous to the worst you ever met. It was an ominous day, with black cats making faces at a c razy moon, and hoptoads crouching on jitney

It was the day of Fate. The tragic heartrending moment had arrived. sheriff, assisted by his corps, was at hand. He sought and found Wen R. Phillips, the brazen editor of Miami Life, who permitted the king of peace court justices to read the truth, and thereby ruffled the feelings of his majesty to such an extent that the Honorable H. W. Penney had to go into another justice's district where warrants cost ten dollars and plead for one under a sad tale of woe. So that's the story, readers. You now know why the milkman was late and your light bill mounted as the light faded.

Read this tale and weep. Perhaps some day you, too, may act les majeste.



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LOOKING BACK Over Miami Life Files

The Trial of Tootsie McTonsil

she said.

losers.

'Yes?"

"I didn't," replied Tootsie. "The

By JOHN KIMBLE

December 12, 1925.

Mr. McTonsil's soup was not the matter. thick enough.

Mrs. McTonsil, a superbly pro- first place was a blind tiger. portioned, majestic woman with a married him in the next place. It mass of brilliant red hair and three gold teeth, stood silent and contemplative for a moment, the teapot in her hand. Then, as if moved by some deep, mysterious urge which she herself did not understand, she threw the teapot at her husband. It struck him full on the head. (Mr. McTonsil was full, too.)

The teapot broke into a thousand fragments.

As the bits of chinaware clattered to the floor, Mrs. McTonsil singled across the table. Here thin rested in the butter, but she into a thousand fell sobbing across the table. Here the mediately ordered from the court-room. Two of them went. Five the contemplative for a moment, the was a judge's office."

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Was a judge's office."

She cast down her eyes, but the was. He had what you might call a teapot dome. "Did he have any bad habits?" "Only two. They have both been discharged, however."

"Who discovered America?" "Sour marriage to Rufus McTonsil, is it true that your marriage to Rufus McTonsil, is it true that your marriage to Rufus McTonsil was a mercenary one.

Tootsie blushed three times in rapid succession, and all children mediately ordered from the court-room. Two of them were immediately ordered from the court-room. Two of them were immediately ordered from the court-room. Two of them were immediately ordered from the court-room. Two of them were immediately ordered from the court-room. Two of them were immediately ordered from the court-room. Two of them were immediately ordered from the court-room. Two of them were immediately ordered from the court-room. Two of them were immediately ordered from the court-room. Two of them were immediately ordered from the court-room are roomand.

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chin rested in the butter, but she did not mind.

"I borrowed this butter," she

Through it all McTonsil sat Suddenly the woman arose from the butter, wiped her chin on her sleeve and turned fiercely accusative eves on her bushood. They laughed and tickled each other. It was Yale's ball on Harvard's five-yard line.

They bushood in the inferior with paused. I got the three-ninety-eight out of his pants pocket the second night," she mused. "It was Yale's ball on Harvard's five-yard line." tive eyes on her husband.

"Oh, you unutterable cad!" she her chair and answered the query She munched gently at a souncried with loathing. "You have broken my best teapot. My finest with emotion. "Cracker." "Order that shook cracker. teapot, that my mother gave me "It was the night after a strip- bailiff. for my fourth wedding. Oh, you poker party at a neighbor's house," cur! Don't touch me!'

She rang for the butler. "Clear up the wreckage, Wil-

she ordered simply. Wilkins seized Mr. McTonsil un-

der the arms and dragged him out

that night. If it had been two minutes earlier, it would have been 9 o'clock sharp.

Mrs. McTonsil's trial was finally was on her feet tagain, battling woke up. set for the fifth Tuesday following gamely. The defense lawyers de- "Ball game at three-thirty! the fourth Thursday in February. manded time out to take up a col-cried, looking at his watch. "Case Otherwise they would have had to set it on another date. The whole row threw a \$100 bill into the Mrs. McTonsil thanked the justown was agog with excitement, plate and then cut his throat. whatever a gog is.

city got drunk.

Hot Springs to try the case.

All the lawyers had been practicing law for weeks in preparation for it. When the great day arrived

Mrs. McTonsil appeared in court wearing her widow's weeds. Olaf, her gardener, had got them for

her out of a neighbor's yard.
"Pull up the weeds!" cried the
assistant state's attorney, laughing good - naturedly. Then he jumped out the window and got on a train. The train never came back, but nothing was ever done

Within two months a jury was selected. One woman was excused when it was found that Mrs. Mc-Tonsil had once gotten a cook away from her.

"Do you think you could give this little girl a fair trial?" the defense counsel had asked her. "Could I? Oh, baby!" she had

After the jury had been selected one of the defense lawyers turned

Mrs. McTonsil and asked: 'Now, don't you think you need a change of venue?"
"Sir!" replied Tootsie in a lady-

like manner, and knocked him into the jury box. The jury had never boxed before, so it was most interesting.

Finally the trial got under way. Wilkins, the McTonsil butler, testified that on the night of the tragedy he had carried Mr. McTon-

I remember it distinctly," he said, "because usually I carried

Wilkins was so dumb that he talked in the sign language, and the judge gave him thirty days for making faces at the state's attor-ney. What Wilkins did with the days has never been learned.

Mrs. McTonsil took the witness stand in her own behalf later in the trial, and bared her soul. Everybody stared at it. Tootsie wept twice, threw three fiits and swore at the state's attorney. She explained afterward that he looked like a traffic policeman when he raised his hand during the exami-

The defense attorneys were the first to examine the defendant

Reckless Coastguards Note This! EDITOR MIAMI LIFE:

Please, have you any back numbers of your paper publishing the shooting of Harry S. Booth, motor-builder, that took place on the 11th of August. He was my son and I expected him to help keep me my last days. I have been a hard worker all my life, and raised the two sons alone with no help or means but my hands and brain, expecting help from them in return. Now I am made to suffer by his death, along with his wife and babies, by the brutes that took his life for no reason.

There are no liquor drinkers or dealers known of in my family or his father's, but all sober-minded, honest Americans. He got his ability or talent for work from my side, and I was

MRS. E. M. RITTER

judge, who was getting jealous of the lawyers. He was carried out on a stretcher and four justices of the peace were summoned to take his place. They nearly did.

Just as the trial was about to proceed, the defense lawyers lay

The defesdant simpered girl tem

ishly.
"I should say I do," she respond-They said they could find nothing "Why did you marry the little whimsical recollection of the night "My soup is not thick enough," yap in the first place?" one of I do. Didn't I break three of them on poor, dear Rufus before I got I him? Next question, please.

"You say your husband was a hard-headed man."

mediately ordered from the court-lengthwise. It was very terrible room. Two of them went. Five hair, anyway. "I was forced into firemen carrying a tank of chemithe marriage. Rufus owed my fa cal came within the enclosure near ther three dollars and ninety-eight the bench. Seeing this, Tootsie cents on his ice bill and it was the immediately took off her hose and only way we could collect it." She handed them to the firemen with paused. I got the three-ninetymarked down from four dollars. I Then Tootsie leaned forward in shall never forget."

'Order in the court!" shouted a

At this Mrs. McTonsil pricked

up her ears with a needle which she had found in an abandoned hav-"Yes?" encouraged her lawyer. stack. She had never learned who "Mr. McTonsil and I were heavy put it there. In fact, she hadn't thought much about it

"Bring me some Spanish mack-Mrs. McTonsil hesitated and erel without any ice cream on it. of the dining room into the kitchen. nervously pulled out some of her French fried Irish potatoes and a cup of coffee," she murmured po-"His feet were dirty!" she said litely.

in a hoarse whisper, and fainted. There was a dynamite explosion Before the state's attorney reached in the rear of the courtroom and the count of nine, however, she one of the justices of the peace

tice, made dates with the eleven "The dear boy!" cried Tootsie surviving jurors and was carried Every newspaper reporter in the McTonsil compassionately. "But to a waiting jitney bus, though ty got drunk.

McTonsil compassionately. "But to a waiting jitney bus, though the let us hurry this along, please, as what it was waiting for could never

The judge came all the way from ot Springs to try the case.

All the lawyers had been prac
"Which bridge?" shouted the hospital, 21.

"Tote" for Florida

proceed, the defense lawyers lay down on the floor.

"The defense rests," they said. Twenty-four for Underwood with the bases full.

The case had now reached the stage of cross-examination. Everybody was cross. The jurymen crossed their fingers. The prosecuting attorney got his wires crossed. Mrs. McTonsil crossed her legs.

"Mrs. McTonsil," the prosecutor said, "don't you know better than to hit your husband with a teapot?"

The defesdant simpered girlights.

"The defesdant simpered girlights with the floor of the defesdant simpered girlights."

(From Collyer's Eye—Chicago)

Miami. Fla., Sept. 9.—Racing with modified mutuels will be presented by the Miami Jockey Club this winter. Practically all of the details have been worked out and while there is much secrecy, the essential facts gradually are leaking out. The betting system will be details have been worked out and while there is much secrecy, the essential facts gradually are leaking out. The betting system will be details have been worked out and while there is much secrecy, the essential facts gradually are leaking out. The betting system will be identical with that employed in past years, only the legal aspects being changed.

In many respects the plan will follow that now employed in Missouri. Patrons will contribute to the purse and receive a share of the winnings. "No betting" signs will be displayed and to all intents the public, and not the club, will make up the purses. The club will make up the purses. The club will merely act upon behalf of the horsemen and the players in landling the money and dividing the spoils. It is also understood that the totalizer will be employed in connection with the system.

tem.

The Supreme Court has never passed upon this system. If it is upheld by Dade county courts, which seems probable, it will be up to the reformers to appeal to the high court. This tribunal, if it follows precedent, is not likely to pass upon the casse until the season is over. It will be remembered that the Supreme Court last season waited until the Miami track closed to hand down its unfavorable decision. In the event the Dade county courts should hold the system is illegal, the jockey club will appeal and operate under an appeal bond.

It is not unlikely that the Biscayne Ken-

If the officers wished for rain so that the party would be a little wetter

If Mary knows anything about monkeys . . . now

If the Miami ball team will demand a recount . . . and if so where will they build a conven-

Why Mack stopped making wny home brew?

If Colonel Goodrick is taking



Thy do these men try it?

"Irwin A. Yarnell, of Lake Wales, Fla., referring to a recent item in the MANUFACTURERS RECORD to the effect that he and August Heckscher, at their own expense and without putting any stock on the market, are trying to find out whether oil can be discovered in Florida or not, writes:

"As stated in your article, Mr. Hecksher and I are doing this entirely with our own money and at our own risk, and are not in any way exploiting the proposition in a selfish way. We have made quite a thorough investigation of the state and really believe oil is going to be found here. We are simply doing our bit at this time, with the hope and firm belief that oil will be found before the first of the year."-From Manufacturers Record, Sep-

CONFIDENCE shown by such men encourages those already seeking one of Florida's greatest secrets, and will surely bring many new followers.

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. or is it something

How far Bowen carried Alice's bundles and why

If Posey has thrown Margie over for Alice If Margie and Alice broke the

hearts of the two hot shots and what that \$10 bet is about

If Earl is happy with Happy How Crow liked his dinner and

if he really was full If Pete doesn't think soft

drinks are more profitable If the person who saw Jim Gore will please give us the information . . . provided he's all

If the Ahepa's returned Rose Mahoney unharmed, or did a sympathetic tide save her the

If Irwin likes the F. E. C. better than the Seaboard . . . and if his boss got mad because the blooming railroad wasn't mentioned in last week's Life

Why Laura missed the chicken dinner . . . and where did Phil

If the Coast Guard didn't do wrong by taking prisoners to Fort Pierce . . . and will they have to return the cargo

If everything's all right now that Courtney's back in town and what's he going to do How Estelle is getting along

without Freddie these days If Billye and Betty are eating regularly . . . or are they on a

When Pete and Tom will start their new paper

If Horace didn't do wrong by keeping that \$75.00 he secured from that Chicago person

GEORGE BRUCE

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(DEPUTY STATE ARCHITECT)

SOME ESTATE. The Biscayne Trust Co. has been appointed executor of the estate of the averaging in weight from one to five 30th street, who died July 28, leaving, it is reported, a large amount of property.—From Miami Herald, Sept. 13, 1927.

and what's he doing in the small

Why Eber don't hold Louise by the arms instead of her legs.

If Edna and Louise are called artists because they are painting the town red . . . and is it because Harold and Frank are out of town

What will our non-union mammas do after Pop's summer widowership expires

If "Doc" Marco examined Larry's fishery, would be come back with a fish story

Why Howard eats so much of Cromer-Cassel's ice cream, and



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if he will continue eating there if the blonde elevator operator should decide to leave

Why the horn on Gene's road-ster is referred to as "The Cat's

Why Shrager is such an ar-

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This is an experience of my own, but one by no means isolated. I feel free to say to you that the opportunity to buy, or to build, in Coral Gables, probably is better now than ever-as witness the astonishing number of private builders erecting homes all over Coral Gables. Prices of materials are low; realty prices are very decidedly satisfactory; there appears to be mortgage money available to bone fide builders or to people who wish to build their own homes to live in.

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(To be continued)

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MR R. HAMMERHEAD GREEBY, selected by the City Commissioners to cover the forthcoming battle between Gene Tunney and Jack Dempsey, two promising fighters, in a town named Chicago, left odwised to buy clubs, I went to ah bazeball store an yi-yi-yi, de piplast night for the scene of the fracas. The expert was firmly ples on de leenks gave me de leff!. last night for the scene of the fracas. The expert was firmly So is foist you buy de clubs. O-esconsed between two crates of alligator pears and the first shipment Gentlemen prefer blounds, so if of stippled booklets which he will distribute in the back-of-the-yards you prefer, you got to buy ah sat. district on account of them never* much wintering in Florida.

Life's Best Joke of the

Week

THE Dade County Court of Crimes opened Monday with

Judge W. F. Brown presiding.

Among those present were Bailiff Yandle and Profes-

The latter, reaching for his handkerchief, brought forth a

\$10.00 bill, which dropped to

the floor. The bailiff, unac-

customed to the sight of such

money, made a dive for it about the same time Schwartz

did. Judge Brown witnessed

"What's that?" the judge in-

"A ten-dollar bill, your hon-

"This court must have order.

You are both fined \$5.00 each. "But you can't do that," said

Mr. Schwartz.
"But I did," answered the

Talk about frenzied finance!

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tiful highway. It is so smooth

that one can enjoy the ride

News tower where the tracks to

the docks are in a terrible state.

This crossing is very hard on

tires, automobiles and nerves. There is no reason why this

place should not be as smooth as

the rest of the bouevard. It

in good order and it would save a lot of bad language on the

YOUNG lady was hurt the

other day when she ran her

Arnold to send out a gang to pull

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tourist looks for when he reaches

Miami is an orange tree. And

orange trees are few and far be-tween in the Magic City. Per-

haps a few o range, lemon, grape-

fruit and lime trees could be planted aong some of the larger boulevards. When in fruit these

trees would prove an attraction.

If there were enough of them we

could allow the visitors to pick

the ripe fruit-and that would

prove an even greater attraction. One of the things the tourist

just hankers after is to tell the

parks and boulevards and all

those fine roads through Coral

Gables. And it wouldn't cost a

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down of salaries, it is hard on city

inspectors to lose a case because no

can be beaten in the courts. the city is going to cut staffs and salary to the vanishing point it should make no attempts to en-

force the ordinances. As it is now the city loses nearly every case—or, at best, only half wins it.

Miami Life is read-not skimmed

heck of a lot, either.

friends left behind in the north I'm picking the oranges right off the tree." Here is one suggestion that would improve the

One of the first things the

the scuffle.

judge.

Bondsman Schwartz.

"I shall report this fight in a manner which will reflect much to



the credit of Miami. I have secured Forecaster Gray's hurricane glasses and shall be able to note every action of the debutantes, should any occur. "The Mr. Demp-

sey is a very close friend of mine. I met him on N. W. First avenue and he let me buy one of those acreages from that all-Florida Realty company. The Mr. Gene is also one of my buddies. Although I do not think I'll ever make a second payment on

a check which has never come back "I have secured passports to cross Lake Michigan should the bouters start chasing each other

that lot he sold me near Hallan-dale, for which I paid him with

ing on a heavy Beacon editorial.
"Expenses! What do you mean?

penses. They can take care of themselves. I am a man who is even with the world."

protest from users of electric themselves of themselves. I am a man who is current who live outside the city limits. One man the other day

ately broke forth into laughter, saying he sure was, because fifty per cent of the people he didn't owe anything to which balanced up the fifty per cent to whom he to a subdivision. The bin was cent and pocket, it is an incomparate and the bin was cent and pocket, it is an incomparate and the bin was cent and pocket, it is an incomparate and the bin was cent and pocket, it is an incomparate and the grant. If orgat to mantion dot de grant is the subject to a subdivision. The bin was cent and pocket, it is an incomparate and the grant. It forgat to mantion dot de grant is the subject to a subdivision. The bin was cent and pocket, it is an incomparate and the grant. It forgat to mantion dot de grant is the subject to a subdivision. The bin was cent and pocket, it is an incomparate and the grant.

Greeby's trip, had spared no expense in fitting up his special car. Dispensing with the old style Ojus rock carriers, the railroad coupled bill. No. 678345, equipped with Westinghouse airbrakes, and a carrying capacity of 50,000 pounds, in the very latest mode. The doors, slidng type, were thoroughly greased. while the end windows, covered with soft pine wood to keep out the chill night air of the Florida mountains were cleated tight. car was equipped with eight-wheel brakes and carried three other occupants who had been personally accompanied to the track by a select committee from Chief Quigg's

"I do not desire no publicity," said Mr. Greeby, "but you may learn your readers of my intentions to send a first-hand report of the battle which will overshadow would not cost much to put it any new developments proposed in Miami for the next five years. I am well equipped with provisions part of drivers. and expect to arrive in good condition in time for the fights. I do not wish you to tell any of the train crew that I'm on this train. car into one of those lamp islands for they would be surprised, and I in the middle of the Biscayne do not wish them to neglect their Boulevard. We hereby call on Mr.

"They won't neglect it if they them up and ditch them somewhere find you." chirped Little Geraldine, where they will do no harm. dodging under the trucks, where she was playing hide and seek with Absolutely and Positively, Mr. Greeby's two twin boy sons.

Greeby, reaching out to close the door, kissed his wife, and said. "I'll do my best, sweetheart."

"You are doing the best thing you ever did." answered his spouse as the train pulled out. "See if you can make a non-stop walking trip around the world after the fight," she yelled, bouncing an unpeeled coconut off Greeby's pate, and he then pulled himself inside carrying both the coconut and the thanks of Miamians for going

Which left nothing else for the reporter to do, so he sauntered into the Dugout.

"Climate" ******************

In the days of legends old 'June," a lover brave and bold, Sought o'er all the country wide For a town to make his bride.

effort is made to counteract the work of high-priced attorneys en-In the south by Biscayne Bay, Where the fairest sunbeams play, gaged by the defendants. A good, Smiled "Miami" with rare grace, snappy city prosecutor would put teeth in some of our city laws and ordinances. The whole trouble seems to be that it isn't worth Springtime shining in her face.

Winter drove this lover bold From the land where winds blow while doing anything because you When he spied Miami's splendor, His quest was ended in surrender.

In the magic breath of spring, Wedding bells beyan to ring; Now Miami and June are one-"Perfect climate" is their son. Alice D. Shepard, Hialeah.

"SAMMEH OF MINSK GABAIRNYEH"

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Eppis-Oat Tventy-two

VELL, wot I should tell you, but in de minntime, wuz decided I should take up Gulfink. For de bannefeet of doze pipples wot dunt know game, so I'll gonna tich dem like I am tutt.

In hudder to play Gulf, so is got de indiwijial to buy clubs. I wanna odwise mine ridders not to do wot I did, are you? When I wuz MIAMIGRAMS

Ah whole sat is ah Meshy wid ah Neeblig wid ah Meed-Hiron wid ah Driver, are you? Vell, lat us consume dot you got de sat of clubs. you, he's ah good Catty, are you? Now you must buy ah beg to put So dot when de hopponent heskens in de clubs. Now dot dots all satyou how much you did de hole, tell tled, so you got to gat ah catty. him ah lie an den hesken de Catty Dunt hesken yat wot is ah catty, how moch you heet and he'll lie Wden I rich dot pott so you'll wid you. Dot's wot I call soivice, aint you?

Now you got to join ah Club wot In hudder to play good de game he's got guif leenks. Consuming from gulf, you always got to be dot you joined, bring wid you ah in good fumm. Stend by de ball gless of tea. Immidiately you go wid your steeck in hend an sock on de leenks, an you stott to odde ball into obvilion. Dunt forgat dress de ball wot's on de tee, are you got to gat ah Meshy, wid ah you? How you address de ball is Neeblig wid ah Meed-Hiron wid ah

Now dot you got de right od-dress, you procidd wid de propper stance. Vell, de stance is ah—it's good Catty. Anudder imputtent ah—de stance is ah—vell, see dot edwise, hm-m-m, I nilly forgot to your ball is on de tee, have you? mantion, yi-yi-yi. Gulf cannot be Den take your catty an sock—no, no, dot's wrong; you dunt take de catty, take de hCinese club—de to long pents. Or, to make ah litmeshie-no, no, dot's wrong, too. te clearer, Gulf pents is kneeckers,

Take your Driver—but dunt do wot l did; l took mine Chauffeur an Howell is still leffink, are you? Vell, take your driver and hit de Maybe somm of us still got de bail. Den take catty an go find pents, yi-yi-yi! de bal. When you find it, sock

that way, and have a special pass on the interurban bus which will run from one end of the grounds to the other every half hour."

"Who pays your expenses for this trip, Mr. Greeby?" asked the Miami Life reporter of the myse tic meddler just as he emerged

"Tom Percy

Indige.

And the ten-dollar bill entered the county's fund box.

Delest time I wuz on de Municepal leenks I wuz wucking to gat mine ball an I hear ah man holler, "Fore!" I toin ahrond an holler, "Fore!" I toin ahrond an holler, "WHAT for!" an an I gat see Howell on de leenks an dots all. Izzy, isn't it? Now try it. S'lung folks, see you ahgain naxt wick! on de bizzer ah sock square in de had. Yi-yi-yi, I sinn somm stars! I never let anyone pay my exprotest from users of electric "Fore."

Vell, hefter vou heet de ball an even with the world."

Little Geraldine, Greeby's adopted daughter by mistake, immediated daug to a subdivision. The bill was com- is not ah pocket, it's ah hole in

owed.

The navigator, unruffled by the interruption, hastily put over a Tony Lito, and Little Geraldine's charged. It called for 117 kilowatt to eight cusses. In de municus de hend of one cuss. In de municus de hend of one cuss. In de municus without warning. The bill cusses. Is going arond twice, so is two cusses from 1 holes, are you?

De treeck is to go arond de 18

Tony Lito, and Little Geraldine's charged. It called for 117 kilowatt hours and totaled \$9.44. If the rate holes an you should heet de ball is eight cents the price should be lass times den your pottner. Vell, \$9.36. The bill is marked net, the why dis is so, I dunt know. Wot's The Florida East Coast Railway, realizing the importance of Mr. \$9.36. The bill is marked net, the discount having already been taken off. The user paid this bill four off. The user paid this bill four the pole of the pole of the user paid this bill four the pole of the pole of the user paid this bill four the pole of the pole of the user paid this bill four the pole of the p off. The user paid this bill four and try to gat de ball in de hole days after the date stamped on it in lass times? I sinn pippes gatand was assessed another 94 cents ting so executed trying to gat in which has been applied on his next de note de ball, wot I tutt they'll

bill. As far as we can figure it out, the rate is 9 cents. Ten per cent reduction is made, which I take my time an instad of de should bring it to \$9.48. He is paying, eventually, the sum of \$10.38. whole cuss in 150. I fool dem, yiyı-yı! I dunt hurry, I take it izzy an by de time I gat through wid mine cuss, I haverage for de whole Biscayne Boulevard is a beaucuss of 18 holes, 300!

Make sure dot you gat ah good without ever hitting one little Catty. If he knows how to lie wid

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THAT Miami will have a good season . . . Marco is in town

THAT, "I was true to you," will be the man's slogan when his wife returns home

THAT Louise at the Sip & Bite doesn't accept a SINGLE

THAT the Ena K is the only boat which runs ahead of sched-. and thus gets the Nassau business

THAT Williford has the bak-Driver, halso you could gat ah ers on the run since he cut the price of bread

> THAT J. N. Lummus is busy looking over the Tamiami well and that he will soon drill for oil THAT Judge Brown told the

green and a second

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THAT Phil shocks the ladies by promenading on the roof without a shirt

THAT the Mayfield Court apartments are very quiet since the newspaper men moved away THAT the price of five-cent

sandwiches has been raised by the Brass Rail to ten cents THAT Faris will shave him-

self hereafter THAT Dexter has had short notice . . . but he's looking for another abode

THAT Sam's father in the New Halcyon Cigar Store offered to make sandwiches for a

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dollar last Wednesday in honor of "Dollar Day"

THAT Rae left Violet much embarrassed by not showing up

THAT "Nick the Greek," who was a patron of the "60" Club and Silver Slipper, dropped twenty grand at Chicago a week or so ago . . . and that it is more than he dropped here

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Round the Town ROD A

WHO'LL GET THE EGGS?

I AST week Mr. Pieper, his wife and children, were haled into Municipal Judge Cowart's court on a warrant charging the purloining of two chickens. And darn well-bred white Leghorns were the fowls, as testified to by both Mr. Pieper and the com-plainant, a Mr. Schriver, who vowed he knew them by name and feathers.

Judge Cowart admitted his utter inability to split such a lovely pair of chickens between five people, especially as the two were in mourning for a brother which had been served banqueted style at one of the little Pieper's birthday parties.

Monday, Justice of the Peace Dale Payne, off from his daily labor in John B. Orr's concrete factory, came home tired and weary. His constable, Hinson, showed him a warrant, two chickens, Mr. Schriver, and the complete Pieper family. Mr. Schriver was under arrest for trespassing and petit larceny which meant that the chickens had again disappeared from the specially-built coop prepared by the skill and craft of the Pieper

Judge Payne took the musty from his shelves. He looked into corpus habeas, corpus derilicti and was fairly on the road for looking for some spirits of fermenti when the happy thought struck his mind. He looked at Constable Hinson. He looked at the chickens. looked at the plaintiffs and the defendant

He then smiled as he wrote out an order turning the interpretation of the matter over to the county solicitor's office and bound Mr. Schriver over on a \$150 bond that he give heed and ear to the decision which most likely Judge Tom Norfleet will have to render.

And Constable Hinson took the chickens to care for and to keep until decision is rendered as to ownership. But what procedure to follow should the chickens escape or be served as stew the judge knoweth not.

AH, SPRINGTIME!

ACCORDING to my informant, and the news bears all the marks of truth, Asheville, N. C., was the scene of a great event this week, which, according to the prevailing fashion, is worthy of quote here.

An amalgamation of great business interests took place. Though the four hundred of New

Yes, It Happened

NEWSBOY, accused of A NEWSBOT. accumulation of kicking another newsboy, was arrested on complaint of U. S. Customs officers. A custom officer testifying, said he thought the big newsboy could have chased the little one away without kicking him. The newsboy retorted that he thought the customs officers could catch bootleggers without shooting them.

York have for years kept what You do not now was Caesar's for Caesar, the parties in this affair still have and hold within their power the ropes surrounding their own do-

Miss Inez Meredith, the bonding queen of Dade county, known throughout the Florida domain, took unto herself a husband. The husband, too, is familiar to the rank and file, for he is the head of the Florida Surety Company, labeled as a "million-dollar" corporation.

Now you have the story of how Inez Meredith did go to the North Carolina resort and did there and then take unto herself husband by the name of L. S. Dillingham for better or worse, and did then and there form a great trust to operate in the professional bonding field.

FEAST FOR FIGHT FANS

FIGHT fans will have all the fight they want in one night next Thursday at Biscayne frontton. Besides the usual card of fights the management has installed an \$800 radio outfit and a \$350 power loud speaker from which will be broadcast the Tunney-Dempsey scrap in Chicago. The broadcasting will be done from the ringside by Graham McNamee and J. Andrew White.

Work has started on the new stadium for the Miami Sports Club and the arena will be finished some time early in Novem-The seating capacity will 18,000. The grand stand. which will be covered, will hold 8,000 and the bleachers about James H. Reynolds president of the club, says that the stadium will be used on three days of the week for bicycle races and the price of admitmittance will be from 50 cents to a dollar and a half.

Boxing at Biscayne fronton is under the auspices of the Har-vey Seeds Post of the Ameriican Legion and the prices there are of the popular variety. \$2 being the highest.

The president declares that some of the big time boys will be here this winter if the club gets the right sort of support. Jack Delaney and Jack Sharkey are both going to figure in bouts if the business warrants bring-

ing such talent here.

Next week, Harry Kahn, champion lightweight of consin, will mix it with Young

The LOW DOM'N on the Weeks Happenings

MIAMI LIFE'S battle to keep heavy trucks off Biscayne Boulevard won . . . but Judge Penney's \$50,000 suit isn't * * * County Commissioners again threaten to give causeway to Miami and Miami Beach * * * Jitney bus ordinance still held in abeyance * * * Inez Meredith and L. S. Dillingham forget grievances and marry * * * Court of Crimes wades through 265 cases . . . mostly estreatures of bonds occur . . . Judge Brown warns justices of peace to keep better records * * * F. E. C. official states passenger traffic to Miami is the heaviest in history for this time of year * * * Jackson Memorial Hospital reduces staff * * * Controversy rages as to who named the Tamiami Trail . . . most people more interested in the question of when it will be finished * * * Liquor market stagnant . . . so is the liquor . . . you'd better hire a private chemist * * * County Commissioners and County hire a private chemist * * * County Commissioners and County Solicitor argue about who's to pay bills . . . we know, it's the taxpayers * * * Dredge gets tired trying to raise Yacht Esmeralda and sinks alongside her * * * School children getting anxious for opening * * * Miami coolest big city in the U. S. . . . other towns have heat waves * * * Hugh Martin has good card for next Monday's fights at ball grounds * * * Miami Sports Club to stage bouts and give ringside returns of Tunney-Dempsey fight on September 22 at Biscayne Fronton * * * Mayor Grethen of Hialeah strips Officer Maddox of his star * * * Republicans quiet this . . threaten to start newspaper . . . all they need is the * Miami Coliseum to open in November . . . it's in money * * * Miami Coliseum to open in November . . . It's in Coral Gables * * * Dollar Day a success . . . lots of money taken out from the old socks * * * City Manager Snow won't play politics . . . says he is employed by the City of Miami and he'll work only for it * * * Anniversary of hurricane . . . do you remember it? * * * Much complaint about receiverships continues . . . may be investigations * * * MORE NET WEEK.

ISA SEEKER

(Special Investigator)

Mr. Cratze Binswasher,

First National Bank, Four Corners, Iowa. Dear Mr. Binswasher:

You did right in writing to me as to what information was now at hand for the winter. The cost of this will not be much to you but as an Special Investigator you will know that I'm giving you the best information regardless of the cost which will be fifty dollars and no cents which you can send by return mail or wire me by either of the companies and by the time you receive this information your wire and money for fifty dollars and no cents should arrive here.

You can wire the money to me direct for I always use a disguise when calling for money so that none of the common city dicks like Cordell or Rose or Wilkerson and the other etals fathered by that Guy Reeves can tell Eddie to take this letter and write it down.

For this winter season which will start as soon as some tourist cars and local streets are torn up a special time will be had by all who attend and I shall give you in strict confidence the names and addresses of a few select men who still aren't afraid to trust a man for a pint or f Hialeah doesn't close up.

be bothered much unless you have not payable in advance.

a good scrap.

ODAH IN DE COT

They tried to enter the race track and were jockeying for position, when Chief of Police Ewing came by. He became immediately interested and offered to act as guide for the pair. Though not seeking any personally-conducted tours, they followed the

The chief, a hig friendly fellow, gave them a well-ventilated chamber and plenty of wholesome though plain food at the city's expense.

Monday, Mayor Grethen, who also is the municipal judge of Hialeah, listened to complaints. Among those appearing were the two Miami girls.

Testimony proved something or other. One of the defendants objected to part of it. She threatened the witness with bodily harm. Chief Ewing stepped in ketween, and for his trouble and peace-making proclivities, received a very nice pocketbookalongside his head.

So that's why his eye is black and he hasn't combed his hair of

LIKE OLD TIMES

DOLLAR DAY was a great success. From all appearances everybody in Greater Miami discovered a dollar in the bottom of his old clothes and came town and spent it, last Wednesday. The streets looked like they did in 1925 when Miami was the most important place in the world.

There is a lot of money around this town if it could only be shaken loose. A nest egg or two is resting in thousands of homes. The man who has money isn't making any howl about it. He leaves the howling to the ones

Let's make every day Dollar

Hudson Back Again

EARL HUDSON, the fighting policeman, will enter the ring again Monday night after a ten-weeks' absence, having suffered an injured hand his last time out, but the injured member is completely healed now and the policeman fighter will meet Jimmy Sullivan, Eau Gallie, knockout artist, at the Ball Park, Monday

Sullivan stopped Johnny Rischer here Labor Day at the Biscaune Fronton and proved to all that his record of 19 knockouts in 20 fights is not a padded aflair. Jimmy is a clean cut youngster and expects to give Hudson a dose of his own medicine-the knockout powders.

Cas' Casares, the popular centerfielder for the Miami ball team, will oppose Battling Barkoot in a special attraction. The remainder of the card will be composed of action six-rounders.

ever regardless that Coombs says after he became broke by exiting Probably having heard of bold bad too fast down the fire escape. His men of the Spanish Main, the aviabaggage fell on him and he was tor took to the air. The customs There will be many bands here totally blinded for three days by men gave him a salute of many this winter although they don't all play music. Personally why a tourist who is trying to find a good wouldn't have been so bad had the aviator wouldn't let them look over time should have to listen to mu- alley been properly paved but what his pretty flying boat, the customs sic is the same as Abie's Irish Rose can you expect when the commis- men arrested four men, saying

You do not need to bring much that little school teacher who you baggage when you arrive here if said was all alone in the world and you manage to get by Jacksonville. needed some watchful care. She Them bums up there are liable to was quite mad when I called as don't wave back at the sea. tell you not to go further than here some man answered the door and for the reason us people might pick I told him I was the special investiyou out for an airplane and bring gator employed by Mr. Binswasher you down but pay them no atten- to see if Miss Genevieve Reverley Baggage interferes consid- lived there and he said hell no erably should you stop at one or And she came to the door and said ther of our hotels. An Iowa man yes I'm her and what may I do Manuel. And that ought to be when I did this man started to close the door with his foot before I got in and he missed the loor and accidentally struck me. TWO of Miami's fair ladies He drives a truck for the Meteor company but nevertheless I do not care to meet her or any other school teacher all alone in a crue world at no future time. The bill for my trousers repair was one twenty-five which you can add to the regular fee of fifty dollars and no cents.

In anent the other all alone girl on mentioned I have investigated her surroundings and can say he is about six feet two with an utter disregard for danger. I did not go in the house but knocked at the ack door and said I'm the iceman. The hell you are he said. It's men like you which causes so many diabolical suicides to be done to strangers by husbands. Take that along and don't forget that even poor

workingmen can install kelvinators. The dector said the teeth could he replaced and would I care to pay in advance and go over to the bank building and ask for some dentist who I shall recommend to you with this note which read do this fel-

low good Should you want to pay this sum of thirty-two dollars and fifty cents you can just add to it the amount I am now awaiting for which you probably will want to do as you Iowa bankers always want a good time when down here and there is no extremes to the limits which you go.

I shall gather more data and do some high class special investigations for you immediately upon re ceipt of your next letter or tele gram which should contain the amount of eighty-three dollars and 75 cents addressed to me in per-

If you send a check please sign it as the last two I received from Iowa were very liberal but unsigned and no bank will cash them since Ed Romfh has got back to

Confidentially Mr. Binswasher, ISA SEKER, ' (Investigator-Special)

EVERYBODY'S CORNER

contributions below are from readers of Miami Life. If you are asking payment for contributions be sure to enclose self-addressed and stamped effort promptly.

The "Rose Mahoney" Damned old piece of junk, Rat infested and eaten by worms, You stand there against the sky Like a leper in a nun's room. Reminiscent of dirty niggers

coholic bodies To unclean women From port to port. A sluggish old hulk, Out-dated and out-lived. You floundered thru seas Like some putrid mummy-No wonder Nature

And unclean men

Carrying al-

Used a forceful hand. And yet you stand Against the sky

In a nun's room. -C. W. Fath.

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THE United States Customs men had an idea this week. Although not much came from it, still it was an idea, and credit is hereby

Customs Officers Bedenbaugh. Hogeboom, Anderson, Albury and Palmer, assisted by Boatswain Christensen of the coast guard, Wednesday. They found the spot they were seeking, and waited. But not for long.

regular national convention and elected. objected to any visitors. So the boys started jiggling and squirming, which antics attracted the attention of four men who were hauling about 25 gallons of gasoline for an outboard motor.

The four men put off in two boats to escape the mosquitoes. holding tight to family socks . . exception of Albury. He was too fat and Christensen thought he would sink the boat.

By and by a noise was heard. Two of the strange men looked up. They saw a strange seaplane swooping above. The government men also saw the plane. The government boat followed the two strange men. The two strange men, friendly sort of fellows, waved at the man in the seaplane. Perhaps the aviator thought they were telling him not to land his plane as baracuda, sharks and mosquitoes were terrible. Suddenly the plane hit the water. The government men went toward it with the intentwo and I get no commission what- last winter nearly broke his leg tion of giving it the once over

to me and I do not believe you will sioners ony get one dollar a year they interfered with officers by Now Mr. Binswasher I called up pected contained contraband liquor.
U. S. Commissioner turned two of the men loose and held the other

get pinched under Article 65.

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MR. R. HAMMERHEAD GREEBY, resting between meals, informs this writer that he has entered his two twin sons, Absolutely, the elder, and Positively, the younger, in an art school, and would I please give Billye Sibert Miller, the instructress, and her 131 Shoreland Arcade studio a writeup, so that she would hold off presenting Mr. Greeby with a bill until he had sold his equity in the new subdivision west of Crossitania?

The writer, in order to humor the famed eel trainer, said he would. In fact, a stroll brought me to the studioes. Miss Miller has a wonderful painted set of china, which would come in quite handy were she to get married; she has various works of art about the walls and in the process of completion; she has several likable pupils who show signs of talent; and she is in a fair way to do a good business if Miamians will send their children down and have them taught something else besides sticking pins on their teacher's seat.

Miss Miller, she ain't much bigger than a fair-sized easel, states that Absolutely and Positively show all their father's genius, and if they don't turn out to be fine red-curb painters she's mistaken in their father's

The Greater Miami Community ourneyed down along the keys on Music Association is holding a re- "White Cargo" that we have seen Hotel next Monday evening at 7:30 They soon discovered they were made before tonight. Speechers the audience agreed with her. trespassing in a private domain, and the official meeting will pre- Which means that if Edna will The mosquitoes were holding their cede the affair and officers will be play more parts like this she will

Condensations

Crowds throng local amusement places as merchants mourn lack of business . . . Dollar day fills Flagler street with hurrying multitudes The customs men followed, with the Jack Edwards adds "mammy pal-

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aver" to Miami's vocabulary mored daily increase in population Fairfax will testify. to be a fact . . . their business is based on the number of people here Burdine's got the effect of Dollar Day without offering any dollar specials . . . showing that business the reward of prestige also . Dempsey-Tunney fight returns to be given out at Roseland Thursday

you can dance between blows Hilty says Miami Life is not a newspaper . . . other people think differently . . . Pirates' Den opens again in the Spanish Village Walter Reid says he's going to sell some hotels on the beach this winter . . . his office is now open, waiting for business . . . Don's Drug Sundries, on N. E. Second avenue, has a soda girl who's both a blonde and a brunette . . . Casares wins Miami ball team popularity contest . . . and Banks' Benrus watch . Frank Ray has some brand new fall suits that just came in . . . Carl Fisher will be back November first

THE PIRATE'S DEN is open again at the Spanish Village. Which leads one to inquire: "How about the pie rate at at the Pirate's Den?" And the answer comes back ten cents a cut. Now, do they cut a cut with a cutlass? No, we get again, but they cut less at other places. No wonder

TOOK THE \$50,000."

the pirates were feared.

famous last words -- "SO I

EDNA PARK pulled off the best piece of acting this week in ception and banquet at the Alcazar this accomplished little girl do in o'clock. All reservations must be leyo," said Edna, and everybody in have packed houses the rest of the

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season. Jack Edwards, Theo CAP'S COLUMN

two boxing bouts scheduled this Hudgins, and Walter Kniffen are week...Sock'em, boys...Southern Dairies sales sheets show ruther size of the audiences at the

The management of the Capital Theatre deserves a lot of eredit for bringing Olive Borden, in "The Joy Girl," here this past week. All outside scenes were shot at Palm Beach and Miami, many of them in coloration to those persons who made remarked that good pictures sould not be taken in Florida, because of light difficulties. We stole a look-in at the booking sheet of pictures coming to the Capital during the next few weeks, and they will bear waiting for. Marion Nixon's voice is a nightly attraction. This talented young singer gets a good hand every time she comes out.

On Thursday night the ficers held one of those eveninge-you know. It was a case of ROYL, but nobody wanted to break the noble eighteenth. They were AWOL—that is All Wet and Out o' Luck. When the gallant boys get together for an evening's entertainment and iced tea is the only liquid refreshment. there is likely to be another war started.

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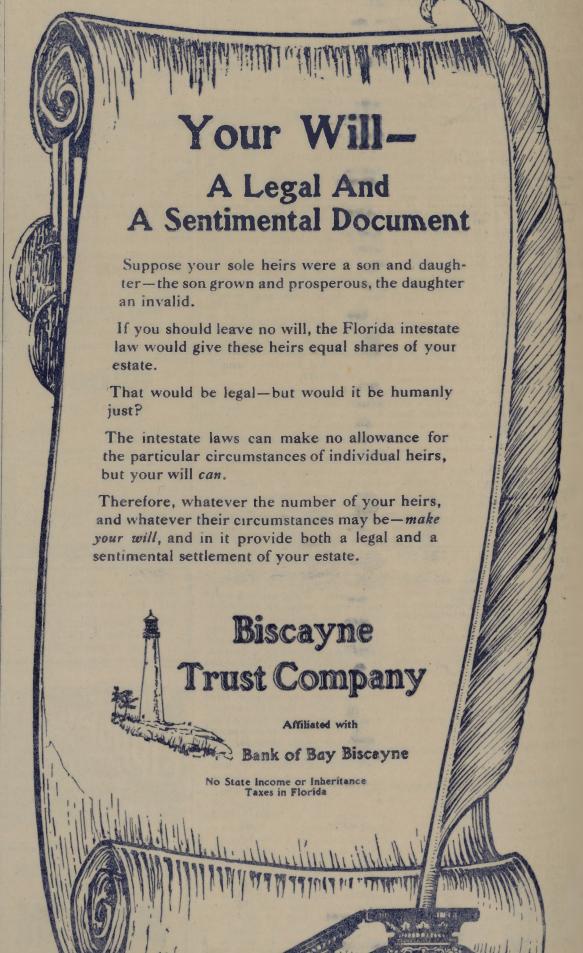
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