Gambling War Breaks Out At Miami Beach!

ORGANIZED Crime, long dreaded in Miami Beach, has raised its ugly head, as it awaits the adjournment of the Dade County Grand Jury-and a bitter fight, reminiscent of those which swept northern cities in recent years, it ing held in abeyance only until the inquisitorial body has disbanded.

Here's the menacing situation at the Beach today:

The Cambling Fraternity at the Beach this season planned to hog the "play" and keep outsiders out. This group, styled the "Loyalists", ironically enough, comprised ten leading gambling interests. Since the Dade County Grand Jury met, the Loyalists closed their two major joints-one at the Roman Pools Casino, across from the Roney Plaza, and the other over Bernstein's Restaurant, South

While the Jurors were in session, gambling has been open surreptitiously in the Riptide, 223 Twenty-third Street, and at Morey's Bar, 634 Collins Avenue.

AND NOW GET THIS:

A gang of gamblers who were left OUTSIDE the Loyalists mob grew hot under the collars at their ostracization and decided to organize their OWN CROWD. "If YOU operate, we're going to operate!" is their slogan. And thus was born HERE in MIAMI BEACH that favorite gangster pastime of "MUSCLING IN."

The Loyalists are understood to have the backing of the administration, while the Rebels have that of the COUNTY. And that situa-

tion with its rich stake means-WAR!

MIAMI BEACH is no place to stage a gang war! If this crowd of Loyalist Gamblers are permitted to hog the playing—at the expense of the expensive NIGHT CLUBS, it will mean that the night clubs won't be able to afford bringing high class talent here this season.

If the City Officials of the Beach realize the true situation, the LOYALISTS WON'T ESTABLISH A DREADED VICE RING HERE. Since the Jury has been in session, the LOYALISTS have called off their rich crap games and Black Jack pastimes. ANYONE WHO HAS EVER SAT BEFORE THE GREEN BEIGE KNOWS THAT THESE GAMES ARE VERY EASILY OPERATED IN A CROOKED MAN-

The Grand Jury adjourns November 8th at the latest. MIAMI LIFE will provide COMPLETE DETAILS as to whether these games will be on the up-and-up!

KEEP ORGANIZED GAMBLING OUT OF MIAMI BEACH!



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"YOUR SKYLINE REMINDS ME OF NEW YORK"

Miami, Florida, Saturday, November 6, 1937

R. J. CLEIN, Publisher

PAPERS USE BABY'S BODY AS POLITICAL FOOTBA

'Pansy' Taximen May Solve Big Steering Case

F THEY HAD SUCCEEDED, the neatest trick of the week would have been performed by the chamber of commerce paid-help who attempted to Change the Leopard's Spots with the power of suggestion.

A hue and cry was raised because certain unscrupulous taxi drivers are accused of "steering" tourists from a hotel that doesn't cross the taxi-man's palm with silver to a hotel that does.

- at least until the Sun of Heaven started to make Asia safe for the Japs. Beachcombers for years have thrived by tels where the Amahs or herd-riders kicked in with a cut of cal opponents' police department.

The wonder of it is that these public-spirited Miami Pooh-Bahs haven't tumbled to the little racket long ere this. As a class, the taxibe dealt a hand when the greenbacks are being passed around.

If there's any beefing to be done, it should be directed at the hotel are innocent. operators who proffer the glittering-bait to the taxi-jockeys. Man for man, South with the pennies off a cadaver's eyes, if they still used pennies to ployment when he ran afoul of the law! She should have called a DOCTOR! close dead men's optics.

The only solution we can think of is to replace these naughty taxi drivers en masse with a flock of movie theater ushers, or some other ployment. ISN'T THAT A HELLUVA WAY TO CARE FOR AN ILL CHILD? nice boys.

Unscrupulous Press Seize Upon Tragedy To Rouse Emotions

IKE GHOULS disinterring a corpse, the three Miami "Yellow Journals" this week stooped to the unspeakable, foul journalistic crime of digging from its little grave the body of a 3-year-old infant in order to vent their political spleen against the municipal administration—and to boost their street sales!

Never before, perhaps, in the hectic history of American journ- tell of a New Englander. alism has there been perpetrated such an atrocious, repulsive demonstration by representative newspapers of out-and-out rascality "for This process is merely an American version of the political expediency" such as has been committed by The Herald and Come-sah method used universally throughout the Orient The News, both of which publications did not hesitate to resurrect, spiritually, the Harrell baby's little corpse in order to transmute an here all night," the stranger bawled. steering tourists to bars, night clubs, nautch-houses and ho- ordinary, unfortunate bereavement into an attack upon their politi-

t few extra sales. It got them—at the expense of a dead infant!

pushers would never be confused with a bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley. Drutality of any kind—regardless of WHICH ADMINISTRATION HAPPENS TO BE IN F.E.C. rails are heed up and thrown into the junk-pile, or they'll wind Or pansies. They're a hardy lot who generally know all the answers, as OFFICE! But, any sane person, harboring no bias or prejudice, who is in full possession up even deader than they are! well as a few that aren't in the book. They HAVE to be alert in order to of ALL the facts in the Harrell case, knows full well that Mayor Bob Williams didn't kill unfortunate little Charles Harrell, Chief Quigg didn't-and the rest of the police force

If any blame is to be attached to a single individual, it belongs to the baby's MOTHER, who, we take it, we'd go so far as to say that for every public-chauffeur you'll find that realized that her husband, Vance W. Harrell, was NOT the person to call when the child showed signs of won't give a sucker a break, you'll find TWO hotel-bonifaces who'd Go serious illness, whether he was in jail, the hospital or at Miami Beach, where he was en route seeking em-

> Without prejudging ANYBODY, consider these FACTS: Vance Harrell, the father, admits he was on his way to Miami Beach for the purpose of obtaining em-

He called on Dr. C. W. Folsom, an eye doctor, NOT ABOUT CHARLES HARRELL, (Cont. on page 4) suckers.

RAILROAD BLUES BY 'TRIB' FAILS TO DETER F. E. C.

WHILE THE Florida East Coast Railroad is serenely going its way, laying new tracks in the downtown section, and paying no mind whatsoever to the futile fulminating of the Miami Tribune, who is trying to emulate that Biblical rowdy who slew a flock of Philistines with the Jawbone of an ass, or perhaps it was the pelvis, a person is minded of the yarn they

Seems this Yankee was roused from a deep slumber along about midnight, with a blizzard raging outside. He stuck his head from an upper window and asked what was

A stranger stood on his front porch. "I want to stay

"All right-stay there!" replied the Yankee and shut the

In much the same manner, the translucent Trib, who knows blamed Such tactics could be expected from the Tribune, which would stoop to anything for well a stick of type and a cartoon or two isn't going to compel the F.E.C. to toss away millions of dollars in investments, has been left shivering MIAMI LIFE has been, and will continue to be, the FIRST to fight against police on the front stoop. And they'd better not hold their breath until the

As sure as shootin', the F.E.C. will abandon its right-of-way when INDUCEMENTS are offered them and not a second before! The State Railroad body can do only so much toward removing the noisy, irksome right-of-way from Miami's main stem. Arbitrary seizure of privately owned property or utilities has gone with Scarlett O'Hara. Negotiations are the ONLY means of arriving at an equitable and legal decision, and public condemnation of property usually entails much intricate and techni-

Such continual harping on the Tribune editorial page tempts a sucker to sue 'em for obtaining money under false pretenses. We aren't ALL

Chain Stores Add School Graduates to Ranks of Unemployed

EXPANSION of national chain stores throughout the country has contributed largely to the tenacious Unemployment Situation, which has failed to be dispelled in like proportion to the upturn of Business.

Every time the heartless, cut-throat and monopolistic methods of foreign-owned chains force a local merchant to the wall, a potential source of employment for the graduating classes of schools in that locality is wiped out-with no supplementary enterprise to take up the slack.

It has been stated before and will be stated again, so long as the intolerable condition is permitted to endure in any community, that every time a "working' stiff" enters a Chain and makes a purchase, in order to save a few coppers WHICH OTHERWISE WOULD GO TO A LOCAL MERCHANT, that workman is actually REMOVING THAT EXTRA MONEY FROM LOCAL CIRCULATION.

Because the city is sufficiently small as to permit analysis, take the case of Douglas, Arizona, on the Mexican border directly south of Tucson. Douglas has one major industry-the Phelps-Dodge Smeltering Plant owned by Canadian and British interests.

Prior to the advent of Chain Stores there, merchants enjoyed brisk business, property values were reasonably high and the little metropolis, unfavorably located in a hot, flat and drab setting, actually buzzed with activity-on pay days and Saturday nights. There was a typical chamber of commerce, and the boys pulled paper caps over an ear regularly and whooped it up for dear old Douglas-even as in Mi-

Then the Phelps-Dodge Company, apparently believing they might as well get their money "coming and going," established a "company store." The prices quoted created dismay among the independent merchants who, in many cases and because their purchases were necessarily meagre, COULDN'T EVEN STOCK THEIR SHELVES AT PRICES WHICH THE COMPANY STORE PROFERRED GOODS TO CASH CUSTOMERS! It wasn't long before other Chain Stores, yielding to an overpowering yen to get in on the kill themselves, invaded Douglas, opening stores adjacent to the independent merchant whose business they were out to annex.

What happened? Did the workmen who were lured into these chain stores actually SHOW A PROFIT FOR DISCRIMINATING AGAINST THE INDEPEN-DENTS? You know-or SHOULD know-dog-goned well they didn't. Independents folded up all over the community. Men and women who had devoted their lives toward building business enterprises which would carry them over that period of life wherein each tick of the Clock carries them closer to that Long Awful Silence. found their savings wiped away and, unless they had provident relatives EMPLOY-ED by Phelps-Dodge, or elsewhere, faced with actual destitution.

In turn, those erstwhile independent merchants were unable to use the services of DOCTORS, LAWYERS, PLUMBERS-and on down the line. As for the Chains and the Company Store, THEY EMPLOYED DOCTORS, COUNSEL and other such services IN WHOLESALE LOTS, from outside the city. The neighborhood lawyer didn't get their business. Oh no! They had their OWN BATTERY OF LEGAL LIGHTS WHO HAD HEADQUARTERS IN LOS ANGELES OR PHOENIX or at their key city 'quarters. (Continued on page 4)

News Turn-coat On Buses,' — Mayor Williams

MAYOR Jimmy Walker's song, which he wrote long before he entered New York politics, entitled "Will You Love Me In December As you Do In May?" will be taken as the theme song of the Miami News.

hen because Mayor Bob Williams has come out flat-footedly in favor of granting the proposed bus franchise to George Dunn's Miami Transit Company.

The News, you may know, has recently grown as mad as a wet

And yet, not so long ago, the News itself was ALL IN FAVOR of granting a previously-proffered franchise to Dunn — and no less an

official of the News than Dan Mahoney, who rides in the driver's seat at that sheet, is authority for that stand.

Here's what Mayor Williams has to say about it:

"Some time ago, when the 'old commission' was still in office, an open meeting was held during which time Attorney Robinson, representing the M. T. Gordon interests, submitted a proposal for a franchise. At that time, I came out definitely in favor of turning down the Gordon offer in favor of one made by George Dunn.

"A little while later, Mayor Fossey came to me and said that Ben

Jacobs, star reporter for The News, had been sent to him (Fossey) with word that Dan Mahoney thoroughly approved of my opinion in the matter, and that Mahoney, through his man Jacobs, gave his approval. 'So I am going along with you and so will Orville Rigby.'

"Now, the franchise offered by George Dunn AT THAT TIME was by no stretch of the imagination as advantageous from the city's standpoint as that one offered the voters today. But, I cannot account for the change in opinion of The News and Mahoney."

What do YOU think?

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"Cabbages and Kings"

C 1999 SERVICE SERVICE

A S A COMPANION organization of the Red Cross, the British Blue Cross took care of wounded animals on the battlefields during the World War . . . The organization sent medical and surgical supplies to Italy, Mesopotamia, Salonika and Egypt and established several hospitals in France, completely furnished with modern equipment and the best veterinary surgeons . . . China has been the object of six conquests in the past 2,000 years: by the Tartars, Turks, Kitans, Juchens, Mongoles and Manchus. But China is still China, because it has always converted and absorbed its invad-

TREAT Britain has the greatest intelligence service on earth. Radio stations in various European countries, including Germany and Italy, devote much time to dissemitating of propaganda, which villifies the policies and personalities of other countries . . . Under government direction, the British Broadcasting Company picks up and records such propaganda, sending the records to the foreign office for translation . . . Despite the fact that state police departments have proved invaluable in apprehending criminals, 34 states - including Florida, are still without their protection.

HUGH salaries for entertainers did not originate in Hollywood. In 1850, Jenny Lind, famed Swedish. songster, toured America under the banner of the late, great Phineas T. Barnum and was paid \$150,000 for 150 concerts, which was about \$18,000 a week . . . The use of gasoline engines on miniature airplanes and motors has been prohibited by the state of Connecticut as a menace to pedestrians, motorists and houses . . . The only animal whose fur lies in the reverse direction to that of other animals is the sloth.

CHASE and Sanborn should swipe this: Owners of coffee groves in various parts of the world report that squirrels and elephants become more spirited after feeding on the leaves of a coffee tree and that birds burst into song, and monkeys become more gay after eating the berries . . . From early childhood, Chinese are taught so thoroughly to mind their own business that they rarely lend aid when a person is drowning, a house is burning or a store is being robbed. In fact, purse-snatching in broad daylight is a common occurrence on the streets of Chinese cities, because thieves are fairly certain that no one will interfere.

PORTY percent of the persons sent to insane asylums and hospitals for the mentally deficient eventually are released as cured, which gives a good many folks documents to prove they're not crazy - while you can't produce such documents . . . Most somnambulists (sleep-walkers to you, you dope) naturally avoid tables, chairs and other objects while meandering in a daze. Some even learn to avoid obstacles purposely put in their path. In one case, a tub of cold water was placed beside the bed of a sleep-walker, so he would step into it and awaken himself. During the first few nights, the idea worked successfully, but afterward, he always got out on the other side of the bed . . . The only geographical point in Japan with a foreign name is Mississippi Bay, off the coast of Yokohama, which is named after the Mississippi River.

CLEAVING a great diamond is a delicate operation because it must be done with the grain of the stone, which is sometimes difficult to determine, even after a year's study. When Asscher cleaved the Cullinan diamond in 1908, he had a physician and two nurses with him, fearing a heart attack if he made a mistake. Although successful, he spent the following three months in a hospital, suffering from a nervous reaction . . . An earthquake of sufficient strength to be registered throughout half the earth's surface occurs on the average of every 44 hours . . . Massachusetts is the only state in the Union that has a law which specifically protects the national flags of other countries from desecration.

N Persia, the mourning of the death of a great man is enhanced by having his horses, as well as his family and friends, shed tears during the funeral procession. This is accomplished by placing mustard seed in the nostrils of the animals . . . In Tibet many altars are decorated with castoff objects, such as old Christmas tree tinsel, camera-film rolls, broken rat-traps, burnedout electric light globes and empty beer bottles. There's a good place to send your old razor blades . . . As about 4,000 tones of water are required to grow one ton of sugar, some of the cane fields in the less rainy sections of the Hawaiian Islands are obliged to maintain costly irrigation systems. One of these sugar plantations uses, throughout the summer, about half as much water as is consumed, during the same period, in the city of Philadelphia.

ON ACCOUNT of the depression, a lot of expectant mothers are moving to the country — where they can get rural free delivery.

OUR idea of a real optimist would be a gentleman of 87 inviting Sally Rand's chorus to his apartment for a gay evening.

THE only trouble with war is that the guys who need A killing seldom get it.

DVANCE advertisement of a new super-movie says: A "Cast of 5,000 persons - 4,000 costumes." We're gonna see that one!

WE'VE at last discovered what the war in China is about. The boys are just fighting for the news-

THINGS I'D LIKE TO KNOW

What has become of Gordon (Rat) Lee

If Frank Bailey is still in Florida.

If Dayhoff wlil ever marry again and whether he still has all those nifty clothes the last one bought him

Whether Frank is going to let that other fellow win a "yes" from Betty

Whether there is a more jovial man in Dade county than Walter Carey, the Hialeah generalissimo

? ? ? If Kathleen is still worried about whether that certain Junior still likes her

What Herman and "Red" discussed so long the other night ? ? ?

Why that woman stands every night on 13th Street across from the Sears store

? ? ? What print shop has just completed the printing of about a million policy tickets and how much that printer will put in the church collection basket Sunday ? ? ?

Why Peggy refuses to let Lawrence carry her books home from school any

If Bill Dwyer will confirm the sale of Tropical Park to Eddie O'Hara, as persistently rumored here for three weeks

If Charles, the printer, knows there is still a charge against him in Coconut Grove justice Court

If "Lil" ever hears from the guy who scrammed with her ring and if she isn't sour because no other man has come along to give her some desired "attention" ? ? ?

When Danny is going to send his wife dough to come home on

Who will present peace plans for the impending gambling war at Miami Beach ? ? ?

If Betty Lou knows she made a grave mistake when she confided a certain "secret" to Patricia ... because it is no longer a secret

Why Buddy doesn't act more grown-uppish and go to a dance if he feels like it

Whether young Al Hickland will give the rich widows a rush this winter

Has Capt. S. S. S. McNeil discovered that there is plenty of grief in a law suit

If Ethel had not better watch her step if she cares anything about her reputa-

Why the Tribune suddenly ceased its jibes at A. P. Walters

Why that woman on the second floor of the Albatross apartments insists on undressing with the shades

How Tom likes his new teeth and when he will eat his next steak

How John S, the attorney, felt when he discovered the other day that the man he insulted as a



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book agent was a wealthy Beach client who paid a \$5,000 fee to a lawyer who had sense enough to be polite

Why the Miami Beach swains let Alice remain single

If Elmer has a steady girl these days and what that brunette near Fifteenth street would say if she had seen him with the blond

Whether a dozen or more of the unattended gals are glad Joe has arrived for the

If there is any truth to the rumor that Dade churches will combine efforts for a prohibition election next June and if the liquor dealers hadn't better watch their step

When Marty is going to have his teeth fixed

What Bertoli will connect with this winter ???

What Baque will think when he discovers that Horning has over-ruled him

Why Clarence didn't answer the letter Russell sent him and if he didn't miss a bet in not calling that guy

? ? ? If Cleve Baker named his saloon the "Rat Hole" because Gordon Lee used to drink beer there

Where Frank Katzentine got all that beautiful furniture in his office

When Harry and Gladys will altar-ate their present status

If Bernice will make good her threat to slap Sylvia's face for "poaching"

Why Henry and his wife insist they're on the wagon when they're on the wagon when they were obnoxiously sloppo in Casey's Oasis the other p. m.

Why Billie tries to make a meal ticket of so many guys and always stays away when the guys want her company ? ? ?

If Kistler expects to keep on collecting rent if he doesn't make repairs on a certain beach building.

If Harry B. was serious when he made the pledge to that girl

What A. D. H. Fossey is doing these days . . . and where L. L. Lee is

If Jimmie will be in Mi ami this winter

If Ann expected a lot of applause for the noise she made in Tom Heeney's joint the other

? ? ?

Is "Red" Leonard, the soda man, carrying the torch for a brunette, much to the discouragement of an Orlando dame



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Why ome movie scout doesn't take "Mother" Kelly to Hollywood 2 2 2

Why Sanders is so pompous and if he thinks the office-boy Federal job he held entitles him to act as if he were FDR's right hand

bower If "Lil" expects to keep guests in her hotel when she insists on insulting them and if she realizes that the people she glares at and makes back-biting remarks about are supplying her ham and

? ? ? Is an Olympia building doctor really giving one of his lady patients proper attention

Has Betty's beauty parlor an attraction for Jack -if she only knew

? ? ? What well-known Miami lawyer is trembling in his boots for fear the Bar Association will discover the fraud he recently perpetrated on an unsuspecting cli-

Is Billy going to lose a couple of good staunch friends if she doesn't quit trifling

Does Bill admit to his closest friends that Ruth is really a swell cook and that McGilvry agrees with him

What has become of Percy

Could Gladys get a better man if she'd frequent the South section and parade her wares

Has Babcock thrown up the sponge and is he ready to quit Miami

If Margaret and Wilbert, when they look at certain stock certificates, ever are bothered by their consciences and if they imagine going to church will right the wrong they did their benefactor ? ? ?

Is a certain hotel proprietor trying to convince Chief Quigg that he is operating a "hotel"

Are a lot of femme hearts fluttering - now that Joe Copps is back for the season

Will Dan Chappell run for governor again and is he already campaigning

Will "Doc" Hanley hear plenty of repercussions about that North Beach lot he slyly sold

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A STUTE newspaper men very often outclever the cleverest judicial minds. Smart reporters aim at ascertainment of a definite bit of information and often use subterfuge tactics to get it. One of the epic stories in that respect is how Bill Hutchinson, Mr. Hearst's prize Washington correspondent, outwitted a Tennessee Judge and carved a place for himself as an immortal news sleuth.

When William Jennings Bryan and Clarence Darrow were pitted against each other in the trial at Dayton, Tenn., of a school teacher charged with teaching Darwinism, newspapers and all leading press associations sent their best men to cover the event. On the outcome seemed to depend whether man descended from monkey.

BRYAN moved that the case be dismissed and the judge took his motion under advisement, recessing court for two days, so the hotels and grog shops of his town could get that much more revenue. Reporters wondered whether the judge would sustain the motion, but the jurist refused to give an inkling as to what he would do. That is, until "Hutch" started wheedling him.

"Hutch" started walking with the judge down one of Dayton's residential streets. He talked disarmingly of the beauties of the state, of the stature of its great men, of its contributions to American sturdiness. And the, he asked, very casually:

"Judge, I suppose you'll go on with the trial after you've made your ruling on the Bryan motion?" "Yes; oh yes, of course," replied the jurist.

HUTCHINSON next morning put a story on the International News Service wires stating definitely and unequivocally that the Bryan motion for dismissal of the case would be denied. He was the only man who had the story and for his scoop, he was awarded a bonus of \$1,000, despite the fact that the unwitting judge was furious at the clever ruse he had used in wheedling the story from him.

CURIOUS thing is this life of ours. Curious is the depisode of one of Sally Rand's show girls. The Rand troupe was playing in Amarillo, Texas. A Fort Worth girl member of the chorus received a wire that her sister had died. Miss Rand bought her an airplane ticket and insisted that she fly home immediately. The show girl boarded the plane, saying to Miss Rand: "I wish I was dead; I feel that bad." The airplane made a three-point landing at Fort Worth's Meacham Field. The passengers alighted - all except the show girl from Sally Rand's troupe. They carried her out of the plane. She was dead from heart-failure.

THE redoubtable Vincent Giblin, lawyer partner of I the equally redoubtable Fred Pine, one time was a Circuit Court Judge in Broward County. Appearing before him in an important civil suit one day was a Beau Brummel attorney named Campbell. The case was highly important to Campbell and he was giving his client everything he had. At a point in mid-session, Campbell made a motion to the court that was calculated to give him more time. Judge Giblin ruled against him. Campbell was plainly piqued. Without saying a word, he picked up his legal papers, put them in his portfolio, took his client by the arm and started to walk from the court room.

R. CAMPBELL," shouted Giblin, "are you en-IVI deavoring to show your contempt for this court?" "No, your honor," replied Campbell. "I am doing my very best to restrain it." Giblin thought the comeback was so funny that he recessed court and went to his chambers to laugh it off.

THE way to a man's heart is through his stomach but it isn't always reached by a detour.



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over how the cigarettes got into their room at the Alca-

A. B. Willis occasionally eats spaghetti at Valentines and is never alone when he does 1 1 1

probably will follow, as it should 1 1 1

Judge Ben Willard will be in Dade County next June

A. Frank Katzentine has the gubernatorial bee and is being en-Daily News

"Lil" wants a man and would be

Allie and Jack are confused in exchange for his "affections."

Dinty Dennis, former sports editor of the Herald, back-foraging for a spot in the battle with men for bread 1 1 1

Auby Keoskie, who returned to Miami Beach this week, looks better A Miami Beach lawyer is terrifi- for the wear of a season at Saratocally humiliated by the arrest of a ga and his popularity here is attestcertain bartender and a divorce ed by the line of cars that have streamed into his back yard

the only unopposed candidate of grapes as a fee the other day and passed them out to his friends

Herb Frink is building his fences barber shop since a new mancouraged by Dan Mahoney of the for another try at the Beach coun- icurist has been hired cil in June, 1938

willing to deed him some property Stevens the other day when he went ing the hole in her slacks

home with some groceries - and didn't bring any gin

1 1 1 Lamar Paxson will learn here that he will have plenty of opposition in his next cam-

Lottie is using plenty of wiles in an effort to hold a certain man's

. Harry is all groomed for a "swack" party tonight and he and Gladys Fritz Gordon got a bunch probably will end up in a good, old fashioned row

> 1 1 1 Bill Broome is spending plenty of time in Lee Lynn's

Kitty (of Vick's Bar) is Dick Reed was castigated by Ted having plenty trouble explain-

So YOU Say-

some Cuban oil well proposi-

J. J. FEELEY.

MRS. L. B. Hardison be-

VI fore her marriage Tuesday night was Miss Elizabeth Denman, daughter of Mrs. Ida C. Coleman of Little Rock, Ark. Mr. and Mrs. Hardison will reside at 1277 N. W. 44th Street. Betty Hardison was bridesmaid at the wedding and James Voorhies was best man.

A colored man doing a hauling ob was told that he couldnt get his money until he submitted a statement. After much meditation he evolved the following bill: Three comes and three goes, at four bits a went, \$3."

If your promised expose of pened to their money.

"HOBO HOLIDAY!"

CHERIFF Frank Stoutamier of Tallahassee, Leon County, wants to see how newspaper guys act in their cups. He is an amenable sort of a person, perhaps liberal to a fault, if he only knew. To members of the Florida State Press Association, he has sent the following letter:

"A gang of guys that can get together without speech is worthy of the best attention a mere sheriff can give you, and upon Gilbert's assurance that you really have put the can on the hot air, I'm joining hizzoner the Mayor in demanding your presence at the Press Convention, November

"The Tallahassee outfit seems to want you boys badly and just to make it attractive, I'm promising to have ready for you upon arrival -- in collaboration with the mayor - one ducat, otherwise known as an 'Annie Oakley,' to be exact:

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Warden (to doomed prisoner): Mabel: "Did you ask father for War

Think You're Smart-? OF COURSE, you do! Well, let's see how good your memory is. Below are 20 questions, answers of which should

be pretty well known to you. Allow yourself five points for each one answered correctly. Eighty is a good grade. Ninety is splendid. You will find the answers on page four of this Editor Miami Life: issue. Don't cheat!

- 1—How did Pete Robineau get his start in life?
- 2-For what motion picture company does Deanna Dur-
- 3—Who was the first person ever to drive a car 60 miles an hour?
- 4—Wesley Winans Stout is editor of what magazine?
- 5—Who manufactures Plymouth automobiles?
- 6—J. Thomas Heflin is a National League umpire, a Penn-like to know what has hapsylvania labor leader, a former Alabama Senator or president of the Chase National Bank in New York?
- 7—What is Ameirca's greatest cotton port?
- 8-Where is Port Eads, one of the world's greatest oil
- 9—William Allen White is Governor of California, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, a Kansas editor, world champion auto driver or a famous New York criminal lawyer?
- 10—Who was the first editor of the Miami Tribune and what became of him?
- 11-The creator of "Mr. Greeby" was Fred Girton, Wen Phillips, Seth Clarkson, Tom Thursday, Jules Levitt or Jim
- 12-Miami's most dynamic criminal lawyer is Jack Petrie, Henry Baldwin, O. B. White, Charles Cusick, Dan Donnellon, Fred Pine, Glenn C. James, William Hardie or Bill King?
- 13-How many years ago was the first American railroad established?
- 14-World fairs will be held in 1939 in what two cities?
- 15—Who is Dade County's Senator? 16—What ex-champ failed to regain the heavyweight title
- from Jack Johnson? 17-Which American newspaper has the largest daily cir-
- culation' 18-What Miami Beach winter resident builds the fastest
- speed boats in the world? 19—Who is city manager of Hialeah?
- 20—What are the names of the sports editor of the three Miami daily newspapers?

"Frequent water drinking," said

"Yes, but some of the joints don't

"You hammer nails like lightn-

"No, you never strike twice in the

Mother: "Johnny, I have some

Johnny (showing no enthusiasm):

Yes, I know. Brother's home on

Mother: "How did you know?" Johnny: "My bank won't rattle

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tions now being exploited in this city cover the operations of the Alexander Oil Company, Ingraham Building, Miami, hop to it. Your article will be awaited with great interest by a lot of people who would Yours truly,

On The Cuff

The telling us she was awaiting you?" Uncle Peleg spat a few a bus a week ago Saturday when a rayrous voiced newshay bellow. a raucous-voiced newsboy bellowed "Nigger owns Walgreens! Nigger owns Walgreens!" An old man who was standing alongside the young lady, didn't even deign to give the sheet-hustler an inhis chin, stared off into space reflectively and remarked: "Well, I'd say that nigger was lucky!"

He was an old fellow who was given to driving an ancient auto over the back roads with reckless

VERY pretty young girl was | you were going a mite fast, wan't was one to hold with dilly-daily-

TEXT to mothers of young

babies, newspapermen are quiring look. He merely stroked the most jealous gentry extant. Recently a local news hack remarked that he couldn't read one of H. Bond Bliss' columns through without getting het up. COMEHOW or other that puts He declared the Bliss method of J us in mind of the hoary clas- half-finishing an IDEA and calling it a complete sentence actusic they tell about Uncle Peleg of a little town in Massachusetts. ours has criticized the writer for intolerance of others, declaring profoundly that "He thinks nofury. One day he was driving body can write but he." This pardown a very steep hill when his ticular critic, while, admittedly brakes gave away. Uncle Peleg, having some semblance of justidisdaining jumping, came down fied grievance, no doubt, unforthe hill in a mighty cloud of tunately rested on his oars while dust. In trying to avoid plunging standing becalmed instead of into a river, Uncle swung hard. having done so while going full The car slid, tires screeched and speed ahead. His palpable lack of exploded. Two of them were rip- enthusiasm resulted and now he ped from their rims and went labors under the illusion that, berolling down the highway while cause a piece of copy bears his Uncle Peleg and his sorry vehicle particular brand, it should be accaromed to a stop in a ditch. A cepted as the apogee of literary neighbor who came running up, endeavor. Now, DIDN'T I say said, reprovingly: "Uncle Peleg, ALL newspapermen were jealous?

LTHOUGH we never see a girl in the prize - fight A ring, a lot of them do a lot of road work.

MIAMI Beach fat woman is riding something. The A boys haven't been able to discover whether it is a horse or a bicycle.

MEN'S pants are being finished without cuffs this season. But we're years ahead of the fashion. Ours are finished without a seat.

T MUST be disconcerting, to say the least, when a radio speaker turns the next page - and finds it gone.

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"MISTAH Bones — who wuz dat lady Ah seen you wid last night?"

"Dat wasn't no lady — dat was yo' wife!" Interlocutor: "Judge Stegemann will now render that little ditty entitled: 'She sleeps On The Back Porch-By Request!"

In other words, the Miami Beach Lodge of Elks, Number 601, on Saturday night at 8:30 were scheduled to present a real old time minstrel show, such as Uncle Ed and Aunt Sarah used to have conniption fits over and talk about for months afterward.

The Show will be given in the Miami Beach High School, 14th Street and Washington Avenue, the Beach.

which lists in addition to Municipal of similar prominence.

As sure as shooting there'll be | Dade County; Dan Roth, deputy lisome happy performing as you'll ad- cense inspector; Jeff Dempsey, mermit when you lamp the program chant, and a whole gang of others

Judge Stegemann such sterling pas- General admission was set at One timers as Val C. Cleary, interlocutor Buck, 50 cents for children, with reand former Beach mayor; Audley served seats setting you back \$1.50 a S. Frink, deputy tax collector of throw. Proceeds are to go to charity.

"He's Taming The Bare"



WHILE the band outside played "Moon Over Miami," beautiful MARUJA YACOPI, famous acrobat, has her fulsome lips calsomined by little PAUL HOROMPO. They're both headliners with Ringling's

GREEBY CALLED

HAMMERHEAD GREE-BY who knows more about chickens than he likes



R. C. Gardner espied some lywood's Movie Colony-about how gg-yolk on my vest the oth- BIG the weekly payroll would be. er day," Greeby explained in Well, the Recovery Act, which an exclusive interview with would have controlled Chains in all papers. "Then again, I Florida-died a-borning in Tallaguess my old reputation as a hassee. Some there are who hold fight promoter had something that the still-birth came about by to do with it. You see, when way of an abortion, but we'll pass I was a kid in reform school, that up. At any rate, Miami has wit-I used to EGG the other kids nessed the materialization of the

Greeby denied, however, there was any connection fit getting their foot in the door with the Chicken Farm probe FIRST. and the fact that he once was kicked out of the Friar's Club in New York, or that he was | penurious public through its portals pulled up by the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for trying to breed ca- dent merchants can purchase them. pons in Jersey.

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to remember, and has at MIAMI LIFE sounded a warning as times been accused of being to what would happen when legisprominently identified with lative safeguards made it feasible cock - fighting for NATIONAL CHAINS to enter h e r e a bouts, the Miami field, behind the nebulous late yesterday cloak of civic enterprise. We forewas called by cast they'd bray loudly about "emthe Grand ploying Miami help" and dessymen-Jury, which ate artful publicity-aided and abetonly then had ted by the willing newspapers whose got down as fearless journalism embraces a boxfar as the G's. office influence not a whit less pro-"I knew I'd catch it when nounced than that prevalent in Hol-

vanguard of the BIG CHAINS, with Walgreen's Chicago strangling out-

Walgreen's starts off in the usual Chain Store style by inveigling the with advertised products priced BE-LOW the figure at which indepen-Bear in mind that the DRUG companies here are not the only ones from whom VITAL REVENUE is being snatched. Radio stores, sporting good establishments, restaurants, soda fountains, cafes, even CLOTH-IN STORES, are being deprived of income which, eventually, will mean right down your alley. the difference between keeping their doors open, and going bankrupt.

(Next Week: So YOU Buy Ladies).

NEW SHOW AT PALM CLUB

Don't fail to see the new show at Royal Palm Club, directed and created by Miss Jane Keenoy. Its a wow. Incidentally all new costumes were designed by Miss Keenoy.

Lady (at party): "Where is that pretty maid who was passing out cocktails a while ago?" Hostess: "Oh, are you loking for

Lady: "No, I'm looking for my husband."

VOO HOO, Skin-nay! Yere come the ele-phants!" I The gals in the back country are fixing to put on their old gray bonnets with the blue ribbons on 'em, and the men folks are scraping jowls and donning celluloid collars, for-

> The Greatest Aggregation on Earth, the Barnum and Bailey and Ringling Brothers Combined Circus, fairly cluttered with new acts brought from the corners of the earth, will unfold its wonders for the home folks to behold Monday and Tuesday next, afternoon

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Don't think there won't be something new and novel, either, because at the circus you'll get your first slant at Rudy Rudynoff with his 60horse act, greatest spectacle of its kind ever attempted.

You folks who think you're right pert performing didoes with your feet be sure to keep your eyes glued on Antoinette, the only girl triplesomersaulter you've ever laid your eyes on. For those who like fireworks with their thrills, the two-man cannon flights of the Zacchinas will be

Don't get the idea we're simply plugging for the City on Wheels, for we know whereof we speak - we saw Ermines For The Northern this great show up yonder past the Mason and Dixon line. That's why we'll tip you to avoid the last-minute rush and get your advance-sale tickets at the Red Cross Drug Department store. Don't be shut-out! Joker: "Waiter, bring me a slab of political pie."

Waiter: "Yes sir. Do you prefer the applesauce or plum filling?"

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PARENTS REFUSE TO TRUST 'KIDS' IN DEATH-TRAP!

NORTH-WEST DISTRICT parents of boys and girls who attend Miami High School are up in arms over the inadequate, unsafe bus service provided them.

As the result of persistent inquiries received at the office of MIAMI LIFE that President Roosevelt's famous "horse-and-buggy" days are still with us so far as the bus service provided pupils who reside in the northern section, a check-up was made which revealed these pertinent if deplorable facts:

Instead of FOUR Buses formerly in use to cover this wide area, only one is now provided;

And the one bus is a 1930-model Chevrolet with normal capacity of 35 in which 60 children are sometimes jammed, wedged and packed in dry weather. (When their clothing is wet from inclement weather, it's a tough job to stuff that many in, so all may breathe). They do say that one driver, probably from Glasgow, where frugality is the national pastime, actually inserted 66 students in it-but, unfortunately, one student had a bad cold and that very night the other 65 came down with a similar ailment.

ANSWERS

(TO QUESTIONS ON PAGE 3)

4. Saturday Evening Post.

6. A former Alabama Sen-

9. A Kansas editor. (Em-

14. New York and San

Ernest R. Graham.

17. New York Daily News

20. Everett Clay, Herald;

Things I'd Like

To Know

CONTINUED

bitter enemies over a sawbuck

2 2 2

Has "Slim" Farmer "that old

feeling" and does he carry the

? ? ?

Mountain Dean) proposi-

tioned a daily newspaper

for a position as staff pho-

tographer, just as a publi-

Is a school teacher from Geor-

gia carrying the torch for a Her-

? ? ?

plenty rich from an oil

? ? ?

with the hope of snagging a win-

Is Dan getting a "winter front"

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ald editorial staff member

strike in Trinidad

city stunt.

ter widow

Has Soldier Leavitt (Man

groceries home every night

Have Rudy and George become

Jordon, Tribune.

Jack Bell, News; Duke

Paul G. Jeans. He was

killed in an auto acci-

5. Walter P. Chrysler.

1. As a baby.

3. Barney Oldfield.

7. Houston, Texas.

poria Gazette).

11. Seth Clarkson.

2. Universal.

ator.

dent.

12. Fred Pine.

13. Seventy-one.

Francisco.

1,700,000.

18. Gar Wood.

19. It has none.

James J. Jeffries.

8. Louisiana.

Off-spring of parents who are long on folding money, of course, are only slightly inconvenienced, for if they miss the ONE bus, they may still take to the street-cars and after making a couple of snappy transfers, still manage to arrive at the educational institution. But with youngsters to whom fares mean considerable, it's a different tale.

Students interviewed claimed they have been compelled to forego several days of schooling because, while hesitating to wash their ears, perhaps, they inadvertently missed the conveyance.

More enterprising youths-including girls-resort to the old thumb method of obtaining transportation, but in this day of wholesale perversion that method of getting to school isn't the healthiest.

Here is one untoward condition that should be corrected at once.

Will Internal Revenue men carefully scrutinize the income tax return of Jules, since he got about 26 G's from the govern-

Did Justice Ralph Pole enjoy the spiciness of his Friday mo ing hearing, and was the escapade of the bartender really an amazing sensation in a snooty community like Miami Beach

Have local newspaper men insisted that the Pardon Board grant a permanent furlough to J. H. Wendler, Beach publisher, and has Governor Cone said okay

Hadn't the two pansies who roam Ocean Drive of early mornings better watch out for rocks next week, as some of the better citizens have become "vigilantes."

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Wonderland Notes

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bridge over the river. Diligent reportorial work by our staff revealed the

TIWO MEN were sentenced by Judge Ben Willard to prison for break-

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has conditioned hundreds of men and women of Miami.

it be that they were the Walrus and Mad Hatter using aliases?

ing into the home of Alice Wonder, 630 N. W. 26th Terrace. Could

fact that the bridge-operator was suffering with lumbago.