

COUNCIL SESSION QUIET

Threatened Outbreak Between Members Fails to Materialize at Lauderdale.

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., July 30. The special meeting of the city council called by Mayor Reed to approve current salaries and expense accounts of the city was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock with President Tarbell and Councilman Hunter and Holloway present. No other business was taken up as the meeting was called for this specific purpose.

This was the first meeting between President Tarbell and the two councilmen since the former and Councilman Warren, who was not present, issued their soothing statement denouncing alleged steam-roller tactics of the other members.

It was expected that an effort would be made to have the assessor declared open for the transaction of other business, but as soon as the bills had been read and approved, and the meeting ended before any such motion could be made.

Councilman Hunter declared this afternoon that neither he nor Councilman Holloway were ready to issue a statement applying to the other members of the council and Councilman Warren. They intimated, however, that they might issue a statement later.

Councilman Hunter's declaration that night when advised of the charges that he intended to make against a certain one between himself and President Tarbell, caused an atmosphere of expediency to pervade the council chamber this afternoon when the president entered the room. Nothing out of the ordinary took place, however, the president taking his seat without an exchange of greetings with the two accused members.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

Three Seek to Be City Manager of Fort Lauderdale.

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., July 30.—Although no action toward the selection of city commissioners or city manager will be taken until the board of city commissioners, to be elected Saturday has taken office and perfected an organization, three applications have been received by City Clerk Jasper Lawson for the place.

The first application received was from Ed P. Hubbard of Washington, D. C. and a former resident of Fort Lauderdale. The second was from W. D. Okies of Indianapolis, Ind., and a son of Charles W. Okies of 814 South River drive, this city. The third application came from the Childs Partnership of Gainesville, Ga.

The first applicant is well known to the older residents of Fort Lauderdale as he resided here for a number of years before going North to live. Mr. Okies has visited here a number of times and has a large acquaintance. The only application from a city manager is from Mr. Pindexter, who is now city manager of the Georgia city in which he resides.

All of these applications as well as any others received will be retained by Clerk Lawson and referred to the new city commission as soon as it takes office.

WOMAN IS INITIATED

Mrs. Mary Higgs Joins Pythian Sisters at Titusville.

TITUSVILLE, Fla., July 30.—At the regular meeting of Titusville Temple Pythian Sisters held on Tuesday evening Mrs. Mary Higgs was initiated into the order. Spouse work of the district was done by Mrs. J. J. Thompson, Mrs. G. L. Martin, Mrs. Bert Thompson, Mrs. J. L. Mitchell and Mrs. M. Tomlinson, served an ice course with cake following the program.

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VERO BEACH, Fla., July 30.—The Rebekah lodge at a regular meeting Friday night installed officers for the ensuing term. In the absence of Mrs. Charles Gossard, district deputy president, Mrs. T. T. Rodstone acted as installing officer.

The new officers are: Mrs. L. M. Newman, Mrs. Oscar DuBose, Mrs. George Crouch, Mrs. L. N. Townsend, Mrs. B. T. Rodstone, Mrs. C. D. Toole, Mrs. William Gilman, Mrs. T. D. Jun, Mrs. George Duncan, Mrs. L. H. Bennett and Mrs. D. A. Koffler.

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FLORIDA LURES OHIO SALESMEN

Tedio Business Man Writes to Fort Lauderdale to Learn State's Possibilities.

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., July 30.—The same of the fortunes that have been made in Florida real estate is disrupting the sales force of a Toledo business establishment, whose president has written the Fort Lauderdale Chamber of Commerce to learn what opportunities exist. The men having considerable experience with similar sales force becoming disturbed by constant rumors of the possibilities which are to be had in Florida real estate, had written a letter to Russell S. Gamby, automobile dealer. "The men all seem eager to leave and locate in Florida, where everybody seems to tell them there are golden opportunities," he said.

Secretary E. V. Blits of the chamber of commerce locally advised his correspondent that the opportunities depend upon the man and his ability, that opportunities are good and that thousands of men are reaping rich reward in this field.

REVENGE THREATENED

Landy Grace MacKenzie Brings Suit Against Tampa Man.

TAMPA, Fla., July 30.—"They have started it; I'll finish it," was the declaration of Lady Grace Esme MacKenzie this morning shortly after she learned that a report had reached here that she had issued a worthless check in St. Louis in June. Mrs. MacKenzie, a partner in a storm company of legal proceedings here for the past week. First she was arrested on a warrant sworn out by G. E. Bray charging her with giving him a bad check for \$400. Next she was liberated from jail through the efforts of an unidentified woman. Mrs. MacKenzie, named defendant in a suit for \$60,000 damages brought by Lady Grace and now who says she'll see the end of it.

Branding the story supposedly coming from St. Louis as nothing more than a news item, the reporter reported that she would take steps today to cut off any more "news" leaks.

"I'll not spare anyone," she said, "if they desire to air the linen. I'll open all the closet doors. I carry the keys to them now."

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Miss Marlie Davis to Wed Lyman Creek at Delray.

DELRAY, Fla., July 30.—Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Marlie Davis of Lyman Creek, the wedding to take place in the early fall. The announcement party was held at the home of Miss Davis, where Carl Davis played and punch was served throughout the afternoon. Mrs. E. B. Sumpter received first bridge prize. After the awarding of the prize, the guests assembled in the dining room and after they had found their places little Natalie Reeder, a girl about 12, and her doggy, dressed as a herald bearing her silver trumpet in true herald fashion, she blew a long blast. On her arm she carried a basket from which she took a tiny scroll for each guest. The scrolls were ribbon bound and heart sealed, and upon being opened the scroll revealed the names of the health committee, Mrs. Willis Powell, chairman.

WOOD NOT LOCATED

Efforts to Find Former Lieutenant Prove Unavailing.

TAMPA, Fla., July 30.—Efforts to locate Osborne C. Wood, who was named defendant in a suit for division brought in Wilmington, Del., yesterday, were unavailing this morning.

Young Wood, son of Maj. Gen. Edward Wood, governor general of the Philippines Islands, is an employee of a local real estate organization. Employment of the firm said he had not been at the downtown office today nor had he been seen on the property. Attempts to reach him at his home were fruitless. Other efforts to locate him were fruitless. An American army lieutenant had previously avoided the places he has been in the habit of frequenting.

MEN DISCUSS PLANS

Meeting Held at Baptist Parsonage at Vero Beach.

VERO BEACH, Fla., July 30.—About 20 men of the Baptist Church were present at a get-together meeting at the Baptist parsonage at 10:30 a.m. yesterday. Conditions and plans were discussed, and an address was given by the Rev. C. B. Glazier of the Baptist Church of Fort Pierce. It was received with marked favor.

Short talks were made by the Rev. Crews of the Baptist churches of Sebastian and Quay, Dr. J. C. Dubois, the Rev. J. T. Bennett, D. H. Henderickson, Dr. C. E. Riddle, Dr. R. E. Board. Among others present were J. T. Matfield, Leo Howard, W. O. Varnau, Clyde Crays, H. C. Law, Chan Kersey and Messrs. Holland, King, Hogan, Lempp and others.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. Way and family of Miami, Mrs. E. B. Sumpter and family of Waycross, Ga., where the bridegroom is in the lumber business. They late at once for that city.

CHURCH TRUSTEES MEET

DELRAY, Fla., July 30.—The board of trustees of the Methodist Church held their regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lovett Monday evening. After the regular business was disposed of plans were discussed for filling the pulpit while the Rev. Fountain is away for a short vacation. A editorial hour was enjoyed by the trustees. Dr. J. W. Riddle, Dr. W. G. Godbold, Mrs. H. Casner, Dr. C. W. Johnson, Mrs. Bert Thompson, Mrs. J. L. Mitchell and Mrs. M. Tomlinson, served an ice course with cake following the program.

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Y. W. C. A. TO OPEN HOME

Temporary Structure at West Palm Beach Will Aid Business Women.

IRVING SERVICE.

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., July 30.—The Young Women's Christian Association here is opening a temporary home Saturday, August 1, in the old home of the Conservatory of Music at tenth and Olive streets, for business and working women.

A determined effort will be made to aid in the acute housing situation that confronts the wage-earning women in the city. Although a small structure, it can not be arranged to accommodate more than 30 lodgers. Directors of the association will try to have all the disposals of girls who are not among the high-priced salary workers. This does not mean that all others will be refused rooms, but that girls who receive small wages will be given opportunity first to live in the new home.

Mrs. W. E. Maggs, chairman of the service committee, is asking for listings of rooms available for young women who cannot be accommodated in the new location. Some of the privileges of the house will be open to girls rooming elsewhere. All business and working women are invited to come to the new home.

Miss Cora Parrotte, an engineer and worker from Atlanta, will arrive this evening to assume charge of the house, and the organization perfected under national Y. W. C. A. direction will function henceforth.

Arrangements are being made to unload rock for the foundation at the new Y. W. C. A. building site, the present home on the lake front is to be demolished.

According to arrangements, good progress is being made on the interior, and better work and better progress than heretofore is promised for the future.

WORK TO START SOON

Extension of Jetty at Fort Pierce To Be Speeded Up.

PORT PIERCE, Fla., July 30.—Work on the extension of the jetty of the angler's club, which was started at the rate of from 50 to 60 feet a day, is to be speeded up.

After the completion of the extension, the board will prepare bids for construction of the new building.

The new building will be built in front of the present structure, which will be removed.

BUILDING IS IMPROVED

Garage Structure at Delray Is Having Front Remodeled.

DELRAY, Fla., July 30.—The concrete block building on Atlantic avenue occupied by the Peacock Service Motor Service is being put back to date with the new Casa del Rey Hotel and Tenbrooks Building, which will add greatly to the appearance of the block.

The management is having the front improved, with plate glass windows, an attractive office on the east and showroom on the left of the drive into the main garage. The building has been extended back 50 feet to an ally.

JULY PROVES GOOD MONTH

PORT PIERCE, Fla., July 30.—The Port Pierce city commission is advertising for bids for the construction of approximately 8,000 linear feet of sidewalk to be laid along the paved areas in the sections of the schoolhouse. The bids are to be opened August 5.

This is in line with the general improvement program of the city, which included in the next unit to be launched street improvements work estimated to cost around \$15,000. The project will embrace the paving of all streets in the city, including the 10th street, which is the main artery of the town.

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STORES WILL BE ERECTED

HOMESTEAD, Fla., July 30.—C. E. Kirsch, local representative of the Florida Oil Refining Company, announced that Mr. Schaefer of Bridge Pa., will be here August 1 to arrange for the construction of store buildings on his holdings at the corner of Eighth street and Dixie Highway.

DELRAY REALTORS MEET

DELRAY, Fla., July 30.—The Delray Realty Board held a special meeting last night to discuss the sale of the property of President Higgins, D. C. Hall, chairman of the membership committee. The purpose of the meeting was to decide whether to affiliate with the state association or not. The board decided in the affirmative. There are at this time some 30 dealers and brokers and approximately 50 salesmen in this city, all of whom will become members of the Delray board.

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