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SECOND-HAND plate glass wanted. Box M-21, Herald.

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Settled housekeeper for family of three. Apply 151 N. E. 17th Place.

WANTED, young white girl to assist with 2 children and house duties. Good pay and home. Apply 23 S. W. 6th avenue.

FAST TYPISTS, to use L. C. Smith typewriter. Will pay $12.50 week, temporary work. Must be accurate. Miami Letter Co., 1 Real Estate Bldg.

WAITRESS wanted, Gray's Restaurant, 101 W. Flagler street.

WAITRESSES wanted, Tamiami Cafe.

VIMEDIA—Women's way to health; avoid operations. Call Mrs. Harris, Bradford Hotel, 250 N. E. First St. Phone 9137.

LADIES; home work; earn $15 week mailing music and circulars in your city and vicinity. Send 20c for music and details. Joseph Benenatti, 417 E. 17th St., New York.

WANTED—Three waitresses; pay $12 week; tips amount from $2 to $4 day. Patsas Cafe, Ft. Pierce, Fla.

WANTED—White cook and white housemaid by small family. Permanent position, good wages and fine living quarters on premises. Give complete information regarding experience and ability in answer to this ad. Address "R. H. B.," P. O. Box 1493, Buena Vista, Fla.

AT EMPLOYMENT & REFERENCE Ass'n—Man and wife for family, $100, B. & R; 2 housekeeper cooks, col. $10-$12; housemaid, white; waitress; 34 West Flagler St.

HELP WANTED—MALE

UPHOLSTERER, one who can finish furniture; also man as furniture finisher. 490 N. Miami avenue.

DISHWASHER, colored. Gray's Restaurant, 101 W. Flagler.

EXPERIENCED white cook, good pay to man who knows business. Day work. White House Lunch, 3635 N. E. 2nd Ave.

SHORT order cook, white. American. Gray's Restaurant, 101 W. Flagler.

WHITE NIGHT baker wanted by Domestic Bakery at West Palm Beach. Able to care for bread, pies and rolls.

SOLICITORS wanted for high-class house-to-house proposition. Splendid opportunity for men or women who can furnish good references. Box L-36, Herald.

LEARN SALESMANSHIP
THE Real Silk Hosiery Mills will train you and you earn while you learn, your earnings limited only by your capacity for work. Be your own boss in your town. Apply or write 246 Central Arcade.

THREE men for special work. Call between 7 and 9 p. m. W. W. Kirkpatrick, 521 N. E. 2nd Ave.

WANTED—Young man who really wants to work in the grocery business; steady work to right party. No schoolboy's job. Bring references. Apply 712 S. W. Fourth Ave.

I HAVE one of the best located offices in Miami, with my time devoted to land sales; am now adding a City Department, of which I want a live and capable man to take full charge, either on a percentage or partnership basis.
IF YOU are honest, capable and have a knowledge of the business, here is your opportunity.
GEO. E. WARREN,
EVERGLADE LAND & DEV. CO.
144 E. Flagler St.

AUTOMOBILE mechanic wanted. 810 N. W. Fifth Ave.

WANTED—Young man, 18 or 20 years, to drive truck and help in store. Good salary at start for right party, with chance of promotion. References required. Address Postoffice Box 613.

WANTED—Live, active real estate salesman to join our force. We are preparing for the season and need some additional salesmen, but want only producer and a man of integrity. Wilson Investment Co., 155 N. E. Second St. Phone 5053.

WANTED—Boy with wheel for soda fount work and delivery. Apply West Side Drug Store.

WANTED—Young couple as janitor and housekeeper for apartment house. Man must be handy with tools and paint brush. Apply to Box M-5, Herald.

WANTED—Delivery boy for grocery store. About 12-14 years old. Apply 2316 N. E. Second Ave.

AT EMPLOYMENT & REFERENCE Ass'n—Experienced bookkeeper, $30-$35; man and wife, for family $100, B. & R; hotel clerk, experienced; man and wife, col. cook and yard work, $100; plumber, permanent; second cook, $150; 34 West Flagler St.

AUTOMOBILE mechanic wanted with tools. Wolfe's Auto Wrecking Co., 112 N. W. 5th St.

WANTED—SALESMEN

SALESMAN to sell delicatessen wholesale. Must have car. Atlantic Delicatessen 1451 N. E. 2nd avenue.

THE MIAMI NEWS, 111 South Miami Ave., wants two good subscription workers. Call 8 A. M.

SALESMAN wanted for subdivision and multiple listings.
A. D. H. FOSSEY,
North End Realtors,
21 N. E. 36th St. Phone 3630.

WANTED—SITUATIONS MALE

WANTED—Position as milker and superintendent of dairy farm. Write W. L. Starling, Fitzgerald, Ga., 308 W. Chattahoochee St.

MANAGER; hotel, club or restaurant; thoroughly experienced in back of house as well as front; efficient executive, can handle help, not afraid of hard work, and can produce results. Manager of successful Atlantic City hotel for past three seasons; best of references as to qualifications, experience and integrity. Box M-23, Herald.

WANTED, position; by experienced soda dispenser; 7 years experience. Experienced manager and Syrup maker, gross man. First class on luncheonette trade. Box L-49, Herald.

CARPENTER—Repair work, neatly done. P. L. Ryan, 46 N. W. 5th St.

YOUNG man with new car and well acquainted with city, wants employment where car is required. Box L-13, Herald.

RELIABLE man, married, 35, has car. Wants work. Experienced in selling and clerking. Can make good if given an opportunity. Permanent. Box L-89, Herald.

YOUNG married man, knows city well; has car; experienced stenographer and truck driver, wants position. Box M-11, Herald.

SITUATION wanted by young man. Married, broadly educated. Selling or managing, offering future. Box M-6, Herald.

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and correspondent, with references, desires employment. Box L-97, Herald.

ACCOUNTANT, auditor and office manager; extensive experience along commercial and manufacturing lines, desires permanent connection. Capable executive, possessing ability, initiative and tact; experienced in devising, installing and operating cost and general accounting systems, perpetual inventory and purchase order systems; handling of credits and collections. Age 31, married; A-1 references as to ability, character.

WANTED—SITUATION MALE

EXPERIENCED clerical and credit man desires permanent connection. Thoroughly qualified. Can furnish references as to character and ability. Now employed, but the best of reasons for changing. Box I-9, Herald.

WANTED—SITUATION FEMALE

BOOKKEEPER, stenographer; A-1. Permanent. Box M-2, Herald.

EXPERIENCED housekeeper wants position in hotel or rooming house; linen room experience. Box L-82, Herald.

WHITE woman wants position as housekeeper for small family. Address 820 Commer St.

WANTED—Position as housekeeper of apartment house. Will work for reasonable salary and small apartment. Can also do stenographic work. References. P. O. Box 1805, Miami.

MAID, general housework. 141 N. W. 6th St.

UNENCUMBERED widow desires position as housekeeper in apartment house or motherless home; very best references. Box L-81, Herald.

REFINED woman as nursery governess or housekeeper for apartment or hotel. Box M-4, Herald.

WANTED—Position as housekeeper or manager of apartment house, hotel or large rooming house. Have had several years' experience as same. Can furnish best of local references. P. O. Box 209.

MIDDLE-AGED widow, unincumbered, pleasing personality, experienced, desires position as housekeeper for apartment house or hotel. Box M-100, Herald.

RELIABLE, competent young woman desires housekeeper's position. Capable taking full charge. Reference furnished. Box M-7, Miami Herald.

YOUNG lady wishes office work. Can do typing and some shorthand. Willing to begin for $12 per week. Box M-13, Herald.

WANT job as waitress, nurse, or companion. References. Miss Brown, Box M-12, Herald.

EXPERIENCED housekeeper desires care of apartment or small hotel. Local references. Box M-20, Herald.

YOUNG lady would like some kind of employment—sales girl, office girl. Have business experience. Willing worker. Local reference. Salary no object. Box M-19, Herald.

POSITION as housekeeper for apartment or hotel. Can give Miami references in regard to reliability and competency. Box M-31, Herald.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE

BUNGALOW; well built; on nice lot; near in; $500 to $1,000 cash and terms. Box L-87, Herald.

WANTED—Large body of Everglade land on or near Tamiami canal. Give full description, with plat, if possible, with price and terms. Address P. O. Box 663, city.

LOT, N. E., between cemetery, Miami Ave., Sixth St. and bay. P. O. Box 1248.

WANTED—A bargain in a Miramar lot; or will go in the N. E. section of city as far as 35th St. If price is right. Please list with me what you have; buyer will pay one-half cash. Exclusively, Fred Featherstone, 53 Real Estate Bldg.

WANTED—5 or 10 acres near Miami with good house and lights. Chaplin, 506 First National Bank Bldg.

WE BUY and sell bargains in Miami city property; if your property is a bargain, see Phil J. Foran, 208-9 New Congress Bldg.

WANT MIAMI PROPERTY
MIGHT consider good grove. For very fine 720-acre farm near Kansas City, Mo. Box 486, Homestead, Fla.

DO YOU WANT TO SELL
GET quick action and intelligent service by listing at once with
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THE demand for houses and rentals is greater every day. Note our location and mail your listing at once. Matt Stobbs, 1306 N. E. 2nd Ave. Phone 6262.

WILL PAY SPOT CASH for good lot at bargain price in Riverside. Give lot and block and best cash price. Address P. O. Box 663.

WANT to buy and will pay cash; lots in Riverside; we have some builders who are anxious for some real buys. What have you to offer? All I want is 5 per cent commission; list with me at once. Exclusively Fred Featherstone, 53 Real Estate Bldg.

PROPERTY OWNERS AGENTS
I HAVE a client who desires to purchase from $1,000,000 to $5,000,000 worth of property in south Florida. His investigators will be here during October and November. I will appreciate hearing from owners and agents in regard to absolutely first-class propositions ranging from $50,000 up. Full information of which I can submit for the investigation and consideration of my client. Information as to the reliability of my client may be secured from local bank. Sprague, the Realtor, 415 N. E. 2nd Ave. Phone 4380.

WANTED—North Side lot as part payment on Miramar home. Owner, 16 S. E. Second Ave.

IF YOU want quick action on Beach property, list it with
C. H. NORRIS CO.,
TWO offices for your convenience.
MIAMI Beach office,
HARDIE'S Casino. Phone 899.
MIAMI office,
17 N. E. 2nd Ave. Phone 3651.

WE WANT bargain listings on Miami and Miami Beach property. Give us your listings and we will sell your property for you. Wilson Investment Co., 155 N. E. Second St. Phone 5053.

WANTED TO RENT

LIST YOUR RENTALS with us. Our list is now low, having rented nearly every house on our list. Wilson Investment Co., 155 N. E. Second St. Phone 5053.

WANT immediately yearly rentals; season rentals; also rooming houses; many calls. Phone 9080. Jones, 216 N. E. First Ave.

SEASON rental listings wanted.
WATERS REALTY CO.
31 N. E. 2nd Ave. Phone 4345.

WANTED—Unfurnished house in good locality with garage; will rent by the year; must be piped for gas, give absolutely complete details in your first letter. Box L-95, Herald.

SEASON RENTALS WANTED
A. D. H. FOSSEY,
North End Realtors,
21 N. E. 36th St. Phone 3630

LISTINGS wanted. Have daily calls for homes, both for sale and rent. Phone 4248 or 16 S. E. Second Ave. M. E. Rondel.

WANTED, to rent, bungalow by the year. Will make cash deposit to protect for the coming season. Want 5 or 6 room bungalow, in good location, accessible to school and transportation line. Must be new or in first class condition. Call B. F. Davis, care The Filer Cleveland Co. Phone 3486. If not there, call 7377.

WANTED—Rental listings, clients waiting. John R. Pattee Co., 27 Halcyon Arcade.

UNFURNISHED house by the year. Box L-95, Herald.

WANTED—By young business woman, room with private family. Must be reasonable. Box M-9, Miami Herald.

WANTED—The best 5 or 6-room bungalow that $500 cash can buy. Balance in monthly installments. This is an immediate purchase if a bargain. Tobin & Tobin, Phone 5459.

WANTED—Rooming house, close in. P. O. Box 4305 or Phone 3009.

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The Straight of it

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ON LOCAL MATTERS.

Q—When was what is known as the Egan grant of land, located on the Miami river made by the Spanish government? E. W. L.

A—This grant was made in the year 1808 by the Spanish government to John Egan. It consisted of 100 acres of land located on the Miami river, known then as Sweet Water.

Q—Was the old lighthouse, called the Cape Florida lighthouse ever in use and if so when? Interested.

A—Yes, the lighthouse was used by the United States government until 1878, when the light at Fowey Rock was established. The Cape Florida lighthouse had been in general use for about 53 years before it was abandoned by the government.

Q—Is there a chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Miami? Newcomer.

A—Yes, the Miami chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution is called Everglades chapter. It is known as one of the strongest in the sta to.

Q—Will you kindly tell me if the Community theater at Miami Beach is really owned by the community or private interests? Curious.

A—The Miami Beach Community Theater is really a community organization. When the proposition was brought forward every resident of the city who was interested was asked to subscribe for the stock. Subscriptions were taken for stock ranging from one share at $10 to several thousand dollars.

Q—Who is in charge of the coast guard station up the beach from Miami Beach? G. K. I.

A—L. F. Tuten is in immediate charge of the station. He lives in the residence at the station.

REALTY CHANGES

J. H. Sexton to J. S. Blain, deed $7,500, lots 3, 7, 8, block 1; lot 1, block 1; lots 7, 9, 10, block 2, 12th St. Manors.
Herbert Pinder to J. P. Fletcher, deed $1,000, lot 33, block 3, Biscayne Ave. tract.
Municipal Inv. Co. to Thecla Koops Lind, deed $1,000, lot 18, block 3, Grand View Park.
Thecla Koops Lind to R. W. Rogers, deed $1,000, lot 18, block 3, Grand View Park.
D. Wilson to Jack Depew, agreement, lot 19, block 1, Highland Park.
I. A. Comly to Peters Inv. Co., deed $12,000, lot 15, block 13, Lawrence estate.
E. W. Wheeler to F. L. Sweany, Ast. Agmt., lot 22, block 5, Wyndwood Park.
Mary Ammer to K. S. Cullom, deed $8,500, lots 1, 2, block 1, Central Addn.
O. H. Eberhardt to C. W. Zaring Co., deed $500, lot 2, block 10, Kirkland Hgts.
B. J. Throm to J. E. Throm, Agmt., lots 14, 15, block 40, Hialeah.
B. J. Throm to J. E. Throm, Agmt., lot 20, block 1, Hialeah.
B. J. Throm to J. E. Throm, Agmt., lot 17, block 1, Hialeah.
Nthn Development Co. to F. T. Neff, deed $3,000, lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, block 17, Sunkist Grove.
Nthn Development Co. to T. W. Scott, deed $1,000, lot 1, block 31, Sunkist Grove.
Nthn Development Co. to F. T. Neff, deed $2,000, lot 11, block 10; lot 16, block 15, Sunkist Grove.
H. H. Davis to H. D. Wolfe, deed, land in 2-57-38.
M. T. Perkins to E. J. C. Perkins, deed, lot 20, block 138, North.
G. G. Jarrett to E. J. C. Perkins, deed $1,000, lot 5, block 6, Lawrence estate; lot 12, block 4, O. Beach.
S. R. Shearston to E. L. Holly, deed $500, S½ lot 4, block 1, Dearborn's Subdn., 10-54-41.
E. L. Holly to M. H. Shearston, deed $500, S½ lot 4, block 1, Dearborn's Subdn, 10-54-41.
N. T. Dean to C. P. Bagley, deed $2,000, land in T. B. Fetzer's Subdn. of block 6, Ericksons.
E. C. Fordland to W. T. Sawyer, deed $3,000, lot S. 100 feet lot 12, block 68, South.
F. P. Blake to R. E. Jones, Agmt. $11,000, W½ of W½ of NW¼ of NE¼ of 4-54-41.
C. J. Holleman Co. to R. C. Gordon, Jr., Agmt., lot 16, block 18, Holleman Park.
J. A. Wood to David Lotaw, deed $8,000, lots 11, 12, block 63, O. Beach.
J. S. Wrinkle to G. C. Kirkland, deed, lot 33, block 11, Wyndwood Park.
Frank Clark, Jr., to A. R. Kehl, deed, N½ of NW¼ of NE¼ of SE¼, 30-54-41.

NO TRACE FOUND AS YET OF LIGHTHOUSE KEEPER

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD

KEY WEST, Fla., Sept. 30.—Capt. Manuel Herera and his crew, Carl Taylor, Jetson Thompson and Edgar Taylor, Jr., who picked up the lighthouse station boat, from which John Anderson, an assistant keeper, is supposed to have been drowned, arrived in this city yesterday and reported that nothing whatever was seen of Anderson.

Mr. Herera said that he noticed the boat sailing aimlessly near Loggerhead Key, with the mainsail blocked down, and that he immediately changed his course and went toward her. For a few minutes at a time, he stated, the boat sailed on one tack and then luffed up and took another tack. Until he reached the boat he thought that possibly she had an occupant that had been taken suddenly ill.

It was shortly before sundown that Mr. Herera reached the boat, and from then until it became too dark to see he searched the bottom in the hope of finding the missing man. Unsuccessful in his search, he towed the boat to Spanish Harbor and had the section boss there telephone to the lighthouse headquarters in this city about the matter.

Mr. Herera's opinion about Anderson's falling overboard is the same as that reached by Superintendent Demeritt, when he learned that an anchor was missing. Mr. Herera explained that many seamen first block down their mainsails and luff up the boat, while they go forward to throw over an anchor. He said that he believed that Anderson's feet got tangled in the lawser, was pulled overboard by the anchor and was unable to get back to the boat, because, so it has been said, he could not swim.

FEW PRIZES TO AMERICANS.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Sept. 30.—American exporters occupied fifth place in the number of prizes that were awarded foreign exhibitors at the Brazilian Centential exposition in this city, which closed late in July.

SMALL NURSERY ENTERPRISE AT MUSA ISLE INDICATES SOIL POSSIBILITIES

Malcolm McAllister, Skilled Scottish Horticulturist, Lessee of Orchid Dell Gardens Tract on Miami River, in One of Dade County's Former Show Places, Making Good Showing.

MUSA ISLE, a small community center not more than a mile west west of the present corporate limits of Miami, was known in the earlier days as one of the very pretty show places of this section of Dade county by reason of its wealth of tropical fruit and ornamental trees and shrubs and the fine vegetables grown there. This was before the drainage canals were built, and for some years it was quite inaccessible except by canoe and other small craft. This fact afforded one pretext for part of its name of Isle—the settlement was practically an island in those days. Mr. C. O. Richardson, one of its first residents, who with his wife had come down from the north to retire from the legitimate stage after 25 years, during which they had played in most of the towns on the North American continent, as I recall now, suggested that inasmuch as "Musa" was the botanical name for banana, the settlement be called Musa Isle. It has been known as such ever since.

The main part of the community was in a hammock on the south side of the Miami river and among the unique features of the place were a miniature Seminole Indian village and an alligator farm, including some 100 or 200 alligators of all sizes and ages, up to 14 feet in length and some of them said to be old enough to vote. Besides many bearing banana bushes the settlers had planted small groves of oranges and grapefruit as a source of food as well as revenue. Later on were set every tropical fruit that could be grown here at that time. These included 25 or more varieties, besides Royal, Coconut and many other palms and other ornamental trees and shrubs. In fact a decade ago, and ever later, the northern visitor who had not seen the Musa Isle settlement had not seen south Florida.

HOWEVER, all this early grandeur has been much changed. Drainage was followed by the building of roads and the limousine has supplanted the picturesque canoe and row boat as a means of transportation to and from the place. Drainage also involved somewhat of a sacrifice by lessening the former rank tropical vegetation of the section. The rapid growth of the Magic City has also encroached upon the former seclusion and natural beauty of Musa Isle. It is now surrounded by subdivision development and in fact, what was formerly the pride of its residents as an unique tropical settlement has been almost entirely taken over by the realty operator and is being carved into lots for smaller homes.

Among the few small acreage tracts still intact in Musa Isle is one of some seven acres intersected by the winding road through the settlement, belonging to Dr. J. B. Seeds whose home and office is now located on West Flagler street. A portion of the tract south of the main road is still covered with those stately live oaks of the old hammock. The balance of the place on the north and between the road and the Miami river was cleared some years ago and a portion of it set to citrus fruit, while the rest of it was left for gardening and floraculture. Dr. Seeds has a hobby for orchids and some three years ago he established on this latter cleared portion Orchid Dell Gardens, where he placed a skilled gardener in charge for the propagation of the various varieties of the delicate and beautiful orchid as well as various other flowers. Gold fish was another feature claiming Dr. Seeds' attention and he built a pretty pond on each of the two tracts.

THE progress of the enterprise was somewhat slower than anticipated and the high water of last season destroyed much of the preparation previously made and ruined much of the plant house stock. As a result of this mishap Dr. Seeds decided to abandon the enterprise, for a time at least, and last August leased the property to Malcolm McAllister, for the past three and a half years with the Exotic Gardens and for two and a half years head florist in that splendid firm's store at 449 West Flagler street, who has taken over what stock escaped the ravages of the high water and the gold fish, and is operating the property under the name of the Malcolm McAllister company.

Mr. McAllister is one of those typical sturdy Scots. He began to learn horticulture in the old country when he was but 12 years old. He has been at it ever since—he is now 40—and has few equals as either a grower of flowers, trees, shrubs and vines or a floral decorator. Since taking over the Seeds property in Musa Isle he has cleaned up the Orchid Dell Gardens tract and quite transformed the place in the few intervening months since he started. With the aid of his brother-in-law, John Crichton, another skilled Scotch horticulurist, he has also greatly augmented the nursery department stock by the setting of hundreds of crotons, hibiscus, bouganvilleas, oleanders, vines, foliage plants, shrubs, ferns, roses and other flowers and is getting under way for a nice business in the coming year.

Mr. McAllister is also now erecting a modest floral store on his residence lot at 309 Southwest Fourth avenue, three blocks south of the Flagler street bridge, where he will soon have on sale and display a varied line of cut flowers and potted plants for weddings, dinner parties and other social events, as well as funeral wreaths and designs. The southwest avenue store of the Malcolm McAllister company will also include a large tank of gold fish, including the American fantail, Japanese fantail, Nymphs and Comets. These range in size from three to nine inches long and sell at from 25 cents to $2.50 each, according to size and variety, and for which he says there is a good demand here.

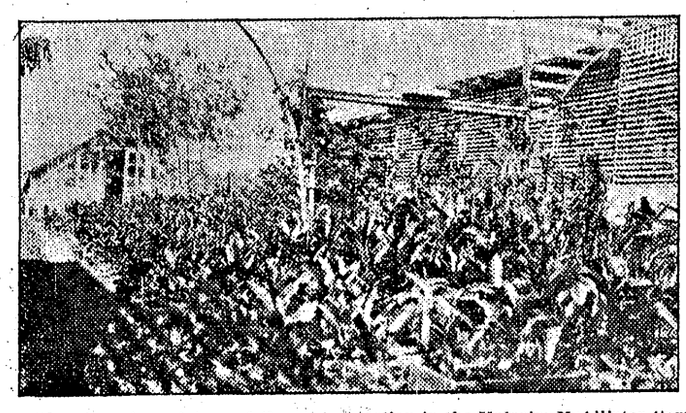
MR. McALLISTER is preparing to raise all the staple flowers that may be grown here, including roses, orchids, gladiolas, phlox, sweet peas, larkspur, water lilies, callendula and many others, and will handle all the cut flowers that may be shipped from the north. Besides these he will carry a full line of artificial flowers for funeral and other special decorative work to which these are adapted. It is significant that by reason of his skill as a grower and his insidious industry he already has an immense amount of slips, potted plants, flowers and shrubs growing on the Orchid Dell Gardens tract as well as some flowers ready for sale to the retail trade. This early accomplishment, however, is also indicative of the desirability of the soil at Musa Isle and clearly shows what may be realized in Dade county from a reasonable expenditure of intelligent industry.

Mr. McAllister came to America in April, 1911, stopping in New York where he entered the employ of the late Alexander McConnell, at that time one of the leading florists of the United States, with nurseries at New Rochelle, where Mr. McAllister's horticultural knowledge and floral decorative taste and skill were soon recognized. He remained with the McConnell house four years, during which time he looked after the conservatories on some 17 millionaire estates around New York. While in New York he was employed one winter as chief floral decorator for the Biltmore and Commodore hotels. Mr. McAllister was also superintendent of the Maurice Brill estate at Mt. Kisco for four years.

IN spite of the demand for his services, however, he left a splendid position to come to Florida for the health of his elder son, Malcolm Crichton McAllister, now five years of age. The little fellow was gradually failing and a change of climate seemed to be the only hope. In the sunshine and fresh air of Miami the youngster began to gain from the start and is now as healthy and strong a boy as there is in the city. In speaking of the change in the boy's health, Mr. McAllister remarked: "My wife and I would feel amply repaid for moving to Miami if we had gained not a penny in temporal wealth. But we have prospered satisfactorily since coming here and both wife and I are heartily glad we came to south Florida. We consider the salubrious climate, the perennial sunshine, ocean zephyrs, the beauties of Miami and vicinity, well worth any effort that might be involved if we merely hold our own here."

One of the main points in this story is Mr. McAllister's demonstration of what may be accomplished here by those who have knowledge in any particular line of growing things and are willing to work. During the quiet summer season he has been able to realize enough to meet his expenses while rehabilitating and building, which in itself is remarkable. With the fine soil at his command, his general horticultural knowledge and the increasing demand for flowers, trees and shrubs, he appears to be on the road to a large as well as prosperous nursery and floral business.

Floral and plant potting house of the Malcolm McAllister Company at Orchid Dell Gardens in Musa Isle on the Miami river northwest of Miami. Musa Isle was formerly one of the exceptionally pretty gardens and grove show places of the section. Goldfish tank in the foreground.



The above is a picture of the croton section in the Malcolm McAllister Company's small nursery at Orchid Dell Gardens, in Musa Isle. The croton is one of south Florida's most attractive and popular ornamental shrubs.

TEMPLE ISRAEL CLUB HAS BUSINESS MEETING

Decision to set aside the second and fourth Mondays of each month for activities of the Sisterhood of Temple Israel was made Friday at a business meeting held by the organization, it was announced last night. Two Mondays each month were considered ample for the work and these two were selected.

Regular monthly meetings will be held hereafter, it was decided, on the second Monday and the monthly card party will be held on the fourth Monday. Other social functions will be held throughout the season, dates for which will be arranged later and not to conflict with those of other organizations.

An enthusiastic committee, headed by Mrs. S. Mendelson, is now engaged making plans for the October card party, the program for which will be announced later.

TOLD IN THE LOBBY

"ONE time," said the traveling man in the lobby at the Hotel Miami, "I was on a train that ground slowly to a stop in front of a dilapidated little cabin in Arkansas, to permit the train ahead to get out of the block. A dilapidated man sat on a bench near the cabin door. A black-and-tan hound sat on the sandy ground and howled dismally. Some of the passengers got out to find the cause of the dog's distress. As he was in no apparent pain, they approached the seedy individual, and one of them asked: 'What ails that dog?'

"'Hookworm,' responded the man.

"'Why should he howl?'

"'Hookworm; he's lazy.'

"'I wasn't aware that hookworm was painful.'

"'Tain't,' responded the garrulous native.

"'Then why should he howl?'

"The melancholy individual stretched his legs, shifted his quid and replied: 'Wal, it's like this, stranger: Thet dawg hoz hookworms, and he's lazy, and he's been settin' on a sand bur fer three days, an' he's too lazy to get off, so he jest sets thar and howls 'cause it hurts'."

"I also was on a train that pulled into a certain town in Florida," said the man in the lobby at the Hotel Security, "and as all the windows in the coach were open, we noticed an innocent-appearing man dashed around the corner of the station, carrying a basket on his arm. Hurrying to the window of the smoking compartment, he exhibited a black quart bottle which he had taken from the basket, and with a knowing wink said:

"'Any gent like to buy a bottle of nice ice-cold tea?'

"He sold every bottle, but concluded each sale with: 'Better wait till the train has pulled out before you drink, you know, because I don't want any trouble.'

"The train pulled out and I remained on the station platform, and I asked the man why he had requested the purchasers to wait until the train started before taking a drink.

"'Because,' he said, with a sly wink, 'them bottles all contained ice-cold tea'."

"THE best story I have heard recently," said the man at the Central Hotel, "is this one:

"The women were discussing the wedding which had taken place at their church the previous day.

"'And do you know,' said one, 'just as Frank and the widow started up the aisle to the altar every light in the church went out.'

"This startling bit of information was greeted by a number of 'Oh's.'

"'What did the couple do then?' inquired one of them.

"'Kept on going. The widow knew the way'."

"A school teacher," said the salesman at the Hotel Pershing, "was annoyed by the continued mischievousness of one of her boys."

"At last she exclaimed, in exasperation, 'I wish I could be your mother for a week.'

"'Very well, I will speak to father about it,' replied the youngster coolly."

This was told at the Leamington:

"My darling," said the henpecked husband, "I want to apologize for not appreciating you more. I think I am the luckiest man in the world to have a wife like you."

The wife suspected something, and asked why he was so affectionate all at once.

"Why," continued the husband, "one of the boys at the office has married a girl who speaks five languages. The Lord only knows I've had to stand enough gab, but just think of the punishment that poor fellow is going to take."

KEY WEST LEGION TO GET NEW HOME

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD

KEY WEST, Fla., Sept. 30.—W. D. Byrd, commander of the post here of the American Legion, said today that he expected that the former Y. M. C. A. building, which the post bought from the federal government, will be placed in position on its new site by tomorrow. Work will then be started to convert the structure into a clubhouse for the legionnaires and the headquarters of Troop 4, Boy Scouts of America. Though the building will not be completed, so far as all the contemplated improvements are concerned, yet the work will have proceeded far enough to hold a celebration there on November 12, it was said. The dedication will take place on that day also, which will be observed as armistice day, instead of Sunday, the 11th.

The celebration will not be confined to the clubhouse. An affair, the nature of which has not yet been determined, will be conducted in the clubhouse in the afternoon and in the evening a dance will be given in the Atlantic clubhouse. There is also a possibility that a parade will be held. Efforts will be made to have a band and a Cuban warship come here from Havana, and in the event the Cuban government agrees to that proposal a parade will be given. For the dance to be conducted in the Athletic clubhouse, endeavors will be made to engage as an orchestra a part of the Miami band that will accompany the Shriners here on November 10, when a large class of local Masons will be inducted into the Shrine club.

KEY WEST TO SEND OUT POST CARDS THIS WEEK

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD

KEY WEST, Fla., Sept. 30.—At the instance of the Chamber of Commerce, many residents have promised to observe postcard week, beginning tomorrow. All of the cards that will be mailed will have views of interesting places in this city or on the keys. Dr. Porter, president of the chamber, intends to send out at least 100 cards to friends throughout the country, and members of that organization and other residents will mail cards during the week.

OKEECHOBEE MAN HURT IN FALL FROM BUILDING

High School Cafeteria Serves Free Soup to Students; Lunch at Nominal Cost.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD

OKEECHOBEE CITY, Fla., Sept. 30.—C. L. Haskell fell from a building on which he was working this morning and was seriously hurt.

S. J. Davis, who has been in St. Vincent's hospital, Palm Beach, for several weeks was brought home Saturday.

Mrs. G. W. Freese, who is undergoing treatment in Ft. Pierce, spent Sunday at home.

The P. T. A. at a business meeting recently decided to alternate their meetings during the coming year, having one meeting in the afternoon and one in the evening, in order that the fathers may attend. A social feature will be enjoyed at the evening meetings.

The cafeteria for the high school opened Monday under the auspices of the P. T. A. It is proving quite a convenience for teachers and pupils. Free soup is served every day and nutritious lunch at nominal cost.

The senior class of the high school has perfected its organization, electing the following officers:

Evelyn Bates, president; Robert LeMartin, vice president; Dorothy Raulerson, secretary and treasurer; Miss Brownlee, science teacher, counselor.

The Adult Bible class of the Baptist Sunday school, W. R. Tenell, teacher, held a most profitable and pleasant business and social session at the church parlors Tuesday evening. Delicious refreshments were served during the social hour.

The Baptist people are perfecting plans to enlarge their church auditorium in order to accommodate the ever increasing congregations. New pews will also be added.

The city council has just bought a new fire truck at a cost of $12,500, which adds much to the protection of the town against fire.

G. W. Freese made a business trip to Ft. Pierce Monday.

Superintendent W. R. Tenell visited the schools at Oak Grove and Upthegroves Monday, Potter's school Tuesday.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church held an interesting meeting at the church Tuesday afternoon.

The Okeechobee band is making wonderful progress under the leadership of Mr. B. Scott.

Miss Viola Marsh left Friday morning for Soperton, Ga., where she will have charge of the department of music in the school.

Mrs. T. J. Conely, Jr., who has been visiting relatives in Marianna, is at home again.

W. G. Stovall, who has been away for some weeks on a trip involving both business and pleasure, has finished his vacation and returned to Okeechobee.

The beautiful new home of H. N. Evernden, on the Ft. Pierce road will soon be ready for occupancy.

The fishing season has opened splendidly, fine hauls being made every day. This is one of Okeechobee's most important industries, large number of people being engaged in it. It means much to the town financially when fishing is good.

Leon LaTour, Chicago, sales manager for the Everglades Fisheries, has returned to Okeechobee.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL OF WEST PALM BEACH

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kopplin and daughters have returned from a three months' stay at Huron, S. D.

Mrs. W. W. Tibbetts, who has spent most of the summer at Christmas Cove, Mo., has returned to the city for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Moser, after three months spent in Los Angeles, San Diego and other California cities, returned Saturday to their West Palm Beach home.

C. L. Werner of Miami, secretary of the Palm Beach drainage and highway district was in the city Saturday going over drainage taxes with local officials.

Mrs. M. A. Ray, who was called to Ft. Lauderdale some few days ago by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Heimberger, has returned.

Joseph Horley has returned from a summer vacation spent in the north.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Earman and son have returned to West Palm Beach after a six weeks' vacation spent at Weaverville, N. C.

GERMANY'S COMEBACK AT SEA IS STARTLING

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 30.—German shipping is showing remarkable recuperative powers, so much so that other maritime states are today concerned lest this "dreaded competitor soon will regain her old position." The quotation is from the Scandinavian Shipping Gazette, which publishes an article on the subject.

In 1920 Germany had 420,000 gross tons of steamers and motorships, according to this authority, and in June of 1923, a total of 2,510,000 tons.

"Bitter complaints are made against the resumption of the German competition in practically all waters, but perhaps principally in South American seas," the Gazette says in conclusion.

ANGOLA RICH IN DIAMONDS.

LISBON, Sept. 30.—The diamond fields of Angola, Portuguese West Africa, have been developed to such an extent, that the Angola colony is now considered to be the fourth diamond producer of the world.

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