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An old line Legal Reserve Company, owned and controlled by hundreds of bankers in different sections of the country, was organized for this specific purpose. It issues all of the latest forms of policies, gives the greatest amount protection for the least amount of money and the only Life Insurance Company Investing its money locally. See Agent at State Bank of Lakeland.

THE STATE BANK OF LAKELAND

This is to certify that this Bank has a contract with The American Bankers Insurance Co., of Chicago, whereby all monies it receives for Life Insurance in this section will be left with this bank and invested locally. **E. O. FLOOD, Cashier**

Those Who Come and Go

A magnificent cluster of grapefruit was presented us by Mr. E. H. ... by his pretty little daughter, which made them all the more ...

Mr. W. H. Kolb, who lives on the old Forbes property, presented this office with a number of fine grapefruit and oranges, yesterday, which were very fine indeed, the oranges especially being very sweet and juicy.

While skating at the rink yesterday Urban Spearman had the misfortune to fall and break his arm. It was given prompt medical attention and is getting along as well as could be expected.

EDISONIA

... tonight a very fine military ... adapted and produced from ... of the name. This is a ... that we think will please ...

Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. May have as their guests today, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Norton, of South Orange, N. J., Mr. R. B. Smith, of Norristown, Pa., Miss Edith Ramsey, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. W. S. Schellinger, of Wyncote, Pa. The party are spending some time with Mrs. L. A. Redfield, of the Gapway groves near Auburndale.

Mrs. Gray arrived this morning from the North and has apartments at the home of Mrs. S. F. Smith. Mrs. Gray is the grandmother of Mr. Ray Palmer, who has a position in Mr. Chunn's office. She will be in Lakeland for about two months.

Samples of magnificent grapefruit and oranges from the grove of Mr. S. M. Stephens, on Merritt's Island, on the East Coast, have commanded the admiration of visitors to our office today. They were presented us by Mr. G. C. Rogan, and were much appreciated.

EDISONIA The Pioneer Picture House of Lakeland.

BABY SHOW BEGINS MARCH 11.

PROGRAM TONIGHT.

- THEIR BURGLAR. (Drama.)
- DESPERATE DESMOND ABDUCTS ROSAMOND. (Farce Comedy.)
- THE DRUMMER BOY OF SHILOH. (Military Drama.)

ADMISSION ... 10 cts
CHILDREN under 12 5 cts

Mrs. Loffin, accompanied by Marie Wilson and Charles Wilson, of Bartow, came over this morning and are spending the day with their friend, Mrs. T. L. Waring.

BOOKER WASHINGTON'S VISIT TO LAKELAND

Principal Washington will arrive in Lakeland Tuesday morning at 7:47, coming direct from Tampa and will remain here until 5:40, when he will leave on train No. 28 for Orlando.

Accompanying Principal Washington on his tour will be a distinguished party of representative men, among whom are Hon. John C. Napier, Register of the Treasury, Washington; Dr. George Hall, member of the Provident Hospital staff, Chicago; Charles Banks, Cashier Bank of Mound Bayou, Mound Bayou, Miss.; Bishop George W. Clinton, A. M. E. Zion Church; Dr. R. E. Park, Boston; Dr. M. W. Gilbert, President Selma University; Mr. Horace D. Slatler, general newspaper correspondent, Hopkinsville, Ky.; Mr. Alain LeRoy Locke, Rhodes Oxford Scholarship student, Philadelphia.

Dr. Washington, Hon. John C. Napier, Mr. M. M. Lewey, Mr. Nathan Hunt, Mr. Emmett Scott will be guests of Rev. A. L. Brunson, on Lake Wire, 'phone 64-Black.

Dr. M. W. Gilbert, Major R. R. Morton, Dr. George C. Hall, Mr. Richard Carroll will be entertained at the home of Mr. H. W. Bigham, North Florida avenue.

Mr. W. T. Andrews, Mr. John Merrick, Mr. R. L. Smith and Mr. Alain LeRoy Locke will be entertained at the home of Rev. T. T. Gaines, New York avenue.

Dr. J. A. Kenney, Mr. J. B. Bell, and Dr. S. C. Elbert will be guests of Mrs. G. W. McCray, New York avenue.

The address of Dr. Washington will take place at the baseball park at 12:30 p. m.

Tickets for Dr. Washington's lecture may be purchased at the Lake and Central Pharmacies.

COMMITTEE.

Star Theatre

Program for Tonight:

- SAVED FROM THE TORRENTS (Essancy.)
- TOLD IN COLORADO. (Selig.)
- SHIPWRECKED. (Selig.)

Admission: 5 and 10c

NEW AUTOMOBILE AGENCY.

I am preparing to open an automobile agency in Lakeland, having closed contracts with the Penn Motor Car Company, who are manufacturers of one of the best lines of cars on the market.

I will handle roadsters and touring cars, etc. Cars are nobby in appearance, but their chief claim to

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If you contemplate buying a car, let me make you prices. A beautiful roadster is the only car in stock at present.

D. H. SLOAN.

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At 3 p. m.

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