



Blissful Buying

by Jeannette

Tomorrow night there will be a performance of "The Filibusters"...

And what shall we do till then? Why shop, of course!

A winner of a Fashion Academy Award is on display at Home Appliance Co., 605 Simonton Street...

The Model 12, which is the latest offspring of the world's largest manufacturers of food freezers is a joy to have and behold!

Go to Home Appliance — discuss the budget plan which will make acquiring this boon to your dinner preparation and food shopping — so easy!

Edith McCarthy tried to tell the phone company what was wrong with her phone, but they wouldn't hear tell of it.

Sure enough — Edith was right. There were a bunch of dead ants (electrocuted) in her phone and she now has a new one — sans the corpus delicti of the hymenoptera family.

You'll all find that our so-called "ages of man" have, inevitably, popular tunes identified with each stage — which we never forget!

The Music Shoppe, 726 Duval have at all times the song hits of your memories plus the very latest — "Top Ten". Their recordings represent all the major companies — the well-known artists — plus, of lesser note which you just might have "taken to", and the "three speeds" are there also.

Understand Frank Sinatra is enjoying a resurgence in popularity and his latest album — "Songs for Young Lovers" is now available at the Music Shoppe.

HEAD HANGING OR APOLOGIES TO: Los Mombaleros for missing their fine music at the Cuban Club the other eve.

My Red Shawl tells me that you all will furnish the dance music when the Bartenders and Waiters Union throw a gala tonight at the Cuban Club!

You love all your friends' children — why, heaven's you've known them since — but you sure can't be blamed for wondering why they all decide to get married at once — and what with gifts for weddings and showers!

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"breakfast for two" ones, to the "dinner for twelve" category!

This summer will find Europe practically a suburb of Our Town. Amongst those flying or sailing over are: Judy and Ellen Trevor, Emily and Lee Goddard, Yvonne Baillo, Hugh and Alice Breedin and Yvonne Snidow and probably many more of whom I haven't heard as yet. Bon Voyage!

Attention visitors! If you've arrived in Our Town and find you just don't have the proper or rather enough, clothes for your kiddies, by all means go to Children's Corner — for there is a STOREWIDE 20% REDUCTION.

Here you will find those attractive terry cloth shirts and shorts — with "Key West" emblazoned on them — good souvenirs and can be worn all summer — anywhere; Don't forget, if your kiddies' need swimming trunks, or suits, or sundresses — or just anything — go to Children's Corner's SALE!

Perhaps many of you all read the recent article in a Sunday journal — "The Vicious Cycle — Profession, Art, Sport, Obsession" dealing with riders of and lovers of — motorcycles. Our Town's Cycle Club is called the "Key West Angels" and I'd like to tell you a bit about them.

While the "Angels" is a very, very small organization — last year they copped first place for the "best dressed, uniformed club" and this year — they have merited second place!

Understand — this is a National Championship and means keen competition, between, I believe — at least twenty clubs, in the National Road Races at Daytona Beach, Florida.

The first place trophy is really a handsome gold one — fairly large, and with the figure of a motorcycle and rider at the very top!

So, here's "Congratulations" to the "Key West Angels"! Our Town is proud of your achievements!

While the name is "Overseas Fruit Market" — that doesn't mean that you have to travel that far for the best selection of high quality fruit — because they do it for you! And so all the tropical, exotic fruits you've ever heard of are at the Overseas — 324 Truman Avenue (it's still "Frank's" to me)!

Have a glass of icy cold FRESH ORANGE JUICE — or grapefruit, to take the warm temperature out of your throat! Relax — look around — be amazed at this shop with the warm personality — the "mango-ificent" fruits (I'm sorry — I just couldn't help that!) and too — all kinds of vegetables — artichokes, asparagus and so on through the alphabet — name it, and Overseas Fruit Market has it! By all means — don't miss this shop!

My Red Shawl tells me the story of the bees. Seems as if Joanna Kraeger found a bunch of them in a hole in her house — suddenly, they swarmed to a bush in her yard.

Whilst she was summoning aid to take charge of her buzzing guests — they disappeared! Did someone abscond with them? Can't think of an easier way of solving the problem of just what in the world do you do with bees, — honey?

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"HIAWATHA'S CHILDHOOD"—a cantata, will be presented by the Truman Elementary school chorus at the school auditorium tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

Official Party To Be Honored At Fiesta Dance Tomorrow Night

The Junior Woman's Club members will be official hostesses at the grand ball at the Casa Marina tomorrow night which will climax the two-day celebration of the Fiesta Alegre y Benefica.

The Junior's sustaining project is the proposed juvenile home. Because all proceeds from the dance will be turned over to the building fund, the club decided against securing professional entertainment, but any one who has attended one of the Junior Cabarets knows that they always come up with top notch entertainment.

Tomorrow night ViAnn Youmans will present her popular record pantomimes, including the one that "stopped the show" at the recent Follies sponsored by the BPO Does.

for your grass. Your lawn can now resemble the rich turf of country clubs, or golf greens! So, just "putt" Hec-tor-ganic, a natural organic fertilizer for this section of the country — on your lawn and shrubs, thus providing steady, proper feeding for months!

According to an AP dispatch the news that a fourth month closed season to protect Florida's green turtles has been declared. You see, the full moon of May has brought sea turtles out of the water to lay their eggs. And of course, you all know what a beautiful moon does to people — they do down to beaches — but, they hunt turtles!

Naturally, you can understand that the turtles would like privacy to say nothing, of perpetuating the turtle supply. People have been known to run over them with their cars — or flip them on their backs so they can't move — briefly, people have been killing turtles!

So, for all you turtles (including the Caribbean ones at Lowe's) — please rest assured that from May through August, your kinfolk will be spared — however, yours truly understands there isn't enough manpower "to patrol every beach every night!"

And on that note — we'll leave the full moon of May, the people, the beaches — and those turtles. (Am still going to Lowe's for turtle and that's legal!)

Everywhere, they ask yours truly — "Has the Evans Studio been sold?" And I say — yes — to "Poray Studio," at 404 Southard. There you will find all of the Evans equipment, plus their backlog of negatives — plus Peray's wonderful picture-taking ability! You can re-order at a special price on those portraits you had made at Evans, y'know — now — at Poray!

My Red Shawl told me there would be a dress rehearsal of "The Filibusters" yesterday eve. Plans had been changed — no rehearsal. When Emily Goddard came out — she looked a bit startled to see me in the middle of the street making notes. Was just copying the marquee.

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Twenty Receive Exemplar Degree In Beta Sigma Phi

Twenty former members of the Beta Omega Ritual of Jewels chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, received the Exemplar degree in an impressive ceremony Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Angela Caro.

The degree was conferred by Edna Jean Landrum, an Exemplar transfer from Miami, assisted by Edith Lopez, new president of the Ritual Chapter.

After the colorful ceremony members retired to the dining room where delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Caro at the tastefully decorated table.

The table was done in yellow and white, the colors of the new chapter, with a lovely bouquet of yellow roses as a centerpiece.

Members taking the degree were: Sylvia Knight, Ruby Dickerson, Jenny Faye Bervaldi, Julie George, Ida Gellrich, Nellie Pearson, Libby Acheson, Doris Sirugo, Wilhelmina Harvey, Blanche Miller, Gwen James, Marjorie Allen, Elissa Knowles, Betty Toppino, James, Dolice Curry, Mary Spotswood, Pauline Ketchings, Angela Caro, Florence Rabon and Edna Jean Landrum, already a member, making a total of twenty-one.

A brief business meeting was held after the ceremony to elect a nominating committee of five to prepare a slate of officers. Florence Rabon, Elissa Knowles, Jenny Faye Bervaldi, Betty Toppino and Mary Spotswood will serve on the committee.

The election will be held at the first business meeting on Monday, May 24 at 8:00 p. m. at the home of Pauline Ketchings.

PFC Kenneth Butler On Maneuvers In Texas

PFC Kenneth O. Butler, son of Mrs. Leoncia McIntosh, 725 Petronia Lane, is taking part in Exercise Spearhead, large-scale Army training maneuver being held this month at Fort Hood, Tex.

Primary an armored exercise centered around the 1st "Old Ironsides" Division, Spearhead will test the utilization of personnel and equipment in a modern armored division under simulated combat conditions.

Private First Class Butler, a rifleman in Company C of the division's 25th Armored Infantry Battalion, entered the Army in June 1951. He is a veteran of the Korean conflict.

Births

Baby Girl Sawyer Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sawyer, 413 Bahama Street, are the parents of a daughter born May 16 at Monroe General Hospital. The baby has been named Deborah Marie.

Mrs. Sawyer is the former Barbara Irene Pritchard.

FALSIES ARE BASIS FOR DAMAGE SUIT

DALLAS (AP)—A woman sued a variety store for \$2,800 yesterday, charging she had been "burned" by a set of "artificial rubber, bust forms."

She claimed the articles contained chemicals which became soluble when she perspired and caused her to become "poisoned, burned and injured."

Key West Library Has "New Look"; Will Re-Open At Noon Tomorrow

Drop in the charming Key West Library some day soon and be pleasantly surprised at the "new look!" The library has just been redecorated, and will open at noon tomorrow.

Housed in the Woman's Club building, 319 Duval Street, the library offers much to townfolk and visitors alike.

Among the shelves of special interest are the Audubon shelf; the Garden Club shelf with books that answer your gardening problems in the tropics and will enable the newcomer to identify the colorful shrubs, trees, and flowers native to Key West and the Keys.

On the Florida shelf you will find one of the few copies of Judge Browne's history of Key West. The Engineers Club has a shelf of technical publications and there is a wonderful shell collection to help with shell identification.

You will also find many of newest best sellers and your old favorites on the shelves in the book room.

There are special low shelves in the children's "Corner" with familiar titles like the "Bobbsey Twins" and a fine selection of the very best in the new books for tots and teenagers.

The library has long been a project of the Woman's Club, and with the help of the City and civic clubs, especially the Rotary Club, and while it's not very large, makes up in quality any lack of quantity.

Even the Girl Scout troop, sponsored by the Woman's Club, takes an active interest in the library. The troop has a Girl Scout shelf with reference books and publications available to Girl Scout leaders for use with their troops.

The library is open to the public with hours from noon to 4:45 p. m. weekdays except Thursdays.

There is a fee of twenty-five cents a month. Fee money is used to help purchase and repair books. A \$3 deposit is required from patrons who have been in the city less than six months.

Mrs. Schuck, better known as "Miss Bessie" is always happy to assist patrons in any way, and visitors have found that Miss Bessie is a walking encyclopedia on Key West.

The next time you have a few minutes, or want a new book to read, whether its a biography, or a murder mystery, or if you want to browse or spend a quiet hour or so, remember the library. You're always welcome!

SurDev Has May Coffee At Beach Patio Last Week

The Surface Development Group Officer's Wives monthly coffee was held at the Naval Station Beach Patio last Tuesday, May 11.

The table was decorated with a Maypole surrounded with delicious cakes baked by the hostesses. Coffee and iced tea were served during the social hour.

Hostesses for the coffee were Mrs. J. F. Tanner, Mrs. M. M. Young, Mrs. H. E. Stephenson and Mrs. R. F. Wentworth.

The business meeting was opened by the retiring chairman, Mrs. W. J. Flannery. The group elected as co-chairman, Mrs. S. E. Thompson. Mrs. J. E. Wheeler will represent the group on the Advisory Board and Mrs. Joan Tillotson will be publicity chairman.

Mrs. C. G. Barr thanked all who helped on the bazaar. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Flannery was presented with a gift in appreciation of her outstanding work as chairman by Mrs. Dorothy Leahy, the new chairman.

Winn And Lovett Employs To Picnic In Miami

More than 4,000 picnickers from West Palm Beach to Key West will converge upon Crandon Park, Miami, Sunday morning for the third annual employees' outing of Winn and Lovett Miami, Inc., owners and operators of Kwik Check, Margaret Ann and Table Supply food stores throughout South Florida.

Mark King, grocery merchandiser for the chain, who is in charge of the picnic, reports a full day's program has been planned for the employees of the stores, main office, warehouse, operational departments and members of their families.

Beginning at noon, a Southern fried chicken dinner will be served. This will be topped off with watermelon. In addition, free ice cream and soft drinks will be available throughout the day.

One of the big events will be a jitterbug contest with music by the Femtones. There will be group and quartet singing, dancing, a watermelon-eating contest and a greased pig "catch." Numerous valuable prizes are being offered winners of the various contests, said Mr. King.

The kiddies will enjoy seven different kinds of free rides ranging from pony carts to merry-go-round. There will be free admission to the Crandon Park Zoo for all guests. Locker room facilities will be available for those who go bathing.

New School Gives Training For Tots

Among the new pre-schools to open in Key West recently, The Sunshine School, 620 Southard St., is one of the most ideal.

The school program includes music, rhythm, musical games, hand-craft and special tutoring for the older pupils who will be entering the public schools this fall.

The playground is among a grove of thick, shady trees and flowering shrubs. This is a beautiful setting for children to start school life.

Classes and recreation are held out of doors and every advantage of our lovely climate is utilized. The school is located in one of the oldest Key West homes and affords a sense of security to little ones.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gregory operate the school together and every child is given individual attention. The Gregories are most understanding people and try to cooperate with parents in every way possible.

Calvet Visits Italy

ROME (AP)—Corinne Calvet, French-born American movie star, arrived here by plane last night for a brief visit in Italy. She was met at the airport by her fiancé, Jeff Stone.

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Advertisement for 'Fiesta Alegre y Benefica' featuring 'THE FILIBUSTERS' by CDR. RAY BYRNS, directed by Jack Clarke. Includes details for a gala evening performance on May 21 at Casa Marina.

Advertisement for Charley Johns, 'OUR GOVERNOR'. Includes a portrait of Charley Johns and text about a change of administration in Florida.