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WILTON MANORS MAY BUY FT. LAUDERDALE WATER

WILTON



WASHINGTON-Dwight D. Eisenhower has been inaugurated as President of the United States and now, campaign issues aside, is the President for all the people and not simply the standard bearer of the Republican Party. Those of us who are Democrats owe him our support and allegiance as citizens, and the vast majority of us will give him the

vancement of our nation, the betterment of the people of the country, and the cementing of the bonds of strength which will give us world peace.

Along with my colleagues who are about evenly divided as to party allegiance, I observed the inaugural ceremony as an official witness and part of the formal party on January 20. (There are now 48 Republicans. 47 Democrats cludes 73 agencies with 2.562,981 and 1 Independent in the Senate.) I am sure that most of us in both parties feel that President Eisenhower, from the moment he touched the nation's heart with a display of humble devoutness by starting his four year term with a personal prayer, begins his White Pamela O'Neil. . . Floridians House service in a moving spirit of dedication to a great task.

At any rate, we must depend upon President Eisenhower's leadership in this "Time of Tempest" and never stoop to petty politics. We must seek to serve only the national welfare.

For we in the minority party. Plans Ordered this is no time for pure negativism and obstructions but a time only for constructive efforts to strengthen our country and establish world power, and we, as the party of loyal opposition, must hold the majority party accountable on such principles.

full measure of our support in faces the decision of whether or those things he seeks for the adnot to issue postage stamps commemorating two Floridians --- the late Henry Morrison Flagler who contributed so much to development of the state. and Jose Marti. the Tampa-born "liberator of Cuba." I feel certain that within the next few years this justly and enjoyable program. merited honor will be authorized.

. . President Eisenhower, taking over at the White House, will be head of a government which inemployes, according to latest figeconomy in government. was happy recently to indorse the "March of Dimes" annual drive and to pose with Florida's two little poster girls. Patricia and Secretary Donald McKay on his "guarantee" to me that he will visit Florida. one of the two states vitations to him are rolling in.

ACE CARTOONIST APPEARS AT VILLAGE HALL MONDAY TO ENTERTAIN RESIDENTS

Claude Shafer, ace editorial cartoonist for the Cincinnati Times-Star, is scheduled to arrive in Wilton Manors this weekend and will deliver a chalk-talk before the Civic Association at the Village Hall Monday night at 8 o'clock.

Shafer. who has gained international recognition for his outstanding work over the years, will visit his cousin, Mrs. Norman Malcolm, 2310 NE Fifth Ave.

It is expected that the artist will spend the weekend resting before his appearance Monday night.

Frank Hainey Civic Association president, announced last week that all Wilton Manors residents, members and non-members of the association, are invited to attend Monday's meeting.



The Wilton Manors Village Council this week ordered an ordinance drawn to require public already are taking up Interior chases over \$300-and to require Council approval of every expenditure of more than \$50.

A \$288 bill for an adding mahe has never seen, and the in- chine bought by the water depart- order validating Wilton Manors' ment was withdrawn by depart- S110,000 water revenue bond issue ment head O. M. Dunton in view of the Counci laction.

Dunton said he thought the until the end of a 20-day waiting ordinance a sound one and that he period in case of an appeal against would withdraw the bill and resubmit it through the procedure as ordered.

Blueprints for the proposed new Councilman Earl Gurney, who first asked public bids on purchases of more than \$50 but amended it long-range planning board got its meter, \$8; 11/2 inch meter, \$15; 2 when it was pointed out that such first assignments this week when inch meter, \$25. a low figure might cause undue For some time, councilmen have delays in making minor routine purchases.

Council Demands Water Be Improved, **Engineer Says Complaints Mounting**

A formal demand that Wilton Manors' water be improved and a check on the possibility of putting Ft. Lauderdale water in Wilton Manors' mains was the first of a series of storms that broke over the water department during the week. And in another, an unsuccessful move was made to kick Orley M. Dunton out as Village water engineer. The demand for better water,

J. Dewey Hawkins, was ordered

by the Village Council last Friday night in a special session after Dunton declared a large number of complaints had been received concerning color, sedimentation and taste of the water now being purchased from Oakland Park.

He also said samples were being sent to consulting engineers Black and Associates at Gainesville for complete chemical analysis "to try to determine what causes the trouble."

At the climax of a long discussion, Councilman James C. Dean declared: "Well. let's sell onr water system to Ft. Lauderdale and buy water from them.

Councilman J. Marvin Brown promptly replied he would be "100 percent for it if it could be worked out.

Dunton, Dean and Brown were named to confer with Ft. Lauderdale City Manager Milton Link and advertising for bids on all pur. probe the possibilities of such a move.

> While all this was going on, Circuit Judge George W. Tedder was reported to have signed an to pay for the system already built. It will not take final effect

Long-Range Plan Board The ordinancewas introduced by Takes Up First Duties

addressed to Oakland Park Mayor the decision. No appeal is expected.

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Other items affecting the water system were these:

Councilman Brown at the regular meeting Tuesday night introduced a motion to call for Dunton's resignation, but the motion died for lack of a second. Council President Earle Middleton said Dunton had offered his resignation some time ago, but that it had never been acted upon.

Middleton instructed Dunton to present a revised program for water department operation at the next meeting of the Council.

Dunton and Brown engaged in a verbal tiff Tuesday night over use of a small storage building to be placed behind the Village Hall; the question never was formally settled and apparently both the police and water departments will make use of the structure.

Council established a policy whereby subdividers wanting extensions of present water mains will install the extensions under Village specifications. with the question of reimbursements to be decided later.

(The bond issue agreement prohibits use of water revenue for extensions until a reserve fund has been filled and a surplus of cash exists.

Council approved minimum water rates suggested by William Crow. engineer with Black and Associates. The minimum rates are, for a 5/8 inch meter. \$2.50 month-Wilton Manors' new 10-man ly; 3/4 inch meter, \$5; 1 inch

It will. he said, be a stimulating

ures of the Byrd Committee on On Village Buying

The new Postmaster General

MRS. DAVE TURNER HOSTESS FOR WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING

Mrs. Dave Turner will be hostess. assisted by Mrs. A. B. Hagen Sr. and Mrs. R. E. Barnes Sr., when the Wilton Manors Woman's Club meets next Tuesday afternoon. The subject will be Fine Arts.

An executive board meeting at 1:30 p. m. will precede the regular meeting and the board will hear Mrs. John Mulloch report on the recent bazaar held by the Club at Manor Hardware and Hobbycraft. The bazaar is reported to have netted some \$125.

The Woman's Club is now planning a rummage sale to be held on Leaver as chairman.

erected east of the Florida East Coast railway were ordered this week by the Village Council.

been trying to solve the problem of finding funds for the new structure.

Wilton Manors Village Hall to be

For Village Hall

Meanwhile, action has been postponed on deeding of the present building and lot to the Civic Association which claims the property.

Councilman J. Marvin Brown proposed to deed the building and corner lot to the association, reserving the Council's right to use the building temporarily, and to postpone any action on an adjacent lot which the civic group also has asked for.

Council also approved a pay raise for Police Chief Richard ticket committee, and Mrs. O. February 24, with Mrs. Clayton Beaney effective next fall with next year's budget.

Oakland Park Methodist Church Holds Benefit

A musical program has been scheduled for the evening of Feb-

ruary 6 for the benefit of the building fund of Oakland Park Methodist Church, it was announced Wednesday by Mrs. J. W Colquitt, program chairman.

Mrs. Colquitt said the program will be in the Oakland Park School Auditorium. Mrs. Colley White mittee.

the zoning board recommended to the Village Council a reduction in the amount of living space required in Village residence construction.

The zoning board recommended a reduction from 1000 to 750 square feet of living space exclusive of porches, garages and carportes.

The proposal was referred to the new planning board for study. A public hearing was set for February 24 on a move to rezone lots 1 through 18 of block 20 in Wilton Manors from R-2 to B-1. Property owners in the area afwill serve as chairman of the fected will be given opportunity at the hearing to protest if they Green heads the decorating com- desire. One protest was entered Fire Hall. Mrs. Roy Chadwick is this week by Mrs. Mabel Barwick. in charge.

The rates as approved were vigorously protested by C. Wilson Brown, 2113 NE 9th Ave., who declared that the schedule is unlike any other anywhere in the United States.

Dunton informed the Council that he believes most leakages in the Village system have been located and corrected.

BENEFIT PARTY

The Women's Anxiliary of the Oakland Park Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor a benefit card party for the VFD general fund Saturday at 8 p. m. at the Wilton Manors Historical Society Collection--all rights reserved



Elfers-Blair Nuptials To Be Held Saturday

Bethany Presbyterian Church in Ft. Lauderdale will be the scene Saturday evening when Miss Dorothy Elfers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer W. Elfers of Wilton Manors, becomes the bride of Archie Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Blair, Bayshore, L. I., N. Y.

Many out-of-town guests are expected from Bayshore and from Wisconsin, former home of the bride-elect.

A reception in the church patio will follow the ceremony.

Miss Barbara King Will Become A Bride In June

Engagement of Miss Barbara King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. King of Oakland Park, to Sgt. William G. Williams, U. S. Air Force, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams, Oakland Park, has been announced.

Miss King, who will be a June graduate of Ft. Lauderdale High School, will become a bride in a ceremony planned for mid-June at Oakland Park Methodist Church.

Her bridegroom - to - be, whose seven years Air Force service includes over five years in the Far East and in Korea, is now stationed in Kansas.

The basic, underlying trouble in Florida's traffic law enforcement program, according to Marvin L. Holloway, manager of the Tampa Motor Club, is our vicious, antiquated and unjust fee system.

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A birthday party at Oakland Park School Monday honored Albert Muzzell Jr., above. A number of Albert's friends helped celebrate his 11th birthday with games and refreshments after school Monday afternoon. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Muzzell.

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County Firemen Hear Financial Aid Expected

Broward County Commission Chairman Tony Salvino last Monday night explained to the Broward County Volunteer Firemen's Association the county's position Wilton Manors volunteer firemen to 104 weeks, hospital coverage up on fire-fighting expenditures are now covered by insurance pro- to \$500, and \$3,000 death benefit. which have not been made as plan-

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It was the 13th meeting of the association, with new officers including President Ralph Green of Oakland Park, Vice President Otis Curtis of West Hollywood, Secretary-Treasurer Charles McFetridge of Hallandale and Master-at-Arms Nick Faillace, of Oakland Park.

The commission chairman said a law exists forbidding counties to donate money to organized fire companies for equipment. But a bill is expected to be introduced in the Legislature to make it possible for the county to levy taxes for fire protection in the county.

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WILTON-OAKLAND Thursday, January 29, 1953

Volunteer Firemen Get Saxer.

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tection provided by the Village.

The Village Council this week

The plan, which costs \$162.50 a year, will pay VFD members dis-Like those of Oakland Park, year, while pay the state of \$30 weekly up

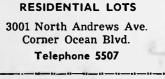
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