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MARCH 2016 INSURANCE NEWS:

THE 2016 ALLSTATE MOTORCYCLE SLINGSHOT SWEEPSTAKE Enter for a chance to win

Allstate Motorcycle is celebrating 50 years of providing Motorcycle insurance. They are giving away a 2016 Polaris Slingshot customized by Rick Fairless with an approximate retail value of \$35,000. Click on the link to see a beautiful motorcycle!!

www.allstatemotorcyclesweepstakes.com.

The Sweepstakes began on March 3, 2016 and will end on February 28, 2017. How to enter? Entry forms will be available at various Motorcycle Rallies or you can submit the electronic official entry at the same link above. Be sure to complete all fields. Incomplete entries are void.

March is Women's History Month



Julia Tuttle (1848-1898)

Julia Tuttle first came to Florida via steamship to visit her mother and father who lived in South Florida. An astute businesswoman, Tuttle was largely responsible for the development of Miami, knowing decent transportation was needed. As an owner of hundreds of acres of land north of the Miami River, Tuttle approached railroad mogul Henry Flagler and worked out a plan to extend his railroad to what is now Miami. Tuttle's business savvy and desire to see the area she loved grow produced one of America's greatest cities. For this reason, she is called the "Mother of Miami."



Clara Westropp (1886-1965)

The Westropp Sister, Clara and Lillian, were the founders of American's first female-run company geared toward savings and loan. The Women's Savings & Loan Co., which served both male and female clientele, was started in 1922 with the goal of educating women about money. Women's Savings & Loan, the type of company usually led by men, did exceptionally well during the years of the Great Depression, becoming one of the largest banks in the country before ultimately being bought by Charter One Financial in 1992



Eartha M.M. White (with her mother in (1910) (1876-1974)

Born in Jacksonville, the 13th child of a former slave, Eartha Mary Magdalene White attended schools in Florida and New York. An educator and publisher, she established the Clara White Mission in honor of her mother during the Depression in the 1930s. She also ran a prison mission and donated property for community projects.

In 1967 she began the Eartha M.M. White Nursing Home, which grew into Jacksonville's largest employer of blacks. She was a Women's Hall of Fame inductee 1986.



Mary McLeod Bethune (1875-1955)

One of the nation's prominent educators and civil rights leaders. Her political career includes appointments to National Youth Administration by Franklin D. Roosevelt and delegate of the founding conference of the United Nations by Harry Truman.

She established a school in Daytona Beach that eventually evolved into the Bethune-Cookman College. 1982 inductee to the Florida Women's Hall of Fame.



Jacqueline Cochran (1906-1980)

Born near Panama City about 1910, Cochran was a reporter, owner of a cosmetics firm and a test pilot.

As a pilot, she was the first woman to break the sound barrier, to fly a bomber across the Atlantic and the first civilian woman to win a Distinguished Service Medal. Later, she was elected to the Aviation Hall of Fame.

By the time of her death in 1980, she held more speed, altitude and distance records than any other pilot. She was a Florida Women's Hall of Fame inductee in 1992.



2nd Lt. Sarah Kaplan (1940s)

Sarah Kaplan was a 2nd Lieutenant in the Army Medical Corps who served as a nurse under General Patton in the Battle of the Bulge.

She was discharged in [February] 1946. Her husband Samuel Kaplan was the first doctor to practice in Venice [Florida] and later became instrumental in starting the first hospital there. The Kaplans came to Venice in 1949 and for decades were the only Jews who lived there.