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Rams girls, Patriots 11 win

LAKE MARY — The Lake Mary girls basketball team and the Lake Brantley football team were both big winners over the weekend. See Page 1B.

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Hampton honored

Long-time educator, Leroy Hampton, will retire from the Seminole County school system Dec. 11. He was honored at a retirement party recently. See Page 5B.

Florida

Chiles drums up support

TALLAHASSEE — Despite resistance from top lawmakers who'd rather wait, Gov. Lawton Chiles is drumming up support for consideration of his government reform agenda in a December special session. See Page 2A.

BRIEFS

Zoo offers Junior Keeper classes

SANFORD — The Central Florida Zoological Park will hold a one-day seminar for youngsters Saturday. It is planned to educate and demonstrate what being a zoo keeper is like.

According to Andrea Farmer, the zoo's marketing coordinator, "Designed for children nine through 12 years, this class will provide hands on opportunities to work with the Central Florida Zoo animal staff, and will include a look behind the scenes."

The cost for the program is \$15 for zoological society members and \$17 for non-members. A portion of the proceeds from the class will support the zoo's Keeper Fund, which provides the opportunity for keepers to attend professional conferences to learn more about the animals under their care.

Youngsters planning to attend the seminar are asked to register by no later than Friday. The program will be presented from 8 a.m. until 11 a.m. The number of persons who will be allowed to participate is limited due to space, so early registration is important.

The Central Florida Zoological Park is located just east of the I-4 exit 52, at 3755 Highway 17-92. For further information or registration, phone 323-4450, or from the Orlando area, 843-2341.

Company joins Soviets for TV

CLEARWATER — A Florida company is teaming with two Soviet agencies to form the Global Television Network.

The \$55 million joint venture includes World One, a fledgling radio-television network based in Clearwater and the Soviet Union's All-Union State Company for Television and Radio, and the Ministry of Posts and Telecommunications.

Envisioned is a network with up to 20 percent of programming from the Soviets, with an equal share from the United States and the balance from other participating nations. Mark Gould, president of World One Inc., said Friday.

Correction

The caption published Friday on Page 1A incorrectly stated that the Rotary Bowl game was played in Lake Mary. The game was played at Lyman High School. The Herald regrets the error.

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Partly cloudy, warm



Early morning cloudiness and fog then partly cloudy and warm with a slight chance of mainly afternoon showers or thunderstorms. High in the low to mid 80s. Wind southeast 15 mph.

For more weather, see Page 2A

Court officials cut staffs

State Attorney's employees go on unpaid furloughs

By J. MARK BARFIELD
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — State Attorney Norm Wolfinger has joined a growing list of central Florida court officials who are laying off staff and sending remaining staff on unpaid furloughs to meet pending budget cuts.

Wolfinger said Wednesday he has laid off a Sanford-based investigator and will send the staffs of both his Sanford and Titusville offices home Dec. 24 on an unpaid furlough in an effort to meet a possible \$190,000 cut to his \$7.4 million budget. Wolfinger said consumer fraud investigations will be greatly diminished and routine case handling will be delayed with the cuts.

"It's frightening how the legislature and the governor are handling this," Wolfinger said Wednesday. "They are dangling threats before state workers. It's not good for employees to have to deal with this."

The Florida Legislature will meet in special session next month to find \$622 million to cut

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—State Attorney Norm Wolfinger

from the current state budget.

Wolfinger said investigator Ed Haven, of Sanford, was notified last month of his termination, effective Nov. 30. Haven, of Sanford, has been employed as an investigator since October. See Cuts, Page 5A

All I want for Christmas is...



Herald Photo by Tommy Vincent

Although she received a free Christmas bear, Crystal Daniels, 1, of Sanford, burst into tears when she got a good look at Santa Claus after he arrived at Fun World in Sanford Friday Afternoon. She was not too enthusiastic about having her photo taken, either, as Santa's elf, Cindy Potter of Flea World, came to the rescue. Related photo on Page 6A.

Baby food center opens for women on WIC program

Free service to begin in early January

By J. MARK BARFIELD
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Zayre's Plaza, which will already house a free food distribution center for the needy next year, will soon offer a food service for recipients of WIC vouchers.

A \$350 per month lease was approved by the Seminole County Expressway Authority Wednesday for Florida Baby Food Center Inc., a Miami-based company that distributes food to women eligible for the Federal Women, Infants and Children vouchers.

Beginning in January, the Seminole Community Volunteer Program will begin distributing cheese and other staple foods to low-income residents in a store-front in Zayre's Plaza at U.S. Highway 17-92 at Airport Boulevard.

The defunct shopping center already houses two churches and an auto parts store. Habitat For Humanity will establish its Seminole County offices there and the former Zayre's store may be used for a movie studio next month.

Florida Baby Food Center president and owner Victor Rivera said the store-like service would offer 18 to 20 products including formula, milk, cheese and other products that meet WIC voucher requirements. Now the vouchers must be taken to a local grocery store and the vouchers must be matched with products distributed throughout the store, Rivera said.

Rivera said he got the idea for the voucher stores in 1974 in his native Puerto Rico when the WIC program was first begun.

"None of the merchants wanted to accept them because they had to wait three or four months to get reimbursed," Rivera said. "None of them wanted to wait so long."

Rivera opened his first center in Puerto Rico about 12 years ago and now has seven centers in Miami and two in Puerto Rico.

The baby food center will only accept vouchers, Rivera said, and does not keep cash on the premises. Rivera said the Zayre's Plaza location is ideal because vouchers are distributed monthly at the nearby Seminole County Public Health Unit. Rivera said a second Seminole County center will be opened in Wildfire Plaza in Casselberry, next to the branch county public health unit. Other centers are planned for Orlando and Tampa, he said.

Geneva citizens feel left out by Ma Bell

Take a look at your current local telephone directory.

In the lower left corner you'll see in bold type the words "Sanford, Lake Mary and Heathrow."

Now, take a peek at the lower right hand corner and you'll see "Including listings for Deltona-DeBary, Geneva, Oviedo, Winter Springs and Winter Park."

The current edition of the Southern Bell directory is the first with names of subscribers in all of these cities, except for Winter Park, grouped together.

In past years, Deltona-DeBary, Geneva, Oviedo, Winter Springs and Sanford each had its own section.



And, believe me, folks, the telephone subscribers in the Geneva area have been upset about this unexpected change ever since the current edition made its initial appearance back in January of 1991.

When you look back into the history of telephone service in this area, you just can't blame those good people in Geneva for feeling the way they do.

It was in 1906, according to Lorraine Whiting of the Geneva Historical Society, that a permit was granted to the Sanford Telephone Company to install a telephone in the first home in Geneva to be built for blacks.

This particular home was occupied by a fellow named Jones. He was the foreman of a telephone wire installation crew. The purpose of this particular telephone was to

enable the company to give Jones work orders for the installation of poles and phone lines.

In 1908, according to Whiting, a telephone switchboard was installed in Proctor's store which was situated on the east shore of Lake Geneva. In 1910 the switchboard was moved to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones whose residence was located at the corner of Cook's Ferry Road and the old road to Sanford.

The current automatic telephone switching center was built during 1941 by former County Commissioner W.G. Kilbee to house the first dialing system in Seminole County.

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Park on Park bustles with activity

By VICKI DeSORMIER
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — As a cool Saturday morning melted into a warm autumn afternoon, the crowd at Park on Park in Sanford grew. It has been two years since the park first opened and the popularity of the community-built playground has not waned.

Toddlers with their parents in tow clambered up the wooden gangplanks and down the slides. Adolescents, hoping to impress members of the opposite sex, performed daring acrobatics on the swings.

Parents and grandparents sat on benches, gossiping and keeping an eye on their youngsters.

More than 50 people took advantage of the park and the Chamber of Commerce weather. "It's always like this," said See Park, Page 5A

Tour of Homes

1,000 expected to attend gala event



Herald Photo by Lacy Domen

By LACY DOMEN
Herald People Editor

SANFORD — Dressed in Victorian roses, hunter greens and jeweled aquas, replete with polished antiques and gleaming oak floors, and warmed by the crackling logs in the fireplaces, vintage homes on the Sanford Historic Trust, Inc., third annual Holiday Interior Tour of Homes will be receiving guests Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 7 and 8, from 12 to 5 p.m. both days.

Over 1,000 people are expected to tour the eight homes and one church. Headquarters for the event is the newly refurbished Cultural Arts Center at 5th Street and Oak Avenue.

Architectural style ranging from Colonial to Victorian to Mission will delight patrons of design.

Interiors have been decorated in a wide range of colors, from stark whites to radiant brights to jeweled

See Tour, Page 5A

Juanny and John Mercer open their home on tour

POLICE BRIEFS

Traffic offender arrested

Fredrick Carl Smith, 24, of Labeland was arrested in Sanford on Thursday.

He was charged with driving with a suspended driver's license, attaching a tag not assigned to his vehicle and avoiding a traffic control device.

The report said that to avoid stopping at a traffic light Smith cut through a convenience store parking lot on Cedar Avenue.

When he was stopped by an officer for the violation it was revealed that his license had been suspended and that the tag on his car was assigned to another vehicle.

He was transported to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility and held in lieu of \$500 bond.

Drug arrest made

Jouni Petri Norris of 1008 E. 9th St. in Sanford was arrested on Wednesday.

He was charged with possession of cocaine and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Using a search warrant, Sanford Police officers found cocaine in his house. They also found a smoking pipe.

He was taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where he was held in lieu of \$3,000 bond.

Disorderly intoxication charged

Petri Weckstrom, 25, of 500 W. Airport Blvd., Apt. 1806 in Sanford was arrested on Wednesday.

He was charged with disorderly intoxication and trespassing after a warning.

He was found at the Stone Brook Apartments where he appeared to be intoxicated. He was asked to leave, but he did not.

He was taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where he was held on \$600 bond.

DUI arrests made

There were three DUI arrests in Seminole County over the Thanksgiving holiday.

Jada Marie Gray, of 1232 Roseliff Cir. in Sanford, was arrested at the intersection of state roads 419 and 434.

Daniel Charles Smith of 3202 Orlando Dr. in Sanford was arrested on U.S. Highway 17-92 near State Road 434.

Raymond Leroy Grubbs of 4220 A. Orlando Dr. in Sanford was arrested at 3350 U.S. Highway 17-92 in Sanford.

All were transported to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where they were held in lieu of \$100 bond apiece.

School Board seeks recreation expansion

By NICK PPRIPAUF
Sanford Herald Writer

LONGWOOD — The Seminole County School Board wants to expand recreational facilities adjacent to Lyman High School. The Board has requested a conditional use permit from the City Commission.

On April 1 of this year, the School Board received approval from the Longwood City Commission on an adjacent parcel of property. They now wish to add slightly less than 3 acres adjoining the area, for recreational and athletic field usage.

The property is the former homestead of Julia M. McCall. It contains a vacant home and utility shed. The School Board is working on an agreement with Mrs. McCall to purchase the land.

According to City Planner Chris Nagle, the School Board "has stated that they have no current plans to construct permanent buildings on the property."

In the conditional use request filed with the City, the request is "To utilize property for recreational and extracurricular activities by Lyman High School students and City of Longwood citizens." Also included in the planning is for an area for High School Band practice.

The request has already won the support of most of the City. The Conditional Use Request was approved unanimously by the Land Planning Agency during its Nov. 13th. meeting. The Longwood Fire Department and City Engineering Division have also approved the conditional use request, and the City Planner has recommended approval, contingent upon installation of landscaping, and certain bufferzone design requirements.

The matter will be brought up Monday night, during the regularly scheduled meeting of the Longwood City Commission, beginning at 7 p.m., in the commission chambers of the City Hall.

Kiwanis Day set Thursday

SANFORD — Mayor Bettye Smith has officially declared Thursday, Dec. 5, as "Kiwanis Club of Sanford Day". The observance honors the local club's 70th. anniversary.

In her proclamation, the Mayor said, "The Kiwanis Club of Sanford has played a vital role in the development of the City of Sanford as a service club in this community."

Will inn become new City Hall?

By NICK PPRIPAUF
Herald Staff Writer

LONGWOOD — Negotiations to purchase the Longwood Village Inn, for use as a City Hall, have stopped recently. No action has been taken since the proposal was removed from the city election.

During a recent meeting of the Longwood Village Inn Acquisition Committee, it was announced that "Neither CNL Properties nor the city have contacted each other since removal of the Referendum from the November Ballot."

Things may soon change however. City Administrator Don Terry said, "Late last week, Gary Ralston from CNL, owners of the Inn, contacted the Acquisition Committee, and asked for a meeting to be set up." Terry said the meeting has been planned for 8 a.m. Friday, Dec. 6.

The city's purchase of the historical old hotel building was to have been brought before the voters with the question: "Shall the City of Longwood be authorized to purchase the Longwood Village Inn for use as a City Hall, with seller to furnish all necessary services related to the renovation of the property for a total price not to exceed \$985,000?"

At the end of October, the city obtained another appraisal of the building, that indicated the price might be \$680,000. At practically the last minute, the

members of the Acquisition issued a statement in which it recommended to the City Commission that "the referendum on the ballot concerning the purchase of the hotel be deferred until negotiations are completed."

During last week's meeting, City Administrator Don Terry asked if the Committee would like to meet with Ralston, to find out if there was still an interest in selling the facility. Marvin Meltzer responded that it was his understanding CNL still wanted to sell.

At the time of the meeting, it was believe no further action might be undertaken until after the beginning of the new year. Terry said he was pleased that Ralston had contacted the group so discussions could continue.

The possibility of purchasing the Village Inn for use as a City Hall and to house additional City facilities has been discussed for many months. One of the proposals discussed in initial planning would be to eventually use the present City Hall for a Senior Center or other civic and cultural gatherings. In addition, it has been suggested that, if the Village Inn is obtained, the City allocate one of the main downstairs rooms of the Inn for use as a historical center.



Herald Photo by Gary F. Vogel

Longwood Village Inn, a historic landmark

The attempts to obtain a new City Hall for Longwood have been going on for many years. As far back as 1983, a referendum on building and moving the City Hall failed. Recently, another move to build a new multi-million dollar City Hall

went down to defeat. The City Hall, 175 W. Warren Ave., is presently considered as overcrowded, and the desire for a new facility has been mentioned by several City Commissioners as well as members of the city staff.

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LETTERS

Terrorist

A 193-count federal indictment handed down in Washington leaves little doubt that the Libyan government is responsible for the 1988 bomb blast that destroyed Pan Am Flight 103 over Lockerbie, Scotland, killing 270 people.

The indictment was the product of three years of painstaking work by investigators from 53 nations. The same international cooperation that resulted in two Libyan intelligence agents being charged with this terrorist crime should be marshaled now against Moammar Qadhafi's regime.

Just as the Libyan strongman was punished five years ago for the bombing of a Berlin discotheque that killed a U.S. serviceman, he should be held fully accountable for this monstrous act.

On the night of Dec. 21, 1988, the Pan Am jumbo jet was en route from London to New York with 259 passengers and crew aboard. In the sky over a Scottish village, a plastic bomb that had been smuggled aboard in a suitcase detonated, blowing up the plane and sending chunks of steel and bodies plummeting to earth. The falling debris also killed 11 persons on the ground.

Since then, U.S. and Scottish investigators have been sifting through mounds of evidence and following thousands of leads that eventually led to Lamen Khalifa Fhimah and Abdel Basset Ali al-Megrahi. Both are identified in the indictment as officers in the intelligence service through which Libya conducted terrorism against other nations.

Predictably, the Libyan government has denied involvement in this brutal crime and has refused American and British requests that the suspects be extradited to stand trial.

Such defiance cries out for a united front by the world community. President Bush is consulting with other nations in the hope of assembling an array of economic sanctions and diplomatic pressure against Libya. Meanwhile, he has not ruled out the option of U.S. military retaliation.

An economic embargo might be difficult to sustain, particularly among nations such as Italy that conduct extensive trade with Libya. At the same time, however, Libya already is regarded as a pariah state by much of the world.

Washington severed diplomatic relations with Libya 10 years ago and has virtually no economic ties with Tripoli. But in 1989 five U.S. oil companies were permitted to resume doing business with Libya in order to protect their capital investment there. In light of the case against Qadhafi's terrorist network, President Bush should cancel this exemption.

The contagion of international terrorism never will be eradicated until the world community imposes strong sanctions against nations that support it. The U.S. indictment clearly has pinpointed the Libyan connection. The rest of the world now should close ranks to isolate Qadhafi and deter future terrorist acts.

LETTERS TO EDITOR

Letters to the editor are welcome. All letters must be signed, include the address of the writer and a daytime telephone number. Letters should be on a single subject and be as brief as possible. Letters are subject to editing.

Berry's World



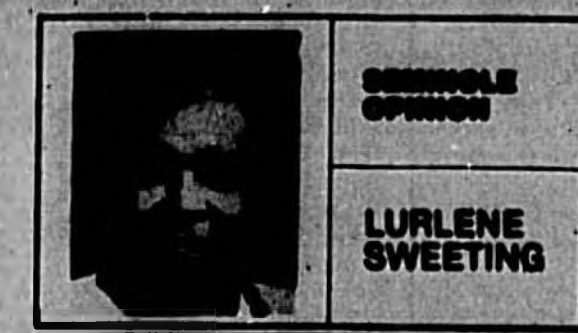
Perry takes the challenge as mayor

Adrienne Perry never dreamed that her date with destiny included being mayor of Longwood. If she had entertained any thoughts of entering the political arena, it would have been to run for the Seminole County School Board. Perry attributes her entry into politics to her neighbors. They requested she run for office and supported her in the process. She was first elected to the Longwood City Commission November 1989 and re-elected for a second term November 1991. After which, her fellow commissioners elected her mayor. Her campaign slogan was "Cherishing the Past - Cultivating the Present and Creating the Future."

Longwood has been home to Adrienne Perry and her husband, Attorney James Perry, and their three children for the past 12 years. The Perrys were married in 1971. Their oldest son William is employed as a contract analyst by International Paper Company in Louisiana. Their next son, Jamison, is a sophomore at the University of Florida. Kamillah, the youngest family member, is a freshman at Lake Mary High School.

Perry's experiences prior to politics include a noteworthy educational background. She holds a masters degree from Columbia University, N.Y., and a doctor of philosophy degree from the University of Florida.

Perry served as coordinator of Seminole Community College's reading program for 13 years. She is currently employed as assistant



director of student faculty teaching, Setson University. Her repertoire of past service encompasses the presidency of Florida Community College Reading Council and director of the College Level Academic Skills Project (CLAST) from 1986-1989.

Perry stated that the two primary motivators in her life were her family and her peers. Her uncle, Ferdinand Bluford, was the president of A&T University, Greensboro, N.C. Her first cousin, Guion Bluford, was the first astronaut of African descent in the American space program.

Obtaining a good education was always one of her priorities. Additionally, she was fortunate to have grown up in an environment with highly motivated peers.

Perry's advice to young people, if limited to one word, is "persistence." Persistence is a salient ingredient in success. The avenue to goal

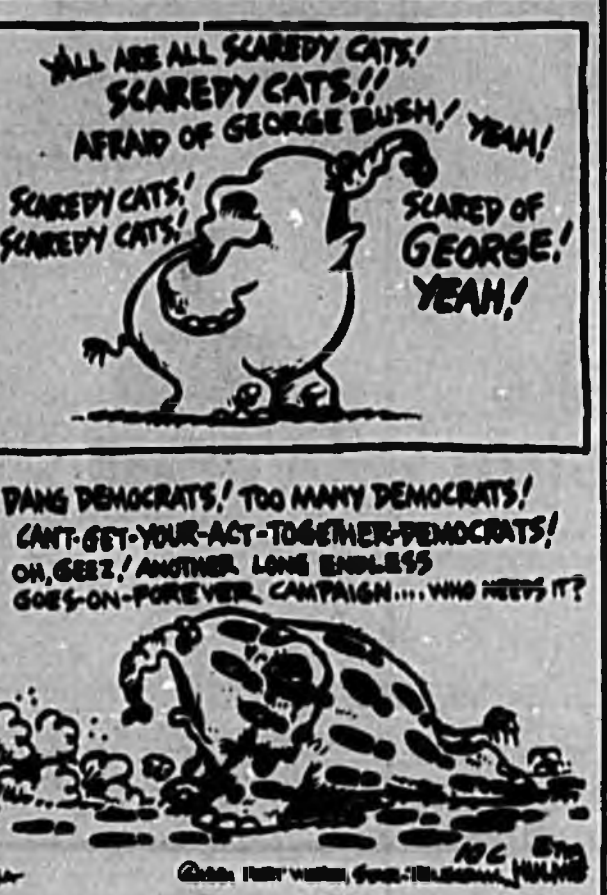
realization is often fraught with multiple obstacles. Persistence is the cornerstone of achievement.

Longwood has approximately 15,000 residents and is a suburban community. Several issues that Perry would like to see addressed are: downtown redevelopment, the sewer deficit and year-round recreational activities for all community members.

Longwood is the only city in Seminole County that doesn't have a formal structure identified as city hall. Longwood commissioners had been planning a new city hall when membership on the commission changed. Perry would like to see the issue placed on the ballot in February 1992 for the voters to decide.

The sewer deficit results from the fact some Longwood residents have elected to use septic tanks rather than the city's disposal system. The deficit occurs because the system is in place and generates insufficient revenue to cover cost.

An historical event has taken place in Longwood. The voters and the city commissioners have recognized a citizen's abilities irrespective to race and gender. They have provided Adrienne Perry with a singular opportunity to serve her community. I am certain that she will display the same type of leadership, persistence, dedication in the performance of her duties as mayor of Longwood that have characterized her past performances.



ELLEN GOODMAN

Struggling for sexual values

BOSTON — The stories all begin the same way, as if they were marking days on a chart after a life-changing cataclysm:

- "In the three days since Magic Johnson..."
- "In the ten days since Magic Johnson..."
- "In the two weeks since Magic Johnson..."

On Nov. 7, the superstar with the smile announced that he tested positive on an exam everyone wants to flunk. We now know he is carrying the HIV virus and some of his stardust is illuminating the corners of the disease we call AIDS.

In the S.M. "Since Magic" Era, we are talking about condoms, and the heterosexual epidemic, about penises and vaginas in their anatomically correct terminology. But in all of this matter-of-factness, we are still having trouble talking about the Psyche and Sex. To be specific, about promiscuity, values and value judgments.

On Day 12 of S.M. Era, on my way to work, I listen to two men arguing on the car radio. One offers thinly veiled suspicions that Magic "caught it" from men, not women. The other angrily rebut this attack by citing Magic's reputation as a "womanizer." I walk into the office shaking my head over this character defense.

At lunch, a doctor talks about the luck of having Magic as a spokesperson for AIDS. He's a man of kindness, a role model for teen-agers. Something good, says the doctor, may yet come from something god-awful.

But over coffee, our conversation shifts from the medical to the personal. The doctor recalls Magic's description of the life he once led: "Before I was married, I truly lived the bachelor's life....I was never at a loss for female companionship....I did my best to accommodate as many women as I could...." What kind of life was that, the doctor asks, sheepish and bewildered. But, it is not a question she asks in public.

Later in the day, I spot a story in the paper about a high school student in Texas who asked his teacher why someone as smart and successful as Johnson led that "lifestyle." The teacher told him that Magic came from a generation that didn't know the dangers.

I wonder if the teacher who answers in such measured classroom tones thinks about these things differently at home. Does she try to imagine Cookie Johnson's thoughts about the nameless women her husband knew in the years they were "just" dating?

At times it seems that AIDS has made it easier to talk about sex in technical terms and harder to talk about sex in emotional terms. It's polarized some of us and silenced the rest.

When AIDS first came into our consciousness, "The Gay Plague," seemed to splinter off groups of moral and medical absolutists. The moralists talked about sin and the medicalists talked about disease. The moralists preached

about human behavior. The medicalists, in reaction, lectured about viruses.

This split has come down to us in different forms. In the debate about condoms in schools, the moralists talk about abstinence and the medicalists about safer sex. In the debate about passing out needles to drug addicts, the moralists focus on drug use and the medicalists on safer shooting up.

Now, in the S.M. Era the moralists have captured the market on monogamy while the medicalists have adopted Johnson as a heterosexual poster child. The rest of us are rather quiet about the sex in this sexual disease.

The silence is partially out of sympathy toward Johnson himself. Who among us would yell at a paraplegic because he didn't wear his seat belt? He knows, he knows. It's out of the sense that sex is private even when someone goes public. And out of the knowledge that you can get AIDS from one partner.

But the poverty of this dialogue about human behavior comes largely out of the choices that we see. In the wake of the sexual revolution we are pressured to be either prudish or approving. To follow the Seventh Commandment or none.

These either-ors are laid over the traditional male talk about "the bachelor's life" for "scoring." Wilt Chamberlain, after all boasts a lifetime record of 20,000 women.

It may be easier to find a cure for AIDS than to find our bearings. But the outlines of a consensus are there. After all, few of us believe that protection makes a virtue out of promiscuity. Most of us recognize that premarital sex is here to stay. On the whole, we are happier with the vision of sex as an intimate exchange, not a sporting event.

Instead of choosing a prefabricated value, we can begin to clarify our values. We can approve both condoms and caution.



We can begin to clarify our values; we can approve both condoms and caution.

JACK ANDERSON

Chinese military large but inept

DALIAN, China — The ubiquitous presence of soldiers in this port city and throughout China's primary cities is evidence of the return to an old dictum of Mao Zedong: "Political power grows from the barrel of a gun."

Deng Xiaoping neglected his military for several years leading up to the Tiananmen Square massacre in 1989. He had cut the world's largest standing army from 4 million to 3 million and repeatedly slashed the budget.

But the military's bloody success on the battlefield of Tiananmen Square earned them a new respect from Deng and the others in the paranoiac octogenarian "Gang of Eight" that rules China from behind the scenes. Deng increased the military budget 12 percent this year, despite the fact that his government is running at a deficit.

On paper, the Chinese military has always been impressive — the world's largest air force and army and the second largest navy. If everyone in the reserves and militia and others with military experience throughout China were counted, China's military manpower would exceed the entire population of the United States.

But in practice, the Chinese military is second-rate. They lost a 16-day war with Vietnam in 1979. Some 26,000 Chinese were killed and 37,000 wounded, and the Vietnamese didn't even need to bring out their front-line troops.

The post-mortem from that skirmish was scathing. Tanks rolled beyond their supply lines so they ran out of gas and spare parts. Vehicles broke down and there weren't enough mechanics to fix them. The Chinese didn't have the equivalent of Meals Ready to Eat (MREs), so they sent fresh food to the front and it spoiled. A single map was issued to each company and the maps disintegrated in the rain. Radios didn't work so runners on foot had to deliver messages.

The Chinese military was simply outmaneuvered, out-gunned and embarrassed by a much smaller Vietnamese force with superior weapons and tactics. The Chinese initially pushed 35 miles into Vietnam, were forced into a humiliating retreat and were not returned again.

Military modernization is a priority today in China after Deng was shocked by the dazzling performance of American weaponry in the Persian Gulf War. One article in the Chinese military newspaper Jiefang Junbao admitted on the front page last March that "some comrades believe that nothing can be achieved with available weapons. If this negative mood is not dispelled, it will be impossible to make a success of training reforms."

The article lamely advocated that the military make do with what it had and remember Mao's words that it is people, not weapons, who win wars. But Mao's military vision was forced on him by circumstances. He tried to make a virtue out of necessity. He couldn't match the American or Soviet military, so he crafted a "People's War" strategy that counted on sheer numbers. The strategy would allow an invader to land on Chinese soil, and then would wear out the invader by constant and overwhelming guerrilla sniping.

Until such an invasion comes along, and until Deng can afford to modernize his army, he will keep them in fighting form by using them in their easiest roll — to repress their own people.



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He's here! Santa Claus arrived Friday, 11 a.m., at Flea World, much to the delight of area residents. The first 1,000 kids to show up and greet the jolly fellow received a free Christmas teddy bear and a free carousel ride.

Computers best physicians at diagnosing heart attacks

By A.J. HOETTLER
Associated Press Writer

PHILADELPHIA — A computer network diagnosed heart attacks in emergency room patients more accurately than physicians, but researchers said the system should be used as an aid rather than a replacement.

The computer program, called an artificial neural network, tries to mimic the way a physician diagnoses a patient using observation and intuition.

The computer network could tell with 97 percent accuracy that a patient was having a heart attack and could specify or better analyze the probable cause 96 percent of the time, said a study in Sunday's Annals of Internal Medicine.

Returning military enlistees find crowded housing market

By BOB LEWIS
Associated Press Writer

FORT CAMPBELL, Ky. — As an Army nurse's aide in Germany, Spec. 4 Paula Porterfield had savored the prospect of life with her husband and their child at a base back home.

Campbell and sent her husband and 3-year-old daughter back home to Arkansas.

increased in number from more than 21,166 in 1989 to 24,216 at September's end. The numbers are still growing.

Crews clear burned hulks of cars and trucks after deadly interstate pileup

By JOE BIGHAM
Associated Press Writer

COALINGA, Calif. — Crews cleared burned hulks of cars and trucks off an Interstate Saturday and tried to identify victims of a pileup that killed 17 people and injured 150 others during a blinding dust storm.

Lee Smith, 50, of Grants Pass, Ore., watched grimly as wrecked cars were pulled from around his relatively unscathed big rig, which was carrying 47,000 pounds of rolled paper.

Witnesses caught in the pileup said poor visibility turned to near blackness when 60 mph winds gusted, kicking up swirls of parched dirt from fallow fields in the Central Valley, which is in its fifth year of drought.

The death toll could mount because 20 of the injured remained in critical condition in hospitals and the California Highway Patrol was still inspecting some charred wreckage for possible bodies.

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Hostage's brother optimistic but wary

Associated Press

ORLANDO — The brother of hostage Alann Steen welcomed news reports Saturday that his five-year ordeal in Lebanon may end within days but was quick to note his family's hopes have been dashed before.

After hearing a summary of the reports, Craig Steen said, "That sounds awfully encouraging, doesn't it?" But he noted recent news reports set Saturday as the deadline for the release of all American hostages in Lebanon.

"The record is spinning around, and the needle gets bounced back," Steen said. "Here we go again. But, you

know, things like this happen all the time. We just have to keep watching and hoping."

Optimistic reports about his brother's fate came from an Iranian newspaper and a Paris-based radio station. Radio Monte Carlo said Steen and fellow hostage Joseph Cicippio would be freed no later than Wednesday.

Craig Steen said reports from "obscure news agencies" made him raise his eyebrows about their reliability, but he remains positive.

"That sounds good to me," the Orlando traffic enforcement supervisor said in a telephone interview from his home near Orlando.

NASA cuts Atlantis mission short

By BARBARA BROWN
AP Aerospace Writer

CAPE CANAVERAL — NASA ordered the six astronauts aboard space shuttle Atlantis to shorten their military mission by three days after a vital navigational unit failed Saturday. A Sunday landing was planned.

Mission Control told shuttle commander Frederick Gregory his first landing opportunity would be at 3:48 p.m. EST Sunday at Edwards Air Force Base in California.

NASA said the astronauts were in no danger.

Flight directors were assessing the weather at Edwards; high winds were forecast. They said they would wait until Monday to bring Atlantis home if the weather does not cooperate Sunday.

The navigational unit, one of three aboard the spaceship, failed Saturday morning. NASA

decided to shorten the 10-day flight following unsuccessful repair attempts by the crew.

Atlantis was not supposed to return until Wednesday.

"We've been consulting with the management team," Mission Control's Jan Davis told Gregory. "We're all at a consensus that we are declaring an MDF," or minimum-duration flight, she said.

Gregory later offered his thanks to flight controllers for "coming up with such a great plan that quick."

NASA flight rules dictate that a shuttle must come home early when one of the navigational units fail. The rules also stipulate that the spaceship try for the expansive, dry lakebed at Edwards if possible.

Flight directors said they would consider Kennedy Space Center, the original touchdown site, only as a last resort because it has only a single concrete

runway surrounded by marsh.

NASA spokesman Jim Cast said the crew faced no risk coming back with only two working navigational devices, called inertial measurement units, or IMUs. Only one of the units is needed during flight, he said.

"As a result of having two working, there is no danger to the mission or the crew or the vehicle," Cast said. "We don't want another one to go down and just have one available."

It would be extremely difficult, if not impossible, for a shuttle to land without any navigational unit, Cast said. The IMUs provide information on the ship's speed and position to on-board computers.

"You wouldn't know how fast you were going and you wouldn't know what the attitude (position) was," Cast said. "I don't think it would be impossible, but I frankly don't want to

speculate right now because we've never done it and we don't want to do it."

NASA has shortened shuttle missions because of equipment trouble only once before. Columbia was forced to return to Earth three days earlier than planned on the second shuttle flight in November 1991 because of a fuel cell failure.

Inertial measurement units have failed on two previous flights, the last time in January 1990. Neither of those missions had to be shortened because the trouble struck late in the flight, Cast said.

Atlantis' voyage is the 44th shuttle mission and the ninth to be devoted to Defense Department work.

The astronauts calmly went about their business Saturday after being notified they would be coming back sooner than expected.

AIDS activists protest Macy's decision not to rehire infected Santa

By SARAH MAHALL
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK — AIDS activists dressed in Santa Claus costumes chained themselves inside Macy's department store to protest the store's decision not to rehire a Santa infected with the AIDS virus.

The 22 demonstrators, from the AIDS Coalition to Unleash Power, or ACT UP, demonstrated Friday on behalf of Mark Woodley, who worked as a store Santa for one season but wasn't rehired after store officials learned he was HIV positive.

Police said they charged 19 demonstrators with resisting arrest in a protest that came on the busiest shopping day of the year. Eighteen also were charged with criminal trespass.

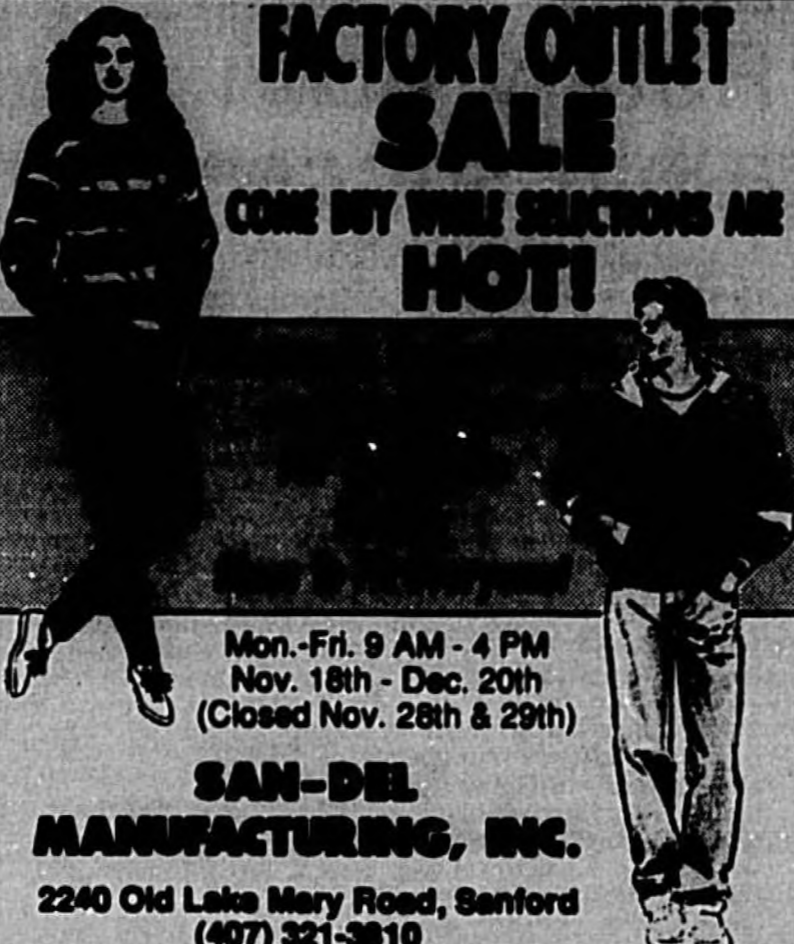
The demonstrators entered the store at mid-afternoon, chained themselves to each other's wrists and began singing satiric Christmas carols, said ACT UP spokesman Robert Rygor.

One set of lyrics went, "Santa has HIV, fa la la la, la la, la, la. Macy's won't rehire he, fa la la la, la, la, la, la."

Protester Jon Winkelman said, "Macy's is playing Scrooge by firing one of their most popular Santas. AIDS discrimination violates the spirit of Christmas and we will not tolerate it at all."

Woodley, 42, who learned five years ago he had the human immunodeficiency virus which causes AIDS, was hired in 1989 to be a store Santa and was asked to return the next year.

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Adults next in line for flu strains hitting kids

By LAURAN HERRGARD
Associated Press Writer

ATLANTA — Adults, particularly those vulnerable to the flu, better watch out. The strain making its way through the nation's schoolchildren has a history of knocking out adults.

"This particular strain won't stay in schoolkids," said Dr. Larry Schonberger, assistant director of viral diseases for the federal Centers for Disease Control.

The Atlanta-based CDC on Friday reported that it has confirmed 74 outbreaks of flu in 21 states. Of those, 49 percent were a subtype of "Type A" virus called the Beijing flu, the worst of the flu strains. Symptoms include high temperatures, vomiting, and aches and pains.

This winter's flu season has been unusual, Schonberger said. It hit early — beginning in October instead of December — and primarily has hit

schoolchildren. Schools in Alabama, Georgia, Minnesota, North Carolina, Ohio, Tennessee, and Texas have reported outbreaks of different strains of Type A flu. School absentee rates ranged from 11 percent to 40 percent, and some schools in Ohio and Tennessee closed for several days.

The predominant strain — in medical terms called Type A-H3N2 — is historically hard on the elderly, Schonberger said.

"That group shouldn't just sit back and say, it's hitting schoolkids so it won't hit me," he said.

Although many people will suffer only fever, muscle aches and sniffles, influenza can be deadly for those at highest risk of serious complications.

Every year it kills 20,000 people. CDC officials urged people over 65 and those in nursing homes or with chronic heart or lung diseases to be vaccinated.

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Education

IN BRIEF

A Dickens of a play at Wilson

SANFORD — A pair of productions of Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" will be presented at Wilson Elementary School tomorrow, Dec. 2.

The kindergarten through second grade students will get to see it at 12:45 p.m. and the older students will see a production at 1:45 p.m.

The production is being presented by the Hampton players, an English-based touring company that is dedicated to the production of classic literature for children.

There will be audience participation in the show which will be done in full period costume.

Wilson Elementary is located at 985 Orange Blvd. in Sanford.

Fall film series nears end

SANFORD — The last presentation in the 1991 Fall Film Series at Seminole Community College will be on Wednesday, Dec. 4.

"Tout Va Bien", a 1972 French film, will be shown in the school's Fine Arts Concert Hall at 7:30 p.m.

The post-modern film is directed by Jean-Luc Godard and stars Jane Fonda and Yves Montand. It is in French with English subtitles.

For more information, call 323-1450, ext. 281.

Home Health Aide courses set at SCC

SANFORD — Seminole Community College will be offering the Home Health Aide courses beginning the first week in January.

Students may enroll in either day or evening classes.

The college will be offering the 20-hour courses for those students who are already Certified Nursing Assistants (CNA) or those CNA eligible. The 40-hour course will be offered for those who are not nursing assistants.

The Home Health Aide is in great demand by Home Health Care Agencies.

For more information call 323-1450, extension 363.

Book fair at Greenwood Lakes

LAKE MARY — Greenwood Lakes Middle School, 601 Lake Park Dr. in Lake Mary, will be holding a book fair from Monday, Dec. 2 through Friday, Dec. 6.

The fair will take place each day from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. in the school's media center (library).

Besides a wide variety of paperback selections, other items being offered for sale include posters, book covers, pencils, stickers and book marks.

Proceeds from the book fair will go toward the purchase of computer supplies for the school media center.

For more information about the book sale, call the school at 321-7560.

Scholarship deadline approaching

The tenth annual Duracell/NSTA scholarship competition, which offers \$32,500 in prize money to high school students will accept entries from now through Jan. 17.

It is open to all ninth through 12th grade students in the United States and its territories. The scholarship selects one first place, five second place and 10 third place winners each year. Smaller cash awards are offered to another 25 students.

All entrants will receive a gift from Duracell.

To enter, students must design a battery-powered device and submit a written description, a wiring diagram and a photograph of the device by Jan. 17.

The first and second place winners, their parents and teachers will be the guests of Duracell at the National Science Teachers Association convention in Boston in March.

Information about the competition can be obtained from most science teachers or by writing to Duracell/NSTA Scholarship Competition, 1742 Connecticut Ave. NW, Washington, D.C. 20009.

SMS Band to perform in parade

SANFORD — The Sanford Middle School band has been invited to perform in the fifth annual Christmas parade at the Orlando Naval Training Center.

The band will be the only representatives of Seminole County schools in the parade which is being put on for the Naval recruits.

DBCC Community Band to perform

The Daytona Beach Community College Community Band will be putting on their annual Christmas Concert on Wednesday, Dec. 4 at 8 p.m.

The concert will be in the DBCC Theater Center.

Tickets are \$3 for general admission or \$2 apiece for groups of 10 or more.

Among the pieces on the program are "A Canadian Brax Christmas," "An Irving Berlin Christmas" and a medley of Andrew Lloyd Webber tunes, including "Jesus Christ Superstar."

For more information, call 904-254-3042.

Keep us informed

The Sanford Herald welcomes news about activities at your school and news for publication on the Education page each Sunday.

The following suggestions are recommended to expedite publication:

All items should be typed or written legibly and include the name of a person who can be contacted to answer any questions we might have. It should also have a phone number where that person may be contacted during the day.

The deadline is 11 a.m. Thursday before publication.

Seminole County School Board

What's for lunch?

Monday, Dec. 2, 1991

Pizza
Tritators
Winter Blend Vegetables
Milk

Fresh Fruit Cup
Milk

Tuesday, Dec. 3, 1991

Hot Dog or Chili Dog on a Bun
Boston Baked Beans
Crisp Cole Slaw
Cookie
Milk

Thursday, Dec. 5, 1991

Spaghetti with Meat Sauce
Bartlett Pear Halves
Buttered Green Peas
Garlic Roll
Milk

Wednesday, Dec. 4, 1991

Tasty Mini Steak Subs
Buttered Corn
Rice Pilaf

Friday, Dec. 6, 1991

Delicious Fish Nuggets
Oven Baked Macaroni and Cheese
Steamed Mixed Vegetables
Juice Bar
Milk

High school report



Allison Slater, Senior



Derl Sapp, Senior

Rotary Bowl is a big success

LAKE MARY — Many parents, students, and teachers of Lake Mary High School spent this Thanksgiving morning at Lyman High School, cheering for the varsity football team as they competed against Bethlehem Catholic High School of Pennsylvania at the South Seminole Rotary Club's annual Rotary Bowl game.

Because the Lake Brantley Patriots were given an injunction against the Florida High School Activities Association's ruling which caused them to forfeit two of their wins, one of them against Lake Mary, the Rams did not travel to the district playoffs, but instead they accepted the Rotary Bowl invitation.

The Rams competed in the Rotary Bowl last year against Dr. Phillips High School.

This year's game was televised in four states across the nation. Also at the Rotary Bowl

was Lake Mary's Rotary Bowl Queen representative, senior Allison Slater. She is the current Miss Lake Mary High School, the Student Body president and the editor-in-chief of the school newspaper.

There were representatives from Apopka, Lyman, Lake Brantley, Lake Howell, Oviedo, Seminole, University and Winter Park High Schools competing for the title as well.

The Rams ended their season with the Rotary Bowl game.

The team was led by head coach Doug Peters, junior quarterback Jason Rasmussen, seniors Anush Collins, Mike McKenna, Troy Todd, Dave McGarry and Titus Francis and juniors Paul Clayton and Pete Kuc, as well as the entire offensive line, including Ken Hoover, Rich Diucci, Wyatt King, John Laird, Marcus Feazel and Jermaine Ferguson.



Holiday season busy for 'Noles

SANFORD — The past week, being a short one, ended very fast with many of us thankful for the long holiday weekend. But even with only three days of school a lot happened at Seminole.

For starters, many activities are in the making for student government. A canned food drive is going on right now to donate food to the needy for Christmas.

They're also working on a float for the annual St. Lucia Christmas Parade. This float will represent Seminole High School and portray the theme, "Christmas Around the World."

Student Government is also scheming a great idea to promote positive attitudes and keeping a clean campus. This program is expected to bring out the true pride we have for Seminole High.

A blood drive will be held this week for those wanting to give that special gift, the gift to save a life. Students must be 17 years or older in order to give blood. Faculty

and staff are also going to participate in this blood drive.

It's already mid-term and progress reports are coming out any day now. It's time to get those grades up or maintain the good grades already set.

Football season came to a close, with the basketball and soccer season just beginning. The basketball team started out with two victories and are expected to have many, many more.

Both the girls and boys soccer teams are kicking their season off with much team work and determination. Everyone is invited to watch these great Seminole teams. Good luck to all our great athletes for a winning season!

As the school year continues to progress, so do the students. Many accomplishments have been made with many more to come. Success is in the making as we all work for the common goal of "Excellence Through Effort."

Special winners honored

The following students were winners at last month's Seminole County Special Olympics games that were held at Greenwood Lakes Middle School in Lake Mary:

Individual Basketball Skills

First place:
Edward Yidi, 262 points;
Donald Oliver, 233 points;
R.J. Difazio, 148 points;
Fabian McKinney, 205 points;
Aaron Teemer, 203 points;
Pamela Thomas, 274 points;
John Nelson, 100 points.

Second place:
Sergio Medina, 226 points;
Jimmy Riske, 186 points;
Rebecca Wenzel, 81 points;
Joey Landrau, 20 points;
Vernard Smith, 190 points;
Kimberly Jones, 121 points

Third place:
Jerry Bledsoe, 222 points;
Nathan Maddux, 135 points.

Fourth place:
James Woodward, 169 points.

Wide Beam Walk:
Kendra Huff, 5.5, first place;
Alison Marlow, 5.4, second place.

Floor:
Alison Marlow, 6.1, first place;
Kendra Huff, 6.0, second place.

Team basketball
The Milwee team beat the team from Greenwood Lakes.

Members of the first place team were: Steven Fritchen, Adam House, James Jamrok, Sharon Haymes, Eric Craig, Roderick McCray and Troy Ruchman.

On the second place team were: Ebony Gooden, Richard Hearn, Jason Walker, Philip Raulerson, Jacob Lavender and Eric Mingo.

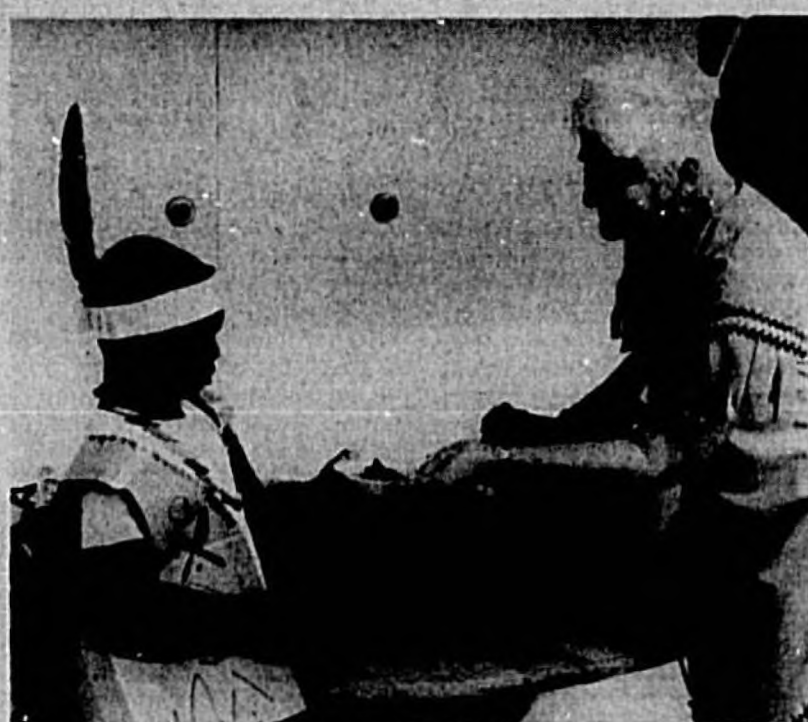
Traditional meal shared

SANFORD — The kindergarten classes at Idyllwild Elementary School, 430 Vilhen Rd. in Sanford, have a long standing tradition of celebrating Thanksgiving in an unusual way.

Instead of the turkey the youngsters, dressed appropriately as pilgrims and Indians, dine on traditional Thanksgiving fare. As an entree to the cranberry sauce, vegetables, mashed potatoes and pies, the youngsters are served a heaping portion of Stone Soup.

Stone Soup is a rather bland concoction made of rocks and water.

The tradition started more than a decade ago, teachers said. It is something the students look forward to all year, they noted.



Geraldine Weldon served Stone Soup to one of her students at the Idyllwild Elementary School Thanksgiving feast last week.



Crowds of kindergarten pilgrims and Indians were teachers at Wednesday's feast. served a traditional meal by volunteer parents and

Health/Fitness

IN BRIEF

Hardwick attends medical program

SANFORD — Charles W. Hardwick, M.D., attended the 56th Family Practice Weekend of the Florida Academy of Family Physicians at the Ritz-Carlton at Amelia Island recently with 400 family doctors from throughout Florida.

The medical education program of the meeting was designed to update the knowledge and skills of practicing family doctors on a wide range of subjects including headache management, back, knee and shoulder pain, rapid weight loss programs, hormone replacement therapy and family planning in the 90s, quick cures of cancer, attention deficit disorder, asthma and anxiety.

The Florida Academy of Family Physicians is the Florida chapter of the American Academy of Family Physicians formed in 1947 to promote the highest standards of primary medical care and to increase the number of family physicians available to the American public.

In honor of loved ones

Hospice of Central Florida, Inc., marks its 15th year of service to patients and families facing life-limiting illness. To honor this special anniversary, Hospice invites you to remember someone special this holiday season. For a donation to Hospice, the organization will place a butterfly ornament on the Hospice Holiday Tree at the Florida Mall. The butterfly ornament will be inscribed with the name of the person you would like to remember or honor.

Cholesterol, blood pressure screenings

SANFORD — The HCA Central Florida Regional Hospital Auxiliary is sponsoring cholesterol and blood pressure screenings on Friday in the CFRH classroom, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. The charge for the cholesterol screening is \$4; the blood pressure screening is free.

The CFRH Auxiliary offers these screenings the first Friday of each month.

Parents-to-be offered free program

SANFORD — HCA Central Florida Regional Hospital is offering parents-to-be a free program which will introduce the hospital's obstetrics services. The two-hour program features answers to a variety of questions participants may have about the process of having a baby. The program will be held Saturday from 10 a.m. to noon in the hospital's classroom.

"We'll be touring our obstetrics department and introducing the parents to our staff," said Peggy Taylor, RN, obstetrics head nurse. "We'll also be giving them practical information about what to expect during their stay, options for their birthing experience, and advice from the experts — our board certified obstetricians, pediatricians and our nursing staff."

Participants will also preview the hospital's six million dollar expansion project featuring a new obstetrics unit with private birthing rooms.

Those interested in the program may get more information and register by calling the hospital's education department at 321-4500 ext. 5607.

AMIGO announces monthly meeting

AMIGO, Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Greater Orlando, monthly support group meeting is scheduled for 6:30 p.m., Tuesday in Room 19 of the Asbury Methodist Church, 220 West Horatio Ave., Maitland. For more information, call 657-6264 or 647-4846.

Living will seminar offered at SSCH

By NICK PFEIFAU
Herald Staff Writer

LONGWOOD — A living will workshop is planned for Wednesday. This is the 4th in a series of educational lectures offered by South Seminole Community Hospital.

A living will is a statement regarding the use of life-prolonging treatment for persons in a terminal condition. According to the hospital's community relations coordinator, Diane DeAngela, "A living will is a statement that you desire to be allowed to die and not be kept alive by medical treatment when your doctors conclude that you are no longer able to decide matters for yourself and that your condition is terminal."

As of Dec. 1, hospitals, nursing homes, home health agencies, hospices and health maintenance organizations are required by HRS to inquire, inform and provide patients who are admitted with an opportunity to ascertain "advanced directives," (living wills), prior to admission.

Furthermore, such facilities are also required to document the patient's medical record, as to whether the patient has executed an advance directive, and that the provision of health care not be based on whether or not the patient has executed the

living will.

DeAngela said, "Although we had already begun our living will education series at the hospital, I believe this new law will give the community an even greater awareness of the importance in letting your wishes be known before a tragic situation happens, and not leaving that decision to your loved ones."

The seminar is being sponsored jointly by the South Seminole Community Hospital and the Florida Registry of Living Wills. It will be held Wednesday, Dec. 4, beginning at 11 a.m., and again at 1 p.m. The Florida Registry of Living Wills will present a one hour talk on the will including recent changes in federal and state laws. An updated form will also be distributed and a notary will be available to assist with the completion of the forms.

The classes are free of charge, but advance registration is requested by no later than Monday evening. To register or for further information, call 1-800-624-5498.

The South Seminole Community Hospital is located at 555 W. S.R. 434 in Longwood. The workshops will be held in classroom 103 of the 521 Physicians Plaza, at the hospital property.

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Home Health Care Week celebrated

While both Medicare and Medicaid hospital admissions have significantly increased over the past five years, so too have the number of home health care visits, according to Joe Brown, a representative of Orlando Regional Medical Center. Resolving the costs associated with long-term care coupled with the increasing need for home health care has prompted Governor Lawton Chiles to proclaim the week of Dec. 1-7 Home Health Care Week in Florida.

Florida has already reached the percentage of elderly persons projected for the year 2020 in all other areas of the nation. Local projections for the four-county region, including Orange, Seminole, Osceola and Brevard counties, indicate that the age 65 and older population is expected to increase by 23 percent by the year 2000. At the same time, the 75-plus population will increase by 30 percent.

The number of home health visits also increased from 1984 to 1988. In Orange County, home health visits increased 7 percent, while Seminole County experienced an 11 percent increase. Brevard County alone experienced a dramatic 58 percent increase.

During National Home Care Week, Orlando Regional Medical Center, through its affiliation with Orlando Regional Home Health Services and Preferred Pediatrics, salutes the nurses, therapists, social workers, home health aides and other care givers who are instrumental in the delivery of home health care.

While the need for home health care has grown, so has the number of sophisticated treatments. Still, the number of Americans requiring such care is staggering: three million Americans suffer from Alzheimer's disease; five million have cancer; ten million children have chronic health problems; one and a half million Americans suffer heart attacks each year; and a half-million Americans have Parkinson's disease and another half-million Americans suffer strokes each year.

Orlando Regional Home Health Services and Preferred Pediatrics, while providing professional home health services, from basic assistance to sophisticated high-tech medical treatment, urge Americans to explore the benefits of high quality home care. It may be the first significant step to solving the long-term care dilemma.

Homecare guide available locally

LONGWOOD — In celebration of National Home Care Week, NMC Homecare of Longwood, a division of Preferred Medical Care, Inc., is introducing a complimentary consumer guide for finding and selecting a provider of home infusion and respiratory therapy services.

The free consumer guide, entitled "Thinking About Home Care," will help people identify and select a home care provider that can meet their individual needs.

NMC Homecare developed the guide, based upon extensive experience in providing comprehensive home care services for a wide range of clinical conditions including AIDS, cystic fibrosis, cancer, and nutritional and respiratory disorders.

The guide is available free of charge by contacting the local office in Longwood at 339-8548.

World AIDS Day 1991: Sharing the Challenge

The AIDS pandemic has left no continent untouched.

"We all need to join forces and share the challenge," said Dr. Hiroshi Nakajima, director-general of the World Health Organization (WHO) in announcing this year's theme for World AIDS Day. "Sharing the Challenge." "We need to commit time, resources and effort in a way that draws on the strengths of each of us for maximum collective impact. Only partnership gives us a chance of prevailing against the AIDS pandemic."

As of mid-1991, WHO estimates that 8-10 million men, women and children worldwide have been infected with HIV and that over 1.5 million of them have gone on to develop AIDS.

Every day, around 5,000 people are newly infected with HIV. AIDS recognizes no boundaries of race, sex, class or age. No one is immune. And no one will remain untouched in the years to come as AIDS threatens entire communities and changes the patterns of daily life for everyone.

You can contribute to stopping AIDS by making sure that you understand the facts about AIDS and helping others to do the same. World AIDS Day is a special opportunity every year to focus attention on this urgent problem that affects us all, and to join forces to meet the challenge.

The latest development in the diagnosis of the AIDS virus has recently been developed at the University of Florida.

A California company has reached agreement with a Florida firm to acquire and commercialize overseas a family of quick, inexpensive saliva tests for the AIDS virus.

The test, developed and pat-

ented at the University of Florida, will be manufactured by the newly formed Oracle Diagnostics in Foster City, Calif., said David Fowler, president of FutureTech, the Gainesville company licensed by the university to market the test.

The test was invented by Dr. Roger Clemmons, a University of Florida researcher. Working with FutureTech, a research team has completed a 3 1/2-year joint development effort and clinical evaluation.

Oracle Diagnostics plans to license distribution outside the United States and Europe to Nissho Iwai America Corp., a Japanese company.

The tests will be marketed under the trademark OraScreen-HIV.

"Recognizing the need for simple, inexpensive HIV testing in developing countries, we have undertaken special efforts to make our OraScreen-HIV test available to the Third World while we pursue FDA approval in the U.S.," said Dr. Jerome A. Mattingly, president and chief executive officer of Oracle.

Approval of the OraScreen tests will be sought from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration next year, he said.

Researchers at the university said their tests show the product is virtually 100 percent reliable.

Tests using blood samples require a long wait to detect exposure to the human immunodeficiency virus, which causes AIDS.

The new test, which would cost about \$5 and give a reading in 10 minutes, could be used at blood banks to test potential donors, at immigration posts, in dentist offices and emergency rooms and by people considering having sex, Fowler said.

Information from Associated Press is contained in this report.



Roy C. Vinson

Vinson elected to board of trustees

SANFORD — Roy C. Vinson, administrator of HCA Central Florida Regional Hospital, Sanford, has been elected and installed as a member of the board of trustees of the Orlando-based Florida Hospital Association (FHA).

Vinson was installed by new association chairman William Mason, president of Baptist Medical Center, Jacksonville, during the FHA's 64th annual meeting/trade show at the Walt Disney World Dolphin Hotel. Vinson will serve on the 22-person board of hospital CEOs until November 1994.

The Florida Hospital Association is a statewide trade association representing 225 not-for-profit, investor-owned and governmental hospitals.

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Israel accused of trying to obstruct peace process

By JAMAL HADADY
Associated Press Writer

AMMAN, Jordan — King Hussein said in an interview published Saturday that Israel acts a delay of Arab-Israeli talks because its leaders fear peace. In Jerusalem, a news report said a junior Israeli delegation would attend on time to head off bad publicity.

The latest snag in the train of negotiations that started in Madrid a month ago centers on the day the next round will begin.

The United States invited the parties to Washington to start talking Wednesday, and Jordan, Lebanon, Syria and the Palestinians have accepted.

But Israel asked the United States to delay the start of the next round until Dec. 9, saying they have to finish preparations. The Bush ad-

ministration refused.

Israel television said Saturday that "junior representatives from Israel will be present at the date set for the start of the talks as a type of substitute to diminish media damage."

The television didn't elaborate, and said Israel still insists that the talks begin Dec. 9.

Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir also plans to send Deputy Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, a member of Israel's delegation to the opening Madrid conference, to Washington next week, the report said.

Netanyahu's mission would be to aid the junior delegation in countering damage to Israel's image if it is portrayed as the obstacle to peace talks, the television said.

Shamir's spokesman Ehud Gol said Israel was "aware of the possibility that there may be a media blitz and will try to counter it," but he

would not comment further on the report.

Any compromise proposals could be put before the weekly Cabinet meeting Sunday.

In his interview, Hussein also suggested that Jordan will continue to take a more moderate stance in dealing with Israel than the hard-line Syrians.

The Damascus government has tried to forge a common Arab front to demand concessions from the Jewish state.

The Jordanian monarch said if Arab-Israeli talks do not produce an acceptable peace settlement, "then the ground will be left to extremist elements and frustration will breed cases which may lead the whole region to the brink of a precipice, a catastrophe that would affect the whole world."

The king criticized the Israeli request for a postponement.

"I think unjustified attempts like this will continue ... They result from the fear of the present Israeli leadership of peace and that is why it is opting for delay tactics and for wasting of time," he said.

The wide-ranging interview was conducted Thursday with the London-based Arabic-language Middle East Broadcasting Corp. and published in Jordanian newspapers on Saturday.

In 1988, Jordan renounced claims to the occupied West Bank, part of Jordan since 1948, and handed over responsibility for the area to the Palestine Liberation Organization — a move that marked an end to territorial disputes between Jordan and Israel. Syria and the Palestinians, on the other hand, are striving to get their lands back.

Yeltsin agrees to bail out Gorbachev's government

By JOHN LANE
Associated Press Writer

MOSCOW — Boris Yeltsin's Russian Federation agreed Saturday to bail out Mikhail Gorbachev's central Soviet government from a budget crisis that threatened to cut off salaries of millions of workers and paralyze the country.

If the national legislature approves Yeltsin's plan, he would get nearly complete control of the central government and its ministries, further eroding Gorbachev's authority.

At a Kremlin meeting, Gorbachev, Yeltsin and Soviet State Bank Chairman Viktor Geraschenko agreed on a "consolidated budget of Russia and the Union," the Tass news agency reported.

Tass quoted Yeltsin as saying that if any difficulties arose from Saturday's agreement, "Russia will finance the military, science, culture and budget organizations."

The agreement included giving Russia control of the Soviet Finance Ministry as of Sunday, Soviet television reported. Tass quoted Yeltsin as saying that if any difficulties arose from the agreement, "Russia will finance the military, science, culture and budget organizations."

The agreement amounted to a temporary Russian bailout of the central government, which Yeltsin already has stripped of control over most of the state-run Soviet industries since the failed August coup.

Responding to worries by millions of workers, Yeltsin promised the government's December payroll will be met. "Russia guarantees it," he said.

The Russian leader guaranteed that Soviets would be paid in December despite the announcement Friday night that the State Bank had run out of money and could not afford to meet the country's massive payroll.

A cutoff in paychecks would have caused public panic in December, when Yeltsin also plans to lift state control on nearly all prices. Russian television reported that prices in Moscow would be freed Dec. 15 and across the republic on Jan. 1.

The newscast gave no source and there was no formal announcement. Officials have said they would not announce the hikes beforehand to avoid panic.

According to Yeltsin, Russia agreed to make certain concessions if other republics agree to pay back federal credits.

The agreement contained "a rather tough

budget and tough obligations for all republics." Tass quoted Yeltsin as saying. There was no elaboration.

Yeltsin said the agreement came along with consent to a draft budget for the last quarter of fiscal 1991 which starts Monday.

Both parts now go to the Supreme Soviet legislature for approval, according to Alexei Ulukayev, an aide to Yegor Gaidar, Yeltsin's top economic adviser.

Yeltsin made it clear that he was prepared to get a firmer grip on the country's finances. But it was uncertain where Russia, itself facing a tight budget, would get the money to cover the Kremlin's bills.

Some Russian lawmakers oppose the bailout of the central government. They fear the additional money will be raised simply by printing new rubles, which would fuel inflation and further devalue the already weak currency.

The central bank's cutoff of funds to the national treasury, which handles the state payroll, had threatened to hold up paychecks to millions of national government workers. Pensions and other government subsidies such as student allowances would also have been suspended.

Empty coffers could make it difficult and eventually impossible to operate hundreds of government buildings, from the red-walled Kremlin, to the KGB's infamous Lubyanka headquarters and Lenin's Red Square tomb.

The transcontinental railway network could run out of money to buy fuel, and generals might have to do some fancy number-crunching to buy everything from uniforms to rockets.

The national legislature had earlier failed to approve Gorbachev's request for 90 billion rubles (\$159 billion at the highly artificial official exchange rate) for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year.

The Supreme Soviet was scheduled to meet again Tuesday.

The bank announcement Friday touched off a spate of gloomy forecasts in the Soviet press.

"No taxes or measures on de-monopolization or mythical intervention of goods from the West will avert catastrophe," the newspaper Pravda said. "It will manifest itself in the further fall in production, total pauperization of the people and final collapse of the financial monetary system."

Komsomolskaya Pravda predicted the ruble will become worthless and, as the union breaks apart, Soviet internal and external trade will be taken over by "rogue republics" and a wave of unemployment will ensue.

Bishop encourages solidarity

By MARY BETH SHERRIDAN
Associated Press Writer

VATICAN CITY — A German bishop called on the Roman Catholic Church on Saturday to help prevent the rise of authoritarianism in European countries learning to cope with freedom after the collapse of communism.

"The church cannot limit itself to occasional ethical calls from its pulpit to a Europe that is diligently searching for a framework," Bishop D. Josef Homeyer of Hildesheim told a special meeting on Europe that drew bishops from all over the continent.

Homeyer did not mention any particular countries. But neo-Nazi have been increasingly active in Germany in recent months, frequently attacking foreigners, particularly in economically strapped former East Germany.

In particular, Homeyer called for the creation of small "base communities" of Christians to pray and work together, similar to communities operating in Latin America.

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WELL DONE



Level V winners

Beth-Ann Crow (left), Brandy Oglesby (center) and Lisa Whitlow (right), representing Brook n's Gymnastics Central of Altamonte Springs, were among the winners for the local gym at the recent South State Championships in Plantation. See Page 3B for more details.

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AROUND THE STATE

Gators gnaw on Noles

GAINESVILLE — Florida State, the nation's top team for nearly three months, is now only third-best in its own state.

No. 5 Florida handed the third-ranked Seminoles their second consecutive loss Saturday, harassing Casey Weldon into a subpar performance and riding the passing of Shane Matthews to a 14-9 victory that ended a four-game losing streak in the bitter intrastate series.

The triumph was the eighth straight for Florida (10-1), which won its first official Southeastern Conference championship this season and is headed to the Sugar Bowl to play Notre Dame. Florida State (10-2) lost the No. 1 ranking to Miami two weeks ago and finishes last in the state by virtue of its 0-2 record against intrastate rivals.

Rattlers throttle Tigers

TAMPA — Tony Ezell threw four touchdown passes and caught another as Florida A&M defeated Bethune-Cookman 46-28 Saturday before a Florida Classic crowd of 40,249 at Tampa Stadium.

Ezell, a senior quarterback from Mobile, Ala., completed 15-of-28 for 306 yards as the Rattlers ended their season 6-5 with their third straight victory over their arch rival Wildcats.

Bethune-Cookman, which had forfeited a victory earlier in the week ended its season 4-6.

Maine halts Southern

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico — The University of Maine Black Bears overcame an early scoring drought to post a 63-50 victory over the Florida Southern Moccasins on Saturday at the San Juan Shootout.

In the first half, the Black Bears (3-1) couldn't get their offense started, scoring just one field goal in the first 7:51 and falling behind 15-7. By halftime, however, the Florida Southern lead was down to one point, 28-27.

Consecutive 3-pointers by Marty Higgins and Fritz Marseille gave Maine a 51-45 lead with 7:31 left. With Florida Southern (0-2) failing to score on seven consecutive possessions, Maine built its lead to as much as 14 points.

Marseille led the Black Bears' attack with 15 points while Dan Hillman added 11 and Deonte Hursey had 10.

For the Mocs, Jesse White scored 14, 12 of them on 3-pointers, while Chris Lee had 12, 10 in the first half.

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On to sectionals

Lake Brantley wins 5A-Region II title

From Staff Reports

JACKSONVILLE BEACH — When you have a formula that's been successful 90 percent of the time, why change it?

On Friday night, the Lake Brantley Patriots (10-1) employed a undentable rushing attack, an unyielding defense and the placekicking of sophomore Tim LeCroix to defeat the Jacksonville Beach-Fletcher Senators 17-14 for the 5A-Region II football championship at the Jaycee Bowl.

Lake Brantley now advances to play for the 5A-Section I championship next Friday night at Gainesville-Buchholz, which defeated Niceville 24-13 in the Region I playoff game Friday night.

"We sloped through it," said Lake Brantley coach Fred Almon. "We played well enough to win. Our defense just played tremendous football. We just shut them down. We won it in the trenches. Our offensive and defensive lines took control of the game."

"It was a typical Lake Brantley game. We just smashmouthed them on the front line."

The teams traded touchdowns. Lake Brantley leading 7-0 and 14-7 before LeCroix provided the winning margin by kicking a 30-yard field goal with 5:00 left to play.

Led by Sanford Herald Player of the Year David Sprinkle's 134 yards on 20 carries, Lake Brantley ground out 338 yards of offense on 50 rushing attempts. By comparison, the Patriot defense limited the Senators to 144 yards of offense, well below their per-game average of 299.

What kept the Patriots from putting the Senators away were fumbles. Lake Brantley put the ball on the ground nine times, losing five.

Lake Brantley jumped out in front right away, taking the opening kick off and driving for a

SECTIONAL PAIRINGS

- Section I
Lake Brantley at Gainesville-Buchholz
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- Section IV
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Games to be played Friday, Dec. 6

touchdown. Quarterback Rob Seymore, playing for first time in a month, scored on a two-yard run with 6:06 left in the first quarter.

Seymore, who had the cast taken off his right wrist on Monday, finished with 128 yards on 18 carries. On Thursday night, Almon wasn't sure if Seymore would even be able to play.

"He hasn't taken a snap in five weeks," said Almon. "He's only had one day of practice. We wanted to make sure it was healed up. But that probably had something to do with it (the fumbles). He can't put any pressure on the ball."

With the early lead, Almon and the Patriots went for the jugular, attempting an onside kick that was recovered by Mike Leavins. But the Patriots' trouble hanging on to the ball began when Sprinkle fumbled after an eight-yard gain on the next play from scrimmage.

"If we had put that one in, it might have been a different ball game," said Almon. "It looked like David never really had control of the ball the

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File Photo
David Sprinkle (No. 34) rushed for a game-high 134 yards in Lake Brantley's 5A-Region II victory over Jacksonville Beach-Fletcher Friday night.

LM rebounds to claim Lady Sunshine win

By DEAN SMITH
Herald Sports Writer

LAKE MARY — Lake Mary used an effective pressing defense to force several turnovers to come-from-behind and kept the trophy at home Saturday as the Rams bested Lyman 51-44 in the Championship game of the 11th annual Lady Sunshine Basketball Tournament at Lake Mary High School.

Spruce Creek claimed third place with a 75-49 romp over Oak Ridge.

The Greyhounds led 15-9 after the first quarter but Lake Mary held Lyman to only two second quarter points to take a 20-17 lead into the lockerroom at the half.

The Rams kept up the pressure in the third period, out scoring the Greyhounds 13-9, to take a 33-26 lead into the final eight minutes.

Lyman scored the first six points of the fourth period to close to within one, 33-32, with 5:51 remaining. But a pair of free throws by Melissa Mau, a basket after a turnover by Karen Morris, another turnover and basket by Morris and a steal and a layup by LaShawn Merrick pushed the lead to nine, 41-32, with 5:02 remaining.

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Lyman's Danielle Garrett

Herald Photo by Gary F. Vogel

Garrett does it all for Lyman

By ROBBIE STOCK
Herald Correspondent

ORLANDO — To say Danielle Garrett had "just another day" last Saturday would be like saying that Jack Morris pitched "just another game" when he stilled the Atlanta Braves for 10 innings in Game 7 of the 1991 World Series.

Garrett began the day in Jacksonville, where she finished 56th in the Class 4A state cross country championships, helping Lyman finish third overall. It was no special feat — except when you consider that it was Garrett's fourth race of her career.

From there, Garrett, a sophomore, was rushed by her parents to the Class 4A state swim meet at the Orlando International Aquatic and Fitness Center, where she qualified for the consolation finals in the 100-yard breaststroke. Later that night, she took 10th in the race.

The Greyhounds finished 12th in the meet.

It was all in a day's work for

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WELL DONE



Lake Mary PeeWee Rams complete 11-0 season

The Lake Mary Pee Wee Rams completed an 11-0 season with a 27-0 win over West Orange for the Mid-Florida Pop Warner Football Conference championship. They are the first undefeated Lake Mary team in its Pop Warner history. Team members are (from left): Front row - Joey Norton, Jeremy Swanson, T.J. Martin, Jacob Fulmer, Tim Raines Jr., Cam Carter, Micah Bevitz, Michael Kendig, Chris Key and Adam Lasky; Second row - Chris Stensrud, Scott Hilinski, Jesse Heller, Brian Coates, Brad Boyce, Ben Summit, P.J. Fulford, Brandon Carter, Thomas Kozlowski, Alex Walther and Brian Stensrud; Third row - Jesse Newman, Tim Williams, Brian Meinken, Jason Hawkins, Jed Gresham, Ben Kersenbrock, Brian

Simmons, Alex Moore, Paul Kreuter, Jon Fruetel and Cory Patterson. Coaches - Tim Benton, Scott Bowen, Mike Nelman, Tim Wedel, Chris Walther and Gary Carter. Not pictured are Jerry Thole, Don Patterson and Tom Martin. Sue Hilinski is the team administrator.

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Ithaca 25, Union 21
James Madison 42, Delaware 35

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Saturday's College Basketball Scores

Franklin Pierce 84, LeMoyne 77
Georgia Washington 66, Manassah 51
Glenville 51, Geneva 40
Hofstra 81, Manhattan 79

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING - Florida A&M, Ashwood 129
PASSING - Florida State, Weldon 24
RECEIVING - Florida State, K-McCorvey 4

TRANSACTIONS

Friday's Sports Transactions
BASEBALL
National Football League
DENVER BRONCOS - Activated Todd Licht

FOOTBALL

NFL - Suspended Tomas Sandstrom, Los Angeles Kings
HARTFORD WHalers - Assigned Todd Richards
MINNESOTA NORTH STARS - Recalled Steve Maltais

TV/RADIO

Television
COLLEGE FOOTBALL
9 a.m. - WAYK 56, Florida State at Florida
noon - WCPX 4, Florida Football Highlights

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Business

IN BRIEF

Press Club makes awards

The Central Florida Press Club recently honored 90.7 WMFE-FM with three awards.

Senior Producer Pat Duggins received a first place honor in the Light Features category for his report "Reggie Theus' Anti-drug Camp." The report highlighted the former Orlando Magic player and how he kept his promise to Orlando youth by sponsoring a camp that gave tips on basketball with a stay-in-school and remain-drug-free message.

Arts Reporter Ben Brottemarkle was runner-up for his feature "Positive I.D.," a report on an improvisational theatre group which helps kids in trouble deal with situations more effectively.

Reporter Gavin Sutton received a runner-up honor for his story "War Games" in the Best Use of Sound category. This report examined the question whether professional sports should be played during wartime.

Wampner Group expands staff

The Buyer's Agent Wampner Group Inc. has expanded its Central Florida staff with the appointment of John Welch as residential purchasing agent specializing in assisting area home buyers.

Founded in 1981, the Wampner Group Inc. represents real estate purchasers exclusively and is backed by the resources and expertise of The Buyer's Agent, a nationwide franchise based in Memphis, Tenn.

Barnett to award scholarships

JACKSONVILLE — At a time when state funding of education is declining, Barnett is increasing its contribution to fund college scholarships for a prestigious statewide academic tournament.

As the major corporate sponsor of the Barnett Bank Academic Competition for Excellence (ACE), Florida's leading banking company will award \$63,000 in college scholarships to 64 high school students. This is an increase of \$17,000 from the company's annual contribution during the past five years.

The additional money will enable students on the third-place teams to receive scholarships for the first time. Students on first-place teams will receive \$1,500 each; students on second-place teams will receive \$1,000 each; and students on third-place teams will receive \$700.

The ACE, previously called the Florida High School Academic Tournament, will be held April 30 through May 2 at Walt Disney World. The tournament is an intense academic competition in which approximately 50 Florida districts compete in three divisions.

'Family Celebration' set

ORLANDO — The first annual "Family Celebration" will be held at Sheraton World Resort on Saturday, Dec. 7 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., John Garalde, manager of the hotel/resort announced.

A special entertainment program is planned highlighted by the St. John Vianney Choir. Prizes will be awarded to people who can guess the height of the special Sheraton Christmas Tree, how many lights and ornaments are on it and the size of the hand-made holiday gingerbread house. Refreshments will be served. Admission is free. For additional information, please contact the Sheraton at 352-1100.

Dollar rises, gold prices down

LONDON (AP) — The U.S. dollar rose against major foreign currencies in European trading today. Gold prices were lower.

In London, the British pound was quoted at \$1.7680, compared with \$1.7665 late Wednesday.

Other dollar rates, compared with late Wednesday's prices, include: 1.6175 German marks, up from 1.6080; 1.4295 Swiss francs, up from 1.4275; 5.5225 French francs, up from 5.5205; 1.8230 Dutch guilders, up from 1.8215; 1.219.50 Italian lire, up from 1.218.50; and 1.1365 Canadian dollars, down from 1.1371.

In Tokyo, the dollar rose 0.82 yen to a closing 130.07 yen. Later, in London, it was quoted at a lower rate of 129.85 yen.

The bid price of gold in London fell to \$386.00 a troy ounce from \$388.20 late Wednesday.

In Zurich, the bid price was \$385.75, down from \$387.50 late Wednesday.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold rose 83 cents to close at a bid \$386.71.

Silver traded in London at a bid price of \$4.10 a troy ounce, unchanged from Wednesday.

Cellular phone service launched

ORLANDO (AP) — BellSouth Enterprises is wondering if customers are interested in a cellular phone service with limited geographic range at a lower cost than standard packages.

The Atlanta-based mobile phone arm of BellSouth Corp. is launching the nation's first market test Monday to 750 business and residential customers in the Orlando area.

Customers will be offered three levels of service carrying a monthly service charge plus a per-minute fee.

The packages are DriveAround covering from Orlando to Melbourne and Daytona Beach but not extending to other metropolitan areas for \$30 a month, WalkAround restricted to the greater Orlando area for \$20 a month, and OutBound allowing only outgoing calls but combined with a pager for \$18 a month.

Higgins follows Disney to Paris

Mickey's home in Europe to open in spring

By VONN BOGGS
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Billy Higgins, general manager of the Central Shop at Walt Disney World, makes the drive from Sanford to the Magic Kingdom every day, but for the next few days, he'll be on the job even farther from home.

Higgins, who is also chairman of COMSAC (the Seminole High School alumni association) and the Sanford Committee, which is working to improve the quality and the image of the Sanford schools, is in Paris, France where he will be inspecting the facilities at the central shop at Euro-Disneyland. The European version of Mickey Mouse's home is scheduled to open in the spring.

"I've been working from here on the projects for there," Higgins said. "Until now there hasn't been any reason to go."

While Higgins' 350,000 square-foot facilities at the Orlando Magic Kingdom will continue to make most of the rides, character heads and parade pieces, the French facility will be responsible for routine maintenance at Euro Disney.

In Orlando, Higgins has supervised the building of all the audioanimatronics for the Paris facilities' Pirates of the Caribbean show, their Phantom Manor (the haunted mansion, Old West style), It's a Small World, Peter Pan, Pinocchio, Snow White and Alice in Wonderland rides.

Higgins, a Seminole High School graduate, said he never imagined working at a place like Walt Disney World when he was a teen.

"It was absolutely the farthest thing from my mind," he said. "Sure, I knew about Mickey Mouse, but I had very little idea what was going on out at Disney."

He said he was introduced to the facility after he returned from Vietnam and was invited by his mother to join a family outing to the park.

"I was impressed with the quality of the work they did," he said. "Then I enrolled at UCF and didn't think much about it until I ran into a friend who said they were looking for industrial engineers out there."

That was nearly 16 years ago and Higgins, who said he loves his job because it's both fun and challenging has been there ever since.

"I said at the time that I'd give them a couple of years and see how it went," he said with a laugh.

Higgins said that people are surprised that he stays in Sanford and commutes an hour to work.

"Sanford is home," he said. "For many years Sanford was just a bedroom community for me. It was where I came to sleep at night. Now I've had the opportunity to get more involved in the community and I have the opportunity to enjoy Sanford a lot more."

Now that his children Anna, 13, a student at Sanford Middle School; Julia, 10, a student at Hamilton Elementary School; and William, 5, who is in a pre-school program at the San-



Billy Higgins is off to France to inspect Disney facilities there

Disneyland to open Toontown, the home of Disney characters

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — Everyone knows where Mickey Mouse lives but does anyone know what color his house is?

Groundbreaking began Nov. 20 on Mickey's Toontown, the village where Mickey, Mini, Goofy and Roger Rabbit reside along with a multitude of other Disney characters.

"In all those years of all those cartoons, there never was a shot of 'This is where Mickey lives,' or a shot of 'This is where Donald lives,'" said Disney "Imagineer" Joe Lanzisero.

"So when it came time to do Mickey's house, for example, we knew who Mickey was and because of the type of person he was how he would furnish his house, the kind of house he would live in," Lanzisero added.

In 1993, Disneyland will open the Toontown neighborhood for everyone to see. Mickey's Toontown is located near It's a Small World and Fantasyland.

On Tuesday, parkgoers got a glimpse of the

animated downtown and suburban neighborhood where Disney characters live, work and play.

"Inner Toontown is going to be like walking right through the screen into a cartoon," said Disney spokesman Dave Burkhar. "It's very interactive."

"If you happen to be walking down the street and step on a manhole cover it might talk back to you, or if you press a doorbell on the firehouse a dalmatian might pop out upstairs and bark."

Those who saw the groundbreaking ceremony were treated to an appearance by Mickey and others including Roger Rabbit busting through a brick wall in a taxi and asking, "Somebody call for a cab?"

A Roger Rabbit ride was scheduled to open in 1994.

Guests in Mickey's Toontown will be able to become part of the imaginary world where their favorite characters live.

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Free surprise

Sales associate Millie Peters, right, watches while Jill Heckelman, of Sanford, accepts a free gift from J.C. Penney's at Sanford Plaza. A basket of Christmas tree ornaments, with a surprise gift inside each, is available to customers while the supply lasts. Inside one of the ornaments is tucked a \$500 shopping spree certificate.

People

Hampton honored

Principal to retire Dec. 11

SANFORD — The evening marked a new beginning. Love, happiness and thanks were shown to a man who has served his community well with his leadership ability as educator, principal and citizen. Leroy Hampton is a father, grandfather and a friend for whom over 200 staff members, Seminole County School Board leaders, former co-workers, fellow citizens and family members gathered to pay tribute. Hampton is the retiring principal of Midway Elementary School.

He was honored for his 30 years of dedication to the education of youth in the following schools — Rosenwald, Goldsboro, Lakeview Middle and Hopper Elementary where he was a teacher, and Midway Elementary where he was principal.

Hampton, who is a native of Palatka, set high goals for himself early in life.

His education and background began in Putnam County. After high school he earned his bachelor of science degree from FAMU, Tallahassee, and a master's degree from Rollins College, Winter Park.

His dedication has been to the youth of Seminole County where he has served and treated everyone with respect and dignity.

The tributes to Principal Leroy Hampton began as Betty Kuykensall, an instructor at Midway Elementary, presided over the evening of thank you's to the honoree. Musical prelude was by Mary Rowe, music teacher at Midway.

The welcome was given by Assistant Principal Kathy Phillips. The occasion of the evening given by Leroy Johnson, friend of the honoree and principal of Lake Orienta Elementary. The blessing before the dinner was offered by the Rev. Arthur Johnson of Lakeland, Hampton's former student.

A proclamation was presented by the Seminole County School Board and Midway Elementary School, thus declaring Wednesday, Dec. 11, as "Leroy Hampton Day" at Midway. Former Seminole County School Board Chairman Joseph Williams read the proclamation.

Reflections were given on behalf of the School Board by Dr.



Shirley Williams presents Leroy Hampton with a commemorative plaque.



Leroy Hampton

Marian Dailey, assistant superintendent of instructional services; Shirley Allen, program/zone coordinator for the mentally handicapped. Reflections came from many people, including former employer Herman Refoe, retired principal of Goldsboro Elementary; former employee Caren Gager, principal of

Hamilton Elementary; friends Willie Merkeson Sr., teacher at South Seminole Middle School; Carlos Blake, fireman, Orlando Fire Department and Dennis Smathers, co-worker and teacher at Midway Elementary.

John Hampton, retired from the U.S. Army and Hampton's brother, gave the tribute from the Hampton family.

Plaques of appreciation were presented to the honoree by Dr. Samuel Tomblin, director of special projects, Seminole County School Board Chapter I/Migrant; Sharon Patterson, Midway Elementary, director of Boys and Girls Club, Midway; Sheryl Hardy, president of the Midway PTA and Shirley G. Williams, FTE bookkeeper, Midway Elementary School.

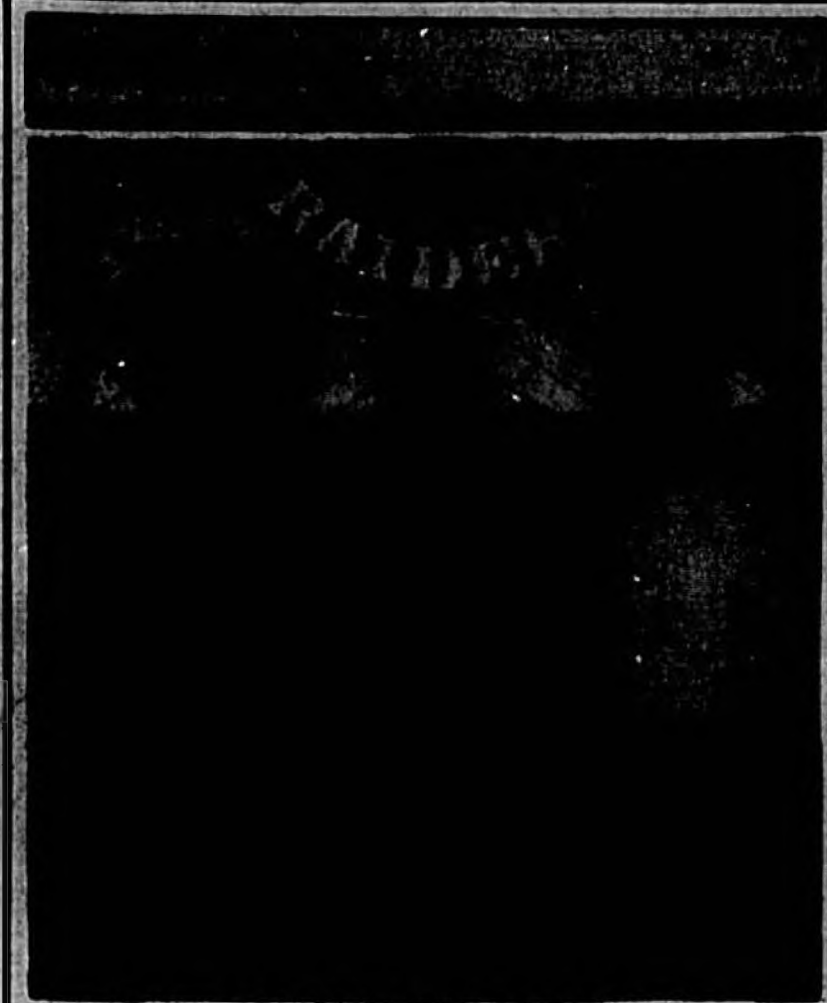
Musical and instrumental renditions were by Ronald Nathan and he was accompanied by his lovely wife, Ingrid B. Nathan. Nathan is assistant principal at Hamilton Elementary and Ingrid is a teacher at Lake Brantley High.

Music was rendered by

Patricia M. Hitchmon who dedicated the selection "My Tribute" to the honoree. Gracia M. Miller's musical tribute was the selection, "If I Can Help Somebody." Ladies Robin Rawlings, Patricia Hitchmon and Sherod Patterson dedicated the very special selection, "Wind Beneath Our Wings." The words of the latter indeed touched the honoree.

After words of thanks and appreciation to a great teacher, educator, principal and lover of children and mankind, the audience stood and gave Leroy Hampton a rousing ovation for his service to the youth of Seminole County. A special song written on behalf of the honoree was called "Hampton" and was arranged by Mary Rowe, music teacher at Midway Elementary.

Its words are "Hampton! Hampton! Hampton! — always available when you need him, proud of everything that he has done. Hampton you see, he's a man full of fun and at Midway, he's No. 1. Hampton, that's Leel!"



From left: Erica Bines, Joshua Levine and Erika Munna pose by their school sign after winning the speech contest this past week.

Speech contest winners announced

Rock Lake Middle School, Longwood, in conjunction with Tropicana and Seminole County 4-H Club, held a speech contest this past week.

Local judges from the community chose three winners from the sixth grade class. They are Joshua Levine, first place, Erica Bines, second place and Erika Munna, third place.



Kit Thompson, Lester Rethwill, Sally Sheibenberger and Gus Ormberg display trophies and ribbons won as Toastmasters.

Toastmasters honored

Daybreakers Toastmasters Toastmaster of the Day, President Lester Rethwill, recently presented trophies and ribbons to clubmembers who chose the best table topic and gave the best speech and evaluation.

The best speech was given by Kit Thompson. Table topic winner was Sally Sheibenberger. Gus Ormberg gave the best evaluation.

They've been workin' on the railroad

Coastliners meet to swap tales of rails

By HERMAN SCHROEDER
Herald Correspondent

SANFORD — Joe Jarell and H.S. Duggar have some hair-raising tales to tell from the years they both worked for the Atlantic Coastline Railroad.

From 1925 until retiring in 1976, each one has over 50 years of service to the railroad.

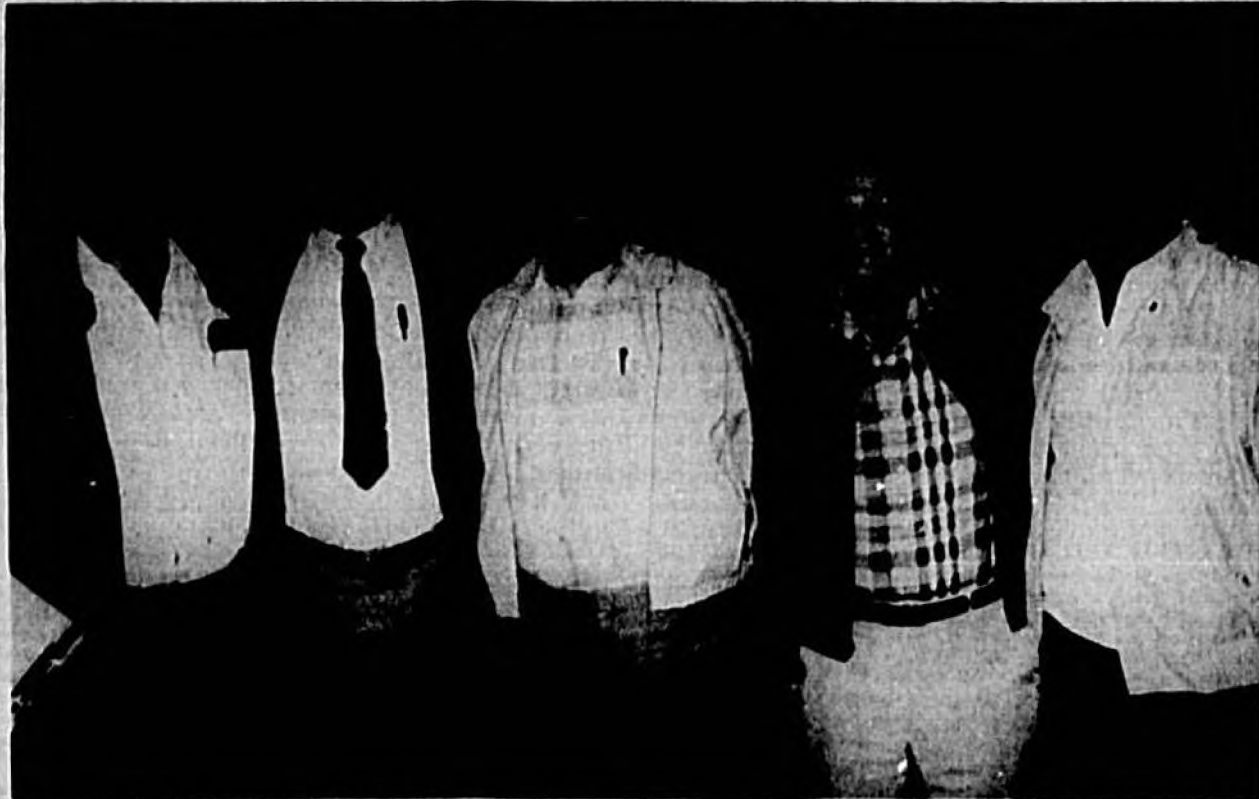
Duggar recalled his biggest scare.

"A drivewheel fell off a railroad car after we had just crossed a bridge. If we had been going in the other direction, part of the train would have gone in the river," Duggar said.

Jarell remembers being caught in a tornado.

I had six engines; it knocked four of them out so I limped in on the other two. The train didn't derail but it broke eggs in the dining car," Jarell recalled.

Both members of the Atlantic Coastliners organization, the



Coastliner officers are, from left, Don Hamer, vice president; Rudy Sloan, president; Frank Dunn, past president; Pete Peteman, secretary and Benny Joseph, second vice president.

men join other retired railroad employees for camaraderie and good times. The group consists

of anyone who has ever worked for the Atlantic Coastline Railroad in years past before it merged with other railroads including, Seaboard, Family, SCL and now CSX Company.

The railroad was established in Sanford in 1900 with a station downtown.

About three years ago through the efforts of Frank Dunn, shop foreman, and Don Hamer, engineer, it was decided to start a club of "old-timers" to get together once a month to swap stories and figuratively rebuild the railroad.

The small group soon grew to where they now have over 90 members. They meet every month on the first Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Sanford Senior Center.

Light refreshments are served and guest speakers are often invited.

Twice annually Coastliners host an outing with their families.



Joe Jarell and H.S. Duggar; 50-year men.

Money well-spent on school system's product: people

DEAR MARY: Everybody knows how tight money for schools is these days. So why are school systems spending education dollars on drop-out prevention programs for kids who obviously don't want to be in school, haven't done well, and often just cause trouble for the kids who do want to learn. In sales we have found that if we put our money and energy into product lines that show promise our sales increase. If a line isn't doing well, we drop it. It may be that the bureaucrats in education could learn something from those of us who have to be productive to make a living.

SUCCESSFUL SALESMAN

DEAR SALESMAN: While business has a great deal to share with education in the ways of productivity and efficiency, one huge difference exists. The school system's product and resources are people, not things. Dropping out of school is highly correlated to later unemployment and poverty, as well as numerous social and health problems during adolescence. School drop-outs are at much higher risk for substance abuse, delinquency, intentional and accidental injury, and unplanned pregnancy. In addition to the human carnage caused by these situations, the cost of the social intervention through the courts, law enforcement and social service agencies make drop-out prevention dollars seem exceedingly well spent.

Programs that foster positive attitudes toward school, enhance school performance and increase high school graduation rates appear to be cost effective. Mentor pro-



DRUG COUNSELOR

MARY BALK

grams that pair disadvantaged youth with caring adults have also been shown to be effective in improving both academic and employment success, according to "Healthy Youth 2000," AMA, 1991. By addressing drop-out prevention, it may be possible for us to reduce problem behavior in our young people and future adult population. That seems like good business practice to me.

DEAR MARY: As we enter the holiday season, my husband and I will again engage in our annual "debate" over whether it is all right for our teenagers to share some holiday drinks (nothing "hard"; just wine, champagne, or beer) with our family and friends in the privacy of our own home. My husband sees nothing wrong with letting the kids (ages 15 and 17) be a part of our holiday gathering in this way, but I'm not real comfortable with it. I wonder how other parents of teens deal with this issue. Any ideas?

TEENAGERS' MOM

DEAR MOM: In my opinion, it really doesn't matter how other parents feel about the issue. The laws in the state of Florida on underage drinking are tough. They are not de-

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Who's cooking?

The Sanford Herald welcomes suggestions for cooks of the week.

Do you know someone whose food is always the highlight of company picnics, church potlucks, receptions or covered-dish luncheons? It might be an acquaintance who has won a cooking contest or invented a new twist to the peanut-butter-and-jelly sandwich.

Submit your nomination for Cook of the Week to the Herald People editor at 322-2611, ext. 34.

The Cook of the Week feature is published in this section each Wednesday.

WEDDINGS



Mr. and Mrs. Paul Butler

Fileger, Butler marry in Sanford ceremony

SANFORD — Lori Anne Fileger and Paul Vincent Butler of Huntsville, Ala. are announcing their marriage today. They were married Aug. 31, 1991, 1 p.m., at All Souls Catholic Church, Sanford. Father Tom Burns officiated at the formal ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Paul and Pam Jones Fileger of Huntsville. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Jones of Sanford and of Mrs. Frances Fileger, Sanford and the late Mr. Gilbert Fileger.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kelly of Pulaaki, Tenn. and Larry Butler, St. John's, Newfoundland.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose for her vows a Victorian style gown of ivory batiste with pearl buttons and antique lace bodice. She wore a matching headpiece with shoulder length veil. She carried an old-fashioned bouquet of white roses, daisies and baby's breath.

Christine Fileger, sister of the bride, Huntsville, served as maid of honor. She wore an off-the-shoulder, tea length floral chintz gown and carried a bouquet of summer wildflowers.

Bridesmaids were Robin Jones-Wells, the bride's aunt, Lake Mary and Saralyn Dwyer of Huntsville. Their gowns and flowers were identical to the honor attendant's.

Mike Hale of Huntsville served the groom as best man. John Wells of Lake Mary was groomsmen.

Erin Weaver and Tyler Weaver of Huntsville served as flower girl and ring bearer.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at Fitzgerald's in the Holiday Inn, Sanford.

After a wedding trip to St. Augustine, the newlyweds are making their home in Huntsville. The bride and groom are both systems analysts at Sparta, Inc., Huntsville.

Hittell, Poole announce marriage

LAKE MARY — Michelle Annette Hittell and John Bryan Poole are announcing their marriage today. They were married April 6, 1991, 6:30 p.m., at Lakeview Baptist Church, Lake Mary. The Rev. A.F. Stevens officiated at the formal, double ring, candlelight ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Alvin P. and Sylvia Hittell of Sanford and the bridegroom is the son of John I. and Anne Poole of Deltona.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose for her vows a formal white gown of crystalline organza featuring a Queen Anne neckline, fitted bodice and tapered sleeves. The bouffant cathedral length train and shoulder line were highlighted by crystalline ruffles, seed pearls and Milano lace. The headpiece, a coronet of seed pearls, held the French imported illusion veil. She carried a formal cascade of white roses, hyacinth blooms, baby's breath and ivy.

Matron of honor was the bride's sister, Melanie Bernosky. She wore an off-the-shoulder, full length, royal blue taffeta gown.

She carried a nosegay of white miniature carnations, royal blue statice, baby's breath and royal blue streamers.

Bridesmaids were Karen Hittell and Kelly Childers. Their gowns and flowers were identical to the honor attendant's.

Mark Hittell, brother of the bride, served as best man. Groomsmen were William Bernosky and Robert Risner.

Sarah Hittell and Jessica Bernosky, nieces of the bride, served as flower girls. Corwin Risner was ring bearer.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Garden Club of Sanford, Sanford.

Assistants were Lisa Finnerty, guestbook; Vivian Calhoun made the wedding cake; Ginny Stadig prepared the buffet which was served by Edith Berkner and Kathie Behrens.

After a wedding trip to the Bahamas, the newlyweds are making their home in Lake Mary. The bride is administrative assistant at Hidden Harbour Marina, Sanford and the groom is assistant manager at Rose Auto Parts, Sanford.



Mr. and Mrs. John Bryan Poole

ENGAGEMENTS

Forehand, Frakes betrothal announced

LONGWOOD — Ann and Edward Forehand of Seminole, Florida have announced the engagement of their daughter, Donna Jean, to Kyle Frakes, son of Cynthia and Owen Frakes of Longwood.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Seminole High School, Seminole, and the University of Florida. She is employed at Sunshine Dairies in Orlando.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Lake Brantley High School, attended the University of Florida and is a graduate of Rollins College, Winter Park. He is in real estate development and is the assistant basketball coach at Rollins College.

The wedding is planned for Dec. 14, 1991 at St. Michael's Episcopal Church, Orlando.



Donna Jean Forehand and Kyle Frakes

Sorority attends 'Burn the Bird' but doesn't

For several years, Preceptor Beta Lambda Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi has conducted an annual ritual, "Burn the Bird," for the November social.

And this year was no different when members, spouses, children and grandchildren gathered Sunday afternoon at the home of Cathy and Joe McNabb for the traditional Thanksgiving celebration to burn the bird, as the chapter has tagged the event.

But the bird has not been burned yet and is always delicious and moist. Ruth Gaines said. She added that the hostess prepared the "delicious and slow-cooked" turkey and members arrived carrying their culinary specialties which were prepared with tender, loving care.

The crowd stuffed themselves and socialized like the one, big happy family the sorority sisters represent. Chapter members and husbands attending the Thanksgiving celebration, along with the host and hostess were: Marge and Jack Eakin, Ruth and Fred Gaines, Darlene and Bill Haffner, Eileen and Jim Healey, Dot and Carole Raines and Alice

and Tom Tupper. The youngest guest attending was Jamer Heasley, 8-week-old son of Eileen and Jim.

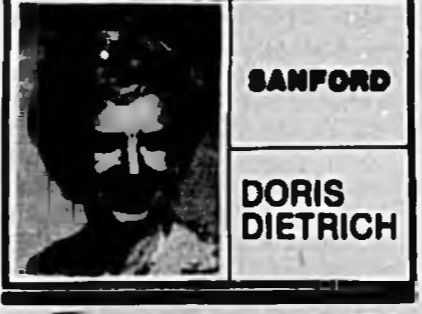
66 and going strong
Last year, Beasie and Jacob Adams said their 65-year marriage was a "blessing from God."

This year is no different. The couple celebrated their 66th wedding anniversary Nov. 25. Beasie said, "The Lord has blessed us."

Speaking from the heart and bubbling with enthusiasm, Beasie talked about her many blessings and the fact that she and Jacob are so healthy and happy. He's 91 and she's 84. Sometimes, Beasie says, "I feel like I'm 16 or 18."

On their 66th anniversary, Beasie and Jacob were honored at a luncheon in Titusville by their daughter and her husband, Darlene and Hugh Carlton. They have another daughter, Alegra Blum of Jacksonville, three grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

The family moved to Sanford in 1947 where they operated Adams Decorative Service for 31 years until 1978.



SANFORD

DORIS DIETRICH

Last year, after a gala 65th wedding anniversary celebration, Beasie said, "Sanford has been good to us. We enjoyed our work at the shop. Everybody was so nice."

Pilot Club shares
Sanford Pilot Club met Nov. 19 in McKinley Hall of the First United Methodist Church. Guests were husbands or co-pilots who joined the ladies for a covered dish dinner with turkey as the entree.

Hostesses were Marian Reithill and Doris Stein.

Guest speaker was Irene Brown, director of the Sanford Christian Center, who brought members up to date on the center. The Pilot Club makes cash contributions to the center

and members brought non-perishable foods to the meeting for the center to distribute to the needy.

Irene mentioned the value of the layettes and cited Pilot member Mae Pawson for her outstanding efforts in chairing this project as well as Kit Carson and others for their accomplishments.

"It was neat to have her talk about the volunteers and things they do like Mae Pawson, Kit Carson and others," Ruth Gaines said.

Irene stressed the need for continued community support of the sharing center. She also praised Mayor Bettye Smith for hosting the Thanksgiving Souper-Supper when the entire amount of each ticket, \$10, went to the sharing center and the Sanford Rescue Mission.

Chelsea stops mayor's march
Mayor Bettye Smith paraded right along with supporters of the "March Against Drugs" last Saturday afternoon. But the mayor mentioned that she would have to leave early due to a previous commitment.

It seems that her only grandchild, Chelsea Nicole

Smith, was celebrating her second birthday that afternoon, and well, it just wouldn't be a party without Chelsea's Mam-Maw.

The family party was held at the home of Chelsea's parents, Terri and Cary Smith. Terri said the family watched videos of Chelsea since her birth and also a video of her first birthday party last year. She made quite a production of opening her gifts, but was not too excited over the birthday cake.

Chelsea is the only granddaughter of Irene and Randall Grant, maternal grandparents who also attended the celebration.

Terri said the highlight of the day was Chelsea playing on the floor with her Mam-Maw and Pap-Paw, Dr. Robert J. Smith.

Club sets arts festival
Members of the Sanford Woman's Club who are planning to exhibit in the club's annual Arts and Crafts Festival are asked to have their entries at the clubhouse Tuesday at 10 a.m. For information, call Viola Frank.

The exhibit will be held at the regularly scheduled meeting

Wednesday, Dec. 4. The Woman's Club Chorus will also perform.

Members are also asked to bring stocking stuffers for homeless girls at the Hacienda Girls Ranch, a project supported by Florida Federation of Women's Clubs. The girls need toilet articles, underwear, make-up and curlers, among other items.

The meeting will get under way at 11 a.m. followed by luncheon at noon. Luncheon reservations are necessary through the telephone committee.

Craft sale, bazaar
The Sanford Garden club will hold its annual Craft Sale and Bazaar on Friday, Dec. 6 and Saturday, Dec. 7 at the clubhouse on Fairmont Drive. Hours are 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

The sale will feature home-baked goodies as well as country crafts and plants. Soup, coffee and cookies will also be available.

(Doris Dietrich, retired Sanford Herald People editor, is a Herald correspondent covering the Sanford area. Phone: 322-4525.)

Two birthdays celebrated with real surprise party

Happy Birthday surprise tributes were given to two gentlemen who had no idea that they were going to their birthday celebration. The guests of honor were George Brown Sr., a longtime Sanford resident, and William H. Tillman, better known as Uncle William, who has recently moved to Sanford from Philadelphia. The shock of surprise will be remembered by these two mature citizens for years to come.

The Brown and Tillman families gathered for the celebration from as far away as New Jersey, Atlanta, Ga., Philadelphia and North Carolina. The banquet room was beautifully decorated in the Thanksgiving theme and fall colors which accented the tables and the beautiful cake which was in the center of the honorees' table. The special guests were wearing Happy Birthday hats.

The toastmistress for the evening was Benita Tillman Brown. As the birthday guests arrived their many families and friends sang happy birthday.



SANFORD

MARVA HAWKINS

The occasion was given by Beverly Mims with a solo being rendered by Cheryl Clayton, both granddaughters of Mr. Brown. The blessing for the meal was asked by Deacon Ralph Tillman, nephew of the honoree Tillman.

After the dinner was served, the tributes continued to both honorees. A solo was rendered by Eloise W. George. Special tributes to George Brown Sr. were given by his daughter Victoria B. Smith, and to William Tillman by his granddaughter Tomasania Dawson of Savannah, Ga. Presentations were made to the honorees by Beverly Mims and Patrice

Royals. The evening of fun and happy birthday honors were celebrated on George Brown's birthday, Nov. 23. He was 83 and William Tillman was 84 years young on Nov. 27. The evening came to a close with the evening's prayer being offered by the Rev. Grady Roberson.

Special thanks to Benita Tillman Brown and Rosland H. Tillman and all who helped to make the celebration great.

Eastern Star gives thanks
The spirit of giving has been around the city of Sanford. The group of ladies, The Sweet Harmony No. 388 Order of Eastern Star, sponsored their traditional Thanksgiving dinner.

The Redding Garden residents and senior citizens dined on turkey, dressing and all the trimmings. The special service of thanks for the many blessings that are shared by all was led by Minister Alvin Johnson who

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Remember these tips if ordering goods by mail

Consumers order millions of items from mail order companies each year. Shopping at home can offer you convenience, better service, wider selection, and more complete product information. But remember these tips to keep your mail order shopping trouble-free.

Deal with reliable firms. In doubt? Check the Better Business Bureau or consumer protection agency where the company is located, or the Direct Marketing Association. Read advertisements carefully. Don't rely on pictures alone. Contact the company about its warranty and exchange policy, missing facts or questionable claims.

Pay by money order, check, charge or credit card so you have a record. Never send cash. Clearly mark name and address on the order form. Keep a copy of the ad, order form, correspondence, company's name and address, and



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It helps to know your legal rights. The U.S. Postal Service and the Federal Trade Commission enforce laws covering purchases by mail.

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must ship your order within the time promised, or, if no time is stated, within 30 days of receipt of your properly completed order and payment. If you pay by charge or credit card, the 30 days begin when you are charged.

In case of delay, the seller must notify you when your order will be shipped. If the new shipment date is more than 30 days past the original date promised, you can accept the new date or cancel for a full refund. Either way, you must do so in writing. (An easy, no-cost means for responding must be sent to you.) If the delay is less than 30 days, the process is the same, except that if you don't answer, it means you accept the delay.

The seller must refund all your money within seven working days after receiving your CANCEL order if merchandise cannot be

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Legal Notices

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 15TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO. 91-7183-CF-0 MACEDONIA COMMUNITY CHURCH, INC.

NOTICE OF ACTION TO: All Deacons of Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church, Orlando, Florida

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a Complaint for Quiet Title has been filed against you.

WITHIN my hand and the seal of this Court on this 14 day of November, 1991.

MARYANNE MORSE Clerk of the Court

ULRICK NAI PAUL Respondent

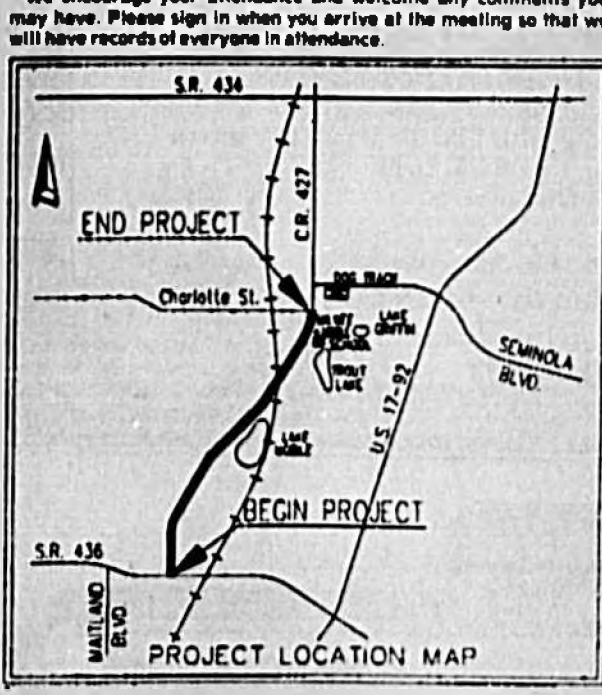
NOTICE OF ACTION TO: ULRICK NAI PAUL

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action for dissolution of marriage has been filed against you.

As Clerk of the Court Nancy R. Vetter

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING On Thursday, December 12, 1991, Seminole County Department of Engineering will hold a Public Information Meeting to discuss roadway improvement alternatives for County Road 477 from State Road 436 to Charlotte Street.



Project Location Map

CELEBRITY CIPHER Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each line in the cipher stands for another. Today's clue: 7 clues G.

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91 - Apartments/Unfurnished/Realt. 90 - Rooms for Rent FURNISHED ROOM - TV, sink, cooking, phone.

91 - Apartments/Unfurnished/Realt. 90 - Rooms for Rent MOVIE IN DISCOUNT Clean rooms, kitchen, laundry.

91 - Apartments/Unfurnished/Realt. 90 - Rooms for Rent SANFORD, Travel Trailer, \$88

91 - Apartments/Unfurnished/Realt. 90 - Rooms for Rent WATER SPLITTING unit

91 - Apartments/Unfurnished/Realt. 90 - Rooms for Rent ATTRACTIVE & Clean, 2 bdrm. 1 bath.

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99 - Apartments/Unfurnished/Realt. SANFORD - 2 bdrm. 3 bath, central H/A.

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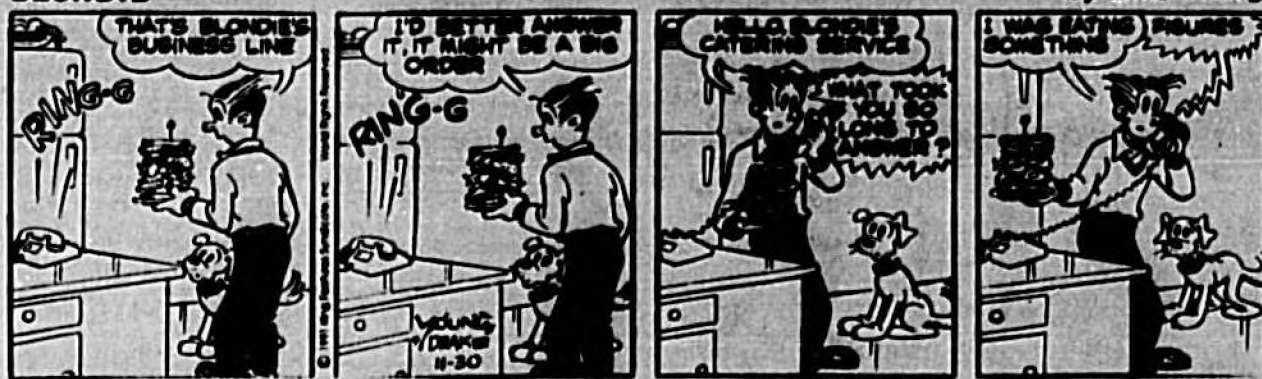
99 - Apartments/Unfurnished/Realt. PINECREST, 3 bdrm. 2 bath, C/H/A, appliances.

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GARFIELD

by Jim Davis



ROBOTMAN

by Jim Meddick



HOROSCOPE

By Bernice Bede Osof YOUR BIRTHDAY

Dec. 1, 1991

Generally speaking, your material prospects look rather encouraging for the year ahead. However, you must be careful, because your inclinations toward extravagance could be strong.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Someone you've recently met appears to be reluctant to accept you for who you are. Don't waste time or resources on this individual trying to make a good impression. Sagittarius, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for Sagittarius' Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If you've been worrying about how your partner would perform in a joint endeavor, today's developments may alleviate your concerns. Be sure you can match this individual's performance.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You're insightful and imaginative today, but you might be a trifle too timid to put what you conceive to the test. Nothing ventured, nothing gained.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) A well-intentioned friend who has your best interests at heart may be too much of a talker to confide in at this time regarding an important objective you're trying to achieve.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Solutions you're currently seeking might come so easily to you today that you may doubt their effectiveness. This could induce you to reject a good thing.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You could be rather clever and resourceful in achieving your aims today. This is well and good, just be sure you don't use methods you wouldn't be proud to talk about with others.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Have fun today, but try to do so within the restraints of your budget. Expensive involvements do not automatically assure you of a good time.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You might be a slow starter today, owing to a lack of initia-

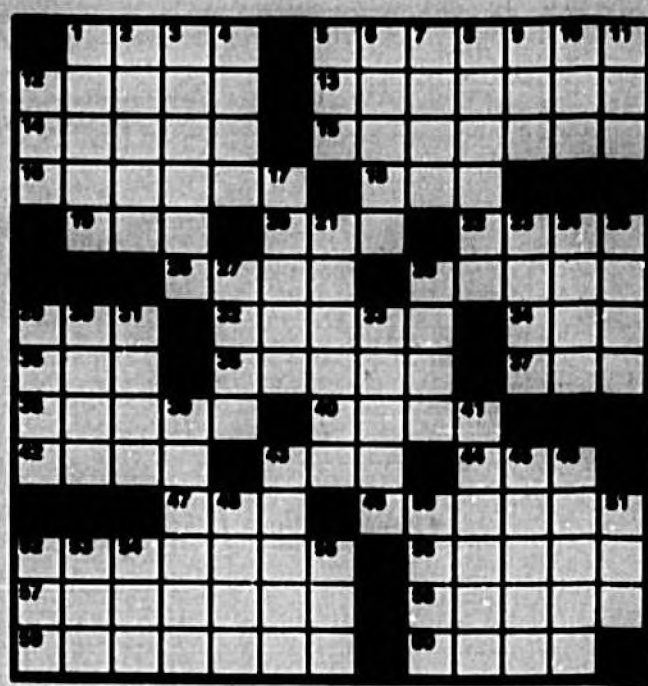
ACROSS

- 1 Suffered wounds
- 2 One who goes up
- 3 Famous volcano
- 4 Politician
- 5 Let out
- 6 Let out with frayed ends
- 7 Hoop-shaped
- 8 Criss
- 9 Chopping tool
- 10 As far as know
- 11 Burst open
- 12 Cheered
- 13 Son of Ruth
- 14 Large artery
- 15 Fast aircraft (abbr.)
- 16 More ancient
- 17 Aggregate
- 18 Chip
- 19 Fragrant
- 20 Cricket positions

DOWN

- 1 Tibet's neighbor
- 2 Tree-dwelling
- 3 Hamburger
- 4 British river in India
- 5 Famous volcano
- 6 Saint - Marie
- 7 Joyful exclamation
- 8 Next to Sat.
- 9 Gunned engine
- 10 Corrupt
- 11 TV's - Sawyer
- 12 Resident of Fairbanks
- 13 Demon of Arabian lore
- 14 In no location
- 15 Art deco illustrator

Answer to Previous Puzzle



- 1 animal
- 2 Actor - Eaves
- 3 Medicine parlor
- 4 Site - non
- 5 Remove top from
- 6 Holy
- 7 Bullfighter
- 8 - fault (overmuch)
- 9 Superstitious
- 10 Female ancestor
- 11 Female ancestor
- 12 Foot covering
- 13 Turn of duty
- 14 Most peculiar
- 15 Approximately (2 wds.)
- 16 One
- 17 Potato
- 18 Foot covering
- 19 Foot covering
- 20 Dispersed
- 21 Look-alike
- 22 Single direction
- 23 Steadily
- 24 Musician - Cupid
- 25 Indian settlement - gara
- 26 Skater Song
- 27 Garden tool
- 28 Inch along
- 29 Actress Ruby
- 30 Large truck
- 31 Workers' non-
- 32 Paving machine
- 33 Chemical suffix

tive and inspiration. If you drag your feet too long, you could regret it later.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) In order to add impact to your conversations today, you might be tempted to embellish the facts a bit. Unfortunately, you may be the only one who'll believe your statements.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) First, make sure the home fires are burning brightly today before you lavish any surplus time, funds or affection on outsiders. If you don't, hard feelings could

tempting to do the same for another. Think twice before volunteering to do so.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Try not to let unproductive pursuits take you away from your responsibilities today. Time wasted is a non-recoverable resource.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) If you are realistic in your financial affairs today, desirable results are likely. However, being overly-enthralled with what might come won't help your bank account at all.

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By Bernice Bede Osof YOUR BIRTHDAY

Dec. 2, 1991

You might find yourself involved in the year ahead that could contribute to your material well-being. These can eventually become significant - if managed properly.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) It might be difficult for you to keep secrets today, especially if you pal around with someone who knows how to ask probing questions.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) It's best to keep in mind today that everything has its price, even in dealings with very close friends. Don't ask for anything free nor offer anything free.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Don't be disappointed today where achievement is concerned. If you don't fulfill your intentions on the first try, a second effort should do the trick.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) If you're realistic about objectives

you hope to accomplish today, unnecessary disappointments can be avoided. Shoot neither above your goals nor below them.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) In your present involvements, try not to bank too heavily on people you think will automatically do things for you. Even an old friend might let you down today.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) People who don't know you well might make judgments today predicated on the type of company you keep. Don't put yourself in a position where you'll be linked to another's shortcomings.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) If you operate along the lines of least resistance today, not much of significance is likely to be accomplished. It will take a sustained effort to win rewards.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You may have enough trouble trying to manage your own resources today without at-

tempting to do the same for another. Think twice before volunteering to do so.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) There is a possibility you could be both a slow starter and an ineffective finisher today; you may not treat serious matters with the respect they deserve.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Even though what you attempt to do today will be done for the good of the majority, it isn't likely that your methods or results will win approval.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) This might not be a good time to bring a proposal you're sponsoring to the attention of your close friends - if it will cost them money.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Unfortunately, associates' timing might not be in sync with yours today. But attempting to alter their pace to your satisfaction might not work. Find a middle ground.

WIN AT BRIDGE

By Phillip Alder

Zillah led a low spade, dummy winning with the queen and East helpfully dropping the jack. Declarer led a diamond to his hand and then a heart toward the dummy, ducking when West played the 10. Zillah persevered with the spade king, declarer winning with the ace.

Now came a second heart, Zillah playing the queen. This gave South a losing option. If East had the A-J of hearts left, South had to play dummy's king. But after some thought, he called for the heart eight. East didn't have a spade to lead. Declarer claimed an overtrick.

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♦ J 8 5 2
♣ A K 2

WEST
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♥ Q J 10
♦ 4
♣ J 7 4

EAST
♠ J 9
♥ A 2
♦ Q 10 8 7 3
♣ 10 8 6 3

SOUTH
♠ A 3
♥ 9 7 6 5 4
♦ A K 6
♣ Q 9 5

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: West

South West North East
1♥ Pass 1♦ Pass Pass Pass
3NT Pass 1♣ Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead: ♠ 6

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