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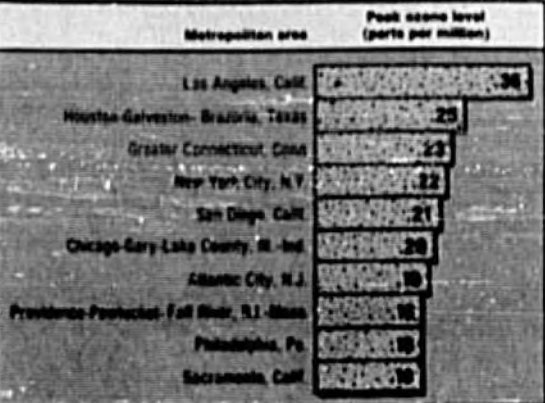
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NEWS DIGEST

BRIEFS

Ozone in the Air

Areas with the worst problem



L.A. penalized for violations

WASHINGTON — The government, prompted by violations of federal clean air standards, is prohibiting the construction of major new factories in Los Angeles — and similar penalties loom for 12 other metropolitan areas.

The construction ban, which also blocks the expansion of existing industrial pollution sources, takes effect Wednesday in Los Angeles. Neighboring Ventura County, Calif., and Chicago are expected to face similar penalties by the end of October, officials with the Environmental Protection Agency said Monday.

The ban covers industrial facilities emitting more than 100 tons of carbon monoxide or ozone-related pollutants annually.

From United Press International reports

INSIDE

World

Military warns Polish strikers

WARSAW, Poland — Poland's labor conflict worsened with a warning from the military that it will not tolerate walkouts that go against national interests and an ultimatum from the labor minister that strikers who don't resume work by Wednesday should be fired.

The sharpened government attitude Monday came hours after labor leader Lech Walesa vowed to strike "until victory." Walesa made his pledge after the ruling Communist Party refused to budge on the workers' key demand of a revival of the outlawed Solidarity union.

Police beatings of protesters were reported from Stalowa Wola in southeastern Poland, where a steelworks strike was stepped up despite Gen. Wojciech Jaruzelski's call for a dialogue Sunday.

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Sports

Gators' schedule under scrutiny

GAINESVILLE — There has been much talk during the past few months of a lack of experience and depth on the Florida Gators 1988 roster, as a general consensus here in Hogtown is that the Gators are headed toward another mediocre post-probation season.

I am here to tell you that those roster figures just don't matter. The Gators will become a Top 20 team once again this season, the main reason being the wimpy schedule they have lined up.

Who are these patsties? For the past five seasons, Florida has boasted a schedule that has been ranked among the five toughest in the nation — a fact which has delighted this football-proud state. But this season, UF officials decided to give the Gators a breather.

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Watch for afternoon showers



Partly cloudy with about a 40 percent chance of afternoon showers. Temperatures will range from a high today in the low 90s to the mid 70s tonight. Winds variable from the southeast.

Partly Cloudy

Agencies pass the buck

No one has answers to housing questions

By WAYNE MIZE
Herald staff writer

SANFORD — What allows a public housing project to deteriorate to the present condition of William Clark Court?

The issue appears to be clouded. No one seems to have an answer, at least not the Sanford Housing Authority (SHA), not the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), and not the city, which owns the property.

An official at the HUD office in Jacksonville said it is the responsibility of the local housing authority to maintain its projects.

"They are to use the (HUD) money to maintain safe and sanitary living areas," said Hope Keating, special assistant to HUD Manager Jim Chaplin, who oversees and inspects the SHA's

six housing projects. "Our relationship with a housing authority comes through a contract that we give funding to a public housing authority. This contract outlines how the money is to be used," Keating said. "Part of that is to maintain the housing in a safe and sanitary manner."

The William Clark Court project is funded and maintained through grants from HUD, as are the other five public housing projects within the city.

A recent application for additional HUD grant money to remodel the 34-year-old project and its 85 duplex and single-family units cited a long list of unhealthy, unsafe and dilapidated conditions.

According to the application, there were so many things wrong with William Clark Court, located at the corner of 10th Street and Mulberry Avenue, that it will take \$2.4 million to correct them.

Within the structures themselves, there were 23 major items requiring attention, according to a study conducted by Tomberlin Associates of Atlanta, which was used to justify the grant

application.

Among items listed in the study were:

- Large quantities of lead in interior and exterior paint.
- Leaking gas lines.
- Inadequate and ungrounded electrical system.
- Sewage blockage.
- No fire or smoke detectors in units.
- Fire extinguishers required by insurance companies are not provided.
- No flow-through ventilation.
- None of the bedroom closets, hall closets or kitchen cabinets had doors.
- Floorboards, plumbing and lavatories are worn out.

• Tile floor covering is original and worn out.

According to Elliot Smith, executive director of the SHA, the project does not constitute substandard housing.

"I don't think people who need public housing have a problem living there," he said.

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Flood relief work

Leonard Robinson (left) and Ray Lawson, city employees, use a jackhammer to break up concrete around a storm drain on First St. The city is upgrading drainage facilities in the area after downtown merchants complained of flooding during heavy rainstorms.

Polk appoints board member

By SUSAN LOEHN
Herald staff writer

SANFORD — Seminole County Sheriff John Polk has appointed a fourth member to his civil service board, which oversees employment activities and reviews punishment of employees when called for.

The board was established by Polk in the early 1970s and has always had three members. He called for the addition of two members because of the growth in the department and the last session of the Florida Legislature authorized the appointment of two additional members.

Sheriff's department employees will elect one new member, and Polk has appointed Dr. Benjamin Newman, who is director of Seminole County public safety medical services.

The four-day election procedure by department employees kicked off Monday. Candidates for new employee slot are:

• Bea Eason, 38, of Altamonte Springs, who for nine years has been a corrections officer at the Seminole County jail, said she wants to be on the board, "because I can treat the people fair and be honest. I want to let the people know I want to represent them — somebody who cares."

• Carol Jaques, 49, of Paola, who in 1975 became the first female sheriff's deputy in that department, said she feels there is a place on the board for a woman. Jaques has worked for Polk 18 years, with her career beginning in the accounting department.

Jaques, who arrests fugitives wanted on warrants charges, said she is experienced and knows how many of the divisions of the department function. "I know the feelings of people and feel I can relate to that and can make fair and unbiased decisions," she said. "I feel a woman is needed on the board, especially since it is going to five members."

• Sgt. Seven Walthers, 35, of Mount Dora, has been a sheriff's deputy 10 years. During his first year of employment by the sheriff's department, Walthers was a Seminole County jail corrections officer. He is currently a supervisor in the property section of the criminal investigation division. Walthers has also been a crime-against-persons investigator, a road patrolman and a traffic officer. "I want to represent the employees fairly," he said.

The board in the past has had one member appointed by Polk, one elected by his workers and one appointed by those two members. Polk's original appointee has always been Chief Deputy Duane Harrell, Sanford City Attorney Bill Colbert has always been the appointee of Harrell and the elected employee. Investigator Ralph Salerno is in his first term in the original employee slot.

Terms are for two years of voluntary service. But in the case of the newly named and newly elected members, their first terms will be for one year to adapt to the established election schedule. Members can be re-appointed or re-elected to the board. The elected members are nominated through an open nomination election for the employees.

Suggs enjoys a day outdoors

By CAROL RUMSEY
Herald staff writer

LAKE MARY — Chuck Suggs, out of the hospital for a day, and happy to be feeling well, spent Monday with his family.

"It was just an easy go day," said fundraiser Debbie Black. Suggs returned to London's Harefield Hospital around 7 p.m. Monday evening. He received a heart and lung transplant on Aug. 11.

Black said the fifteen-year-old Suggs is breathing on his own and is able to speak on a limited basis.

In the meantime, Suggs is asking for a thick steak and toll-house chocolate chip cookies.

Black said the recent benefit concert held at J.J. Whispers raised \$1,700 for Suggs. Another benefit is planned for Labor Day at Reggie's, a Sanford nightclub. Club owner Ron Picotte, said the event will include three live bands, playing soft rock

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New high school

Some 1,831 students in Volusia County went back to a brand new school this year. Deltona Senior High School features not only new classrooms, but a media center, cafeteria, auditorium and multi-

purpose room, gym, administrative suite, music and art rooms, agriculture and industrial arts buildings. Charles Williams is the principal at the new facility.

NEWS FROM THE REGION AND ACROSS THE STATE

Convict stung in escape 'sting'

By MICHAEL McCLELLAND
United Press International
TALLAHASSEE — Federal officials used a disguised helicopter and a U.S. Customs pilot to trick imprisoned "technobandit" Werner Bruchhausen into carrying out a foiled escape attempt, authorities said Monday.

helicopter, only to see it rise and take off as he approached.
"It was a government helicopter. It was flown by a U.S. Customs Service agent," said Warden Robert Honsted. "That's what enabled us to apprehend Mr. Bruchhausen, obviously, and preclude him from boarding the craft and fleeing."

Included a proposed \$250,000 payoff to his rescuers.
Honsted and other officials said an investigation into the escape "conspiracy" is continuing and refused to give out many details.



Attempted murder charges may be filed

BRADENTON — A 36-year-old white man jailed on charges of tossing a hand grenade into a group of young blacks at the end of a racial brawl may face additional charges as the investigation continues.
Manatee County Sheriff Charlie Wells said Wayne T. Langston was booked into Manatee County jail Monday on two counts of attempted murder and one count of throwing a destructive device. He was held in lieu of \$150,000 bond.

Agents arrest two in Everglades

MIAMI — A U.S. Customs helicopter investigating a cocaine smuggling operation chased a Piper Aztec twin-engine plane until it ran out of fuel and crash-landed in the Everglades Monday, federal authorities said.
Two suspects on board the plane were hospitalized, FBI spokesman Paul Miller said. Their names were not immediately available.

Smith: Voter registration to top 6 million

TALLAHASSEE — Secretary of State Jim Smith predicted Monday that 33 percent of Florida's voters will vote in the September 6 primaries, and that a traditional post-primary registration surge will push the voters rolls to 6 million.
Smith, who is in charge of all Florida elections, said the 5.7 million voters registered now are already a state record. He said he hoped to see a record registration after the primaries followed by a record turnout in November.

Paul conservative on Lotto jackpot

TALLAHASSEE — Lottery Secretary Rebecca Paul declined to predict a world's record jackpot for this weekend, even though Sunday ticket sales were 70 percent higher than the prior week's record.
Paul, who is traditionally conservative in estimating jackpots, has predicted this week's Lotto prize will be \$50 million. She concedes that estimate could go considerably higher as tickets are sold this week.

Casselberry man ready to win a million

TALLAHASSEE — Florida will give away \$1 million to one of seven lucky instant-lottery game finalists Thursday during a jazz music festival in Tampa and Charles Thorpe, 40, of Casselberry, an employee of United Telephone Co., plans to use his winnings to take a vacation and to buy a personal computer.
The Jazzin' Jubilee, a music festival that features a wide spectrum of jazz music ranging from ragtime to blues, will provide the setting for the million-dollar cash grand prize drawing.



Harold Photos by Tommy Vincent

Stretched out for luxury

Viking Coachworks of Sanford has produced what it calls the longest limousine in Central Florida.
Mark Anthony, above, give a perspective in the size, while Tom Johnson, a Viking owner, left, enjoys the interior comfort. The vehicle is the 1988 Viking Lincoln.

Recruit said he saw Mirecki tossed into pool

By DAVID TORTORANO
United Press International
PENSACOLA — A sailor who was in the pool when a recruit had a panic-induced heart attack and drowned March 2 said he saw five instructors "yank" him from a rack and toss him back in the water.
Petty Officer Scott Pierce, who did not testify at a June hearing into the Mirecki death, said the incident six months ago where Mirecki fled from the pool was "very similar" to the events of Feb. 3.

died in an exercise called "sharks and d-ies," in which instructors ... like drowning victims, grabbing students and trying to pull them under to see if they mastered life-saving techniques.
Most of Monday's testimony was from witnesses who testified in June.
The length of the trial has delayed the court-martial of Petty Officer Michael Combe, 28, of Tempe, Ariz. He was to be tried Monday on charges of involuntary manslaughter, battery and conspiracy to commit battery.

from the class if he panicked again. But word did not reach the school.
Pierce said that a month after that incident, they were again doing sharks and daisies and Mirecki was placed in a head hold. He grabbed the side of the pool but instructors "yanked him off the side."

lot of "yelling and screaming."
Pierce said Mirecki was later taken to the shallow end of the pool and Combe gave him some more instructions.
When Mirecki and Combe made their way back to the deep end, students were told to line up, turn their backs and sing the national anthem "as loud as we could."

LOTTERY

The daily number Monday in the Florida Lottery CASH 3 game was 041.
Straight Play (numbers in exact order): \$250 on a 50-cent bet, \$500 on \$1.
Box 3 (numbers in any order): \$80 for a 50-cent bet, \$160 on \$1.
Box 6 (numbers in any order): \$40 for a 50-cent bet, \$80 on \$1.
Straight Box 3: \$330 in order drawn, \$80 in any order on a \$1 bet.
Straight Box 6: \$290 in order drawn, \$40 if picked in combination on \$1 bet.

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THE WEATHER

LOCAL FORECAST
Today...partly cloudy. A good chance of afternoon thunderstorms. High in the lower 90s. Light mostly south wind. Rain chance 50 percent.
Tonight and Wednesday...partly cloudy. Scattered mainly afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Low in the low to mid 70s. High in the lower 90s. Light wind tonight then mostly south 10 mph Wednesday. Rain chance 30 percent tonight and 50 percent Wednesday.
EXTENDED OUTLOOK
WEDNESDAY Partly Clody 92-74
THURSDAY Cloudy 91-71
FRIDAY Partly Clody 92-74
SATURDAY Cloudy 91-72
SUNDAY Shwrs 92-71
MOON PHASES
LAST Sept. 2 NEW Sept. 10
FIRST Sept. 19 FULL Sept. 25
TIDES
WEDNESDAY: SOLUNAR TABLE: Min. 9:15 a.m., 9:45 p.m.; Maj. 3:05 a.m., 3:30 p.m. TIDES: Daytona Beach: highs, 12:00 a.m., 12:21 p.m., lows, 5:22 a.m., 6:04 p.m.; New Smyrna Beach: highs, 12:05 a.m., 12:26 p.m., lows, 5:27 a.m., 6:09 p.m.; Bayport: highs, 3:52 a.m., 5:09 p.m., lows, 10:57 a.m., 10:41 p.m.
STATISTICS
The high temperature in Sanford Monday was 91 degrees and the overnight low was 73 as reported by the University of Florida Agricultural Research and Education Center, Celery Avenue.
Recorded rainfall during the 24-hour period ending at 8 a.m. Tuesday totalled 0.07 inch.
The temperature at 9 a.m. today was 84 degrees and Monday's overnight low was 75, as recorded by the National Weather Service at the Orlando International Airport.

POLICE BRIEFS

Arrested with stolen car

SANFORD — A Georgia couple confronted by a Florida Highway Patrol trooper at a gasoline station west of Sanford off of Interstate 4, is jailed on an auto theft complaint. The trooper noted that the car the suspects were in had been reported stolen in Tennessee. The couple was confronted and reportedly said they had taken the car for a test drive Friday and drove the car to Florida. Bobbie Diane Arnold, 25, of LaFayette, Ga., and Ralph Thomas Irving, 24, of Larange, Ga., were arrested at 1:25 p.m. Sunday and remain jailed in lieu of \$4,500 bond each.

Accused of smoking pot in car

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Richard Feliciano, 26, of 629 Dory Lane, Altamonte Springs 207, and Melody Ann Rodriguez, 22, of Kissimmee, were arrested at 12:59 p.m. Sunday after Altamonte Springs police reported approaching their car after seeing them apparently passing and smoking a marijuana cigarette. Police also reported smelling marijuana smoke and finding contraband in the car. They were booked on complaints of possession of less than 20 grams of marijuana and released after posting bond.

Victim follows burglary suspect

SANFORD — William Alan Armstrong, 27, of 407 Franklin Arms Apartments, Sanford, was arrested at home at 12:47 a.m. today. He remains jailed in lieu of \$5,000 bond. He was arrested after John Lawson of 2629 El Capitain Ave. reported to police he heard a noise and checked his garage to see a burglar tampering with his car. The suspect allegedly had removed a blower from the car and fled on foot, leaving behind four cans of beer and an empty beer bottle, police reported. Lawson followed the suspect home, and that led to the arrest of Armstrong.

Accused of fondling boys

OVIEDO — A man accused of fondling three boys at an Oviedo foster care home is cited with three counts of lewd and lascivious assault on a child. Nathaniel Burton, 36, of DeLand, was arrested in the case at 12:15 a.m. today, after he was questioned by Seminole County sheriff's deputies in Longwood. He is being held without bond. The alleged incidents surfaced after one of the boys on Sunday reportedly told his foster parent that Burton had touched his buttocks. Two other boys, one 13 and one 14, also reported sexual contact with Burton at the Oviedo home.

Accused of battery, pot possession

SANFORD — Police reported adding drug charges against a man after he was cited with battery in the alleged beating of a woman in Sanford at about noon Saturday. After Charles Coyon, 26, of 1305 Elliott Ave. #2, Sanford, was arrested in the alleged battery of Ruth Lundquist at 117 S. French Ave., police searched him and reported finding marijuana and cigarette rolling papers in his pocket. He was also booked on complaints of possession of less than 20 grams of marijuana and drug paraphernalia and was released on \$500 bond.

Deputy threatened

MIDWAY — A Seminole County sheriff's deputy called to the corner of Sipes Avenue and O'Neil St., Midway because of a reported battery of a woman, arrested the alleged attacker after he reportedly threatened the deputy. Robby Lee Osbourne, 25, of 3315 O'Neil St., is accused of threatening to kill a policeman and disorderly conduct. The reported victim of the battery, who had an injured mouth, did not press charges. The deputy reported Osbourne was uncooperative and threatened him and at the jail allegedly threatened to kill the deputy. Osbourne remains jailed in lieu of \$1,000 bond.

Cited with driving under the influence

SANFORD — The following persons face a charge of driving under the influence in Seminole County: ●Richard Leslie Martin, 31, of 226 Abbott Ave., Lake Mary, was arrested at 4:49 a.m. Saturday after his car with no tail lights was seen crossing the center line of Lake Mary Boulevard, Lake Mary. He was also cited with driving with a suspended license. ●James Dellemonache, 25, of Orlando, at 3:52 p.m. Sunday after his weaving car was clocked traveling less than 10 mph on Jamestown Boulevard, Altamonte Springs. ●Robert T. Welch, 30, of 611 Jupiter Way, Casselberry, was arrested about 12:30 a.m. Saturday by Seminole County deputies following an accident at the intersection of State Road 434 and Highway 17-92. Bond was set at \$500.

Jailed on burglary count

SANFORD — Jeffrey Pernel Mayo, 26, of Ft. Lauderdale, was arrested by Sanford police at the Seminole County jail Monday afternoon and charged with burglary, grand theft and dealing in stolen property in connection with a burglary to 105 Ellen Place. He is accused of stealing and selling a television set and a video recorder Aug. 15. He is being held in lieu of \$7,000 bond.

Accused of forgery

SANFORD — Sanford police arrested James Ronald Mitchell, 40, of 2051 Britton Ave., Sanford, on complaints of the theft and forgery of two checks totalling \$5,553. Mitchell was arrested at home at 7:42 p.m. Monday on counts of uttering a forged instrument and grand theft. He is accused of cashing the checks Jan. 29 at Wadell's 88W Market, 1303 Sanford Ave., Sanford. Sun Bank reportedly determined the checks were forged and that led police to the suspect, who is free on \$1,000 bond.

Burglaries and thefts reported

SANFORD — The homes of Marty E. Zurcher of 3076 Channel Side Court, Oviedo, and David W. Hamby of 3077 Channel Side Court were burglarized Monday, a sheriff's report said. Among items stolen from Zurcher were a \$300 cable television converter box and \$200 worth of jewelry. Hamby lost jewelry valued at more than \$6,500, and a \$500 gun and \$250 to the burglar.

●Anthony Williams of 350 Lake Geneva Road, Geneva, reported Monday to sheriff's deputies that his 1978 AMC Concord valued at \$800 was stolen Saturday.

●The 1976 Buick of Jackie S. Lorey of 155 Sandlewood Way, Longwood, was stolen Monday from Lawson Auto Body, 1301 E. State Road 436, Altamonte Springs. A sheriff's report valued the car at \$600.

●Sheriff's deputies have the name of a suspect who may have stolen a \$125 wheelbarrow from Space Port USA, Interstate 4 Industrial Park, 111 Hickman Drive, Casselberry, on Aug. 25.

●The 1977 Chevrolet of William H. McMichael, of Orlando, was stolen Sunday or Monday from in front of Sun State Auto Sales, 8100 S. U.S. Highway 17-92, Fern Park. A sheriff's report valued the car at \$1,500.

●A \$1,800 transit and two calculators were stolen between Friday and Monday from Swaggerty Land Surveying, Co., 3550 W. State Road 46, Sanford, a sheriff's report said.

●Sunday or Monday a burglar stole a \$1,900 typewriter, a \$1,795 copying machine, a \$75 telephone and a \$150 answering machine from the office of Lakeview Village, 373 Lake Breeze Circle, Lake Mary, sheriff's deputies report.

●A cement mixer and mortar mixer, total value \$2,967, was stolen from the Seminole County Facility Maintenance compound at 205 W. Country Road sometime during the last four days, it was reported to police.

●Gary Lee Estes, 401 Scott Ave., reported to police the theft of a Honda ATV four-wheeler, value \$2,500, from his residence sometime Monday. The vehicle was secured by a locked chain and was without a seat. It was the third time the vehicle has been stolen in recent months.

Girl's rape being investigated

By SUSAN LODEN
Herald staff writer

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — In unrelated cases, Seminole County sheriff's deputies are investigating the alleged repeated rape of a 14-year-old girl, and the attempted sexual assault of a woman who said she was robbed by her assailant.

The Altamonte Springs girl's mother reported to sheriff's deputies that a suspect identified by

his first name entered her daughter's bedroom through a window and raped the girl at about 3:30 a.m. today.

The girl said the same suspect has raped her under similar circumstances about a dozen times, but she was afraid to tell anyone what had happened.

In the other case, a 21-year-old Altamonte Springs woman reported to sheriff's deputies that a man ripped a gold chain from her neck at about 8 p.m. Satur-

day on Jackson Street, rural Altamonte Springs, then tried but failed to use the necklace to pay for crack cocaine.

The woman told police that when she leaned into his car to try to get her necklace back from the man he allegedly exposed his sexual organs and tried to force her to perform a sexual act. The woman told sheriff's deputies she screamed and the suspect fled taking her \$150 necklace. That incident was reported to sheriff's deputies Monday.

Beating, robberies investigated

SANFORD — Police are investigating the beating and robbery of a man by six men at the corner of Third Street and Pecan Avenue early today.

According to the police report, Michael Wayne Belcher, 30, of 1810 Landings Drive, was flagged down by a man near the intersection at 3:50 a.m. After Belcher stopped his pickup truck, six men jumped into the bed of the vehicle and smashed the rear window and the windshield. The men then dragged Belcher from the truck and beat him before taking \$45 in cash and \$800 worth of

clothing from the vehicle.

Police are also looking for a man, who attacked a clerk with a knife and robbed the Handy Way Food Store, 301 E. 25th St., of approximately \$60 in cash late Monday night.

According to the police report, a man, described as being in his late 20s with brown hair and brown eyes, entered the store at approximately 10 p.m. and asked store clerk Deborah A. Pfeifer for change. When Pfeifer opened the cash register the suspect removed approximately \$60 in cash.



School days

Chelsea Myers and her mother, Donna, who live on Bee Lane, wait for the school bus to take Chelsea to her first day of first grade at Geneva Elementary. She is wearing the same dress and carrying the same pencil case her mother wore to her first day of first grade in 1964 in Pennsylvania (above).

Herald Photo by Tommy Vincent

Voter registration sites announced

Sandra Gaard, Seminole County supervisor of elections, has announced special voter registration for county residents 18 and older will be at the following places and times:

- Sept. 6—Merrill Lynch Realty, 120 Crown Oaks Center Drive, Longwood, 8:15 to 9:15 a.m. sponsored by Mid-Florida Homebuilders Association Auxiliary.
- Sept. 8—Island Lake Village, 160 Islander Court, Longwood, 10:30-11:30 a.m. by Seminole County League of Women Voters.
- Sept. 9—Life Care Center, 989 Orienta Ave., Altamonte Springs, 9 a.m. to noon, by Seminole County League of Women Voters.
- Sept. 10—Winn-Dixie, Corner of Highway 17-92 and State Road 434, Longwood, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., by Seminole County Democratic Executive Committee.
- Supervisor of Elections Office, 1101 E. First St., Room S-201, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Supervisor of Elections Branch Office, Altamonte Park Plaza, 985 N. State Road 434, Suite 503, Altamonte Springs, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.; 2-5 p.m.
- Supervisor of Elections Branch Office, Wilshire Plaza, 859 Semoran Blvd., Suite 177, Casselberry, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.; 2-5 p.m.
- Publix, Willow Springs Shopping Center, 5655 Red Bug Lake Road, Winter Springs, 6:7-30 p.m. by SAWTOC Federated Republican Women.
- Sept. 12—Seminole Community College (outside Student Union Building), Welborn Boulevard, Sanford, by Seminole County League of Women Voters.
- Sept. 13—Seminole Community College (outside Student Union Building), Welborn Boulevard, Sanford, by Seminole County League of Women Voters.
- Emerson Realty, 801 Douglas Ave., Altamonte Springs, 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. by Mid-Florida Homebuilders Association Auxiliary.
- Sept. 14—Red Bug Elementary School, 4000 Red Bug Lake Road, Casselberry, 6:7-30 p.m. by Seminole County Supervisor of Elections.
- Sept. 15—Red Bug Elementary School, 4000 Red Bug Lake Road, Casselberry, 6:7-30 p.m. by Seminole County Supervisor of Elections.
- Sept. 17—Supervisor of Elections Office, 1101 E. First St., Room S-201, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Supervisor of Elections Branch Office, Altamonte Park Plaza, 985 N. State Road 434, Suite 503, Altamonte Springs, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Supervisor of Elections Branch Office, Wilshire Plaza, 859 Semoran Blvd., Casselberry, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Publix Willow Springs Shopping Center, Red Bug Lake Road at Tuskawilla Road, Winter Springs, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. by SAWTOC Federated Republican Women.
- Winn-Dixie (Orienta Plaza), 791 Orienta Ave., Altamonte Springs, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. by Seminole County Democratic Executive Committee.

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EMERGENCY CALLS

- SANFORD Monday**
-6:33 a.m., 950 Mellonville Ave., false alarm.
-7:07 a.m., Second Street and Holly Avenue, man, 24, with gun shot wound to stomach. Transported to Central Florida Regional Hospital.
-8:00 a.m., 1603 S. Oleander Ave., vehicle lockout.
-9:02 a.m., 815 S. French Ave., man, 29, with large cut to back of head and left leg bandaged. Left in care of Sanford Police Department. Man, 30, with bump to head. No transportation.
-2:25 p.m., 911 Magnolia Ave., woman, 93, needed assistance.
-3:32 p.m., 810 S. Oak Ave., false alarm.
-4:55 p.m., 615 Palmetto Ave., woman, 29, down. Rural/Metro transported to Central Florida Regional Hospital.
- Tuesday**
-12:11 a.m., 1208 Elm Ave., man, 27, down. Rural/Metro transported to Central Florida Regional Hospital.
-5:24 a.m., Sixth Street and Avacado Avenue, man, 28, down. Rural/Metro transported.
- OVIEDO**
-5:09 p.m., 2434 S. Lake Ave., vehicle lockout.
-7:37 p.m., 2425 Willow Ave., child, down. Rural/Metro transported to Central Florida Regional Hospital.
-9:14 p.m., 1201 1/2 Magnolia Ave., nothing found.
-9:14 p.m., 1600 W. Fifth St., dumpster fire, extinguished.
-9:47 p.m., 222 Tuskegee St., woman, 19, hit in face. Transported to Central Florida Regional Hospital by private vehicle.
-11:49 p.m., 700 W. 13th St., man, 25, down. Rural/Metro transported to Central Florida Regional Hospital.

Strongman pulls house

By United Press International
SEEKONK, Mass. — He pulled a house across a state line, and when he was finished, strongman John Wooten said he just might try pulling two houses sometime. Wooten, self-proclaimed "strongest man in the world," pulled a truck carrying a small rectangular home across the Massachusetts-Rhode Island border Monday. Why? The muscleman said he was seeking to prove to fellow weight lifters that physically fit people do not need to take steroids or other drugs to be strong.

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EDITORIALS

Voodoo drug economics

The war against drugs has been driven backward by market forces, new technology and despair among youth. Cocaine is an example of how these factors have conspired to undermine the anti-drug war.

First, market forces: In 1982, the price of a kilo of cocaine was about \$50,000. Today, it fluctuates between \$8,500 and \$14,000.

The price was brought down by a glut of cocaine on the world market. The glut has occurred despite billions of dollars spent on eradication, despite increased drug enforcement, despite record drug busts, despite "zero tolerance" boat seizures, despite the "Just Say No To Drugs" campaign.

Why is there a glut of cocaine? For the same reason there is a glut of cheap foreign oil — Third-World countries can make a pile of money selling cocaine to the U.S. market. Just as Korea and other industrialized nations sell cheap manufactured products to this country, Colombia, Bolivia and other rural nations are gearing their agricultural economies to exporting cocaine and heroin. Legitimate governments don't do it; shadow governments run by drug barons make the decisions.

Second, low technology: While big corporations were vying for breakthroughs to compete in the high-tech wars, people on the streets were perfecting a new cheap pipe to smoke "rock" cocaine. Crack sells today for as low as a "nickel" in some rock houses. Rock cocaine gives a sense of euphoria, of power and energy. It's so addictive that it drives the smoker to do nearly anything to get another hit.

The demand for rock cocaine has risen dramatically among poor people who couldn't have afforded to snort cocaine powder, as do more affluent users. Just as big corporations found ways to sell more cars and videos, drug entrepreneurs found a way to sell false power to the powerless.

As the misery has increased among those left out of the U.S. economic recovery — uneducated youths, urban minorities, the chronically unemployed — the drug business has grown to serve their demand. The magic of the market place works in the drug world much as in the mainstream economy, only it is a demonic, black magic that destroys rather than builds.

The harder we have fought the drug barons, the more powerful they have grown. This is because we have not fought hard enough to alleviate the sources of the demand for their products. We have been attacking the supply side, but have made little dent in the demand for cocaine.


The demand for drugs is inversely proportional to the supply of programs to give education, training and hope. As we have reduced the number of such programs, we have noticed a rise in drug use, but economists don't compute the connection when they add up the budget. To reduce the need for drugs, we must increase the supply of legitimate alternatives.

The candidates vying for elective office, whether as sheriff or president, must address the drug issue on its economic as well as moral terms. How do they propose to win the war on drugs? With more platitudes and more supply-side policies, which have backfired, producing the glut of drugs? Or will they attack the war on drugs by also dealing with demand?

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ROBERT WAGMAN

Will Dan Quayle lure women voters?

WASHINGTON (NEA) — Julie Richmond is precisely the sort of voter that GOP vice presidential nominee Dan Quayle is supposed to attract. She is a yuppie and a working mother. She is also a "Reagan Democrat," having voted Republican in both 1980 and 1984.

However, shortly after the Republican convention ended in a torrent of balloons, Richmond said of George Bush's running mate, "I don't think much about what I have seen and read and heard about him so far."

Does the GOP's strategy need serious rethinking?

According to the Bush team, Quayle was chosen for his youth, his conservatism and his appeal to both the under-40 generation and to women. Quayle, say the Bush planners, will help the vice president retain younger conservative Democratic voters and close the gender gap.

As is the case with most Americans, Julie Richmond knew next to nothing about Quayle before Bush's announcement that he had chosen the junior senator from Indiana. But then she was introduced to him in unique fashion.

Richmond worked at the GOP convention in New Orleans as a "floor hostess" (that's "conventioness" for usher). Her job was to see that only people with proper credentials got onto the convention floor.

From her vantage point — almost underneath the podium — she saw Quayle's acceptance speech and heard countless Republican VIPs give television interviews about the the Bush-Quayle ticket.

But Richmond cited news stories about how Quayle voiced during his Senate career against federal funding for abortions; against a school lunch program; and against federal funding for before-school and after-school child care programs. Also, she pointed to his outspoken opposition to the Equal Rights Amendment. Said Richmond, "It



It just perpetuates the stereotype that women don't care about issues.

seems to me that his positions have been against working women, especially those at the lower end of the economic scale."

She explained that both she and her husband

work full-time and that one of her major concerns was finding adequate day care for her preschool daughter at reasonable cost. She was aware that the only day-care plan Quayle supports is one that would give tax credits for in-home day care.

"That assumes you can find someone who will come into your home who is completely trustworthy, will not miss a day, and will do a good job at a reasonable cost. So far we have not been able to find anyone we can afford who will. We take our daughter to a church-run day care center, and we see that as our only option."

Richmond also said she did not understand the age issue. Bush admitted that he needs help attracting younger voters, and he told reporters "I think I've gotten it by the selection of a young but experienced United States senator."

However, Richmond said, "One of the main reasons I voted for Ronald Reagan, was because I thought he had the experience to run the country. I don't know of very many people my age that I would think have that experience."

The National Women's Political Caucus — a group that ranks legislators on how they vote on women's issues — has consistently ranked Quayle at or near the bottom. They have twice given him a zero percentage rating.

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DAVID S. BRODER

Bush signals his team

WASHINGTON — The great mystery of why and how George Bush chose Dan Quayle as his running mate is deepened if you look at the other men Bush has picked for his Cabinet and his administration. More than any other non-incumbent candidate in memory, Bush has signaled the makeup of the government he would head. And its principal figures are notably un-Quayle-like in their characteristics.

Bush has tipped his hand by playing an influential role in the recent appointments to the Reagan Cabinet of the men who would almost certainly stay on to enforce the laws, manage the economy and set national education policy in his administration. Further, he has encouraged informed speculation about the men who might run the White House staff and the State Department, set the budget and lead the Defense Department if he is elected in November.

Unlike Quayle, they are people with strong academic, political and (in many cases) business credentials — exemplars, in most cases, of the self-same Republican Establishment which produced Bush. Few of them are baby boomers.

Their backgrounds suggest that while the platform and opening agenda of a Bush administration would be largely a legacy of Ronald Reagan's conservative populism, its day-to-day operations and future course would be shaped by the political descendants of the moneyed moderates who served under such traditionalist Republicans as Dwight D. Eisenhower, Richard M. Nixon and Gerald R. Ford.

The new attorney general, Richard Thornburgh, a graduate of Yale and the University of Pennsylvania law school, was for eight years the governor of Pennsylvania, where business-oriented conservatism has coexisted with a strong commitment to civil rights under a succession of moderate governors going back to Bill Scranton.

The new secretary of Treasury, Nicholas F. Brady, a graduate of Yale and Harvard law school, is the former co-chairman of the Dillon Read investment firm, a senior Wall Street figure. Brady served briefly in the U.S. Senate by appointment of New Jersey Gov. Thomas H. Kean, Bush's keynoter and the chief advocate of the Republican "politics of inclusion."

The new secretary of Education, Lauro F. Cavazo, is the first Hispanic in the Cabinet, a nonpartisan figure with Democratic leanings and gilt-edge credentials — a Ph.D. from Iowa State University, a professor of anatomy and dean of medicine at Tufts University and, most recently, president of Texas Tech.

Unless they stumble badly in their new responsibilities, they are likely to be asked to

stay on in a Bush administration. James A. Baker III, graduate of Princeton and the University of Texas law school, is a former White House chief of staff and former secretary of Treasury, now chairman of Bush's campaign. A man known for his negotiating skill with Congress, he has made no secret of his interest in applying his talents to the world stage as secretary of State.

Bush will not deny him, nor does he have any reason or inclination to replace his own chief of staff, Craig I. Fuller, graduate of UCLA and Occidental, who was the Cabinet secretary in the first Reagan White House.

The prospective holder of the key post as director of the Office of Management and Budget is Richard G. Darman, holder of two Harvard degrees, protégé of the establishmentarian figure Elliot L. Richardson, and Baker's deputy at both the Reagan White House and the Treasury. Darman is now lending his talents to a Wall Street firm, Shearson Lehman Bros.

To round out this formidable assemblage, the favorite for secretary of Defense in a Bush administration is former Sen. John G. Tower of Texas, a graduate of Southern Methodist University and former professor of political science. Tower has embellished his credentials as past chairman of the Armed Services Committee with a spell of work on the arms-control delegation in Geneva.

Of course, Bush may decide he does not need a new Pentagon chief, because the widely respected Frank C. Carlucci, graduate of Princeton and Harvard and possessor of a 32-year resume in government spanning a dozen sensitive domestic and foreign assignments, is still fresh in the post.

The remarkable thing about this group is its homogeneity. Darman and Fuller are the precocious pair, one 45, the other 37. The other five are between 56 and 62. Except for Cavazo, the Hispanic, all are white males.

Whatever one thinks of that pattern, Bush is not asking voters to buy a pig in a poke. He is offering them not just his own multi-page resume, but a whole library of resumes.

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The overall quality of the Bush team makes Quayle seem odd man out.

JACK ANDERSON

Home mortgage policy probed

WASHINGTON — If you have a home mortgage, you probably think that you know which bank pulls the strings. Chances are, you're wrong.

A growing number of consumers are starting to learn that the mortgages they got from their friendly local banks have been scattered across the country for servicing. A faceless banker in a nameless metropolis is calling the shots on the money you borrowed from your hometown lender.

Mortgage servicing includes collecting payments, assessing penalties, adjusting interest rates (if it is an adjustable-rate mortgage) and other details. It is likely that the bank where you got your mortgage has farmed your account out to another institution to service it. The Mortgage Bankers' Association recently

estimated that 78 percent of its members do not service loans at all. Many banks have the resources to originate more loans than they can service. They lend you the money, then turn the mortgage over for someone else to take care of the ongoing details. The institution that takes over the servicing gets a percentage of the payments. There is a difference between transferring the servicing and transferring the mortgage itself. The banking industry's ability to pool mortgages and sell them into a secondary market has meant lower interest rates and a bigger pot of money. But the practice of transferring servicing is almost always a losing proposition for the borrower.

The way mortgage servicing is whisked around the country belies the reason that many customers are attracted to particular banks in the first place — personalized service. Some not only offer good interest rates but enjoy reputations for courtesy, friendship and even compassion. Personal attention is the hallmark of the community bank.

If a plant closing throws people out of work and a long-time borrower can't meet a mortgage payment, the community bank often shows some patience. But if a meat-packing plant shuts down in Colorado, it is unlikely that bankers in Manhattan will shed empathic tears.

Welcome to the future, where banking promises to be less personal and less local. Financial forces told our associate, Michael Binstein, that since Congress bowed to the bankers' demands for fewer rules and wider latitude, banks have undergone dramatic changes. Now, the mortgage borrower may be the victim of progress.

According to Rep. John J. LaFalce, D-N.Y., fraud is a growing threat. The door is wide open for an unscrupulous servicing agent or an outside con artist to capitalize on the confusion of the borrower. And when consumers don't receive adequate notice that their mortgage has been transferred, they may send payments to the wrong place and end up being charged a late fee. In extreme cases, foreclosures have resulted.

Frustrated borrowers complain that their questions go unanswered, their payments go up without an adequate explanation and their insurance terms change when the new servicing institution isn't able to service the loan on the same terms as the bank that originally loaned the money.

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Soviets expand naval bases

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Soviet Union is expanding a military installation that it operates on the Syrian coast to provide a new home for its warships in the Mediterranean Sea. The New York Times reported.

The newspaper said officials in the White House, State Department and Defense Department were concerned about the new construction at Tartus, Syria, saying it coincided with an increase in Soviet naval operations in the region.

Rear Adm. William Studeman, director of the National Security Agency, said in a report to Congress that the Soviet Navy would be able to use Tartus to maintain and repair its Mediterranean fleet, the Times reported Sunday.

"This will obviate the necessity of frequent naval transits to home ports in the Black Sea," the newspaper quoted Studeman as saying. "It would permit longer deployments and an overall increased Soviet presence in an area of considerable political-military volatility."

The newspaper noted that the buildup comes at a time when the Soviets are cutting back on naval deployments and exercises in other parts of the world, both to save money and to project a more benign image to Western Europe and the United States.

The Times quoted Norman Polmar, an expert on the Soviet Navy, as saying that Tartus was the Soviet Union's "only operating naval base in the Mediterranean" and that Soviet warships use the base at Tartus to take on fuel, supplies, bombs,

bullets, missiles and other munitions.

Polmar also told the Times that the new installation at Tartus would allow the Soviets "to operate their naval forces more efficiently and effectively, and to keep ships in the Mediterranean at a high state of readiness."

The newspaper quoted White House officials as saying they had repeatedly asked the U.S. Embassy in Damascus to obtain detailed information about the activity at Tartus but that, so far, they had not received any information about the new installation or the Soviet-Syrian agreement governing its use.

Syria receives most of its arms from the Soviet Union, some \$10 billion worth in the past five years, the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency said.

The newspaper said Syria owes the Soviet Union and its Warsaw Pact allies more than \$15 billion. Quoting U.S. officials, the paper said Damascus incurred most of the debt in the past five years in an attempt to match Israel in military strength.

Studeman, director of Naval Intelligence from September 1985 to this past June, told the newspaper that there had been speculation that a Soviet-Syrian agreement "will provide for Soviet sovereignty over the facility" at Tartus.

But Studeman noted that it was "highly unlikely that Syria would or could make such concessions to any foreign power" and told the Times that "the agreement most likely calls for the territory to remain Syrian" with strict Soviet controls on access to the site.

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Mother Teresa tries to aid tremor victims

KATMANDU, Nepal (UPI) — Nobel Peace Prize laureate Mother Teresa, unable to visit Nepal's victims of last weekend's earthquake, returned to Calcutta Sunday.

"I will now go to Bihar," Mother Teresa told United Press International. Bihar State in India was also hard hit by the earthquake which registered 6.7 on the Richter scale.

Mother Teresa had been stranded in the Nepalese capital of Katmandu for two days, hoping to arrange transportation to bring skim milk and biscuits to villagers who lost their homes in last week's powerful earthquake that killed more than 1,250 people in Nepal and India.

She has been unable to get transportation into Dharan, one of the villages hardest hit by last week's tremor, a spokeswoman in the Indian Embassy said Saturday.

"I won't be able to go to Dharan," she said. "But I will see what I can still do for the earthquake victims," she said. "Naturally I feel bad I could not go to Dharan. It is nobody's fault."

The Indian spokeswoman, quoting Nepalese officials, said they had told Mother Teresa "It is unsafe to go there right now."

Relief materials that had been brought for the quake victims will be left with her Missionaries of Charity in Katmandu, she said.

As Mother Teresa Saturday waited for transportation to Dharan, a second

earthquake shook Nepal Saturday was her 78th birthday.

Home ministry officials said the tremor was recorded by seismological stations at 4.5 on the Richter scale at 5:55 p.m. in Udaipur, southeast of the capital. Nepal radio reported.

Scores of schools, hospitals, jails, bridges, army barracks and private homes have been destroyed since the first quake rumbled through the Himalayan country.

Home Ministry spokesman Tek Bahadur Thapa said Saturday the official death toll has risen to 705, "but the figures will definitely increase."



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You will take notice that the City Commission of the City of Sanford, Florida, at 7:00 o'clock P.M. on September 12, 1988, in the City Commission Room at the City Hall in the City of Sanford, Florida, will consider and determine whether or not the City will close, vacate and abandon any right of the City and the public in and to a portion of Grandview Avenue lying North of and abutting East 25th Street and lying between Sanford Avenue and Poinsettia Avenue, further described as follows:

That portion of Grandview Avenue lying between Lots 42 and 43 and Lots 65, 66 and 67, Lots 68 and 69, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 62, of the Public Records of Seminole County, Florida.

All parties in interest and citizens shall have an opportunity to be heard at said hearing. By order of the City Commission of the City of Sanford, Florida.

H. N. Tammi, Jr.
City Clerk

ADVICE TO THE PUBLIC: If a person desires to appeal a decision made with respect to any matter considered at the above meeting or hearing, he may need a verbatim record of the proceedings, including the testimony and evidence, which record is not provided by the City of Sanford (FS 286.0105).

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF CLAIM OF LIEN AND PROPOSED SALE OF VEHICLE REGISTERED OWNER

REGISTERED OWNER Name: LINDA CLARK
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Names and addresses of any other persons claiming an interest in or lien on the vehicle: AVCO FINANCIAL SERVICE OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA, INC., P.O. Box 1626 (314 E. Commercial Street), Sanford, FL 32772.

LIENOR Name: EAST AUTO SALES
Address: 3710 E. Hwy 44
City: Sanford
State: Zip FL 32771

Telephone: 407-322-3100

DESCRIPTION OF VEHICLE Year: 1978 Make: Honda Model: Accord VIN: #5JE3059381

Location of Vehicle: East 44th Ave. 3710 E. Hwy 44, Sanford, Florida

Each of you is hereby notified that the above named lienor claims a lien on the above described vehicle for labor and services performed and completed as of 09/28/88 in the amount of \$485.96 and storage charges accrued to date in the amount of \$484.00 for a total claim of \$969.96. Payment to the lienor prior to the proposed date of sale of the vehicle of the cash sum of \$969.96 plus storage charges accruing at the rate of \$8.00 per day from the date hereof, will be sufficient to redeem the vehicle from the lien of the lienor.

The lien claimed by the above named lienor is subject to enforcement pursuant to F.S. 5713.563, and unless said vehicle is redeemed from said lien by payment as allowed by law, the above described vehicle may be sold to satisfy the lien if the vehicle is not redeemed from said lien as allowed by law. The above designated lienor, pro proposes to sell the vehicle as follows:

At private sale, to be held at East 44 Auto Sales, 3710 E. Hwy 44, Sanford, FL 32771 commencing at 9:00 a.m. on the 25th day of September, 1988.

This document shall be notice that the purchaser of the vehicle or any person claiming an interest in or lien thereon has a right to a hearing at any time prior to the proposed or scheduled date of sale by filing a demand for hearing with the Clerk of the Circuit Court in the county in which the vehicle is held, and mailing copies of the demand for hearing to all other owners and lienors as reflected on their notice, that the owner of the vehicle has a right to recover possession of the vehicle without instituting judicial proceedings by posting bond in accordance with the provisions of F.S. 5539.017 of the Motor Vehicle Repair Act, that any proceeds from sale of the vehicle remaining after payment of the amount claimed to be due and owing to the lien will be deposited with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for the Circuit Court order pursuant to F.S. 5713.563(6).

Seller reserves the right to bid.

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CITY OF LAKE MARY, FLORIDA

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Planning and Zoning Board of the City of Lake Mary, Florida, that said Board will hold a Public Hearing on September 13, 1988, at 7:00 P.M. or as soon thereafter as possible, to consider a request from Rosmarie Hall for a Conditional Use — Sales of Second Hand Merchandise in a area zoned C1 Commercial, located at 179 E. Crystal Lake Ave. and described as follows:

Lots 15 and 18, Block 38, Crystal Lake Winter Homes Subdivision, Plat Book 2, Pages 114, 115, 116, Lake Mary, Seminole County, FL.

The Public Hearing will be held in the City Hall, 158 N. Country Club Road. The Public is invited to attend and be heard. Said hearing may be continued from time to time until a final decision is made by the City Commission.

NOTE: IF A PERSON DECIDES TO APPEAL ANY DECISION MADE BY THIS COMMISSION WITH RESPECT TO THIS MATTER, HE WILL NEED A RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS AND FOR SUCH PURPOSE, HE MAY NEED TO ENSURE THAT A VERBATIM RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS IS MADE, WHICH RECORD INCLUDES THE TESTIMONY AND EVIDENCE UPON WHICH THE APPEAL IS TO BE BASED.

CITY OF LAKE MARY
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CAROL EDWARDS, CITY CLERK

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NATIONAL BRIEFS



Yellowstone to stay open despite fires

The U.S. Forest Service called today for recruits to help battle fires in valuable Oregon forests, while officials said Yellowstone National Park will remain open through Labor Day despite a half-dozen fires that have savaged a fifth of the nation's oldest park.

About 140 new fires broke out Monday, most touched off by lightning, but the army of about 20,000 firefighters battling blazes in nine Western states scrambled quickly to contain most of them before they could spread.

"Our top priority is to get on top of the smaller fires to get them controlled as quickly as possible so they don't develop into the kind of problems we have not had," said Mike Ferris at the Boise Interagency Fire Center, the nation's command center for forest fires.

Ferris said there were 140 major fires burning over 852,234 acres in California, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington and Wyoming, not including 30 fires covering more than 2 million acres in Alaska.

So far in this drought year, there have been 68,955 fires reported in the United States that have burned 3.4 million acres — an area larger than the state of Connecticut. Last year, only 46,706 fires covering 1.2 million acres were reported.

Cuomo wants councilmen jailed

ALBANY, N.Y. — Gov. Mario Cuomo says four city councilmen who have defied a federal judge's housing desegregation order should be jailed for contempt unless the Supreme Court agrees to hear their case.

"If the councilmen are not granted a further stay of the enforcement and still refuse to comply with (U.S. District Judge Leonard) Sand's order, I will urge that they be jailed," Cuomo said in a statement Monday.

Cuomo said he would probably decide whether to issue an executive order removing the councilmen by mid-September, after holding a hearing on their reaction to Sand's order.

The governor also said he may ask a state panel that has taken over control of the city's finances to refer the matter for criminal prosecution to the Yonkers district attorney while he makes up his mind.

"The law is the law for everyone or it is the law for no one, and public officials who swear an oath to the Constitution should be held to specially high standards of compliance."

Gangs propose joint peace movement

LOS ANGELES — Gang members have proposed bringing warring factions together into a single movement to help curb the street violence that has killed more than 200 people so far this year, clergymen organizing a "peace summit" said.

"They want ... one group, one movement with one (gang) color," Rev. Charles Mims of the Tabernacle of Faith Baptist Church in Watts said after Monday's session of a summit meeting that was to continue today.

"They'll act as a task force to stop the crime, to stop the killing situation," Mims said.

The meeting included 50 members of about 30 "sets" or individual factions of the Bloods and Crips, the two major affiliations of black Los Angeles street gangs.

"There's a move for everyone to come together," Mims said at the end of the daylong meeting. "It's not going to be one gang. (But) together they want to become part of the solution, not the problem."

A second day of talks, he said, would be held today at an undisclosed location with a news conference scheduled Wednesday to discuss the results of the meetings.

From United Press International reports

Strikers get warning from military

United Press International

WARSAW, Poland — Poland's labor conflict worsened with a warning from the military that it will not tolerate walkouts that go against national interests and an ultimatum from the labor minister that strikers who don't resume work by Wednesday should be fired.

The sharpened government attitude Monday came hours after labor leader Lech Walesa vowed to strike "until victory." Walesa made his pledge after the ruling Communist Party refused to budge on the workers' key demand of a revival of the outlawed Solidarity union.

Police beatings of protesters were reported from Stalowa Wola in southeastern Poland, where a steelworks strike was stepped up despite Gen. Wojciech Jaruzelski's call for a dialogue Sunday.

In an indication the military was becoming impatient with the prolonged strikes, a Ministry of Defense spokesman warned on the Monday night national television newscast that both the steelworks in Stalowa Wola and the Stocznia Polnozna shipyard in the Baltic Sea port of Gdansk are defense industry enterprises.

"A certain amount of their

production is destined for the Polish army and the allied (Warsaw Pact) armies," Col. Mieczyslaw Laskowski said. "The strikes, which disrupt production, are contrary to the national interests."

Noting that strikes by workers in the defense industry are banned, the colonel said: "The situation in those enterprises cannot be tolerated endlessly."

Labor Minister Ireneusz Sekula, quoted by the official news agency PAP, said the walkouts "in some enterprises constitute an essential threat to the normal functioning of the state and its economy."

"Rational arguments and conditions created in the enterprises for a speedy, compromise end to the illegal strikes bring no results," Sekula warned.

The labor minister said if the strikers did not resume work by Wednesday, they should be fired in accordance with the law.

Solidarity ideologist Adam Michnik, interviewed in Gdansk by United Press International, commented, "No problems can be solved by means of intimidation."

The government ultimatum was particularly challenging since Wednesday marks the

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—Col. Mieczyslaw Laskowski

eight anniversary of the Aug. 31, 1980, Gdansk accords between striking workers and the government that paved the way for the formation of the first independent trade union in the Soviet bloc.

Some 12,000 workers were on strike nationwide Monday, according to union figures. No figures were given by the government.

Shipyards and ports remained strikebound in Gdansk and Szczecin.

Union sources said 25 people were detained during anti-government protests in Stalowa Wola Sunday. Eight of them were freed Monday.

They were fined by the government and complained afterwards they were pushed, beaten and kicked by Zomo riot police in jail, the sources said.

Western diplomats and

analysts expressed surprise at the lack of determination in Jaruzelski's speech Sunday at the end of a Central Committee plenary session called to discuss the crisis.

"Jaruzelski's speech showed a lack of decisiveness and underscores the deep split within the party," a Western diplomat said.

Jaruzelski said the Central Committee had endorsed creation of a "Council of National Reconciliation" that would include independent members with special powers to make reform proposals to the Sejm, or parliament, to defuse the two-week wave of strikes.

But Jaruzelski's refusal to re-legalize Solidarity angered workers.

"Solidarity is simply indispensable and we shall not move an inch forward without it," Walesa told reporters at Lenin shipyard in Gdansk.

Gotti friend gunned down

United Press International

NEW YORK — A close associate of John Gotti was riddled with bullets outside his Brooklyn home for being a government informer, even though he refused to testify against the reputed Gambino crime boss, authorities said.

Wilfred "Willie Boy" Johnson, a gangster with the letters "L.O.V.E." tattooed on his knuckles, was fatally wounded Monday by assailants armed with automatic weapons.

Johnson, 53, was shot numerous times in the back of the head in the attack that took place about 6 a.m. as he walked toward a 1988 Mercury parked near his home in Brooklyn's Flatlands section.

Lt. Reno Frances Mall, an expert on the Gambino crime family who heads the Queens district attorney's mob squad, said the slaying had been "just a matter of time" after it was revealed that Johnson was an informant.

Johnson became a government informer in 1981 to escape prosecution for offering a \$50,000 bribe during a narcotics arrest, the lieutenant said.

But it was Johnson's later refusal to testify in the racketeering trial of Gotti, himself and several associates that helped lead to the acquittal of the reputed Mafia boss in Brooklyn federal court last year, he said.

Nevertheless, Johnson, who was a mobster "all his life" and had an extensive criminal record, was a marked man from the time his role of informer was divulged during the court proceedings, Franceschini said.

"They gave him a year and a half reprieve. Organized crime doesn't work in such a stupid way as to kill a guy as soon as he's out of court," he said. "It was just a matter of time."

Johnson was under surveillance in 1981 when police arrested him during a drug transaction, Franceschini said.

"We took him in and he told me to take \$50,000 and let him go. I told him he would also be indicted now for offering a bribe, but he turned informant instead," Franceschini said. "We never handed down the indictment because he was our informant."

Air show death toll climbs to 43

United Press International

RAMSTEIN AIR BASE, West Germany — U.S. Ambassador Richard Burt pledged to work with the West German government to decide what steps can be taken to prevent disasters like the Ramstein air show crash that killed at least 43 people.

Several West German groups had objected to the Sunday air show and there have been persistent complaints from citizens in recent years about aviation activity around military bases.

West German authorities said Monday the death toll from Sunday's disaster rose to 43, including the pilots of three German jets that collided during a performance watched by 300,000 spectators at the U.S. Ramstein Air Base. Officials said 413 people were injured in the fiery crash.

The Bonn government announced it was banning all aerobatic displays.

The announcement was made by Defense Minister Rupert Scholz, who said that in agreement with U.S. and other Western air force officials, air shows were also banned until an

investigation is held to determine if they should be outlawed permanently.

Chancellor Helmut Kohl said he approved of the decision by his defense minister, which included the cancellation of a West German Air Force air show scheduled for Sept. 25.

The defense minister said a panel of experts led by a West German general was investigating the incident, but later told reporters it was not known yet if pilot error or a technical failure caused the collision.

In Washington, Air Force spokeswoman Capt. Susan Strednansky said an independent U.S. Air Force investigation will be conducted.

U.S. Ambassador Burt and Italian Ambassador Vanni d'Archirafi visited Ramstein, headquarters of the U.S. Air Force in Europe and site of an annual air show.

"We owe it to those who lost their lives yesterday to ensure as best we can that such a disaster never occurs again in the future," Burt said in a statement.

WORLD BRIEFS



Gulf peace talks still bogged down

GENEVA — U.N. Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar sought to mediate a compromise at the stalled Iran-Iraq peace talks which hobbled into their sixth day today.

The U.N. chief executive was forced to cancel a formal plenary session between the enemy Persian Gulf states Monday night because of the impasse between the two sides.

Only two such meetings have been held — an opening session last Thursday and another brief face-to-face encounter Friday after which Perez de Cuellar was able only to hold separate talks with the two sides.

Negotiations were blocked over implementing the very first paragraph of U.N. Security Council Resolution 598, which provided for a cease-fire and withdrawal of forces to "internationally recognized boundaries."

Iraq says that clause should ensure freedom of navigation through the Strait of Hormuz leading into and out of the Persian Gulf, with Iran not making any attempt to stop and search Iraqi ships or vessels bound for Iraq.

Iraqi Foreign Minister Tariq Aziz also told reporters Monday that Baghdad insists on the immediate clearing of the Shatt al Arab waterway and full control over the "Raf" estuary which is its only outlet to the gulf.

Afghan joins Soviet space mission

BAIKONUR COSMODROME, U.S.S.R. — Two Soviet cosmonauts and their Afghan space guest today headed toward a Wednesday rendezvous with the orbiting Mir manned space station.

Col. Vladimir Lyakev, pilot commander of the eight-day mission, physician Valery Polyakov, and Abdul Ahad Mohmand, an Afghan air force pilot, blasted off Monday in a perfect launch from the Baikonur Cosmodrome.

Western journalists on an unprecedented open visit to Baikonur watched the T-10 Soyuz spacecraft thunder aloft from an observation site 1,300 yards from the launch pad.

"Totally according to program, just a normal launch," Baikonur spokesman Alexander Savochnikov said, sprinkling his briefing with Russian technical jargon.

The international crew of Lyakov, 47, Polyakov, 46, and Mohmand, 29, were scheduled to dock with the Mir space station Wednesday following a 48-hour space journey.

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IN BRIEF

BASEBALL

Rangers to remain in Texas

ARLINGTON, Texas — Baseball commissioner Peter Ueberroth says the Texas Rangers baseball team will remain in the Dallas-Fort Worth area regardless of who purchases the team from current majority owner Eddie Giles.

Ueberroth, speaking to reporters Monday by conference call from New York, said he and his office were "monitoring" Giles's efforts to sell the team due to his financial troubles brought about by the collapse of the oil industry.

"Basically, I'm not so concerned about the parties involved," Ueberroth said. "What I am concerned about is that the Texas Rangers stay in Texas. I can tell you that is what is going to happen."

Giles last week announced he had agreed to sell his 58 percent interest in the team to two men who have been active in trying to bring a major league baseball franchise to Tampa, Fla. The two, Bill Mack, a real estate investor in New York and New Jersey, and Frank Morsani, a Tampa automobile dealer, agreed to pay Giles \$35 million and assume Giles' share of the team's \$38 million debt.



BASKETBALL

Nets trade Comegys for Berry

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — The New Jersey Nets, suffering from a weak offense and poor attendance, Monday acquired former St. John's star Walter Berry from the San Antonio Spurs for forward Dallas Comegys, the clubs announced.

Berry, a forward entering his third NBA season, was the Spurs second leading scorer last season averaging 17.4 points. Comegys started 17 games for the Nets last season as a rookie out of DePaul, leading the team in blocked shots.

Berry, a playground legend in New York, could add scoring punch to the Nets, who compiled the second-worst record in the NBA last season.

FOOTBALL

Giants grim after Taylor news

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — The suspension of linebacker Lawrence Taylor left his New York Giants' teammates tight-lipped and grim one week before their season opener against the Washington Redskins.

However, there was some good news in the Giants camp when it was reported Monday night that New York came to contract terms with holdout Pro Bowl linebacker Carl Banks.

Taylor was suspended Monday for 30 days by NFL commissioner Pete Rozelle for drug abuse. The Giants seemed stunned at the thought of facing the Super Bowl champion Redskins and their next three opponents without their best defensive player — a seven-time All-Pro and the NFL's top player in their 1986 Super Bowl title season.

"Obviously it's a blow to our team," Giants Coach Bill Parcells said. "Quite frankly, I'm a little surprised."

AUTO RACING

Elliott takes Winston lead

DAYTONA BEACH — Bill Elliott, who won 11 races in 1985 but failed to win the driving championship, is the new leader in the Winston Cup standings, it was announced Monday.

Elliott, bidding to become the first Ford driver since David Pearson in 1969 to win the Winston Cup, has 3,027 points to 3,011 for Rusty Wallace. Dale Earnhardt is third with 2,907 points, followed by Ken Schrader, 2,702; Terry Labonte, 2,654; Geoff Bodine, 2,640; Sterling Marlin, 2,544; Phil Parsons, 2,511; Darrell Waltrip, 2,504; and Bobby Hill Jr., 2,369.

Earnhardt, winner of the Winston Cup the past two seasons and victorious in the Busch 500 last Saturday at Bristol, Tenn., leads in money earnings with \$730,085. Wallace is second with \$718,935. Elliott is third with \$677,345, and Labonte has earned \$420,780.

From United Press International reports



BASEBALL:
7:30 p.m. — SC, San Diego Padres at New York Mets, (L)
8:30 p.m. — 56, Minnesota Twins at Texas Rangers, (L)
TENNIS:
7:00 p.m. — ESPN, U.S. Open, Opening-round matches, (L)
Radio
BASEBALL:
7:05 p.m. — WIOO-AM (990), Southern League, Jacksonville Expos at Orlando Twins

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Gators shoot for Top 20 in '88

By MIKE DAME
Special to the Herald

GAINESVILLE — There has been much talk during the past few months of a lack of experience and depth on the Florida Gators 1988 roster, as a general consensus here in Hogtown is that the Gators are headed toward another mediocre post-probation season.

I am here to tell you that those roster figures just don't matter. The Gators will become a Top 20 team once again this season, the main reason being the wimpy schedule they have lined up.

Who are these patsties? For the past five seasons, Florida has boasted a schedule that has been ranked among the five toughest in the nation — a fact which has delighted this football-proud state. But this season, UF officials decided to give the Gators a breather.

Consider the facts:

•UF dropped its traditional season opener against Miami in favor of a slightly weaker opponent-Division IAA powerhouse Montana State (1-10 last season).

•The Gators play five of their first six games at

home against teams who have a combined record of 28-37-2 in 1987. Take away Louisiana State's 10-1-1 mark is reduced to 18-36-1.

•UF will face its three toughest South Eastern Conference opponents inside the state of Florida-LSU and Auburn at home and Georgia in Jacksonville.

•In 1987, the Gators met seven teams (Miami, Alabama, LSU, Auburn, Georgia, Florida State and UCLA) that were ranked in the AP top 12 at some point during the season. Six of those games, all but FSU, were played on the road. This year, UF will face just four projected top 20 teams (LSU, Auburn, Georgia and FSU), two on the road (Georgia and FSU).

This apparently more favorable schedule should do wonders for the Gators, possibly thrusting them into the SEC race.

To begin with, consider this Saturday's, Montana State contest a mere dress rehearsal for the real season opener the following Saturday at Ole Miss. Quarterback Herbert Perry likened the game to a "big scrimmage." Florida coaches did not even begin preparing the team for the contest until this past Monday, and several young

players are expected to see substantial playing time.

That will leave the Gators starters well-rested for the trip to Jackson, Miss., where they face the Rebels in their SEC opener. The contest is UF's seventh additional SEC game that all league schools have added to their schedules starting this season.

Ole Miss leads the series 8-6-1, but returning only 14 starters from a team that finished 3-8 in 1987 should not provide the Gator attack much of a challenge.

That should leave Florida with a 2-0 mark entering a four-game homestand. It is this series that will vault the Gators into the top 20.

With each game during the homestand that group of young and inexperienced players will grow stronger and more confident. The Indiana State and Mississippi State games during weeks three and four, respectively, should be easy wins that should provide coach Galen Hall more opportunities to reach into his roster and give some younger players the game experience they need.

See Gators, Page 3B



Herald Photo by Louis Raimondo

Tuning Up

Reggie Hooks picks up a nice block as he looks upfield for running room during Seminole High's scrimmage last week. The 'Noles are preparing for the fall jamboree this Thursday night at Lyman High when they

will play Kissimmee Osceola in the first half (kickoff 7 p.m.). In the second half, Lyman battles Oviedo, Lake Brantley, Lake Mary and DeLand will by at the Lake Howell Jamboree on Friday night.

Jamborees set for this week

Seminole County football teams will get their first taste of competition this week in the fall jamborees.

•On Thursday night at Lyman High, Seminole High unveils a relatively inexperienced team as it plays in the first half of the jamboree against Kissimmee Osceola (kickoff is 7 p.m.).

In the second half of the jamboree, host Lyman takes on Oviedo's Lions in a battle between two teams who don't have much depth but have plenty of desire.

•On Friday night at Lake Howell High, a foursome of Class 5A teams will be on hand. In the opening half (at 7 p.m.), Lake Brantley's Patriots take on the DeLand Bulldogs. In the second half, Lake Mary and Lake Howell will do battle.

The season opening games for the county teams will be Friday, Sept. 9. Seminole is at Titusville Astronaut; Lyman hosts Orlando Boone; Oviedo entertains Lake Brantley; Lake Mary is at Winter Park; and Lake Howell goes to Apopka.

RAMS' SCRIMMAGE

Lake Mary High's annual Red vs. Gray game, which was rained out on Friday, has been rescheduled for tonight. The dinner will begin at 6 p.m. with football starting at 7 (admission is \$3, including dinner). The freshman, junior varsity and varsity teams will take part in the scrimmage.

Rain interrupts play at U.S. Open

United Press International

NEW YORK — Rain brought an early end to the first day of the U.S. Open and 11th-seeded Zina Garrison forecast that the biggest challenge to Steffi Graf's Grand Slam bid won't come from an on-court opponent.

"If anyone beats Steffi, I think it is the pressure that she will eventually get from the media and everyone else," Garrison said Monday.

Graf has won the Australian, French and Wimbledon titles with the loss of just one set. The 19-year-old West German could become only the third woman, after Maureen Connally and Margaret Court, to win all four titles in the same year.

"Naturally, Steffi is the favorite (here)," said Garrison. "She has done real well with dealing with the pressure and I think this is just another step for her to accomplish."

Due to Monday's rain, which interrupted or

washed out all but five matches, Graf will not play her first-round match against Australia's Elizabeth Minter until at least Wednesday.

Garrison defeated Nicole Provis of Australia 6-0, 6-3 in the only completed match involving a seeded player. Other results were: Amy Frazier eliminating Olga Tsarobopoulou of Greece 6-1, 7-6; (7-4); Dinky van Rensburg of South Africa dispatching Wendy White 6-3, 6-4; Elena Reinach of South Africa beat Radka Zrubakova of Czechoslovakia, 6-1, 6-4; and on the men's side, Darren Cahill overwhelmed Lawson Duncan 6-0, 6-0, 6-2.

Shortly after Garrison completed her victory, rain started falling and following a delay of 3 1/2 hours all further action was postponed at Flushing Meadow.

Mats Wilander, the second seed, was leading Greg Holmes, 6-2, 6-1, 1-2, on the Stadium Court when their match was halted. Wilander, the Australian and French champion, lost to Ivan

Lendl in the 1987 final.

Garrison won the first 11 games of her match then lost the next three, including two service breaks, before closing out her 18-year-old opponent, a semifinalist at the French Open.

"It was scary for me at that point because I do not like to win 0 and 0," said Garrison, a 24-year-old from Houston. "Going into the next round, (B) is like a jinx and you want the player to have another game."

"I was really nervous about the match," Garrison said. "To be the first match, first day, you do not want to be the first seed to come out."

Garrison said she has matured quite a bit since last year's Open, when she was upset in the fourth round in a tie-breaker third set by Lori McNeil. Garrison and McNeil grew up playing tennis together in Houston and were doubles partners, but have since split.

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MTC wins battle for control of tennis

United Press International

NEW YORK — In the battle for control of men's tennis, the heads of the four Grand Slam events Monday sided with the Men's Tennis Council in its struggle with the Association of Tennis Professionals.

In a prepared statement, the leaders of the major tournaments said: "The present structure of the Men's tennis Council (MTC) is no longer acceptable to ATP's management, then the undersigned representatives... will ask the International Tennis Federation, the governing body of tennis for the past 75 years, to form a new structure to carry on the world-wide work for the game."

The letter is signed by Goran Jorgenson of the U.S. Open, Buzzer Hatingham of Wimbledon, Philippe

Chatrier of the French Open and Brian Tobin of the Australian Open.

Last week, the players association announced plans to leave the council and start its own circuit in 1990. The ATP will conduct a press conference on Tuesday to present its side of the issue. The ATP claims it will not be allowed to conduct a press conference on the grounds of the National Tennis Center, but will instead use a parking lot outside the center's main gates.

"It seems we have 'Open Tennis' but we do not have an open discussion of the issues that face our sport," the ATP stated in a statement.

Chatrier, who also is president of the International Tennis Federation (ITF), said: "It is apparent that control of the game is their (the ATP's) aim."



U.S. CHAMPIONSHIP TENNIS TOURNAMENT
Leading winners of men's titles

Table with 2 columns: Player -- Titles (Years). Lists winners like Richard D. Sears, William A. Larned, William T. Tilden, Jimmy Connors, Robert D. Wrenn, John McEnroe, Oliver S. Campbell, Malcolm D. Whitman, Fred J. Perry, Ivan Lendl.

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SCOREBOARD

RAINES GAUGE

Tim Raines' stats arr for 1988 season in first column, personal best season total in second column and current career totals (including 1988 games) in third column. GW RBI stands for Game Winning RBI. Raines was O for 4 in Monday's game.

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DOGS

Table with 2 columns: Dog Name, Odds. Lists various dogs and their betting odds for different events.

TV-RADIO

Table with 2 columns: Program Name, Time. Lists TV and radio broadcasts for the week.

BASEBALL

Table with 2 columns: Team, W-L-Pct-GS. Shows win-loss records for various baseball teams.

MINOR LEAGUE STANDINGS

Table with 2 columns: League Name, Team, W-L-Pct-GS. Shows standings for Florida State League, Southern League, and American League.

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People

Divorce doesn't justify Indian-giving

DEAR ABBY: I have an aunt who has been very close to me all of my life. She is nearing 80. About 15, maybe 20 years ago, Auntie gave one of her nieces a large wooden table when she got married. Since then, the couple has divorced. The niece has moved to another state, and her husband has remarried.

Auntie has asked me to get in touch with the ex-husband and ask him to send the table back to her! Abby, my aunt has no room in her small apartment for this table. When I reminded her of this, she said, "I don't care—and I will give it to the Goodwill if I have to!"

When I told my aunt that I would not feel comfortable calling this man and asking for the table and suggested that she call her niece and let her handle it, Auntie said, "I'll remember that you refused to help me when I needed help."

She hurt me by this remark and left me totally confused. This aunt has always said, "If I give you something and you don't want it, don't give it away—give it back to me."

If you were in my place, what would you do?

PUZZLED IN BUFFALO

DEAR PUZZLED: I would stick to my guns and not be maneuvered into calling the ex-husband and asking him to return the table. Once a gift is given, it belongs to the recipient to do with whatever he or she chooses. The giver has no claim on it whatsoever. Auntie's comment that she will "remember" that you didn't help her when she needed it sounds like a veiled threat. You have a right to feel hurt, but there is no



ADVICE

ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

reason to be confused. Auntie is pretty. Let her post.

DEAR ABBY: I'm sure you received a lot of letters about using the telephone during a thunderstorm. "Washington Reader's" letter proves that a little learning is a dangerous thing, and here he is encouraging other people to do something that could easily kill them. Lightning, with its fantastically high voltages and currents, is not limited by the same rules that control your usual power line electricity.

The extreme voltages enable

lightning to spark through the air, and in so doing, start an arc of ionized air that conducts current quite well. The size of the wires in the telephones does not prohibit transmission of the current (that's current, not voltage). If the wire "blows," it leaves a streak of ionized metal vapor that serves the lightning as a fine conductor to the telephone user, who was probably already fried by the very current that "blew" the wire, anyway.

So, Abby, don't believe "Washington Reader" for a minute. During a thunderstorm, stay away from the telephone, your computer keyboard, earphones on your hi-fi, electric shaver—anything connected to the power line or outdoor wiring of any kind.

EARNEST C. WOLFF, TOKYO, JAPAN

DEAR ABBY: One question keeps me from filling out an organ donor card. Who pays for

the operation to remove the organs—the donor's family, or the recipient of the organs?

I can't picture my family having to pay for my funeral and then for an operation. It may sound cheap, but since I'll be "gone," I am forced to think of my family's finances. Please help.

CURIOS IN SYRACUSE

DEAR CURIOUS: According to the Living Bank in Houston, the recipient—not the donor's family—is responsible for the expenses. The costs are usually covered by health insurance, including Medicare and Medicaid. The amount of insurance coverage depends on the organ involved, and the kind of insurance policy the recipient has.

(Problems? Write to Dear Abby. For a personal, unpublished reply, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Dear Abby, P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069. All correspondence is confidential.)

CALENDAR

AA sessions slated

- Area Alcoholics Anonymous groups meet Wednesday as follows:
- Sober Won AA Group meets Monday at the Sahara Club (old driver's license office), 2587 S. Sanford Ave., noon, 5:30 and 8 p.m. Open discussion.
- Sanford AA, noon, 5:30 p.m., open discussion, 1201 W. First St.
- 24-Hour AA Group, 8 p.m., (closed, alcoholics only) Fourth Street and Oak Avenue, Sanford.
- REIOS AA, noon, and 5:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. (closed), REIOS Club, 130 Normandy Lane, Casselberry.
- Sanford Born to Win AA, 8 p.m., open discussion, 1201 W. First St.
- Lake Mary Grace AA 11th Step (closed), 8 p.m., open discussion, 122 N. Fifth St., Lake Mary.
- Altamonte Springs AA, 8 p.m. (closed), Altamonte Community Chapel, 825 State Road 436.
- Casselberry AA, 8 p.m., (closed), Ascension Lutheran Church, Ascension Drive, Casselberry.
- Alton, 8 p.m., Fourth Street and Oak Avenue, Sanford.

COPE support group to meet

COPE support group for families of mental health patients meets Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. at Crane's Roost Office Park, S-377, Altamonte Springs.

Politicos to hobnob

Greater Seminole County Chamber of Commerce will hold its 1988 Political Hobnob on Wednesday, Aug. 31 from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at the Altamonte Springs Hilton. Straw ballot voting will take place from 5:45-6:15 p.m. for the offices of U.S. president, U.S. senator, Seminole County commissioner Districts 1, 3, and 5, clerk of the circuit court and tax collector. Open to the public. \$5 admission includes cocktails and hors d'oeuvres. For reservations call the chamber at 834-4404.

Braille writing course

The Braille Association of Mid-Florida will hold an orientation for those wanting to learn to transcribe ink print into Braille at 10 a.m. Tuesday Sept. 6 at the Braille Center, at 1500 Falcon Drive on the Audubon Park Elementary School grounds. Materials and instruction free. Call Ruth Baughman at 273-4432 for more information.

TONIGHT'S TV

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Lions add to their pride
New members of the Sanford Lions Club stand in front of their Lion sponsors after their induction at an Aug. 23 meeting. New Lions are (front row, from left) Norman Hart, Lawana Kish and Charles Fagan. In back row, from left, are District Governor Ed Payton, who installed the new members, club president Dave Chacey, who sponsored Hart and Kish, and Bettye Smith, who sponsored Fagan. The induction took place at a Sanford restaurant.

Start savings plan in college before the buck stops there

NEW YORK — The only way to avoid those frustrating moments when the campus money machine fails to respond to your requests for quick cash is to start saving and stick to a savings plan during the semester.

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and dine expenses that can add up to big bucks.

"I'm a big fan of greeting cards but they can eat up your budget," Fesz said. "They are fun but they can ruin you."

To protect against unexpected cash shortages, students should take a long hard look at their cash flow. See where the money goes by making a list of all weekly expenses.

"In the long run, loans can cause hard feelings," Fesz said. "I don't recommend it as a habit."

When times are really tight, students can turn to two additional sources of capital—credit cards and parents. But there's no free ride with either institution.

Credit card companies have a tendency to offer cards with greater ease to students than to recent graduates.

We all are painfully aware of the fact that saving money is never easy.

Whether you have thousands of dollars to stash away in mutual funds or a couple hundred to tuck away in a pass book account at your local bank, saving and budgeting money requires tough decisions and discipline.

For students returning to school with pockets loaded with summer cash, saving money can be even tougher.

After dispensing with all the regular expenses—tuition, room and board, books—there are such incidentals as entertainment costs to deal with, which are well worth saving for.

"If you don't save it as soon as you get it, you'll spend it," said Susan Fesz, 21, a business economics major at the College of Wooster in Wooster, Ohio.

Fesz, who worked two jobs this summer to bolster her savings, knows all about money management. She is vice president of a 30-year, student-run campus fund that has grown from \$800 to more than \$200,000.

When she is not making portfolio decisions, Fesz helps other students manage their money by offering sound advice. For example, limit visits to the campus pizza joint to once a week and watch out for nickle

Once you know where your money is spent, you should be able to spot areas that can be trimmed down or eliminated altogether.

Learn to budget your money. A simple way to do this is to set aside a fixed amount of money for each month. Divide that amount by four, write a check for the amount and live off it for the week.

"I like to buy things and not worry about my cash flow so I keep careful track of my assets and liabilities," Fesz said.

A bank account, preferably a combined checking and savings account, is a better place to stash your cash than a dorm dresser drawer or inside an album jacket.

But a checking account requires a diligent eye for detail: recording the amount, date and purpose of each check and an up-to-date balance. It's not advanced trigonometry. But this simple calculation can save headaches later.

Bargain shopping can stretch your dollars. Instead of shopping at the closest store, look around town for the best deal. Also, an organized trip to a shopping center to buy items in bulk can reduce costs. Buying used textbooks translates into extra cash, as well.

When your cash runs low, which happens to just about everyone, it is better to do without than to ask a friend for a loan. Cashless days also can be remedied by finding part-time work on campus.

"I've noticed that credit card purchases are going up and I don't think that's necessarily bad. It builds a good credit record for students," said John Sell, an associate professor of economics at The College of Wooster.

The cards can come in handy on major expenses if the purchases are repaid quickly. But remember the interest payments on most credit cards, generally 17 percent to 19 percent. It can add up quicker than library fines.

Parents, in most cases, will be willing to help you out, but you should approach them only in times of dire emergencies—especially if they have allowed you to live rent-free during the summer, have fed you anything other than dorm food and are footing the tuition bill.

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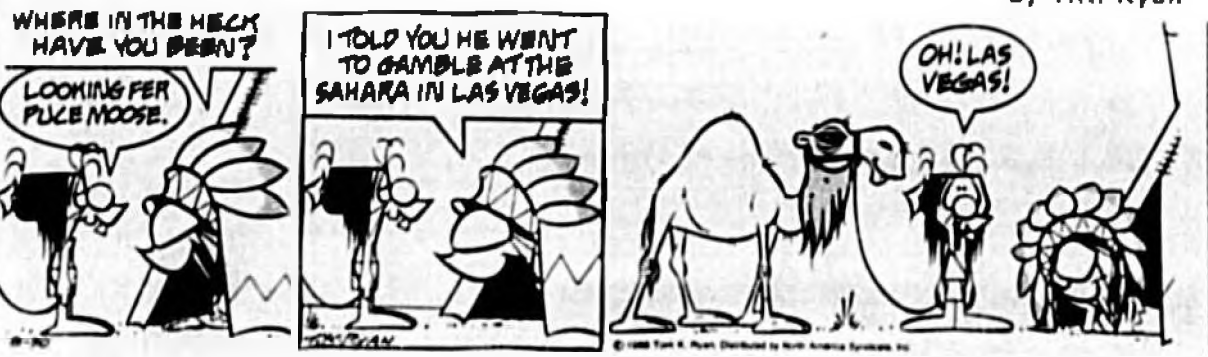
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TUMBLEWEEDS

by T.K. Ryan



Sweet tooth Ok; check sweet taste

DEAR DR. GOTT — I'm male, 28, 5 foot 11 and 140 pounds. I have a continuous sweet taste in my mouth, although I eat well. I also have headaches and occasional dizziness. What could these symptoms be pointing to?

DEAR DR. GOTT — A persistent sweet taste can indicate gum disease or tooth infection. See your dentist to make sure that you don't have a dental abscess. Headaches and occasional dizziness are probably not related to your taste ailment, but should be checked out by a physician.

DEAR DR. GOTT — For years I've been trying to get a definitive answer to the question of the end-point of the disease from which I suffer: palatal myoclonus. My wife is blind and needs my help in many ways. I am progressively more and more unable to supply that help. I need to know what the prognosis is so that I can ensure her care.

DEAR DR. GOTT — Myoclonus is a condition characterized by sudden shock-like muscular contractions. In palatal myoclonus, rhythmic spasms of the muscles of the palate occur. This is considered to be due to disease involving the extrapyramidal pathways, nerve bundles in the base of the brain.

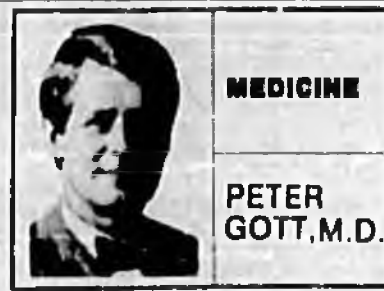
Myoclonus is treatable using several types of drugs, including clonazepam and valproate. The ailment tends to be progressive.

I cannot give you a definitive answer to your question because I don't know how fast your myoclonus is progressing or whether you are under treatment. Based on your neurologist's experience with you, he or she may be able to make a prediction.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My middle finger will bend, but I can't straighten it. Then it jerks — painfully — straight after a minute or two. What causes this?

DEAR DR. GOTT: This is a trigger-finger. It is due to a laxity of the supporting structures of

the joint, leading to recurrent and partial dislocation. Trigger-finger can be treated, under the supervision of an orthopedic surgeon, by exercises or injections. Surgery, to restore proper joint mechanics, is seldom necessary.



MEDICINE

PETER GOTT, M.D.

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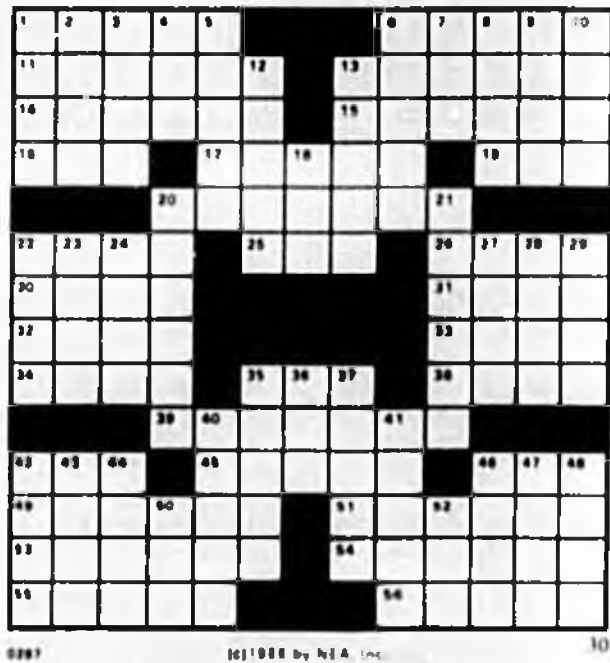
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- 47 Belonging to me
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- 52 Personality



WIN AT BRIDGE

By James Jacoby

You haven't seen our old friend Willy Nilly in action for a while, so here he is, mangle a three-no-trump contract. Willy did well enough, responding one heart and then jumping to game in no-trump after North rebid diamonds. When a club was led and Willy won the jack, he was already counting overtricks as he played king and a diamond. Alas, West showed out on the second round. Willy tried to duck a spade to West, but East split his honors. If Willy were now looking at all the cards, he might play a club to West. Should West then cash out all his club tricks, East would be in a position of extreme discomfort in trying to guard his stoppers in other suits. Instead, Willy simply gave up a spade trick. East returned a club and the defense took five tricks.

The careful declarer doesn't go after overtricks until the contract is safe. At the negligible loss of an unimportant diamond trick, South can guarantee the game by simply playing to either of dummy's major-suit kings and then playing a diamond to the nine in his hand. Even if that loses to the jack, the king of clubs cannot be attacked and three no-trump will be made with at least one overtrick. On the actual hand, the nine would win and 11 tricks would be made.

James Jacoby's books "Jacoby on Bridge" and "Jacoby on Card Games" (written with his father, the late Oswald Jacoby) are now available at bookstores. Both are published by Pharos Books.

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NORTH 1-30-3			
♦ K 4 3			
♥ K 5			
♠ A Q 10 8 3			
♣ 8 5			
WEST			
♦ 6 3 2			
♥ 7 4 2			
♠ 5			
♣ A Q 9 8 3			
EAST			
♦ Q J 8			
♥ Q J 3			
♠ J 7 4 2			
♣ 10 4 2			
SOUTH			
♦ A 10 9 7			
♥ A 10 8 6			
♠ K 9			
♣ K J 7			
Vulnerable: North-South Dealer: North			
West	North	East	South
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead: ♠ 6			

HOROSCOPE

What the day will bring...

By Bernice Bede Osol
YOUR BIRTHDAY
August 31, 1988

Don't overlook any opportunities in the year ahead to acquire additional knowledge in your field. What you learn will definitely be advantageous.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Be openminded to the ideas and suggestions of others today, but don't discount your own thoughts. What you conceive can be used to improve upon the input of associates. Virgo, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$1 to Astro Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Today your success might depend on your ability to be secretive, especially if you're doing something important where you are utilizing confidential information.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Although you usually prefer working independently, the greatest benefits today are likely to come from your partnerships.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Set aside anxieties today and accentuate the positive. You have the ability to accomplish whatever you set your mind to if you believe in yourself.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You'll function exceptionally well today with a limited number of people. Working with too many assistants could dilute your effectiveness.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Set sights on what you know is attainable today, not what others think you can do. Your assessments are more accurate than theirs.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Refrain from being critical of others today. Instead, do the opposite and say things that will inspire and brighten their spirits.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be willing to extend yourself today

if looking for rewards for your labors. Forget leaning on others; be the producer.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) If you're up front today managing events instead of letting them control you, the results that you are seeking will not elude you. Take charge.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Keep a low profile today, especially if you are looking out for the interests of those under your wing. Whatever needs to be orchestrated can be done from behind the scenes.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You're likely to be exceptionally skilled today at heading up a committee. You might have some slackers with which to contend, but you'll know how to manage them.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Pull out all the stops today if you're on the track to something that can enhance your financial position. Your possibilities look better than usual, so don't treat them indifferently.

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PEANUTS

by Charles M. Schulz

