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NEWS DIGEST

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Sports

Two to go

SANFORD — The Sanford Recreation Department Monday Night Polar Bear Slowpitch Softball League will come down to a two team shootout between the Tim Raines Connection and Lambert Erectors.
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Florida

Economic growth on the move

GAINESVILLE — David Lenz, co-author of the 1990 Florida Long-Term Economic Forecast, said state growth will be the slowest since 1940 in the four most commonly used state economic measures: employment, real personal income, per capita income and population.
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Parade route approved

SANFORD — The Desert Storm Support Group Parade Chairperson Penny Loughan reported that the route for the parade had been approved for homecoming veterans of the Persian Gulf War during their regular meeting last night.
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BRIEFS

Terry named city administrator

LONGWOOD — Donald L. Terry was named as Longwood's new city administrator Monday night, following a day of interviews, meetings with various department heads and a special meeting of the Longwood City Commission. Terry, who has been city clerk since 1978 had also been serving as acting city administrator since the dismissal of Mike Abels last year. He was one of four candidates who made presentations and underwent a series of questions during a meeting with the commissioners yesterday afternoon.

Following the session, the commission held a formal meeting and made a split decision.

Commissioners Anderson and Perry voted against Terry's nomination, saying they believed some of the other candidates might serve the job better, but Mayor Hank Hardy and Commissioners Hefter and Lovstrand voted in favor of Terry's nomination.

Organizational meeting set

LAKE MARY — The new seven-member city Business Advisory Board will hold an organizational meeting Wednesday at noon in the East Conference Room at Lake Mary City Hall, 100 W. Lake Mary Blvd.

The seven-member board was created by the city commission earlier this year to study ways of improving the city's relationship with the business sector.

The city commission selected four members and the Lake Mary Chamber of Commerce chose three members. They are:

- Mark Ambach, project manager for Arvida
- Dennis Courson, First Seminole Bank president
- Terry Duffy, past president of Seminole County Board of Realtors
- C. William Harkins, of Harkins Development Corporation
- David Ligler, Lake Mary Publix manager
- Fran Sledzinski, of Stromberg-Carlson
- J. Craig Spearman, strategic planner.

Lane closed again tonight

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Crews will disrupt traffic along Interstate 4 between State Roads 434 and 436 again tonight to prepare to build a \$3.1 million four-lane bridge over Interstate 4 at Center Street, renamed Central Parkway. Work is expected to be complete in February.

The right, outside lane of eastbound I-4 traffic and the right, outside lane of westbound traffic will be closed from 8 p.m. tonight until 6 a.m.

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Sunny and warmer



Sunny and warmer with a high in the mid to upper 70s. Wind becoming southeast 10 to 15 mph.

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High-tower record tied

Cellular phone company erecting 250-foot tower

By NICK PFEIFAUFF
Herald Staff Writer

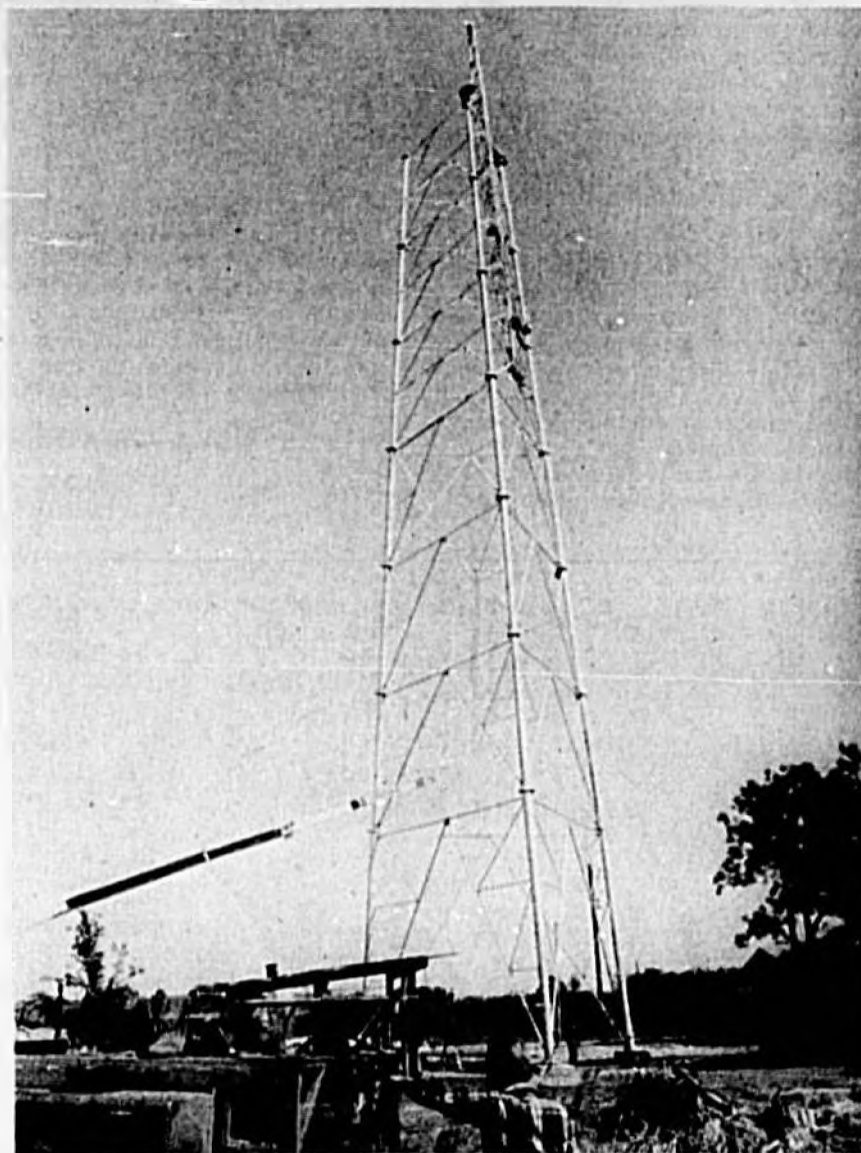
SANFORD — The skyline in the western part of Sanford is about to change with the completion of construction on a 250-foot-high tower for BellSouth Mobility.

The construction of the new tower by Casey's Tower Service of Orlando is about two thirds complete on Narcissus Avenue, just west of Rand Yard Road. A crew member said he expected the physical work on the steel part of the structure might be finished by the end of this week.

BellSouth is a cellular mobile phone service offering 24 hour automatic service throughout this area of Florida, and is one of the largest companies of its type in the South East United States. Although the company already offers service in the Sanford area, the new tower will enable this service to be greatly improved.

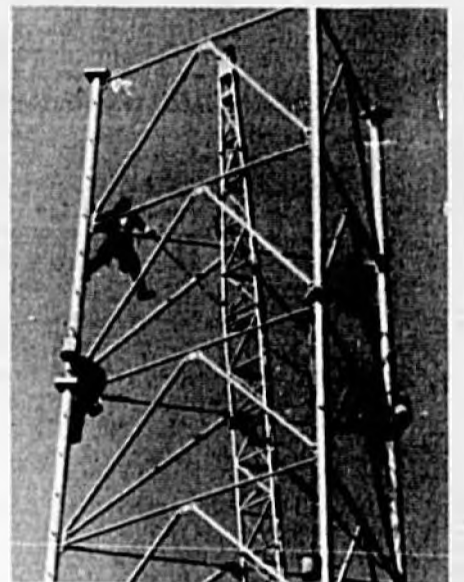
Mark Fuller, general manager for the four county Orlando district said, "We expect to put that new tower into operation on April 1."

He explained, "At the present time, BellSouth has been serving customers in the Sanford area from a tower near Winter Springs, but the new structure will give them better coverage." Fuller said his company is building a similar tower at this time, in Clermont. "They are both very rapid growth areas," he added.



Herald Photo by Tommy Vincent

John Horcher operates winch to raise equipment to tower workers.



Staplejacks assemble support and braces high above ground.

The Sanford City Commission approved construction on Nov. 1. Although the new tower is in a farming area, it is located within the city limits of Sanford.

Depending on how the height is measured, this could be the tallest tower in the Sanford area. Frank Vaught, manager of Radio Station WTRR in Sanford said his tower, east of the city on Celery Avenue, is just three feet shorter at 247 feet. "But when you add the height of the light beacon we have on top of it," he said, "it ends up being 250 feet tall."

If it's not broken, why try to fix it?

By LAURA L. SULLIVAN
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — One of Sanford's thoroughfares wasn't broken, city officials are pleading, so why is Seminole County trying to fix it?

Sanford commissioners said Monday night the county's test of a three-lane 25th Street isn't working. The four-lane street has been temporarily narrowed to two through lanes and one left turn lane between U.S. Highway 17-92 and Old Lake Mary Road.

"I've never seen somebody take something that's working and turn it into something else," Mayor Bettye Smith said. Since the road was narrowed, she said, her home has been bombarded with phone calls complaining about the

change.

"Can we beg the county not to leave 25th Street the way it is now?" she asked City Manager Bill Simmons, who said he would relay the commission's concerns to county officials. All four city commissioners joined in Smith's plea.

County traffic engineer Steve Decker was not available for comment this morning. After the first few days of the test, however, he had said the test appeared to be working.

About 12,000 cars travel the narrowed stretch of 25th Street every day, Decker has said.

The road was built in the 1950s, when few roads provided for left-turning cars and most roads were built with narrow lanes. The lanes fit 25th Street were built to be only 11 feet wide, with no medians or left-turn provisions.

Two weeks ago the county restriped the road with two 13-foot through lanes and a 12-foot turn lane. Three-foot shoulders on either side leave room for right-turning traffic, pedestrians and bicyclists.

When the road is resurfaced within the next weeks, road crews will put down permanent striping — for either four or three lanes, depending on the outcome of the test.

Decker has said the county may conduct a similar study on Sanford Avenue.

-Mayor Bettye Smith

School attendance zone plan wins approval

Plan A picked for Sanford-Lake Mary

By VICKI DeSORMIER
Herald staff writer

LONGWOOD — The Seminole County School Board decided last night which of two rezoning plans it wants to adopt in an effort to realign attendance zones to fill Heathrow Elementary School in Lake Mary

and Parlin Elementary School in Oviedo.

Following a pair of public hearings the board has decided to go with Plan A in reassigning Sanford and Lake Mary students for Heathrow Elementary School.

"There has been much public support for Plan A," said Ken Boyio, area director of elementary education.

Plan A calls for the following changes in attendance zones:

• 88 students who now attend Woodlands Elementary School, 1420 E.E. Williamson Rd. in Longwood, will attend Heathrow next year. The students are all those who live in the area from the south entrance of Wingfield Reserve, north on the west side of Markham Woods Road to the present Woodlands attendance zone boundary, including all homes and side streets which are on the west side of Markham Woods Road.

• 190 students who now attend Lake Mary Elementary School, 132 Country Club Rd. in Lake Mary, will attend Heathrow Elementary School. The students are all those who live in Lakewood, north of Greenway Boulevard, south of Lake Way Road and west of Lake Park Drive, including all side streets which exit on to Lake Park Drive. Also, all students who live in the Higgins Terrace housing project will

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After two months, half of Sanford's residents recycling

By LAURA L. SULLIVAN
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SANFORD — Participation in Sanford's city recycling program is still at about 55 percent in its second month, according to city Public Works Director Jerry Herman.

During February, 60 24 tons of 1,120 56 tons of solid waste collected by the city were recyclable materials, Herman reported. That figure included 39.52 tons of newspaper, 15.51 tons of glass, 3.97 tons of plastic and 1.24 tons of aluminum, he said.

Curbside recycling in February reduced the city's haul to the county landfill by 5.4 percent, Herman said. That reduction saved the city \$903.60 in landfill fees, he said.

Curbside recycling participation has lingered at about 55 percent since bins for recyclable materials were distributed in late December. City crews began collecting recyclables in January.

Participation in some outlying subdivisions is as high as 80 percent, Herman has said.

In central Sanford where trash pickup is done from alleys behind homes, Herman said, participation has been lower because homeowners must remember to place recycling bins in front of their homes. Alleys are too narrow for equipment on recycling trucks, he said.

Herman said he is working on an education program to increase participation among Sanford residents.



Herald Photo by Tommy Vincent

True colors

Lauralynn Loughan (left), 7, and Noell Wolff, 7, color during last night's Operation Desert Storm Support Group meeting. Loughan's sister Traci Williams is a reservist stationed in

Saudi Arabia and Wolff's uncle Scott Wolff returned last week from serving aboard the U.S.S. Saratoga. Homecoming festivities for troops are in the works. See story, Page 7A.

POLICE BRIEFS

Fleeing man arrested

Terry Judson Jacobs, 24, of 124 Krider Rd. in Sanford was arrested on Sunday and charged with fleeing and attempting to elude law enforcement officers and attaching a tag not assigned to his car.

When a Seminole County sheriff's officer tried to stop him for a traffic violation, he allegedly made a wide turn around the officer's car and headed away from the scene.

A computer check of the license plate on the car revealed that it had been reported stolen.

When Jacobs was later stopped, a search of the car allegedly revealed another license plate, which was also allegedly reported stolen, in the trunk of the car.

Jacobs was transported to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where he was held in lieu of \$500 bond.

Illegal hunting charge made

Donald Rena Campbell, 27, of 2371 Greenway St. in Sanford was arrested on Sunday.

He was charged with failure to appear in court on an illegal hunting charge.

A Seminole County Sheriff's Officer made the arrest after he ran a computer check on Campbell.

He was transported to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where bond has not yet been set.

Teen kidnapping suspect jailed

A second man, caught napping by FBI agents at a carnival in Orlando, Fla., has been arrested in the kidnapping of three teen-agers, FBI spokesman John Anthony said in Detroit.

Kenneth Paul Stuebaker, 26, of White Pigeon "was sleeping when agents found him around 3 p.m." Monday, Anthony said.

Stuebaker was jailed in the John E. Polk Correctional Facility in Sanford and was expected to be arraigned today. He awaits extradition to Michigan to face kidnapping charges.

Anthony said.

Stuebaker's alleged accomplice, David Alan House, 33, of Michigan, faces almost 15 years in prison after pleading guilty Feb. 6 in U.S. District Court to conspiring to kidnap Jamie Lee, 18, of Detroit; Rebecca Batten, 17, of Harrison Township; and Angela Bastianon, 16, of Warren.

The pair ordered the three teen-agers into the back seat of the car Lee was driving in front of a Michigan restaurant Nov. 24, House said. Bastianon and Batten were dropped off in Chicago, and Lee was found bound and gagged in a Las Vegas motel room.

Sentencing for House is scheduled for April 24.

DUI charged

Teresa Ann Heylin, 25, of 1910 Malrose Ave. in St. Petersburg, was arrested on Sunday and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, failing to carry her drivers license and failure to maintain a single lane while driving.

She was stopped by police when she was weaving between lanes of traffic on U.S. Highway 17-92 in Sanford.

She was given a roadside sobriety test and transported to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where she is being held without bond.

Petit theft charged

Johnathan Jermaine Martin, 18, of 902 Holly Ave. in Sanford was arrested on Sunday.

He was charged with petit theft and attaching a tag not assigned to his car.

A Lake Mary police officer observed the car in the parking lot of the Lichfield theatre on U.S. Highway 17-92 in Lake Mary. The occupants went into the theatre.

A computer check of the license plate revealed it to be stolen.

When the occupants returned to the car Martin, the owner of the car, was arrested.

A search of Martin's person allegedly revealed a .38 calibre gun in his pants pocket. A search of the car allegedly revealed another .38 calibre weapon and a full face ski mask.

Martin was transported to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where he was held on \$100 bond.

Reclaimed water available soon to some homeowners

By LAURA L. SULLIVAN
Herald staff writer

SANFORD — A few Sanford neighborhoods may soon have a way around lawn-watering restrictions.

The city has completed design of a residential reclaimed water system, where treated wastewater would be offered to utility customers for irrigation purposes.

According to Bill Simmons, Sanford city manager also acting as director of engineering and planning, the service will be offered to homeowners in the westside subdivisions of Idyllwilde, Kaywood Estates, The Oaks of Sanford, Country Place and Mayfair Villas.

After surveying applications

from interested customers across the city, Simmons said, offering the system in those neighborhoods was determined to be the most cost-effective design. Soil type, lot size and other variables determine cost-effectiveness, he said.

The city commission Monday approved a \$758,000 contract for installation of reclaimed water lines in those neighborhoods.

City officials have also designed systems for Central Florida Regional Hospital and New Tribes Mission, Simmons said. City crews would be able to install those lines, he said.

The city's reclaimed water system is already on line in city parks and on other city projects.

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Longwood cops offer bulletin to residents

By NICK PFERPAUF
Herald Staff Writer

LONGWOOD — The Special Operations Division of the Longwood Police Department had started offering regular publications dealing primarily with the Neighborhood Watch Programs but also including educational information on crime prevention. The information is free to the public.

Longwood Police Investigator Steve Falk is in charge of the publication which he hopes will be released every three to four months. "We have many active Neighborhood Watch organizations," he said, "but there are many areas where we have just a row of homes with no specific subdivisions or districts where such a program can be started if we can get their interest up. Even if we can't," he added, "these people need the information on home protection as well."

The first publication was issued in January, Falk said he distributed it to every known subdivision where organizations have been established, then put copies of the publication in the main office of City Hall as well as at the Police Department, hoping people would pick them up. "We put out about 3,000 copies the first time," he said. The next edition is expected to be released some time next month.

The news letter is called All Points Bulletin, and features information on how to establish a Neighborhood Crime Watch program, home safety suggestions, special reports on individual subdivisions, and various informational items about the work done in home and business protection by the Longwood Police Department.

"Our main concern," Falk said, "is to help those older sections of the city where they don't have any organizations. But," he added, "there are some subdivisions with possibly 100 homes that ended up with a turn-out of only ten or so when they tried to form a watch program. They need our help as well."

The printing of the bulletin is being donated without charge to the city, but Falk said there is a need for volunteers to help compiling the publication, and urged anyone who may be willing to help, especially in providing specific community news, to contact him at the police headquarters in Longwood, 260-3400.

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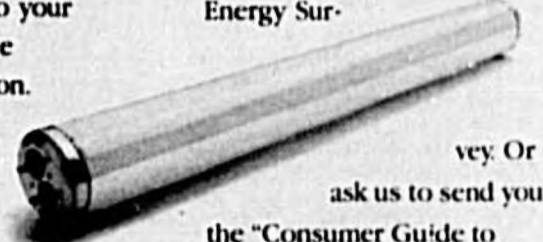


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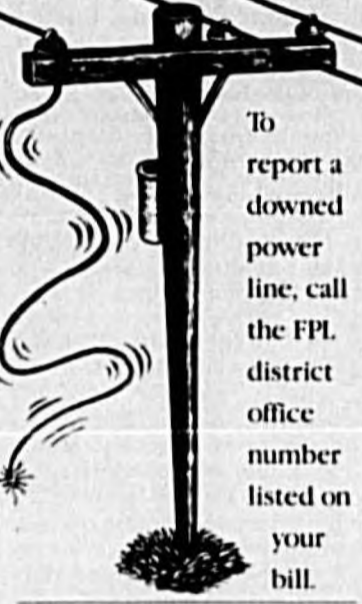
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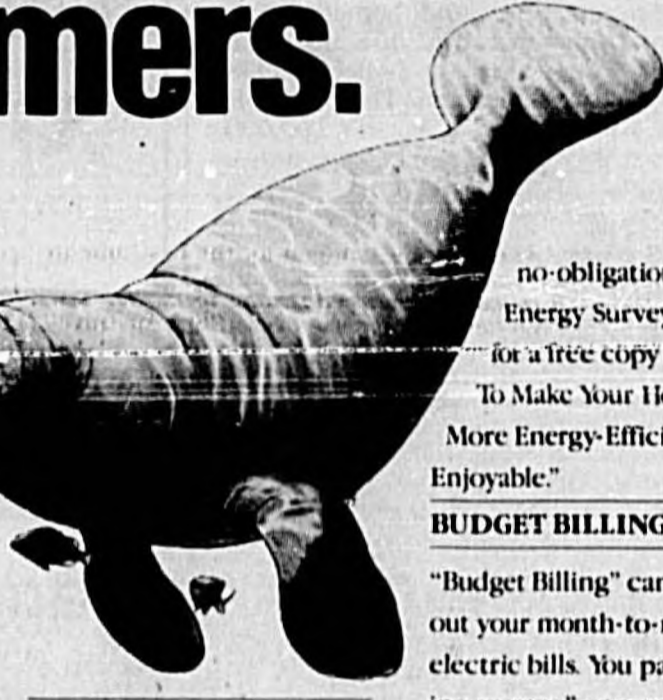
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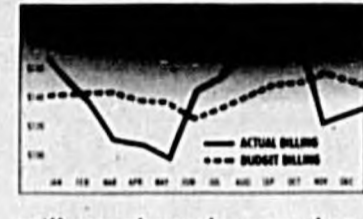
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EDITORIALS

Poor health

The myth that everyone who is sick or injured in this country is entitled to equal medical treatment is a myth that dies hard. Something about health care is special, and we hate to think that just because a man has a million dollars, he is going to get better treatment than the next guy.

But he does, especially if the next guy is poor and uninsured. The health-care business is essentially just that, a business, not a charitable enterprise. That needs to be recognized if we are to think realistically about solutions to the health-care problem.

Some aspects of the problem are the steeply rising costs, the number of people (30 million nationally) who have no health insurance, and the limited amount of public funds available to buy health care for those people and for others whose health insurance is inadequate or has run out.

What needs to be faced, and faced squarely, is that health care and the money to pay for it are limited. Accept the limits, then develop priorities and give care in those cases and in that manner that will do the most good for the greatest number.

That is what Oregon is doing. The leaders of the Beaver State are laying down a table of priorities for health care for the poor; taking into consideration costs and benefits. The result is a table ranking 808 medical conditions according to the cost-effectiveness of medical treatment for them. The available money (now \$350 million a year for 190,000 on Medicaid) will be spent on all of the state's medically indigent people for those procedures most likely to provide the most benefit for the buck.

For instance, huge sums will not be spent on babies of extremely low birth weight, whose chance of surviving to a normal weight is disproportionately slim compared to the cost of their treatment, if spending such money would deny treatment to poor patients with pneumonia, tuberculosis, peritonitis or other disorders that can be treated at relatively low cost with high expectations of full recovery.

Yet Rep. Henry Waxman, D-Calif., who is chairman of the House Health Committee, piously objects that the Oregon plan would set up a two-tier medical system, one tier for the insured, one for the uninsured — as if that is not what we have already.

Put aside the pious platitudes. Think anew. Follow the lead of those good citizens and medical men whose pioneer ancestors developed common sense trudging west on the Old Oregon Trail.

LETTERS TO EDITOR

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Berry's World



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ROGER CLEMENS
ON THE MOUND

WILLIAM A. RUSHER

War protesters' scare tactics failed

The Gulf war zipped by so fast that the predictions of a long war and heavy death tolls are only a few weeks old, and we can conveniently compare the forecasts to the reality. Most of the protesters put the likely U.S. death toll in the "tens of thousands," and added a little color to the statistic by depicting the dead as being "brought home in body-bags." This image so excited certain television producers that they actually sued the Pentagon to force it to allow them to televise the scene at the Dover (Del.) Air Force Base where the dead were expected to arrive for routing to their hometowns. Alas, the war was over before these Emmy aspirants could find a liberal judge to rule in their favor.

The grand prize for sheer intellectual terrorism, however, must surely go to Claudio Clifton-Revilla, director of the Long Range Analysis of War Project at the University of Colorado. He hit on the idea of getting a computer to tell him "how many soldiers, of all nationalities, will die in the battlefields of Kuwait and Iraq." (Computers don't lie, see?)

With a warfare model based on the patterns of 118 wars fought since 1816, "the computer's forecast was relentless," reported Deborah Blum of McClatchy News Service: "Hundreds of thousands dead, with the possibility of final totals creeping over 1 million."

Most of these would be Iraqi, but "the Colorado group — and other experts in war-fatality estimates — think U.S. military deaths are likely to top out at 40,000 to 50,000. Most agree that the Pentagon's casualty estimates, projecting 10,000 to 20,000 U.S. deaths, are too low."

Which just confirms the oldest rule in the computer game: "Garbage in, garbage out."

Over on the right, the small clutch of conservatives who opposed the war at least had the good sense to be more cautious in their casualty forecasts. My old friend Joe Sobran wisely eschewed statistical predictions altogether and stuck to a gloomy impressionism: Condemning the "warrior pundits," he asserted that, "They gaze

beyond the mangled bodies and burning cities in the foreground and see a happy ending on the horizon. I don't."

Pat Buchanan did get into the numbers game, but only just: "Before we send thousands of American soldiers to their deaths, let's make damn sure America's vital interests are threatened." The actual total of American war dead over the entire six weeks, as we now know, was 98 — and that includes not only those killed by enemy action but those killed accidentally as a result of "friendly fire" and those who died in plane crashes, unrelated to enemy action, that might have occurred right here at home and killed just as many or more.

When President Bush rejoiced that "we have kicked the Vietnam syndrome," a large part of the reason can be found in the quotations above and thousands of others like them. The opponents of the Gulf war wildly overplayed their hand, drawing on painful recollections of Vietnam to try to terrorize the American people into opposing future military operations of any type, anywhere.

Perhaps the most important single lesson of the Gulf war is that the American people aren't that easy to scare. The great majority of them know that in this dirty world it is sometimes going to be necessary for Uncle Sam to use force.



The computer's forecast was relentless.



ELLEN GOODMAN

Slandered salad may talk back

BOSTON — If you are traveling through Colorado, watch what you say about the food. Cast no aspersions on the asparagus. Slander not the celery. Don't libel the lettuce.

The folks who live in the Rocky Mountain State have become unfriendly to the sort of people who might ruin the reputation of a rutabaga. They have a bill, about to face its last legislative hurdle, that would make it possible to take legal action against someone who knowingly and falsely trashed the turnips.

People could be sued, in the words of the bill, for disseminating "any false information which is not based on reliable scientific facts and scientific data, which the disseminator knows or should have known to be false and which casts doubt on the safety of any perishable agricultural food product to the consuming public." With such an anti-defamation of fruit, grains and veggies rule, it would be safer to say something against a person in Colorado than against a pear.

The originator of this peachy new limit on free speech is Steve Acquafresca, an apple farmer and state legislator who has had it up to his Adam's apple with food-safety critics. Ever since the Alar scare left the McIntoshes to rot in 1989, many farmers have looked for a pesticide to feed the critics.

Acquafresca — living testimony to that age-old adage, "An Apple A Day Keeps The Sense of Humor Away" — thinks he has found it. He says, deadpan, that his bill "will provide encouragement for food-safety critics to look at legitimate safety information."

What precisely is "legitimate" safety information these days? Health news in America bounces from one study to another. Coffee is in and then out and then in again. Oat bran is touted as a cure and then becomes a joke. Cholesterol is tagged as a villain and then it's divided into twins: good and bad.

Even with solid research, the public has trouble comparing the risks of Alar with the risks of asbestos. If you are what you eat in America, you are confused.

Could you then be sued in Colorado for saying "meat is bad for you" or "don't eat eggs" or even "chemicals can cause cancer"?

Acquafresca answers unequivocally without even checking the scientific data, "I don't know."

As often happens when people start figuring out new ways to slice and dice free speech, this bill would muzzle alarms as well as alarmists.

Yelling "cancer" in the middle of a harvest, says Acquafresca, "is like yelling fire in a crowded theater." That's the classic argument about the limits of free speech.

The classic response is that this sort of bill is designed to have a chilling effect. Chilling may be good for a head of lettuce, but not for the flow of information. If there's a match burning in the theater, would every critic or reporter have to call a lawyer to see when it's okay to yell "fire"?

Heaven and the Great Pumpkin know, there isn't a real dearth of lawsuits in America.

We don't need a law targeted at speech. And surely we don't need one that gives special rights to a new class of litigants: fruits and vegetables. Can it be that the lawyers, having run out of clients, are looking for, uh, new and fertile soil to plow?

About twenty years ago, Justice William O. Douglas put forth the notion that valleys, meadows, rivers, lakes and trees should have legal standing. But even he didn't suggest rights for the radichio and the radish.

If a salad can sue because its safety has been questioned, how long till it can sue for alienation of affection, or invasion of privacy, or all the other abuses and misunderstandings heaped upon its lowly platter. Indeed, with all the rules against "hate speech" on college campuses, it could soon be illegal to spew epithets about eggplants.

As for the long-disparaged garlic bud, how long must it listen to those horrible accusations without hiring a lawyer? Shouldn't the maligned Brussels sprout have a right to its day in court? Doesn't the attitude toward onions bring tears to your eyes?

Somewhere I can imagine what the lawyer for a head of broccoli could do to the current head of state. So sue me, but will all due respect to the almond crop, the latest idea from Colorado is nuts.



Oat bran is touted as a cure and then becomes a joke.

JACK ANDERSON

Texas pressures NASA for projects

WASHINGTON — Texas congressmen are on a scavenger hunt for projects to bolster the Johnson Space Center in Houston and are scheming to snatch space agencies from other states if that's what it takes to bring jobs to Texas.

The lawmakers fear that the National Aeronautics and Space Administration will centralize the space shuttle program and other NASA projects in Florida and that the Johnson Space Center will fall by the wayside.

In anticipation of that, the Texans are trying to persuade NASA to move other projects to Houston.

In a tug-of-war with other states for precious jobs, the Texas lawmakers will be a formidable foe, especially with a nationwide recession compounding the oil slump Texas has been in for years.

In a recent letter to NASA Administrator Richard Truly, 22 members of the Texas delegation urged him to move the Space Station Freedom headquarters from Reston, Va., to Houston. The Texans told Truly that the move "makes sense for the space station and for NASA as a whole."

But it doesn't make sense for Virginia. Sens. Charles Robb, D-Va., and John Warner, R-Va., are fighting to keep the facility in Reston, outside of Washington, D.C. They have met with Truly to discuss the issue, but they may be out-gunned by the Texans. The proposed move to Texas is gaining momentum in NASA.

The Reston facility is the brain trust of the space station — a project with a total annual budget of \$2 billion. Parts of the space station project are scattered across the nation and in three foreign countries, but Reston is the headquarters. Space Station Freedom, scheduled for launch in late 1995, is a manned laboratory in the sky for the study of low-gravity sciences.

Moving the office to Texas would cost at least \$26 million, according to internal NASA estimates. But the big cost would be the inevitable delays. One highly placed source in the space station project told our associate Jim Lynch that the move could delay the launching of the station by at least a year and possibly two. At \$2 billion a year, that's an expensive wait.

Sources told us that NASA could also lose as many as half of its top space station engineers who would refuse to move.

The move would also contradict the recommendations of a string of government commissions that said the headquarters for the project should not be alongside one of its primary manufacturing facilities. That is the reason that NASA moved the space station headquarters from Houston to Reston in 1987. Now, only four years later, all signs point to cuts at the Reston facility.

Special language in this year's budget specifies some belt-tightening at Reston, but there is no such frugality spelled out for the Johnson Space Center. Instead, Congress found \$10 million for improvements to the Johnson visitors' center.

A NASA spokesman told us that nothing has been decided yet about the move, and that it was unlikely all of the Reston functions would go to Texas.

Fiscal wisdom should dictate what happens to the space center headquarters, but it appears more likely that pork barrel politics will make the decision.

ALL IN THE FAMILY — The trial of Winnie Mandela has muddled politics in South Africa. Her husband Nelson Mandela has become the symbol of moderation. In a spirit of give and take, he is negotiating an end to apartheid and has agreed to halt the guerrilla war against the white government.



A tug-of-war with other states for precious jobs.

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IN BRIEF

PRO WRESTLING

Pro's at SHS

SANFORD — Pro Wrestling is coming to Seminole High School on Saturday, March 16, at 8 p.m. at Bill Fleming Memorial Gymnasium. The main event will feature Steve "Gator" Keirn vs. Dick Slater. Also on the card will be Buggy McGraw and Hurricane Walker vs. The Heartbreakers. Jim Backlund vs. Lightning Lou Perez. Terminator vs. Master Blaster and Cousin Junior vs. Scotty E. Tickets are \$8 for ringside and \$6 for general admission. Tickets are on sale in the Seminole High School Athletic Department.

SOFTBALL

Tournament rescheduled

SANFORD — The Central Florida Soapbox Derby Softball Tournament, rained out last weekend, will be played this Saturday at Chase and Pinehurst parks. Openings are still available for teams who wish to compete. Deadline for registration is Thursday at 5 p.m. with drawing at 6 p.m. While it is an open tournament, it will be played under A.S.A. Class C rules. Entry fee is \$110 plus two red stitch softballs. For more information, call 330-5697.

Oviedo teams win

CASSELBERRY — The ICP men from Oviedo defeated the Methodist Church of Oviedo 7-6 in eight innings and the Advanced Quality Water Systems women beat Brand X 23-3 in Class C softball action at Red Bug Park Monday night. ICP (International Corporate Park) was led by ex-Rollins baseball player Mike Rix with three hits. Also contributing were Ed Norton (home run, single, two RBI), Kenny Tuttle (double, single, three RBI) and John McKay (two singles). Doing the damage for the women were April Lawrence (triple, double, two singles), Mary Shelton (double, two singles, four RBI) and Terri Mann, Karen Kohs, Jackie Suggs, Phyllis Baynes, Jackie Janowiak and Denise Levinson (two singles each).

GOLF

Orangewood splits

DEBARY — The Orangewood Christian boys golf team split a tri-match with Winter Park and Oak Ridge Monday at the DeBarry Plantation. Winter Park was the overall winner with a 164 team score, followed by Orangewood (180) and Oak Ridge (210). The Wildcats are 6-2 on the season, the Rams 4-1 and the Pioneers 0-11. Orangewood will travel to Belle Vista to play Tavares today starting at 3:30 p.m. Scoring for Winter Park were Jason Pointsette 37, Jason Riggner 39, Aaron Brabham 42 and Robert Winslow 46. Orangewood: Andy Braddock 38, Scott Armstrong, Kevin Ripaldi 46, Billy West 50. Oak Ridge: Brian Smith 47, Mike Buchanan 53, Daniel Myatt 55, Eric Richards 55.

BASEBALL

Minosos to play

POMPANO BEACH — Former Chicago White Sox star Minnie Minoso has found a way to play professional baseball in a sixth decade. Mike Veeck, president of the Florida State League's Pompano Beach Miracle, said Monday that Minoso will play April 13 in a home game against the Fort Lauderdale Yankees. The 68-year-old Minoso, whose regular playing career ended in 1964, was blocked by baseball commissioner Fay Vincent from playing in a White Sox game last season. Minoso, who played his first major-league game in 1949, had made token appearances in 1976 and 1980 to claim participation in five decades.

PRO FOOTBALL

Bucs name Wood

TAMPA — Richard Wood, who played in a team-record 132 games for the Tampa Bay Buccaneers from 1976-1984, rejoined the club Monday as a defensive assistant. Wood, 37, was selected from among four former Tampa Bay players coach Richard Williamson considered for the job.

Dolphins sign Price

MIAMI — The Miami Dolphins have signed 6-4, 272 pound second-year reserve defensive end Terry Price from the Chicago Bears' unprotected list.

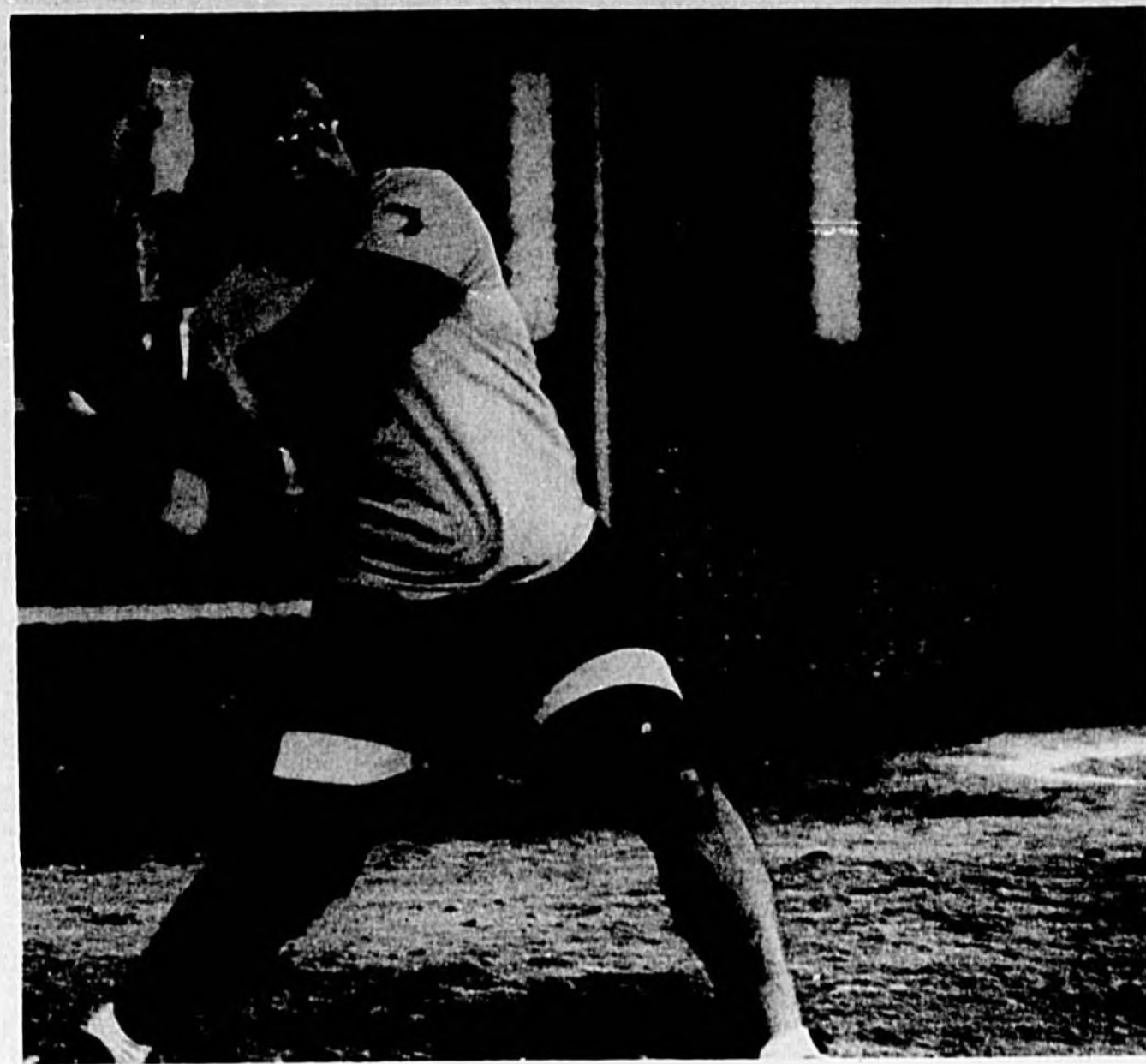
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BEST BETS ON TV

BASKETBALL 8:05 p.m. — TBS, NBA, Philadelphia 76ers at Atlanta Hawks (L)

Complete listing on Page 2B

Two left in title chase



Bill Marino of the Wrecking Crew had three singles and scored a run, but it was not enough as co-league leading Lambert Erectors outscored the Crew 6-3 in...

Sanford Recreation Department Monday Night Polar Bear Slowpitch Softball League action at Chase Park. The win kept Lambert tied with TRC for the league lead.

TRC, Lambert Erectors tied atop league

From staff reports

SANFORD — And then there were two. The Sanford Recreation Department Monday Night Polar Bear Slowpitch Softball League will come down to a two team shootout between the Tim Raines Connection and Lambert Erectors. At Chase Park last night, TRC knocked Suffolk Homes out of a share of the league lead with a 10-0 whitewashing. Lambert remained tied with TRC after a 6-3 struggle against the Wrecking Crew and the H.D. Realty Heartbreakers upset the Boomtown Boys 10-8. With one week left TRC and Lambert Erectors are both 7-2, followed by Suffolk Homes (6-3), Boomtown Boys (4-5), H.D. Realty (3-6) and Wrecking Crew (0-9). Next week TRC will take on the Boomtown Boys. Lambert Erectors will face Suffolk Homes and H.D. Realty will play the Wrecking Crew. TRC broke open a close game with four runs in the fifth inning and three in the sixth. The TRC defense held Suffolk Homes to only five singles and allowed no runner past first base. Contributing to a 16 hit TRC attack were Greg Hardy (two) See Softball, Page 2B

Table with 2 columns: Team Name and Record (W-L). Teams include Tim Raines Connection, Suffolk Homes, Lambert Erectors, Wrecking Crew, Boomtown Boys, and H.D. Realty.

Rams edge Tribe in jv baseball

From staff reports

SANFORD — The Lake Mary High School junior varsity baseball team improved its record to 8-2 with an 8-6 triumph over the Seminole High School junior varsity at the Seminole baseball field Monday afternoon. Ben Revitto pitched the first six innings to get the win and Brian Marotta got the save by pitching a scoreless seventh. Phillips King suffered the loss for the Tribe.

Seminole scored three runs in the bottom of the first inning but the Rams scored the next eight and then withstood a late challenge by the Noles.

Providing the offense for Lake Mary were Chad Kessler (single, three RBI), Eric Leister and John Lugering (one single and one RBI each), Matt Diemer and Mike Warner (one single and two runs scored each), Revitto (two runs scored) and Marita and Brent Wilmot (one run scored each).

Doing the damage for Seminole were Tony Mills (two singles, run scored, two RBI), Cory Gochee (double, run scored), King (single, two runs scored), Ryan Ortiz (single) and Brian Hunt and Andre Rawlings (one run scored each).

The Rams will play a big inter-county contest Wednesday when they host Lake Brantley at Lake Mary field starting at 7 p.m.

Seminole, now 1-6 on the season, still has a big week ahead of it. The Tribe will play again today when they travel to New Smyrna Beach to take on the Barraeudas at the Airport Complex starting at 4 p.m. before returning home Thursday for a game with the Lyman High School junior varsity starting at 3:30 p.m. at Seminole Field.

Table with 2 columns: Team Name and Record (W-L). Teams include Lake Mary j.v., Seminole j.v., Revitto, Marotta (2) and Crane, King, Ortiz (2) and Mills, WP - Revitto, LP - King, Save - Marotta 2B - Seminole 1 (Gochee), 3B - none, HR - none, Records - Lake Mary 8-2, Seminole 1-6.

Cross country meet draws big field

From staff reports

LAKE MARY — A field of 42 runners showed this past Saturday for the 1991 Seminole County Middle School Cross Country Championships at Lake Mary High School.

The results: Sixth grade girls — 1. Ashley Nasser (Rock Lake), 6:28; 2. Cally Howell (Tuskawilla), 6:31; 3. Anne Kim (Tuskawilla), 7:25; 4. Kim Conner (Tuskawilla), 7:30; 5. Elissa Lenodale (Teague), 7:46; 6. Nichole Anderscavage (South Seminole), 7:53; 7. Stacy Pee (Tuskawilla), 8:36.

Sixth grade boys — 1. Kurtis McGee (Teague), 6:37; 2. Charles Rupe (Jackson Heights), 7:05; 3. Mark Smith (Rock Lake), 7:12; 4. Bobby Burns (Rock Lake), 7:43; 5. Donny Smith (Jackson Heights), 7:54; 6. Wilson Vazquez (South Seminole), 8:18; 7. Kerry Helton (Rock Lake), 9:24.

Seventh grade girls — 1. Jenny Deleach (Rock Lake), 7:21; 2. Yohara Rodriguez (Rock Lake), 7:22; 3. Katie

Koepke (Teague), 7:23; 4. Andrea Villet (Teague), 7:23; 5. Kelly Blakely (Rock Lake), 7:27; 6. Kari Longmire (Teague), 7:57; 7. Deborah Lindsay (South Seminole), 8:11; 8. Nicole Grider (South Seminole), 8:11.

Seventh grade boys — 1. Pedro Cuban (Tuskawilla), 5:24; 2. Eddie Lee (Teague), 5:53; 3. Mike Czaja (Tuskawilla), 6:09; 4. Rick Adkins (Rock Lake), 6:11; 5. Dustin Sires (Tuskawilla), 6:16; 6. Stirling Crow (Milwee), 6:46; 7. Mike Dement (Rock Lake), 6:47; 8. Shane Burke (Rock Lake), 6:47; 9. Ben Brown (Tuskawilla), 6:54; 10. Gary Adair (Jackson Heights), 7:08; 11. John Dontrish (Jackson Heights), 7:11; 12. Rory Shaffer (Jackson Heights), 7:31.

Eighth grade girls — 1. Lea Liljenquist (Jackson Heights), 6:46; 2. Tammy Zegledl (Tuskawilla), 7:16; 3. Tracy Montalvo (Tuskawilla), 7:18.

Eighth grade boys — 1. Joey Capelli (Rock Lake), 11:54; 2. Ben Golnik (Milwee), 12:22; 3. Lenny Miglaecio (Rock Lake), 14:18; 4. Chris Okamoto (Tuskawilla), 15:54; 5. Kenny Koehler (Jackson Heights), 16:51.

Brown's Central dominates sectional

From staff reports

LARGO — Jenni Beathard and Chrissy Vogel of Brown's Gymnastics Central of Altamonte Springs were both crowned champions of their respective age groups at the United States Gymnastics Federation (USGF) Level 8, 9 and 10.

Greyhounds place three on All-SAC

From staff reports

LAKE MARY — Becky Carr led a trio of players from state champion Lyman named to the 1991 Seminole Athletic Conference Girls Soccer All-Conference first team.

In addition to goalkeeper Carr also named to the first team from the Greyhounds were defenseman Amy Meyers and midfielder Danielle Garrett.

S.A.C. Champion Lake Brantley had two players named to the first team as did Lake Howell and Lake Mary. Named from the Patriots were defenseman Joyce Tullis and midfielder Sarah Roberts; from the Silver Hawks, defenseman Jessica Cardarelli and midfielder Michelle Cook; and from the Rams, defenseman Dana Hoover and forward Cory Tanzer.

Seminole and Oviedo placed one player each on the first team. From the Tribe was forward Dawn Burks and from the Lions forward Ashley Williamson.

Lake Brantley dominated the second team with four players being named. Lyman, Lake Mary and Lake Howell had two each and

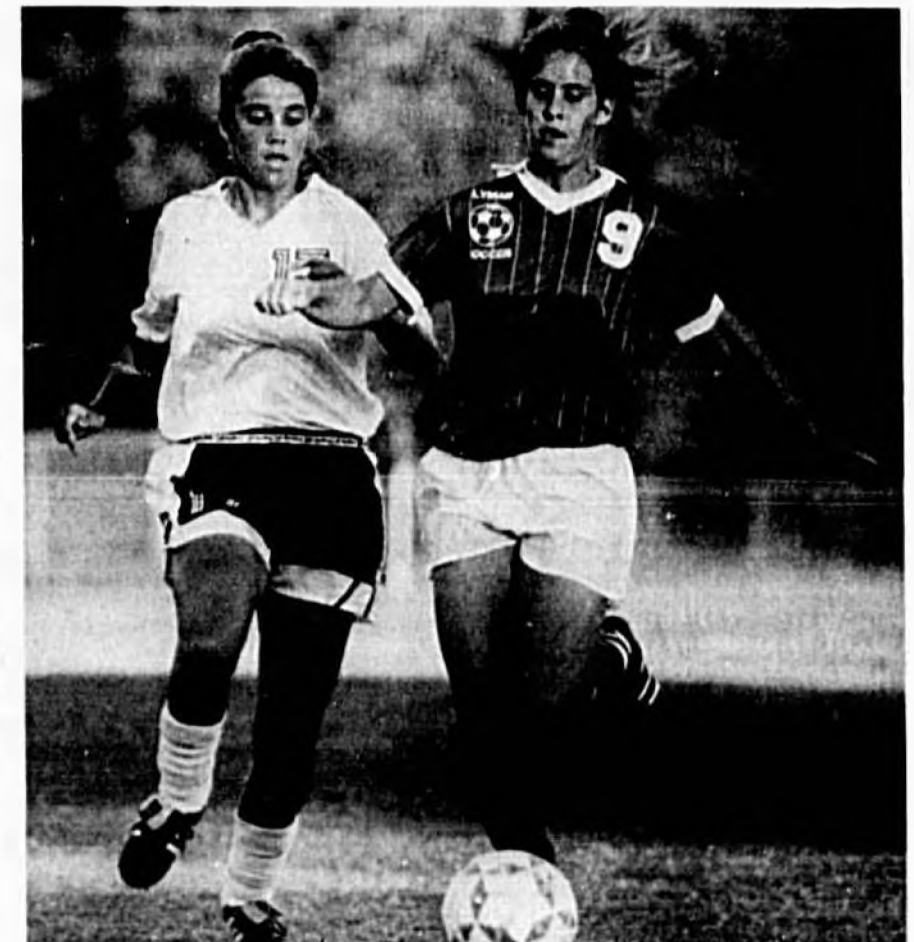
See Soccer, Page 2B

Girls Sectional Championships at La Fleur's Gymnastics March 9-10.

Beathard took three firsts and two seconds in the compulsory's and five firsts in the optionals to claim first place in the Level 10, 12-14 age group. Jamie Graziano claimed third place and Tara Hollander fourth place in the same age group

for Brown's Central.

Vogel claimed the top spot in the Level 10, 15-and-Up age group with a first, three seconds and a third in the compulsory's and a fourth first in the optional. Dana Horne placed second and Jennifer Wilder fourth for Brown's Central. See Gymnastics, Page 2B



Cory Tanzer of Lake Mary (left) and Amy Meyers of Lyman were both named to the first team of the 1991 Seminole Athletic Conference Girls Soccer All-Conference Team. Tanzer, a forward, and Meyers, a defenseman, are both juniors and will be back next year looking to repeat as All-SAC.

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OL' JOHN?

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I DON'T SEE ANY POPCORN.

See your urologist about incontinence

DEAR DR. GOTT: For the past year, my 10-year-old daughter has had a problem with urinary incontinence. Within minutes upon standing after urination, she experiences an involuntary release. Urinalysis is negative, but the problem persists. Could it be anatomical?

DEAR READER: Yes, it could. The sequence of events you describe suggests to me that your daughter may be unable to empty her bladder completely; then, when she stands, the internal sphincter — one of two rings of muscle controlling urination — relaxes, leading to incontinence.

Pediatric urology is a complex subspecialty because children's urological problems are often unique and result from congenital abnormalities of the genitourinary tract. Therefore, I urge you to have your daughter examined by such a specialist.

After appropriate examination, which should include an IVP (kidney X-ray) and cystoscopy (during which the specialist introduces a lighted instrument into the bladder), the doctor will be able to advise you about treatment.

To give you more information, I am sending you free copies of my Health Reports "Kidney Disorders" and "Bladder." Other readers who would like copies should send \$1.25 for each report to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title(s).

DEAR DR. GOTT: My husband has leukoplakia. The areas in his mouth become large and tender but never go away completely. Is there a medication you would recommend for treatment?

DEAR READER: Leukoplakia are flat, painless, pearly-white irregular skin lesions in the mouth, commonly caused by tobacco products. In the past, dentists and doctors were incorrectly taught that leukoplakia are pre-cancerous; this is not true: Less than 5 percent ul-

imately prove to be malignant. Skin cancers in the mouth appear most often as red, inflamed areas.

Because your husband's lesions are large and tender, they should be biopsied because skin malignancies may exist adjacent to (or beneath) such areas. To my knowledge, there is no medicine that will cure

leukoplakia or mouth cancer. Your husband should be examined by an oral surgeon.

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26 Packing plant
30 Olympic org.
31 Streams
33 Panhandler
34 Aug. time
35 Wary
36 UK broadcasters
37 Saltwater

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1 Dec. holiday
2 Villain in "Othello"
3 Construction boom (2 wds.)
4 Jane Fonda

38 On the ocean
40 Poetic contraction
41 Breakfast bread
43 Rolls up
46 Halo
50 Future attys.' exam
51 — fu
52 Prickly seed
53 Emerald Isle
54 Bird
55 — de France
56 Jacob's son
57 Negatives
58 Highest note

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5 Dog's name
6 Folk singer
7 Ocean
8 Coffecake
9 At a distance

10 Knob
11 Abstract being
19 Charged atom
20 Weed
22 Wym —
23 Children
24 Flexible tube
26 Female student
27 Recedes
28 Peasant
29 Non-profit org.
31 Gets away
32 Malignous look
38 Wild disorder
39 Chemical suffix
41 Rabbit
42 Eggs on
43 Insect
44 Information agency
45 Unusual
46 Distinctive air
47 Acting award
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49 Field
51 Actor Murray

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WIN AT BRIDGE

By James Jacoby

Today's hand bears a certain similarity to yesterday's in that there is a chance to ruff a club loser in the dummy. However, appearances can be deceptive. How would you try to make four hearts against a spade lead?

You might think South is a little weak to jump straight to four hearts. However, he has a useful side-suit singleton and excellent controls (aces and kings). Also, the game bonus is so large that any time you can smell a game, bid that game!

It looks as if you should play to ruff the fourth club in the dummy, but the defenders have the jump on you. The play would go something like this: Club to East's 10, trump return, club to East's king, trump, club to West's queen, trump — and no club ruff.

There is a better route to 10 tricks. Win the first trick in hand with the ace or king of spades, play a diamond to dummy's ace, ruff a diamond in hand, lead a trump to the dummy, ruff a second diamond with the king of hearts, return to dummy with another trump, and ruff the last diamond with the ace of hearts. Now overtake the carefully preserved jack of spades with dummy's queen, draw the final trump and cash the last spade winner.

Your 10 tricks are three spades, three top hearts in the dummy, the ace of diamonds and three diamond ruffs in hand. This is called a dummy reversal and is one of the prettiest — and rarest — of declarer-play techniques.

NORTH 3-12-91

♠ Q 7 3
♥ Q J 9
♦ A 7 5 4
♣ 9 7 4

WEST

♠ 10 9 8
♥ 7 3 2
♦ J 8 6
♣ A Q 8 2

EAST

♠ 6 5 4 2
♥ 5 4
♦ K Q 10 9 3
♣ K 10

SOUTH

♠ A K J
♥ A K 10 8 6
♦ —
♣ J 6 5 3

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

South 1♥ West North East
1♥ Pass 2♥ Pass
4♥ All pass

Opening lead: ♠ 10

HOROSCOPE

By Bernice Bede Osol
YOUR BIRTHDAY
March 13, 1991

Your year ahead might not be measured in ordinary terms. A number of beneficial surprises could be in the offing, of both the esthetic and material kind.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) A commercial endeavor that you have been contemplating should not be left to gather dust any longer. Properly handled, this might provide you with that second source of income you've been desiring. Pisces, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$1.25 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Avail yourself of any opportunities today to go places where you can establish fresh contacts. You may be introduced to someone who could be important to your future.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Something may occur at this time that will enable you to reap benefits disproportionate to your involvement in an endeavor. Lady Luck will have a hand in the dispersal.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You could be luckier than usual today where new ventures are concerned, provided they are not too avant-garde or bizarre. Steer a middle course.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You are presently in a cycle where you might do things on a scale bigger than the one to which you're accustomed. Don't be intimidated by big shots or big numbers.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You shouldn't have too much trouble promoting support for a matter you believe in today. Others will be interested for the same reasons you are, and you'll effectively make your case.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You should be able to take charge of an important arrangement currently being mismanaged by someone you like today. You'll do a good job.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) One of the principle reasons you'll be warmly received by contemporaries today is your ability to make them think that the sound suggestions you supply are actually authored by them.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Your luck is focused in ways that could help you achieve meaningful objectives today. Tune into the trend and do something worthwhile.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You should be extremely charismatic today in involvements that have social overtones. Don't be surprised when others cluster around you like months to a flame.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Even though your goals may not be readily apparent to associates today, the results you achieve will be. Keep in mind, in the final analysis, it is the bottom line that counts.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) If there is a written agreement you've been wanting to get signed, this is a good day to push for the "John Hancock." It should work out well for all parties concerned.

ANNIE

YOU'RE TAKING OFF! NOT AS YOUR COAT, ETOK? COLD AS WOULD YOU BE OUTSIDE, ANNIE... COLD AS WOULD YOU BE OUTSIDE, ANNIE...

...THE COAT IS MADE OF CARIBOU HIDE. WE NEED IT TO COVER THE ICE FLOOR...

...AN' ER... THAT'LL KEEP US WARM?

THAT, AND OUR OWN BODY HEAT WILL RAISE THE TEMPERATURE ENOUGH TO KEEP US ALIVE TILL THE STORM IS OVER.

YEAH?... MAYBE IF I HAD A BIGGER BODY... BRRR...