

## Don't Forget To File For That Homestead Exemption

By MARK VOGLER  
Herald Staff Writer

About 1,000 Seminole County property owners may wind up paying \$300 to \$400 more in county taxes this year when they should be banking that money.

That's the unnecessary price some people will pay this year for failure to file for the \$25,000 homestead exemption on time, according to Assistant County Property Appraiser Terry Goebel.

The March 1 deadline — Monday — is fast approaching. Goebel said today that as of Wednesday night his office still hadn't received at least 1,000 exemption renewal applications, out of the 40,000 applications the property appraiser mailed out two months ago.

If the applications aren't at the property appraiser's office or postmarked by Monday, some taxpayers will be coughing up additional money to the county treasury.

"In most cases, it just requires a simple signature. It's a relatively small effort for the amount of money at stake," said Goebel.

"For the sake of two minutes and a 20-cent stamp, people could save themselves up to \$400 or more. The county will ultimately become the beneficiary of people's failure to file on time. But the people will do the complaining, since they'll miss out on something they're entitled to," he said.

People who have owned property in Seminole County as of last Jan. 1 and who have lived in Florida for the last five consecutive years as of that date are eligible to receive the \$25,000 exemption off school, county and city taxes.

The average property owner winds up saving \$300 to \$400 on the exemption, according to Goebel.

And if property owners fail to take advantage of the tax break, it's their fault in most cases. Seminole County spent nearly \$7,000 on postage to mail out the renewal applications.

It also cost the property appraiser's office about \$2,000 to advertise the exemption on television spots and in paid newspaper ads.

"The word definitely got out, but apparently some people either forgot about it or weren't listening," said Goebel.

"Many people who forget to file probably put the renewal card in the drawer and won't even realize they forgot about it until the tax bill comes out in November. It's a costly mistake," he said.

Goebel, who worked in the property appraiser's office for 16 years, said an average of one percent of the eligible property owners fail to take advantage of the exemption each year.

"If our projections turn out as in past years, between now and Monday we'll receive 600 renewal applications and about 400 will lose it (the exemption) for 1982," he said.

Goebel said applications for other tax exemptions — in-

cluding those for agriculture, widows, the disabled and veterans — also are due by Monday.

"We estimate that 150 to 200 people who own agricultural property will wind up paying more taxes because they failed to file for exemptions," he said.

For 10 percent of the property owners eligible for the homestead exemption this year, making renewal application required more than a simple signature.

A state law that went into effect this year required that property appraiser offices in each county randomly select not less than 10 percent of the total mailing for homestead exemption for closer scrutiny to verify eligibility.

About 4,200 long-form applications were mailed, requiring applicants for exemption to answer a detailed list of questions to prove their eligibility for the exemption. The questions are geared at determining where a resident established permanent residency. If a person lived in another state during the last five years, the residency was broken.

## School Board No Action Taken On Creationism

By DONNA ESTES  
Herald Staff Writer

A National Broadcasting Co. (NBC) poll found that eight percent of the American people want only evolution theory taught in the public schools, 10 percent want only creationism taught, and 78 percent want both.

The results of that poll were reported by Dr. Roger Chambers of the Central Florida Creation Science Fellowship to the Seminole County School Board on Wednesday night.

Chambers, chairman of the general studies department at Central Florida Bible College, Orlando, urged the board to approve the teaching of both theories in the public schools.

He insisted that the real leaders in a movement to have creationism taught in the school are not preachers. "The real leaders are scientists," he said, noting that he has a doctorate in history and anthropology. He asserted that most scientists say evolution has failed as a model for prediction, a requirement for a theory to be valid.

School Superintendent Bob Hughes said the possibility of including creationism in the schools' curriculum has not been considered as yet by the School Curriculum Advisory Committee.

Sal Manfre, principal of Rock Lake Middle School and a member of the Curriculum Advisory Committee, said today that the committee has been studying revisions to high school graduation requirements and hasn't gotten to creationism yet. "It's been on the back burner. It will probably come off the back burner in a meeting or two," he said.

The curriculum committee meets once a month.

In the meantime, the countywide advisory committee — a committee that represents the parents and teachers of all the schools in the county — has adopted a resolution opposing the "mandatory

teaching as a part of the science curriculum of any theory not based on science" and further "opposing teaching as a part of the science curriculum of any accepted theory as being acknowledged fact."

In other business, the board, on advice from its attorney, Ned N. Julian Jr., named Gary Simon, Marion County School Board attorney, to act as special attorney to cancel a teaching contract with Linda Coleman, former Jackson Heights Middle School teacher.

Ms. Coleman has pleaded guilty to manslaughter in Orange County Circuit Court in the shooting death of an Orlando woman.

Julian noted that even though the state's Professional Practices Council will be considering revoking Ms. Coleman's teaching certificate, the Seminole School Board has to work toward canceling her contract. He said that theoretically the board might still have to pay her salary from the time she was suspended without pay last July, even if the state revokes her teaching certificate.

Board member Allan Keith said he would "quarrel with a law that would require separate action to remove" Ms. Coleman's contract.

The board also voted to include taking home school cars as part of the job responsibilities of 23 employees at Lake Brantley, Seminole, Lake Howell and Lake Mary high schools.

The school personnel take the cars home to safeguard them from vandalism at the schools at night. The responsibility had to be included as part of job responsibilities in order for the vehicles to be covered by school insurance.

Hughes said that even though it costs \$4,000 each annually, gasoline and other expenses for the vehicles taken home, it is less costly than providing additional security at each school for their protection.

## Parents May Help Review Materials

Seminole County School Superintendent Bob Hughes and his staff will be reviewing a Volusia County policy on the selection of school materials which involves parents in the process.

After reviewing the policy, Hughes is to make a recommendation to the School Board on whether the policy should be adopted.

Howard Gold, director of secondary education for the Volusia County School system, said today that the Volusia policy has been used for many years and is working out well.

The policy calls for advisory committees, including school staff members and parents, to review educational materials prior to purchase at each school. The committee then makes its recommendation to the principal.

If a parent or any lay person objects to the materials purchased, he can appeal to the school superintendent, who names another committee of school personnel and parents to conduct a review. If the parent or citizen is not happy with that committee's decision, he can appeal to the School Board.

Another committee, composed of the superintendent, a board member, the director of educational materials and a school media specialist (a librarian), would then be named to review the complaint and make a recommendation to the School Board.

The Rev. John Butler Book, pastor of

the Northside Christian Church, Altamonte Springs, and George Crossley, an evangelist, have urged the board to adopt the Volusia County policy.

The Rev. Book, at a meeting Wednesday night, gave board members copies of the policy. Gold said today that copies have also been mailed by the Volusia County school administration as requested by Hughes' staff.

Crossley told the board, meanwhile, of his concerns about textbooks approved by the Florida Cabinet, sitting as the state Board of Education. He said some approved textbooks encourage stealing, masturbation and premarital sex.

Nancy Haigh, Seminole County's textbook manager, said she was able to get a copy of papers Crossley was reading from Wednesday night. She said books he was referring to have not been adopted by the state Board of Education.

She noted that one textbook, "Understanding Psychology," 1981 edition, has not been adopted. Currently used by some junior and senior classes in the county's high schools is the book's 1977 edition.

Mrs. Haigh said the state board approves textbooks on a six-year cycle. She said Crossley also referred to a sociology book, adding that she does not have copies of these books, which have not been approved by the state.

Crossley could not be reached for comment today. — DONNA ESTES



**IT'S NEARLY  
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A shining new hospital gleams in the sun in Sanford as workers, maintaining their ahead-of-schedule pace, ready the new Central Florida Regional Hospital for a projected June opening.

The facility, which will replace the existing Seminole Memorial Hospital, is at U.S. Highway 17-92 and Mangouline Avenue.

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The Sanford-Seminole Ballet Guild will perform its 14th annual concert Saturday and Sunday in the auditorium of Lake Mary High School. Get a preview of the show in Ourselves editor Doris Dietrich's story in Friday's Leisure magazine.



### RUINED SHRUBBERY

Herald Photo by Tom Vincent

Vandalism to shrubs at the Seminole County Courthouse is pointed out by Bill Hauer, the gardener who takes care of them for the county Parks and Recreation Department. The vandals walked on the shrubs, known as flex Shilling, snapping off the brittle twigs and destroying the plants. Hauer estimated the damage at \$500 to \$700.

## His Life Of Tragedy Ended In Car Crash

By TENI YARBOROUGH  
Herald Staff Writer

Just when his future had begun to look a little brighter, a 25-year-old Sanford man, plagued with a life of tragedy, died in an automobile accident in Orlando.

Douglas Lee Hanson, of County Road 427, who was orphaned at the age of 4 when a fire destroyed his home and killed his parents, brothers and sisters, died Wednesday night when his car went through a barricade of steel cables stretched across five-foot poles on Silver Star Road east of Chantell Road in the Pine Hills section, the Florida Highway Patrol said.

Troopers said Hanson's 1973 Mazda, heading eastbound on Silver Star Road, crashed through the cables, apparently barricading construction of a road extension project on Silver Star Road, severing the car's roof and overturning the vehicle at about 9:30 p.m. Hanson's neck was broken when a cable struck him on the left side of the neck, troopers added.

An investigation is continuing by state troopers into the cause of the accident.

Results of the investigation are not expected for several weeks, troopers said.

There were no passengers in Hanson's car and no one else was injured as a result of the accident, troopers said.

"He was visiting friends and was on his way home when the accident happened," said Harriet Hanson, Hanson's wife of only 13 months. The couple have three children by Mrs. Hanson's former marriage — including Melissa, 13, Aleta, 8, and Jeremiah, 6.

"He was a really super guy," said Hanson's former employer, Bud Crowther, of the Tropical Welding Co., in Orlando. "He came to us as a welder on referral through the prison ministry of the Winter Springs Seventh-day Adventist Church. He worked hard, but he left here awhile back to take a better-paying job in Oviedo."

According to the Hansons' pastor, Hanson had been jailed on check forgery charges but "although he ran aground with man's laws and ran aground with God's laws, he turned himself around,

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## Sanford To Turn Green When Erin's Sons March

By JANE CASSELBERRY  
Herald Staff Writer

March 17 will be a great day for the Irish (and the Irish at heart) in Sanford this year if city officials approve plans for a St. Patrick's Day parade made Wednesday night at the Greater Sanford Chamber of Commerce.

Tentative plans, pending city approval, call for the parade to begin at 4:30 p.m. at the chamber parking lot, moving down First Street to Oak Avenue, south on Oak to Second Street, east on Second to Cypress Avenue and north to Fort Mellon Park.

Sanford jeweler John Kader, who came up with the idea, was named grand marshal and chairman of the parade by the committee of about 15 interested persons who turned out for the hastily called meeting.

There will be prizes for the man and woman with the best Irish costumes. All those marching in the parade will be

asked to wear green. No private automobiles will be permitted in the parade, but there will be flatbed trucks for the musicians and dancers. The Irish American Club and the Knights of Columbus will be marching, and other fraternal and civic organizations are being invited to take part.

All groups wishing to participate should attend a final parade meeting set for 7:30 p.m. March 10 at the Sanford chamber building, First Street and Sanford Avenue.

For those whose family trees don't have roots in the sod of the Emerald Isle, plans call for a true Irishman to make them honorary Irishmen.

Those attending the Wednesday afternoon Sanford Serenaders dance at the Sanford Civic Center will be asked to wear green and will be invited to participate in the parade.

For further information, call the chamber office at 322-2211.



# FLORIDA

## IN BRIEF

### Bill Upping Speed Limit Gathers Steam In House

TALLAHASSEE (UPI) — Although they have already suffered one setback in the Senate, lawmakers favoring raising the 55 mph speed limit think they still have a chance this session.

The House Transportation Committee endorsed a double-strategy Wednesday, approving one bill that would raise the limit to 70 mph on Florida's interstate and turnpike highways and another that in effect would end enforcement of it.

After winning early favor, however, similar measures ultimately failed last session and a Senate committee already has killed a companion to one of the bills.

### Pipeline Plans Plugged

TALLAHASSEE (UPI) — The powerful shipping industry has won another legislative battle in a war with petroleum interests that has raged for nearly a decade.

A proposed pipeline which would carry gasoline from the Panhandle to Port Everglades, possibly stripping ocean freighters of most of their petroleum business, could face endless delays if a bill passed by the Senate Commerce Committee Wednesday becomes law.

The bill (CS-SB 898), approved 12-5 by committee members, would require Continental Resources Co. to engage in up to 11 regional hearings before the Cabinet would even consider its \$400 million pipeline project on environmental grounds.

# WORLD

## IN BRIEF

### Moslem Hijackers Give Up; Hostages Freed Unharmed

BEIRUT, Lebanon (UPI) — Twelve heavily armed Lebanese Moslem extremists surrendered today and freed unhurt all 105 hostages they had held on a hijacked Kuwaiti jetliner for nine hours.

The hijackers, who stormed the plane with hand grenades and submachine guns to back demands for information on their missing religious leader, surrendered to Lebanese army officers shortly after 1 a.m.

### Party To Neutralize Union

WARSAW, Poland (UPI) — Poland's Communist Party entered the final day of its first central committee session under martial law today debating how the shattered party can ensure Solidarity never again threatens its power.

Gen. Wojciech Jaruzelski declared war on resistance to martial law at the crucial two-day session of the 200-member decision-making body and said the military crackdown may have averted World War III.

# 'Silver Regiment' Marching Off To Band Festival

The Lake Howell High School "Silver Regiment" Marching Band and Wind Ensemble have been invited to perform at the Six Flags Over Georgia Invitational Music Festival in Atlanta, Ga. on April 29 and 30.

They will be competing with more than 40 high school bands from throughout the United States and Canada. While in Georgia, band members will also tour Stone Mountain, the Omni center and the Six Flags theme park.

After the competition, the band will attend the grand opening of the 1982 World's Fair in Knoxville, Tenn. The band will then go to Gatlinburg, Tenn. where members will visit Christus Gardens, Great Smoky Mountain National Park and Ober Gatlinburg where the students will receive skiing lessons and a toboggan ride.

Band members and their parents are currently trying to raise \$15,000 to go on the trip. The public can help by participating in fund raising events such as the "Rent-a-Kid" program, which begins Monday (March 1). A plants and baked goods sale, a family night at Shakey's Pizza, Burger King Day, several car washes, and a 28-hour "Rehearse-a-thon" are also planned.

Tax deductible donations may also be made by mailing checks to Lake Howell Band, P.O. Box 723, Fern Park, Fl. 32730. For further information, call Bob Gillies at 671-4896.

# Goodbye, Bubble Machine

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — A-one and a-two, and shut off the bubble machine. There will be no more new Lawrence Welk TV shows.

The 78-year-old musical darling of the middle-aged taped his last television show Wednesday after an unprecedented 30 years on the air, but says he has no plans to retire.

"I think I'm going to be busier now than I've been in a long time," Welk said earlier this week. He and his large troupe of musicians and singers begin a 10-city tour this week, and he plans another concert tour in June.

Welk's easy rhythms were a staple of network television for 16 years beginning in 1953. After ABC canceled his show in 1971, he went into the syndication market, where it has been the most successful non-network program ever made.

Welk took his champagne music on the road in the 1920s, when he left the North Dakota farm where he was born to immigrant German parents and formed his first orchestra in Aberdeen, S.D.

The troupe traveled the Midwest for a series of one-night stands and eventually long-term engagements during the 1940s.



**GOLDEN GRATITUDE**  
Central Florida Golden Gloves Director Kent Voyer (left) laces up the "big glove" for Jack Horner, president of the Greater Sanford Chamber of Commerce. Voyer presented Horner with the glove for the work that Horner did promoting the District Golden Gloves Tournament which was held at the Sanford Civic Center last month.

# Democrats Offer Their Own Plan For Economic Recovery

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Democrats on Congress' Joint Economic Committee — answering President Reagan's challenge to "put up or shut up" — today proposed an easing of monetary policy, delay of 1983 tax cuts and "conservation" of credit.

Republicans opposed any rollback of Reagan's proposed tax cuts, instead urging further cuts in both taxes and spending and calling for a new commitment to slow the growth of the nation's money supply.

These two views were set forth in the committee's annual report — actually two separate majority and minority reports.

"The administration's economic strategy is causing vast and unnecessary hardship, with a virtual guarantee that huge future deficits will overwhelm any temporary abatement of inflation once economic recovery is permitted to begin," said the Democrats.

"The president told us to put up or shut up, and we decided to put up," Rep. Henry Reuss, D-Wis., the committee chairman.

The Democrats' plan, outlined today, would — "Stop the administration and the Federal Reserve from further tightening money."  
— Defer the 10 percent cut in individual income tax rates now scheduled for July 1983. (They proposed no change in the 10 percent cut scheduled this July.) They would repeal the indexing of taxes, now scheduled to start in 1985, under which inflation no longer would push people into higher brackets.  
— Defer further "deep reductions in spending for social programs" until after the recession. Extend unemployment insurance coverage so it would run for 39 weeks in all states.  
— "Conservation" of credit. The administration and Federal Reserve would "encourage" banks to channel loans to productive uses, including small business, farmers, housing and productive investment, rather than unproductive uses such as corporate take-overs and speculation in commodities.  
— Launch an "incomes policy," under which the government, labor and business would strike a "national bargain" to voluntarily slow inflation in wages and prices. Democrats on the committee have made this proposal in past years.

Said the Republicans, "We reject calls for a change in direction, for tax increases, or a

# Grammys: Quincy Jones Wins 5

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — John Lennon and Yoko Ono's "Double Fantasy" was named album of the year and versatile rhythm master Quincy Jones picked up five awards including producer of the year in an emotional Grammys telecast Wednesday night.

Miss Ono was crying and clutching her heart as she walked on stage with their son, Sean, to a standing ovation.

"I think John is with us here today," she said. "Thank you very much."

"Both John and I were always very proud and happy that we were part of the human race and made good music for the earth and for the universe."

Lennon, who had been the only Beatle not to win a Grammy after the quartet broke up, recorded the album and the single "Starting Over" shortly before he was gunned down outside his New York City apartment in December 1980.

"Bette Davis Eyes," written by Jackie DeShannon and Donna Weiss and sung by Kim Carnes, beat out "Starting Over" for the top Grammy as record of the year and also was named song of the year.

Miss DeShannon, a pop star in the 1960s, told reporters she had recorded the song on an album eight years ago. "Perhaps the song was ahead of its time," she added, "but the latest production couldn't have been better."

"I knew it was a hit," Miss Carnes told reporters. "The lyric was a killer and the song was left field. I loved it."

Double winners included country singer Dolly Parton, ageless vocalist Lena Horne, composer Mike Post, jazz singer

# Low Bid For SR 46 Overpass Comes In At \$2.46 Million

RGK Inc., a Burlington, N.C.-based firm, was the apparent low bidder Wednesday at \$2.46 million for construction of the Seaboard Coast Line (SCL) Railroad overpass on W. State Road 46.

A total of nine bids for the work were opened by state Department of Transportation (DOT) officials at the DOT auditorium in Tallahassee, according to C.A. "Bill" Benedict, DOT district engineer.

RGK also has offices in Naples and Jacksonville.

Benedict said a contract for the work is to be awarded within 45 days with construction to begin within 20 days thereafter.

Scheduled construction time is 600 days. The construction area is .7 mile in length, includes both the overpass and the approaches and will be paid for entirely with federal funds.

The overpass is to be built over the SCL railroad tracks to eliminate traffic backup at the crossing.

Construction of the new Central Florida Regional Hospital at Mangoustine and U.S. Highway 17-92 has added importance to the planned overpass.

The hospital is ahead of schedule and is expected to be completed by June.

Benedict said that during construction SR 46 will not be closed. Instead, traffic will be shifted from one side of the four-lane highway to the other.

# Watt Facing Possible Contempt Of Congress

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Interior Secretary James Watt, already in trouble with Congress for private parties he and his wife threw with public money, may soon face a more immediate threat from a congressional contempt citation.

The House Energy and Commerce Committee slated a vote today — the last step before a final House floor vote — on whether Watt should be held in contempt for withholding from a subcommittee 11 subpoenaed documents on a reciprocal trade dispute with Canada.

Wednesday, Congress' General Accounting Office issued a report that \$8,842,200 in government money was misspent last year when Watt and his wife excluded the public from a national historic mansion to entertain guests.

The report, requested by a House Interior oversight subcommittee headed by Rep. Edward Markey, D-Mass., said the money was improperly diverted from the Interior Department and the Cooperating Association Fund of the National Park Service.

"Since GAO indicated Secretary Watt broke the law, I expect him to come to the hearing with checkbook in hand, ready to reimburse the federal Treasury," said Markey, who slated a Friday hearing on the affair Watt denied any wrongdoing.

As for the possible contempt citation, President Reagan asserted his executive privilege to shield the subpoenaed documents from congressional scrutiny. Watt has said he is willing to go to jail for the principle.

Rep. John Dingell, D-Mich., who chairs both the oversight subpanel and the full committee, is equally determined not to budge from the constitutional no man's land between legislative and executive powers.

In a 10-page memorandum to committee members, accompanied by citations of legal precedents, Dingell concluded "there must be full compliance with the requirements of the subpoena" if Congress is to carry out its oversight and lawmaking responsibilities.

The issue arose from his subpanel's bipartisan inquiry into Canadian takeovers of U.S. energy firms and Watt's reluctance to bar Canadian firms from U.S. oil leases in retaliation under the 1920 Mineral Lands Leasing Act.

As for the Watt party, the public money was used to pay for two private, catered functions last December at the Custis-Lee Mansion, a popular National Park Service tourist attraction overlooking the nation's capital.

# ...The Final Tragedy

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found God, and set himself straight," the minister said.

Hanson was most recently employed as a welder with a steel construction firm in Oviedo, Mrs. Hanson said.

Crowther said he had seen "a remarkable change in Doug's attitude since his affiliation with the church."

"He had a lot of problems when he came

# Animal Cruelty Laws Stiffened

TALLAHASSEE (UPI) — The Senate stiffened some penalties for cruel treatment of animals, but it got a scolding from Sen. David McClain for not going further.

"Everytime you come up with something to try to make these creatures a little more comfortable, it's attacked willynilly," McClain said Wednesday, taking the floor on a "point of personal privilege" for the first time in his 12-year Senate career.

"They're dependent on us...In Tampa, we've had some tragic examples of animal cruelty. It's a sad reflection on society."

The Senate passed a bill increasing from \$500 to \$1,000 the minimum penalty for abandoning of animals or fighting or baiting them, but it refused to go as far as the Tampa

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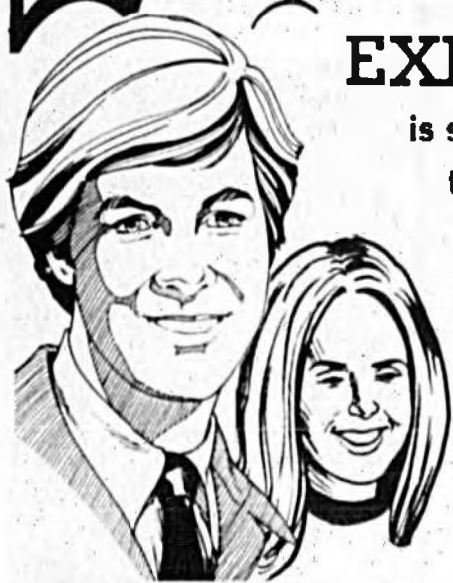


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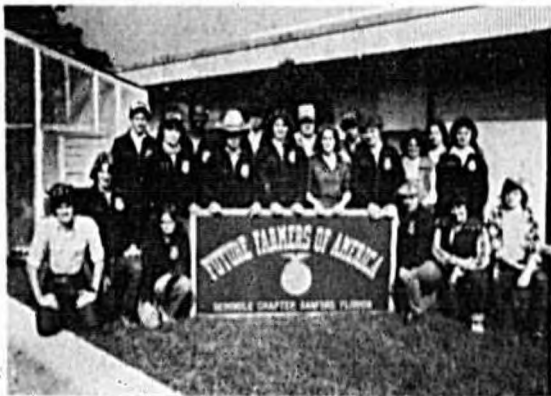


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# SPORTS

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## Lyman, Patriots Play Tonight

# Seminole, Hawks Exit District Early

By JOE DeSANTIS  
Herald Sports Writer

Score it Volusia County 2, Seminole County zip after opening round action of the District 4A-9 basketball tournament at Apopka High School Wednesday night.

Top seeded Spruce Creek zipped to an early 10-0 lead over winless Lake Howell and went on to post an easy 86-35 win over the Silver Hawks while DeLand turned a 23-22 halftime edge over Seminole into a second-half Bulldog blitz, burying the Tribe by a final 62-48 margin.

In tonight's other opening round games Lake Brantley meets Mainland at 7 while Lyman's Greyhounds tackle the host Apopka Blue Darters at 8:30.

After the first three minutes of the Spruce Creek-Lake Howell contest, there seemed little doubt about the outcome of the tournament lid lifter.

Spruce Creek raced out to a 10-0 lead and stretched it to 14-2 for its biggest advantage of the quarter. Behind the scoring punch of guard Jimmy Payton and center Marc Brown, Spruce Creek moved to a 17-8 advantage by the end of the first period.

Payton and Brown teamed up with forwards Sean Jenkins and Willie Cooks to toss in six points each in the second period as Spruce Creek built a huge 41-19 lead by the half. The Silver Hawk efforts weren't aided much when leading scorer Mark Layton picked up his third personal foul just two minutes into the second quarter.

Layton came alive in the third period, however, for 10 of his 18 points as Lake Howell played Spruce Creek almost even in the stanza, chalking up 23 points to Spruce Creek's 25. But the big halftime lead and a hot final period carried Spruce Creek to its easy win.

Spruce Creek was sparked by Jimmy Payton's 20 points. Three other Hawks hit double figures. Sean Jenkins tossed in 15 while Willie Cooks and David Howard frizzed in a dozen points each.

Mark Layton closed out his Lake Howell career with 18 points while forward Tim Rae added 14 for the Silver Hawks. Rae was named Burger King Player of the Week along with Lyman's Valerie Jackson on Tuesday.

The Seminole-DeLand encounter got off to much the same footing as the opening game, but wound up with an entirely different conclusion.

Calvin "Kiki" Bryant and Torie Hendricks hit a pair of buckets apiece to spur Bill Payne's Fighting Seminoles to a quick 8-0 lead over DeLand, but the early lead didn't hold up for long.

John Zeoli's Bulldogs pulled back within 12-6 at the end of the quarter then warmed up while Seminole couldn't seem to buy a bucket and eventually worked to a slim 23-22 halftime advantage.

Derek Watson and John Ramsey opened the third quarter by converting four unanswered field goals for DeLand, prompting Tribe coach Bill Payne to signal for a fast time out with his Tribe trailing 32-24.

The pause did little to aid the Seminoles. With an eight-point bulge,

## Prep Basketball

DeLand went to a spread offense and consistently caught the Tribe napping on defense for back door layups to maintain a 36-28 edge as the final period got underway. Seminole never got any closer, and with DeLand in the bonus position just 50 seconds into the period, the Bulldogs used a 14-of-21 performance at the foul line to help build up to the 62-48 final score.

"They deserved to win," said a disappointed Bill Payne. "DeLand outplayed us every way possible. They outshot us, out rebounded us and hustled more on defense."

"When they got that eight-point lead and made us come out to get them, the game ended right there," said Payne. "They spread us out and had us playing their game. They deserved to win and we didn't. This is one game we'd like to forget."

DeLand was paced by senior John Ramsey's game high 22 points while Chase Brown tossed in 14, 10 coming from a 10-of-12 performance from the free throw line. Brown played a big part in DeLand breaking the game open in the second half by dishing out seven assists.

Kiki Bryant was the only Seminole in double figures with 18 points. Tonight's Lake Brantley-Mainland encounter should prove interesting. In two regular season match-ups the Buccaneers took the measure of Bob Peterson's Patriots, but the margins were slim. Mainland won at home by four points and edged the Patriots by one at Lake Brantley.

### Seminole (48)

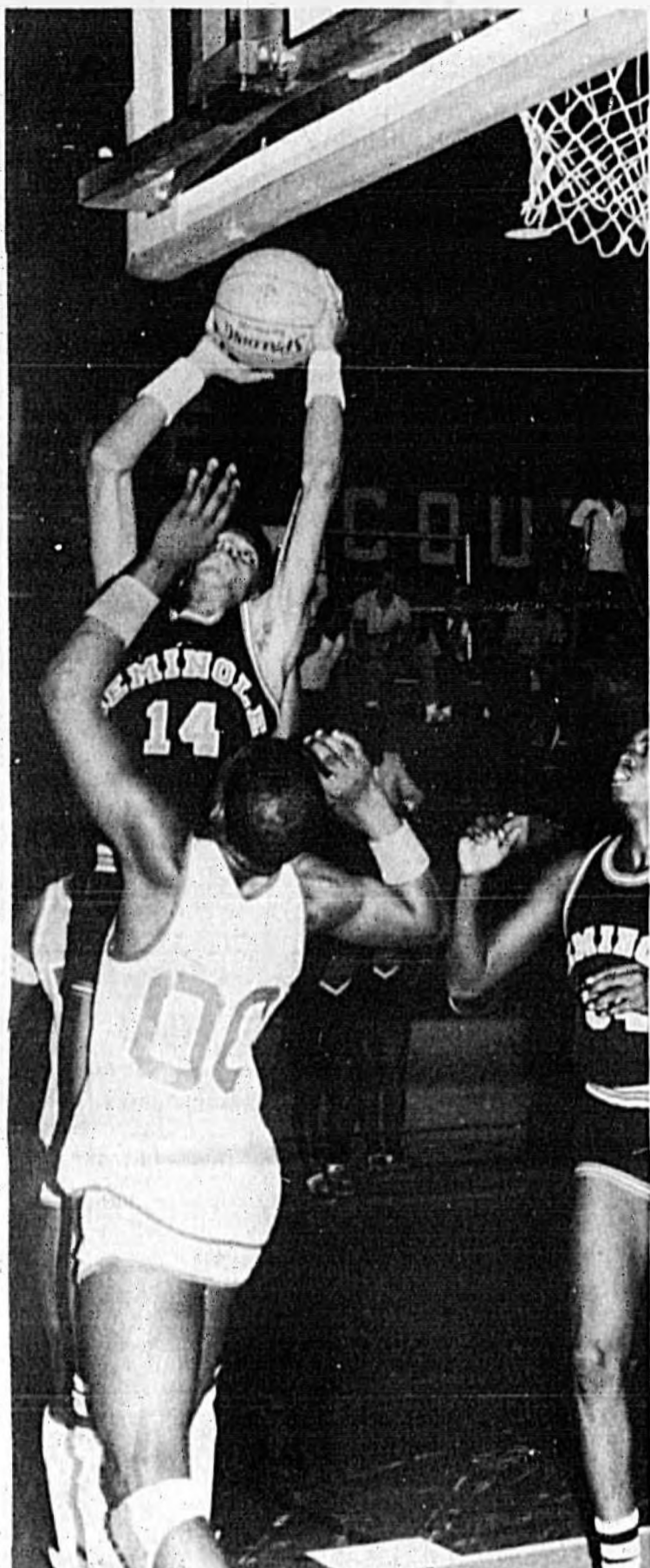
	FG	FT	TP
Grey	1	0-0	2
Butler	1	0-0	2
Hendricks	3	1-1	7
Alexander	0	0-1	0
Detreville	0	0-0	0
Law	2	0-0	4
Wynn	1	0-0	2
Hunter	1	2-3	1
Bryant	6	5-6	18
Smith	1	1-3	3
Mitchell	3	0-2	6
Totals	19	10-16	48

### DeLand (62)

	FG	FT	TP
Watson	3	1-2	7
Ramsey	10	3-2	22
Carter	2	2-3	6
Brown	2	10-12	14
Fisher	1	1-2	3
Graham	2	2-4	6
Flack	0	0-2	0
Cooper	0	1-2	1
Woodard	1	1-3	3
Totals	21	20-32	62

Seminole 12 10 6 20 48  
DeLand 6 17 13 26 62

Total Fouls Seminole 26,  
DeLand 17  
Fouled Out None  
Technical Seminole Bench  
boxscore in scorecard, 7A



Seminole's Torie Hendricks (no. 14) muscles for a two-pointer as DeLand's Chase Brown defends and Willie Mitchell (right) waits for a possible rebound. The Tribe lost, 62-48, in the first round of the District 4A-9 Tournament at Apopka.



Fighting Seminole Richard Grey casts a glance upward to await the outcome of his shot in District 4A-9 Basketball Tournament action at Apopka Wednesday night. The Tribe lost to DeLand to finish the season at 11-18.

## Valenzuela: 'I Won't Play'

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — Fernando Valenzuela says he's willing to sit out the season if the Los Angeles Dodgers don't sign him to a contract.

"I want to play, but if there's no agreement, I won't play," the Cy Young Award-winning pitcher said Wednesday. He stayed behind while the rest of his teammates boarded a plane for spring training in Vero Beach, Fla.

As a second-year player ineligible for arbitration, Valenzuela has little leeway in the contract negotiations. He reportedly is asking the Dodgers to up his salary from last year's \$42,500 to \$1.4 million in 1982.

The Dodgers, reportedly offering \$300,000, have the right to automatically renew Valenzuela's contract with a 20 percent cut. Fernando, in turn, can sit out the season.

Valenzuela said he reached his decision Tuesday at a meeting with his agent Tony DeMarco and lawyer Dick Moss.

"I formed my decision not to go because we hadn't reached an agreement," he said.

"I'm a baseball player first, but it's also my job and I have to take every advantage I can."

No new negotiations have been scheduled, but DeMarco said the next move is up to the Dodgers.



FERNANDO VALENZUELA  
...wants more cash

"People don't understand," he said. "Sometimes you start out with a figure, but all numbers are negotiable, all situations are negotiable."

"The Dodgers have everything. We have nothing. But we have always had the public. Fernando has always had the media."

In Vero Beach, Dodger owner Peter O'Malley said, "I don't want to get into a contest of who's going to call whom. We're trying to call with some dignity. I'm not going to call a press conference to respond every time Tony DeMarco says something."

# Crooms Collides With Lake Mary At Sanford Memorial Stadium Today

## Prep Baseball

Middle School, worked out the team while Smith finished his freshman basketball season.

Depending upon who starts today, Boatwright or Alegre, the other will open at first base. Mark Taylor is also in the fight for the first sack. At second base is sophomore Greg Wells, ninth grader Dewane Mitchell from Sanford or Scott Sienkiewicz.

Sophomore hitting standout Greg Shatto opens at third base, while Barry Hysell, another soph and switch-hitter, gets the nod at shortstop. Freshmen Kevin Hill and Eric Hagen add infield depth.

The catching chores will be handled by two frosh—Rod Metz and Kyle Brubaker. The latter is the brother of Lyman pitching ace Kevin Brubaker.

Smith has been impressed with centerfielder Scott Underwood's bat work and speed. The chunky lefthander "is making good contact and hitting with some punch" according to Smith.

Underwood will be joined by ninth grader Keith Wallace, sophomores Brian Joseph and Mick Kreuter and frosh David Drazen, who will battle for the remaining two spots.

While Smith is taking a wait-and-see approach with his first Lake Mary team, McPherson feels that this year's Panthers could favorably compare with the Tracy Walker, Brett Von Herbulis, Freddie Howard and Alton Davis group of three years ago. The club posted a 10-2 record.

McPherson's 23-man club will play a 13-game schedule. Crooms, a ninth grade center, plays strictly a junior varsity slate.

"Right now if the pitching comes through, it will be one of the better teams we've had," said McPherson. "I think the hitting may be better than we've ever had."

Leading the bat attack is 6-0, 185-pound strongman Donald Grayson. The swift 14-year-old placed a couple shots beyond the Randall Chase Park fence last year in Junior League.

Grayson will play third base when not

pitching. He will be joined in the infield by leadoff man Tony Larsen at first base, smooth-swinging Larry Thomas at second base and football standout Tony Cox at shortstop. Larsen and Cox will also see mound duty.

"Our catching jobs is up in the air," said McPherson. Roger Mann and Tom Wilks will battle for the spot.

McPherson feels his outfield is strong with James Hershey running down fly balls in center. "He's one of the fastest players we have and he's really got a cannon for an arm."

Landress, when not pitching is slated for left field, with Andre Williams and Scott Larson battling for the right field job. Williams has the edge now.

Hershey will also see mound duty along with David Hanson and scholar-athlete Mike Welchel.

Utility players include; infielders Phillip Harris, Matt Hubbard, Steve Rape, Joe Litton, Anthony Hall, Levery Hickman and Robert Shaw, who also served as the designated hitter.

Outfield depth comes from basketballer Jo Jo McCloud, Chris Henry and Joey Evans. — SAM COOK

## Gretzky Breaks Mark

BUFFALO, N.Y. (UPI) — One had to begin to wonder if Wayne Gretzky would break the NHL record for most goals in a season after being stopped repeatedly Wednesday night by Buffalo Sabres' goaltender Don Edwards.

Seven shots on Edwards had left the 21-year-old Edmonton Oilers' center

shaking his head. But the eighth blast, coming with 6:26 remaining in the game, finally found its mark and his name was entered in hockey immortality.

The "Great Gretzky" scored three goals and assisted on two others to push his scoring total to 176 points on 79 goals and 87 assists.

## Pro Hockey

What Gretzky accomplished was twofold as he broke Phil Esposito's record of 76 goals established during the 1970-71 season. More importantly, he shows an image of what the game of

hockey should be and not the black shadow cast on the sport by those who have turned it into a slugfest.

"I'm glad for Wayne and I'm glad for the NHL," said Esposito, who had traveled to Detroit where Gretzky tied his record, then on to Buffalo where he witnessed the event. "Tell them I had

goose bumps for Wayne." Esposito said Gretzky was showing the public of what "the image of great hockey players" are, "not idiots."

Following Gretzky's record-breaking goal, the game was halted and Esposito escorted onto the ice, where he embraced Gretzky.





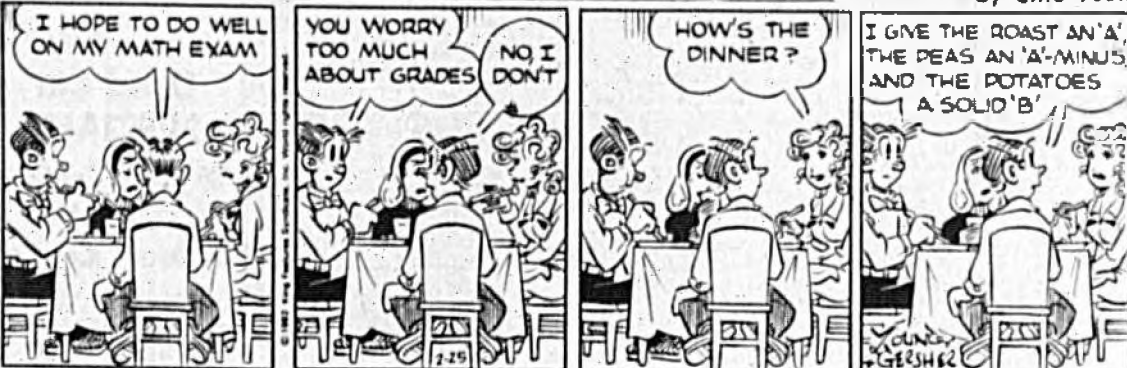








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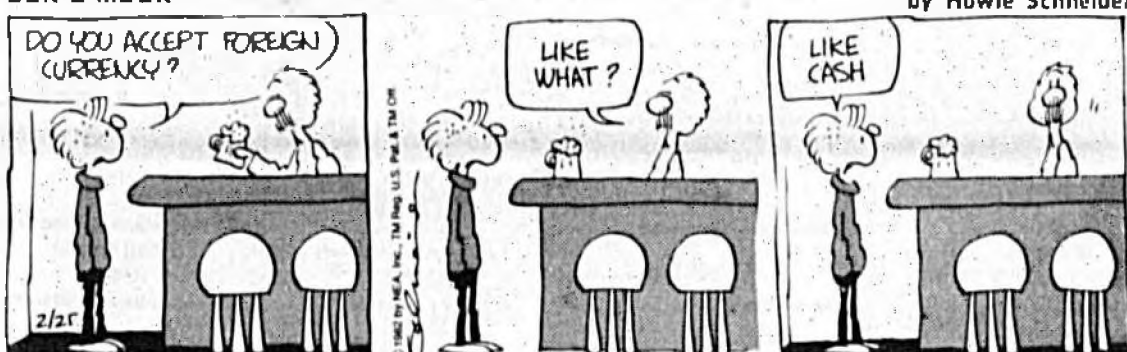
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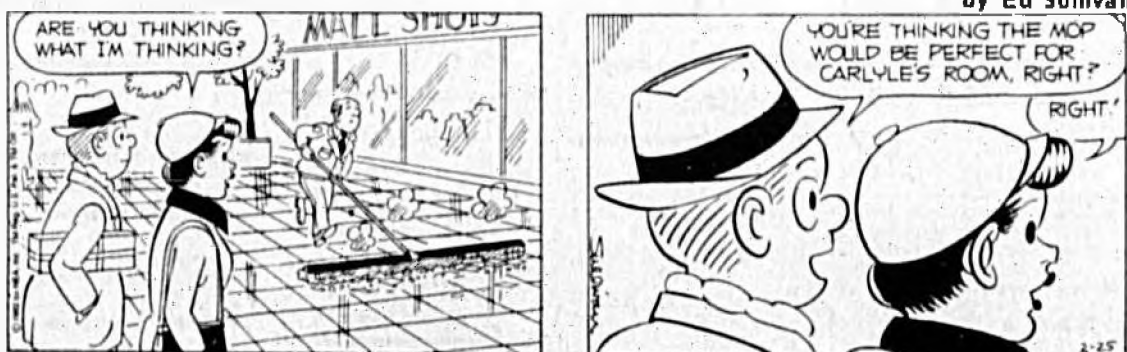
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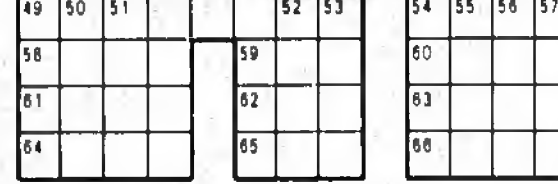
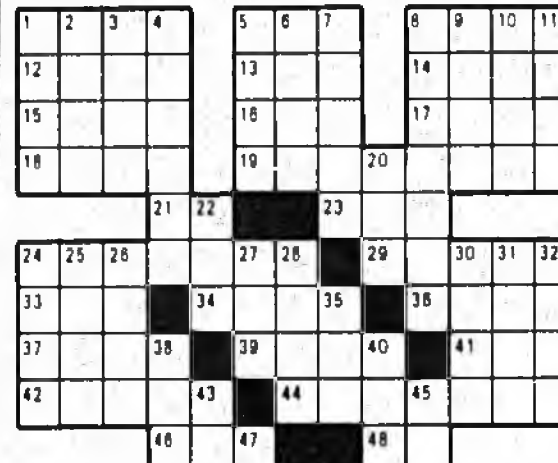
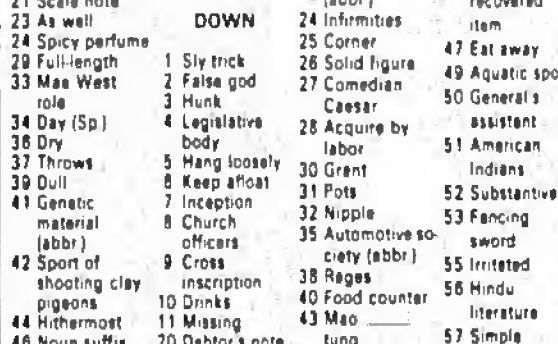
TUMBLEWEEDS

by T. K. Ryan



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- ACROSS**
- 1 Toupees
  - 5 Pounds (abbr)
  - 8 Clock face
  - 12 Unemployed
  - 13 Gone from home
  - 14 Inner (prefix)
  - 15 Fish-eating bird
  - 16 Hawaiian volcano
  - 17 Greek deity
  - 18 Island of exile
  - 19 Poem writer
  - 21 Scale note
  - 23 As well
  - 24 Spicy perfume
  - 29 Full-length
  - 30 Full-length
  - 33 Mae West role
  - 34 Day (Sp)
  - 38 Dry
  - 37 Throws
  - 39 Dull
  - 41 Genetic material (abbr)
  - 42 Sport of shooting clay pigeons
  - 43 Hithermost
  - 44 Noun suffix
  - 46 Musical syllable
  - 49 Bordeaux wine
  - 54 Marry a woman
  - 58 In company of
  - 59 Aisle
  - 60 Section
  - 61 Thought (Fr)
  - 62 Pending
  - 63 Communists
  - 64 Disorder
  - 65 Compass point
  - 66 Normandy invasion day
- DOWN**
- 1 Sly trick
  - 2 False god
  - 3 Hunk
  - 4 Legislative body
  - 5 Hang loosely
  - 6 Keep afloat
  - 7 Inception
  - 8 Church officers
  - 9 Cross inscription
  - 10 Drinks
  - 11 Missing
  - 20 Debtor's note
  - 24 Infirmitas (abbr)
  - 25 Corner
  - 26 Solid figure
  - 27 Comedian
  - 28 Acquire by labor
  - 30 Grant
  - 31 Pots
  - 32 Nipple
  - 35 Automotive society (abbr)
  - 38 Reges
  - 40 Food counter
  - 43 Mao lung
  - 45 Payment for recovered item
  - 47 Eat away
  - 49 Aquatic sport
  - 50 General's assistant
  - 51 American Indians
  - 52 Substantive
  - 53 Fencing sword
  - 55 Irritated
  - 56 Hindu literature
  - 57 Simple



**HOROSCOPE**

By BERNICE BEDE OSOL

For Friday, Feb. 26, 1982

**YOUR BIRTHDAY**  
February 26, 1982  
Persons who can be truly helpful in bettering your lot will confide in you more this coming year than they ever had in the past. Their confidential tips will prove advantageous.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20-March 20)  
Rather than earmarking incoming funds for new products or goods, it may be wise at this time to use some of your monies to pay off old obligations first.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19)  
It'll be easy to get along well with most people today, but one with whom you have had cross words in the past could still have a chip on his shoulder.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20)  
You can achieve your aims today by using common sense and tact. However, if you begin to get too pushy you might undo everything. Be assertive, not antagonistic.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20)  
In conversations with friends today, be careful not to force your views. You may win the debate but you could alienate a pal.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22)  
From your vantage point you should be able to see ways to make changes today which could benefit your family. However, you won't get their support if you don't clearly explain your methods.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22)  
Partners or associates may have better ideas than you today, but convincing you might not be so easy. Don't let pride of authorship affect your judgment.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)  
Your suggestions regarding ways another should manage his or her affairs will be on target today. However, you may not be as wise in your own dealings.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)  
Beware of a tendency today to get a trifle heavy in situations which should be treated lightly. Don't take yourself or events too seriously.

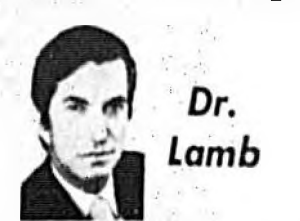
**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)  
Tasks requiring concentration should be attended to early in the day. Possibilities for frustration and mistakes increase as your energy wanes.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)  
You'll enjoy socializing today, provided the events are not of long duration. When things drag on your social graces may desert you.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)  
You should be able to find some good buys today that fit neatly into your budget. Subdue impulses to purchase something you know you shouldn't just because another owns one.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)  
If you feel you have good ideas today, believe in them and follow them through. Don't be intimidated by a know-it-all who may try to pick them apart.

**Poor Leg Drainage May Cause Swelling**



**Dr. Lamb**

DEAR DR. LAMB — My husband is 65 years old and retired. He used to sell furniture and was on his feet a lot. He had to wear surgical hose. Now his ankles and legs are swelling. What would cause this and what can he do for it? At night the swelling goes down but during the day they swell.

DEAR READER — Your story sounds like the swelling is from varicose veins or a similar condition. Poor drainage of the lymphatic system in the legs. As blood or lymph accumulates in the legs, the normal system to draw fluid out of the tissues and return it to the circulation does not work and the accumulating fluid causes swelling.

Varicose veins or lymphedema may affect one leg only, if the vessels in that leg alone are involved, or both if both legs are involved. Most other medical causes result in bilateral swelling. This includes a decrease in blood proteins associated with starvation, which I doubt your husband has. We all have blood proteins in the blood vessels that literally suck the fluid back into the circulation. If these are decreased as in poor nutrition you can see swelling.

More common causes for bilateral swelling include marked fluid retention as in premenstrual tension (which usually produces only mild swelling), liver disease, kidney disease and right heart failure. Many of these conditions result in increased body fluid because the body retains an excess amount of sodium.

By contrast, sodium in salt tends to cause the body to retain water. That is because there must be enough water to limit the concentration of sodium in body fluids. The fluid retention results in raising the blood pressure. In a person with high blood pressure it is often useful to help the body eliminate excess fluids. For that reason salt is restricted or medicines are given to help the body eliminate sodium.

**WIN AT BRIDGE**

quieter and it became a matter of card play with the Americans picking up on many difficult hands.

Both South players arrived at a very optimistic four hearts. We have shown bidding with a club opening, a heart overcall, one of those modern expert doubles for takeout, a sporting heart raise by North and a game closing four hearts by South.

John Solodar for America took dummy's ace of spades and led a club. A duck by East would almost surely have led to John's defeat, but East took his ace of clubs and led a second spade.

John ruffed, cashed his ace of diamonds, ruffed a diamond in dummy, ruffed a second spade, ruffed another diamond as East's king dropped, ruffed dummy's last spade and led his king of trumps.

East was in with the ace and led back a trump to John's queen. John led his good queen of diamonds. East ruffed and had to lead a club. John finessed the jack and was home.

The Pakistani South didn't find John's play and went down one.

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NORTH 1:25-02

- ♦ A 9 5 3
- ♥ 7 4 2
- ♠ 10 6 3 4 3
- ♦ 10 6 3 4 3

WEST EAST

- ♥ K Q J 6
- ♥ 8 5
- ♦ J 10 8 8 4
- ♦ 9 2
- ♠ 10 7 4 2
- ♠ A J 3
- ♠ K 7 3
- ♠ A Q 7

SOUTH

- ♠ 10
- ♥ K Q 10 8 6
- ♦ A Q 4 5
- ♦ K J 8

Vulnerable: Neither  
Dealer: East

West	North	East	South
♠	♥	♠	♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♦K

By Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

Starting with boards 48- to 64 of the 96-board match the Americans took command. The hands were

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