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LONGWOOD — The two-time defending Class 4A state champion Lyman girls' soccer team extended its winning streak to 43 games with a 6-0 romp over Bishop Moore Friday night. See Page 1B

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Miss St. Lucia hits the books

The 1991 Miss St. Lucia has retired her crown and is working on her master's degree in business administration. See Page 5B.

BRIEFS

Donate bikes for needy

SANFORD — If you have an old unused bike or two in the garage, then local firefighters want you to donate them to their bike restoration program for needy children. The Seminole County Professional Fire Fighters Association, IAFF Local 3254 will refurbish the bikes Dec. 17 and 18 then distribute them to community organizations for delivery to families who otherwise wouldn't be able to afford them. Individuals, businesses and organizations can donate old bikes by calling 831-FIRE (831-3473.)

Suggest new laws

SANFORD — Members of the Seminole County Legislative Delegation will take suggestions for new laws and for improvement of state government in a public hearing Monday at Seminole Community College. The hearing will begin at 9 a.m. in Building J-100, 100 Weldon Blvd. The public is invited to appear before the delegation of representatives and senators from Seminole County.

Among the scheduled items to be considered is Sanford's September request to require a city's consent before an expressway is built through it. The Seminole County Expressway Authority does not require such consent, although the Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority does require the approval. Sanford was unsuccessful in blocking 1987 plans for the Seminole County expressway to slice through south city neighborhoods.

From staff reports

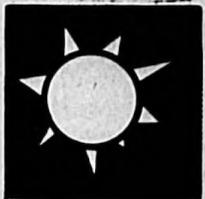


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Cool and breezy



Sunny and windy with a high in the low 60s. Wind northwest at 20 mph and gusty.

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Testimony: Bigamy

Miller's 2 wives discuss filing charges day before killing

By GEORGE DUNCAN
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Dorothy Miller told jurors Friday that her husband was a bigamist who married Jayne Miller when he was still married to her and that both of them discussed filing bigamy charges against David Miller one day before he allegedly killed Jayne. After finding out about the marriage, Dorothy Miller testified she phoned Jayne Miller and told her she was "David Miller's other wife."

How could a smart man do such a stupid thing. That's bigamy.

-Dorothy Miller

Dorothy Miller broke down and cried when she told jurors she learned of the second marriage of the man who had promised to adopt her children. She told jurors Miller had returned to their

Casselberry house for two days in March, 1991, a time she later discovered was just after his honeymoon with Jayne. "From there he came home, slept in my bed, then came back to you (Jayne). That's the type of man we're dealing with," Dorothy Miller said. In recounting a telephone call to Jayne. The witness also said in a telephone conversation on Saturday, Sept. 14 that Jayne discussed flying back to Las Vegas to file bigamy charges against her husband. Jayne Miller was killed the See Bigamy, Page 5A

Sanford tradition



Herald Photo by Richard Hopkins

Mia Beverly, (from left) Melissa Torres and Ratonya Bell wave to the parade crowd.

St. Lucia festivities, Christmas parade delight young and old

By GEORGE DUNCAN
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Bands played, Dazzlers dazzled, gymnasts gyrated, and the floats were colorful. Vendors hawked their foods and many spectators bought them and munched as they watched the bands, dazzlers and gymnasts in the annual Saint Lucia Festival and Seminole County Christmas Parade Saturday. A wide variety of both private and public

organizations were represented in the parade; bands from local schools played Christmas music, Seminole High School Dazzlers danced in the streets and clowns waved. So did several politicians who greeted the crowd. It was a perfect day for the event. A bright sunny day greeted the floats and marchers as they walked down East Seminole Boulevard with the blue background of Lake Monroe. The Saint Lucia parade celebrates a fourth century maiden whose belief in Christianity See Lucia, Page 2A

Homeless moms, kids find hope

By KELLEY MITCHELL
Herald Staff Writer

This is the second of three parts chronicling Mother Weaver's efforts to help the needy.

SANFORD — Imagine being a single mother and for whatever reason, losing the warm bed your children sleep in and the roof over your head that keeps the family safe. Mother Blanche Bell Weaver, executive director of Rescue Outreach Mission, witnesses the distress and sufferance of these women and See Weaver, Page 2A

Powerful post for county's senator

By J. MARK BARFIELD
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — State Sen. Toni Jennings said she'll be a fair captain of her mighty Senate Rules Committee while keeping an eye on issues affecting Central Florida and Seminole County. "I think under the present situation in the Senate, my chief role is going to be that of a chief negotiator," said Jennings. "My goal is going to be to get our Senate moving." See Jennings, Page 6A



Toni Jennings

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Howell wins endorsement from Beckner

By GEORGE DUNCAN
Herald Staff Writer

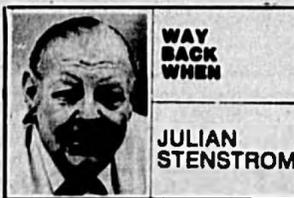
SANFORD — Jordan Beckner, who missed a run-off in the Sanford District 1 commission race by 38 votes, said Saturday he is endorsing incumbent Lon Howell. Howell finished second in the Dec. 7 election and is in the run-off with Bill Kirchner. Beckner said he agreed with Howell's views and ideas about the future of Sanford.

"During the course of the campaign, I realized that Lon Howell and I share our belief in Sanford's future and the critical issues that citizens face. I believe we have a clear choice for District 1 commissioner. I believe Lon has proven his commitment to the city and is the most experienced," said Beckner. Becker said he disagreed with See Endorse, Page 6A



Beckner, left, and Howell

Readers implored to help supply information on artist



WAY BACK WHEN
JULIAN STENSTROM

Mornin' y'all. Today I need the help of some of you old timers. R.F. Vennare, a fancier of the fine arts, contacted me several weeks ago. He is in the process of researching information about an artist by the name of Leal Mack. He wants to know if there is anyone in these parts who knows anything about Mack. Seems the Titusville See Stenstrom, Page 2A

Ho ho hum



Herald Photo by Richard Hopkins

Little Derek Marchese may be a little too young to get real excited about a visit to Santa Claus Saturday when the First Presbyterian Day School in Sanford hosted a community-wide breakfast for the jolly guy. Derek is joined by the school's principal, Jerri Canto.

Stenstrom

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(Pennsylvania) Herald ran a story about Mack a few months ago. Vennare got some responses from folks up there who knew the family in the 1920s and 1930s.

What's this got to do with Sanford? Vennare's research has turned up photographs of Mack taken in Sanford about 1925. Because of the time required to put the finishing touches on my 11-chapter "Lakegate" yarn I really haven't had time to do any research on my own. I did go out to Hillhaven and chat with E.B. Stowe and he has no recollection of Mack the artist being in this area. The only other artist of note I can recall around Sanford was Miss Gretchen Lewis. But, I have no idea in this world how to make contact with her.

So, if any of you good folks know anything about Mack I would greatly appreciate it if you'd let me know.

Maybe you'll recall about six months ago I related the story about the fight for the world's heavyweight crown at the Jacksonville Fairgrounds in January, 1894. "Gentleman" Jim Corbett was signed to defend his title against challenger Charles Mitchell who held the championship of England. This was the fight that created such an explosive division between opponents and proponents in Jacksonville that the "Gate City Rifles," apparently a Sanford militia unit, were alerted to go to that Duval County city and preserve law and order between the two factions.

We never did find out for sure if the militia from Sanford actually went to Jacksonville. But, in trying to find that out we learned several other interesting facts about that particular fight.

Corbett was 28 years old and was fighting at 175 pounds. He had won the title in September of 1892, at the Pelican Athletic Club in New Orleans from the one and only ring great, John L. Sullivan. This was the first championship fight in which boxing gloves were utilized. Sullivan fought at 212 pounds. During the fight he found Corbett as elusive as a handful of London fog. Sullivan had such a difficult time trying to get to Corbett that by the 21st round John L. was exhausted.

When Corbett realized Sullivan was so tired he could scarcely throw any more punches. "Gentleman" Jim tore into his opponent with a constant series of rights to the head and vicious lefts to the jaw. Sullivan fell face-first to the ring's sand-covered floor.

After winning that title Corbett defended it only once — the fight with Mitchell in Jacksonville. Corbett actually retired undefeated. But he did have one more bout. It was an exhibition at the Thomas A. Edison laboratory in Orange, N.J. This was the first boxing match ever photographed on motion picture film. Corbett KO'd Peter Courtney.

By the way, during that fight it was necessary to have two minutes between rounds to allow the photographers to reload the camera with film.

One more note about the Corbett-Sullivan bout and Corbett's fight with Mitchell in Jacksonville. These two fights were credited with changing boxing into the technical "sport" it is today.

I got a very nice letter recently

from an old employee of the City of Sanford. He is old timer James Bedenbaugh. At one time James lived in the Lake Mary-Longwood area. That was from 1928 until he enlisted in the Army during World War II. He returned in 1954 and took a job with the City of Sanford. He stayed with the city 25 years. He retired and moved to DeBary.

James wanted to know if I remembered a sawmill located on French Avenue between Sixth and Eighth streets. Bedenbaugh wrote that in the 1930s he would haul three truckloads of sawdust from the mill to Oviedo each day. It was used, he explained, in retilling celery fields for a George E. Slack. James was a teenager at the time but cannot recall the name of the firm that ran the sawmill.

Folks, I can remember that sawmill being there but I am not at all sure who owned it. I do, however, well remember that in the same area there was a firm called United Lumber Company, owned by a very well known gentleman — Bill Toll. I might be mistaken but I believe Toll had a brother also associated with the company. So, it might be that United Lumber Company owned and operated the sawmill and was the firm Bedenbaugh worked for.

Do any of you old timers recall that particular sawmill being there? If so, let me know. I'd like to be able to answer Bedenbaugh's inquiry.

As I have told you from time to time one question leads to another. One fellow I ran into at the supermarket the other day said he came to Sanford before the Sanford Law Enforcement Center (Police Station) was built between French and Laurel avenues and Eighth and Ninth streets but could not remember what was on that city block before the station was erected.

That's an easy one. There was nothing on it. For many, many years it was simply a sandlot baseball diamond. Somebody had built a backstop on the southeast corner of the property and kids from all over town used it for pick-up baseball games and what we youngsters once called "scrub." If you don't remember what "scrub" was, someday I'll explain it to you.

We'll be with you again next Sunday morning. Oh, yes, there's an old timer you know — who is having a birthday today. Who is it? Me. I'm 73. I know I'm just a "old" to some of you old timers, but I'm getting there.

Weaver

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children every day and is working hard to make a difference.

The congregation of Mother Weaver's church, Rescue Church of God, on West 13th Street, built the mission to feed the hungry and house the homeless in 1987. Now, as Central Florida grows and the temperatures begin to drop, many displaced families seek a hand up, not a hand out.

"These children are victims," Mother said. "They not only have to live on the streets all day but are ridiculed by other children that live in the neighborhood. That's just not right."

So, with the help of the good

City discusses Teen Challenge

By NICK PRIFAUF
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — The effort to bring a Teen Challenge operation into Sanford is moving forward. The project is scheduled for continued discussion at tomorrow night's Sanford City Commission meeting.

Teen Challenge is a Christian school-type operation which presently located in Winter Haven, and is seeking to move to the Central Florida area near Sanford. It deals with young people trying to return to a normal life, after going through problems such as drug abuse, broken family connections, and other problems.

The operation is non-profit, and receives no national or federal financing. All of the money is raised by individual centers through the cooperation of personal contributions.

Director of Planning and Development Jay Marler has submitted the plans to the State Department of Community Affairs, and reports that the proposed plan amendment is anticipated to be found in compliance.

If it is to be totally approved as presented, the plan would require an amendment to

the city's Comprehensive Plan.

The Teen Challenge operation would be located on approximately five acres of land, on the west side of S. Sanford Avenue, south of the Silver Lake Drive intersection.

The property was originally developed as a modular office complex by Cardinal Industries, no longer in operation. There is presently a total of 80,000 square feet of single story buildings on the property, which would be used in the new operation.

During a City Commission meeting last month, the commission voted unanimously to support the request, but with cautionary examination of all aspects of the development.

In November, Jerry Nance, executive director of Teen Challenge had explained that the operation would serve possibly 100 persons, age 17 and over. "This isn't a homeless ministry," he explained, "this is a Christian school where people come of their own decision. Our goal is to evangelize people with problems and help them return to a normal life."

Nance said that Teen Challenge, founded in 1958, presently has 127 centers around the nation, similar to that proposed for

Sanford, with 165 additional centers in other countries.

The commission's initial approval was not without objections. Several owners of property near the site had written letters to the commission objecting to the plan. Steven Kracht of Kemco Industries had voiced concern over security of surrounding business, traffic problems, and adding a residential area to the business district.

The report on the DCA and a decision on adoption of the small scale comprehensive plan amendment is scheduled for Monday night's City Commission meeting, beginning at 7 p.m. in the commission chambers.

Support of the Teen Challenge operation meanwhile, is continuing to grow. The HO-Business Centers operation in Orlando recently announced not only support of the operation but the collection of additional financial support to help pay for furnishings for the new center in Sanford.

Prior to the regular meeting, the matter will also be discussed during a workshop session of the commission beginning at 4:30 p.m. tomorrow afternoon, in the City Manager's conference room on the second floor of the Sanford City Hall, 300 N. Park Ave. Both meetings are open to the public.



Tots enjoyed all the activities Saturday, including a rotating swing.

Herald Photo by Richard Hopkins

Lucia

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caused her death during the reign of Roman Emperor Diocletian. As a reflection of the earlier time Courtney Chamberlain, the Lake Mary student representing Saint Lucia, wore five candles in her crown. Her car was followed by individuals dressed as soldiers from the Middle Ages.

Another float had close con-

nections with a saint as Mrs. Safta Claus also joined the celebration wishing parade watchers a Merry Christmas.

As typical for such activities, spectators could buy a variety of food ranging from popcorn, to cotton candy to hot dogs from vendors in the city streets.

Before and after the parade spectators had their choice of a

variety of Christmas gifts from booths set up in the center of town. Teddy bears, nature pictures, Christmas pins, wreaths, jewelry and a host of other seasonal-related items were available.

Festivities continue from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. today, concluded by the lighted boat parade at 7:30 p.m.

Population doubles in 19 years

By The Associated Press

GAINESVILLE — Since 1830, Florida's population has been doubling every 19 years and there is no sign the explosion is letting up, a University of Florida professor said.

By the year 2000, Florida's current 13 million residents will have 4 million new neighbors by the year 2000 plus 20 million more by 2050, said Allen R. Overman, an agricultural engineer at UF's Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences.

"Most people, when I bring this up, tune it out. They don't want to talk about it," Overman said Friday.

Overman projects Florida, now the nation's fourth largest state, will be running neck-and-neck with the current population leader California for that distinction sometime in the next century.

California also has been doubling its population every 19 years, said the Gainesville professor. Overman said that any population tends eventually to move toward some kind of limit. But most people can't comprehend Florida having 37 million people in 88 years, and even then I don't think we'll level off until somewhere around 45 million," he said.

With an increase in population, the state can look forward to more traffic jams, crime, higher taxes, environmental degradation and competition for land and water between urban and rural communities, Overman said.

Limited water supplies may be the one thing standing in the way of a congested future in the Sunshine State, he said. Between 1950 and 1980, while population increased threefold, public water use and irrigation increased eightfold. Since 1980, public consumption of Florida's water supply has been doubling every 15 years.

THE WEATHER

Today: Sunny and windy with a high in the low 60s. North wind at 10 to 15 miles per hour.

Tonight: Fair and cold. Low in the lower 40s. Wind northwest 10 mph.

Extended forecast: Sunday: Mostly clear, continued cold at night. Low in the low 40s. High near 70. Monday: Partly cloudy and not so cold. Low near 50. High near 75. Tuesday: Partly cloudy and warmer with a chance of afternoon showers. Low near 60. High near 80. Dry windy conditions will continue through Saturday. High pressure coming across northern Florida on Sunday will move rapidly eastward ahead of next weather system...

City	Hi	Lo	Pct
Daytona Beach	68	48	20
FT. Lauderdale	68	48	20
Fort Myers	68	48	20
Gainesville	68	48	20
Haineshead	61	38	20
Jacksonville	68	48	20
Key West	71	48	20
Lakeland	68	48	20
Miami	71	48	20
Pensacola	61	41	20
Sarasota	68	48	20
Tallahassee	68	48	20
Tampa	68	48	20
Vero Beach	68	48	20
W. Palm Beach	68	48	20

FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
Sunny 65-65	Sunny 65-40	Fair 65-45	Partly cloudy 70-55	Partly cloudy 70-55

FIRST Dec. 3	LAST Dec. 16
FULL Dec. 9	NEW Dec. 24

SUNDAY:
SOLAR TABLE: Min. 8:00 a.m., 8:25 p.m.; Max. 1:50 a.m., 2:10 p.m. TIDES: Daytona Beach: highs, 10:15 a.m., 10:40 p.m.; lows, 3:35 a.m., 4:25 p.m.; New Smyrna Beach: highs, 10:30 a.m., 10:45 p.m.; lows, 3:40 a.m., 4:30 p.m.; Cocoa Beach: highs, 10:35 a.m., 11:00 p.m.; lows, 3:55 a.m., 4:45 p.m.

The high temperature in Sanford Saturday was 57 degrees and the overnight low was 43 as reported by the University of Florida Agricultural Research and Education Center. Celery Avenue.

Recorded rainfall for the period, ending at 9 a.m. Friday, totalled .00 of an inch.

The temperature at 9 a.m. today was 51 degrees and Friday's early morning low was 50, as recorded by the National Weather Service at the Orlando International Airport.

- Other Weather Service data:
- Thursday's high.....53
 - Barometric pressure...30.01
 - Relative Humidity....88 pct
 - Winds.....North 5 mph
 - Rainfall.....0 in.
 - Today's sunset.....5:30 p.m.
 - Tomorrow's sunrise....7:10

City	Hi	Lo	Pct	Dir
Albany	47	38	20	cr
Anchorage	47	38	20	cr
Burlington, Vt.	37	30	41	cr
Charlotte, N.C.	47	34	20	cr
Chicago	38	30	20	cr
Cleveland	37	34	14	cr
Dallas Ft. Worth	44	40	20	cr
Dayton	38	34	20	cr
Fort Worth	47	37	20	cr
Houston	63	71	21	cr
Indianapolis	62	62	20	cr
Jacksonville	38	35	20	cr
Juneau	32	28	40	cr
Kansas City	31	28	40	cr
Las Vegas	39	43	20	cr
Little Rock	67	38	20	cr
Los Angeles	60	31	20	cr
Louisville	41	34	20	cr
Memphis	60	39	20	cr
Minneapolis	41	33	20	cr
Mobile	38	36	20	cr
Montreal	41	31	20	cr
New Orleans	61	38	20	cr
New York City	42	35	100	cr
North Platte	49	30	31	cr
Oklahoma City	45	40	20	cr
Omaha	42	38	20	cr
Philadelphia	52	38	77	cr
Pittsburgh	54	32	11	cr
Portland, Me.	38	30	15	cr
Portland, Ore.	48	38	20	cr
Portland, Vt.	42	30	120	cr
Raleigh-Durham	48	38	20	cr
St. Louis	38	30	20	cr
San Jose	42	33	20	cr
San Diego	62	46	21	cr
San Francisco	55	48	27	cr
San Juan, P.R.	39	11	20	cr
Seattle	48	38	20	cr
St. Petersburg	38	31	20	cr
Spokane	38	28	20	cr
Tucson	50	40	20	cr

MIAMI Here are the winning numbers selected Friday in the Florida Lottery

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Trespassing charged

Manuel Burke, 45, 111 Cedar Ave., Sanford, was charged with trespassing after warning, strong arm robbery and retail theft by Sanford Police on Thursday.

Police said he had been observed taking two Masterlocks by managers at the Scotty's Hardware store on French Avenue.

When they tried to stop him, police said, he allegedly hit both the manager and the assistant manager before attempting to flee.

Police said he had been issued a trespass warning for the Scotty's on March 3, 1992.

He was taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility and held on \$4,000 bond.

Stolen check leads to arrest

Michael Jay Towers, who told police he has no local address, was charged with uttering a forged instrument and theft by Sanford Police on Thursday.

Police said he attempted to cash a check at the First Union Bank on French Avenue, Sanford. The check had been reported stolen, police said, moments before.

Police said he attempted to cash the \$20 check in the bank's drive-thru.

He was transported to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility and held on \$1,000 bond.

Retail theft charged

Hattie Mae Gilchrist, 31, 24 Seminole Gardens, Sanford, was charged with retail theft by Seminole County sheriff's officers on Thursday.

Officers said that she was observed taking five jogging suits into the fitting room at the Kmart in Fern Park and come out with only three.

Security officers at the store found one suit in her purse and the other in the front of her pants, deputies said.

She was taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where she was held on \$100 bond.

DUI charged

Joseph Brent Hyder, 28, 1307 Park Ave., Sanford, was charged with driving under the influence and careless driving by Sanford Police on Thursday.

Police said he was driving his pick up truck dangerously fast through the streets of Sanford.

Police said that when they chased him, he hit a telephone pole at 25th Street and Myrtle and flipped the truck.

After police caught him, they said that he failed the roadside sobriety test.

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

Battery and domestic violence charged

Edwin Herbert Behrens, 25, 108 Tangerine Drive, Sanford, was charged with battery/domestic violence and battery on a law enforcement officer by sheriff's officers on Friday.

Deputies said when they arrived at his home, they found him and his live-in girlfriend outside.

Deputies said she had asked him to leave and he had refused. They reported that he was belligerent and intoxicated. They said he went into the house and started kicking doors and punching walls.

Deputies said that when they attempted to subdue him, he head butted them and kicked them.

He was finally taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility and held on \$2,000 bond.

Warrant arrests

• Tony Donald Little, 30, 1806 W. 4th St., Sanford, was charged with violating the terms of his probation on charges of uttering a forged instrument. He was already serving time at the John E. Polk Correctional Facility on other charges.

• Sharon K. Shuck, 38, 481 Sun Lake Cir., Apt. 301, Lake Mary, was charged with failure to appear in court on DUI charges. She was arrested at home and held at the John E. Polk Correctional Facility on \$1,000 bond.

• Larry Cosby, 23, 3711 Washington Dr., Sanford, on a civil writ of bodily attachment. He was already serving time at the John E. Polk Correctional Facility on other charges.

• John Francis Flannigan, 28, 116 Lindsay Way, Sanford, was charged in connection with a warrant for grand theft. He was arrested at his home and taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where he was held on \$1,000 bond.



Donation made

Semoran Junior Woman's Club donated a ping-pong table Friday for children at the West Sanford Boys and Girls Club to enjoy. Margaret Lorine and Kyle Brinton, front, (l to r) get help unloading the table from Humphrey Horn, (back, left) and Don Miller, the club's director.

Herald Photo by Richard Hopkins

Major drug bust nets mother, son

By VICKI DEBORNER
Herald Staff Writer

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — The City County Investigative Bureau and the Drug Enforcement Administration successfully completed a six-month investigation into the drug trade in Altamonte Springs on Friday afternoon.

Six people were arrested at four locations in Altamonte Springs and Casselberry as federal agents wrapped up their investigation. They were all charged with conspiracy to distribute crack cocaine.

"These are all major suppliers to the East Altamonte area," George Proechel, spokesman for the Seminole County sher-

■ We hope to have put a dent in the cocaine trade in that area. ■

-George Proechel

iff's office, said. "We hope to have put a dent in the cocaine trade in that area."

Arrested were: Frank L. Dixon, 22, and his mother Brenda Dixon, 49, both of 112 DeSoto Ave., Altamonte Springs; Arthur Bennefeld, 27, of #110 Lu Rae Motel, Casselberry; James Stevens, 38, and his wife, both of 368 Longwood Ave., Altamonte Springs and Donald Smith, 30, of 138 Springwood Cir., Apt. C, Altamonte Springs.

Proechel said that additional arrests are anticipated, but did not know when they would be made.

Agents seized 65 grams of crack cocaine and 95 grams of powdered cocaine. The drugs have a street value of approximately \$20,000 to \$25,000.

They also seized \$2,500 in cash and a .25 automatic firearm.

Proechel said the six were to be arraigned at the federal courthouse on Friday afternoon and then held at the John E. Polk Correctional Facility.

Bond had not been set on Friday afternoon.

Landlords ordered to pay rape victim \$1.2 million

By The Associated Press

ST. PETERSBURG — A woman raped three years ago in her apartment has been awarded \$1.2 million by a jury that found her former landlords negligent for failing to provide adequate security.

The award against Lynn Lake Arms general partners James Mahaffey and Quentin Davidson came Friday after a trial in which the woman's attorneys argued there should have been better outdoor lighting and more secure windows.

The 15-year-old rapist lived in the same complex and entered the woman's apartment through a window.

Marion Andre Hall is currently serving a nine-year prison sentence in the rape, an unrelated manslaughter and a series of burglaries at the complex in the weeks leading up to the rape.

The woman's attorneys said tenants should have been warned about the burglaries. Landlords warned residents in a newsletter to keep their doors

and windows locked but did not mention the burglaries.

Attorneys for the landlords argued the complex had proper security, including a perimeter fence, night guards and even off-duty police officers who conducted additional patrols after the burglaries.

Earlier this year, a Texas jury awarded \$3.4 million to a rape victim who accused her landlord of failing to provide proper security.

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EDITORIALS

Senator could be strong ally in new post

Senator Toni Jennings faces a difficult task this year as chairman of Florida's Senate Rules Committee. As the Senate's gatekeeper of legislation, Jennings now has the ability to smooth the path for some law proposals or toss stones in that path for others.

She commands this power in a divided house. Expect Democrats, ousted from their century-old clutch on Senate power positions for the first time, to try to hold on to as much of that influence as they can. Republicans will want their GOP colleague Jennings to respond to their bidding.

Not a pleasant chore for someone pledged to be fair as she has.

But fairness begins at home. Jennings' representation has expanded from the urbanized areas south of State Road 436 to the suburban and rural areas in northern Seminole County. As growth tightens its grip on Sanford and other northern communities, leadership will be needed in Tallahassee to assure we grow sanely with an eye to the future.

The problems in Seminole County are many; but chief among them are education and transportation.

Schools in Seminole County are overcrowded and underfunded because of an outdated appropriation method that favors areas with high property values such as Monroe County while neglecting bedroom communities such as Seminole County. That formula needs to be fixed so Seminole County students don't have to be last in the state in their per capita share of state education revenues.

Major highways, especially Interstate 4, are congested while state road dollars totaling billions continue to pour into South Florida. Seminole County residents deserve adequate roadways and other options such as a commuter rail system to end the gridlock. Plans to promote these improvements should be pursued aggressively from a position of strength.

Now that Jennings has the capability to influence legislation beneficial to Seminole County, we encourage her to do so. It's only fair.

LETTERS

On homosexuality

Is homosexuality just another equally correct lifestyle?

Even if the president and the courts say that homosexuality is just as right as any other lifestyle, there is another higher authority that must be brought into line. There are certain verses in the Christian bible which are very troublesome in this regard: Leviticus 18:22, 24-30; Romans 1:18-32, 24-27. The bible uses such terms as perversion, indecent, unnatural, and degrading of their bodies which He, God, created.

There are spiritual laws in the universe just as there are physical laws. If the president and courts said that the law of gravity was null and void, the real tragedy would be if someone believed them and jumped off a cliff expecting nothing to happen to them. Just as the courts can't nullify a physical law, they can't nullify a spiritual law either. And again the real tragedy will be that many people will believe them and it will destroy their lives.

James Hubbard
Sanford

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THE THINKER
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Grave implications for black families

The evolving trend of incarcerating young black males throughout this country has grave implications for black families. The gravity of the situation emanates from a historical perspective that African Americans have been meted harsher treatment by the law enforcement system than any other group.

A. Leon Higginbotham, senior judge of the United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit wrote a book entitled "In the Matter of Color: Race and the American Legal Process, the Colonial Period." Higginbotham diligently researched the judicial pronouncements and legislative enactments in several of the original colonies. He concluded that the legal precedent of dispensing more punitive sentences to blacks had its epigenesis in Virginia. The case of John Punch was cited. John Punch was one of three runaway servants. The other two were white. Victor was a Dutchman and James Gregory was a Scotsman. After they were captured each was sentenced to be whipped. "The court then went on to impose different sentences for the same crime. Victor and James Gregory had the length of their indentures increased. They also had to serve the colonies for an additional three years. However, John Punch 'shall serve his said master or his assigns for the time of his natural life here or elsewhere.'"

Almost 400 years later, statistics clearly confirm that there is a disproportionate repre-



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sentation of African Americans in the penal system. African Americans constitute 12.1 percent of the population of the United States. However, they constitute 47.4 percent of the prison population and 40 percent of the inmates on death row. Although they are approximately 15 percent of the drug using population, they are 41 percent of persons arrested on drug charges.

The widespread belief that there exists evidence of bias have prompted 14 state courts, including those in California, Michigan and New York, to study the impact of bias. The New York Task Force released the results of their three-year study. Conclusions were that the state court system was "infected with racism." Minorities were far less likely than whites to be represented by attorneys, to serve on juries and to receive favorable action.

Charles Ogletree, an attorney and director of Harvard University's Criminal Justice Institute views the entire law enforcement process as rife with bias. He suggested that the get tough philosophy behind the nation's war on drugs in effect has become "a war against black males." He stated that black males have become easy prey for police even when there is no reason for them to be considered suspect. The bias continues through the criminal justice system, with the net result being harsher sentences for blacks than for whites.

Donald Baldus' study of 1,080 Georgia homicide cases found that the odds of a defendant receiving the death penalty were four times greater for those who killed whites than for those who killed blacks. This is known as the "race of victim effect."

The disproportionate number of young African-American males behind bars or under the control of the criminal justice system is adversely impacting the lives of African Americans. It is estimated that about 50 percent of African Americans are not marrying. There is a widening gulf between the marriage rates of African Americans and all other Americans. In 1970, the difference was about eight percent and had doubled by 1991. A Census Bureau study reported in 1991 that 88 percent of all black children lived with one parent, usually the mother.



JACK ANDERSON

Strauss-Yeltsin friendship aided the transition

WASHINGTON — Nearly 8 million visitors stream into the Smithsonian Institution's Air and Space Museum each year, but in 1989 Boris Yeltsin and his entourage had trouble getting tickets because of national security concerns.

One of Yeltsin's traveling companions phoned a friend, Washington superlawyer Robert Strauss, for help. The message was passed to Strauss that Yeltsin was insulted and that America should be more respectful of Yeltsin.

Then just a political maverick, because he might be someone more important in the future.

"The security people wouldn't let him visit the space center and that's crazy in itself because there are no secrets there," Strauss recalls. "Any spy in the world can go walking in there. I called (White House national security adviser) Brent Scowcroft and said, 'Scowcroft, this is the craziest thing in the world. Straighten it out.'"

Strauss' intervention forged a bond between him and Yeltsin that later paid hefty dividends. But at the time, neither man had an inkling that two years later they would have a rendezvous with history — Yeltsin the unlikely hero and Strauss the unlikely diplomat. "It's interesting how relationships develop," Strauss said. "He and I liked each other and he related well to me."

Strauss shared some of the out-takes of his 16-month odyssey as U.S. Ambassador to Russia during a recent interview with us. With Russia's revolution unfolding by the day, Strauss' job often resembled a diplomatic survival course with instinct and improvisation serving as his best weapons. There was no manual to explain how to handle a superpower coming apart at the seams.

Ambassador Strauss' real portfolio, the one mattering most to Yeltsin, was his proximity to power — Strauss' ability to interrupt a meeting with Yeltsin and get President Bush or Secretary of State James Baker on the line almost instantly.

It was also the more intangible personal chemistry that allowed both men to tease one another, especially when the topic of conversation turned to the American presidential election. Yeltsin was a strong Bush man.

"He never thought Bush was going to lose," Strauss told us. "He never believed me. When I told him there was a chance George Bush could lose, and when I felt pretty certain George Bush was going to lose, I didn't say I (was) absolutely convinced. I just said, 'you have to be ready for this.'" But Strauss says Yeltsin accused him of being "prejudiced" since Strauss is a Democrat, and Yeltsin noted that "Republicans always do well late."

Though Strauss says that "the jury is still out on whether Russia and the reforms make it or not," he departed Russia reverting Yeltsin as a man who has "the guts of a skydiver." In fact, Strauss says that only one thing ever outwardly spooked Yeltsin — his appearance before a joint session of Congress this past June during the first official Russian-American summit.

The Russian president prepared for the summit like it was an audition for the opening of a Broadway play. During several long sessions, Strauss and Yeltsin choreographed the visit down to the last detail, and Yeltsin was always eager to rehearse.

Though the Boris & Bob Show has come to a formal end, Strauss plans to remain an ambassador-without-portfolio for Yeltsin and for the cause of a free and prosperous Russia. But Strauss warns that "the clock is ticking fast."



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ELLEN GOODMAN

Parameters for term 'disabled'

MINNEAPOLIS — Halfway through the conference I began to wonder what I would feel if I had been Ryan Amerman's mother. If my unconscious child had been picked up every day for eight years and taken to a school for the mentally disabled.

If my child had been in a persistent vegetative state, wholly unable to experience life, and yet had been taken on field trips, had come home with a Mother's Day card or with a report that he had bowled 103. If I had been told repeatedly that this child was "improving."

I doubt that I could have stood before an audience even a year after it was all over and said with so little bitterness and such simplicity, "It drove me crazy."

Ryan's mother Linda Belanger was one of the people telling stories at an unusual family reunion. The Center for Biomedical Ethics here assembled families whose names appear on any bioethical roster for a conference called "Managing Mortality."

Karen Ann Quinlan's family was here, so was Nancy Cruzan's and Christine Bussacchi's. They came to describe their own experiences and listen to each other.

But of all the stories told here perhaps the most searing and certainly the most common had to do with children or spouses in a persistent vegetative state. They were stories about people awake but unaware, permanently unconscious, and utterly unable to experience life. They were about the people you point to when you say, "Don't let me live like that."

Ryan was not, is not, the only person held in such a macabre twilight zone. It took Linda Belanger 11 years to find out what the doctors knew and didn't tell her — that Ryan was diagnosed PVS — and to stop his treatment and let him die.

Nor was Ryan the only captive of a delusion that treats PVS patients as disabled. Pete Bussacchi told the conference about the therapist who taught his daughter Christine to play the tambourine. The therapist got the tambourine in the hand of his irrevocably comatose child and shook her arm.

Indeed, one of the most striking new impressions from the conference is how the language of "disability" is being applied to those in a persistent vegetative state, it's being used in courtrooms against families who want to stop treatment of the unconscious and let them die. It's being used by advocates such as James Rupp of the National Legal Center for the Medically Dependent and Disabled, who accuses families like Ryan's and Christine's of "discouraging, devastating life based on disability."

It's news too that the laws meant to protect jobs and provide training for the disabled are being applied in bizarre ways to provide a number of comatose patients with therapy and

school. Trips to the bowling alley. Tambourines.

There is something not only deceptive in this, but cruel. To describe a PVS patient as disabled is, as ethicist George Annas put it, "to describe a Minnesota blizzard as precipitation." To use funds intended for those who can benefit on those who cannot is somewhere between perverse and immoral.

Dr. Ronald Cranford, a neurologist and a force behind the conference on ethics, has verified at least three PVS children in Minnesota alone who are in school. There are other cases in which parents are using to stop nourishment while a state is paying for individual educational plans.

More importantly there are at least 14,000 PVS patients in this country. Few live a long time, fewer still are so bizarrely overtreated. But some who were too young or unaware to have left an advance directive about their fate are being placed on the continuum of "disability" by those who want to maintain them indefinitely. Even against the will of their families.

"The problem," says Cranford, "is that ethically and psychologically we just don't want to make any value judgments. Doctors don't want to start drawing lines at all. No bureaucrat wants to say, 'Oh you're right. They aren't disabled. They are beyond disability.'"

I understand the caution, especially among advocates for the disabled. If we take PVS patients out from under the protective umbrella of "disability," they fear we will take out the profoundly retarded next. If we say that it's useless to treat PVS, who will become useless next?

There are indeed slippery slopes. But patients in a persistent vegetative state are not people with a reduced quality of life. They are people with no quality of life. We have to look squarely at this reality.

To apply the language of disability to permanently unconscious people is not to strengthen but to cheapen that language, and that cause. It makes a mockery of our best intentions. Just as surely as the image of a comatose boy at a bowling alley.



They were about the people you point to when you say, 'Don't let me live like that.'

DEATHS

KATHERINE W. CLARK
 Katherine W. Clark, 95, of N. Stone Street, DeLand, died Thursday, Dec. 10 at her residence. Born March 8, 1897, in Pennington Gap, Va., she was a homemaker. She moved to Central Florida in 1958 and was a Protestant.

Survivors include nephews Roy Witt, Sarasota, Robert Witt, DeLand.

Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home Oaklawn Park Chapel, Lake Mary, in charge of arrangements.

HENRY LOUIS "HANK" ENNEN

Henry Louis "Hank" Ennen, 52, 310 W. Highlands St., Altamonte Springs, died Thursday, Dec. 10 at his residence. Born Aug. 29, 1940, Mr. Ennen was an electrical contractor and the owner of Ennen Electric Inc. of Casselberry. Born in Morristown, N.J., he moved to Central Florida in 1971 from Dover, N.J. A member of the Redeemer Lutheran Church of Winter Park, he also was a member of the Florida Association of Electrical Contractors.

Survivors include wife, Lois, Altamonte Springs; sons Scott K., Winter Springs, Todd R., Casselberry; parents, Henry and Ada Ennen, Sanford; sister, Anne Goswellen, Winter Park; brother, Kenneth, Riverdale, Ga.; one granddaughter.

Gaines Funeral Home, Longwood, in charge of arrangements.

KEVIN SCOTT FRANK

Kevin Scott Frank, 25, 818 Viscaya Lane, Altamonte Springs, died Friday, Dec. 4 in a plane crash near Birmingham, Ala. Mr. Frank was a student at the University of Florida. Born in West Palm Beach on June 18, 1967, he moved to Central Florida in 1972. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church of Maitland.

Survivors include parents, John and Judy Frank, Altamonte Springs; sister, Kelly Rae Fuaco, Orlando, paternal grandmother, Dorothy Frank, Palm Beach Gardens; maternal grandmother, Beatrice Shafer, West Palm Beach.

Gramkow Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

HELEN C. RAWLINGS

Helen C. Rawlings, Corrine Drive, Orlando, died Wednesday, Dec. 9 at Florida Hospital. Born May 25, 1897 in Woodstown, N.J., she was a schoolteacher. She was a member of Reeves Memorial United Methodist Church and former member of the Belmont United Methodist Church in Belmont, Mass. She

was a former member of the Zeigfeld Folles, a member of Eastern Star and was associated with the Council on Aging.

Survivors include sons, William Rawlings, of Orlando, Robert Rawlings, Sebring; four grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home, Oaklawn Park, Lake Mary, in charge of arrangements.

LILLIAN EDITH REMPE

Lillian Edith Rempe, 87, of Enterprise Road, DeBary, died Thursday, Dec. 10 at Regency Park Nursing Center in DeBary. She was a homemaker. Born in Miami on Sept. 24, 1905, she was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in DeLand and the P.E.O. Sisterhood, Chapter, AN.

Survivors include two sons, C.J. Rempe, Gaithersburg, Md., Howard T. Rempe, DeBary; one sister, Leona Lanphear, Ft. Myers; two brothers Lawrence Howard, Hialeah, Donald Howard, Ocala; 11 grandchildren and 13-great grandchildren.

Volusia County Cremation Society is in charge of arrangements.

HERBERT J. SHEA

Herbert J. Shea, 53, of Kingswood Court, Sanford, died Friday, Dec. 11. Born on May 27, 1939, in Tampa, he moved to Central Florida in 1964. He was a captain in the Sanford Police Department. He was a member of St. Stephens Catholic Church and a member in the Double Eagle Hunt Club. He was active as a Cub Scout leader and as a Pop Warner Football Coach.

Survivors include wife, Anne Shea, Sanford; daughter Karen Shea, Sanford; sons, John, Stephen, Kevin, Richard, Sanford; brothers, Edmund, Brandon, Stephen, Seattle; sisters, Sharon Brewer, Plant City, Wanda, Omaha; and two grandchildren.

Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home-Oaklawn Park Chapel, Lake Mary, in charge of arrangements.

URSULA MARION YOUNGERS

Ursula Marion Youngers, 62, Lemon Bluff Road., Osteen, died Saturday, Dec. 12 at West Volusia Memorial Hospital, in DeLand. She was a homemaker. Born on Nov. 30, 1930 in Strykeraville, New York, she

moved to Central Florida in 1968 from Bliss, N.Y. She was a member of Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church.

Survivors include husband, Donald, Osteen; sons, Charles, Lake Mary, John, Geneva, Kenneth, Lenexa, Kan., Paul, Orlando; daughters, Marietta Hall-Nelson, Urbandale, Ill., Julie Boyd, Geneva, Lori Draper, Lake Wales, Rebecca Vezina, Osteen; two brothers, William Bariz, Java Village, N.Y., Richard Bariz, Joplin, Mo.; sister Margaret Suttell, Java Village, N.Y. and 16 grandchildren.

Stephen R. Balduff Funeral Home, Deltona, in charge of arrangements.

JULIAN A. VARN

Julian A. Varn, 87, 300 Airport Blvd., Sanford, died Friday, Dec. 11 in South Seminole Community Hospital. Born on Nov. 4, 1905, he lived in Sanford all his life and was a retired conductor for the Atlantic Coast Railroad. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church. He was active in the Sanford Masonic Lodge No. 62, F. & A.M., Penny Pinchers, Ware Bible Class of the First Methodist Church, and the United Transportation Union.

Survivors include his wife, Domarous; one daughter, Mrs. Jean L. Benson, Lake Mary; son-in-law, Jimmy Benson, Lake Mary; step-son, Clarence Jones, Columbia, S.C.; two step-daughters, Mrs. Dan DeFoor, Jacksonville; Mrs. J.E. Parko, Jr., Atlanta, Ga.; nine grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Brisson Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

FUNERALS

JULIAN VARN
 Graveside services for Mr. Julian Varn will be Monday, Dec. 14, at 1 p.m. in Oaklawn Memorial Park Cemetery with the Rev. Clifford Melvin officiating. Interment will follow. Friends may call at the funeral home Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. For friends who wish, the family suggests memorial contributions to the First United Methodist Church, 419 Park Ave., Sanford.

JOHN W. CASH, JR.
 Funeral services for Mr. John W. Cash, Jr., 52, of Sanford, who died Monday will be 11 Monday morning at Gramkow Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Cliff Melvin officiating. Interment will be private. Friends may call at Gramkow Funeral Home Sunday afternoon from 3 to 5 p.m. Gramkow Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

HENRY LOUIS "HANK" ENNEN
 Memorial service for Henry Louis "Hank" Ennen, 52, resident of Altamonte Springs, will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, Dec. 14 at the Redeemer Lutheran Church, Winter Park. Pastor John L. Fox officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be sent to the American Cancer Society, 1703 West Colonial Drive, Orlando, 32804. Gaines Funeral Home, Longwood, in charge of arrangements.

HERBERT J. SHEA
 The Mass of Christian Burial for Mr. Herbert J. Shea, 53, of Sanford, who died Friday will be conducted Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. at St. Stephens Catholic Church with Father John Bluff as celebrant. Interment will follow at Oaklawn Memorial Park, Lake Mary. Visitation for friends will be held Monday at 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at St. Stephens Church. A wake service will begin at 7:30 p.m. following visitation. Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home, Lake Mary, in charge of arrangements.

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IN BRIEF

W.A.R.M. hot line

Florida Women's AIDS Resource Movement (W.A.R.M.) has established a toll-free, resource and information phone line, according to Melissa Perry, M.P.H., project director.

This line is for obtaining information specific to women and children and HIV. The line is answered Monday through Friday between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. by trained volunteers. After hours an answering machine will take messages, all of which are returned within 24 hours.

Volunteers answer questions about HIV in women and children, provide information on clinical trials for women and also lend a supportive ear to women infected and affected by HIV.

Florida W.A.R.M. began in the Fall of 1989 as a group of women and men concerned about the growing number of women and children with HIV. In 1990, W.A.R.M. became a project of the Tampa AIDS Network targeting women and youth with HIV/AIDS prevention education, funded by the Children's Board of Hillsborough County. Last year, W.A.R.M. expanded to become a statewide resource for women, children and families. Through the phone line, the bi-monthly newsletter and regional meetings, W.A.R.M. hopes to bring persons facing HIV together to support each other and create positive changes in Florida.

Living with arthritis

Volunteers from every community throughout the Arthritis Foundation's Central Branch area of Brevard, Flagler, Lake, Marion, Orange, Osceola, Seminole, Sumter and Volusia counties are needed to become certified as leaders of the new three-hour "Living Daily With Arthritis" public education program.

This program was designed for and will be open to anyone who has arthritis or an interest in the disease. It has been developed to furnish a comprehensive overview of the most current coping techniques from the Arthritis Foundation.

Registered nurses, physical therapists or occupational therapists are urged to apply immediately for leader certification training. Volunteers will be trained on Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 23 and 24, in Tampa. Class size is limited. Anyone interested in volunteering should contact Georgia Guillot at the Arthritis Foundation, 500 N. Maitland Ave., Suite 305, Maitland, FL 32751, or call collect 847-0045 for more information and an application.

Aerobics training

The University of Central Florida and National Dance Exercise Instructor's Training Association are co-sponsoring a public training event on Jan. 23 at UCF in Orlando.

Potential and current aerobics instructors will learn exercise science, injury prevention, basic nutrition, low impact and high intensity aerobics in a one-day workshop.

The workshop includes a complete review, written exam, comprehensive aerobics manual, certificate and more. Teaching experience is not necessary. Space is limited. For registration information call toll free 800-237-8242.

Parkinson's support group to meet

SANFORD — A Parkinson's Support Group meets on the third Friday of each month throughout the year at HCA Central Florida Regional Hospital. The next meeting is Friday from 10-11 a.m. in the hospital's classroom. The support group is open to Parkinson's Patients and their families and will be led by Lois Carrig, M.A., L.M.H.C., a licensed mental health counselor. The program includes presentations covering all aspects of the disease for both the patient and family members. For information, call 321-4800 ext. 5790.

Keep us informed

The Sanford Herald welcomes news and announcements of health issues, classes and seminars available to the public.

The following suggestions are recommended to expedite publication:

All items should be typed or written legibly and include the name and a daytime phone number of a person who can be contacted to answer any questions we might have.

The deadline for publication is noon Thursday before publication.

Women at risk

Young women have more sex partners, at greater risk of STDs

By CATHERINE CROCKER
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK — At least a fourth of the 44.9 million American women who are sexually active are at increased risk of contracting a sexually transmitted disease, a study estimates.

And, increasingly, it is teenage girls who are among those at risk.

The percentage of sexually active young women who have had just one sexual partner has dropped by more than a third since 1971, while the figure for those having four or more partners has doubled, according to the study.

The findings are in a study on the sexual behavior of women from 15 to 44 years old. It was released this week by the Alan Guttmacher Institute, a non-profit research group concerned with reproductive health.

"The findings are pretty sobering," said Jacqueline Darroch Forrest, a co-author of the study.

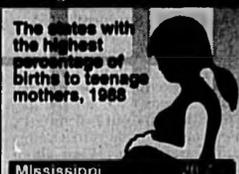
She said that while some people may not like it that others are sexually active, "from a health perspective alone, one can't ignore it."

According to 1988 data used in the study, 67 percent of sexually active women from 15 to 44 years old had had more than one sexual partner, while 41 percent had had four or more.

In 1988, 39 percent of sexually active teen-agers living in urban areas had had only one sexual partner, compared with 62 percent in 1971, the study said. The figure for those who had had four or more partners more than doubled to 17 percent.

Some of the increase may be related to the younger age at which people have intercourse

Pregnant teens



and the difficulty they have believing they risk being infected, Forrest said.

The study estimates that, in a year, 6.4 million women from 15 to 44 years old have direct contact with more than one sexual partner and that an additional 5.5 million to 11 million are indirectly exposed to multiple partners because their partner has not been monogamous.

Thus, a total of 11.9 million to 17.4 million women are at risk of increased exposure to sexually transmitted diseases because of

In battle over abortion rights, women learn to do them at home

By ANNE LEVIN
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK — Risa Denenberg believes so strongly in a woman's right to abortion that she has had several, performed in people's homes, even though she wasn't pregnant.

The 42-year-old nurse practitioner waits until she is about to menstruate and then volunteers so small "self-help" groups can learn how to suction the contents of her uterus into a jar with a syringe and tubing.

"Everyone would go to the ends of the Earth to make you comfortable," she said. "I was never concerned anyone would do anything risky. There was a deep sense of awe and responsibility."

Denenberg, who lives in the Bronx, and hundreds of other women around the country regularly get together to practice menstrual extraction, a technique that a group of Los Angeles feminists developed in 1971 after observing equipment in an underground abortion clinic.

The home-abortion technique has been sharply criticized by such mainstream abortion-rights groups as Planned Parenthood and the National Abortion Federation — as well as the anti-abortion movement.

"It's relegating women to Third World medicine," said Dr. Michael Policar, vice president for medical affairs of Planned Parenthood Federation of America Inc.

"I'm hopeful the medical establishment would want to police this activity," said Wanda Frans, president of the National Right to Life Committee. "These procedures are nothing less than practicing medicine without a license."

But proponents say menstrual extraction is the ultimate way to ensure women's access to abortion — because the government can't easily police it and nearly anyone can do it.

Practitioners aren't dissuaded by the fact that abortion has been legal in the United States since the 1973 U.S. Supreme Court decision Roe vs. Wade.

They note the effectiveness of anti-abortion activists in winning passage of restrictive state abortion laws and harassing doctors and clinics that perform abortions.

They cite a 1990 study by the pro-abortion rights reproductive policy group The Alan Guttmacher Institute, showing that 63 percent of the nation's counties have no abortion services.

"Without menstrual extraction, it's 'Please, let us have abortions,'" said Carol Downer, who helped develop the technique.

Female condom soon to be on the market

By RICHARD L. VERMAGI
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — A condom for women could be on the market by next summer even though a Food and Drug Administration advisory committee says doubts remain about how well it works.

The panel gave the product conditional approval, recommending that the FDA require labels reflecting uncertainty over its effectiveness.

"If I were explaining this to a friend or a colleague, I'd say it's not very effective," said Dr. Herbert Peterson, a member of the panel representing the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Nevertheless, the panel agreed that the condom should be conditionally allowed onto the U.S. market.

Peterson said that the studies conducted by the company indicated that one-fourth to one-fifth of the women in the United States who might use the device can expect to get pregnant in the first year.

The panel also found that the label for the condom can make no specific claims about its ability to prevent infection with the AIDS virus. It can't say much beyond that it may help reduce the risk of AIDS and other sexually transmitted diseases.

The committee's decision is not binding on the FDA, but the agency usually follows its advice.

make a decision soon.

He may have to because as a Bush administration appointee he could be leaving after the inauguration.

Assuming Kesler goes along with the committee's advice, officials at Wisconsin Pharamcal Co. said the condom could be on the market in mid-1993. There are housekeeping tasks that have to be finished first, such as finalizing the wording of the labels and getting the factory to pass FDA inspection.

The committee made a similar recommendation earlier this year but was called back by the FDA to examine new studies done by the company. The FDA said it was having trouble making a decision based on the information supplied by the company.

Wisconsin Pharamcal, which plans to market the condom under the brand name Reality, has done a number of tests, both on the condom and people who use it.

The condom has been pumped full of helium, filled with water, shot with lasers and tried out in lab rabbits to see if it irritated the animals. Those tests were fine, the FDA said.

But the results in people were mixed. Some used it better than others. Some women got pregnant. Failure rates varied between the United States and Latin America. And because of the company's testing methods, the condom's failure rate can't be compared to that of other birth control methods, the FDA said.

SOUND ADVICE



NICK SPINA
CERTIFIED HEARING INSTRUMENT SPECIALIST

Portable stereos using small head phones have become quite popular but can easily produce sound levels loud enough to damage hearing. Thus, one should be cautious not to turn them up "too loud."

The correct medical term for "ear drum" is tympanic membrane. The term "tympanic" usually means "drumhead" which describes its shape and function. The term "membrane" means "thin layer of organic tissue." Thus, the tympanic membrane is a thin layer of skin at the end of the ear canal that looks and acts like a drumhead.

Question - I have a hearing problem in both ears, does that mean I will have to wear two hearing aids?
Answer - You do not have to, but you may want to. There are many well documented advantages to hearing symmetrically from both sides. Practitioner Reagon, who was originally fitted with just one hearing aid, now wears two most of the time and prefers the balanced hearing they provide.

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Test offers hope in spotting killer of athletes

By MA BREVEMAN
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — A young athlete, apparently fit and healthy, dies suddenly.

Only later do doctors discover his hidden flaw, a condition called familial hypertrophic cardiomyopathy. His heart muscle had grown unnaturally thick, making it hard to beat normally. And, during exercise, it stopped.

But who could have known? Now, researchers say, they have a way to tell — sometimes.

Genetic testing of a blood sample can find some forms of mutation that seem to weaken the protein of the heart muscle, said Dr. Ali J. Marian, an instructor in medicine-cardiology at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

Major research facilities such as hospitals affiliated with medical schools could do the lab work, if not now, then within about a year, Marian said.

"This type of test is practically 100 percent accurate," Marian said. "The final confirmation is looking at the sequence of DNA (the genetic material)."

In some cases, it can distinguish between people at high risk of early death and those who have the condition but face relatively less risk, and the discovery of other mutations may make this more accurate, Marian said.

The test may open more exceptions to the general prohibition on strenuous exercise for people with hypertrophic cardiomyopathy, he said. Without the test, doctors must assume the worst.

The disease is inherited in two-thirds of

cases, so if the genetic flaw is found in one member, all should then be tested, Marian said.

Approximately 20,000 people die each year from the disease, said Marian, who presented his findings at a recent American Heart Association conference. The AHA calls the condition "the most common cause of sudden cardiac death in the young, particularly in athletes."

The value of genetic testing is limited, however, said Dr. Barry J. Maron, a senior investigator at the National Heart Lung and Blood Institute.

Genetic testing currently is expensive and time-consuming.

And the discovery of 10 mutations in 16 families indicates far more have yet to be found, said Maron, a leading expert on hypertrophic cardiomyopathy.

Studies say AIDS virus can lurk in pre-ejaculatory fluid

By RANDEE LITVIN SPITEN
Associated Press Writer

LONDON — The AIDS virus, in addition to infecting semen, can lurk in the lubricant released before ejaculation, according to two studies of 23 infected men.

"Many men believe oral sex without ejaculation is completely safe. That is clearly not the case based on the potential infectivity of this fluid," said Dr. Peter Schlegel, co-author of one of the investigations and associate professor of urology at New York Hospital-Cornell Medical Center.

The second study was done by investigators at Harvard Medical

School and Boston University's School of Public Health.

The two studies do not indicate the risk of getting AIDS by contact with pre-ejaculatory fluid, which is released by the penis during sexual stimulation. The author of the second study, Dr. Jeffrey Pudney of Harvard, urged further research.

"Any risk with HIV is unacceptable. This is not something you play Russian roulette with," said Gordon Nary, executive director of Physician's for AIDS Care in Chicago.

The studies are reported in two letters published in the Dec. 12 issue of The Lancet, a British medical journal.

Pre-ejaculatory fluid "is produced during sexual stimulation before intercourse, so placing a condom on the penis earlier may be important to prevent contact with this fluid, not just at the time of intercourse," Schlegel said.

"We're not talking about a lot of fluid, but a small amount of it may be important."

The Cornell investigators examined pre-ejaculatory fluid from 14 men with AIDS and two men without the virus. They found HIV and white blood cells — disease-fighters — in the fluid of six of the 14 men with AIDS. Neither was present in the two men without the virus.

Pudney, the Harvard University investigator, studied 12 samples of pre-ejaculatory fluid from nine men with the AIDS virus and 11 samples from six men without the virus. His team found HIV in pre-ejaculatory fluid from six of nine infected men but not in any samples from the uninfected men used as controls.



Sports

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IN BRIEF

LOCALLY

Boating class scheduled

MAITLAND — The Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission will conduct a free boating course entitled "Florida Boating Basics" on Saturday, Dec. 19, at the Maitland Police Department.

The course, which will run from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., will cover such topics as legal requirements, navigation rules and accidents.

Upon successful completion of the course, students will receive a wallet-size certificate and a wall certificate. If legislation is passed in the future requiring individuals to complete a boating class prior to operating a boat, this class should satisfy those requirements.

Also, some insurance companies will give a discount to boat owners who successfully complete the course.

According to Lt. Bruce Cooper, regional training officer, pre-registration is required. He will accept telephone registrations at (904) 732-1225.

Vacation baseball camp set

MAITLAND — University of Central Florida baseball coach will conduct a winter vacation baseball camp the week of December 21-24 at the Jewish Community Center, 851 N. Maitland Avenue in Maitland.

The camp, which will be conducted from 9 a.m. to noon each day, is for boys and girls in the first through sixth grades.

Bergman and his staff will give instruction in all phases of baseball, including stretching, throwing, hitting, pitching, base running, team defense, team offense, and game situations.

Registration for center members is \$40 and \$60 for non-members.

Contact Eli Berceviet, 645-5933, for more information.

Umpire clinic planned

SANFORD — The Sanford Officiating Association has scheduled an umpire's clinic for the weekend of January 9 and 10 at Sanford City Hall, 300 N. Park.

The clinic, which will begin at 8 a.m. both days, is for anyone interested in becoming an American Softball Association-certified umpire. The cost is \$20.

For more information, call Duane Lafollette, 322-9026, or the Sanford Recreation Department, 330-5697.

Racquetball league planned

OVIDO — The Oviedo Recreation and Parks Department is offering racquetball leagues for A, B and C level players beginning in January. League play will be on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

Registration, which will be available from Monday, December 14, through Monday, January 4, is \$20 for Oviedo city residents and \$25 for non-city residents.

For more information contact Cory Clarke at 359-5660.

Seminole PONY registration

FIVE POINTS — Seminole PONY Baseball will be registering players for its spring leagues on consecutive Saturdays, January 9 and 16, at the Seminole PONY complex on State Road 419.

Registration, which will be conducted between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. each day, will be available to players between the ages of 5 and 16. Players must be the designated age by Aug. 1, 1993. Proof age is required if the player is new to the league.

The registration fees are, by league: Shetland (ages 5 and 6) — \$35; Pinto (7-8) — \$55; Mustang (9-10) — \$60; Bronco (11-12) — \$65; Pony (13-14) — \$75; and Colt (15-16) — \$75. An additional fundraiser commitment of \$24 will be required at the time of registration on all registering players.

For more information call 323-5570 and leave a message.

AROUND THE STATE

USF shoots down UCF

TAMPA — Jesse Salters scored 20 points in 26 minutes as the University of South Florida defeated the University of Central Florida 92-81 Saturday night.

Salters had 14 points at the half as South Florida (2-1) built up a 42-34 edge. He added six more points in the second half before a stomach virus sidelined him.

But it was freshman Chris Coleman who helped stave off a Central Florida (2-1) rally in the game's final six minutes and ended with 13 points. With Salters out and Derrick Sharp (15 points) on the bench because of poor shot selection, Coleman keyed a 8-1 run after the Knights had closed to 71-66.

James Harper led UCF with 17 points, followed by Davis' 16 and Sinua Phillips' 15.

USF outrebounded UCF 47-33.



FOOTBALL
11:4 p.m. — WCPX 6, Dallas Cowboys at Washington Redskins. (L)

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Win streak now at 43

Greyhounds add Hornets to long list of victories

From Staff Reports

LONGWOOD — OK, now what?
On Friday night, the two-time defending Class 4A state champion Lyman High School girls' soccer team completed its stroll past the best that Central Florida has to offer, whipping the Bishop Moore Hornets 8-0.

It was the 43rd consecutive victory for the Greyhounds. Bishop Moore, Class 3A state champions in 1989 and 1991, falls to 4-2-1.

Earlier this week, Lyman (6-0) shut out Lake Brantley 2-0 and bested Lake Mary 4-1, the two top challengers in the Seminole Athletic Conference. The Greyhounds also have a win over Winter Park, traditionally the top team in Orange County, already this season.

So who's next?
"Oviedo," answered Lyman coach Gary Barnett, looking only as far as the next game on his team's schedule. "We want to get through the

rest of the first half of our conference schedule.

"After that, we're looking at the Burger King as the next big test. St. Thomas (from Fort Lauderdale) is coming back. And Lake Brantley, Lake Mary and Bishop Moore will be in it. We'll have to face those teams again and we've seen that those teams can challenge us."

Through halftime Friday night, for example, the Greyhounds and Hornets were locked in a scoreless duel. But Lyman came out in the second half and scored two goals in the first five minutes.

"One of the reasons we're doing this (playing several quality teams in the same week) is that it helps us stay sharp," explained Barnett. "This was a good week for us mentally."

"In the first half against Bishop Moore, we were not mentally into the game. At halftime, the girls realized that they needed to focus themselves and they turned their performance around in the second half."

Danielle Garrett gave Lyman a 1-0 lead when she scored on an assist from Adrian Kane at 44:30 of the second half. Twenty-seven seconds later, Sara Kane scored off of a pass from Danya Harris.

Shirley Campos later converted a Sara Kane pass into a goal before Harris netted a pair of unassisted goals. Michelle St. Louis capped the scoring with an unassisted goal at 73:22.

Lyman outshot Bishop Moore 20-8 and had a 5-3 advantage in corner kicks. Greyhound goalie Cheryl Roberts made five saves to record her fourth shutout of the season. The Bishop Moore keeper recorded 12 saves.

The Greyhounds also won the junior varsity game, 1-0.

Lyman will play at Oviedo on Tuesday night before beginning play in the Burger King Tournament next Friday night. Once again, half of the Burger King Tournament will be played at Lyman High School Stadium.

Johnston gives Pats win over Gainesville

From Staff Reports

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Mike Johnston scored with 13 minutes left to play Saturday afternoon, lifting the Lake Brantley boys' soccer team to a 3-2 win over Gainesville at Tom Storey Field.

The win gave the Patriots a sweep of the day's tripleheader. Lake Brantley also won the freshmen game 7-0 and the junior varsity contest 1-0.

Johnston's game-winning goal was set up by a poor Gainesville goal kick which came right to him. He took a couple dribbles and played it right back on goal.

Jimmy Meletidis scored the other two Lake Brantley goals, one in each half. Ron Dager assisted on the second goal.

Lake Brantley outshot Gainesville (3-3) by a 17-7 margin and had a 5-3 edge in corner kicks. Patriot goalie Sean Seaver made four saves.

Lake Brantley (5-1-2) hosts Lake Mary in a tripleheader this Wednesday.

Friday

LAKE MARY 13, SEMINOLE 0

SANFORD — Brandon Mahana scored three goals highlight the Lake Mary Rams' 13-0 blowout of the Seminole Fighting Seminoles in a Seminole Athletic Conference boys' soccer game Friday night at Thomas E. Whigham Stadium.

Aren Cook, Mark Neri and Jason Tisdell each scored two goals while Scott Feldman, Jody DeBruin, Andrew Almgren and Brad Thompson each had one goal. DeBruin also recorded four assists. John Martin had two assists as Cook, Kevin Murphy, Tony Bazile, and Chris Campbell had one each.

"The first four goals were quality goals," said Lake Mary coach Larry McCorkle. "They would have been goals on anybody. I think that really took a lot of the steam out of Seminole. It wasn't just the goals but the way they were scored. That set the tone for the game."

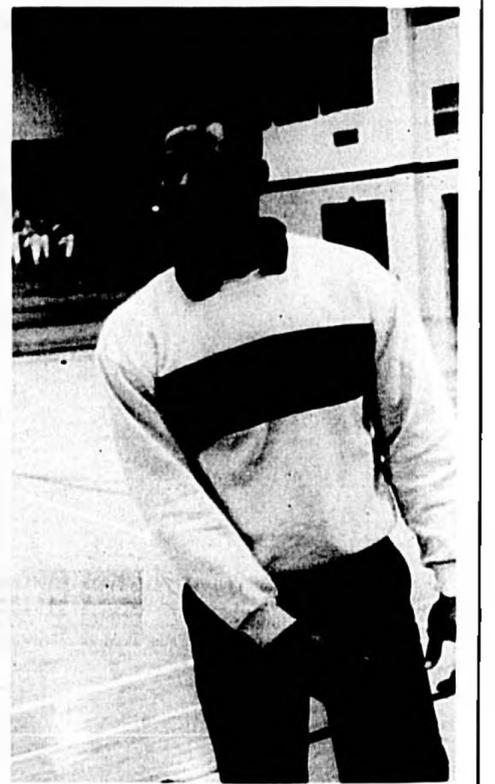
Lake Mary outshot Seminole 40-0 and had a 11-1 edge in corner kicks. As a result, Ram goalie Laki Travlos

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Rams break through

Richard Roche' (No. 25, left) scored eight points Friday night as the Lake Mary boys' basketball team of Coach Willie Richardson (right) defeated Ocala-



Herald Photos by Richard Hopkins

Vanguard 70-59 for its first win of the season. Jimmy Newberry led the Rams in scoring with 24 points while Truk Wakefield added 13.

Raiders reach finals

By DEAN SMITH
Herald Sports Writer

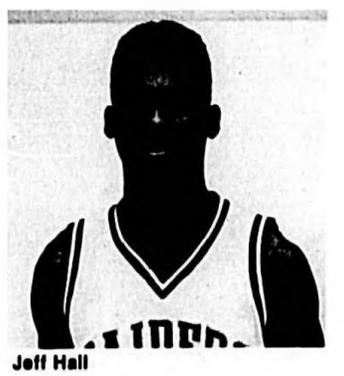
COCOA — The Seminole Community College men's basketball team got back on the winning track Friday night with a 71-58 win over host Brevard Community College in the semifinals of the Byrd Plaza Christmas Tournament.

The Raiders (5-9) were scheduled to meet Mid-Florida Conference foe Lake City in Saturday night's championship game. The Timberwolves clobbered Patrick Air Force Base 109-81 to reach the finals.

Phillip Williams and Sanford's Jeff Hall paced the SCC scoring with 14 points each while Mike Burch added 10. Troy Bruening was the top rebounder with six and also tied for the lead in assists with Williams with four.

Robert Walker and Sanford's J.J. Wiggins both had good games off the bench, with Walker grabbing five rebounds and handing out three assists and Wiggins coming up with three assists and three steals.

Willie Young (15) and Andy McIntyre (18) were in double figures for the Titans (4-9).



Jeff Hall

Torretta wins Heisman; FSU's Jones is fourth

By RICK WARNER
AP Football Writer

NEW YORK — Gino Torretta, leader of the nation's No. 1 team, won the Heisman Trophy on Saturday as the No. 1 player in college football.

The Miami quarterback, who is 26-1 as a starter, beat out running backs Marshall Faulk of San Diego State and Garrison Hearst of Georgia.

Torretta, who holds almost every career passing record at "Quarterback U," is Miami's second Heisman winner. Quarterback Vinny Testaverde won the award in 1986.

"This is truly a prestigious honor," Torretta said. "I want to thank my teammates, especially the defense, because they're the reason I'm here."

Faulk finished second, 320 points behind Torretta, and Hearst was third, trailing the winner by 418 points. Faulk was the nation's leading rusher for the second straight season, while Hearst led

Division I-A in scoring and was No. 2 in rushing.

Torretta is the first senior to win the Heisman since Notre Dame's Tim Brown in 1987. The four previous winners — Desmond Howard, Ty Detmer, Andre Ware and Barry Sanders — were juniors.

Faulk's second-place finish is the best by a sophomore since Georgia's Herschel Walker was runner-up in 1981. No sophomore has won the Heisman.

Torretta received 310 first-place votes and 1,400 points in balloting by the media and former Heisman winners. Faulk got 164 first-place votes and 1,080 points, while Hearst received 140 first-place votes and 982 points.

Florida State linebacker Marvin Jones was fourth, matching the highest finish by a defensive player since Pittsburgh's Hugh Green was runner-up in 1980. Notre Dame's Reggie Brooks, who averaged more yards per carry (8.0) than any other runner, was fifth.

The top three finishers attended the televised ceremony at the

Downtown Athletic Club.

Torretta led in four of the six voting regions — the Northeast, Mid-Atlantic, Midwest and South-west. Faulk carried the Far West and Hearst was the top vote-getter in the South.

Torretta's mother, Connie, attended the ceremony, along with his three brothers. His father, Al, died in 1988.

"I always told him if he'd put his best foot forward, he'd be the best, and today he is the best," Mrs. Torretta said.

Florida State quarterback Charlie Ward was sixth overall, followed by Miami linebacker Michael Barrow, Washington State quarterback Drew Bledsoe, Stanford running back Glyn Milburn and Alabama defensive end Eric Curry. Milburn and Curry tied for ninth with 47 points each.

Torretta wasn't the flashiest player in the country and didn't have the eye-popping statistics of recent Heisman winners. All he's done is win more games than any of Miami's great quarterbacks, in-

cluding Testaverde, Steve Walsh, Craig Erickson, Bernie Kosar and Jim Kelly.

Since Torretta became the full-time starter in 1991, Miami has gone 23-0. He was 3-1 as a redshirt freshman in 1989, when he filled in for the injured Erickson. The only loss was 24-10 at Florida State.

"He's a consistent winner," ESPN commentator Lee Corso said. "He didn't put up huge numbers, but he made the big plays and never got his team beat."

Under Torretta, Miami has continued to win championships as well as games.

If the top-ranked Hurricanes beat No. 2 Alabama in the Sugar Bowl, Torretta will become the first player to win the Heisman and a national championship in the same season since Pittsburgh's Tony Dorsett in 1976. He would also be the first quarterback to lead his team to consecutive national titles since Oklahoma's Steve Davis in 1974-75.

Boaters: know your PFDs

As of Oct. 1, 1992, all children under the age of six must wear a Type I, II, or III personal flotation device (PFD) while on Florida waterways. The new state law applies to infants as well as small children who are passengers aboard all private and commercial boats less than 26 feet in length.

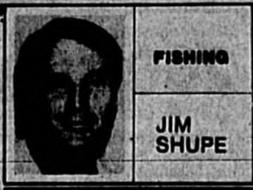
There are various types of personal flotation devices available to boaters and one or more will be appropriate under every situation.

Type I is described as an off-shore life jacket and has 22 pounds of buoyancy. This device is best for open, rough or remote water where rescue may be slow to arrive. It is recommended above others for the non-swimmer and will turn the unconscious victim face-up in the water.

Type II (near shore buoyant vest) is for calm, inland water, where rescue is imminent. This vest will turn many unconscious wearers face-up in the water.

Type III (flotation aid) is for calm, inland water or where there is a good chance of fast rescue. This vest is generally the most comfortable for continuous wear and allows freedom of movement for water skiing, fishing or other activities. It is not for rough water.

Type IV (throwable device) is for calm water with heavy boat traffic, where help is always nearby. These are a good back-up for a wearable PFD and some can be used as seat



FISHING
JIM SHUPE

anchor rope and anchor aboard. Should you break down, your boat could drift many miles and hinder rescue efforts if you were unable to anchor.

FISHING FORECAST

On the freshwater scene, expect good bass fishing in local lakes. River fishing will improve dramatically with lower water levels. Your best bet for aunker bass this time of year is to use large shiners for bait.

Sebastian Inlet snook fishing is slowing down to cooler temperatures. Large winter flounder are hitting finger mullet bounced slowly across the bottom, and bluefish are hitting in big numbers. Some nice seatrout are also making their winter appearance.

Captain Jack at Port Canaveral has little to report in the way of offshore action due to high seas. Inside the Port, expect good flounder fishing and plenty of small bluefish. Sheepshead are biting fiddler crabs and live shrimp fished around the many barnacle-encrusted pilings. Trout and redfish are rated as good in the Banana and Indian rivers.

Sheepshead and bluefish are keeping things active at Ponce Inlet. Just about anyone who wets a line is guaranteed to take something home. Flounder continue to hit finger mullet on the south side of the south jetty and back in the river. The south end of Mosquito Lagoon is still the hot spot for both redfish and trout.

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Soccer

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did not have to make a save to earn the shutout.

The junior varsity game also was a rout, Lake Mary winning 11-0.

Lake Mary (4-1-1 overall and 1-0-1 in the SAC) will play a tripleheader (freshmen, junior varsity and varsity) at Lake Brantley Wednesday. Seminole (0-3 and 0-2 in the conference) plays at New Smyrna Beach Monday.

OVIEDO 2, LAKE HOWELL 1
OVIEDO — Brad Franz and Jeff Daniels each scored a goal Friday night to lead the Oviedo Lions to a 2-1 win over the visiting Lake Howell Silver Hawks in a Seminole Athletic Conference boys soccer match played at Oviedo's John Courier

Field. Franz scored his goal on a direct kick while Daniels' score was set up by a through ball from Jeff Attia. Gomez scored Lake Howell's only goal on a penalty kick.

Oviedo outshot Lake Howell 21-10 and had a 5-3 advantage in corner kicks. Lion goalie Joe Schuyler came up with seven saves while Lake Howell keeper Danny Schuman made 12.

Now 6-0-1 overall and 2-0 in the SAC, Oviedo will play again Wednesday at Lyman. Lake Howell, 3-2-1 overall and 0-1-1 in the conference, will play Daytona Beach-Seabreeze on Monday.

LYMAN 4, LAKE BRANTLEY 0
ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Frank Cipolla netted a hat-trick Friday night, scoring three goals

as Lyman High School rolled to a 4-0 victory over the host Lake Brantley Patriots in a Seminole Athletic Conference boys' soccer game.

Mike Selles scored the other goal for the Greyhounds (5-0-1 overall, 1-0-1 in the SAC).

Lake Brantley fell to 0-1-1 in the conference.

Lyman took 14 shots to Lake Brantley's eight and had a 5-2 edge in corner kicks. Greyhound goalie Chris Lewis made five saves in recording the shutout while Patriot keeper Sean Seaver came up with six saves.

The Greyhounds, who were scheduled to play Gainesville on Saturday night, will host Oviedo this Wednesday night and Lake Howell on Friday night. Lake Brantley is at home against Lake Mary this Wednesday.

Jackson, Sinnott top honor roll

Special to the Herald

SANFORD — Usually, it's lonely at the top. But this week, two individuals share the seat atop the men's weekly honor roll at Bowl America-Sanford.

Bowling in the Bowl America Classic league, Dave Jackson and Curtis Sinnott each rolled series of 705. Bob Lake Jr. had the next best men's total in the Bowl America Classic and at Bowl America-Sanford for the week, compiling a 696.

Louise Beech posted the women's top series for the week, putting together a 549 during San Bank League play. Juanita Dycus trailed Beech among the San Bank women with a 543. Don German Sr. led the men with his 682 while Pat Johnson notched a 673.

Jimmy Roche led the Unprofessionals with a 654. Gene Rogers was seven pins back with his 647 effort while Pat Johnson and Bob

Lake Jr. shared third with their 627 marks. In the Beer: 90 City League, Bob Lake Sr. came in at 648. He was trailed by Bill Ausburn, who compiled a 636 total, and Bob Meyer, who rolled a 620.

Ray Westgaard put together a 530 to highlight the Wednesday Women's Handicap league. Clara James had a 493 while Sherrie Moore came in with a 489.

The Foreign Realty league was led by Terry Hints and Cathy McNabb. Hints leading the men with his 816 while McNabb topped the women with her 570. Steve Enders and Gloria Parrett trailed with totals of 601 and 544, respectively.

Rich Flander paced the men in the Thursday Night Mixed league, rolling a 591. Tim Waddle came in behind him with a 580. The top series among the women were registered by Joetta West, who compiled a 501, and Janell Spolaki.

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Business

IN BRIEF

BANKING

Meritor joins with First Union

JACKSONVILLE — First Union Corporation of Florida has acquired Meritor Savings FA, effective Dec. 3. Winter Haven-based Meritor Savings has 29 offices in Central Florida, and 15 in the metropolitan Washington, D.C. area with \$1.2 billion in assets as of Sept. 30, 1992.

According to Byron E. Hodnett, chairman and chief executive officer of First Union National Bank of Florida, "The acquisition of Meritor will strengthen First Union's presence in Central Florida, which includes five of the ten fastest growing counties in the state."

The five include Seminole County. "They are expected to continue to show strong population growth ranging from seven to 19 percent between 1991 and 1996," he said. "It's clear that Central Florida is poised for continued growth."

First Florida joins with Barnett

JACKSONVILLE — Barnett Banks, Inc., has completed its merger with First Florida Banks, Inc., as of the close of business Monday, Dec. 7.

First Florida shareholders will receive 1.42 shares of Barnett common stock for each of their First Florida shares, increasing Barnett's outstanding shares by 22.5 million.

The addition of First Florida's \$5.5 billion in assets makes Barnett the 17th largest banking company in the United States.

"We welcome First Florida's customers and look forward to providing the same quality service that they have enjoyed at First Florida," said Charles E. Rice, Barnett chairman and chief executive officer.

The merger will result in the closing of 78 First Florida offices and 20 Barnett offices whenever they are within a one mile distance of their counterparts, according to Tom Yochum, chairman of the merger task force. Although the list of changes includes banking establishments in Brevard, Orange, Osceola and Lake Counties, none of the changes will take place in Seminole County.

REAL ESTATE

Warranty deed growth

LAKE MARY — GulfAtlantic Title, with offices in Lake Mary and Longwood, posted record October warranty deed activity in Seminole and Orange counties to close out the year's first 10 months with \$181 million, according to figures compiled by Fidelity Title & Guarantee Company.

GulfAtlantic, Central Florida's largest title insurance agency with 17 offices in six counties, finished last year with a record \$221 million in warranty deed dollar volume. This year, through the first ten months, the company holds a commanding \$40 million lead over its closest pursuer.

According to President Dan Wallace, "We believe we have a realistic shot at either equalling or surpassing last year's totals." He continued, "The fact that we're less than \$5 million behind last year's pace is remarkable in itself when you consider that 1992 has not been favorable for the entire real estate industry."

Home buys lower

CENTRAL FLORIDA — The Florida Real Estate Report has issued third quarter reports on home buys in the Orlando Metropolitan Area which includes Sanford and all of Seminole County. The report indicates that the median sales prices of single-family existing homes sold by Realtors has declined by three percent since 1991. The prices for the first three quarters of 1991 were listed at \$90,200, while the 1992 figures were listed at \$87,300.

In comparison with the largest changes during that same time period, Tallahassee housing sales prices increased by 7 percent, housing prices in the Florida Keys increased by 24 percent, and the largest decrease was reported in Dixie-Gilchrist-Levy Counties, at a 38 percent lower level during this year.

Century 21 honored

OVIDO — Century 21 Ovido Realty was recently saluted by Century 21 of the Southeast, Inc., for their active participation in the Preferred Client Club during the month of August. The franchisee ranked among the top 80 offices nationally, based on new enrollments during the month.

RETAIL BUSINESS

Probe named top car

SANFORD — Motor Trend Magazine has announced that the Ford Probe GT has been selected as the 1993 Car of the Year. According to Ross Roberts, a Ford vice president and general manager, "The Probe was chosen from a field of 10 nominated cars, which competed in the magazine's 41st annual competition."

The Probe may be seen at Sanford area Ford dealers.

Sanford boasts 200 new jobs

By NICK PFEIFAU
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Dave Farr, executive director of the Greater Sanford Chamber of Commerce, has released the results of a recent study on the amount of industrial economic activity in the area. He based the study on chamber records and the Economic Development Commission of Mid-Florida.

"According to our combined information," Farr said, "over 200 jobs were added to the Sanford area from the last quarter of

1991 through the third quarter of 1992."

Farr listed the following local industries as having located in the Sanford area during the time period, along with the number of employees each has: Aero Products, 40; Jet Fleet, Int., 10; American Neurologix, 14; Thoroughbred Boats, 6; Florida Extruders, 50; Comtel Metals, 50; J&J Millwork, 8; and Clouckisa Beverage, 38.

Farr explained, "The Sanford Chamber conducts its economic activity in basically two ways. The first is contacting or

responding to contacts of prospective business firms. The second is to facilitate the improvement of the quality of life in the Sanford area."

He concluded, "Although the 200 new jobs have not entirely met the job demand, it has been an excellent accomplishment in a tough economy."

He told the members of the chamber's Executive Committee, "You should be proud of the accomplishments that have been made during your leadership term."

Houseboats offered for vacation rentals

By NICK PFEIFAU
Herald Staff Reporter

SANFORD — Utilizing the vast length of the St. Johns River and its many lakes, Forever Resorts, located at the Hidden Harbour Marina, Port of Sanford, is now offering houseboats for vacation rentals.

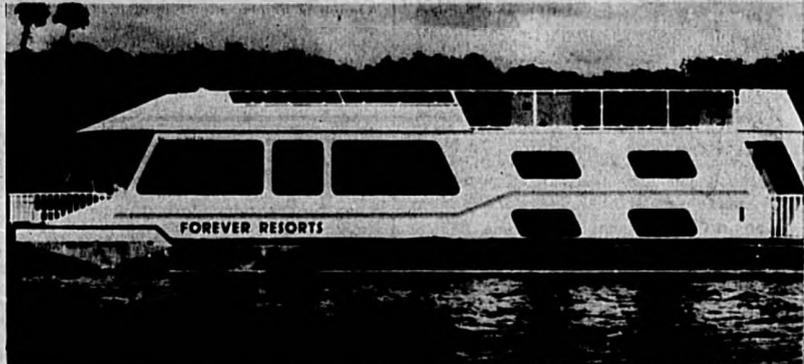
The 54 foot Forever-10 houseboat sleeps 10, and is equipped with all the luxuries of a home, including central heat, air conditioning, TV/VCR, stereo, and microwave.

The boats are manufactured by Fun Country Marine Industries, a division of Forever Resorts, in Muncie, Indiana. The corporate headquarters are in Pohnix, AZ.

According to Darla Cook, director of sales and marketing,

"The St. Johns River offers over 50 navigable miles of breathtaking lakes and green banks framed by Spanish moss, and covered with Cypress trees."

She continued, "The wildlife offers sightseers a glimpse of exotic birds, manatees and



The 54-foot Forever houseboat, now offered for vacation trips at Hidden Harbour Marina.

alligators, as well as the endangered bald eagle. Anglers can test their skills while attempting to catch one of the 118 species of fish that live in the unspoiled waters of the river."

A Forever Resorts spokesperson explained the

procedure. "When we are contacted for a reservation, we send out a video tape and book explaining all the features on the boat and how to operate them."

She continued, "Then, when you get ready to start your vacation, if you are not certain

about how to operate it, you are given a half hour to 45 minute orientation." She added, "In most cases, if a person is 21 years of age, has a valid driver's license, and is aware of the operation of this size craft shouldn't have any problems."

Gas prices level off after drop in autumn

By NICK PFEIFAU
Herald Staff Writer

HEATHROW — The recent seasonal drop in gas prices has leveled off across Florida, with the average price for self-serve regular unleaded holding steady at \$1.12, according to AAA headquarters in Heathrow.

Tom Schroder, manager of public affairs for AAA in Florida explained, "Gas prices this season have not dropped as dramatically as in past years. That may be due to a strong late summer tourist season that shows signs of continuing through the fall. With more cars on the road," he added, "demand for gas will go up, and that raises prices."

"Gas prices dropped by more than 3 cents between Sept. 1991 and Nov. 1991," he explained. "During the same time this year, prices have dropped by only .6 cents."

Although specific figures are

not available for Sanford and Seminole County areas, prices as of Nov. 16, 1992 have been listed by AAA for the Orlando area, of which Seminole County is a part.

The figures indicate prices of regular unleaded averaged \$1.48 per gallon; mid-grade unleaded at \$1.289; and premium unleaded at \$1.34.

For the premium unleaded, the only areas where prices were listed as higher on Nov. 16 were Bradenton, Cocoa, Daytona Beach, Gainesville, and Tallahassee.

The lowest prices for premium unleaded in the state according to AAA figures were \$1.273 in Port Richey, with St. Petersburg second at \$1.299 per gallon.

Prices in most cases for full service gasoline were approximately 20 to 30 cents more per gallon.



MACCO award

Longwood Center co-owner Chuck Magraw, right, has been awarded the coveted MACCO Cup for the Southeast Region. Presenting the award was Dave Lapps, national director of operations for MACCO.

MACCO is an auto painting franchise located at 735 North Highway 17-82 in Longwood for the past seven years. Magraw's firm achieved sales of more than \$1 million, placing it among the top 10 percent of the 67 centers in the district. In all, MACCO, the world's largest auto painting and bodywork chain, has 440 centers throughout North America.

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People

IN BRIEF

DISTINCTIONS



Warrant Officer Michael J. Savarece

In flight training

LAKE MARY — Michael J. Savarece, a 1988 graduate of Lake Brantley High School, has recently completed Warrant Officer Training School at Fort Rucker, Ala. He is presently in the flight program at the Army Aviation Center at Fort Rucker where he is in training as a helicopter pilot.

Savarece is the son of Ann Savarece of Lake Mary and the late Ray Savarece. He is the grandson of Liz Johns of Lake Mary.



Shera Wynn

Dazzler of the Week

SANFORD — Shera Wynn, a ninth grader at Seminole High School, has been named Dazzler of the Week by her teammates of the Dazzler Dance Team of Seminole High School.

Daughter of Gail Ellis, Shera is in her first year on the team. She has been cited for promoting goodwill among the team and school community.

Shera said, "As a dazzler, I have earned discipline, responsibility, team work and that in order to achieve something, I must work for it."

She added, "My goals are to graduate from high school and go to college to major in business administration."

VFW names speech winners

WINTER SPRINGS — VFW Post 5405 and its auxiliary recently hosted a speech contest for Lake Howell High School students as part of the national "Voice of Democracy" contest.

Five winners were announced. The top winner, John Darnell, will be entered in the District 18 competition.

The other top finishers were Lindsey Weaver, Ben Wiant, Jenny Lehn and Mike Rich.

There will be an awards program and buffet for the students at the post on Wednesday, Dec. 16. The program is open to the public.

Hot dogs for hospital

The Sanford Elks Lodge is manning a hot dog and soft drink stand in front of the Sanford Wal-Mart, Seminole Centre, during the holidays. It is open on Saturdays and Sundays until Christmas.

Proceeds, to be matched by Wal-Mart, will go to the Florida Elks Children Hospital in Umatilla.

'Wonderful experience'

Reign comes to a close as Miss St. Lucia 1991 bows out

By ED KORAN
Herald Correspondent

A third generation Seminole High School graduate has come into her own.

Nancy Terwilliger, 21, is a sixth generation resident of Seminole County. Her lineage dates back to one of the very first settlers in this county.

Nancy tells the story: "French Avenue is named after one of my great-great-great grandfathers. He came over on a steamboat and landed at Lake Monroe. Seth French got on a horse and rode off to find the highest hill in Sanford and that is where he built his house. Sanford Middle is now located there and that is where the old Seminole High School used to be."

She is a graduate of Seminole High School with a 4.25 GPA and valedictorian of her class. During her years at Seminole she was very active in many clubs and organizations, including captain of the varsity cheerleader squad.

Her humility is obvious. She exclaimed, "I have been very blessed and very lucky. I have a family that supports me. I am a perfectionist. I strive for perfection in everything I do and I always try to be the best in anything I undertake."

As a student at University of Central Florida she has completed four years of college in three years. At the present time she is working on her master's degree in business. Although she majored in accounting she felt she could be more flexible if she majored in business administration.

The course schedule at UCF is tough. Nancy received A's in all her classes except one. She explained, "It was my senior semester and I got my report card in the mail. It was the day of Christmas Eve. I love holidays. Every holiday I love, but especially Christmas, not so much the giving but the decorating of the tree and we have a tradition in my family when everyone comes to the house on Christmas Eve we give out a little hot cider. So, anyway, I got my report card. I opened it up and I was a little bit afraid I had gotten a

"B" and I did. I cried! It was in Accounting Information Systems. It was a really tough course — a computer course that dealt with putting computerized accounting systems into different companies. It was a hard course and if I had to get a "B", I guess that was a good one to get it in. Well, anyway I just looked around for my cat, Spitfire, picked her up and went out on the porch and cried. My cat is so wonderful, she just sensed my disappointment and laid in my arms through the whole ordeal."

Although she lives at UCF, Nancy is home with her parents, Linda and Jim Terwilliger, almost every weekend. She explained, "I have a boyfriend and so I come home. I come home to see my family and I guess I am a Momma's and Daddy's girl. I am also very active in my church. That is why I wanted to go to college close by so that I could come back to Sanford frequently."

At the First United Methodist Church, she is on two committees. One is the pastor-parish committee, a committee that deals with keeping things cohesive between the minister and the congregation and working with the church staff and the problems that come up. Starting in January she will be on a committee called Division 2000 which is in charge of long range planning for the church and ideas that the church would want to accomplish by the year 2000. She has grown up in the church and taken on many different responsibilities including teaching Bible classes.

Nancy explained her motivation, "I am a real strong Christian and I think that a large part of why I have accomplished what I have is because the Lord has really helped me a lot."

She continued, "I have real strong values and morals, and that comes a lot from my family. Even in high school I was very popular and very much in with the in-crowd, but yet I still stood up for what I believed in."

She is a former St. Lucia of the St. Lucia Festival. "I came home for Thanksgiving last year and my mother told me about the festival. I decided to go ahead and apply for it.



Herald Photo by Ed Koran

Nancy Terwilliger has had an exciting year

One of the reasons I did it was because I have a real strong love for Sanford. It was a wonderful experience." She continued, "It was really neat, the ride on the Viking boat."

"The Vikings were a little bit late in getting there. They got dressed and they put on their big hats and

coats. They were so nice to me. They gave me a cushion to sit on so I would be comfortable. I was used to the marina because my father has a boat. I sat down and they started rowing. It is really a very neat experience and I really enjoyed

□ See St. Lucia, Page 7B



Herald Photo by Ed Koran

Sica Nacu relaxes in her Sanford home.

Going back

Romania has not changed too much since family left

By ED KORAN
Herald Correspondent

SANFORD — A Romanian woman revisited her homeland after living in the United States for seven years.

"The situation has not changed much since we left," stated Sica Nacu, a Sanford resident on her return from a recent trip to her old country, Romania. Nacu and her husband settled in Sanford five years ago after clearing through customs and all the paperwork that goes with immigrating to this country.

"My husband escaped through the Iron Curtain," she related. "He escaped by himself. I couldn't have walked through hills, swamps and woods for 60 days in a row to get to Greece. So a year-and-a-half later I followed him after going through all the paperwork to immigrate from the country. It wasn't too easy to get out of there legally but I finally made it."

The escape was planned for years because no approval could be obtained for either one of them to leave Romania. They had given up their shop by the time the escape was executed because it would have been confiscated by the government when her husband disappeared.

She owned a duty-free shop in a town called Constana. It is located on the Black Sea. Because of the duty-free shop, they were checked on constantly by the security police. Nacu related, "Because of the duty-free shop I was exposed to being searched every minute of the day and night, because having the duty-free shop means you deal with just foreign people. So everything, you name it, was bugged, including my telephone. I had no freedom for nine years."

One of Romania's most prominent citizens was a little girl named Nadia Comaneci. Everyone remembers the joy she gave the world when she scored

□ See Romania, Page 6B



Irene and Roy Brown

Irene and Roy Brown mark 50th wedding anniversary

SANFORD — The winds of World War II were raging full force when Irene and Roy Brown exchanged their wedding vows — the wedding that nearly everyone said would not last.

But it did last and has survived for 50 years. In fact, the marriage had such an impact on their lives that they reaffirmed their vows Dec. 5, at the Congregational Christian Church in the presence of about 75 relatives and guests.

Pastor Tom Tkachuk officiated at the ceremony and joined Cindy Strickland in singing "The Wedding Song." The couple's son, Dennie Brown, Lake Mary, and their daughter, Laura Vinson, Palm Bay, gave their parents away. Their granddaughters, Brionne Vinson, 11, and Rishelle Vinson, 12, were also in attendance.



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"We were more nervous this time when we came down the aisle than we were at our original marriage," Irene said. "But we will never forget this occasion — ever."

For the occasion, Irene chose a pale platinum dress with reembodyered Alecon lace highlighting the neckline and shoulders. She wore pearl jewelry and a white wrist corsage. Roy wore a white boutonniere in

the lapel of his jacket. Following the church ceremony, the guests of honor and congregation arrived at the Lake Mary Community Center for a reception. Upon entering, a table displayed photos and other memorabilia from the couple's 50-year marriage.

A keepsake scrapbook from photos and mementoes provided by friends, was also on display.

The reception area was gaily decorated in the Christmas motif combined with golden wedding anniversary decorations. The couple and their children sat at the head table, opened gifts and reminisced as they read congratulatory cards.

Their daughter-in-law, Cindy Brown, made the beautifully embossed tiered wedding cake.

□ See Dietrich, Page 6B

ENGAGEMENT



Karen Sue Wyngarden, Carlton David Henley Jr.

Wyngarden-Henley

WINTER SPRINGS — Mrs. Lorraine E. Wyngarden of Winter Springs announces the engagement of her daughter, Karen Sue, to Carlton David Henley Jr., son of Carlton and Peggy Henley of Lake Mary. Miss Wyngarden is the daughter of the late Mr. Richard I. Wyngarden.

Born in Bradenton, the bride-elect is a 1981 graduate of Lyman High School, Longwood. She received a bachelor of science degree in health education in May 1986 from the University of Florida, Gainesville, and earned a MBA in December 1991 from the

University of Central Florida, Orlando.

Miss Wyngarden is a pharmaceutical sales representative.

Her fiancé, born in Sanford, is a 1981 graduate of Lyman High School. In December 1986, Henley received a bachelor of science degree in computer information services from the University of Florida and earned an MBA from Rollins College, Winter Park in May 1992. He is an information technology consultant.

The wedding will be an event of March 27, 1993, 7 p.m., First Presbyterian Church of Maitland, Maitland.



Kristin Michelle Kinley and Brian C. Yarosh

Kinley-Yarosh

WINTER SPRINGS — Patrick Kinley of Winter Springs and Rosanne Zwicker of Naples are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Kristin Michelle, to Brian Christopher Yarosh, son of Ronald and Judith Yarosh of Winter Springs.

Born in Cleveland, Ohio, the bride-elect is the maternal granddaughter of Carmen and Genevieve Izzo, N. Kingsville, Ohio, and the paternal granddaughter of Mrs. Elms Kinley of Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

Miss Kinley is a 1986 graduate of Riverview High School, Sarasota, where she was a participant in the marching band and art studies. She currently attends Seminole Community College majoring in art. Miss Kinley is presently

employed as traffic clerk for Seminole County.

Her fiancé, born in Chicopee, Mass., is the maternal grandson of Jack Loudon of Holyoke, Mass. and the paternal grandson of Mrs. Martha Yarosh of Dickson City, Pa. Yarosh is a 1986 graduate of Lake Howell High School, Winter Park where he participated in music. He attends Seminole Community College where he is a member of the community chorus. Yarosh is currently employed as a systems engineer-computer consultant for OCS Consulting, Orlando.

The wedding will be an event of Feb. 6, 1993, at 1 p.m., at First Congregational Church, Winter Park.

LaSertoma celebrates season

The Greater Seminole LaSertoma celebrated the holidays by taking a guest to the Christmas luncheon at the Deltona Inn. The members who joined in 1992 were presented roses by President Judith Durdik and Judith then read the story of Virginia's letter to the Chicago Sun. The members of LaSertoma shared their favorite Christmas memories and Santa, Marilyn Armstrong, distributed the Secret Pal Christmas gifts and gifts for the guests.

The luncheon also served as a planning meeting for a fashion show planned for May 1 at Heathrow Country club. The fashion show starts at 11 a.m. and members of LaSertoma will model fashions from Gayfers. Tickets are \$20 and proceeds will be given to Camp Endeavor and Marie Taylor's Needy Children's Fund. Camp Endeavor is a summer camp for hearing impaired children. Interested parties can purchase tickets by calling Mary Sciuto at (407) 333-4470. The LaSertoma members also sold sodas in one of the vendor booths during the Longwood Christmas parade.

50th birthday observed
A surprise 50th birthday party



LONGWOOD
MIRANDA MALIBORSKI

was given by Betty Pearl for her husband, Longwood Commissioner Fred Pearl. There were approximately 45 people who helped Fred celebrate his birthday including Fred and Betty's daughters, Judi, Marci, Jessica, Hayley, and Erica. The birthday cake was shaped as a Social Security card and the guests were treated to chili and chicken. The party was catered by Lisa Spak.

Autograph party

Author Riki Lipe was signing autographs at the Culinary Cottage for her book "The Secret of Ricena's Pond." Riki is an impressionist artist who prefers using oils and is also the illustrator of the book. "The Secret of Ricena's Pond" was

inspired by the arrival of Riki's first grandchild and introduces her granddaughter to the members of the family by way of an ageless fairytale. The book is published by Hoot 'N' Crackle Press. A second book is already being planned and is expected to be published sometime next year. The second book will also be narrated on tape.

Riki has also been visiting elementary schools in her hometown of Springfield, Mo. to encourage children to use their



Betty and Fred Pearl

creative talents. While in the area she was invited to visit a third grade class at Aloma Elementary School. Of the classes she teaches, Riki says she "wishes to bring the kid out" of her students including her adult students.

4-H Christmas party

The second annual Christmas Party for the Bridle Brats 4-H group was Saturday, Dec. 12. The 4-H group meets at Springdale Farms and each member's project is to learn the responsibilities and care of horses.

Prize for decorating

The holiday spirit continues to show in Longwood. Lynda Kane, president of Shadow Hills Homeowner's Association, reports that the association will be giving a monetary prize for the three best decorated homes in their area.

Miranda Maliborski is a Sanford Herald correspondent covering the Longwood news. Phone: 690-0790.

Dietrich

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and Buck's catered the bountiful buffet.

Married Dec. 15, 1942 in Cleveland, Ohio, Roy was in the Army and Irene moved with him as orders were issued. He eventually ended up as a flight engineer with the Eighth Air Force in England. Although he was prepared for war in the Pacific, Irene said the service brought him home for further training, but Japan surrendered before he had to ship out.

The couple moved back to Cleveland after the war and later moved to California following Roy's parents who had previously moved there.

Their son was born at Torrance in 1948 and their daughter was born in September, 1954.

In 1960 Roy was working for Douglas Aircraft when a crew was sent to Sanford Naval Air Station to work on aircraft at the base, Irene said. "He hated being a bachelor and threatened if I didn't quit my job at Douglas, he

was coming home."

In early 1961, the family moved to Sanford and Irene said, "We have been happy since." They have lived in their present home since 1962.

Roy was employed as A Duda and Son's until an industrial injury to his head forced his retirement.

Irene started her banking career as a secretary and worked herself up through the ranks to branch manager when she retired.

The Browns have enjoyed their retirement. Roy spends his days puttering around their home and grounds, Irene said, and keeping things in top repair. He also carves tikis for friends, fishes a lot, and helps at the Sanford Christian Center.

Irene is the director of the sharing center, sings with the Sanford Woman's Club Chorus, plays the organ at her church and directs the choir, gardens, plays golf and is pursuing a second career in writing

children's literature. She has two stories committed for early 1993 and has a story about Down's syndrome children to be published this month.

What is the most important thing Irene has learned in these 50 years?

"I don't always have to be right," she said.

She added, "Roy has learned to be more flexible, to enjoy the moment and the little things of life. We both know that it takes two working hard to make a successful marriage."

Out-of-town guests included Irene's brother, Rudy Koragaard, and wife Gloria, Hudson, Ohio; brother, Wally Koragaard and wife Grete, Falls Church, Va.; and sister, Anna Sullivan and husband, Bernard, Ridge Manor.

Retired teachers feted

The Seminole County Retired Educators Association hosted a reception for teachers who retired during 1992. The reception

was held at Howell Place on Tuesday, Dec. 8.

According to Al Duxbury, treasurer, about 75 teachers retired during the year and 35 showed up for the reception which was actually a social gathering. All of the retired teachers have been invited to join the association.

There are 123 members in the organization. Other officers are: Kathryn Alexander, president; Walter Curry, vice president; Eliza Pringle, recording secretary; and Ruth Carlton, corresponding secretary.

Daughter visits

Shirley Simas and her daughter, Rita Simas, from Manhattan Beach, Calif., played bridge in the National Bridge Tournament recently in Orlando. Rita captured the third place honors.

While here, the family celebrated Shirley's birthday Dec. 2 and her daughter Rosemary Fowler's birthday on Dec. 3.

Romania

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the 10s in the Olympics. Nacu remembers the excitement that existed over Comaneci's accomplishments. But, she continued, when Comaneci returned to her native land, "she became like a little toy to the dictator. She was watched 24 hours a day. She was tormented constantly until she finally got permission to leave the country."

Romania is located in southeast central Europe east of the former country Yugoslavia, which is in the news everyday under one of its current names Roesia, north of Bulgaria and on the southwestern border of what once was the Soviet Union. This

small country has huge deposits of oil, natural gas, coal, iron ore and many other minerals.

When they returned to Romania they could sense the tension that prevailed over the problems in Bosnia. Some of the tension seemed to be spreading to Romania. Nacu stated, "The current government is dictatorial and has continued to follow a policy that was started by the communists in the past years."

"The state has been left in shambles by the departure of the Communist Party. That system of government could never produce enough to supply the demand for almost all the goods. Nica said.

She added, "There is not enough food of any type to feed the people. There is a big shortage of fuel to run the cars and trucks. You would even have problems finding oil to burn in a heater. Everything is in short supply. My family used to own a lot of land, but when the communists took over they took the land. Since the revolution my family has gotten back most of their land but now there is not enough machinery to work the land. So it is just sitting there. In the future there will be another revolution to remove this government from power and replace it with a government that believes in individual freedoms."

Nacu has now opened up an antique mall in Sanford. It is filled with many small knick-knacks and many antique items. In the future, she and her husband plan to restore some of the older homes in Sanford. They are now working on a home that has been vacant for a long time that they would like to use as a bed and breakfast home for a few months in the year.

Nacu fondly remembers her trip back to her homeland, but worries over the unrest that still exists in many parts of Europe. She remarked, "It is my hope that someday in the future the proud people of Europe can finally achieve the freedom I have found living in the U.S."

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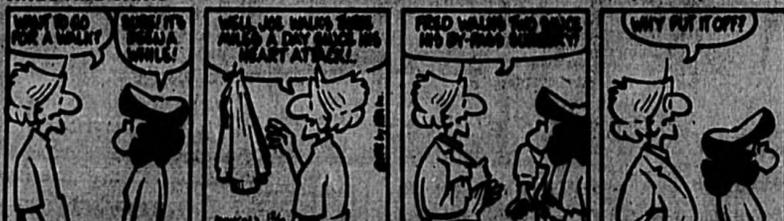


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HOROSCOPE

By Bernice Bode Oost YOUR BIRTHDAY Dec. 18, 1992

Two situations that you believe in and devoted considerable time, talent and resources to should not be discarded in the year ahead. Changes that could prove fruitful are in the offing.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You might pass up a good idea or suggestion today just because you have no respect for the author. Remember, out of the mouths of babes occasionally comes wisdom.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) An old obligation to a friend you have never taken care of might vie for your attention today. This is a situation that could fester if it continues to go unresolved.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Things might not run smoothly today between you and your mate. Unfortunately, the finger of blame might be focused on you rather than him or her.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Be careful today that you do not take on more assignments and responsibilities than you can effectively manage. If you attempt too much, there's a chance that nothing will get finished.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You could be rather uncomfortable today with groups or cliques of individuals whom you have nothing in common with. Consider who might be on the guest list before accepting an invitation.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Something annoying might occur outside of the house today. You must be careful not to bring your frustrations home and take them out on family members.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Usually you're a fairly optimistic individual, but today your visceral reactions to most things could be unduly negative. Take off the gloomy glasses and let the sunshine in.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) It could be wise at this time not to burden yourself with any new, long-term financial obligations. Try to clear up the old ones first.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Companions might do things to

ACROSS

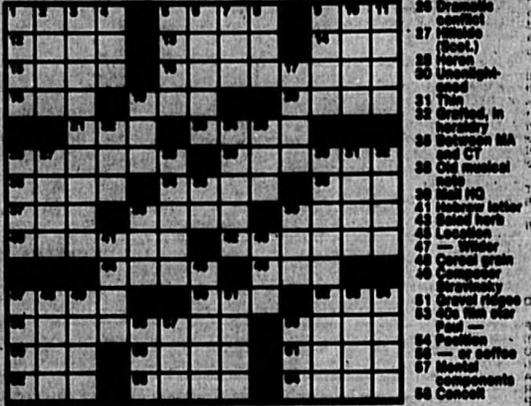
- Wide smile
- Grin
- TV network
- Facilitate
- Corn plant
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- Petroleum
- City in Oklahoma
- Become state
- Francisco
- Scholarship
- Cut off
- Academic
- hemp rope
- Seas payment from
- Erudite
- Light to direction
- Metric weight
- Food (n.)
- Peas
- Construction
- Western hemisphere
- Swarm

DOWN

- Flying creature
- Curtain
- Worm
- Conscience
- Aircraft, e.g.
- Flank
- Bill and —
- British Navy observation
- Trout
- Needle case
- Sp.
- Novelist
- Farber
- Strenuously (adv.)
- Joseph's son
- Dog in cartoon

Answers to Previous Puzzles

1. Condon	9. Vape
2. Sinks	10. Suck
3. Romantic	11. Uncovered
4. Support	12. Vase
5. Appraised	13. Profit on
6. Author —	14. Bank acct.
7. Levin	15. (Bank, there-)
8. Food additive (abbr.)	16. Customary
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hinder your progress today if they think you're taking them for granted. Make those whom you're involved with feel important.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Others might be more successful today at shifting their burdens onto you than you will be in trying to shift yours onto them. This is not the time to attempt to trade off work loads.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) An endeavor that you are enthusiastic about today should not be discussed with a friend who lacks imagination. His or her counsel could be negative rather than constructive.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Your probabilities for fulfilling your ambitions look good today, provided you don't do everything the hard way. Circumvent obstacles, don't create them.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) In order to accomplish your ambitious objectives today, you'll use your wit and charm. But in emotional relationships, this gift might desert you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Someone with whom you're closely affiliated will be annoyed today if he or she thinks you're not telling all you know. Don't hold back pertinent facts from confidants.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) A person or firm with whom you've been doing business over an extended period of time might take you for granted today. If you think something isn't being handled correctly, speak up.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Usually you're the person who strives to do all the right things in order to keep a valued relationship running smoothly. Today, however, the frequent offender might be more thoughtful than you.

By Bernice Bode Oost YOUR BIRTHDAY Dec. 14, 1993

Your experiences from the past, both bitter and sweet, will be put to advantageous uses in the year ahead. You are a good student who will profit from your lessons.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Keep information pertaining to your finances to yourself today. There's a chance that you might talk to someone devious who will later use this knowledge against you. Major changes are ahead for Sagittarius in the coming year. Send for Sagittarius' Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-9428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You should prove a capable manager today where your personal interests are concerned, but these skills might not be as effective if you attempt to handle matters for someone else.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)

Even though your basic inclinations will urge you to treat others generously today, you're likely to back off the moment that you sense someone is taking advantage of you.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Don't get involved in unproductive game-playing today with a co-worker, because each of you might try to outmaneuver the other for some type of personal advantage.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Stay in familiar territory today, because your success might come in areas where you have been previously lucky. Forays into the unknown could backfire.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Stick to your ideals and standards today, even if associates operate on a different level. Let your example influence them, but don't let them influence you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Your perceptions regarding the way things should be done today will be effective, but when it comes time to implement them, you might have memory loss.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

By Phillip Alder

David Bird writes not only about the monks from the St. Titus monastery, but also about Brother Luke and Brother Tobias, who have been sent to Africa to convert the Borwambi tribe to Acol, the English bidding system.

One third of Bird's latest book, "Doubled and Venerable" (\$15.95, Gollancs, 212-968-5800), is given over to the jungle bridge. There are several excellent players in the Borwambi tribe, but arguably the best is the Parrot, who has to have his cards placed in a wooden rack.

Today's deal from the book features this ornithological oddity.

West started with the ace and another spade. The Parrot ruffed in the dummy and led the heart queen, getting first the bad news (the 5-0 split), then the good

(West didn't have another spade to lead). Back came the diamond two: eight, jack, queen. Declarer finessed dummy's heart nine, cashed the heart ace, unblocked the A-K of diamonds and played clubs from the top. When West ruffed the club queen, she was left with the heart 10 and diamond nine. The Parrot still held the heart jack and diamond 10. Four hearts bid and made.

The kibitzers applauded. While the Parrot took a bow, someone said, "Rara avis in terris nigroque simillimo cygno."

"What did you say?" asked the Parrot.

"Words of admiration, I assure you. It was Latin, actually."

"I know that!" squawked the Parrot. "It should be simillimo, not simillimo; feminine to agree with avis. It's a hexagram, meaning 'a rare bird on this earth, like a black swan.'"

NORTH ♠-6-4
♥-A-Q-10
♦-A-K-8
♣-A-K-Q-9-2

WEST ♠-A-8
♥-K-A-7-3
♦-9-7-5-2
♣-6-5

EAST ♠-Q-J-10-7-6-5
♥-7-6-5-4-3-2
♦-J-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1
♣-J-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

SOUTH ♠-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1
♥-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1
♦-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1
♣-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: North

South	West	North	East
30	20	20	30
Pen 30	Pen 20	Pen 20	Pen 30

Opening lead: ♠A

ANNIE



by Leonard Starr

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Education

IN BRIEF

Goldsboro top students named

SANFORD — Goldsboro Elementary School recently named their students and citizens of the month.

The students of the month were Isiah Rouse, Justin Jean, Christi Johnson, Levi Gilb, Sharday Britt, Anthony Burgess, Andrea Kincaid, Dallas Williams and Terry Nutt.

Also Aniquette Knight, Javier Perez, Durran Daniels, Latressa Haws, Victoria Smith, Nicholas Nelms, Karryn Easley, Dwayne Brown, Chartara Stevens and Timothy Kallenbach.

As well as Toby Nelms, Toquoya Murray, Terrance Green and Thomas Lynch.

The citizens of the month were Jamila Chavanne, Heather Muse, Antaous Schembri, Sarah Kinnaird, Kyle Ricker, Dominique Gathers, Mashenna Scott and Christina Brown.

Also, Angie Garma, Angie Rainy, O'Shaneka Perry, Jennifer Thomas, Shaponica Jones, Barbara Gray, Jimmy Reberta, Crystal Stevens, Wesley Dellafield and Ricardo Acebedo.

As well as Axel Lucca, Lashalonda Rouse, Christian Morales, Tanya Pennington, Cassandra Hayes and Essence Watdo.

Hamilton students are helpful

SANFORD — In the spirit of the holidays the Hamilton Elementary School faculty, staff, students and parents are conducting a canned food drive.

The faculty and staff are also contributing to a fund for the Marie Taylor Needy Childrens Fund and for three Hamilton families who otherwise could not afford gifts.

The first grade teachers also took their students to the RSVP Christmas Store so the students could purchase inexpensive gifts for their family members.

Lyman first in regional brain bowl

LONGWOOD — Lyman High School's Beta Alpha Delta Club has won first place in the regional University of Central Florida's McKnight Center for Excellence Black History and Cultural Brain Bowl.

The region is comprised of all high schools in Orange, Lake and Seminole Counties.

They will compete in the state meet soon.

The members of the team are La Tasha Thomas and David Robinson (co-captains), Kyle Gaines, Denise Leak, Aundrie Cosby, Paul Snead and Ben Moon.

Geneva PTA meeting planned

GENEVA — The next PTA meeting for Geneva Elementary School will be on Tuesday, Dec. 15 at 7 p.m.

The general meeting will be followed by a program entitled "Traditions Around the World."

The program will be presented by the second graders at the school.

For more information, call the school 349-5152.

Sanford Middle spreads cheer

SANFORD — Sanford Middle School will be providing holiday music for residents at the Lakeview Nursing Home and the Good Samaritan Home in Sanford of Friday, Dec. 18.

A brass ensemble will perform at Lakeview Nursing Home at 10:30 a.m. and at Good Samaritan at 12:30 p.m.

The ensemble is comprised of students Erik Johnson, Melissa Salvatore, Kevin Stallworth and Andy Tylanda, band director Jack Bacon and campus resource officer Mike Taylor.

Pine Crest students make world

By VICKI DeSORMIER
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — The students at Pine Crest Elementary School in Sanford were touched by the problems faced by the people in south Florida whose lives were devastated by Hurricane Andrew last summer.

When they found that Pine Crest Elementary School in Miami was nearly destroyed by the hurricane, they made the school their sister school and have gathered in supplies, both for school and for home, and has sent them south on a regular basis.

So when the Sanford school's fifth graders decided to enter a globe-making contest that was sponsored by *National Geographic* magazine, their friends in Miami were eager to help.

Teacher Brian Sackett said they thought an interesting way to tie the project together was to use items that were used as an aftermath of the hurricane devastation.

"The body of the globe was made out of a big blue tarp that had been used to cover someone's house after the roof was blown off," Sackett explained. "The thing was about 20 feet by 80 feet."

The students cut the tarp into strips and fashioned the shell of the globe from the strips and sewed them together with the ropes that had been used to hold the tarp in place over the house.

The continents were cut from dark screens that had once been a part of a south Florida resident's screened porch.

The finished globe was big enough for the 165 students who built it to stand around it.

"It was huge," Sackett said. The heavy rains of a few weeks ago made the globe into a soggy mess, but photos were sent to *National Geographic* as entries into the contest.

If the Pine Crest students in Sanford win, they will split their \$1,000 prize with the students at Pine Crest in Miami.

They hope to hear the results of the contest before the end of the school year.

Know Your School:

Greenwood Lakes Middle School

School serves many needs



Ted Barker

At a glance

Address: 601 Lake Park Dr., Lake Mary, Florida 32748
Phone: 321-7560
Principal: Ted Barker
Enrollment: 1,520
Teachers: 75
School opened: 1988
Mascot: Eagle
Colors: Blue and Gray

their work." Barker said the student body at the school is

diverse and there are many students with special needs.

"We have something for everyone," he said.

There are special programs at the school for trainable and profoundly mentally handicapped students, for hearing impaired students and for visually impaired students. In addition, there are other programs for students with severe learning disabilities and for gifted students.

Often the 200 gifted students are paired with the students in the other special needs programs to the benefit of both.

Barker said that he has a lot of support from both the community and the parents at the school.

"Our PTA and our School Advisory Committee are second to none," he said.



The student council at Greenwood Lakes has MacLeay, treasurer Monique Collins and good time while they work on helping to improve the school. President Kelli Kimpton, vice president Kriston Joyner, secretary Sherri

High school report

Seminole



Matt Freeman, senior



Winter sports swing into "high gear"

SANFORD — In Florida, the winters do not get very cold, especially so far this year, so the climate makes it perfect for spectators to watch winter sports such as basketball, wrestling and soccer.

Even though basketball and wrestling are held indoors, there is nothing more invigorating than escaping the brisk winter air by entering a warm, heated gym and watching high school athletes produce great performances.

At Seminole, the boys' basketball and soccer teams have swung into high gear while the wrestling team has been a great surprise.

The Seminole soccer team has something to prove to the rest of Seminole County. That is, they're tired of being dominated by the bigger powerhouse soccer schools. Playing in a conference that consists of a couple of top-ranked teams in the state (Lyman and Lake Mary), is not easy.

The team has not win in almost two years and has had problems scoring goals.

"our coach is trying to put 11 players together who can produce some goals," goalie Jon Williams noted.

Williams, considered the best goalie in the conference and maybe in Central Florida, is switching roles as a goalie and a midfielder in order to act as a catalyst and produce some goals.

The team's philosophy is if they are patient and play through the frustration, they will break the string of losses they have accumulated.

Air Force One, the Seminole's boys' basketball team, is in a rebuilding stage this year.

Travis Perkins, the only senior, has combined with juniors Deon Daniels and Matt Parker to make up the nucleus of the team.

The 1992-93 Seminole wrestling team is a glimpse of the future.

Under new coach Bill Caughell, the team uses an aggressive style which creates a lively and sometimes short match that usually ends with the opponent getting pinned.

Enrollment down at state schools

TALLAHASSEE — Six of Florida's nine public universities have fallen behind their enrollment projections and stand to lose substantial tuition, fees and state funds, according to a new state report.

Spending by Florida's state universities is based on enrollment. If the number of students falls more than 5 percent below a university's projection, the university forfeits a share of its state funding.

The schools could make up their tuition deficits by recruiting a larger-than-normal number of students for spring semester.

Lower-than-expected tuition income could force the University of South Florida to cut \$3 million from its budget. Florida State University stands to lose \$2.7 million, and the University of West Florida could lose nearly \$1.4 million, according to the report released to university presidents Wednesday.

Schools facing smaller losses include the University of Central Florida with \$339,000, Florida International University with \$219,000 and North Florida with \$32,000.

University system Chancellor Charles Reed called the enrollment drops "the echo of cutting \$165 million" from university budgets in 1990 and 1991. Universities lost 487 faculty positions and had to cut back sharply in the number of part-time instructors. With fewer teachers, universities had to offer fewer classes.

The university system has 2.35 percent fewer full-time students than the 109,000 the Legislature provided for in the state budget.

Board of Regents spokesman Patrick Riordan said it is not easy to estimate enrollment from one year to the next. "The admissions process is not a pinpoint scientific operation," he said.

The University of Florida, Florida A&M University and Florida Atlantic University were on target with their enrollment estimates, the report said.

Editor's Note: The Lake Mary High School Report will return next week.



Herald Photo by Richard Hopkins

Col. Charles Gibson, director of the Jr ROTC program at Seminole High School, recently presented an award to SMSGT Toby Olvera with an award from the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge for his essay on the subject of the price of liberty.

Seminole County School Board

What's for lunch?

Monday, Dec. 14, 1992

Pizza
Tri-lators
Cole Slaw
Plum Crisp
Milk

Tuesday, Dec. 15, 1992

Chicken Fried Steak on a bun
Baby Carrots
Tossed Salad
Scalloped Potatoes
Milk

Wednesday, Dec. 16, 1992

HOLIDAY MEAL

Sliced Turkey with Gravy
Whipped Potatoes
Seasoned Green Beans
Cranberry Sauce
School Roll
Holiday Cake
Milk

Thursday, Dec. 17, 1992

Hot Dogs on a Bun
Boston Baked Beans
Garden Salad
Pineapple Lime Jello
Milk

Friday, Dec. 18, 1992

Manager's Choice
Milk



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WOW?

Youngsters at Pine Crest Elementary School were enthralled by the antics of bubbleologist Jodi Testa recently.