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##### Black, orange hit the field

SANFORD — Under the threat of thunderstorms, Seminole High School played its Black and Orange Football game. Both sides played well and were able to keep mistakes to a minimum but the defenses were ahead of the offenses.

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#### People

##### Smith celebrates 90th birthday

SANFORD — The gracious matriarch of the Sanford civil and cultural community, Charlotte Meeds Smith, has hobnobbed with a host of luminaries on the homefront and in her travels abroad.

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##### A line of luxury

SANFORD — They are adding a bus conversion operation that will turn Canadian built busses into plush motor homes in the half-million dollar price range at Rex-Meyer Yachts in Sanford.

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##### Officials join hoopla

ORLANDO — An Armed Forces Day celebration at Universal Studios Florida brought Defense Secretary Dick Cheney and Gov. Lawton Chiles as its top attractions Saturday.

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##### Risk factors of heart disease

Clinical and statistical studies show the more risk factors present the greater the chances a person will develop heart disease.

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### BRIEFS

#### Roadwork in Seminole

Here's a list of Seminole County road projects scheduled to begin this week:

●Roseberry Lane, Sanford — paving a dirt road. \$67,000, financed by Community Development Block Grant program. Completion date: May 31.

●Markham Road, west of Interstate 4 — reconstruction of existing road to 24 feet wide from County Road 431 to Markham Woods Road. \$260,000. Completion date: June 14.

#### Blue-eyed, white gators priceless

NEW ORLEANS — Priceless, pretty and so rare they are precious, white alligators occupying the Louisiana Swamp exhibit at this city's Audubon Zoo seldom move as they laze suspended in their pools.

Blue eyes and white noses regularly poke above the swamp exhibit's murky waters, seemingly oblivious to the crowds they are attracting and the ooohs and aahs they elicit from their visitors.

Like China's giant panda, the white alligators have become hometown celebrities.

"There is no way to put a price on them," said Curt Barnett, general curator at Audubon Zoo. "They are the only ones in the world. When something is the only one, it's priceless."

They are not true albino, because they have blue eyes rather than pink, Barnett said.

There are 18 of them, found in a south Louisiana swamp four years ago. Zoos around the world are clamoring for them to visit.

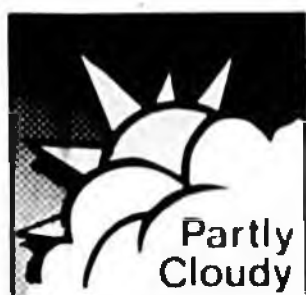
"There isn't even any folklore about them," he said. "I have to assume if any had ever been found before, there would be stories about them at least, but I couldn't find any."

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#### Beach weather



Partly cloudy in the morning. Becoming mostly cloudy in the afternoon. A 60 percent chance of mainly afternoon thunderstorms with a high around 90. Wind southeast at 5 to 10 mph.

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# Tombs busted open

## Who should repair damage not solved

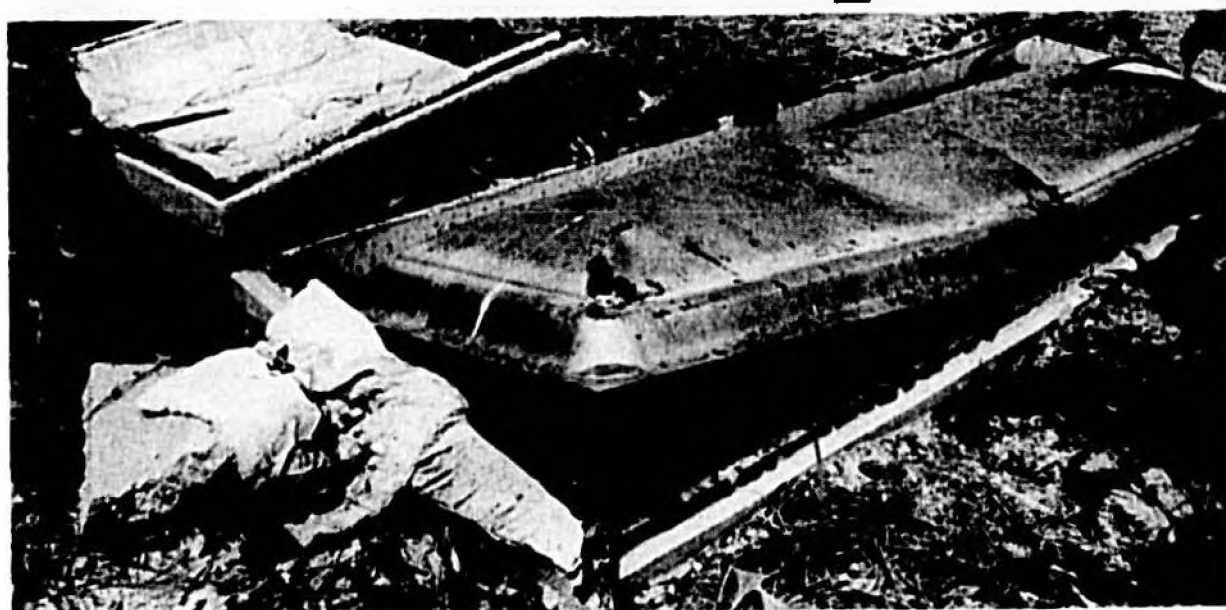
By NICK PFEIFAUPE  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Desecration of burial vaults, especially in the black section of the Sanford Cemetery on W. 25th Street is a continuing problem. Responsibility for repairing the damage however, appears to be a more confusing matter.

Sanford City Commissioner Bob Thomas wants to know why the desecration is not being stopped. "This is getting worse and worse," he said, "and there just doesn't seem to be any law enforcement taking care of this situation."

Thomas said, "A number of people have contacted me and told about some of their family graves out there being damaged. They try to clean up the mess only to find it in the same condition

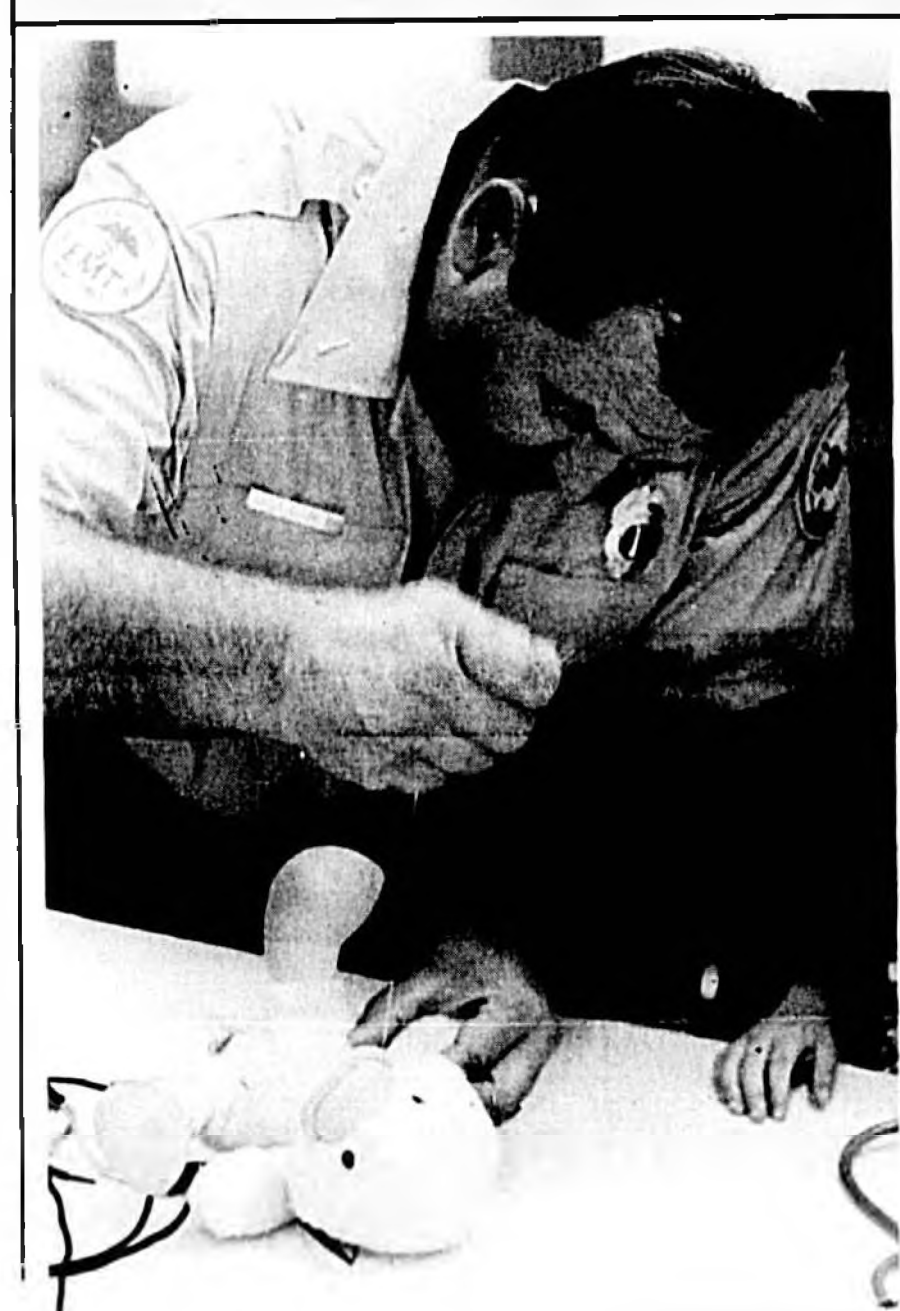
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Herald Photo by Tommy Vincent

Name is obscured on this damaged vault in section of cemetery plagued with vandalism.

## A friend in need



Herald Photo by Kelly Jordan

Lt. Doug Luce, an EMT paramedic, skillfully, and with total concentration, performs delicate surgery on a walk-in patient, identified only as Ducky, at a recent open house of the Sanford Fire Station on French Avenue. See story and picture on Page 6A

# Pizzaz and Destiny: song, dance history

By VICKI DeSORMIER  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Two groups of Seminole High School students have sung and danced their way into the school's history books.

Members of the Pizzaz show chorus and Destiny dance group took home a pair of national championships from the Fiesta-val contest held recently at the Nashville Performing Arts Center.

Those national honors were the first in the school's history, according to Robert Maguire, the choral director at SHS.

Maguire's wife Maureen coaches the Destiny dancers.

"They've never done this well

before," Maguire said of the groups have done well at regional and state competition in the past, but they have never won a national title.

In addition to winning championships in the high school division, Destiny and Pizzaz were both named the overall dance team and show chorus champions.

"That was in competition against high schools and colleges from all over the country," he said.

To even compete in the Fiesta-val one must be invited by the organizers.

"It's quite an honor to be invited," Maguire said.

Backing up the two groups was the Seminole High School Show

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# Harrell's was first

We had several callers and visitors regarding our yarn about the Stoudenmire family — especially about Pauline Stoudenmire Miller's father-in-law who we said had the first bakery in Sanford.

First came Kyle "Whitney" McMillan who showed us a bread wrapper from the "J. L. Miller Bakery." He said he had a few more and would bring us one to send to Pauline in West Palm Beach.

Then we got a call from Lourne Messenger. Old timers will remember Lourne who once worked for Sadie Baumel's high fashion apparel shop on East First Street. She also once was society editor at The Herald. Later she became The Herald's circulation manager. While she had that position she ran for and was elected supervisor of voter registration for Seminole County.



She held both jobs at the same time. If anyone wanted to register to vote they had to visit The Herald office which was at 111 Magnolia Ave. At that time the county had a population of some 15,000. All the voter registration files were maintained at The Herald.

Lourne's call was to let us know there was a bakery in Sanford before Miller's. It was owned and operated by Joe Harrell who lived on the west side of Park Avenue in the 200 block.

It seems J. M. and Lillian Vickery and four of their children came to See Bakery, Page 5A

# Wedding wagon draws gawkers and smiles

By VICKI DeSORMIER  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Some people may think Sanford is a one-horse town, but when the horse is pulling an elegant black carriage, it can turn some heads on U.S. Highway 17-92.

Jay and Joy Laney got married at the First Baptist Church of Longwood on Saturday afternoon and wanted to arrive at their reception at The Barn, 1200 French Ave., Sanford, in style.

Roger Thoreson of the Orlando Carriage Company in Orlando had just the thing for them.

An ebony turn of the century carriage pulled by a strong steed named Baldy would bring them to the front door of the country and western dancing establishment.

"It's not really all that unusual," Thoreson said. "I think we did one in Sanford a few years ago, but we do a lot in Orlando. Especially at this time of year."

Thoreson said that his company can keep 11 horses and carriages "pretty busy" during the wedding season from May to mid-July.

This is our second wedding today, he noted.

The bride and groom sipped Budweiser from black crystal goblets during the 15 block trip to the Barn from the Seminole Flower Shop, 2619 S. French Ave. in Sanford. See Wedding, Page 5A



Jay and Joy Laney, rear seat, rode horse drawn carriage, reception at The Barn. Roger Thoreson handles the up U.S. 17-92 Saturday on way to their wedding. reins on horse named Baldy.



# Postal update

## Lake Monroe's facility to open

LAKE MONROE — The new Post Office will be open for business Monday morning at 9 a.m., says Postmaster Robert Mann.

The modern 2,300 square-foot facility with 1,250 mailboxes on Monroe Road replaces the tiny nearby post office that has served this growing community for 33 years.

The old post office has 640 boxes, Mann said. Lake Monroe, wedged between Interstate 4 and

Sanford, has no deliveries. Mann said no ceremonies have been scheduled yet.

Mann said the new post office — on the site on the house he was born in — will provide the same services now offered.

"We're a full-service post office," Mann said. "We'll continue to provide those same services."

Mann said the old post office has already been sold to auto dealer Luke Potter. Mann said he doesn't know what plans Potter has for the building. Mann has announced he will retire when he reaches 65 in September and go fishing.

## Sanford facelift still underway

SANFORD — Work continues on the renovations project at the Sanford Post Office. More work however, still needs to be accomplished.

With the post office closed during the 3-day Memorial Day holiday weekend coming up May 26 through 27, Superintendent of Postal Operations, Frank Saults said, "We'll have an opportunity to do some major work around the front window

section and the front wall that weekend."

Saults said work has been expected slow because the the post office is only permitting construction, especially in high-traffic areas, during times when the facility is closed.

"The lobby around the box section has already been completed, as have several other jobs," Saults said. He expected the work would be continuing for several more months, "but we intend to do our best to avoid problem for the people who use the facility," he said.

## Man charged with spouse abuse

SANFORD — Jackson Alexander, 22, 71 Lake Monroe Terr. Sanford, was charged with spouse abuse Wednesday by Sanford police after his wife reported he hit her head three times through her car window and punctured the car's four tires.

## Goldboro site of drug arrests

SANFORD — Agents with the Sanford special investigations unit and the City-County Investigative Bureau made two arrests during an undercover operation into street-level drug sales in the 18th Street and Southwest Road section of Goldboro Wednesday.

JD Paul, 22, 1008 Maple Ave., Sanford, was charged with possession of crack cocaine after agents report finding several pieces of the drug under his body while they searched him following a fight.

Stephen Tracey Davis, 29, 1815 W. 15th St., Sanford, was charged with grand theft and resisting arrest after agents reported he grabbed a gold chain from one of them and tried to flee with it.

## Man arrested for interference

James Clarence Horne, 34, of 918 E. Willow Ave. in Sanford, was arrested by Seminole County sheriff's officers on Thursday.

Allegedly, Horne repeatedly interfered with the police investigation of a fight at the Last Stop bar, 1810 Southwest Rd. in Sanford.

Sheriff's officers allegedly warned Horne on several occasions to move away from the scene and to leave the property. He allegedly did not comply with their requests.

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

## Disorderly intoxication charged

Michael Francis McCall, 27, of Eustis was arrested on Thursday night.

He was charged with disorderly intoxication and resisting arrest without violence.

McCall was outside the 7-Eleven at 100 French Ave. in Sanford loudly debating the cost of his trip from Eustis with the cab driver who had driven him to Sanford, according to police. When he allegedly refused to pay his bill and the argument began attracting a crowd, a Sanford police officer arrived.

McCall allegedly refused to cooperate with the officer and made several racist remarks to the officer, police said.

He was transported to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where he was held on \$500 bond.

## Drug charges filed

Nepolina Undra Hunt, 19, of 2943 Truman Blvd. in Sanford, was arrested on Thursday.

She was charged with selling crack cocaine.

Allegedly, Hunt sold a \$20 piece of crack cocaine to undercover officers at 18th Street and Strickland Ave. in Sanford.

She was transported to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where she was held on \$5,000 bond.

## Open container law violation charged

Herbert McGill, 44, of 2416 E. 21st Street in Sanford and Charles Smith Eiber, 46, of 121 Academy Dr. in Sanford, were arrested on Thursday evening.

They were charged with violating Sanford's open container ordinance.

The two were allegedly standing outside Tony's Bar on 13th Street in Sanford with open containers of beer.

They were transported to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where they were each held in lieu of \$500 bond.



**Mmmm good**  
Magnolia Mall in downtown Sanford was fragrant with the scent of barbecued chicken and all the fixings Friday afternoon. Members of the Sanford Historic Trust, from left to right, Joanne Wheeler, Junny Mercer, Michael Gosh, chef, and Sue Olinger, served the delectable feasts.

## Boat licenses expire, renew before June 30

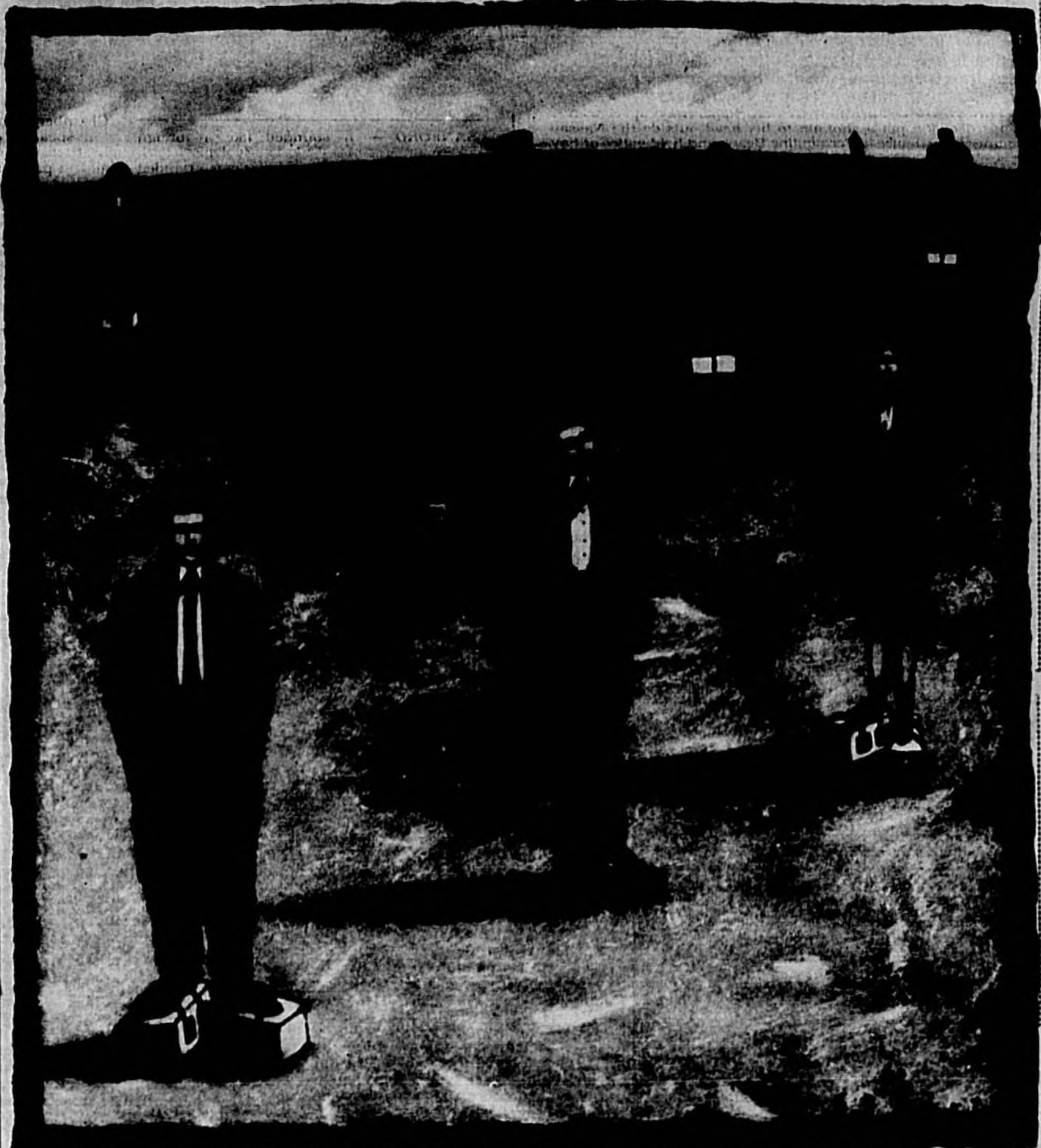
SANFORD — The friendly folks at the Florida Department of Natural Resources Bureau of Vessel Titling and Registration offer the reminder that all boat licenses in the state expire June 30.

Anyone operating a boat with an expired registration after July 1 will be subject to a \$35 fine. Anyone who fails to register their boat in Florida faces a maximum \$500 fine and 60-day jail term.

Even if you don't receive a renewal notice in the mail, you must register by the June 30 deadline, officials warn. You may renew by mail or at the local Tax Collectors Office in the Seminole County Services Building on First Street.

To help you learn what you can and cannot do with the boat once it is registered properly, the Florida Marine Patrol is offering a free booklet, the "Florida Boaters Guide."

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### EDITORIALS

## Tax break

An unusual alliance of conservative Republicans and liberal Democrats in Congress is pushing to increase the personal income tax exemption for families with dependents under age 18. The effort is aimed at strengthening the American family by allowing workers with children to keep a larger share of their paychecks.

Although the proposal has been around for years, it has made relatively little progress in the past. This year, however, Rep. Frank Wolf, R-Va., has 88 co-sponsors in the House for his bill to adjust the exemption upward in order to take inflation into account.

In 1948, the exemption was pegged at \$600 per person. That amounted to 42 percent of the nation's per capita income. Today, the \$2,150 exemption amounts to only 11 percent of per capita income.

If the exemption had been indexed for inflation and growth in personal income during the last four decades, it now would stand at \$7,800. Wolf and his co-sponsors want to raise the current limit to \$3,500 or \$4,000. This still would make up for only about half of the exemption's loss in value over the years.

Some congressional leaders and Bush administration officials are wary of the proposed increase. They project a potential revenue loss of up to \$12 billion a year. But they overlook the potential fiscal benefits of allowing parents to keep a greater percentage of their income.

Reducing a family's tax burden would pay dividends in several ways, beginning with making it less necessary for both parents to work, thus permitting them to spend more time with their children. That in itself could combat a rash of problems, including drug abuse, poor classroom performance and teen-age pregnancy.

Experts concede that society pays a particularly high price for the damage done by fractured families. A disproportionately high number of criminals and welfare recipients come from families with absentee parents. Children are more at risk when parents feel increasingly pressured to spend more time outside the home earning money.

In recent decades, the wages of most Americans have failed to keep pace with inflation, even as the average family's tax burden has grown enormously.

In 1990, a medium-income family paid only 2 percent of its gross earnings to the federal government in income and payroll taxes. The current federal bite is 24 percent, plus an additional 8 percent, plus an additional 8 percent for state and local taxes. Combine this heavy tax burden with steep increases in the costs of housing, health care, transportation and education, and it's clear why both parents often find it necessary to work.

If the federal government gave families a tax break, one of the parents could spend more time at home. That is why the Wolf bill has widespread bipartisan support. The unlikely political coalition should push hard to see that this pro-family measure becomes law.

### LETTERS TO EDITOR

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

## Berry's World



Jim Berry  
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# The legacy to our young families

As our become engaged in the news that invades our consciousness, there is poignant awareness that everything seems to be falling apart. What legacy are we passing to our young families?

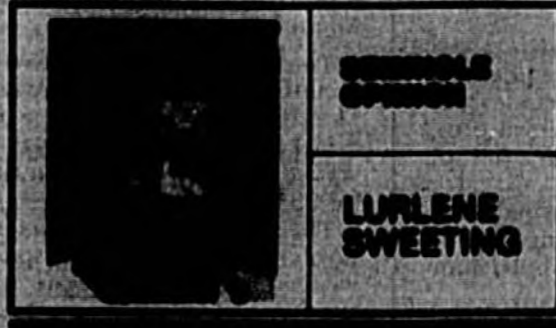
The three automotive giants that have been an integral part of our economic might have been brought to their knees. They are losing millions and billions of dollars. General Motors is leading the way. Ford and Chrysler follow in that sequence. Chrysler is endeavoring to maintain itself and not return to the brink of disaster.

Corporate takeovers have become the new American sport with billion dollar upon employee retirement funds, as one of the prime prizes.

The savings and loan scandals reeled that industry to its foundation and left the American tax payer holding the bill-out bag.

For many years it has been accepted practice for defense contractors, with huge government contracts to report excessive cost over runs, along with over priced and non-functioning products.

Traditional landmarks throughout the nation that have symbolized American ingenuity have passed into foreign absentee landlord ownership. Projections of what this type of ownership means to our future is not clearly discernable. It appears



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that we are progressing toward a one world type of economic system. In essence we will be completing worldwide for employment.

These are the forces that are redefining America economically. These changes are taking place when America's economic woes are impacting negatively against its citizens.

The distress of young families must be addressed. Families are the premier child-rearing institutions. The level of care provided for children is often inextricably entwined with the individual families economic plight. Too often young families are plagued by unemployment, lack of medical care and inability to meet basic needs.

The incidence of physical, emotional and

sexual abuse of children is continually being reported. Another situation created is the increasing number of latchkey children. These are children whose parent or parents work and they are primarily responsible for letting themselves in and out of their dwellings and supervising themselves.

A study indicated that inflation adjusted income for families with children headed by an adult under the age of 30 declines approximately 25 percent between 1973 and 1988. "Many young families were in depression level circumstances." Some dissolved their marriages and others never married.

As Americans we have always believed that employment opportunities were unlimited. The reality forces upon us at this time is a declining job market with many white collar and middle management jobs being eliminated.

What then is our legacy to young families? Our legacy includes inflation, unemployment, diminishing home ownership perspectives and great stress.

What is needed is governmental leadership committed to taking moral responsibility for making unpopular decisions; decisions that are vital for maintaining young families as a viable institution in this society.



### ELLEN GOODMAN

## A solution for abortion crisis

**BOSTON** — Up in New Hampshire, where mud season is giving way to black flies, the legislature is getting ready to flash the famous Granite State streak of independence.

The conservative Republican territory, known for its presidential primaries and its lack-of-tax structure, is expected to pass a resolution in support of the abortion pill. It will offer the state as an American test site for RU486.

The legislators don't expect to see a team flying in from Europe to set up a lab in downtown Concord the morning after the vote. But they want to send a message to the FDA and the manufacturer. The state that made George Bush president and the people who put "Live Free or Die" on their license plates, are moving against the barriers that have kept RU486 out of the country.

Since 1988, the drug that provides safe and early abortions has been available in France where the minister of health once called it "the moral property of women." Now it's licensed for use in Britain and Sweden as well.

But Roussel-Uclaf and its parent company Hoechst regard the American political "climate" as too hot to touch. Afraid of getting burned by boycotts against their other drugs, especially by Catholic hospitals, and afraid of liability lawsuits, they haven't even attempted to market RU486 here.

The FDA, in turn, has banned importing the drug by listing it as a dangerous substance. This has meant that our doctors can't use RU486 in therapy and our scientists can't use it for research, even when their work has nothing to do with abortion.

So far, RU486 has shown to be useful in easing labor, and treating Cushing's disease. It has shown promise for the treatment of ovarian and breast cancer, endometriosis and even brain tumors. But what we don't know has been sacrificed to what we do know. Taken with another drug in the first seven weeks of pregnancy, RU486 induces a miscarriage. It brings on menstruation.

The pill wouldn't entirely replace surgical procedures. It's not for women over 35 or for smokers. But it would put most early abortions into a very private realm. A woman would "get an abortion" by swallowing.

The ease of RU486 has alarmed anti-abortion leaders who have made it a prime target. What, after all, would become of the favorite strategies of pro-life groups if RU486 were available? There would be fewer women to harass on the way to fewer clinics. In the early weeks, there would be no fetuses to enlarge to placard-sized portraits. The line pro-lifers draw between doctors as evil "abortionists" and

women as their "victims" is erased when women take their own medicine. The pill has also become a priority for many in the abortion-rights movement who worry about the changing of the guard in the Supreme Court. Hundreds of bills limiting access to abortion have appeared in one state legislature after another. The momentum for RU486 expresses impatience with Roussel-Uclaf, but also a desire to find an offensive strategy.

In New Hampshire, for example, the massive legislature of more than 400 members — one-third female, all earning \$100 per year — passed a bill upholding abortion rights, only to have it vetoed by the governor. The current resolution is an attempt to stake out new territory. As Peg Dobbie of the New Hampshire Abortion Rights Action League said, "It's great to see a legislature talking about increasing reproductive choices rather than limiting them."

There are currently other RU486 bills in the works in both California and Minnesota. Several states are considering trials of look-alike drugs under "mini-FDA" laws that could allow them to test the market within their own borders.

On the national level, Rep. Ron Wyden of Oregon has introduced a bill that would take RU486 off the dangerous drug list so that it could be used for research. And on the local level, New York City Mayor David Dinkins has asked 33 other mayors to write both Roussel-Uclaf and President Bush in support of testing.

All of this is an attempt to build up the demand in order to get the supply. But it also raises a familiar paradox.

Pro-choice people have long regarded abortion as a private decision. Americans overwhelmingly want to end the prolonged and nasty war over abortion. RU486 offers the best possibility for muting the conflict and for protecting privacy.

But once again in New Hampshire, it's clear that the effort to protect privacy hinges on public action. Sometimes only the government can keep away the government.



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### TOM TIEDE

## Memorial Day began this way

**WATERLOO, N.Y.** — When Johnny came marching home from the Civil War, he was given a hearty welcome in many towns and cities throughout the United States of the time. The people of Waterloo, for example, organized several tributes for the local boys who had served honorably with the 148th New York Volunteers.

Yet the shouting and the huzzahs seemed somehow incomplete. It was fine to remember the survivors of the war, but how about the soldiers who had not been so fortunate? So the residents of this all-American Finger Lakes community decided to set aside a moment to decorate the graves of those who'd been killed in the combat.

There was born Decoration Day, which is now better known as Memorial Day. Or there was one version of the birth, anyway. The folks in Waterloo held their initial commemoration for the fallen on May 5, 1866, a year and a month after the end at Appomattox; and they believed it was the earliest formal service of the kind.

What's more they have kept on believing it ever since. This month Waterloo is pausing to remember its war dead for the 126th time. "We take it all very seriously," says one of the 1991 organizers, John King. "It's not just a day to get off work and barbecue hamburgers in the backyard. This is where Memorial Day began."

Well, this at least is one of the places where the day began. There are other locations that have competing claims. There are, for example, numerous towns in the South — such as Columbus, Ga., and Columbus, Miss. — where the municipal governments encouraged people to put flowers on graves even before the Civil War ended.

In any case, Waterloo still believes it was first in the matter. And the insistence is supported by the federal government. John King notes that in 1966, a hundred years after the local ritual started, both the U.S. Congress and the White House issued a resolution listing Waterloo as "the birthplace of Memorial Day."

That resolution is now on prominent display in the town's Memorial Day Museum. As are Civil War artifacts, and a written history of Waterloo's connection with Decoration Day. The history is sketchy at best, but it indicates that the notion of honoring the war dead was conceived by a merchant named Henry C. Welles.

Welles was a pharmacist and a member of a prominent family. He is said to have suggested the memorial idea at a social gathering in 1865. He then enlisted the help of the town clerk, who was the area's best known Civil War veteran, and the two of them arranged the 1866 rites, which were held at the Waterloo cemetery.

That means this year is the 124th official commemoration. And there have been some changes over the decades. The word "decoration" has given way almost wholly to the word "memorial," and there are more people attending the beaches than the graveyards. Also, the date of the federal celebration now differs each year for the sake of three-day weekends.

The date hasn't changed in Waterloo, however. Neither has the real meaning of the occasion. John King says that appropriate events are being held throughout the month, owing to the waymark anniversary of the community affair, and they will conclude May 30, which is three days following the May 27 national observance.

King says there are concerts, breakfasts and home tours. There are also dramatizations, tree lighting and, gulp, one beef barbecue.



Waterloo still believes it was first in the matter.



## Sanford's Housing Authority wrestles with lack of quorum

By BOB PERSPALL  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — The Housing Authority of the City of Sanford is having difficulty in getting its 1991 budget updated and its 1992 budget approved. The reason has been the lack of a quorum.

The regular May meeting of the authority this past Thursday night was cancelled because not enough members were on hand. Teri Baratti, who had served as Chairman, resigned effective April 18. Vice chairman J. Wain Cummings, has just recently tendered his resignation from the authority. To replace Baratti, the Sanford City Commission appointed Robbie Robertson, on May 13. A replacement for Cummings could possibly be named during Monday night's Sanford City Commission meeting.

At last week's meeting, Robertson was unable to attend due to a previous engagement. Member Alberta Detroville was also reportedly unable to attend.

According to interim Executive Director Judy Weekley, "I've been trying to contact the various members of the authority, to see if we can have another meeting, hopefully next week, to take care of what we couldn't get done last Thursday." The issues included approval of various revisions to the fiscal year 1991 budget, which will end June 30, and adoption of the fiscal year 1992 budget. "I hope we can get all of this accomplished next week," Weekley said.

The election of new chair and vice chair persons won't be held until the June meeting, the regular month for the annual election. Weekley said this coming meeting will operate with a temporarily chosen chairperson.

No specific evening will be set for the make-up meeting until Weekley has been able to contact each of the present members. The Sanford Housing Authority meets at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month, at the Reiding Gardens Community Building, 400 Locust Avenue in Sanford.

## Firefighter comes to rescue; kids at open house relieved

By VICKI BOGGS  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Ducky, it would seem, was in pretty dire straits on Saturday afternoon.

Stephen Horn, 6, brought the fluffy yellow stuffed animal to the Sanford Fire Department's central station, 1303 S. French Ave., and had his broken wing fixed.

During the station's open house on Saturday afternoon, Ducky's wing was sewn neatly back into place by Lt. Doug Luce, an EMT paramedic.

Stephen listened to Ducky's "heartbeat" with Cpt. William Clemens' stethoscope. He seemed to think that it sounded fine.

A shy young man, Stephen didn't say much, but he listened intently as Clemens and Luce checked out the stuffed animal's vital signs and patched his wing.

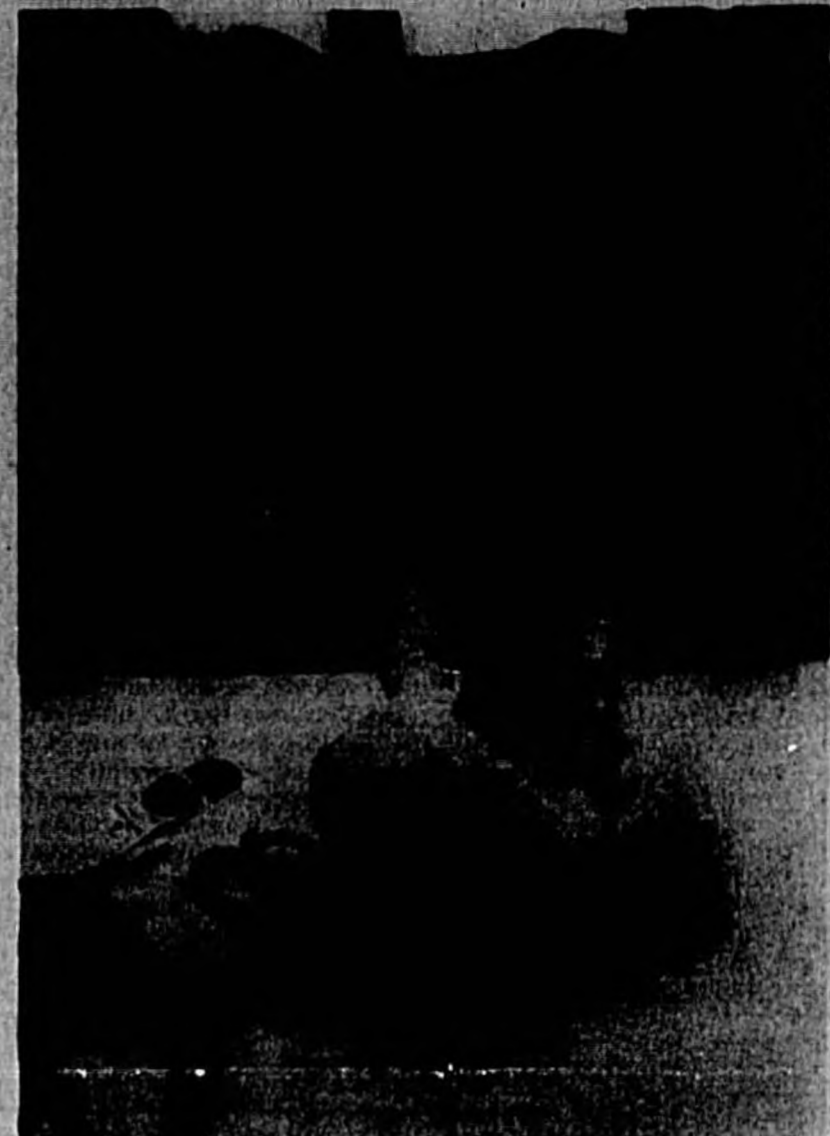
When the surgery was over, Luce put an "ouchless" bandage over the stitches and pronounced the well-loved bird fit for play.

With that, Ducky went back to the care of Missy Horn, Stephen's mother, while the youngster and his friend Joseph Krammer raced out to climb on the fire engines.

"This is a lot of fun," said Luce, washing his hand in preparation for the next "patient."

The clinic, put on by the fire department and the paramedics was designed to teach youngsters about what they need to do when there is a real emergency while providing care for sick or injured dolls and stuffed animals.

Clemens, EMT coordinator at the station, said that everyone, especially young children, needs to learn the proper way of dealing with



Herald Photo by Holly Jordan  
Stephen Horn, 6, of Sanford, checks the heartbeat of his stuffed pet Ducky after Fire Lt. Doug Luce stitched up a torn wing. Steven's friend, Joseph Krammer, 6, watches.

emergency medical situations.

"It's essential that they know what to do in case of an emergency," he noted.

Horn and Krammer toured the facility, climbing up and down the sides of huge fire engines and peering into the back of an ambulance. Fire officials kept a close eye on the duo and answered their

questions.

About 45 adults and children had been through the facility in the first two hours of the open house, but the numbers had tapered off as they entered the third hour.

"I think this is good," Clemens said, looking around at the small group walking toward the station.

## Confidential tax data sought

By J. MARK BARNFIELD  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Seminole County has requested confidential tax collection information from the Florida Department of Revenue to assure all tourist development taxes collected in Seminole County are going to the county — not Orange County.

"We don't know if there is a problem," said Jack Wert, director of tourist development for the county. "We don't suspect there is, but we just want to verify it."

Wert said during meetings with tourist directors from around the state, he learned tax collections from an establishment may be sent to another close-by county. He said following the completion of two motels on U.S. Highway 17-92 near Maitland, he wanted to be sure the 2 percent tax on hotels, motels and temporary lodgings come to Seminole County and

**"We don't know if there is a problem."**

— Jack Wert

not neighboring Orange County.

The taxes are collected at each establishment from customers, then sent to DOR which returns them — minus an administrative fee — to the county. County tourist taxes are used for grants for events to attract more tourists and to provide variety for residents.

Wert said he expects to receive the information later this month. County commissioners were required by the state to issue a resolution earlier this month assuring the confidential information from DOR would remain just that, confidential.

If Wert or anyone else releases the information, they face a first-degree misdemeanor conviction of a \$1,000 fine, a year in jail and additional fines of up to \$10,000.

Wert said that confidential information won't include numbers of lodgers staying at each establishment or the amount of money they spent — information competitors would dearly love to get. No. Wert said the confidential information the county has pledged to keep confidential is only the names and addresses of places collecting the county's tax.

"Names and addresses, I understand that's all we're going to get," Wert said.

Wert said by comparing the DOR list of establishments collecting the county tax with a list known lodgings in the county, he can make sure all of them are collecting the tax.

And what is the source of information Wert is using to compare with the secret DOR list?

"The telephone book," Wert said. "Yeah, that's it. The yellow pages."

## Damaging fruit fly discovered in Altamonte Springs

Associated Press

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Two insect pests — "killer bees" and a single Mediterranean fruit fly — have reappeared in Florida.

The citrus-damaging medfly was discovered in a residential area of Altamonte Springs. It was found during a routine check of a baited trap line in a grapefruit tree, state Agriculture

Commission Bob Crawford said Friday.

The commissioner also reported that a state agriculture inspector destroyed a small swarm of African honeybees, or

"killer bees," at Port Everglades near Fort Lauderdale.

While the identity of the fruit fly was being scientifically confirmed, the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer

Services and federal agriculture officials activated their Medfly emergency plan.

Trees on and adjacent to the property where the medfly was discovered Thursday have been stripped of their fruit, which is being examined for larvae.

Intensive trapping also began

in an 81-square-mile area encircling the location where the insect was found.

About 1,700 traps should be in place within a week. Another 100 traps are being placed in a one-square-mile area around the home where the fly was found.

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# Kurds say agreement reached

By SAUD S. BISHARA  
Associated Press Writer

BAHGDAD, Iraq — Kurdish guerrillas and President Saddam Hussein's government have reached "broad agreement" on full democracy for Iraq and autonomy for the Kurdish minority, rebel leaders said Saturday.

Mansour Barzani, leader of the Kurdish Democratic Party, told reporters that both sides had agreed on free elections throughout Iraq, freedom of the press, political pluralism and separation of the executive, legislative and judicial bodies.

But how these were to be achieved and how much of Kurdish autonomy remained unresolved. Saddam had earlier promised greater freedoms and a multiparty democracy to his people, but progress has been slow.

Barzani, who heads the largest Kurdish rebel group, has been negotiating with Saddam's government for the past two weeks.

There was no official comment from the Iraqi government, but Barzani's remarks were reported at length by the state-run Iraqi News Agency.

The reports were greeted with skepticism by Kurdish leaders in London.

"I think these leaders are running after a mirage," said Shafiq Qasas, secretary of the Free Kurdish Congress. "I don't believe it. It's just not possible."

Qasas and Mustafa Mufti, president of the Kurdish Human Rights Organization, said they did not believe democracy was possible under Saddam.

Kurds have long accused Saddam of reneging on earlier promises and of using genocidal policies against their people.

Asked why Kurds should believe Saddam this time, Barzani told reporters here: "Because both of us, we've got very hard experience that war is not the solution to the matter."

Barzani said talks were continuing and that he hoped a final agreement would be signed soon.

"All these are principle agreements. We are still negotiating," he said. "Nothing has been signed or finalized, but a broad agreement has been reached on these matters."

He told reporters here that under the 30-point tentative agreement for Kurdish regions, rebels would be incorporated into regular Iraqi security units, most likely as regional police.

Barzani said Iraqi officials had agreed to a general amnesty, repatriation of Kurdish refugees, rescinding of emergency laws.

# Hostage issue plagues CIA nominee and Bush

By PETER VOSE  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — It's an issue that has plagued three presidents and could put President Bush's nominee for CIA director, Robert Gates, under painful scrutiny.

American hostages. Failure to free 52 Americans held by Iran helped end Jimmy Carter's presidency. Trading arms for the release of hostages held in Lebanon by Iranian-backed radicals haunted Ronald Reagan.

What did George Bush know about efforts to free the Americans in Iran and when did he know it?

What did Robert Gates know and when did he know it? The last month brought new strings of hostage deals. A top Carter aide, Gary Sick, said five sources told him Bush met with Iranian officials in 1980 to seal a deal delaying release of the 52 hostages in Tehran to prevent Carter's re-election.

Bush angrily denies it. Travel logs place him in Washington during dates in October 1980 when he was supposedly in Paris promising Iranians weapons shipments after Inauguration Day.

The hostages, who had been held 444 days, were released just minutes after Reagan took the oath of office in January 1981. The House Democratic leadership has approved a preliminary staff investigation into the allegations about Bush's role.

Gates, a 25-year CIA veteran, may have a hostage problem stemming from Reagan's effort in 1985-86 to sell Iran weapons in return for Americans snatched by terrorist groups in Lebanon.

Combined with the illegal diversion of money from the Iran sales to the Contra rebels in Nicaragua, the deal provoked the

# Britain's first astronaut soars in Soviet rocket

By ANDREW KATELL  
Associated Press Writer

BAIKONUR COSMODROME, U.S.S.R. — A British woman rocketed into space Saturday with two Soviet cosmonauts, beginning the trip she has dreamed about since hearing a commercial on her car radio.

The Soviet Soyuz rocket carrying Helen Sharman and her crewmates pierced the gray clouds above the desert steppe of the Baikonur Cosmodrome seconds after blastoff at 3:53 p.m. Moscow time (7:53 a.m. EDT).

Thousands of gallons of liquid oxygen and kerosene, burning with a bright orange flame, poured out of the 49-yard-tall, 310-ton rocket as it lifted off from this spaceport in Soviet Central Asia.

"Bye, Mum. Love to the family," Ms. Sharman told her parents, John and Lyndia Sharman of Sheffield, England, before getting on a bus to ride to the launchpad.

Ms. Sharman, 27, began her journey in June 1989 when, listening to her car radio, she heard an advertisement for a contest that said, "Astronaut Wanted: No Experience Necessary."

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# Health/Fitness

## IN BRIEF

### Women's Program to begin

LONGWOOD — HCA West Lake Hospital, 568 W. S.R. 434, announces the opening of its Women's Program. In recognition of this event, we are presenting a special program on Wednesday from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The morning's agenda will include:  
8-8:30 a.m., registration  
8:30-10 a.m. Fran Holt, MSW, L.C.S.W. and Carolyn Bender, M.A., N.B.C.C. will present The Working Woman: Balancing Home & Career.

10:15-11:45 a.m. May Senne, L.M.H.C., M.S. and Abbe Barclay, M.S.W., L.M.F.T., will present Therapy Issues for Today's Woman.

11:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Marie Losano, M.D., clinical director of West Lake Hospital's Women's Program, will speak on The Woman's Way Program: An Overview.

Three CEU's will be offered.  
Space is limited, so please call 767-0152 by May 28 to reserve your seat.

This program is offered as a free community service.

### Bowl-a-Thon to benefit MDA

WINTER PARK — Members of Central Florida National Association of Letter Carriers, Branch 1001 will hold a Bowl-a-Thon to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association on Sunday beginning at 1 p.m. at Colonial Lanes in Orlando.

Participants will collect pledges for their 3-game bowling series. Individual prizes, as well as a plaque for the station that raises the most money, will be awarded.

For more information, call Leslie Collin, MDA, at 677-6665.

### Support group meeting set

The Support Group for Persons with Breathing Disorders, sponsored by Orange Pulmonary Group and West Medical, will meet May 28 at 11 a.m. in the Florida Medical Plaza, 2501 N. Orange Ave., conference room #241.

This month's speaker is pharmacist Steve Supina from Gooding's Supermarkets. He will discuss generic vs. brandname drugs and answer any questions you may have about your medications.

Free of charge and open to the public, monthly support group meetings are held the last Tuesday of every month on topics of interest to Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease patients and their families.

For more information or to get on the mailing list call either Joy or Bonnie at 896-5940.

## Risk factors of heart disease

By JORGE GOMEZ, M.D.  
Cardiologist

Extensive clinical and statistical studies have devised several factors that contribute to an increased risk of heart attack and stroke. The more risk factors present the greater the chances a person will develop heart disease. Of course some risk factors can be changed, and only some can be changed under a doctor's direction, still others can be controlled by the individual without the need for a doctor's supervision.

The following is a list of major risk factors that can't be changed: 1. Heredity, a tendency toward heart disease or atherosclerosis appears to be hereditary. 2. Sex, men have a greater risk of heart attack than women. After menopause the rate of heart disease increases. It still is not as great as male risk. 3. Race, black Americans have moderate hypertension twice as often as whites and severe hypertension three times as often. Consequently their risk is greater. 4. Age, 85 percent of all heart attack victims are age 65 or older, those who died, almost four out of five are over 65.

Major risk factors that can or can't be changed are as follows: 1. Smoking. Smokers have more than five times the risk of having a heart attack as non-smokers. Cigarette smoking is the biggest risk factor for sudden cardiac death. Smokers have two to four



The more risk factors present the greater the chances a person will develop heart disease.

-Jorge Gomez, M.D.

times the risk than their non-smoking counterparts. A smoker who has a heart attack is more likely to die from a heart attack and to die suddenly (within one hour) than a non-smoker. Smoking is also the biggest risk factor for peripheral vascular disease (a narrowing of blood vessels that carry the blood to the leg and arm muscles). When a person stops smoking, regardless of how long or how much they have smoked, the risk of heart disease is rapidly reduced.

2. High blood pressure, usually has no specific symptoms and no early warning signs. It virtually is a "silent killer." High blood pressure causes the heart to enlarge and become weaker over time. It also increases the risk of stroke, heart attack, kidney and con-

gestive heart failure. When high blood pressure is combined with other conditions such as obesity, smoking, high blood cholesterol levels or diabetes, the risk of heart attack or stroke increases several times.

3. Blood cholesterol levels, too much cholesterol in the blood can cause a buildup on the walls of the arteries. This can narrow and eventually close the pathway that the blood flows through, ultimately resulting in a heart attack or stroke. In general, the individual risk of heart attacks rises steadily above a blood cholesterol measurement of 200 mg., the higher the total blood cholesterol the greater the risk. The average cholesterol level of Americans is considerably higher than other

nations that enjoy a lower incidence of heart attacks.

Watching your diet is a safe, practical, effective way to reduce cholesterol for most people. Reducing the intake of high fats, meats, whole milk, dairy products, egg yolks and other foods that are high in saturated fats and cholesterol and eating more poultry, fish, grapefruits, vegetables, grains and cereals, and low fat dairy products is a smart move. A change in diet in itself will reduce your blood cholesterol level as much as you need, your doctor might prescribe a drug to help keep your blood cholesterol in the ideal range.

4. Diabetes can sharply increase a person's risk of heart attack, controlling other risk factors becomes even more important. If you have diabetes a doctor can detect it and prescribe changes in your eating habits, programs for weight control and exercise and even drugs, to keep it in check.

The other contributing risk factors for heart disease are obesity, lack of exercise and stress. Please always remember these risk factors and correct them if they are present because this is a matter of life and death.

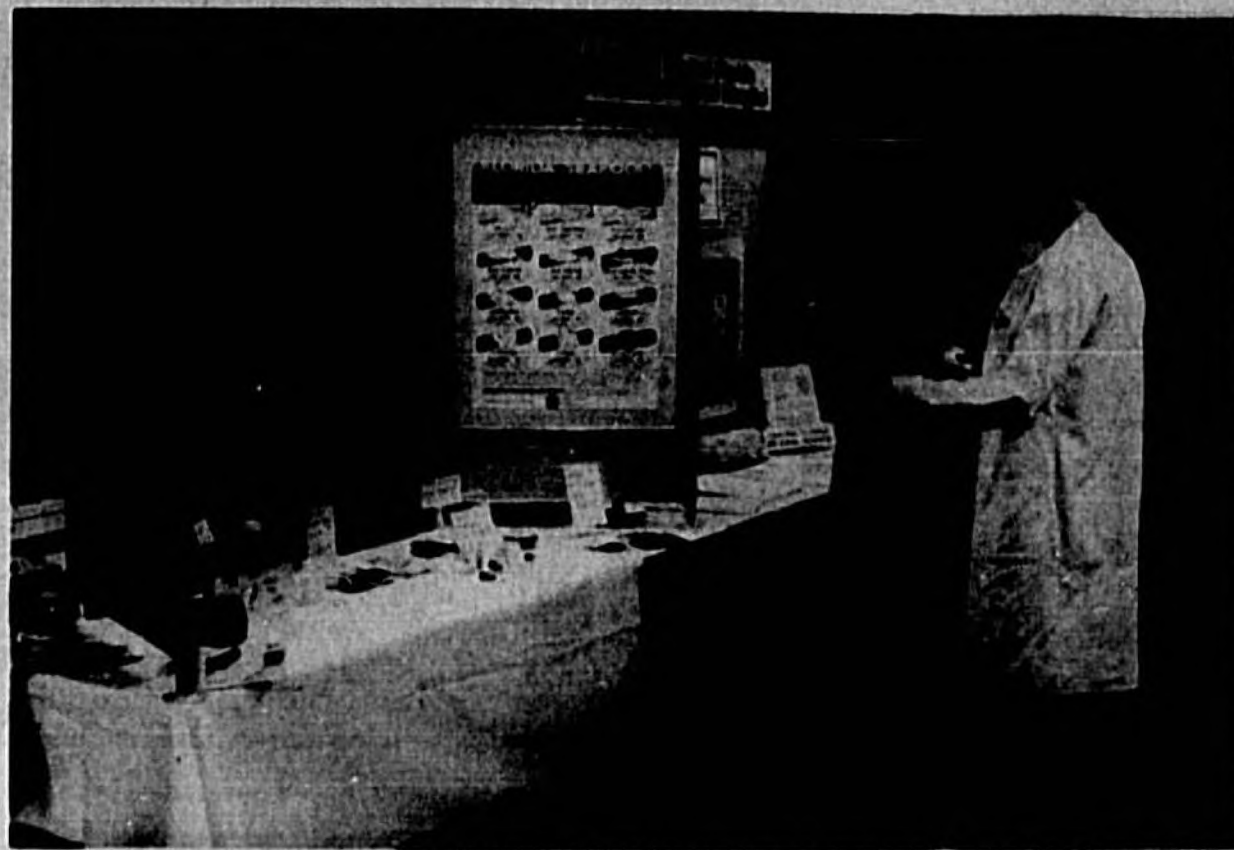
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The health column is provided as a community service by the Seminole County Medical Society. Inquiries may be directed to the medical society.

## Hospital week



Employees of Central Florida Regional Hospital, Sanford, were treated to a number of special events this past week in honor of National Hospital Week. Jeri Horweich, quality assurance nurse, top photo, takes a pulmonary function test given by Zane Betts II, CPT. Lue Ella Grant, nurses assistant, left photo, gives Carolyn Wiggins, LPN, a blood pressure check as Kate Barnhart, clinical dietician, right, bottom photo, explains the diet display to Susan Prather and Renee Lattemer.



## Center opens to serve local deaf, hard-of-hearing residents

The Deaf Service Center of Greater Orlando Inc., 3191 Maguire Blvd., Suite 248 of the Porterfield Building, is a non-profit organization which recently opened to offer assistance to deaf and hard-of-hearing residents of and visitors to Central Florida.

It is estimated that between five to 10 percent of the Central Florida population is deaf or hard-of-hearing. The opening of the center marks the first time that a variety of services is being offered in the area by an agency working exclusively for the deaf.

They include:  
• Interpreting services — The center supplies interpreters to help hearing individuals communicate with deaf and hard-of-hearing persons for medical, legal, personnel and other purposes.

• Information and referral — The program works to get information to the deaf, and hard-of-hearing about agencies and organizations

that can help them and works with these groups and businesses to better communicate with the deaf and hard-of-hearing of the Orlando area.

• Message relay — The center's Telecommunications Device for the Deaf, TDD, receives messages over telephone lines from deaf and hard-of-hearing persons. Staff members then call the person, business or agency to whom that message is addressed and relay it by voice.

• Advocacy — Members of the center speak to individuals and groups on a wide variety of subjects related to deafness and hearing impairments. Subjects include understanding problems faced by deaf and hard-of-hearing persons, communicating with this group and the myths and realities of deafness.

The Deaf Center of Greater Orlando was incorporated in 1988, and its staff and board members are advised by local individuals. The board of directors is chaired by June F. Kennedy, Ph.D., audiologist of Orlando.

## Mental Health Month closes with seminar

On Thursday, May 30, Dr. Burt Bertram will be the featured speaker at "Life Balance," a seminar for the general public in dealing with life stress. The seminar is being sponsored by the Mental Health Association of Central Florida in conclusion to Mental Health Month. The seminar will begin at 6:30 p.m. at the Cathedral Church of St. Luke, 130 N. Magnolia St. in downtown Orlando.

Registration is \$15 per person, and members of the association receive a 25 percent discount.

The Mental Health Association of Central Florida is a non-profit, charitable organization.

To register, call the office at 843-1563.



### Patient of the Week

Heather's mom says orthodontics has really made a difference in Heather's smile. Heather has a lot to smile about. She's an honor roll student at Lake Mary High School. She's involved in drama, swimming and loves music. She also has an older sister named Dana that she enjoys hanging around with.

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over the years, chiropractic treatment has proven itself extremely effective in returning workers to full activity after certain types of injuries. Of course savings in money may not be your primary interest, but it should be in your interest to be returned to full and vigorous health in the shortest possible time, and with the least chance of complications.





# Sports

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## IN BRIEF

### Hamel wins Freshness

BALTIMORE — Hamel, the hottest favorite in the Kentucky Derby, redeemed himself in Sunday's Kentucky Derby by winning the Freshness of Florida.

Hamel, who finished 10th in the Derby two weeks ago, was in complete command through the stretch run of the 1 1/4-mile race, which was timed in 1:54.

Kentucky Derby winner Strike the Gold never was a factor and for the 13th straight year, there was no Triple Crown champion.

### Field still not full

INDIANAPOLIS — Rookie Buddy Lazier and Hiro Matsushita took advantage of almost perfect qualifying weather to steal the limelight from a pair of Indianapolis 500 veterans.

But, despite overcast skies, light winds and temperatures in the upper-60s that made conditions on the 3 1/4-mile oval nearly ideal, there were only seven qualifiers, six of them in the first 35 minutes after the track was opened for the third of four days of time trials for the May 26 race.

That left four spots to be filled in the 33-car starting lineup on Sunday, the final day of qualifications.

Among Saturday's qualifiers were 1983 Indy winner Tom Sneva and two-time runner-up Roberto Guerrero, both of whom came up with rides late in the week.

### Palmer leads LPGA Seniors

TALLAHASSEE — Sandra Palmer took the lead Saturday in the first LPGA seniors' event when she shot a 4-under-par 69 in the opening round of the two-day \$100,000 event.

Hall of Famer Kathy Whitworth was 3 shots back at 72. Clifford Ann Creed and Marlene Hagge were tied after shooting par 73s on the seniors layout at the Killbuck Country Club.

Shirley Englehorn and Sandra Spuzich were tied at 75, followed by Carol Mann and Marilyn Smith at 76.

### Bradley leads Centel

TALLAHASSEE — Pat Bradley, who has earned more money on the LPGA tour than any other player, took the lead Saturday in the richest tournament in women's golf.

Bradley shot a 3-under-par 69 in Saturday's third round of the \$1.1 Centel Classic for a 9-under total of 207.

Another veteran, Judy Dickinson, was just 1 shot back at 70-208.

Second-round leader Ayako Okamoto dropped 2 shots off the pace after shooting a 72. England's Laura Davies and Patty Sheehan were 3 back at 210.

Juli Inkster shot the day's best round, a 5-under 67, and moved into contention at 211.

Twenty players were within 6 shots of the lead heading into Sunday's final round.

### Tech hit by Hurricanes

ATLANTA — Chris Anderson and Mike Toear homered in a five-run sixth inning Saturday as fourth-ranked Miami (44-15) rallied to beat Georgia Tech 10-7.

Tech (40-23) led 2-1 entering the sixth. With two out, Miami's Juan Llanes doubled home the tying run. Anderson followed with a three-run homer and Toear hit a solo shot off losing pitcher Doug Creek (11-5).

## BASKETBALL

### Lakers take first game

PORTLAND, Ore. — The Los Angeles Lakers, staying unbeaten on the road in the playoffs, rallied from a 14-point deficit Saturday to win the opener of the Western Conference finals 111-108 over Portland behind Magic Johnson's 21 assists and James Worthy's 26 points.

The Lakers, 4-0 on the road in the postseason, outscored the Trail Blazers 10-2 over the final 3 1/2 minutes to take away Portland's homecourt advantage in the best-of-7 series.

Byron Scott added 19 points and Sam Perkins had 18 points and 15 rebounds for the Lakers, who outscored Portland 31-14 in the fourth quarter to improve their playoff record to 8-1.

Clyde Drexler had 28 points and 12 assists and Jerome Kersey scored 21 points for the Blazers, who had the NBA's best regular-season record of 63-19, including 36-5 at home.

Compiled from wire and staff reports.

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# Defense dominates

## Byrd, Williams star as Orange shuts out Black

By PAUL GUYTON  
Herald Correspondent

SANFORD — Under the threat of thunderstorms, Seminole High School played their annual Black and Orange Football game Friday at Thomas E. Whigham Stadium.

The first team offense and the second defense were the Orange while the first team defense and the second team offense were the Black.

Junior quarterback Vashaun Williams scored two touchdowns for the Orange to lead them to a 13-0 victory over the Black.

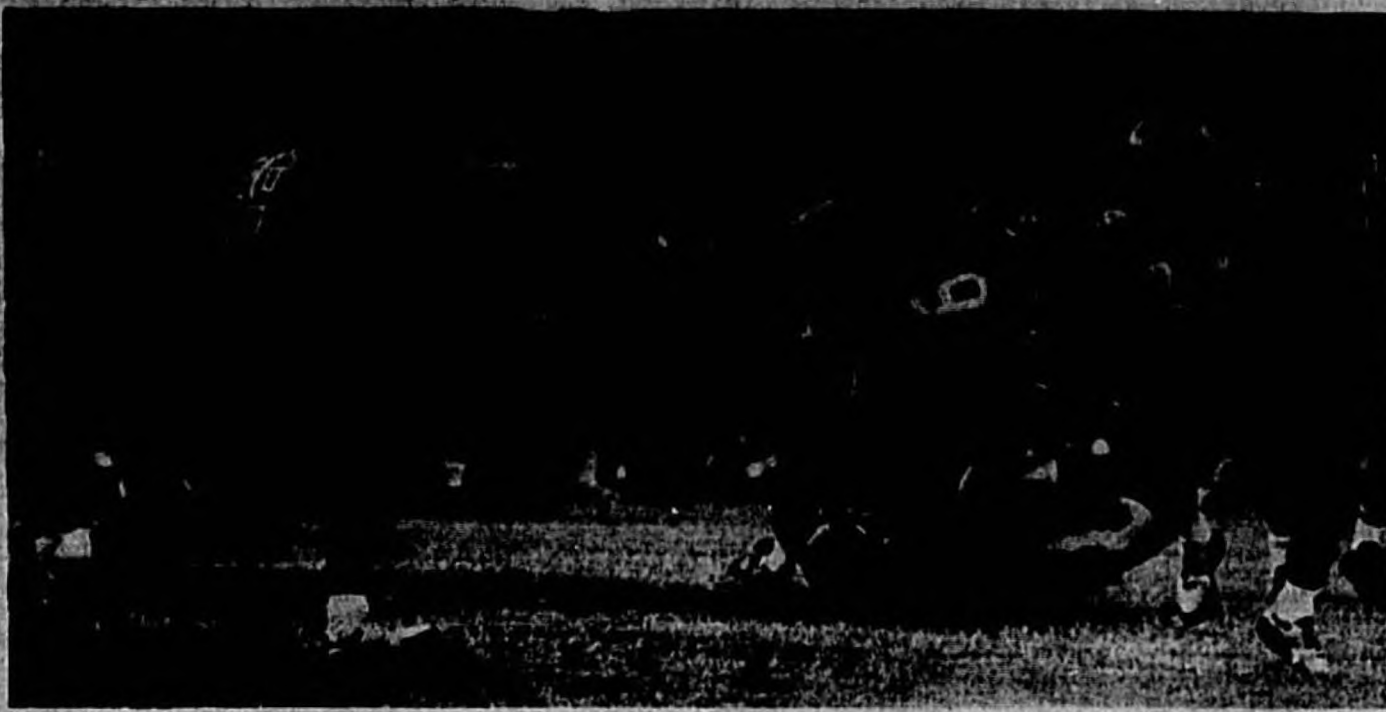
Williams also completed three of nine passes while freshman quarterback Todd Braden completed four of 13 passes for 42 yards for the Black.

Both sides played well and were able to keep mistakes to a minimum, combining for only 10 penalties and five turnovers, but the defenses were ahead of the offense.

"I was really pleased that there weren't a whole lot of mistakes," said Seminole Coach Emory Blake. "All the kids played really well."

The Orange were able to run the ball very effectively with Willie Williams and Derek Gilchrist leading the way.

Willie Williams was the game's leading rusher with eight carries for 46 yards while Gilchrist added six carries for 33 yards.



Quinn Byrd (-58) of the Orange draws a bead on Black running back Jonathan Brouillett in Friday night's game during Seminole High School's Orange and Black scrimmage at Thomas E. Whigham Stadium.

Byrd tackled Brouillett for a five yard loss on the play, one of his six stops for losses on the night. Byrd also had two quarterback sacks and 11 total tackles for the game as the Orange beat the Black 13-0.

"We wanted to establish the running game because we've always been known as a passing team," said Blake.

The Black was led on the ground by Andre Rawlings, Jason Beverly and Tereon Foster who combined for 16 carries for 35 yards.

Shayne Stewart was the game's leading receiver with two receptions for 29 yards for the Black.

"We made a few mistakes with the option plays but I'd rather see

us make our mistakes here so we can correct them during the week and get ready for the jamboree," said Blake.

There were also several standout efforts on defense but none as impressive as Quinn Byrd.

Byrd played the first half for the Orange and the second half for the Black and tallied 11 tackles, two sacks and six tackles for losses.

Emory Green also switched colors at halftime and tallied five tackles. Bernard Sparrow had five tackles.

one sack while Marion Knight had four tackles, all for losses, for the Black.

Damien Burke led the Orange with five tackles.

"This game was something that the kids were really looking forward to and they came out fired up," said Blake. "This helps us get ready for the jamboree and from the jamboree we'll know what we need to work on in the off-season to prepare for the fall."

# Cubs rebound behind Mitchell-Hunt no-hitter

From Staff Reports

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SANFORD — It appears the Hungry Howie Cubs didn't take too kindly to getting hammered Thursday night.

On Friday evening, 24 hours after suffering through a 20-4 loss to the Miami Lodge Pirates, Adrian Mitchell and Don Hunt combined on a no-hitter as the Cubs won their first game of the second round, beating the Kwanisa Club Orioles 11-6 in a Sanford Recreation Department Babe Ruth Baseball League game at Chase Park.

The win advances the Cubs to 1-3 in the second round while the Orioles, who had been undefeated in the second round, fell to 3-1.

Both teams were scheduled to play Saturday in the league's weekly quadrupheader. The Cubs will play their fourth game in five days when they play the Pretty Punch Blue Jays at 8 p.m. Monday. The Orioles won't play again until Thursday, when they face the Prestige Lumber Expos at 8 p.m.

The Orioles took advantage of Mitchell's wildness in the first two innings, parlaying six walks and a hit batsman into four runs. Hunt came on with no outs in the second and struck out 12 batters over the

next five innings, not allowing any runs to be scored in the sixth.

By that time, the Cubs had built a seven-run lead. After tying the score at 4-4 with a run in the top of the third, the Cubs took control of the game with a five-run fourth inning. They added two runs in the fifth to go up 11-4.

The Orioles took advantage of two walks in the bottom of the sixth to score two more runs, but the game was then stopped by the two-hour time limit.

Kevin Butler, Travis Byrd and John Martin each hit a pair of singles and scored a run to lead the Cubs' 12-hit attack. Mitchell singled once and scored two runs.

Also contributing were Terrell Jackson, D.D. Hampton, Joe Tittle and Eric Johnson (each with one single and one run scored). Hunt (single) and Cornelius Martin and Terry Welik (one run scored each).

Zack Michels scored two runs for the Orioles while Ricky Justice, Lorenzo Dixon, Ivan Byrd, Isiah Barnes each scored one run.



Don Hunt came on in relief of starter Adrian Mitchell and struck out 12 batters over to complete a no-hitter as the Hungry Howie Cubs rallied past the Kwanisa Club Orioles 11-6 on Friday night. Hunt also hit a single.

# Oviedo's Peters raises goals higher and higher

By ROBBIE STOCK  
Herald Correspondent

WINTER PARK — Wendy Peters has dreams. Big ones.

And last Saturday, the Oviedo High School sophomore took another step toward achieving her goals with a second-place finish in the Class 4A state high-jump competition at Percy M. Beard Track.

Peters, who competed in the state heptathlon this weekend, tied her career best by jumping 5 feet, 4 inches. Although no-one cleared 5 feet, 6 inches, Kris Burley of Clearwater-Countryside did not miss an attempt at 5 feet, 4 inches while Peters missed her first jump.

This was the second consecutive year that Peters finished second in a state high-jump event. Last season, she took second in the Class 1A state meet for Luther High School, clearing 5 feet, 0 inches.

"Hopefully, we'll keep moving up next year," said Peters last week. "I was unsure of myself today."

Had Peters cleared 5 feet, 6 inches, she would have eclipsed Suzanne Hughes's school record which she set before graduating in 1989. Peters's last attempt came the closest as she just grazed the bar and just missed the state title.

But the spunky sophomore has

goals far beyond that of just a high-jump championship — she wants one in the 110 and 330-meter hurdle events as well. And if she keeps improving, Oviedo track coach Steve Melgard thinks she could surprise some people.

"In the past month, she's come around physically and mentally," said Melgard. "She's going to be a very fine all-around athlete."

Peters qualified for the region in both the 110 and 330-meter hurdle events as well as the high jump. She didn't advance in the 110 race and chose to intentionally false start in the 330s because the race was being run simultaneously with the high-jump finals, which she won.

As for next year, Peters looks to make gains on her high-jump goals so she can one day try out for the Junior National team.

"By my senior year, I'd like to jump 6 feet," said Peters. "I'm going to have to train better."

But the one thing she won't have to work is her competitiveness. She's already got enough of that.

"She's an ultra-competitive person," commented Melgard, who noted that Peters had challenged him to a 100-yard footrace at the end of track season. "She hates to lose at anything."



Wendy Peters, who finished second in the high jump at the Class 4A state track meet last Saturday, was one of four members on Oviedo High School's team that participated in the state heptathlon this weekend.





World Photo by Ruffy Jordan

Mike Evans of the Marshall USA Expos suffered the loss as the Railroaders Cubs rallied to hand the Expos their first loss of the season 16-11 in Sanford Recreation Department Little Major Baseball League action at Roy Holler Field Thursday night. Evans did have a good game at the plate, however, as he tripled and scored two runs.

### Red Sox lone unbeaten In Sanford Little Majors

**From Staff Reports**

**SANFORD** — The K & D Trailer Sales Red Sox are the only undefeated team left in the Sanford Recreation Department Little Major Baseball League after the Railroaders Cubs ended the Marshall USA Expos streak at six with a 16-11 victory Thursday night (May 18) at Roy Holler Field.

In the other Thursday game the Sunniland Corporation Pirates edged the Rinker Materials Dodgers 7-6.

In games played last Saturday (May 11), the Expos bested the Pirates 9-4, the First Federal Bank Cardinals hammered the Dodgers 14-3, the Red Sox ripped the Cubs 11-3, the First Union Bank A's clobbered the Fisher, Laurence & Deen Blue Jays 11-1 and the Disabled American Veterans Royals outscored the Ace Hardware Orioles 13-11.

Heading into yesterday's quintupheader the standings in the National Division have the Expos and Cardinals tied for the lead with 6-1 records. They are followed by the Pirates (3-4), the Cubs (2-4) and the Dodgers (1-6).

The Red Sox are atop the standings in the American Division with a 7-0 record. They are trailed by the Royals (4-3), the A's (3-3), the Orioles (2-5) and the Blue Jays (0-7).

In Thursday's games the Pirates erased a 5-0 deficit by scoring four runs in the third inning and three runs in the fourth inning to claim the win.

Pacing the Pirates attack were Ernest Anderson (two singles, two runs), Lonnie Fuller (double), Bruce Carter (single, two runs), Andy Heaberlin (single), and Larnel Fayson, John Justice and Brian Ruby (one run each).

Doing the damage for the Dodgers were Lorenzo Robinson (double, two runs), Tarrell Bender, Chad Sheffield, Gerald Bishop and Alfred Harris (one single and one run each) and Barry Porter (single).

The Cubs finally showed their potential as they came from behind to win. The Expos scored seven runs in the top of the first inning but the Cubs quickly erased the disadvantage with three runs in the first inning and six in the second.

Contributing to a 13 hit Cubs offense were Aaron Knight (four singles, two runs), Byron Deese (home run, triple, four runs), David Keese (double, single, three runs), Johnathon Eady, Terrance McQueen and Jason Richards (one single and one run each), Terrance Daniels (single) and Charlie McLain (run).

In last Saturday's games a five run third spelled the difference as the Expos beat the Pirates. Providing the offense for the Expos were Danny Harrison (triple, two singles, two runs), Alex Jacot (triple, single), Mike Evans (double, single, two runs), Ned Raines (two singles, two runs), Chaz Lytle (single, two runs), Steve Bussard (single, run) and Jeremy Hardy (run).

Leading the Pirates were Larnel Fayson (double, run), Rudolph Lawrence and Lonnie Fuller (one single each) and Ernest Anderson, Bruce Carter and Brian Ruby (one run each).

The Cardinals won their sixth game of the season by jumping out to a 4-0 lead in the top of the first inning. After both teams scored three runs in the second the Cards ended the game by the mercy rule with a seven run fourth.

#### Saturday May 11

Marshall USA Expos	010	201	- 9	11
Sunniland Pirates	100	000	- 4	3
First Federal Bank Cardinals	000	7	- 14	8
Rinker Materials Dodgers	000	0	- 5	3
Railroaders Cubs	001	110	- 3	10
K&D Trailer Sales Red Sox	000	100	- 11	5
F. L. & B. Blue Jays	100	00	- 1	0
First Union Bank A's	100	00	- 11	7
D. A. V. Royals	010	011	- 13	11
Ace Hardware Orioles	700	101	- 11	7

#### Thursday, May 16

Sunniland Pirates	000	000	- 7	5
Rinker Materials Dodgers	001	100	- 6	6
Marshall USA Expos	700	310	- 11	9
Railroaders Cubs	100	000	- 14	13

Providing the offense for the Cardinals were Frankie Alphin (triple, single, two runs), Adam Dryden (two singles, two runs), Bart Dixon, Brett Witte and Jason Graham (one single and two runs each), Major Fischer (two runs) and Mike Arrington and Jimmy Parsons (one run each).

Doing the hitting for the Dodgers were J.J. Bryant (double, run), Alfred Harris and Mike Liblobos (one single each) and Lorenzo Robinson and Tarrell Bender (one run each).

The Red Sox were able to remain unbeaten despite being out-hit 10-5. The winners scored four runs in the first inning and six in the second to take control early.

Doing the damage for the Red Sox were Brett Counts (double, single, two runs), Bart Counts (double, run), Robert Randall (single, two runs), Trellis Smith (single), Anotnio White and Terrance Perkins (two runs each) and Denny Meeks and Nicolas Ireland (one run each).

Eric Smith and Gerard Williams combined on a no-hitter as the A's pounded the Blue Jays. Smith struck out seven in his three innings of work while Williams struck out six of the eight men he faced.

Providing the offense for the A's were Smith (home run, double, two runs), Elgin Hollway (home run, single, run), Emad Baker (double, single, two runs), Richard Badger (double) and Williams, Shane Rowland, Jason Hardey, James Ripley, Rickey Anderson and Sylvester Wynn (one run each).

Bryan Seelbinder scored the lone Blue Jays run. A six run third inning allowed the Royals to erase a 5-5 deficit as the defending American Division Champions won their fourth game of the season.

Contributing to an 11 hit Royals offense Steve Brown (triple, two singles, three runs), Marcus Beasley (triple, single, run), Walter Bryant (home run, two runs), Tim Wynn (home run), Tommy Raines (double, run), Robert Harrington (single, three runs) and Randy Casey and Maxwell Howard (one single and one run each).

Pacing the Orioles offense were Robert Reed (triple, two singles, two runs), Brent Templeton (double, run), James Bohanon and Albert Harris (one single and two runs each), Daniel Bohanon (single, run) and Rashad Doctor, Eric Sperry and Mike Clarkin (one run each).



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# People

## IN BRIEF

### New doctor fifth generation

Michael Wing, son of Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Wing, Sanford, graduated from the University of Miami College of Medicine May 11.

Wing is a fifth generation Seminole County resident, descended from Mr. and Mrs. Washington Caldwell, who settled in Payola in the 1870s. Wing's grandparents, Col. and Mrs. Kenneth A. Wing, both deceased, lived in Longwood for many years.

Wing, a member of Holy Cross Episcopal Church, Sanford, attended All Souls Catholic School, Sanford, and graduated from Trinity Preparatory School, Winter Park, after having been named to Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Wing attended Atlanta's Emory University, where his father graduated from medical school, and later Wing graduated as a Phi Beta Kappa from the University of Florida, Gainesville.

Wing entered the University of Miami College of Medicine in 1987 and will begin his internship at the University of Alabama, Birmingham, and at Lloyd Nolan Hospital. He plans to enter the field of Radiation Oncology.

### Holt graduates from law school

Jack Erskine Holt, III, son of Jack and Linda Holt and brother of Ryan, Sanford, recently received his juris doctor degree from the University of Florida College of Law, Gainesville. He graduated with honors.

Holt is the paternal grandson of Jack Sr. and Virginia Holt, DeBary. He is the maternal grandson of L. Lamar and Helen Hughes, Brooksville, Fla.

Holt graduated from All Souls Catholic School, Sanford, in 1975. He graduated from Bishop Moore High School, Orlando, in 1982 and received an A.B. from Harvard College in 1986.

Holt was a Legal Research and Writing Fellow and participated in the Moot Court, which offers students the opportunity to research and write appellate briefs and to present oral arguments before critical judges.

Family members gathered for a celebratory luncheon following Holt's commencement. Holt will work for a Gainesville law firm as he studies for his Florida Bar Exam, scheduled for July.

# Doyenne's life a rich tapestry

By BOB BETHUNE  
Herald Columnist

SANFORD — During her lifetime, Charlotte Meeds Smith has hobnobbed with a host of luminaries on the homefront and in her travels abroad.

And she still does.

When the gracious matriarch of the Sanford civil and cultural community celebrated her 90th birthday, May 10, former Gov. Reubin Askew and his wife from Sanford, Donna Lou, were among the esteemed guests. Also attending were former state Sen. Douglas Binstrom, Sanford and Lake Mary; Mayor Betty Smith, and Tam Duggan, Ocala, president of the Florida Federation of Women's Clubs.

With a broad smile on her face that indicated a manifestation of joy, Charlotte explained that she attended the Askew wedding and entertained at a bridal party for the former Donna Lou Harper. Gov. Askew had nothing but praise for the charming guest of honor and said she is "one of my favorite people."

Charlotte's legion of admirers are apt to say, "She's as sharp as a tack, has a memory like an elephant and is as fit as a fiddle." At 90, she is still going strong and traveling alone to whatever destination that pleases her fancy.

Born with a silver spoon in her mouth to doting parents in Meridian, Miss. on May 23, 1901, it was inevitable that Charlotte, an only child, would become an accomplished activist and leader. Her father, a successful businessman in Meridian, was exalted ruler of the Elks and potentate of the Shriners. Her mother, an outstanding musical and clubwoman, was also a leader in her church and the community.

Charlotte attended her first woman's club meeting with her mother when she was 13. Once she got a taste of club work, there was no stopping the vivacious Mississippi teen-ager.

Little did she realize that, one day, she would be elected to the prestigious post as president of the Florida Federation of Women's Clubs and be honored at the General Federation of Women's Clubs' Centennial Celebration in New York City last year.

A 1921 graduate of the University of Alabama where she majored in English, Charlotte was soon to marry Ralph Austin Smith, also an alumni of UA, who whisked his bride off to New York where he held a responsible banking position.

But Charlotte did not like New York and they moved to Miami where he entered the real estate field. The Smiths moved to Sanford in 1926 where he headed the Sanford Credit Bureau and was later employed as treasurer of Chase and Co. Their two sons, Ralph Jr. and Walter Meeds, were born and reared in Sanford.

Charlotte joined the Woman's Club of Sanford in 1927 and served as its president from 1932 to 1934. Later, she climbed the ranks to several FFWC offices and was eventually elevated to the top as president. Her outstanding club accomplishments, including holding office in the GFWC, are too numerous to mention. She also served as president of the Seminole County Federation of Women's Clubs.

In 1983, after 50 years of continuous service, Charlotte was awarded an honorary life mem-



Charlotte Smith, center, greets guests Donna Lou and former Gov. Reubin Askew.

bership in the Sanford Woman's Club. Later, she was given an honorary life membership in the Sanford Junior Woman's Club.

A dedicated member of the First Presbyterian Church, Charlotte has served her church in various capacities from president of the Women's Auxiliary to elder.

Her other church service includes: Synodical Board as chairman of Synodical Training School for which she was awarded life membership; president of St. Johns Presbyterian, Presbyterian Church, USA; president Sanford Council, United Church Women; and historian for United Church Women of Florida.

Charlotte's civic activities include: chairman Seminole County Chapter of the American Red Cross; member of the first board of Seminole County Mental Health Association; State Democratic Committee woman from Seminole County; president Seminole Mutual Concert Association; president Orlando parliamentarians; honorary member of Beta Chi Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma (teachers' sorority); honorary life member of Seminole County Salvation Army Advisory Board; first woman called for jury service in Seminole County; and recipient of the Sanford Kiwanis Club's Roberta Gatchel Woman of the Year award for "Outstanding Community Service."

What does a 90-year-old energetic woman do in her spare time? With what little time she has,

Charlotte is an avid reader and has an impassioned interest in playing bridge. She does not watch television and is the first to admit that she's no culinary icon.

"I don't like to cook," she said. "My mother never taught me to cook."

Charlotte's advice for longevity: "Don't drink, don't smoke, go to church on Sunday, and don't get shot." She says she works a crossword puzzle everyday "to keep my mind active."

Mr. Smith lived long enough for the couple to celebrate their 65th wedding anniversary, at which time they wore their original wedding attire. She could still fit into her lovely, slim ivory satin gown with a long train, and he wore his wedding tuxedo for a spectacular presentation.

Several years ago, Charlotte informed the Sanford Woman's Club that the club needed to appoint a new parliamentarian, a position she held for 18 years. She finally got their attention with a vintage Smith statement: "I am not going to live forever, you know."

But that's hard for the woman's club to believe. For those who know her, Charlotte represents a historical era that's as gone with the wind at Margaret Mitchell's immortal novel by the same name.

And just as the novel, embraced with memories of yesteryear, will never be forgotten, neither will Charlotte Smith.

# Legion auxiliary cares and shares

By LAGY BOWEN  
Herald People Editor

SANFORD — Ask Cayri Hogsett, president of the Campbell-Lossing American Legion Auxiliary Unit 53, Sanford, what exactly a veterans' auxiliary member does, and she will tell you.

"A lot. We do a lot," she said. So much, in fact, that Hogsett writes it down so she won't forget a project.

It works because her report about auxiliary activities recently earned Unit 53 the Sixth District president's trophy for the most outstanding unit and report out of 25 units in the district.

Hogsett is proud. "It's based on the unit's efforts to participate in all phases of the American Legion Auxiliary programs for one year," she explained.

Hogsett's term as president will end June 30, and she said she has had a very busy year.

The unit co-sponsored some activities with the Legionnaires, such as seasonal parties, but it is the events on which the members work so tirelessly to raise money for charity and youth projects that Hogsett said are special to her.

Community Service Chairman Joanne Smith agreed.

"Our basic goal is to support the community in any way we can," she said.

"Our theme is to care and share," Hogsett said.

Hogsett explained the unit sponsored a membership tea and fashion show and gained 30 new members, swelling the ranks to 216 members, who then help during different events to raise money. The group hosted a craft show and a bake and yard sale. The annual Memorial Day poppy distribution took in \$900.

The largest source of funds for

the unit is the Tuesday night Bingo games, held at the post home.

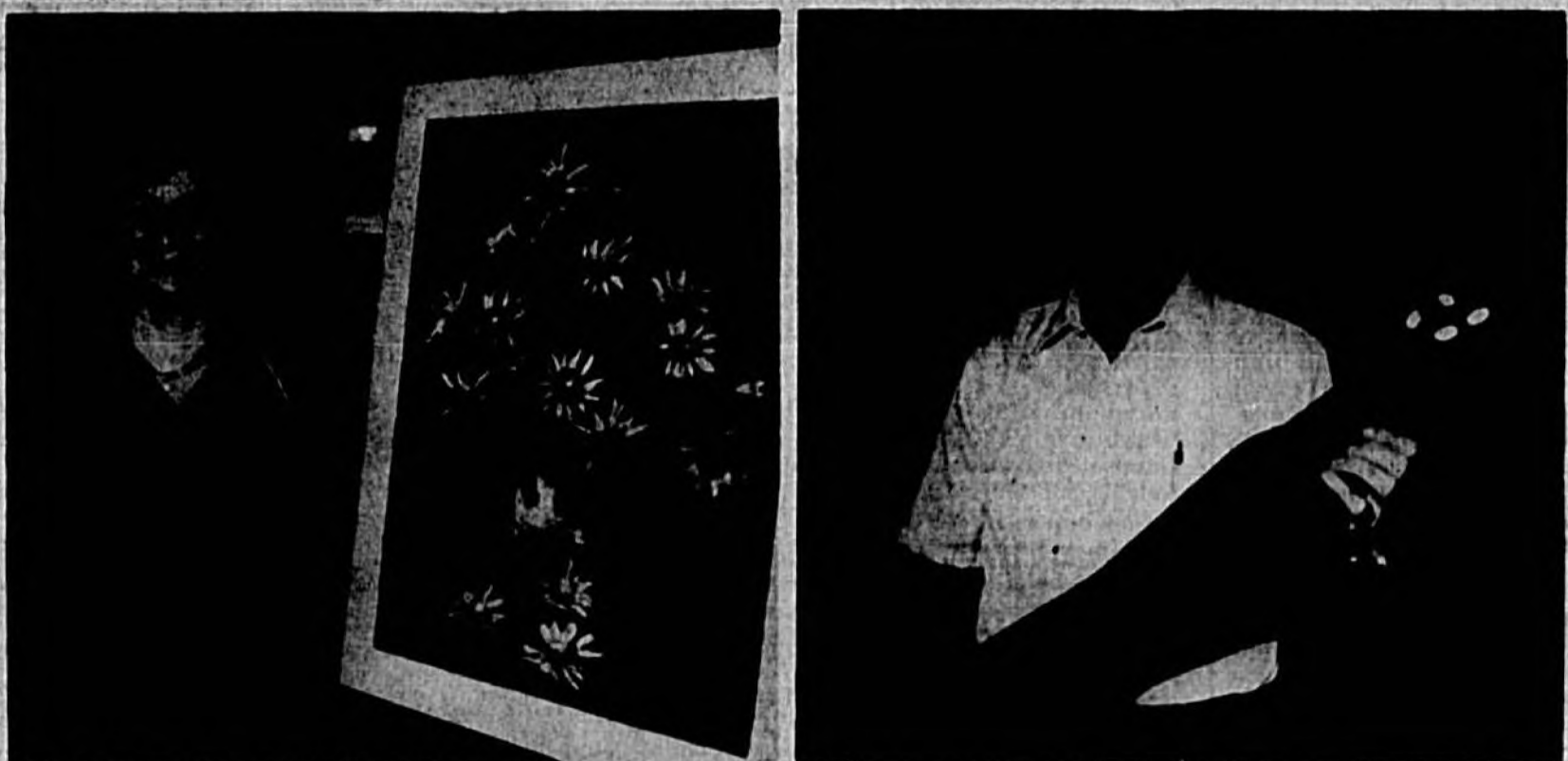
"And the money can only be used for charity," Mary Ann Taylor, past president said.

Even Bingo patrons have caught the spirit of the auxiliary. They bring canned goods, which are dispersed by the unit to needy families, to the games.

"We've distributed about 3,000 cans of food this year," Smith said.

Other projects and charitable donations include: \$300 to an outstanding senior in high school enabling the student to attend the Congressional Leadership Seminar in Washington D.C.; \$300 to Seminole High School's R.O.T.C. program; \$500 to help fund choral students from SHS to Nashville; \$1,000 to Missing Children Center, Winter Springs; \$500 to Seminole Work Opportunity Program, Sanford; \$900 to the Boston Avenue School, DeLand, to purchase communication devices; \$150 plus food and gifts to a widow and her five children at Christmas; \$150 to the County Mental Health Day Care Center for a party; \$100 for a Girl Scout trip; \$500 for a party at a nursing home; \$1,000 to a crippled children's hospital; \$100 to the March of Dimes; 111 bags of Christmas gifts to Hillhaven Nursing Center; \$100 to a family whose home had burned down; two portable phones, a copier, two television sets and gifts, cakes, books and stamps for the veterans in the hospital in Gainesville. The unit mailed an \$1,800 check to the Department of Florida to support all of the other veterans' hospitals.

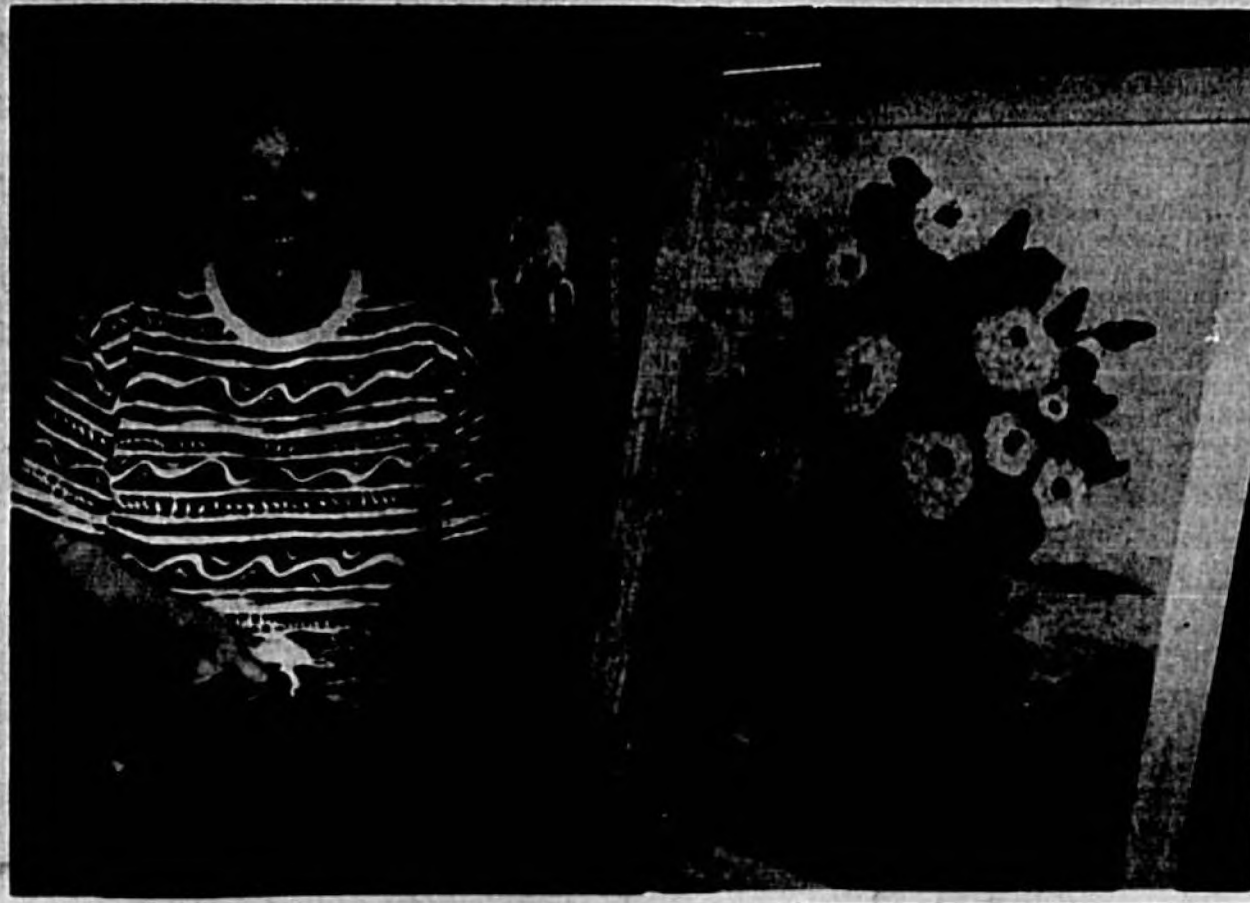
The unit is currently preparing a \$2,400 scholarship for a student in the Teenage Parent Program at Crooms School of Choice. The scholarship will pay



### Seniors get creative

Sanford Senior Center recently hosted a Senior Art Show in honor of Older Americans Month. Top left: Alene Higginbotham, Sanford, won first place for her painting entitled "Daisies." Top right: Jim Steakley, Sanford, also was awarded first place for his handmade rosewood dulcimer. Bottom: Senior center Director Liz Derr displays 32 honorable mention ribbons awarded to members of the Christian Alliance Church Nutrition Site, who pooled their talent to create a painting of a potted bouquet.

Herald Photos by Tommy Vincent



# New York? Paris? Sanford!



Jameson Jessup and Angela Skipper

## Angela R. Skipper to be a June bride

**SANFORD** - Mrs. Mondelecta Skipper, Sanford, is announcing the engagement of her daughter, Angela R. Skipper, to Jameson Mark Jessup, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Jessup Jr., Sanford.

Born in Alben, S. C., the bride-elect is the maternal granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Whitey Ayers, Lincoln, Ga.

Miss Skipper attended Silver Bluff High School, Augusta, Ga. and is presently self-employed in sales.

Her fiancé, born in Sanford, is the maternal grandson of Mr. Oliver Beard, Sanford. He is the paternal grandson of Mrs. Emma Jessup, LaGrange, Ga. Jessup is a 1962 graduate of Seminole High School. He attended Carson Newman College, Jefferson City, Tenn., and Stetson University, DeLand. He is an insurance agent.

The wedding will be an event of June 1 at Flomich Avenue Baptist Church, Holly Hill, Fl.

The fashion show and luncheon May 10 to benefit the American Heart Association, Seminole County Division, had all the glitz, glitter and glamour of a world metropolis. The only difference in flair, fashion and finesse was that the dazzler took place right here in Sanford at the civic center.

Cameras were flashing and camcorders were videotaping the gala event for Cablevision as Lisa Matic of Lisa Matic Image, Modeling and Acting, Winter Park, introduced the models and served as the glamorous mistress of ceremonies for the show produced by her and Ari D'Alcamandro.

Celebrity models and professional models straddled, mustered and meandered down the long runway to show the latest in sizing swimwear from Everything But Water and casual, career and elegant styles from Jarrod's, both in the Altamonte Mall. They were escorted from the runway by Travis Robertson and Shawn Stewart who also ushered the arriving guests to their tables.

Adding a touch of Broadway to the highly professional production were beautiful high-stepping Ballet Guild of Sanford-Seminole dancers and their handsome, tuxedo-clad partners performing to a popular old tune. "When I take my Sugar to Tea."

Also entertaining was vocalist and actor Jerry Fosnow. Preceding the show, Candi Eckstrom and her staff at Hairbenders gave some professional hairstyling tips to the audience, using several models.

Jean Clontz and Gail Stewart, co-chairwomen, welcomed the crowd of about 200 and introduced Dr. George Gomez, president of the local heart association who also thanked the supporters for attending.

The civic center was decorated in a myriad of potted plants and greenery. The luncheon tables featured fern runners interspersed with carnations. Clusters of balloons were suspended from the chairs. Serving on the decorating committee were Patti Ferrero, DeLores Lash, Leslie Wilbur and Martha Yancey with the Sanford Flower Shop assisting.

The luncheon menu consisted of savory chicken salad, cream cheese and date nut



Gail Stewart and Jean Clontz watch proudly as their daughters saashay down the runway.



bread sandwiches, strawberries, pineapple wedge and a canteloupe wedge with carrot cake for dessert.

Celebrity models included: Dr. Anthony Arciola, Scott Brown, Christina Chauncey, Miss Orlando, Dr. Frank Clontz, Lisa Clontz, Todd Clontz, Alisha Cohen, Debra Colvin, Nikki Eakin, Sheriff Don Kettinger, Dave Farr, Genny Ferrero, Myra Furberg, Dr. Orlando Garcia, Dr. George Gomez, Rep. Art Grindle, Christine Cross, Steve Hanneman, Dr. Gonzalo Huaman, Susana Huaman and Beverly Huffman.

Other celebrity models were: Sandra Kent, Barry Lash, DeLores Lash, John Lomberger, Melinda Miller, Miss Apopka, Lisa Paccella, Trish Peltier, Lee Russell, Stephanie Russell, Miss St. Lucia, Sushayla Smouse, Rose Spear, Dr. Roger Stewart, Shanan Stewart, Shayne Stewart, Dr. Lawrence Vallario, Roy Vinson, Irving Watson and John Whittington.

### Charlotte turns 90

About 200 friends and relatives called at the Sanford Woman's Club on May 11 to



Lisa Clontz Shannon Stewart

honor Mrs. Ralph Austin (Charlotte) Smith at her 90th birthday celebration. The excited honoree stood in the receiving line during the appointed hours, 2 to 4 p.m.

A white orchid corsage complemented her attractive mauve-colored dress. The hosts, her son and his wife, Walter M. and Charlotte Smith, also stood in the receiving line. Charlotte wore a carnation corsage

□ See Dietrich, Page 7B



Harold Photo by Tommy Woodard

### Patriotic gardeners

Members of the Garden Club of Lake Mary patriotically planted red, white and blue flowers recently beneath the flag at Lake Mary City Hall. Front, (l to r) Lois Pugh, Connie Bennett, Andy Braddock accompanying his mom, Marie, Ellie Sorrenty, Sheila Sawyer, Mary Wolff and Mary Jane Duryea. Back: Margaret Wesley, Evelyn Rice and Dale Cline. Not show: Lillian Griffin.

## Old and new blended into successful art, craft show

Alta Ombres reports the Serendipity Senior Show sponsored by the Lake Mary Historical Commission and by Lake Mary Seniors was a tremendous success.

"Serendipities were to be found everywhere!" she said.

On display was a quilt fashioned in 1928 by ladies of the First Presbyterian Church. It includes signatures of the who's who of that era.

A copy of the first city council meeting, August 13, 1873, was on hand. It revealed 497 voters participated in a referendum to establish the City of Lake Mary.

"Searching through scrapbooks and viewing historical collectibles gave insight to generations past," Alta said. Alta also enjoyed the arts and crafts displayed.

"It was an awakening to the artistry of the many participants," she said.

Winners in the judged event were: Acrylics: Alene Higgenbottom, 1st place; Pastels: Marge Seay, 1st place; Alene Higgenbottom, 2nd place; Oils: Marge Seay, 1st place; Claire O'Conner, 2nd place; Billie Marden, 3rd place; Watercolor: Claire O'Conner, 1st place; Faye Carson, 2nd place; Dottie Smith, 3rd place; Mixed Media: Paulene Stevens, 1st place; Alene Higgenbottom, 2nd place; Needlework: Lou Witzenburg, 1st place; Gwenne Butler, 2nd place; H. Taylor, 3rd place; Ceramics: Nellie McCarthy, 1st place; Joan Heinemann, 2nd place; Recycling: Helen Griffith, 1st place; Margaret Wesley, 2nd place; Quilting: Wilma Harper, 1st place; Jean Glensinger, 2nd place; Woodcraft: Jim Steakley, 1st place; Crocheting: Lois Pugh, 1st place;



Lillian Ruden, 2nd place; Helen Roselle, 3rd place; Special Awards: Daphne Baumbeck for her angel collection; Susan Oller for her painting of the First Presbyterian Church; Wilma Harper for her quilting; Nellie McCarthy for her dolls and the Lake Mary Historical Commission for coordinating the show.

### Officers to be installed

The installation of the new officers of the Seminole County Federation of Women's Clubs will be held tomorrow at 10:30 a.m. at the Garden Club of Sanford, 200 Fairmont Drive.

Checks for favorite charities will be disbursed to each club of the federation.

Shirley Simas said members of the Altamonte Springs Woman's Club, Caseberry Woman's Club, Garden Club of Sanford, Junior Woman's Club of Sanford, Sanford Woman's Club, Seminole County Extension, Homemakers and Sisters, Inc. are encouraged to attend the meeting and covered dish luncheon.

### Women break for summer

The Longwood Civic League Woman's Club held its installation luncheon May 7 at Bill Knapp's Restaurant, Altamonte Springs.

The devotional given by Eula Scott, paid a stirring tribute to mothers. Emily Whalton reported.

The club recently held a rummage sale for which Lynette Dennis and Hazel Mason served as chairmen. Both reported that the event was a tremendous success.

Emily explained the charming installation ceremony.

"Kudos to installing officer, Blanche Kiseane. As she installed each officer, she explained our duties of the office in rhyme, and then presented each officer with a beribboned carnation," Emily said.

Blanche, 95 years young, is librarian of the Maxine McGrath Memorial Library, established by and maintained by the woman's club. Many historic, unusual and up-to-date books can be found in the library, which is open to the public.

Installed were: Eida Nichols, president; Emily Whalton, 1st vice president; Dorene Fish, 2nd vice president who was installed by proxy by Mary Monas; Marion White, recording secretary; Eula Scott, corresponding secretary and Louise Buffalo, treasurer.

Emily said a memorable part of the luncheon was learning the identity of each 'Secret Pal.' Throughout the year each club member has had a 'Secret Pal' to whom she has sent holiday greetings; a small birthday gift and a gift at this last meeting of the year that revealed the identity of each pal.

"It was a lot of fun and there was a lot of ooh-ing and ahh-ing as each opened their gift and realized who their pal was," Emily said.

## Sweetheart Entourage will be full of richness, beauty

Sweetheart Entourage for 1991 makes us aware that spring is here and that it's time for young buds to zealously reach for the richness in their environment, so they may grow strong and beautiful. Plan to enjoy this evening of richness and beauty on June 1 at 7:30 p.m. at the Seminole High School auditorium. Witness 24 inspiring young buds from Sanford and Altamonte Springs, show how they have been groomed in an enriching program, as they blossom at the annual Sweetheart Entourage.

The event is sponsored by the Women of New Bethel AME Church, Altamonte Springs. Tickets for this gala affair can be purchased at Beverly's Haircutting Service, Sanford Avenue, and from any of the 24 young buds.

### The first half of the buds are:

Precious Allen, a freshman at Lyman High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Allen. She is an active member of New Bethel AME Church, Altamonte Springs. Her sponsor is McGee Enterprises.

Adria Brown, a 7th grader at Sanford Middle School, is the daughter of Ms. Virginia Moye. She is an active member of Oak Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Geneva. Her sponsor is Attorney Matthew Fenderson, Esq.

Velebrina Campbell, a freshman at Seminole High School, is the daughter of Ms. Dolores Campbell. She is an active member of The Church of God of Prophecy. Her sponsors are Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Petty.

Freya Cooper, an 8th grader at Sanford Middle School, is the daughter of Mr. Robert N. Cooper. She is an active member of Calvary Apostolic Temple Church. Her sponsor is Dr. Willie B. Newman.

Terina DeBose is a student at Seminole Community College Adult High School, and the daughter of Ms. Orinda Stevens and Mr. Jimmie DeBose. She is an active member of New Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church. Her sponsors are Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Smith.

Tennishia Eason, an 8th grader at Sanford Middle School, is the daughter of Ms. Tawana E. Raines. She is an active member of New Life Word Center, Sanford. Her sponsor is Dr. Willie B. Sherman.

Brandi Evans, a freshman at Lake Mary High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Evans. She is an active member of The Full Gospel Church of God in Christ, Brandi is sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Norman Evans.

Lahoma Faison, an 8th grader at Sanford Middle School, is the daughter of Ms. Geneva Faison. She is an active member of Calvary Apostolic Temple and sponsored by Mr. Roger Gardner.

Dawna Ferguson, a freshman at Lake Mary High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ferguson. She is an active member of Clearwater Missionary Baptist Church and is sponsored by Mrs. Shirley Johnson of Break Away Tours.

Molene Geathers is a freshman at Lake Howell High School and the granddaughter of Ms. Mercedes Harris. She is an active member of New Bethel AME Church and is sponsored by Fulmore Chiropactic Center.

Tracie Gilchrist, a freshman at Lake Mary High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gilchrist. She is an active member of New Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church and sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Willie O. Holt.

Latoshia Gunter is an 8th grader at Sanford Middle School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gunter. She is an active member of First Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church, Sanford, and sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams.

The remaining buds will be announced next week.

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# Cat's Prayer voiced by someone who is genuine lover of felines

**DEAR ABBY:** This is in response to the person who wrote that insulting "Cat's Prayer." That person obviously never had a cat, and it's probably just as well.

I am submitting a Cat's Prayer by someone who genuinely loves cats, so please, be a sweetie, and give the other side a chance to be heard.

### A CAT'S PRAYER

Dear Human Companion, please keep in mind that we came to be together for our need for mutual companionship and affection. My affection is not born of blind obedience, yet in my own way, I am a most loving and companionable animal. I ask that you show me proper respect and remember that I am a naturally clean being. Therefore, I expect you to feed me from a clean dish and to keep my water bowl clean and fresh. Naturally, if I share your home, I expect you to keep my litter box properly clean. I wouldn't dream of soiling your possessions unless you provide me beyond all reasonable limits by your own filthy habits. Although I may



**ADVICE**

**ABIGAIL VAN BUREN**

seem aloof and reserved, my love and affection is genuine. Understand that the ways of a dog are not my ways, and if you mistreat me, I will leave the first chance I get. I will never be much of a pet, but if you meet me halfway, I will happily be a loving companion for life.

**CAROLYN MOBLEY, SUITSVILLE, ALA.**

**DEAR CAROLYN:** The prayer is (for the most part) lovely, but for a cat to accuse its owner of having "filthy habits" is risky business.

However, if cats have nine lives, the author of that "prayer" can probably spare one.

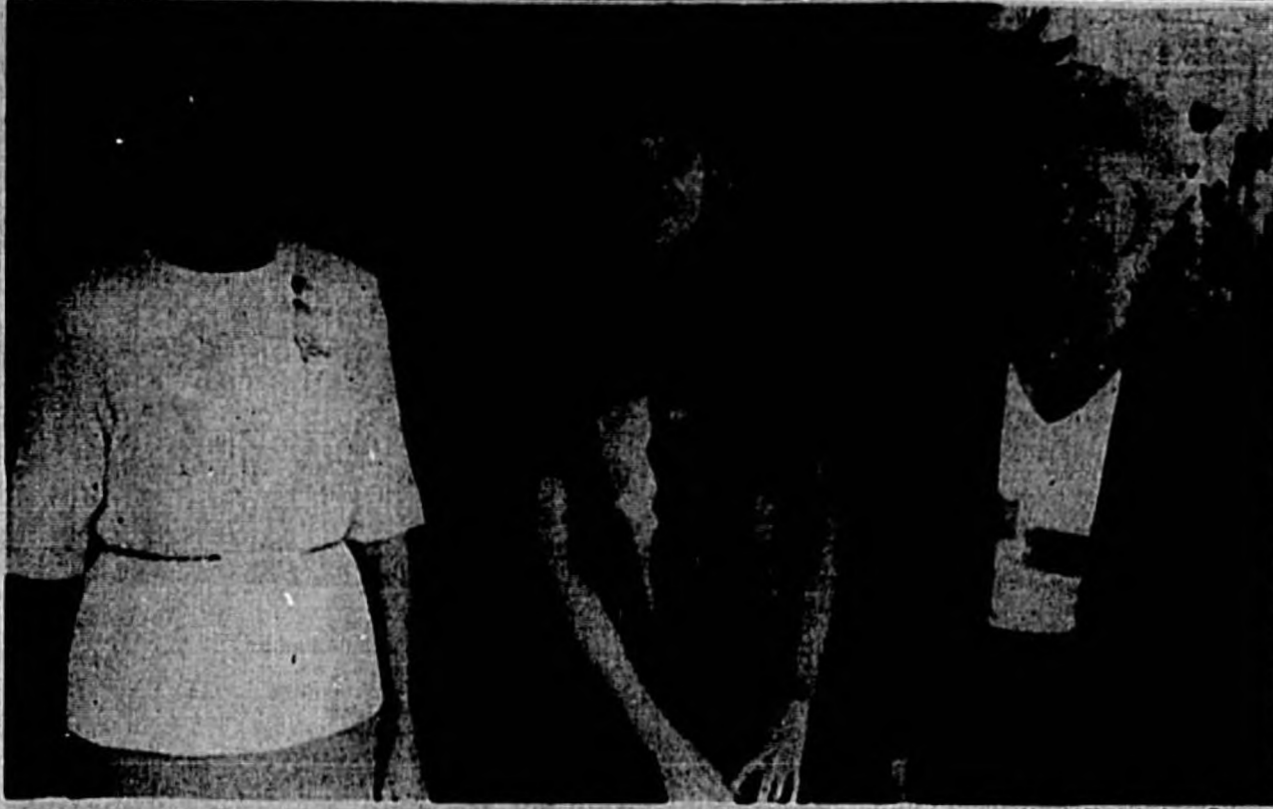
**DEAR ABBY: AIDS has**

reached epidemic proportions, horrifying numbers of crack babies are being born, abusive parents are slaughtering their children, tens of thousands of teen-agers are getting pregnant, homeless people crowd our streets, adolescent alcoholism plagues our schools, our elderly are sadly neglected, our mentally ill are vegetating because treatment is unaffordable, our banks are failing, our planet is badly polluted, our prisons are overcrowded and crime is rampant.

And "Mrs. Springer in Mesa" is completely pushed out of shape because five years ago, a clerk in a small business establishment asked what her first name was, and her priest called her "Sherril."

Tell her to lighten up, Abby. And thanks for the best laugh I've had in a very long time.

**PEP UP IN LONDON**  
**CONFIDENTIAL TO "ENJOYING FORBIDDEN FRUIT"**  
What's so enjoyable about forbidden fruit when afterward you have to pray for a crop failure?



Jeanne Smith, MaryAnn Taylor and Cayri Hogsett.

Worldwide Photos by Larry Romano

## Auxiliary

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for two years of nursing school, including books, at Seminole Community College. The ongoing community serv-

ice project has been the Outreach Rescue Mission, Sanford. The unit donated \$500 toward establishing a home for abused women and children. They threw a linen shower for the mission to help furnish it with towels, soap and clothing.

"I'm proud to be a part of it all," Hogsett said. "I'm proud to care and share."

## Dietrich

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with her soft beige costume and Walter wore a boutonniere in the

lapel of his suit. Mrs. Smith's other son and his wife, Ralph A. Jr. and Carolyn of Quitman, Miss., assisted in en-

tertaining the guests. One table held family photographs while three other tables offered a variety of refreshments.

A multi-colored arrangement of spring flowers was featured on the punch, cake and food tables.

Background piano music was played by John Murray Jr., a student at Seminole Community College.

Pouring the coffee and punch were Mayor Bettye Smith, Connie Williams, Wynette Lanier, Gerry Weidman, Hazel Cash, Nancy Crawford, Laural Bailey, Carolyn Smith and Audrey Smith, Jacksonville.

Registering the guests in the guest book were Carolyn Smith and the honoree's great-granddaughters, Wendi Smith and Cristie Smith, Jacksonville.

Other family members attending the celebration were Walter's son, Brett, Mrs. Smith's grandson, his wife, Audrey, and four children from Jacksonville. Mrs. Smith has four grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

### Mother-Daughter Brunch

"It was wonderful," Kathy Krasoff, president of the Sanford Junior Woman's Club, extolled about the club's annual Mother-Daughter Brunch.

Held at the lovely Wingfield Reserve home of member Robin MacLeay, the event was the last word in elegance, according to DeLoree Lash, club sponsor from the Woman's Club of Sanford.

About 25 attended the brunch including member Lisa Martin and her two daughters Anissa and Kirsten, and Robin's daughter, Sherri.

Members arriving with their mothers and other guests were Lisa Robertson, Sharon Baragona, Carol Dyal, Beth Bridges and Jeanna Perneatti.

Carol Dyal was the chairman for the catered brunch which received rave reviews. Kathy said, "The table was laden with food. Anything you can imagine was on that table."

As a memento of the delightful occasion, each mom received a long-stemmed pink carnation and a copy of the lovely poem saluting mothers which Kathy read earlier.

### Calling all Celery Feds

Mona Walker tells us there's going to be a hot time in the old town on June 1. In conjunction with the luncheon that day at Sanford Middle School for alumni, faculty and friends who graduated from Seminole High School during 1927-1960, plans are being formulated for added activities that evening.

According to Janice Reel Springfield, class of '33, Celery Feds are invited to gather the evening of June 1 at the Greater Sanford Chamber of Commerce

building for an evening of memories. Mona says that excitement is running high with Sonny Raborn, class of '45,

reporting that the "Banana Boys" will play for a sock hop beginning at 8 p.m. This group includes two '45 graduates, Dr. Neil Powell and Dr. Wade Rucker Jr. It is planned to have a memorabilia table on display. More details on this later.

A planning meeting will be held at 7 p.m., Tuesday, May 21, at the chamber, 401 E. First St.

Volunteers wishing to help are asked to call Sonny Raborn, 322-4178; Janice Springfield, 333-2430; evenings; or Mona Mills Walker, 322-3232.

### Bride-elect honored

Paula DeVelder, bride-elect of Douglas "Dusty" Downer, was honored at a bridal shower recently at the Seminole Estates home of the bridegroom's parents, Kathy and Lamar Downer. Hostesses for the elegant event were Debbie

Soderstrom and Julie Rowe.

The wedding will take place at the First Baptist Church on May 25.

Others attending were Becky Moleaar, the bride's mother, Holley Anne Ricker, Roxine Jorris, Linda Dargenial, Betty Collins, Vicki Hall, Darla Hall, Easter Smith, Libby Kinnard, Martha Spivey, Ruthie Downer, Yvonne Oliver, Joann Downer, Dee Gibbs, Andrea Cheek and Christine Ricker.

Attending from out-of-town were Carol Ann Tompkins, Tallahassee; Barbara Petty and Carl Russell, Jacksonville; and Tammy Petty, Gainesville.

### Circle ends season

Wildflower Circle of the Sanford Garden Club ended the season with a tour of Leu Gardens and the Leu House, Orlando, followed by lunch. After lunch, the entourage visited the Orlando Historical Museum where a quilt show is in progress until the end of June.

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### Salute planned

Daughters of Sphinx State of Florida Tyre Court No. 14, Enterprise and Sanford will sponsor a salute to Mother Blanche Bell Weaver, founder of the Rescue Church of God and The Rescue Outreach Mission, on Friday May 24 at 7 p.m. at the Sanford Civic Center to honor her for her works in the community.

A donation of \$6 is being asked in advance, \$7.50 at the door.

For information, call Maatron Georglann Promise 323-2870 or Past Maatron Mary L. Smith 322-8258.

### Gospel night presented

Queen of Sheba No. 288 Order of Eastern Stars will present an evening "Gospel Night of Joy" on May 25 at 7:30 p.m. at Ne Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, W. 12th St., and Pecan Avenue. The Voices of Calvary, guest choirs from Tampa, will appear. The renowned gospel singer, Vernon "Popa" Jones, will appear with his latest gospel songs. This program is sponsored to aid students who will be attending local colleges and furthering their education to make this community a better place in which to live.

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**SANFORD**

**MARVA HAWKINS**

The Rev. B. J. Player, pastor, invites the public to attend.

### Class of '61 to meet

The Crooms High School Class of 1961 will hold its class reunion meeting, May 24 at 7:30 p.m. in the church annex of New Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church. All students of the class of 1961 are invited to help make plans for the 30th reunion. For information call Yvonne McClain Grey at 330-3812.

### Recital scheduled

TBJ School of Music will present its students in recital on Monday at 7:30 p.m. at New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, 612 East 10 St., Sanford. The recital will be given by 19 students of the school. The community is invited to attend. Therese James, director.

## FRIDAY'S TELEVISION

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**In Loving Memory of Robert Worlington**  
Aug. 21, 1946-May 18, 1987  
You are not forgotten, loved one. We will remember thee.  
As long as life and memory last, we shall remember thee.  
We miss you now, our hearts are sore.  
As time goes on we miss you more.  
Your loving smile, your gentle face.  
No one can fill your vacant place  
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For 24-hour listings, see LEISURE magazine of Friday, May 17

**BLONDS**  
by Chic Young

1. I've been thinking about you for a while...  
2. I've been thinking about you for a while...  
3. I've been thinking about you for a while...  
4. I've been thinking about you for a while...

**BEEBLE BAILEY**  
by Mari Walker

1. YOU SHOULD APPROACH EACH DAY AS IF IT'S THE FIRST DAY OF THE REST OF YOUR LIFE.  
2. NO WAY, SIR.  
3. I LIVE EACH DAY LIKE THERE'S NO TOMORROW.  
4. DON'T YOU?

**THE BORN LOSER**  
by Art Scahill

1. TELL ME IF YOU THINK THIS COFFEE TASTES FUNNY.  
2. MMM... SOMETHING'S WRONG.  
3. BY GOLLY, IT REALLY DOES!

**PEANUTS**  
by Charles M. Schulz

1. A SIGHT TO BEHOLD.  
2. MMM... IT'S REALLY GOOD!

**EEK & MEK**  
by Howie Schneider

1. THAT'S RIGHT, NO CHARGE FOR THE FAT.  
2. MMM... IT'S REALLY GOOD!

**TUMBLEWEEDS**  
by T.K. Ryan

1. THE BIG GUY REALLY HAS A PRICE.  
2. I'LL SAY.  
3. BUT EVERYTHING HAS A PRICE.

**ARLO AND JANIS**  
by Jimmy Johnson

1. HELLO!  
2. HELLO! IS ARLO THERE?

**FRANK AND ERNEST**  
by Bob Thaves

1. I DON'T MEET EXPENSES AS MUCH AS I COLLIDE WITH THEM!

**GARFIELD**  
by Jim Davis

1. I SUPPOSE I SHOULD JUST LET GO AND FLAP TO THE WEST BELOW.  
2. YES, SIR!

**ROBOTMAN**  
by Jim Meddick

1. BEFORE I MET YOU, NO ONE EVER REALLY LISTENED TO ME.  
2. THEY ALL HAD THEIR OWN OPINIONS ON EVERYTHING... BLAH, BLAH, BLAH... IT JUST GREW TIRESOME.  
3. WHAT! THAT'S IT? THAT'S EXACTLY HOW I FELT! YOU'VE GOT IT DOWN PERFECTLY!

**By Bernice Rebe Good YOUR BIRTHDAY**  
May 19, 1991

Partnerships in the year ahead could be more of a hindrance than a help. This is because you're likely to attract extremely distinctive individuals.

**Taurus** (April 20-May 20) Someone with whom you're closely involved could severely test your patience today, because the more you give, the more this individual wants.

**Gemini** (May 21-June 20) It's best not to belittle someone whom you've had a recent disagreement with in front of others today. When things get straightened out, and they eventually will, you may regret your comments.

**Cancer** (June 21-July 20) You are presently in a cycle where your extravagance might be vying for the upper hand. If you are not financially disciplined, this could be a very trying day.

**Leo** (July 23-Aug. 22) You'll be a very easy person to get along with today - provided everyone is in accord with your aims. Disasters, however, could see the less charming aspects of your personality.

**Virgo** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Don't contemplate doing anything out of spite today; it could have a very unpleasant boomerang effect. Remember, a grudge is a heavy burden to bear.

**Libra** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) If you give without expecting anything in return today, rewards are likely. If you give hoping to receive a greater response, you're likely to be disappointed.

**Scorpio** (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Take time to re-evaluate your objectives today; there's a possibility you may be expending too much effort on goals that, if achieved, will lack significance.

**Sagittarius** (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) If you feel out of sync with your philosophical beliefs today, it could be because you're putting your fears in front of your faith instead of doing the opposite.

**Capricorn** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Someone with dubious

**WIN AT BRIDGE**

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**WEST** K 8 5  
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A 10 5

**EAST** J 9 3 2  
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K 8 4 3

**SOUTH** Q 7 6  
J 8 7  
6 5 3  
Q J 9 2

Vulnerable: Both  
Dealer: North

South West North East  
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Opening lead: ♠ 2

**By Bernice Rebe Good YOUR BIRTHDAY**  
May 20, 1991

You should begin to experience improvements in the year ahead where your social life is concerned. The spillover could usher in benefits in other areas as well.

**Taurus** (April 20-May 20) An imaginative friend, who frequently has as many crazy ideas as legitimate ones, might try to talk you into some type of involvement today. Keep this pal's track record in mind. Major changes are ahead for Taurus in the coming year. Send for Taurus' 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 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

**Gemini** (May 21-June 2) If you're making a large purchase today, be mindful of hidden costs you didn't anticipate. Down deep, this deal might not be as good as it appears on the surface.

**Cancer** (June 21-July 22) People who resort to flattery may

**By Phillip Alder**

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**By Leonard Starr**

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2. OH - ABOUT ME TAKING IT AWAY, DR. SPLITZ?  
3. ER, YES... APPARENTLY YOU'VE HAD INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING IT...  
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Today's hand was played many years ago in a match between expert teams, and both declarers went down. If you fancy your chances of outplaying them, cover the East-West cards and decide on your line in three no-trump against the lead of the two of hearts, dummy's queen winning the trick.

Both declarers saw an easy nine tricks by way of one spade, two hearts and six diamonds. After winning the first trick, without pausing for breath, they led back dummy's king of hearts. But they had overlooked a minor problem: Where was the hand entry to cash the jack of hearts? Both pairs of defenders played perfectly at this point. West won with the ace of hearts and switched to the five of clubs. East won with the king and returned a club. West won with

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# Business

## IN BRIEF

### Business center to show off facilities

LONGWOOD — A tour of the renovated Longwood Business Center, 705 W. S.R. 434 will be available to the public between 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. Thursday May 23. Food and beverages will be offered and a drawing for "a useful business gift" also will be held.

### Advertising seminar set at chamber

The Greater Sanford Chamber of Commerce has scheduled for May 23 a roundtable breakfast and symposium on advertising and marketing.

The discussion is scheduled to begin at 7:30 a.m. at the chamber office in downtown Sanford.

Tickets are \$5 for members and \$7.50 for non-members; call the chamber at 322-2212 for more information.

### Stenstrom Realty honors top sellers

SANFORD — Stenstrom Realty, with offices in Sanford and Lake Mary, recently honored its million-dollar producers for 1990.

Margaret Batchelor, top producer for the third consecutive year, had more than \$3 million in sales and Johanna Burkhardt had more than \$2 million.

In addition, Rena McDonald, Beth Hathaway and Patrick Stenstrom each had \$1 million.

### Mortgage firm posts high month

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Contemporary Mortgage Services Inc. posted \$6.7 million in mortgage loans for the month of April, its highest total in nine months.

### Bavec promoted at Alaqua Realty

LONGWOOD — Rik Bavec, has been promoted to senior marketing consultant for Alaqua Realty, according to Neal W. Harris, president.

### Blue Cross-Blue Shield payout rated

JACKSONVILLE — Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Florida has received an A-plus claims-paying ability rating from Standard and Poor's, the insurance company said.

Blue Cross also announced Wednesday a net gain of \$37.1 million for the first quarter of 1991. Earnings included a \$4.5 million net gain by its HMO group, Health Options Inc. and Capital Health Plan.

Revenue for the first quarter increased by 15.6 percent over a year ago, to \$410 million from nearly \$355 million.

At the end of the quarter, total corporate assets stood at \$708 million. Policyholders' equity was \$232.7 million, an increase of \$41.7 million for the quarter.

"We are encouraged by the first-quarter results, and by the vote of confidence from Standard and Poors," said Richard Thomas, senior vice president of finance. "But we also realize that we need to continue to rebuild our equity level to make up for losses suffered in 1987 and 1988."

## Boat firm makes luxury buses

By Mark Pappas  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — They make more than luxurious water craft at Rex-Meyer Yachts in Sanford. Now they are adding a bus conversion operation that will turn Canadian built buses into plush motor homes in the half-million dollar price range.

The bus, originally constructed in Quebec, Canada by the Prevost Company, is called a "Vantare". Italian for "to praise," something readily done by Michael Guth, executive vice president for sales and marketing. "We are producing the most upscale coach ever built anywhere in the United States or the world," Guth said.

The coach is 40 feet long and 8 1/2 feet wide. The actual unit will weigh 7 1/2 tons but is capable of carrying an additional 2 1/2 tons of people and cargo. Beneath the housing area are large storage areas, which contain water and fuel supplies as well as various cabinets for batteries and certain equipment. One storage area is large enough to carry an electric golf cart.

"The gas tanks hold a total of 250 gallons," Guth said, "and at a rate of 7 miles per gallon, the



An example of a Vantare bus turned into a luxury motor home by Rex-Meyer Yacht of Sanford

coach will be able to travel half way across the country without having to refuel." As for the future travel expectations for the unit, Guth said it is "a million mile plus vehicle".

When Rex-Meyer finishes the coach, it will contain normal size household appliances and equipment including a double bed, regular size refrigerator, microwave and conventional ovens, full size shower, built-in TV sets, air conditioning and

electric or diesel powered heater capable of operating at all times regardless of whether or not the coach is moving. The water storage capacity is 175 gallons, complete with a water purification system. The Detroit engine is rated at 450 horsepower.

"We even have a TV camera mounted in the back," Guth said, "with a monitor up front so the driver can see what is behind him while he's travelling or when he backs up."

The first coach is expected to be completed in time to exhibit it at a motor home show in Notre Dame, Indiana, July 18 through 20.

Guth said the plan is to turn out a number of units per year in the Sanford Rex-Meyer plant. A dedication for the first completed coach is being planned as soon as work is completed.

Rex-Meyer is located at 1470 Dolger Place in the Port of Sanford.

## Storer Cable to add comedy network

By J. MARK DANFIELD  
Herald Staff Writer

LAKE MARY — Storer Cable will add the popular Comedy Network to their basic service line-up in June and offer residents a movie channel for \$1 a month.

From June 3 to June 30, all Storer customers which includes residents of Lake Mary and the Interstate 4 corridor to State Road 46, will receive Encore for free. The channel features popular movies from the 60's, 70's and 80's for 24 hours daily. Beginning July 1, unless customers cancel the service, subscribers will continue to receive the channel for \$1 monthly through May 31, 1992.

By comparison, premium late-release movie channels or feature channels such as HBO or The Disney Channel cost from \$9 to \$12.45 per month, said Storer general manager Fred Little.

A staggered rate that depends on the number of premium channels customers have will go into effect June 1, 1992. Also, if current cable customers drop a premium channel or new customers subscribe after June 3, the \$1 a month rate changes to the staggered rate.

If customers have no premium channels, the monthly rate for Encore will be \$4.95 per month, still less than other premium channels. The rate drops eventually to \$1 a month for custom-

ers subscribing to the three or more premium channels.

"We're trying to add value to our premium services," said Little. "They will have more value if they have no premium channels."

The Comedy Channel, CTV, which features stand-up comedians and humorous movie excerpts, will be added to the 29-channel basic cable service without additional beginning June 3 without an increase to the \$18.05 basic rate.

There will be a 40-cent increase for basic cable customers who want to keep the ESPN, TNT, USA, TNN and The Sunshine Network.

## Disney opens newest hotel

LAKE BUENA VISTA — Walt Disney World opened its newest hotel, the moderately priced Port Orleans Resort, Friday near Epcot Center.

The hotel opened with 432 of 1,008 rooms available, and the remainder will be ready by mid-June.

Rooms are priced from \$65 to \$99 for peak tourist periods and \$79 to \$99 at other times. Other Disney hotel rooms range in price from \$150 to \$355 a night.

# Education

## High school report

### Library



Allison Slater Junior



## Student government ready for '91-'92

LAKE MARY — After a week of campaigning the results are in for the new Lake Mary High School student government officers for the year 1991-92.

More than 700 students voted in the election.

Student government is at the center of student activities on campus, directing everything from pep rallies to Homecoming Week to the Prom. The officers are the ones who carry the responsibility for these activities and who must make certain the students' needs are met.

Next year's student body officers who will govern student government as a whole are: Allison Slater, president; Brett Leckie, vice president; Bekah Boothe, secretary and Ryan Munns, treasurer. These students will work very closely with advisor Boyd Karns and the administration, as well as with student representatives and officers.

The officers who will

oversee the activities for the senior class are: Jodi Young, president; Tomer Seifan, vice president; Heather Cohen, secretary and Shannon Johnson, treasurer. The senior class officers must undertake projects such as senior t-shirts, privileges and graduation.

The junior class officers for next year are Angela Seering, president; Joe Grein, vice president; Sara Davis, secretary and Jennifer Hench, treasurer. They will be organizing the Miss Ewe Pageant, Battle of the Bands and the 1992 Prom, among other things.

The new sophomore class officers are Elaine Heinzman, president; Sarah Capps, vice president; Shana Higgins, secretary and Carey Willis, treasurer. They will be working on fun projects and fundraisers in preparation for the Prom for which they will be responsible their senior year.



Shannon Letimer Senior



## Students try for job of Sammy Seminole

SANFORD — "I want to be a part of Seminole High School and motivate my fellow classmates to cheer on the team," said Todd Brown, a junior.

Todd is among eight SHS students who wish to be Sammy Seminole, the school's mascot.

Tryouts for the position were held this past Wednesday in the school's gymnasium.

The try-outs consisted of a one minute impromptu routine in which the students were judged by Bobby Lundquist, an assistant principal; Debbie Carl, the varsity cheerleading sponsor and Bill Hays, the 1990-91 Sammy Seminole.

"Even though I was prepared, I was quite nervous," Chandra Robinson, one of the contestants, said.

Sammy will be required to attend a cheerleading camp this summer.

When the school year begins in the fall, Sammy will be on the sidelines on the football field cheering

along side the varsity cheerleaders.

While the eight students were trying out to be the next Sammy...the judges' final decision isn't in yet...there were other important matters to be taken care of at Seminole High School.

Students were preparing for student government elections, running for next year's sophomore, junior and senior class office positions.

Students have one week in which to campaign.

Voting will take place at the school on Wednesday, May 21.

While underclassmen prepare for next year, seniors are preparing for their final high school celebrations.

Tickets are now on sale for Project Graduation. The event will be held the night of graduation and will last from 8:30 p.m. until 4:30 a.m. The cost of the tickets is \$10 for graduating seniors and \$16 for their guests.

## IN BRIEF

### What's for lunch?

This week's public school lunch menu is:  
**Monday, May 20, 1991:** Charbroil burger on a bun, buttered corn, chilled sliced peaches and milk.  
**Tuesday, May 21, 1991:** Salisbury steak with gravy, whipped potatoes, garden salad, homemade roll and milk.  
**Wednesday, May 22, 1991:** Managers Chicken  
**Thursday, May 23, 1991:** Oven fried chicken, baked buttered potatoes, seasoned green peas, Seminole roll and milk.  
**Friday, May 24, 1991:** Italian spaghetti with meat sauce, garden green salad, garlic roll, juice bar and milk.

### Local winners at state science fair

The following students won awards at the recent State Science and Engineering Fair held in Miami:

Deborah Hoover from Oviedo High School took second place in the medicine and health section; Alexander Pankey from Oviedo High took a fourth place in the botany section; Lloyd Purdy from Jackson Heights Middle School in Oviedo, won third place in botany; and Amanda C. Price from Jackson Heights took third place in environmental studies.

Also Evan A. Farkash from Rock Lake Middle School in Longwood won fourth place in behavioral and social sciences; Erin G. Karr from Jackson Heights took third place in engineering.

And Benjamin Goinik from Mitwee Middle School in Longwood got a third place award in zoology and Carrie Lee Turk from Rock Lake Middle School, took fourth place in the Earth and Space Sciences division.

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