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Sports

Different path, same result

WINTER PARK — Using polarly opposite styles, the Seminole Fighting Seminoles and Lake Howell Silver Hawks registered easy wins Thursday in the Lake Howell Tip-Off Classic.

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People

FFWC meets in Sanford

Eighteen central Florida clubs representing District VII of the Florida Federation of Women's Clubs met in Sanford last weekend for the annual District VII Fall Tour.

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BRIEFS

Management director resigns

SANFORD — Jean Kassab, Seminole County's director of the Office of Management and Budget, resigned suddenly Thursday afternoon, citing personal reasons. County Manager Ron Rabun said the decision was "strictly her own" and did not face termination. Rabun did say while Kassab's handling of county budgets was "excellent, creative," she was "slightly below average" in her management of her staff. Rabun did say Kassab was facing many personal challenges. Kassab was not in her office. A receptionist said principal analyst Dennis Joyner is acting director. Kassab served in the position since December 1991 when she was promoted by Rabun from the principal analyst's position. Kassab previously worked in Winter Springs and Orange County. Kassab is attending night school to complete her college degree.

Four women arrested

WINTER PARK — Three female body scrub salon employees and the business manager were arrested Thursday night for racketeering/prostitution.

City County Investigative Bureau (CCIB) agents served arrest and search warrants at A Beautiful Hostess, a body scrub business at 22300 Winter Woods Boulevard in the Goldenrod area.

Suspects arrested at the business were Nicole Dyal, 24, 813 Orange Road, Maitland; Julia Miller, 30, 4616 Middlebrook Road, Orlando and Jessica Rivera, 22, 805 Raven Circle, Altamonte Springs. The women are being held in the Seminole County jail on \$10,000 bond, said Ed McDonough, public information officer for the sheriff's office.

A fourth suspect, the business manager, Susan Oberry, 34, 5998 Folystone Lane, Orlando was arrested at her home on similar charges. She was booked into the Orange County jail but was to be transferred to Seminole County today. Oberry is also being held on \$10,000 bond.

The charges against the women are a violation of RICO law and a first degree felony.

The women are scheduled to make their initial court appearance at 1:30 p.m. today. The arrests were made after a two-month investigation of activities at the salon.

Lane closing

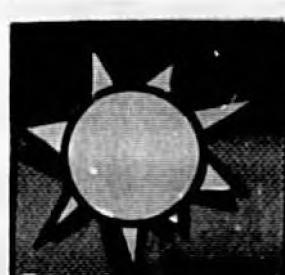
LONGWOOD — There will be a temporary lane closing tonight on State Road 434 between the White Rose nursery and Grant Street while state contractors repair an underground drain pipe. The eastbound lane will be closed from 7:30 p.m. tonight until 6:30 a.m. tomorrow.

Compiled from staff reports

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Indian summer weekend



Today: Mostly sunny. High in the mid 60s. East wind 5 to 10 mph.

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Dying mom murdered

Husband, roommate charged

By VICKI DESORMIER
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Though she had a brain tumor and Multiple Sclerosis, 35-year-old Julie Stoll was not ready to die.

Police say her husband and his business associate wanted otherwise.

Sanford Police Cmdr. Dennis Whitmire said Julie Stoll battled Christopher Matthew Stewart, 19, and her husband Michael Scott Stoll, 33, as Stewart tried repeatedly, under the husband's direction, to kill her.

Thursday afternoon, police were called to the house the three shared at 1805 W. Third St., Sanford, by Stoll who said he had come home to find the front door ajar and his wife dead inside.

Whitmire said Stoll told police that the house had been burglarized and that the perpetrator must have killed her.

When police arrived on the scene, however, they immediately began to question the verity of the story.

"There were just some things that were inconsistent with the story," Whitmire said. "It just didn't fit together."

Under more intense questioning, Whitmire said the following, quite different, story emerged:

Whitmire said Stewart told them that he and Stoll had gotten up in the morning and fed Julie Stoll's



Herald Photos by Tommy Vincent

After the investigation was concluded, above, at the house at 1805 W. Third St., representatives of Brisson Funeral Home took away the body of 35-year-old Julie Stoll who was allegedly murdered by her husband and a roommate. Tom Skiba, a crime scene technician for the Sanford Police Department, D.J. Delrusso, the officer in charge of the investigation, and Ed Maldonado of the Sanford Police, are continuing work on the case. Below, husband Mike Stoll and roommate Christopher Stewart wait patiently for police to question them. They were later charged with first degree murder.



Citizens fight City Hall



Residents opposed to the development turned out Thursday night.

Controversial residential development draws flak

By NICK PFERFAUF
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — For the second time, citizens flocked to the Sanford Planning and Zoning Commission meeting to object to a proposed residential development. For the second time, the request was tabled.

The subdivision, proposed by Park Avenue Development Corporation, is located on 20 acres of land immediately south of the Mayfair Country Club golf course. The developer has proposed 104 single family residential dwellings.

The objections to the development are

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2 athletes voted into hall of fame

By TONY DESORMIER
Herald Sports Editor

SANFORD — Two very familiar individuals — Seminole High School graduate Jeff Blake and Oviedo resident Mickey Norton — have been voted into the Seminole County Sports Hall of Fame.

The duo will become the hall's 27th and 28th members when they are formally inducted at the Greater Sanford Chamber of Commerce's annual banquet on Jan. 26.

"Both are excellent choices," said hall of fame selection committee chairman Bud Layer after making the announcement Thursday afternoon. "They're both very deserving, as are many other individuals on the ballot."

Blake first gained national prominence as the quarterback at East Carolina University, where he set 31 school records while leading the Pirates into the Top 25 and to victory in the 1992 Peach Bowl over North Carolina State.

Last week, Blake caught the fancy of professional football fans all over the country by nearly leading the winless Cincinnati Bengals to an upset over the Dallas Cowboys. His performance earned him another start this Sunday against Seattle.

"I still consider Sanford my home," said Blake via telephone from Cincinnati. "This (being elected to the hall of fame) is a very big deal for me. I really appreciate the honor and look forward to attending the induction ceremony."

As a senior at Seminole High School in 1987, Blake led the Fighting Seminoles to the state semifinals. He earned Player of the Year honors

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Lack of permit slows work on sheriff's substation

By J. MARK BARFIELD
Herald Senior Staff Writer

CASSELBERRY — Work is expected to resume soon on the remodeling of a new sheriff's substation office after a county building inspector shut the work down last week for not having a permit.

Sheriff's budget director Penny Fleming said Thursday the Sheriff's Department will seek three bids from licensed contractors to install separator walls in the storefront in Lake Howell Square on State Road 436.

A building inspector stopped the work and "red tagged" the project last week after discovering Gene Lovely was starting work which must be done by a licensed contractor with a county permit.

County Building Official Dave Bettis said minor repair and patchwork can be done without a permit. But for any structural construction, such as walls or dividers, permits are required, Bettis said.

Fleming said Lovely has performed minor repairs and cabinetry work for the department for

several years dating to the administration of the late John Polk Fleming said the Sheriff's Office required Lovely to have an occupational license, but not worker's compensation or liability insurance.

County occupational records show Lovely received his first license in March this year for a repair service, said Keylor Chan, occupational license manager. Fleming said she was unaware Lovely did not have a license prior to then.

Local media were alerted to the

stoppage by former sheriff's spokesman George Prochel who said he was contacted by several sheriff's employees concerned over the problem. Prochel is critical of the situation because Sheriff Don Eslinger steered an unlicensed contractor sting last month which led to the arrest of 20 professionals.

Eslinger said the situation represented only a minor oversight which was being corrected.

"If we were wrong, we'll correct it," he said.

Musician blends talent, passion

Goal is to help protect all animals from abuse

By SUSAN WENNER
Herald Correspondent

ORLANDO — "Animal Magnetism" is a musical endeavor coordinated by Riff West, former bassist for the bands Molly Hatchet and Foghat, to benefit People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA) and the PAWS in Harmony Foundation.

The world's largest animal rights organization with a membership of half a million, PETA's efforts include educational programs, advertisements, public events and investigations of any business where animal abuse and cruelty is found. PETA was founded in 1980 and is a non-profit organization.

PAWS in Harmony, Performers for Animal Welfare, was the brainchild West started in 1985 to be an organization of performers and entertainers, photographers, who are dedicated to the idea of protecting animal life through

education, kindness and responsibility. With their yearly benefit concerts, and now a recording, PAWS works to educate and promote public awareness of the need to shield animals from any form of pain, suffering and abuse. West said the recording, "Animal Magnetism," is dedicated to all creatures great and small.

West grew up in the Winter Springs area graduating from Lyman High School in 1969, then attending University of Central Florida when it was Florida Technological University. He assisted in coaching at Oviedo High School in 1973.

"I always wanted to be a sports journalist. I'm just a frustrated jock," he joked.

Since one of West's brothers was in sports and one in music, he followed in each of their footsteps for a period of time until his big break. "I was always playing in bands," he said. "I was with a band called Burnin' Wood. We opened for

Three Dog Night in Macon. It was then I said that's what I want to do. When I came back a guy from Vanilla Fudge told me if you start doing now what you really want to do, then by the time you're 35, you'll make it. He also said there's no such thing as luck when opportunity meets preparation. Another thing that was shared was you gonna be nice to people on the way up because you may meet them on the way down."

Although West's roots and family brought him back to the Central Florida area, he maintains close friendships in the music industry. After 19 years of road life he now combines his two loves — animals and music. His girlfriend and their seven animals live happily in Orlando.

The Hyatt Regency Grand Cypress will host the "Get A Life Festival Celebrating Pet Life" on Nov. 5. West along with Loretta Swit, and musical group, Rare Earth, will be present at the event.

West has been a longtime member of the Orlando Humane Society and has used his musical influences to produce annual benefit concerts to aid the society. In 1991, he received the Volunteer Service Award and was recently named Honorary Board Member of the Society.

Linda McCartney, Pat Travers, Jody Hudson, Linda Ronstadt, Edgar Winter, Carole King are some of the artists featured on the album. West and others from bands such as Bachman Turner Overdrive's D.F. Turner, Brian Howe from Ted Nugent and Bad Company, Jimi Jamison from Survivor, Lester Chambers, Alvin Morse, Lonesome Dave Peverett, Riff West, Dian Kelly and Michael Skye sing "Rescue Me" on the album. Many others have lent their musical talents for the benefit.

The festival will be held on Saturday, Nov. 5 at the Grand Cypress Racquet Club from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Live entertainment will be available. Children will have a special treat in the appearance of Bike Mice from Mars, Universal Studio's Lassie, and Nickelodeon's Ben and Stumpy. Displays and pet-related exhibits are scheduled. For more information call (407)351-7722. A dinner and celebrity auction will follow at 8:30 p.m.



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Satellite released from shuttle to map Earth's atmosphere

By MIKE DRAGO
Associated Press Writer

SPACE CENTER, Houston — A rookie astronaut gently released a telescope-laden German satellite from shuttle Atlantis today for eight days of free-flying atmospheric research.

French crew member Jean-Francois Clervoy, on his first space flight, hoisted the 3,000-pound satellite from the shuttle cargo bay with the 50-foot robot arm. He held it high overhead while ground controllers completed final checks.

Then, as the shuttle flew 190 miles above northern Europe, Clervoy set the satellite free and commander Donald McMonagle slowly backed Atlantis away. The German space agency's white, gold-colored craft shifted into its own orbit against a backdrop of bright blue Earth and pitch black space.

"That was an outstanding deploy," Mission Control told the crew.

Release and retrieval of the satellite is one of the astronauts' chief jobs during the 11-day mission that began Thursday.

To avoid contamination from shuttle exhaust, the satellite must fly free during its observations and will trail Atlantis by up to about 70 miles until astronaut Ellen Ochoa plucks it from orbit late next week.

The \$35 million satellite is

carrying three infrared telescopes and other instruments designed to create a three-dimensional map of the flow of gases in Earth's middle atmosphere, an area from 7 to 17 miles up.

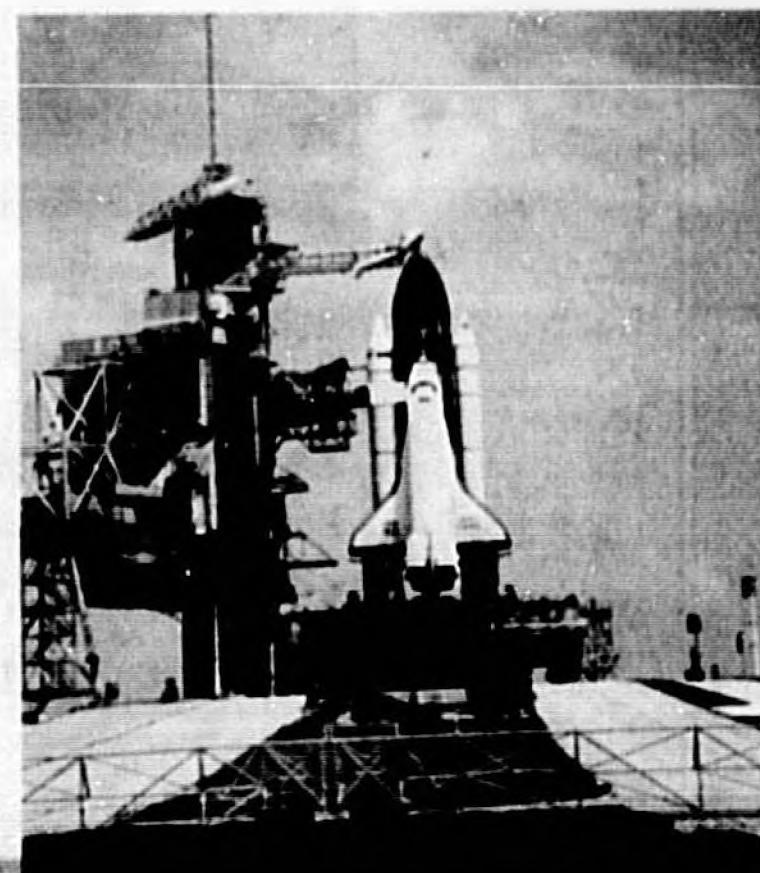
Physicists hope to gather the first global information about medium- and small-scale disturbances in the middle atmosphere. Much is already known about such phenomena as the gaping ozone hole over the Antarctic, but only theories exist about smaller disruptions.

Satellite data will be matched against current computer models and could lead to a better understanding of atmospheric composition and how heat is distributed around the planet, scientists say.

Ground controllers detected increasing pressure in a satellite helium tank Thursday after astronauts locked onto the spacecraft with the robot arm for a system check. About 200 gallons of liquid helium are stored on board to cool the delicate science instruments.

Mission scientists watched the tank closely overnight and reported early today that pressure had leveled off and was expected to decline. The glitch was not expected to disrupt operations, NASA said.

Astronauts today activated secondary experiments aboard the shuttle, including a study of crystal growth in space. Atlantis'



The shuttle just prior to liftoff.

Herald Photo by Edward Wolf

other primary cargo, seven instruments scouring the stratosphere from the shuttle cargo bay, were turned on hours after Thursday's launch.

Scientists in charge of the instruments are particularly interested in the ozone hole, which swells every fall and this year is about the size of North America. To study the hole, the shuttle orbit crosses just below the tip of South America.

Atlantis and its six-member crew are due back on Earth Nov. 14.

Carjack

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outside the county courthouse gasped and sobbed when the charges were announced.

"If you could see the way she acted that night, that's the main thing that gets me," said Rick McCloud Jr., who was at home with his parents on Oct. 25 when Mrs. Smith pounded on their door, crying for help. "Just to think, for a solid week I was defending her. It gets me sick to my stomach."

"Is there ever an explanation for murder?" David Smith's grandmother, Sara Singleton of Los Angeles, told KNBC-TV. "Two little innocent children? There is no explanation for murder."

Solicitor Thomas Pope said Mrs. Smith's confession led investigators to her car Thursday afternoon. It had been driven off a boat ramp. Divers had searched the lake several times, but the water was too murky to see the car, authorities said.

Mrs. Smith, 23, told police authorities on Oct. 24 that

jumped into her car at a stop-light in a sparsely populated area at the edge of town near the lake. She said he ordered her to drive several miles, then forced her out and took off with her two sons still strapped in their safety seats.

"Our lives have been torn apart by this tragic event," Mrs. Smith said earlier this week, her husband by her side. "I can't express how much they are wanted back home."

Police circulated a composite sketch based on Mrs. Smith's description of the alleged kidnapper, and people called in tips from around the country. People in Union staged prayer vigils, hung yellow ribbons and posted pictures of the children.

"If she didn't want those children, she could have given them to me or any other mother in Union," said Karen Huss, who has two young children. "We would have taken them."

As late as Tuesday, Union County Sheriff Howard Wells said he was treating the case "as a carjacking that happened as it was reported," although investi-

gators were perplexed about how the car and the boys could have disappeared so completely.

On Wednesday, police searched Mrs. Smith's home and took several bags. They refused to say what they were looking for.

The Smiths filed for divorce in September. Mrs. Smith was granted custody of the two children and her husband had visitation rights.

The unraveling of Mrs. Smith's story is similar to the 1999 Charles Stuart murder case in Boston. Stuart, a white man, told police a black man shot his pregnant wife to death. Stuart later jumped to his death from a bridge as investigators zeroed in on him as the killer.

Mrs. Smith, who is white, described the carjacker as an armed black man wearing a knit cap.

"No one asked the two babies whether they wanted to live or die," said Rose Marie Savage, the mother of a 3-year-old daughter. "Union used to be a close-knit town. Now things will never be the same around here."

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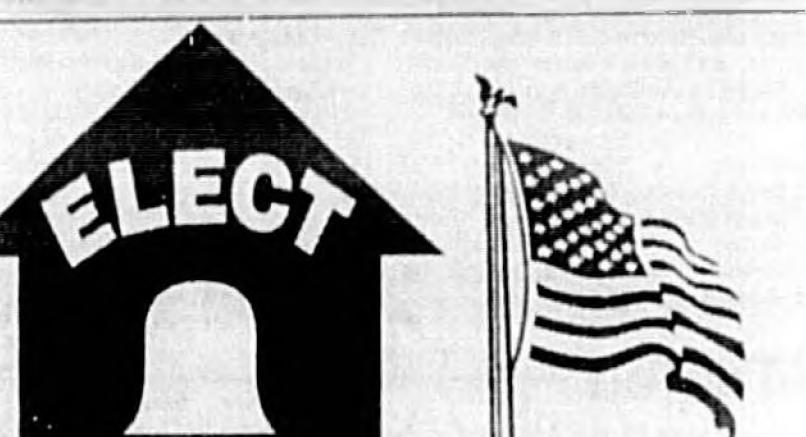
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IN BRIEF

Retired educators to meet

Seminole County Retired Educators will meet Nov. 8, at Stacey's Buffet (formerly Family Buffet), 5566 Lake Howell Road, Lunch at 1 p.m., followed by the meeting at 2 p.m. Members are encouraged to attend. RSVP luncheon reservations to Lemuel Stallworth, 322-8574, or Walt Lee, 831-1502.

Seminar offered on faux painting

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — A free faux finishdecorating seminar, sponsored by Benjamin Moore & Co., will be offered at DecoColor, 901 North State Road 434, Jamestown Place, Suite 1115 on Nov. 8, 9 a.m. Faux (Fantasy) finishes are one of the most popular decorating trends. Sponging, rag rolling, stippling and glazing techniques will be reviewed. Benjamin Moore Dawn Agostinelli, an expert in this technique, will be on hand to conduct the seminar. Refreshments and door prizes will be given.

Crime watch meeting will be held

SANFORD — Pinecrest Crime Watch meeting will be held Tuesday, Nov. 8 at 7 p.m. at Pinecrest Baptist Church. Speaker will be the honorable Kevin Deary, Sheriff of Orange County.

CALENDAR

COMA announces meetings

The Concerned Organization of Men in Action (COMA) meets the first and third Friday, at 6 p.m., in the church annex at St. James AME Church, Ninth Street and Cypress Avenue, Sanford.

Sunbelt Daylily Club to meet

Sunbelt Daylily Club meets the first Sunday of the month at 2 p.m. through April at the Old City Hall, Highway 15A near Lake Mary Boulevard, Lake Mary.

The club educates members on daylily growing through slide shows, guest speakers and trips to daylily gardens. There are no club dues. Call 886-3196 for more information.

Aerobics offered

Sanford Recreation Department offers Step Aerobics at the youth center in Sanford City Hall, Mondays and Wednesdays, from 9 to 10 a.m. and 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Instructor is Lisa Hines. Cost is \$3 per class. For information, call 330-5697.

Sanford Rotarians to meet

Rotary Club of Sanford meets every Monday at noon, at the Sanford Chamber of Commerce building.

Activities for seniors

Lake Mary Seniors invite anyone 55 years or older to join them in two weekly activities on Monday: Woodcarvers, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.; Games, from 1 to 3 p.m., at the Frank Evans Center, 156 N. Country Club Road.

Employment opportunities for seniors

An employment program sponsored by AARP Senior Community Service is held at the Sanford Armory Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 8 a.m. to noon. Bill Downey and Nick Callahan are available to help seniors find employment.

Cancer support group meets

Support, Hope and Recovery, SJLAR, meets every Monday afternoon at 5 p.m. at Central Florida Regional Hospital in the far corner of the dining room. This is a self-help support group for all cancer survivors, whether in treatment now or finished with it. Call 324-8737 or 322-7785 for more information.

Don't be haunted in January over Christmas bills

If you are an overenthusiastic gift giver in December, you can be haunted in January by the bills of December. You don't have to go broke during the holidays if you think ahead and do some advanced planning. Here are seven steps for keeping your holiday budget on track.

• Get organized Make a list of all your holiday expenses including gifts, decorations, travel, entertainment, cards and postage, utilities, phone calls, party clothing, etc. Determine what you think you will need to spend.

• Know how much you are worth List all your holiday assets such as bonus, Christmas Club account, savings, cash on hand, and checking balance after regular bills are paid. Then determine liabilities including debts, charges on credit cards, November/December bills, and other holiday expenses not already recorded. Subtract your liabilities from your assets. This is the net amount you have for the holiday spending.

• Decide what you want to do with your money Decide on gifts for family, friends, co-workers, teachers, etc. What activities will you and your family participate in and what entertaining will you do. Will you take a trip during the holiday season? Have you budgeted for phone calls to family and friends who live out of town. Will you be sending cards and gifts? Have you determined how much postage will cost for these? If you will be attending any holiday gatherings, will you need any new clothing? What



CONSUMER FOCUS

BARBARA HUGHES/GREGG

about decorations for your home? If you are having company, what special foods will you be buying and preparing?

• Determine how much you can spend Review all the planned expenditures and activities. Balance your budget.

• Make a list (Check it twice)

• Stick to your plan. Ask yourself: Are you giving gifts because you want to or do you feel you must? Are you trying to keep up with the Jones' Do you set a price limit and stick to it? Remember, it's the thought that counts!

• Review your plan after the holidays: How did you do? Were your expectations realistic? What changes can you make next year? Organize a holiday business center. Begin planning for next year so you can take advantage of sales throughout the year.

(Barbara Hughes/Gregg is the Seminole County Extension Home Economist. Inquiries may be directed to her at the Cooperative Extension Service, 250 W. County Home Road, Sanford, FL 32773 or phone 323-2500, Ext. 5556.)

FFWC VIPs meet in Sanford

Woman's club hosts District VII Fall Tour

SANFORD — The Woman's Club of Sanford hosted the GFWC Florida Federation of Women's Clubs District VII Fall Tour meeting in the clubhouse on Oct. 29 with dignitaries and representatives from 18 Central Florida federated clubs attending.

The welcoming addresses were given by Delores Lash, president of the Woman's Club of Sanford and Tina Lee, president of the Junior Woman's Club of Sanford.

District VII Director Margaret Stricklen conducted the business meeting and introduced the guest speakers Alberta Alberti, president of GFWC Florida Federation of Women's Clubs from Miami and her second vice-president, Ann James of Auburndale. The District VII Junior Director, Debbie Doll from Kissimmee, was also present.

President Alberti spoke on "Leading the Way" and promised more brainstorming sessions, more workshops on parliamentary procedure and more help with club projects.

According to Libby Prevatt, woman's club spokesman, Alberti said, "The FFWC is having a big party to celebrate its 100th birthday on May 6-9 of 1995 at the Clarion Plaza Hotel in Orlando and all federated women's club members are invited to attend."

Vice-president Ann James explained the structure of the FFWC and urged members to accept offices whenever asked and to become more involved.

The voting delegates from the Woman's Club of Sanford were President Delores Lash, First



Delores Lash (from left) welcomes Florida Federation of Women's Club officers to Sanford during the annual District VII Fall Tour; Alberta

Alberti, president of the FFWC; Margaret Stricklen, FFWC District VII director; and Ann James, second vice-president of the FFWC.

Vice President Fran Morton, Recording Secretary Libby Prevatt, Rental Chairman Martha Yancey, and Jeanette Padgett, Long Range Planning Committee.

The FFWC Centennial Committee will honor three outstanding women in District VII for their contributions and achievements during the past

100 years of service. Two women from Sanford were selected, Dr. Herberta Ann Leonard and Mrs. Ernest (Laura) Galloway. Both are now deceased but they will be honored for their outstanding service to their clubs, their district, and their state affiliations, Prevatt said.

Three members nominated to

serve on the nominating committee to elect state officers are Frances Mitchell, Martha Yancey and Tina Lee.

During their stay in Sanford, Alberti and James were the houseguests of Charlotte Smith who, according to Prevatt, took great pleasure in entertaining the state dignitaries.



Celebrating the season

Tenants at Bram Towers held a Halloween party during the regularly scheduled Oct. 28 dinner. A ham dinner was served to those attending and the Halloween contest was judged by Louise Hayes, Lou Wrobel and Rose Lauricella. Competing in the costume contest are (from left): Dot Kirtley, second place; Mable Pithoud, third place; Eleanor Eichorn, Carolyn Mason, first place; and Lola Mae Edwards.

Herald Photo by Herman Schroeder

Woman warns: Cancer strikes the young

DEAR ABBY: I am 24, married and have four daughters. Two months ago, I discovered a lump in my breast, so I made an appointment with my doctor. He examined me and sent me to see a surgeon, who did a needle biopsy.

A week later, I learned it was a malignant tumor (cancer), so I'm scheduled to have my breast removed in two weeks.

Abby, I'm so sick of hearing doctors say that women under the age of 35 are not at risk for breast cancer. Although there is no history of breast cancer in my family, I am living proof that cancer can strike anyone at any age.

If it weren't for doing monthly breast exams on myself, I never would have discovered the lump.

Please tell your readers to feel for "lumps" in their breasts regularly. Men, too. Although breast cancer is rare in men — it does occur.



ADVICE

ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

ported him and his children from a previous marriage on a teacher's salary. Needless to say, we live from paycheck to paycheck. Our credit cards are maxed out, and we have had to borrow money from our parents to live.

Nine months ago, Norm's sister "Emily" asked him to install heating and air conditioning in her new home. He did, but she hasn't paid Norm one dime! I estimated the total amount to be somewhere between \$7,000 and \$10,000. With this, we could have paid off almost all we owe on our credit cards, and also for the repairs to our house and car.

I feel used. It's one thing for Norm to expect me to support our family, but for Emily to take advantage of me too is a bit much!

I know she has no intention of paying him, and he has no intention of asking her for the money.

Emily's income is three times greater than ours, and she just came into a substantial inheritance, so she can well afford to pay Norm for this work.

The financial strain has taken a toll on our marriage. Am I wrong to be upset?

Ever since I married "Norm" three years ago, I have sup-

within your rights to be upset. I suggest that you speak candidly with your sister-in-law and explain that you desperately need the money Norm earned for working on her home. Taking this situation into your own hands may create some friction between you and your husband, but, as I see it, it's the most sensible solution.

DEAR ABBY: I used to date a guy who still likes me a lot more than I like him. He is also very nosy. He asks me questions that are none of his business. Lately he has been showing up at all the places he knows I frequent. This is happening too often for it to be coincidental.

He has been stopping by my house, unannounced and uninvited, and I have a hard time getting rid of him. This is beginning to irritate me. How should I handle this? He gives me the creeps.

CONFIDENTIAL TO FEELING CREAKY IN DENVER: In the wise words of Jimmy Stewart, "After age 70, it's patch, patch, patch."

CONFIDENTIAL TO INSECURE NEW ARCHITECT: In the words of Frank Lloyd Wright: "A doctor can bury his mistakes, but an architect can only advise his client to plant vines."

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

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STAR GATE 2:00 4:40 7:10 9:40 (PG-13)

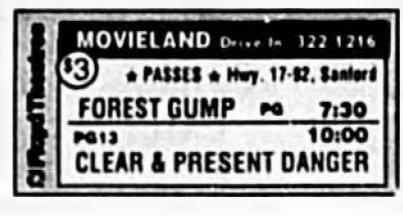
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BILLY BUDD 4:20 8:20 (PG)

ROAD TO WELLVILLE 2:20 4:30 7:10 9:40 (PG)

PULP FICTION 2:15 4:30 8:30 (R)

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