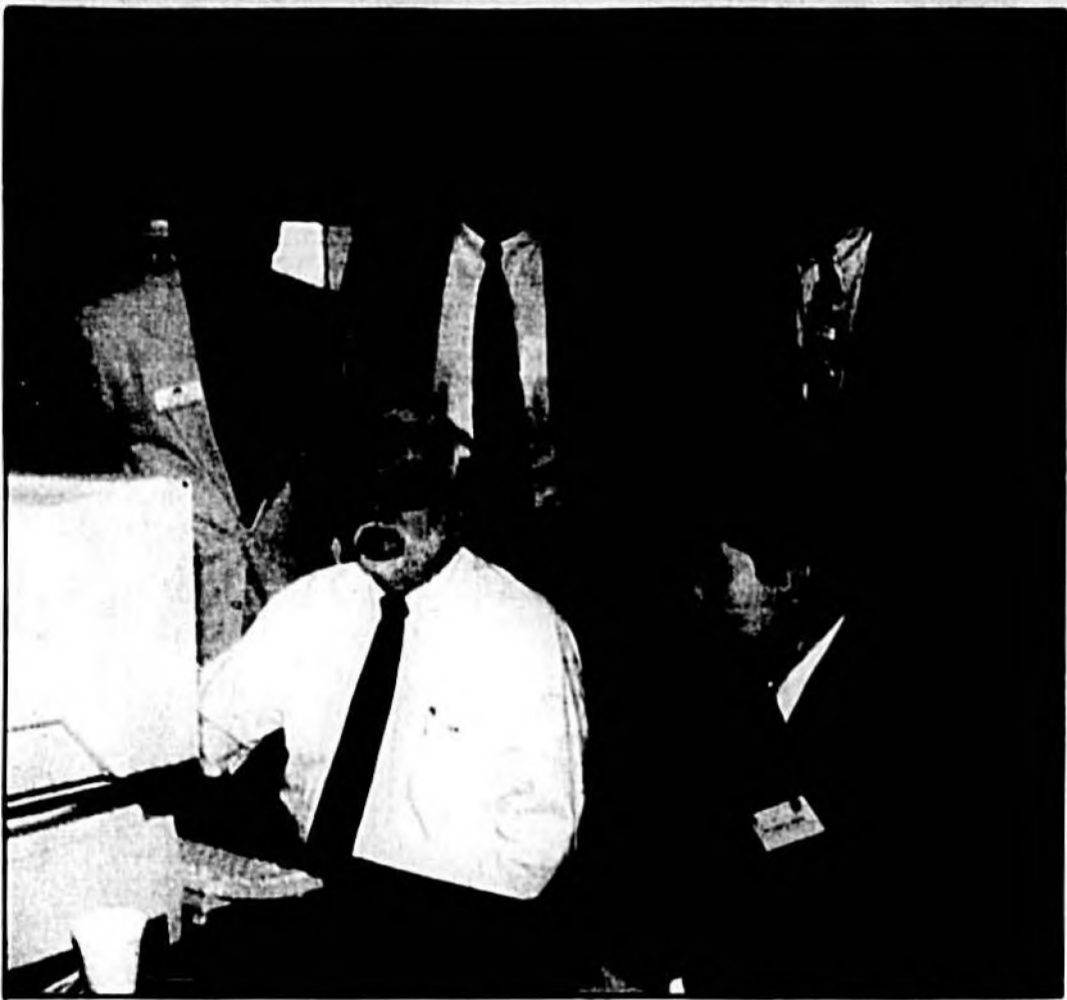


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Safety first and last



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Japanese public safety official Takeshi Kaneko (lower right) huddles with the public safety officers at the Seminole County Emergency Operation Center. Joe McCuan, senior planner at the EOC is at

computer. In the rear are County Commissioner Wm Adams, Emergency Management Coordinator John Blackwood and Public Safety Director Kenneth Roberts.

9-1-1 or 1-1-9: Safety is safety, East or West

By RUSSELL WHITE
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD - In Japan the number to call in an emergency situation is 1-1-9. In America it is 9-1-1. Safety is safety in either the East or West and efforts to share strategies are of global importance.

That's why Japanese public safety official Takeshi Kaneko has come to Central Florida to do research and compare systems.

One of the first things that seized Kaneko's attention Monday inside the Seminole County Emergency Operation Center at Five

Points, was the slogan: "Falling to Prepare is Preparing to Fail."

The Kobe Earthquake of 1995 led to the deaths of 6,000 Japanese and the evacuation of 300,000. Kobe is a big city located 300 miles west of Tokyo. "More than a million people live there," Kaneko said. "Many of the homes which were made of wood collapsed in the earthquake."

Although Japanese schools frequently held disaster drills for students and stressed readiness, few were prepared for the chaos and confusion of the Kobe earthquake.

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City manager may retire Police makeover could be affected

By RUSSELL WHITE
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD - The key questions until now had been how would Chief Joe Dillard put all the pieces together at the Sanford Police Department - and when would the City Charter be changed to have the police and fire chiefs report to the city manager?

On Monday, a new twist developed.

What if the present city manager left? asked Commissioner Whitley Eckstein at a police department workshop Monday afternoon.

Eckstein, privy to the possible retirement in the spring by City Manager Bill Simmons, felt his "what if" scenario was germane to the issue. "What if we soon had an interim manager? Would our police and fire chiefs have to report to an interim manager while we conducted a manager's search?"



Harold Photo by Tommy Vincent
City Manager Bill Simmons

Simmons confirmed this morning to the Sanford Herald that he is considering retirement to accompany his wife to

Arkansas where they would be care-givers to Beth Simmons' 79-year-old mother.

"My wife feels obliged to do this," Simmons said. "Since I'm not one to be by myself, I would be accompanying her to Arkansas. Our decision may be made by spring. I had talked to Commissioner Eckstein previously. I was surprised this came up Monday, but perhaps it is for the best."

Before publicly commenting, Simmons talked individually to Mayor Larry Dale and the other three city commissioners. "I will keep them advised of what we may be doing," Simmons said.

Dale was not totally surprised by the new development. "I had wondered if everything was OK when he (Simmons) had been taking some time off," Dale said. "Obviously, we would need an interim manager while we

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Put in your two cents on toll rates

By MARIA OREM
Herald Staff Writer

HEATHROW - The public will have the chance to put in its two cents during a toll rate hearing for the GreenWay today from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Marriott Courtyard in Heathrow.

The Seminole Expressway Project 2 will extend the Central Florida GreenWay from the northern end at U.S. Highway 17-92 for 5.7 miles to an interchange on Interstate 4 completing the eastern beltway around Orlando. Toll plazas are also planned for County Road 46A and north of Lake Mary Boulevard.

The Florida Department of Transportation Turnpike District will hold the informal

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All I want for Christmas...



Harold Photo by Tommy Vincent

Little Cassidy Paul, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Paul, and Santa Claus, appearing at Flea World, remind readers that there are 23 shopping days till Christmas.

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Gallery reopens with new name, new artists

By DAVID FRANKER
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD - Three artists are slated to exhibit their crafts this weekend, Dec. 6 and 7, at the newly named St. John's River Gallery. Formerly the First Street Gallery located at 207 Magnolia, it is the first offering to complement the holiday activities in historic downtown Sanford. Sculptors Karen Smith and David Cumble and painter Herb Weinberg will each have their works on display.

Weinberg's collection is named "New York Nuances" as his paintings reveal the many sides of the Big Apple. Weinberg received his bachelor degree from Pratt Institute, NYC, and served as a professional graphic designer/art director there from 1974-1986. His exhibits include showcasing at galleries throughout Florida, where he has also been an art instructor at several colleges.

A highly accomplished artist and teacher, Cumble is best known locally for his bronze bust of the humanitarian Dr. Louis Ferris, which is located at the City of Sanford's Chamber of Commerce.

Smith, who specializes in concrete sculptures, also has large pieces around Orlando (Bob Carr Auditorium, Orlando Expo Center, Creakle School of Fine Arts and Valencia Community College) as well as the Chelsea Hotel in New York City.

Other exhibits are planned at the St. John's River Gallery after the first of the year. Those exhibits will feature local artists and historic remembrances that reflect the heritage of the St. John's River and its environments. The hours for the exhibit will be from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For more information, contact the gallery at (407) 330-7722.

Owners are stewards of historic home

The Sanford Historic Trust's Ninth Annual Holiday Tour of Homes will be held Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 6 and 7 from noon until 5 p.m. The tour begins at the Cultural Arts Building at the corner of Fifth Street and Oak Avenue. Tickets are \$12 per person and proceeds benefit renovation grants awarded by the trust to homes in the Sanford Historic District. Several homes on the tour will be showcased this week in the Sanford Herald.

By JEANA HUGHES
Herald Correspondent

SANFORD - Drawn originally by the charm of the Sanford community, it is here that Debra and Doug Groseclose found the home of their dreams. The Mediterranean/Spanish style house on Elliott bears little resemblance to the structure the Grosecloses purchased in December, 1995. It does, however, bear a striking resemblance to the house they saw that it had been.

The Fort Mellon Development Company built the house circa 1925 for Grover and Kate Sperling. Sanford Building & Loan bought the house in August, 1930 at public auction for \$3,500. The house later became the family home of B. E. and Anne Wright Aiken and their ten children. The Aikens remained in the house for 45 years. Though the Aikens have not lived in the house for about seven years it is still affectionately known as the Aiken house.

By the time the house was in the Grosecloses' hands it had suffered extensive termite and



Harold Photo by Bill Story

Debra and Doug Groseclose in their Elliott Avenue historic home.

water damage. It was on the ragged edge of collapsing, according to Doug, but they were not discouraged. The core structure of the house was intact. The original wiring, plumbing, and roof had to be replaced. The charm of the house remained in the high, beamed ceilings, deeply textured plaster walls, paladin

stone mason. Doug, director of Human Resources for Leckheed-Martin, has added electrician, plumber and handyman to his resume. Debra's father, Gene Frankle is a custom cabinet maker from DeLand and has lent his craftsmanship to the renovations. "You really have to love restoration" to See Groseclose, Page 3A

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UNBRIEF

Crafts workshop

Seminole County 4-H will be sponsoring its annual Santa's Workshop on Saturday, Dec. 6 at the Seminole County Extension Office Auditorium at Five Points from 10 a.m. to noon.

Any youth from the ages of 8-18 years of age may attend the workshop where they will make a variety of simple holiday craft items. Cost for the workshop is \$2 per child plus a canned food item for the needy. Scholarships are available for those in need.

The registration is required. Call 323-2500 ext. 3560. Extension programs are open to all regardless of race, color, creed, handicap or national origin. Persons with disabilities needing assistance should contact the extension office 48 hours before the program.

Choral concert

Seminole Community College will present its 31st Annual Holiday Choral Concert on Sunday, Dec. 7 at three o'clock. The event will be held in the Fine Arts Concert Hall on the college campus. The public is cordially invited and admission is free. The Chorales and Chorale of SCC will perform a variety of choral music from around the world in celebration of the holiday season. Soloists have been selected from the two choirs and Robin Lee Parker will accompany the concert.

Times Square Angel

Seminole Community College Fine Arts Theatre presents a staged reading of *Times Square Angel* on Dec. 4, 5, 6 at 8 p.m. and Dec. 7 at 2 p.m. The reading is free to the public, no reservations required. *Times Square Angel* by Charles Busch, is a holiday romp through films of the '40s, with touches of *A Christmas Carol*, *It's a Wonderful Life*, and *The Champ*. Irish O'Flanagan is quite a dame. A producer of Depression-era Hell's kitchen, she has spunk, talent and fabulous clothes. She lifts herself out of the slums and into a career as a nightclub singer.

finally becoming so decadent that only a guardian angel (a former vaudevillian) can save her from herself. Directed by Karen Copp, this "hard-boiled Christmas fantasy" features SCC students Doug Baum, Tamesha Burns, Kim Crandall, Rotti Earl, Jonathan Fagan, Chuck Lane, John LeMieux, Geni Miralles, Lori Simunek, A.K. Martha Skerrett, and Tim Stevenson. Stage manager is Sandy Luebke. For information on *Times Square Angel* and other SCC cultural activities, call (407) 328-2040.

Kids and cancer

Kids Beating Cancer, Inc., which provides support to Central Florida children with cancer and leukemia, and those in need of a bone marrow transplant, is proud to present a benefit performance of the musical *The Secret Garden*, a winner of three Tony awards. The play is on Dec. 3 at the Civic Theatres Complex. Hors d'oeuvres and wine will be served and there will be a silent auction during the reception at 6 p.m. Curtain is at 7:30 p.m. General admission is \$25 per person. For more information and ticket purchase, contact Kids Beating Cancer at (407) 788-6188.

Art center anniversary

A very special event which commemorates the 60th Anniversary of the Maitland Art Center will take place on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 7, at 4 p.m. in the Main Garden. A group of artists connected with the Maitland Art Center will share their memories about the center's founder, Andre Smith. Central Florida painters Harry Klotz, Hal McIntosh and Bill Orr were all connected with the Art Center during its heydays in the 1940s and 1950s. They will present their "Reminiscences" in an informal discussion during which tea will be served. Reservations for this special event can be made by calling Robin Ambrose, program director at (407) 539-2181. Admission to this event is free and open to the public.



Learn and earn from recycling

A new school phone book recycling contest sponsored by Sprint, BellSouth and BFI, in conjunction with the Seminole County Solid Waste Division, will run through Dec. 19 in local schools. At Highlands Elementary, in Winter Springs, the "Recycle Rappers", pictured here with BFI mascots 'Mobius' and principal Beth Ransom, show students the right way to recycle directories—just bring the old phone books in to school, count them and place them in the collection bin to be eligible for cash prizes for the school, and plaques and certificates for classes and individuals.

Photo Courtesy of Sprint

Assistance available for kids of Viet vets

Special to the Herald

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Veterans' children will receive direct monetary assistance from the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) for the first time under one of three new regulations published in the Federal Register that provide for medical benefits, vocational training and compensation for Vietnam veterans' offspring born with spina bifida.

The regulations, which became effective Oct. 1, provide for VA assistance for children associated with their parent or parents' presumed exposure to Agent Orange and other herbicides while serving in Vietnam.

"This unprecedented response to the suffering of many Vietnam veterans and their children with lifetime disabilities from spina bifida is long overdue," said VA Deputy Secretary Hershel Gober. "The health care, monetary assistance, and training and rehabilitation services VA can now provide their offer hope for a brighter, more fulfilling future for them and their families."

The regulations result from legislative VA proposed following its in-depth review of a report issued in March of 1996 by the National Academy of Sciences (NAS) on the health effects of exposure to Agent Orange and other herbicides. Under contract with VA, NAS found there is limited or suggestive evidence to show an association with spina bifida in the children of Vietnam veterans. Spina bifida is a congenital birth defect in which one or more bones of the spine fail to fully develop, exposing a portion of the spinal cord. The legislation was signed into law Sept. 26, 1996.

The compensation benefit is intended to help those with spina bifida with special needs and is available at three monthly rates -- \$200, \$700 or \$1,200 - based on the severity of their disability. This allowance is subject to annual cost-of-living increases and will not be counted as income in any federal means-tested programs. An estimated 2,000 children of veterans would be eligible for the compensation benefits throughout their lives, regardless of their age or marital status.

VA is required by law to presume disabilities are connected to a Vietnam veteran's service when the weight of scientific evidence of an association with Agent Orange or other herbicides is at least equal to evidence to the contrary. The monetary assistance is in keeping with that philosophy, Gober said.

VA and Shriners Hospitals for Children (SHC), a not-for-profit charitable corporation with 17 hospitals, reached an agreement in March for SHC to care for Vietnam veterans' children with spina bifida at no charge for outpatient or inpatient care for children up to age 18 with this condition. VA reimburses non-SHC facilities providing care to children older than 18 and those whose parents or guardians choose not to receive their care at SHC. VA also reimburses non-SHC facilities for necessary medical services not offered by SHC and covers transportation costs for patients and their parent or legal guardian to an SHC unit or any outside facility required for treatment of the patient.



Photo Courtesy of Mrs. Ray Fox

Vintage view

This is what some of the Seminole High School Class of 1944 members looked like as first graders. This group was in Mrs. Mason's 1932-33 class at Southside Primary School. Margaret Myers Knight, who identified the people, said that she was transferred into this class a few weeks after the picture was taken. Front row: Edward Hirt, Tommy Inabinet.

Ray Fox, Herman (Footh) Brumley, Hugh Lamb, Ralph Smith, Edna Senkank, Emma Jewel Rumbley, Peggy Duncan. Back row: Julia Mullins, Unknown, Josephine Russi, Mrs. Mason, Unknown, Hugh Wneichel. If you can identify any of the Unknowns or have a picture that would make a good Vintage View, please contact Grace Mane Streicher.

WEATHER

LOCAL FORECAST

Tuesday: Sunny. Highs in the mid-70s. Lows in the mid-50s. **Wednesday:** Partly cloudy. High in the mid-70s. Lows near 60. **Thursday:** Scattered thunderstorms. Highs in the upper-70s. Lows in the mid-50s. **Friday:** Partly cloudy. Highs in the upper-60s. Lows in the mid-40s.

EXTENDED OUTLOOK

TUESDAY Sunny 74 55
WEDNESDAY Partly 76 59

THURSDAY Tstrms 76 54
FRIDAY Partly 67 48

LOTTERY

Here are the winning numbers selected on Monday in the Florida Lottery:

Fantasy 5
10-13-17-20-22
Lotto (Nov. 29)
4-9-18-37-40-43



Play 4
6-6-0-2
Cash 3
3-5-0

TIDES

TUESDAY:
SOLUNAR TABLE: min., 6:30 a.m., maj, 12:20 a.m., min., 7:10 p.m., maj, 12:55 p.m.

TIDES: Daytona Beach: high: 9:21 a.m., 9:36 p.m., low: 2:47 a.m., 3:32 p.m.
New Smyrna Beach: high: 9:26 a.m., 9:41 p.m., low: 2:52 a.m., 3:37 p.m.
Cocoa Beach: high: 9:41 a.m., 9:56 p.m., low: 3:07 a.m., 3:52 p.m.

BEACH CONDITIONS

Daytona Beach & New Smyrna Beach: Seas are 3-5 feet with a moderate chop. Water temperature at Daytona is 67 degrees and at New Smyrna, 68 degrees. Winds are from the northeast at 10-15 m.p.h.

STATISTICS

The high temperature in Sanford Monday was 76 degrees and the overnight low was 54.
Recorded rainfall for the period ending at 10 a.m., Tuesday totaled .00 inches.
•Sunrise.....7:01 a.m.
•Sunset.....5:28 p.m.

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Simmons

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made a broad search for a city manager. And this would take time."
Simmons, 61, has been the city's manager for seven years following 5 1/2 years as the city engineer. He's a 1958 Naval Academy graduate who retired as a commander with 22 years of duty. He has a bachelor's of Engineering degree from RPI and a master's of Civil Engineering from Stanford University.
The city commissioners said they were extremely confident Simmons was a qualified go-to boss for the police and fire chiefs whenever the time came for that. A referendum is required to change the city charter. Last week the commissioners agreed the vote for a change wasn't necessary until 1999.

Commissioner Brady Leasard did a 180 on Monday, suggesting the wait was too long. That he now believed the vote should be sooner.

Quickly, Eckstein presented his "what if" scenario. In the hallway after the City Hall meeting, he quietly apologized to Simmons, who said he understood Eckstein's reasoning.

"There is no way I want to leave the city in a lurch," Simmons said. He said that his wife who works for the state is approaching retirement and that he is going to be 62 in June. "We've talked about what we both feel obliged to do. The situation could change if anything happened to Beth's mother, of course."

The possible departure by the city manager was only part of the drama that unfolded at the work session, which opened with Law Enforcement Options Committee Chairman Greg Manning clarifying the decisions made by the committee.

Manning, who retires in three weeks from his job as Longwood Police Chief, assured the commissioners that Option "A" to keep the Sanford Police Department also was

"very much" Option "B" - that the SPD needed to explore areas of cooperation and contracting of services from the Seminole County Sheriff's Office. "Many of these services are available at no cost," Manning said.

The gameplan calls for Chief Joe Dillard and his staff to explore the areas where the SPD could use the sheriff's help and to bring the facts back to the commission. "We'd work together," Dale said. "If we made him look good and he made us look good, that would be a winning start. "We'd show the citizens we mean business."

At the end of the work session, Dillard rose and spoke briefly. "We're not sitting on our haunches," he told the commissioners. "There's daily progress."

Steven Myers, an Oak Avenue

resident, said he had noticed and appreciated the community policing in recent weeks.

Walter Padgett, who operates Higgins House Bed and Breakfast on Oak Avenue, was not as optimistic about the SPD fighting itself. "Many of us - the citizens of the city favor Option "C"...having the sheriff take over completely," Padgett said.

Dale said that he had heard from a number of citizens who were for Option "C".

For the time being, the commissioners would work with Chief Dillard and explore the areas where they would call for the assistance of the sheriff.

They were also cognizant that there may be a need to come up with a new city manager should Bill Simmons leave. The new year could bring big change to the city.

Tolls

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where the public can speak to transportation officials and review maps and drawings. There will also be video presentation, according to Kimberlee Poulton of the FDOT.

"The hearing is being held to

provide information and to receive public input regarding the setting of toll rates," Poulton said.

The proposed toll rates range from 25 to 50 cents. The public hearing is required by state law. For more information, call 1-800-749-7453.

Groseclose

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take on a project like this," comments Debra.

It was very important to Debra and Doug to remain faithful to the era in which the house was built. When wood from the floors had to be replaced the Grosecloses matched it with 100 year old oak and heart pine that had been in an old hotel near DeLand. "You can't duplicate the warmth and color changes that occur as the wood seasons over years," explains Doug. Debra and Doug did their homework. An entryway and office that replaced a dilapidated porch were kept architecturally consistent with the original house. Kitchen cabi-

nets were meticulously designed and built by the Grosecloses with the help of Debra's father to remain true to the character of the house.

Doug and Debra have brought their own history to the house. On the wall at the head of their bed hangs a tapestry that belonged to Debra's grandmother. The desk in Debra's office that her father made especially for her. The dressing table in the master bedroom has been handed down in Doug's family for four generations. The Grosecloses believe that they are stewards of this historic house. It is their hope to pass the house and its heritage on to their children.

The Groseclose house will be one of the homes featured during the Sanford Historic Trust Ninth Annual Holiday Tour of Homes.

Vets

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VA estimates some 2,000 children of veterans may receive medical care under the regulation. SHC currently treats 5,000 children afflicted with spina bifida, the largest number of such patients treated by any hospital system in the world.

The regulation providing for vocational training for certain Vietnam veterans' children with spina bifida calls for VA to evaluate these children. In addition, in these cases in which it is feasible for a child to achieve a vocational goal, VA is to provide the child with vocational training, employment assistance, and other related rehabilitation services needed to enable the child to reach the goal, including employment.

Approval of monetary support, health care, and vocational training is based on eligibility determinations made at VA regional benefits offices. Prospective beneficiaries must first complete an application for benefits. They should contact the nearest VA regional office toll-free at 1-800-827-1000.

Approximately 2.6 million

veterans served with the borders of South Vietnam. Vietnam veterans are not required to prove exposure to Agent Orange. VA presumes all military personnel who served in Vietnam were exposed. In addition to spina bifida, VA recognizes nine diseases as preemptively related to exposure to Agent Orange and other herbicides. They are chloracne, porphyria cutanea tarda, soft-tissues sarcoma, Hodgkin's disease, multiple myeloma, respiratory cancers (lung, bronchus, lar-

ynx, tracheal), non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, prostate cancer and acute and subacute peripheral neuropathy.
VA long has provided comprehensive medical evaluations to all Vietnam veterans, whether symptomatic or not, under the Agent Orange Registry Program. Free inpatient care is available. Veterans should call their local VA medical center for information about the Agent Orange Registry health examination or other medical services.

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POLICE BRIEFS

Stolen checks

Patrick Pinkney, 26, of 1316 Persimmons Ave., Sanford, was arrested Friday by Sanford police. Pinkney was charged with uttering forged instrument and dealing in stolen property. Pinkney was arrested in the 100 block of East 25th Street. Pinkney allegedly wrote out a check that had been stolen.

Aggravated assault

Oscar Harrison, 57, of 2301 Dolarway, Sanford, was arrested Thursday by Seminole County deputies. Harrison was charged with aggravated assault and battery. He was arrested at his residence. Report said that Harrison threatened a neighbor with a gun and also pushed his girlfriend down.

Forged instrument

Kenneth Clark, 37, of 3094 S. Orlando Dr., was arrested Wednesday by Sanford police. Clark was charged with uttering forged instrument and arrested in the 3000 block of South Orlando Drive.

QUAD squad at work

Eric Mike, 27, of 905 Bay Ave., Sanford, was arrested Wednesday by Sanford police. Mike was charged with possession of cocaine and possession of drug paraphernalia. Mike was arrested at the corner of Ninth Street and Locust Avenue. Sanford Q.U.A.D. squad made the arrest.

Lewd act

Frederick Williams, 51, of 306 S. Elm Ave., Sanford, was arrested Wednesday for assault by Sanford police and Thursday for a lewd act upon a child by Sanford police. On Wednesday, Williams was arrested at his residence.

Stolen bike

Adrian Williams, 27, of 1607 W. 18th St., Sanford, was arrested Thursday by Sanford police. Williams was charged with petit theft and arrested in the 2000 block of Cedar Avenue. Williams was accused of stealing a man's bike.

Open container

Sandra Beshears, 35, of unknown residence, was arrested Thursday by Sanford police. Beshears was charged with open container and possession of a controlled substance. Beshears was arrested in the 2900 block of South Orlando Drive. Officer noticed Beshears in the back of a bar with an open container.



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CASE NO. 97-929 IN RE: ESTATE OF ALFRED GARRETT, SR. Deceased.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION (One Page)

The administration of the estate of ALFRED GARRETT, SR. deceased, File Number 97-929 is pending in the Circuit Court, for Seminole County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is: Clerk of the Circuit Court, Probate Division, P.O. Drawer C, Sanford, Florida 32772.

The name and address of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorney are set forth below. ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT: All persons on whom this notice is served who have objections that challenge the validity of the will, the qualifications of the Personal Representative, venue, or jurisdiction of this Court are required to file their objections with this Court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against the decedent's estate must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE. ALL CLAIMS, DEMANDS AND OBJECTIONS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

The date of the first Publication of this notice is November 25, 1997. WINNIE GARRETT Personal Representative 430 W. Mohammed Ali Blvd #219 Louisville, KY 40202

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION File No. 97-991

In Re: Estate of TIFFANY D. FREEMAN Deceased.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

The administration of the estate of TIFFANY D. FREEMAN, deceased, File Number 97-931, is pending in the Circuit Court for Seminole County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 301 N. Park Avenue, Sanford, FL 32771.

The names and address of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorney are set forth below. ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT: All persons on whom this notice is served who have objections that challenge the validity of the will, the qualifications of the personal representative, venue, or jurisdiction of this Court are required to file their objections with this Court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against the decedent's estate must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE. ALL CLAIMS, DEMANDS, AND OBJECTIONS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

The date of the first publication of this notice is November 25, 1997. Personal Representative: EARL T. FREEMAN Attorney for Personal Representative: WILLIAM L. COLBERT, Esquire Florida Bar No. 122781

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

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et al. are the Defendants. I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at the West front door of the Seminole County Courthouse, Sanford, Florida at 11:00 a.m., on the 23rd day of DECEMBER, 1997, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment:

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL ACTION CASE NO. 97-305 GA DIVISION 14-B

COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, INC. F/R/A COUNTRYWIDE FUNDING CORPORATION, Plaintiff(s), vs. CHRISTINE M. BOWERS, et al., Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Mortgage Foreclosure dated November 19th, 1997, and entered in Case No. 97-305 GA of the Circuit Court of the EIGHTEENTH Judicial Circuit in and for SEMINOLE County, Florida wherein COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, INC. F/R/A COUNTRYWIDE FUNDING CORPORATION is the Plaintiff and CHRISTINE M. BOWERS; NATIONSBANK, N.A. (SOUTH); F/R/A NATIONSBANK OF FLORIDA are the Defendants. I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at the WEST FRONT DOOR OF THE SEMINOLE COUNTY COURTHOUSE; SANFORD, FLORIDA at 11:00 a.m., on the 23rd day of DECEMBER, 1997, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment:

THE WEST 58 FEET OF LOT 9 AND ALL OF LOT 18 AND LOT 11, BLOCK E, AND THAT PART OF THE EAST ONE-HALF OF VACATED GOLDFVIEW DRIVE ADJACENT TO LOT 11, BLOCK E, SANLANDO SPRINGS TRACT NO. 32, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 8, PAGE 18, PUBLIC RECORDS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL ACTION CASE NO. 98-8466 GA DIVISION 14-B

MELLON MORTGAGE COMPANY, Plaintiff(s), vs. SANDRA MARTIN ROGOZINSKI F/R/A SANDRA KAY MARTIN, et al., Defendant(s).

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County Court Orange County, Florida Case # 98-97844

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL ACTION CASE NO. 98-1864 GA DIVISION 14-B

RYLAND MORTGAGE COMPANY, Plaintiff(s), vs. LONEL A GIRARD, et al., Defendant(s).

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LOTS 12 AND 14 AND THE SOUTH 1/2 OF LOT 12, BLOCK 4, 1ST SECTION MARVANIA, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 4, PAGE 108, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

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Kaneko

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"That was our worst disaster in 50 years, and we realized no matter how well we thought we were prepared there was much more we had to learn and do," said 33-year-old Kaneko, the deputy director of his county's disaster prevention office.

Kaneko is on a six-month research tour of the United States. He's been in Washington, D.C. for three months and arrived in Central Florida on Sunday. His two-week stay in this area was coordinated by the International Council of Central Florida. Seminole County and the United States Information Agency.

On Monday, he huddled with Seminole County Department of Public Safety Director Ken Roberts, Fire Chief and Department Meteorologist Terry Schenk and other department employees.

They told Kaneko about how the county's safety agencies interact with corporations and volunteers to assist in emergency preparedness or disaster relief.

"This facility is outstanding as I was expecting it to be," Kaneko said. "I am very impressed at how organized it is and how willing the directors are to share information."

Japan is subject to typhoon seasons much like Florida hurricane seasons. "We have heavy rains, flooding and landslides," Kaneko said. "And we have earthquakes, our country being in this aspect much like the state of California, which I will also visit."

John J. Blackwood, an ex-Marine captain and logistic expert who helped during the aftermath of Hurricane Andrew was Kaneko's escort at the county facility Monday. Blackwood recently became the Emergency Management Coordinator in the Seminole County public safety department that was shaped by

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People

Pageant contestant

Kari Ann Strong, daughter of Karen and Bill Strong of Casselberry, has been selected an entrant in the 1997 Miss Florida Teen All American Pageant to be held at the Ramada Resort-Waterfront in Daytona Beach Dec. 6 and 7. Winner of this contest will go on to compete in the 20th Annual Miss Teen All American Pageant to be held in Miami in August.



Kari Ann Strong and Carol Bittner, Ntlands Bar and Package, Officer Jim Rick, Ron and Gerry Weeks, Judy Hurasti, Aunt Joan Wilson and Hope and Al Caplan.

Kari is a student at Lyman High School, Longwood, where she participates in the Army ROTC Drill Team, and Color Guard. Her other interests include swimming and playing tennis.

Her sponsors in the competition are her parents, her grandparents, Jim and June Johnson of Casselberry, Ed

Teacher 's first love is helping children

By **SUSAN WENNER**
Herald Staff Writer

LAKE MARY Dolores Davidson has volunteered her time and talents at the New Hope Thrift and Gift in Sanford for almost six months. She shared that she has always done some form of volunteer work for years and she was ready to launch into a new adventure with an organization different from her past efforts.

Before the birth of her sons, Paul and Robert, Davidson was an elementary school teacher. Later, when her children began school she assisted in their classes and also volunteered in a hospital.

"I've always been involved with children," she said. "I like the fact that the gift shop proceeds go to the Children's Wish Foundation, the counseling center and for grieving children. My first husband was killed in an accident so I've been through that with my sons. I know how important the help can be."

Davidson shared that her initial interest in the organization began after receiving a flyer delivered to her home through the mail. "I kept the flyer for quite a while," she said. "I wanted to wait until my life settled down in sort of a routine. Then I called Sylvia Mikol, the manager of the store for an interview. I came in for the interview and later started working."

Now, every Wednesday morning Davidson has committed her services for three and half-hours to this en-



Dolores Davidson works the cash register at the New Hope Thrift Shop

deavor. "Sometimes I come in on Saturdays or Mondays," she said. "I work then as I'm needed. We have some volunteers that are ladies that come in three and four days a week and a man that works every day."

She continued by saying, "We have a constant flow of merchandise. There is something new going on every day. It's a lot of fun working here. I get more out of it than what I give

and I enjoy working with the other volunteers and the customers. It's a wonderful organization and they do so much good."

Duties for Davidson include cashier work, window displays, tidying the store and helping customers. "Our manager will never ask anyone to do something they are not comfortable with," she said. "We get to pick and choose our tasks. Some people clean items as they

come in. Others check electrical parts or work wherever they are needed."

Davidson added that there is only one paid employee and approximately 30 volunteers. Donations, contributions and additional volunteers are always needed, welcomed and appreciated.

For more information or volunteer opportunities call the New Hope Thrift and Gift at 330-9658.

CALENDAR

Blood Bank seeks donors

Central Florida Blood Bank is asking donors of all types blood - especially O-type donors - to donate at its Sanford branch, 1302 E. Second St. For information, call 322-0822.

Optimist Club

The Sanford Optimist Club meets every Wednesday at noon at the colonial Room in downtown Sanford. Visitors are welcome. Call 323-2194 or 322-0298.

Kiwanis Club

Effective Oct. 1, the Kiwanis Club of Sanford is moving the weekly Wednesday luncheon meeting from the Sanford Civic Center to the Lakeside Landing at the Marina Motel on Lake Monroe. Visiting Kiwanians are welcome. For information call Walt Smith, 323-5088.

NOTE: Senior dancing will recess for summer July 31, 1998 until Sept. 11. Do not run during that time.

Dancing for Seniors

The Over 50 Dance Club dance is held every Wednesday, from 2:30 - 4:30 p.m. at the Sanford Civic Center. Live music by the Deltonians 13-piece band. Donation \$3.00.

Al-Anon

A support group for friends or relatives of alcoholics (Al-Anon) meets every Wednesday, at 8 p.m., at 111 E. 27th St., just west of Sanford Avenue in Sanford. New visitors or members are welcome to this 12-step group.

Coastliners

Sanford-The Coastliners meetings are held at 10 a.m. the first Wednesday of each month at the Sanford Senior Center, 401 E. Seminole Blvd.

All interested railroaders, both active and retired, are invited to attend.

For information, call Horace Green, 322-5493.

Al-Anon

If you know, or live with an alcoholic, there is help. Al-Anon is an anonymous, non-profit organization, open to anyone who is a relative or friend of an alcoholic.

Serenity Won Al-Anon meets each Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. (Thursday non-smoking) evening at 8 p.m. Meetings are held in the back room of the Sahara Club, 2587 South Sanford Ave., Sanford.

For additional meeting times and locations in the Central Florida area, or for more information, call 321-9122.

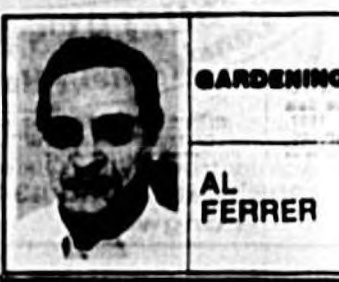
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Nar-Anon meets every Wednesday at 8 p.m. at South Seminole Hospital, 555 West State Road 434, Longwood. Nar-Anon is a support group open to families and friends of addicts. Daily living with an addict is more turmoil than you can handle by yourself. Join for support in coping with your addict; gain serenity to make decisions and put our live back in focus. Call 261-1900 for more information.

Finding the right Christmas tree

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What tree should I buy? There are many types of trees that are available for your particular taste and budget. In general, the Christmas tree should be cone-shaped, have an attractive green color, and a dense growth, with little empty spaces. The most popular trees are scotch and white pines, Douglas and Balsam Fir. Whatever you prefer, make sure that you buy a tree that is fresh, the more recent the tree has been cut, the better. The longer they stay on display, the more likely the tree will not make it until Christmas. Florida's warm weather will dry up a pine tree very quickly and the needles will start dropping very soon after you buy your tree. It may be so severe that you may have to buy a second tree before Christmas.



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Living trees need water: In order to avoid that your Christmas tree dries up too soon, keep the tree in water. Buy a stand that holds enough water to keep your tree watered for a long time. But, the most important thing that you need to do when you bring your tree home, is to cut the stem at least one half inch or more above the original cut, to expose the water-conducting tissues of the stem to enable the tree to take up water. If the tree runs out of water, a seal will form on the cut surface of the tree trunk and the tree will not be able to take up water anymore, even if you add water later on. It will be very difficult to make another cut to the trunk once it is decorated and in place. Remember, the trees can take up a lot of water per day, make sure there is ample supply of water in the stand's container.

Buying and caring of your living Christmas Tree:

- Select a tree which keeps the needles longer, such as Douglas Fir or Scotch pine.
- Buy the freshest tree you can find, avoid any trees with brown needles.
- Bounce the butt of the tree on the ground, if many needles

- fall, do not buy that tree.
- The bottom of the tree stump should have a moist and sticky sap, not hard or dry.
- Cut the bottom of the tree stump an inch or two diagonally, for better water uptake.
- Place the tree in water and keep the water level by checking it every day.
- It may be useful to add a floral preservative to the water to keep the tree fresh longer.
- The tree should be placed far away from heating units, vents or fans which will dry out

- the tree.
- Make sure that all the wiring of your Christmas tree lights are in good working condition.
- Do not overload lighting circuits.
- Never use open flames near the tree.
- There are flame retardant sprays for Christmas trees, you may want to use one this year.
- Never, but never, leave your home or go to sleep with the tree lights on.

Granny needs to cut back on gifts

DEAR ABBY: Every year for as long as I can remember, I've sworn I'd never celebrate another Christmas like the last one, but the holidays are near again, and I haven't done anything to change it.

We have six grown children, all married, and many grandchildren. We have never spent less than \$25 on gifts for each of them - spouses included. This has become quite expensive.

Along with the expense comes a feeling of wastefulness, one gift becoming lost among all the others. There's nothing I could give my grandchildren that they don't already have, and our children are all doing well financially.

My husband retired this year, and we're living on a lot less money now, but even if our finances were greater, I've lost the desire to contribute to this empty commercialism. I don't want to stop giving completely, but I long to have a more meaningful holiday with my family, sharing the gift of ourselves and not our wallets.

How can I tactfully approach the subject of cutting back and still let them know how much I love and appreciate each one?

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best approach. Tell your family exactly what you have told me, and offer alternatives. Limit the number of gifts to each person, or limit the dollar amount spent; draw names rather than everyone giving to everyone else; give one gift to each family; ask for no gifts for yourself or your husband, and request instead that the children create something.

As a family, do something for those less fortunate. Spend an evening singing carols at nursing homes and hospitals; gather to bake cookies or prepare a meal for a needy family. Your adult children will appreciate your initiative in reducing their financial burden, and the grandchildren will learn a valuable lesson about the true spirit of Christmas.

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Sanford doing good things with Stadium

SANFORD - Congratulations to the City of Sanford and the Recreation and Parks Department for securing the SuperSlowpitch World Series for the next three years.

It is a feather in the cap for Sanford as not only will it mean money for local businesses, it will also mean national exposure for the area.

It is also time to thank the Sanford City Council, and Whitey Eckstein in particular, for keeping Sanford Memorial Stadium as it is, and not bowing to temptation to tear the structure down and put up something a lot less desirable.

If you have not been out to the Stadium lately, take a trip out and see how good the old girl looks. The new paint is excellent, not to mention the other amenities, (new seats, scoreboard, etcetera) and the playing field is immaculate.

Those of you who saw the field during this year's tournament probably won't believe how well the grass has come in.

What are you waiting for? If any of you basketball fans out there did not attend the HealthSouth Classic at Seminole Community College, shame on you. The field included four teams that will probably make the state tournament this year and any of the four could easily be the state champions.

But you still have a chance to support your local team as it has several home games coming up in late December and early January, among which is a game with the Canadian National Team (Dec. 30) and a rematch of the HealthSouth Classic finals with Central Florida Community College to open Mid-Florida Conference play on January 7th.

Coach Ken Patrick has assembled a very good crop of players, including the duo of 7-foot Jaana Kotova and point guard Daria Kudryvtseva, one of the best shooters and ball handlers you will ever see. These two are headed for bigger things, so go on out and take a look for yourself. Besides, you can't beat the price. SCC still does not charge for admission to its games.

Youngsters ready to go. This week will also see the start of the Sanford Recreation Department Youth Basketball season. The young boys and girls, from five and up, will play jamborees later this week before starting the regular season on Saturday at Sanford Middle School. Once again, you can see good entertainment at no cost to you.

What should Magic do? There has been a lot of discussion lately about what the Magic should do with its lineup now that Penny Hardaway is back. No question here, keep Bo Outlaw in the lineup and send Nick Anderson to the bench.

Outlaw is the only legitimate rebounder on the team and his hustle is contagious.

Nick, on the other hand, has not done much this season and has not earned a spot in the starting lineup. Several people have suggested that Anderson might not adapt well to going to the bench. Too bad. The Magic don't need him. Derek Strong, Brian Evans and Gerald Wilkins are all playing well right now and should be getting more playing time, not to mention that the two rookies on the disabled list should be getting some time when they are healthy.

If Nick doesn't like setting on the bench, either trade him or let him go.

These guys are professionals right? How in the world can a so-called professional team get called for having too many men on the field on the first play of the game?

On the first play of Sunday's game against Baltimore, the Jacksonville Jaguars had 12 men on the field. There is no way there should have been any confusion, because nothing had happened yet. I have heard of homefield advantage, but come on.

There was also one other strange play in that game as Natrone Means took a pass right in the face mask. I know quarterback Mark Brunell was pressured and had to get rid of the ball quickly, but it was hilarious to see someone turn around and take a shot right in the face. It's a good thing they have three-bar masks nowadays.

The Marlins have lost their minds. I know they had a big payroll last year and they needed to cut costs, but how can the Marlins expect anyone to want to come out and see them play this year?

The team had a chance to get something going fan wise down there, but that oppor-

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Raiders bounce back

SCC women go on road to start new winning streak

Special to the Herald

FT. LAUDERDALE - The Seminole Community College women's basketball team sure didn't look like a team that had not played in over a week as it shot a tremendous percentage in taking a big halftime lead and then held on for a 71-69 victory over Broward Community College in Ft. Lauderdale Sunday afternoon.

The Raiders had not played since dropping the finals of the HealthSouth Classic to Central Florida Community College on November 22nd, but looked like they had not taken any time off as they hit 16 of 23 shots (69.6-percent) from the floor in the first half and led 42-31 at intermission.

SCC used its inside game and running game to take the big lead as 7-foot center Jaana Kotova was five-for-eight from the floor in the opening 20 minutes and had 11 points and

RAIDERS 71, SEAHORSES 69
Seminole Community College (71)
Crystal Tanner 1-3 0-3 3, Daria Kudryvtseva 4-4 2-2 13, Wason Clark 0-1 0-0 0, Gemma Riley 3-6 2-2 9, Chinita Lee 7-9 0-0 14, Maggie Rieby 1-3 2-2 4, Izzy Buchanan 4-8 0-0 8, Therese Westergren 3-6 0-0 7, Jaana Kotova 6-13 1-1 13, 29-52 7-9 71.
Broward Community College (69)
K. Cleveland 6-13 0-0 12, M. Fualth 1-2 0-0 2, E. Gaynor 4-8 0-0 8, S. Greene 1-5 0-0 2, L. McCloud 2-8 3-8 7, A. Miss 1-2 0-0 2, E. Mulvey 6-7 2-2 18, J. Stornes 0-0 0-0 0, D. Thomas 6-17 0-0 18, H. Rigs 0-0 0-0 0. Totals: 29-62 5-7 69.
Halftime - SCC 42; BCC 31. Three-point field goals - SCC 6-6 (Kudryvtseva 3-3, Tanner 1-1, Riley 1-1, Westergren 1-1); BCC 6-11 (Mulvey 4-4, Thomas 2-6, Gaynor 0-1). Total fouls - SCC 10; BCC 14. Fouled out - none. Technicals - BCC bench. Records - SCC 8-2.

guard/forward Chinita Lee was four-for-four for eight points. Guards Daria Kudryvtseva (eight points) and Gemma Riley (seven points) also had big halves for the Raiders.

SCC continued to shoot well in the second half (13-for-29), but the Seahorses were better, making 16-of-31 from the floor, including five-of-six from three-point range, to make things close.

For the game, the local squad was 29 of 62 (55.8-percent) from the floor, including a perfect six-for-six from three-point range) and was seven-of-nine (77.8-percent) from the free throw line.

Lee came off the bench to lead the Raiders with 14 points, while Kotova and Kudryvtseva both added 13 points. The game was a comeback of sorts for Kotova, who fouled out of both games in the HealthSouth Classic and did not get a lot of playing time during those two games.

Also contributing for SCC were Riley (nine points), Therese Westergren (eight points), Izzy

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SAC stars named to FACA All-Star Cross Country teams

Special to the Herald

SANFORD - The Seminole Athletic Conference will be well represented this Saturday when the F.A.C.A. (Florida Athletic Coaches Association) All-Star Cross Country Meet is held at Spruce Creek High School in Port Orange this Saturday morning.

Two-Time SAC champion Jeremiah Mitchell will represent Seminole on the boys' East team coached by Ted Benz from Orlando-Edgewater. Mitchell will be joined on the team by Matt Harper from Lyman.

Other members of the team are Charlie Lee from Lecanto High School, Jonathan Britton, Paul Dysart and Jay Lucido from Brooksville-Hernando High School and Lucas McCurdy from Winter Park.

The East girls' squad of coach Glen Cable from New Port Richey-Ridgewood High School will have an even more Seminole County flavor as half of the eight-girl team is made up of SAC runners.

Leading the way will be Lyman superstar GeAna Rivera. She will

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Jason Hawkins (seated, center) signs a National Letter of Intent with Pennsylvania State University while parents Jason and Debbie Hawkins (seated), Lake Mary High School Athletic Director Doug Peters, Lake Mary boys' head volleyball coach James Fisher and Lake Mary Principal Raymond Galtus (standing, left to right) look on.

Hawkins signs with Penn State

By KELLIE WERNER
Herald Staff Writer

LAKE MARY - A colder climate is waiting for Jason Hawkins when he graduates from High School.

The Lake Mary High School boys' volleyball star recently decided during the early signing period to head north and attend Penn State University on a full scholarship for the 1998 season.

The State College, Pennsylvania-based university is a Division I men's volleyball powerhouse every year, usually ranked in the top five in the country.

"Since there aren't any schools in the south that offer men's volleyball, I knew I would have to go pretty far away from home," Jason explained. "I'm not looking forward to the colder weather, but I am looking forward to going to Penn State."

Jason was very heavily recruited before he decided to accept the offer from the Pennsylvania college during an early signing period. USC (University of Southern California) was also very interested in him and although he probably could have chosen any school he wanted to attend, he narrowed his choices

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WELL DONE



Photo by John Cullum

SANFORD - The Seminole High School Optimist Club of Sanford Athlete of the Week for November 10th-through the-14th is Rosetta Jackson. She led the girls' basketball team to a 2-0 record by scoring 34 points, pulling down nine rebounds, taking away

three steals, handing out three assists and blocking one shot. Jackson also demonstrated team leadership and team spirit in both contests. Rosetta receives her honors from Optimist Club of Sanford vice president Syberina Wynn.

Lions boys cage 'Cats in soccer opener

From Staff Reports

OVIEDO - Oviedo High School kicked off the boys soccer season Monday night with a 6-0 victory over Winter Park at John Courter Field.

"We have started off to what looks to be a positive season. The boys played hard," said Oviedo head coach Joe Avallone. "We have a talented team this year that can go far if they try."

The match was tied 0-0 at halftime, but the Lions turned the game into a rout in the second half.

Nick Ascenzo, Oviedo's goal keeper turned away five shots to record the shutout. Mike Zigler had an impressive performance scoring two goals for his team while Justin Cook, Sergei Kolomeits, Dan Dyke, and Erik Rodriguez each scored a goal for the Lions.

Reilly Mitchell led the team with three assists with Cook, Ben Luker and Rodriguez each getting one.

The Lions travel to Lake Mary's Don T. Reynolds Stadium for a Seminole Athletic Conference battle with the Rams Thursday night at 7:30 p.m.

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IN BRIEF

Sanford Adult Flag Football

SANFORD — A coaches/Team meeting will be held on Wednesday, December 3rd at 6:30 p.m. for the Sanford Recreation Department Adult Flag Football League at the Downtown Recreation Center on the first floor of Sanford City Hall on the corner of Seminole

Boulevard and Park Avenue. The games will be played on Wednesday or Friday night's at Chase Park, beginning the second week of December.

The games will follow the rules and guidelines set forth by the Florida Recreation and Parks Association (FRPA). The FRPA has a statewide flag football association with weekend tournaments and state rankings.

For more information, call the Sanford Recreation Department at 330-5697.

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Mehanik (seven points), Lake Mary's Maggie Reedy (four points) and Crystal Tanner (three points).

Broward also shot well from the floor, making 29 of 62 (46.8-percent), including six-of-11 from three-point land, and was five-of-seven from the free throw line. E. Mulvey hit four three-pointers and tied teammate D. Thomas for game-high scoring honors with 18 points. K. Cleveland scored all 12 of her points in the second half.

This game marked the start of a four-game road trip for the Raiders, who will now head to the panhandle for a pair of tough games this weekend against Okaloosa-Walton Community College (the National Champions two years ago) at Niceville starting at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday and at always outstanding Pensacola Community College at 2 p.m. on Sunday.

SCC will wrap up the road trip with a game next Tuesday against Manatee Community College in Bradenton starting at 6 p.m. before returning home for its final home game before Christmas against Broward starting at 6 p.m. on Friday, December 12th at the Health and

Physical Education Center.

The Raiders (now 8-2) will conclude their pre-holiday schedule with a quick trip to Tampa on Wednesday, December 17th against Hillsborough Community College starting at 6 p.m.

The first game for SCC after the break will be a home game against the Canadian National Team on Tuesday, December 30th at 6 p.m.

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tunity appears to be gone.

If everyone is traded that has been reported, about the only recognizable faces on the field will be catcher Charles Johnson, pitcher Lyon Hernandez, second baseman Craig Council and shortstop Edgar Renteria.

Do the new owners really think Miami will support a triple-A team? Especially with the Tampa Bay area starting its team this season?

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be joined by Lake Howell teammates Mia McCormick and Sarah Richins and Lake Mary's Marissa Malingot.

Completing the squad will be Brooke Baeten from Brookville High School, Stefanie McCollough from Lecanto High School and Tiffany Weagly from Winter Park. An At-Large runner will be named this week.

The remainder of the boys' teams that will run in the race are:

South — coach David Bowden, Lauderdale Lakes-Boyd Anderson High School; Courtney Chambers and Donnel Bowen, Boyd Anderson; Mike Reed, Lake Worth High School; Paul Leone, Ft. Lauderdale-Nova High School; Joe Michalak, Coral Springs High School; Joe Mazzeo, Greenacres City-John I. Leonard High School; and one At-Large selection.

North — coach Don Foy, Niceville High School; Stephen Cornelius, Niceville; Matt Rogers, Jacksonville-Wolfson High School; Tommy Kunish, Pensacola-Woodham High School; Toed Howell, Mariana High School; Ryan Nease, St. Augustine-Nease High School; Gabe Wahila, Jacksonville-Bishop Kenny High School; and one At-Large selection.

West — coach Bobby Ennis, Tampa-Leto High School; Sean Gilman, Loto; David Topping, Sarasota-Riverview High School; Ryan Atkina, Venice High School; Ben Burnett, Bradenton-Manatee High School; Sean McCabe, Tarpon Springs-East Lake High School; Charlie Moore, Seminole High School; and two At-Large selections.

Beaulieu, Coral Springs-Taravella High School; Julie Ayra, Coral Springs High School; and two At-Large selections.

North — coach Steve Lyons, St. Augustine Nease High School; Erin Merten, Jacksonville-Stanton College Prep High School; Patricia Robinson, Tallahassee-Leon High School; Keisha Thomas, Jacksonville-Wolfson High School; Brooke Forrester, Pensacola-Pine Forest High School; Jamie Raibe, Pensacola-Washington High School; Kristen Kelly, Gulf Breeze High School; Meghan Bromert, Pensacola Catholic High School; and one At-Large selection.

West — coach Roy Harrison, Tampa-Plant High School; Caroline Annis, Plant; Heather Haldeman, Sarasota High School; Allison Pfunder, Venice High School; Allie Tatangelo, Tampa-Gaither High School; Amy Zienta, Bradenton-Manatee High School; and three At-Large selections.

Hawkins

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to Penn State and USC. From there he chose the Nittany Lions and Jason said he is happy with his choice.

And Penn State is very happy with it as well. "Jason is one of the top players in the Florida area," Penn State head coach Mark Pavlik said of the All-County player. "Physically, he has all the tools to make him an offensive force at this level."

Height (6-foot-6) isn't the only thing on the volleyball player's side. Jason will also take a tremendous work ethic and great study habits with him.

"Jason has worked very hard not only on the team, but in the off season also," Jason's father, Bob Hawkins said. "He's always known that this is what he wanted to achieve and he's made sure it happened through hard work and dedication."

Part of that dedication included playing on the Orlando Gold Volleyball Club team under

coach Mark Headrick for three years and deciding to give up basketball, another sport which he excels at playing, in his senior year to concentrate on volleyball.

His coach, Jeannie Fisher, is glad that he was a member of her team.

"Jason has worked very hard to get where he is," Jeannie said. "He's being rewarded for all of the hard work that he did in the off seasons. I also think that his scholarship and work ethics say a lot for our program. There is a strong tradition here at Lake Mary and Jason's scholarship to a Division I school is really a plus for both his accomplishments and the program."

There is only one drawback to this event. Jason's mother is not glad that her son is going so far away.

"It'll be tough having Jason so far from home," Debbie Hawkins said. "And especially since he won't be traveling anywhere close to play. I guess we're going to rack up a lot of frequent flyer miles."

Hawkins was one of three prep stars to sign with Penn State during the early signing period. Also agreeing to become future Nittany Lions were Kevin Hodge, a 6-foot-5 swing hitter from Dublin Codman High School in Dublin, Ohio who was named First Team All-Ohio and was his conference's Most Valuable Player last year, and Zack Glenzer, a 6-foot-6 outside hitter from Susquehannock High School in Glen Rock, Pennsylvania who was a Second Team All-Conference selection and also earned Honorable Mention All-State.

"The coaching staff is very excited at the potential of this class and very happy for their families to join the Penn State men's volleyball family," said Pavlik about his men's volleyball class of 2002. "We look forward to seeing them in Nittany Lion uniforms."

The best part about signing early is that now Jason can enjoy the rest of his senior year without worrying about where he's going to college.

Chances are, though, with his work ethic, he'll be spending it conditioning and improving.

Legal Notices

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL DIVISION
CASE NO. 97-1004-CA-148
BANK UNITED, Plaintiff,
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LOT 4, BLOCK 8, COUNTRY CLUB BLVD., UNIT 2, ACCORDING TO PLAT THERE-OF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 12, PAGE 78, PUBLIC RECORDS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the Court at (407) 323-4338 within two (2) working days of your receipt of this Notice; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call Florida Relay Service (800) 368-6778. DATED at Sanford, Florida, on NOVEMBER 20th, 1997. MARYANNE MORSE As Clerk, Circuit Court By: Jane E. Jessome As Deputy Clerk

SMITH & HUNT, P.A.
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION
FILE NO. 97-005-SP
IN RE: THE ESTATE OF CURTIS GARRETT PILLA, Deceased.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

The administration of the Estate of CURTIS GARRETT PILLA, deceased, File Number 97-005-SP, is pending in the Circuit Court for Seminole County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Seminole County Courthouse, P.O. Drawer C, Sanford, FL 32771-0009. The names and addresses of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorney are set forth below.

All interested persons are required to file with the Court, WITHIN THREE MONTHS OF THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE:

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- (2) any objection by an interested person to whom notice was mailed that challenges the validity of the will, the qualifications of the Personal Representative, or the jurisdiction of the Court.

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Payment of Sale Fee, applicable documentary stamp taxes and recording fees are required to be paid by the successful bidder at the sale. Full payment of an amount equal to the highest bid is due within 24 hours after the advertised time of the sale. All payments shall be cash or guaranteed instrument, made payable to the Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1997.
(Seal)
MARYANNE MORSE
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA
By: Michelle L. Silva
Deputy Clerk
Publish: December 2, 1997
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Legal Notices

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL DIVISION
CASE NO. 97-005-CA
SUBDIVISION 142
MONRIAN MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Plaintiff(s),
vs. LAUREN RIVERA, et al. Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

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WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of this Court on NOVEMBER 16th 1997. (Seal)
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL ACTION
CASE NO. 97-1170-CA
SUBDIVISION 142
OLD KENT MORTGAGE COMPANY, Plaintiff(s),
vs. RICHARD MYERS, et al. Defendant(s).

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LOT 5 AND THE NORTH 10 FEET OF LOT 6, BLOCK A, NATY-SOLOTTI ADDITION TO ALTA-MORRE, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3, PAGE 30, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA.

LESS THAT PORTION LYING WITHIN 48 FEET OF THE CENTERLINE OF COUNTY ROAD 427.

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NOTICE

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL DIVISION
CASE NO. 97-004-CA-14-8
Home Savings of America, FSB, Plaintiff,
vs. Steven P. Tippett, Sr. and Veronica Soomann, husband and wife, et al., Defendants.

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LOT 10, RIVERSIDE AT TWIN RIVERS UNIT 1, ACCORDING TO PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 44, PAGES 28 THROUGH 35, PUBLIC RECORDS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA.
NOTE: PURSUANT TO THE FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT YOU ARE ADVISED THAT THIS LAW IS DESIGNED TO BE A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Dated the 20th day of NOVEMBER, 1997.
MARYANNE MORSE
Clerk of Circuit Court
By: Jane E. Jessome
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MARYANNE MORSE
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA
By: Michelle L. Silva
Deputy Clerk
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BLONDIE

by Chic Young



BETLE BAILEY

by Mort Walker



THE BORN LOSER

by Art Sanson



PEANUTS

by Charles M. Schulz



EEK & MEEK

by Howie Schneider



TUMBLEWEEDS

by T.K. Ryan



ARLO AND JANIS

by Jimmy Johnson



FRANK AND ERNEST

by Bob Thaves



GARFIELD

by Jim Davis



ROBOTMAN

by Jim Meddick



What's the scoop on herbal cures?

DEAR DR. GOTT: With all the hype about herbal remedies, consumers like me have a difficult time separating fact from fiction. Can you enlighten me? Let's start with echinacea.

DEAR READER: Your confusion is understandable and is shared by many readers. Consequently, I am starting a miniseries of questions and answers about herbal remedies.

Such remedies were extremely popular in the pre-antibiotic era, before World War II. Botanicals enjoyed widespread acceptance then — as they had for centuries — because there were few other treatment options. And, in fact, many herbal remedies were subsequently purified and sold as pharmaceutical agents; for example, aspirin, digoxin, belladonna and penicillin are useful substances derived from plant sources or fungi. Today, herbal remedies are attracting a lot of attention.

Echinacea is such a product. This preparation has been shown to stimulate the immune system and increase the body's production of "tumor necrosis factor," a natural anti-cancer compound. Echinacea enhances our ability to fight off bacterial, viral and fungal infections — and may help to relieve the symptoms of flu. However, the remedy should not be used in people with autoimmune diseases (lupus, rheumatoid arthritis and others) or with multiple sclerosis, tuberculosis or AIDS.

The usual dose is 15 to 30 drops of the tincture two to five times daily. Because echinacea compounds are not regulated by the Food and Drug Administration, the preparations vary in potency. Therefore, experts recommend that consumers purchase echinacea only from reputable sources that list on the label the plant parts used, the name and address of the manufacturer, the batch and lot number, and the dates of manufacture and expiration. Also, echinacea should not be taken continuously for more than eight weeks at a time. When used responsibly, the herbal is free of side effects. (Next time: ginkgo biloba.)

DEAR DR. GOTT: My 73-year-old father has terrible arthritis in his right knee, for which several doctors have urged total knee replacement. However, despite several prescription medications, his blood pressure remains at the 210/110 level. Should he undergo surgery with such hypertension?

DEAR READER: In the course of my duties, I am often asked by surgeons to give pre-operative medical clearance to elderly patients who are facing major surgery. The reason for this is that anesthesia and surgery are major stresses on the body and my surgical colleagues want to avoid a preventable tragedy.



PETER GOTT, M.D.

Foremost in my mind when I perform a consultation is the possibility of a heart attack or stroke in a senior citizen. It's my job to identify the potential for problems, prevent such problems as best I can, and give the surgeons a clear appraisal of the probable risks.

Hypertension is such a problem — and a risk. It can cause heart attack, heart failure or stroke in an older per-

son during or after surgery. Therefore, my rule of thumb is that high blood pressure must be controlled before surgery is considered.

I don't doubt that your father needs a knee replacement. Such an operation would improve his independence and general life pattern. However, in my view, the surgery should be postponed until he has been "fine-tuned."

If his blood pressure remains high (above 150/90), his medicine should be increased, adjusted or changed. Therefore, I would refer this problem back to his family doctor, who — with the help of cardiovascular specialists as needed — should be able to stabilize your father's blood pressure. Once this is accomplished, the surgery should proceed smoothly.

This is the way the system should work — problems are identified and solved before a patient goes under the knife. Let me know how this situation plays out.

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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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WIN AT BRIDGE

Back on the shelf

By Phillip Alder

One book, "Killing Defence at Bridge" by Hugh Kelsey, did more for my game than any other. It has just been republished by Gollancz. But it isn't for the faint of heart or lazy. At the top of each page, you see your hand and the dummy. Kelsey sets the scene and assumes you will pause to work out the killing play. Then you read on, finally, the other two hands are at the bottom of the page.

This is one of the simpler deals in the book. To get full value, cover the East and South hands. Against four hearts, you lead the spade king: two, six, four. What now? Also, on which aspect of defense do you think Kelsey lays greatest emphasis?

You must look closely at the exact

spade spots. Your partner played his lowest. Could he have a singleton? No, because declarer would have won with dummy's ace. Remember, you are marked with five spades from your overall. So, partner must have three spades. (With two, partner would have played his higher, starting an echo.) Yet, with a singleton, why didn't South win trick one? The only sane answer is that he has a lone club ace. He hopes to discard that blocking card on dummy's spade ace at trick two, then to throw diamond losers on dummy's top clubs. To thwart him, switch immediately to hearts or clubs.

Kelsey gives greatest emphasis to counting. Five of the other 12 chapters are devoted to it, and it permeates the other seven.

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North 12-09-97

♠ A 9 5 2
♥ 8 4
♦ 9 7
♣ K Q J 8 3

West ♠ K Q J 10 3
♥ J 9
♦ K Q 4
♣ 9 7 6

East ♠ 8 7 6
♥ A 2
♦ J 10 5 3
♣ 10 5 4 2

South ♠ 4
♥ K Q 10 7 6 5 3
♦ A 8 6 2
♣ A

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

South 1 ♠
West 1 ♠
North Pass
East Pass
All pass

Opening lead: ♠ K

HOROSCOPE

Your Birthday

Wednesday, Dec. 3, 1997

Look for favorable changes in the year ahead regarding important business and social relationships. Bonds you've established will serve as springboards and be envied by others.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Your nobler equalities will be accentuated today and win you the admiration of your peers. When they give of themselves, you always give more back. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail \$2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Do not be satisfied with the status quo today where your earnings are concerned.

Measures can be taken to improve your lot in life.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) A desire of yours that you thought was out of reach will be imbued with new vitality and hope today. Hop aboard and don't let your optimism waver.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Just because an objective was too tough for another to achieve doesn't mean that you're destined to fail as well. You can succeed where he or she couldn't.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Things can be smoothed out with a friend with whom you've had a recent disagreement. Do not let the day go by without trying to mend the relationship.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) When conversing with people whose views you admire, listen attentively. You could pick up some new ideas on how to achieve your goals and positions.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Do not lock in on ideas that have proven to be unproductive. A revised outlook could bring you success. Start experimenting with new

techniques.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) A frustrating condition at work could begin to undergo favorable transformations today. Hang in there, because better times are indicated.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Try to share time today with your closest friends. Events that transpire will help renew your camaraderie and strengthen sincere feelings for one another.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Items you acquire for your home in this cycle could provide you with lasting joy. They might become centerpieces of which you'll not tire readily.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your already strong opinions and ideas are likely to take on even greater intensity today. Supporters will be drawn to the pet causes you espouse.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Your feelings of self-worth will be enhanced today and provide you with impetus to strive for grander purposes. Load, lock and fire your best volley.

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