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Sentencing set for Colfield

SANFORD — Judge C. Vernon Mize Jr. will sentence Merle Colfield Jan. 6 for the murder of a Sanford restaurateur six years ago.
Monday, defense witnesses described the bleak poverty, racial segregation and family alcoholism in which Colfield was raised growing up in rural North Carolina in the 1950s and 1960s.

Colfield pleaded no contest to felony murder in the stabbing death of Li Teh Yu, owner of Mr. C's Southern Fried Chicken on May 1, 1988. Colfield contends a second man named "Roy" committed the murder. Police have not located a second suspect. Colfield faces death in the electric chair or life in prison.

Mylett sentenced in Texas

LONGWOOD — Chris Mylett, 37, a former city resident who was active in the community was sentenced in a federal court in Texas to 20 years for mail fraud and conspiracy. He was ordered to pay an insurance company \$30,000 restitution and serve three years probation following his prison term.

The case is being appealed. Mylett was convicted of mail fraud and conspiracy to commit mail fraud after taking out a life insurance policy on a Houston business partner who was later murdered. Scott Houck was found shot to death in May 1988 in a car at the Houston airport.

Mylett moved to Longwood in 1990. Ken Aderholt, who claimed Mylett came up with the 1988 scheme, was sentenced to 10 years in prison and ordered to pay the insurance.
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The fog will roll in tonight



Today: Partly sunny. High around 80. Light wind becoming north 5 to 10 mph.

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Your taxes may go up

County sees need for millage hike

By J. MARK BARFIELD
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Seminole County residents could face a steep tax increase next year and increasing levels for each of the following three years under a spending "looking glass" presented to commissioners Monday.

The money, an extra \$1 in next year's tax rate, will be needed to meet state and federal requirements and directives from past commissions.

County staffers presented their updated five-year revenue and spending plan to county commissioners, called the "Capital Improvements Program." Mandatory spending in the plan

is included in the "Capital Improvements Element" of the state-required growth management plan for the county.

Facing increased pressures for equipment replacements, including eight \$225,000 fire engines, stormwater spending and other programs, county staffers proposed the tax plan.

Among the chief spending plans are \$4 million for maintenance and upkeep of libraries during the next four years, \$9.7 million for Public Safety operations and improvements, \$20 million for stormwater programs, \$36.4 million in water and wastewater improvements and \$7.6 million in solid waste programs.

The income and spending represents only estimates and in many cases are incomplete staff admitted. One major shortfall in the estimates may be in the upcoming building construction fund.

For example, the new Public Safety Building at Five Points was expected to cost about \$10

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County may take back school money

By VICKI DeBORMIER
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Students may be the big losers when it comes to the way state per-pupil dollars are distributed.

The county government could be the winner. And Supt. Paul Hagerty is not happy about it.

"Basically, they discussed this without asking any one in the school district to participate," Hagerty said. "We were hit with this out of the cold."

Monday, Seminole County commissioners directed its staff to draw up legislation that would allocate the full \$446,500 that Seminole gets from

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Voters' poll sitter



Herald Photo by Tommy Vincent

The lone polling place for today's Sanford city election is at the First Church of the Nazarene Fellowship Hall, 2581 Sanford Avenue. Voters early this morning straggled in, including Robin Ambrose, whose dog April is too young

to vote, so waits by the flagpole. Only one race is on the ballot, pitting challenger Kerry Lyons against incumbent A.A. McClanahan, in the race for District 3 seat. The polls will be open until 7 p.m.

Longwood OKs paving projects

By SANDRA ELLIOTT
Herald Staff Writer

LONGWOOD — City commissioners approved paving projects on two city streets Monday night after they OK'd assessments for property owners along Bistline and Georgia avenues.

The city will pay 60 percent of the cost of the paving projects with abutting property owners picking up the remaining 40 percent. The commissioners waived the assessment for corner property owners whose addresses are not on the two streets in question. The city will pay those assessments. The cost of paving Bistline Avenue is \$70,395 and \$44,213 for Georgia Avenue. The commission met as the Equalization Board prior to their regular commission meeting.

City administrator W. Shelton Smith asked that the discussion of adding four motorcycle police to the city traffic division and a stop sign at Highland Hills subdivision be tabled. Police chief Greg Manning was out of town Monday night and wanted to be present when the commissioners considered the items.

Further, the commissioners approved on first reading the rezoning of several parcels of land on Longwood Hills Road and in West Wildmere to conform with the city's Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance. John Brock, director of planning and building services explained the action would

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Cops bust drug ring, arrest five men

By NICK PFEIFAU
Herald Staff Writer

LAKE MARY — Five men were arrested yesterday afternoon near Lake Mary in connection with what law enforcement officials believe is a large-scale drug ring.

Members of the City/County Investigative Bureau (CCIB), served a

search warrant at a residence at Pebble Creek Apartments on Greenwood Boulevard.

According to sheriff's spokesman Ed McDonough, during the search, CCIB agents seized 21 pounds of marijuana, worth an estimated \$21,000 street value. They also took two cars, and a 25 caliber handgun.

Arrested were Jose Cortez, 17, of

DeLeon Springs, Carlos Siller, 22, of Orange City, Jose Siller, 19, of Orange City, Brian Morse, 21, of 777 Creekwater Terrace, Lake Mary, and Adam Fadoskey, 19, of 725 Creekwater Terrace, Lake Mary.

McDonough said the arrests were the result of an investigation that began last September.

The two Sillers, and Brian Morse

were released from the John E. Folk Correctional Facility last night after posting \$3,500 bond each. Radoskey was to make his initial court appearance early this afternoon, and Cortez was to have a detention hearing this morning.

Each of the suspects was charged with possession of marijuana with intent to distribute.

Lake Mary Business Advisory Board disbanded

By NICK PFEIFAU
Herald Staff Writer

LAKE MARY — The city of Lake Mary has dropped its Business Advisory Board.

The board was nearing its fourth anniversary, having been established Jan. 17 of 1991.

The decision to cancel the board was made during last week's meeting of the Lake Mary city commission. It was brought up as part of the general agenda pertaining to appoint-

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Christmas event as in days gone by

By SHARI BRODIE
Herald Staff Writer

LAKE MARY — An event reminiscent of days gone by will take place Wednesday night at the Frank Evans Center in Lake Mary.

"Christmas In Olde Lake Mary," an open house and musical program presented by the Starburst Service Unit of Girl Scouts and the City of Lake Mary is an attempt to return to some of the community-oriented events once held in the community center.

The Girl Scouts annually participate in a

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Playing the game



Herald Photo by April Keniston

Sixth graders at the Greenwood Lakes Middle School gifted students program participated in a multi-cultural festival recently. Shown at the Rulers of the Colosseum (Latin), left to right,

Jeremy Guest, Derek Jones, Gregg Cohen, Rui Vasconcelos, Meredith Whigham, Michelle Cardel and Galit Seifan.

FLORIDA BRIEFS



More long distance to Cuba

WASHINGTON — Sprint Corp. joined rivals MCI and AT&T, offering direct dial telephone service to Cuba, a service U.S. callers have not had for 30 years.

Sprint began offering the service Monday. Rivals MCI and AT&T began offering direct dial service to their customers on Nov. 25.

Sprint is charging customers up to \$1.47 a minute during "peak hours" — between 6 a.m. and 6 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Special discounts are available for customers enrolled in calling plans, the Kansas City, Mo.-based company said.

The U.S. government cleared the way for direct dial service between the two countries in October when it approved fees that U.S. companies will pay the Cuban government to complete service.

Singer gives birth to new hit

MIAMI — Grammy award-winning performer Gloria Estefan and her manager-husband Emilio have produced another hit: a 19-inch, 6-pound, 14-ounce daughter.

Emily Marie Estefan was born at 12:20 p.m. Monday at Mount Sinai Medical Center in Miami Beach.

Mother and daughter were "resting comfortably," said Vivian Piazza, a spokeswoman for Epic Records in New York. Father was recovering at home after nearly fainting during the delivery, she said.

"They're doing great," she said of all three.

The Estefans have another child, 14-year-old Nayib.

The Cuban-born singer had been trying to get pregnant since recovering from a March 1990 bus crash which broke her back.

Charges dropped for flight interference

MIAMI — Charges have been dropped against a New York man who allegedly asked a flight attendant, "How far will this plane go if we hijack it?" while on a Miami-to-Orlando flight.

Boris Nitkin, 33, was arrested by FBI agents Nov. 15 at Miami International Airport after allegedly making that comment, and also asking "What is the range of this aircraft? Will it make it across the Atlantic?"

But Monday, at a hearing before U.S. Magistrate Barry Garber, Assistant U.S. Attorney Robert Waters announced the government was dropping the single federal count of interfering with a flight crew.

The incident took place aboard Continental Airlines' Flight 1558 as the jetliner taxied before takeoff for Orlando. The flight attendant reported Nitkin's remarks, then the pilot aborted the flight and returned to the terminal at Miami International.

Following Nitkin's arrest, his sister Angela Nitkin said in New York the entire incident was her brother's fault.

"He has a history of problems with what he says," she said. "He jokes, that's the problem."

The single federal count that he faced could have brought him up to 20 years in prison and fines of as much as \$250,000.

Strayed whale bound for Florida?

TALLAHASSEE — A right whale seen near Philadelphia may have gotten lost on its way to Florida, marine researchers say.

But unless the whale can be identified by distinctive markings, scientists won't know if it is a habitual traveler to southern calving grounds, Bill Brooks of the Florida Department of Environmental Protection said Monday.

Researchers tried to direct the disoriented whale back to the sea after it wandered 60 miles up the Delaware River to the Philadelphia area Saturday.

One boater reported seeing the whale Monday about 55 miles south of Philadelphia, and experts later said they thought it had made its way to the top of Delaware Bay, still about 40 miles from the sea.

From Associated Press reports

Correction

In a photo caption run on this page in Sunday's *Sanford Herald*, Krystale Vitalis' name was inadvertently omitted and Brianna Wilkins' name was misspelled.

The Girl Scouts were singing at a tree lighting ceremony in Lake Mary.



Krystale Vitalis

NEWS FROM THE REGION AND ACROSS THE STATE

Obstetric Medicaid fees increased Welfare patients now getting full-service

By The Associated Press

ORLANDO — Pregnant women on welfare are becoming big business for full-service hospital maternity centers which used to shun them.

A major reason is an increase in Medicaid reimbursement rates — once so low that doctors sometimes refused to treat Medicaid patients — are now on a par with rates paid by managed care programs, health care officials say.

Another reason for the boom is the increasing number of pregnant women on Medicaid. They represent an estimated 45 percent of women who will give birth in Florida this year, according to state Medicaid officials.

Florida's 80,000 Medicaid babies represented 42 percent of the state's live births in 1992. Nearly 40 percent of all Orange County's live births, or 4,700, were under

the Medicaid program.

Central Florida hospitals are eyeing for low-income mothers-to-be who — up until now — received prenatal care at health department clinics. They were then assigned to an often unfamiliar hospital and assisted by a doctor they didn't know.

Medicaid patients at Winter Park Memorial Hospital's new OB Access Center will receive prenatal care from the same staff obstetricians who deliver their babies.

Hospital officials hope to deliver as many as 700 Medicaid babies a year.

Patient perks include discounted bus tickets for doctor visits and an array of free services that range from Lamaze and breast-feeding classes to newborn support groups and a "baby talk" hot line.

"We thought the hospital needed to do a better job of treating more people in the community," Winter Park Hospital's CEO Pete Lawson said. "Their care here will be the same as all patients at the hospital."

The hospital also expects the center to be profitable.

"It's a good business decision," said Connie Warren, nurse manager of a similar clinic operated by Florida Hospital. "If they couldn't make a profit, they wouldn't be doing it."

Besides the six county hospitals, private health-care providers predict heavy competition for Medicaid mothers-to-be.

"Now everybody wants them," Warren said.

Orlando Regional Healthcare Systems is planning to expand its services, said Dr. Stephen Snow of Arnold Palmer Hospital for Children & Women.

The hospital runs two maternity clinics, one for high-risk pregnancies and one for normal pregnancies, which average a total of 1,500 births a year. Both serve mostly Medicaid patients.

"We'd like more (Medicaid) patients, but we're limited by room," Snow said.

Anti-abortion murderer faces death sentence

By BILL KACZOR
Associated Press Writer

PENSACOLA — Prosecutors say anti-abortion murderer Paul Hill deserves to die because even the God he often invokes condemns what he did.

The former minister says he doesn't want to appeal if he is sentenced to death today for the shotgun slayings of an abortion doctor and clinic escort. Hill ambushed the two men and another volunteer escort, who was wounded, July 29 outside a Pensacola abortion clinic.

Circuit Judge Frank Bell was to decide whether Hill, 40, of Pensacola should die in Florida's electric chair or serve life in prison without parole for the two first-degree murders. Those were the only sentences possible.

Hill contends the murders were justified to prevent abortions, but he was not allowed to make that argument to jurors, largely because abortion is legal.

The 12-member jury last month unanimously recommended death sentences for the slayings of Dr. John Bayard Britton, 74, of Fernandina Beach, and retired Air Force Lt. Col. James Barrett, 69, of Pensacola.

Hill also faced a possible life sentence for trying to murder Barrett's wife, June, 69, also a

clinic escort, and 15 years for shooting into an occupied vehicle. The unarmed victims were shot as they arrived at the Ladies Center clinic in the Barrett's pickup truck.

Prosecutors contended Hill should be put to death in part because the killings were cold and calculated "without any pretense of moral or legal justification."

"If one examines the great religions of the world the killing of a human being by one who lays-in-wait is regarded as evil and sinful," wrote Assistant State Attorneys James Murray and Ray Marky in papers filed with the court.

"The very God who the defendant referred to in his only utterance to the jury condemns the acts committed by the defendant," they added.

During the penalty phase of his trial last month, Hill told jurors they "may mix my blood with the blood of the unborn." He concluded his brief statement by saying "May God help you to protect the unborn, as you would want to be protected."

In addition to premeditation, prosecutors argued that death sentences were justified because more than one person was killed and Hill created a great risk of death to many people.



Well red at Christmas

Clifford the Big Red Dog was at Lake Mary Elementary School's Fall Book Fair last week to encourage youngsters to read and to give books as holiday gifts. The classic canine had plenty of hugs to pass around for people, like Amanda John, who have read his books and love his adventures in the smaller world.

Poll shows support for moment of silence

By The Associated Press

TAMPA — A moment of silence was the favored form of school prayer among 90 percent of the adults and teens polled in a four-county area.

A random survey of 460 adults and 51 teen-agers in Hardee, Hillsborough, Pasco and Pinellas counties was conducted by The Florida Research Group, a division of The Tampa Tribune, from Nov. 14-22. Results were reported Monday.

Some 90 percent said the moment of silence would be a "very" or "somewhat acceptable" option, according to the

poll.

"It just lets students talk to the Lord or whoever," said Heather Smith, 16, a freshman at Osceola High School in Pinellas County. "If they believe in it, I say go for it."

Fifteen percent of those surveyed oppose any form of prayer in schools.

"If you're going to have school prayer, it would most likely favor one religion," said Mike Pinnell, 17, a senior at Northeast High in St. Petersburg. "That wouldn't be fair to anyone else. I also think prayer would divide people, make them stick with

their own and not mix with others."

Prayers led by students or staff members were not acceptable to 26 percent of those surveyed.

Of the teen-agers surveyed, 60 percent said peer pressure would cause them to keep their beliefs to themselves if prayer were returned to schools.

At a glance

The Florida Research Group surveyed 460 adults and 51 teens in Hardee, Hillsborough, Pasco and Pinellas counties on the issue of school prayer and found:

- 90 percent favor some form of school prayer in class or at special events such as graduation; 15 percent are opposed.
- 95 percent say a moment of silence is very or somewhat acceptable.
- 77 percent say a non-denominational

prayer is best.

- 88 percent say school prayer should be optional.
- 40 percent of the teens said peer pressure would cause them to keep their beliefs private. And 12 percent would likely object or refuse to participate in school prayer.
- The survey had a margin of error of plus or minus 4 percent.

LOTTERY

MIAMI — Here are the winning numbers selected Monday in the Florida Lottery.

Fantasy 5
6-18-21-9-3



Cash 3
5-8-3
Play 4
9-1-5-7

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THE WEATHER

LOCAL FORECAST

Tonight: Fair except for dense fog forming late. Low in the mid to upper 50s. Light wind.

Wednesday: Dense morning fog then becoming partly sunny. High around 80. Light wind becoming north 5 mph.

Thursday through Saturday: Partly cloudy days and fair at night. Lows near 60 north to upper 60s south. Highs in the lower to mid 80s.

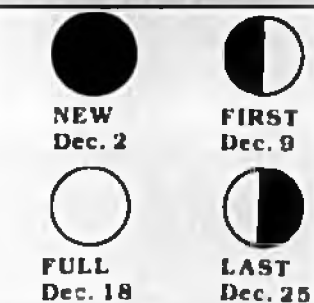
FLORIDA TEMPS

City	Hi	Lo	Pct
Daytona Beach	70	67	27
Ft. Lauderdale	66	74	44
Fort Myers	64	70	81
Gainesville	64	67	13
Jacksonville	67	67	84
Key West	66	74	98
Lakeland	60	67	84
Miami	63	74	19
Orlando	60	69	43
Pensacola	69	63	19
Sarasota	62	64	00
Tallahassee	73	60	19
Tampa	67	67	00
Vero Beach	64	72	14
W. Palm Beach	64	71	39

EXTENDED OUTLOOK

TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Ptly sunny 82-82	Ptly cldy 82-82	Ptly cldy 82-82	Ptly cldy 82-82	Ptly cldy 82-82

MOON PHASES



BEACH CONDITIONS

Daytona Beach: Waves are 1-2 feet and semi-choppy. The current is to the south. Water temperature is 72 degrees.

New Smyrna Beach: Waves are 2-3 feet and choppy. The current is to the north. Water temperature is 72 degrees.

TIDES

WEDNESDAY
SOLUNAR TABLE: Min. 9:05 a.m., 9:35 p.m.; Maj. 2:55 a.m., 3:20 p.m.
TIDES: Daytona Beach: highs, 11:22 a.m., 11:43 p.m.; lows, 4:48 a.m., 5:33 p.m.; New Smyrna Beach: highs, 11:27 a.m., 11:48 p.m.; lows, 4:53 a.m., 5:38 p.m.; Cocoa Beach: highs, 11:42 a.m., 12:03 p.m.; lows, 5:08 a.m., 5:53 p.m.

BOATING

St. Augustine to Jupiter Inlet
Today: Wind northwest to north 10 knots. Seas 2 feet near shore and 5 feet offshore. Bay and inland waters a light chop. Visibility occasionally below 3 nautical miles in fog near the coast during the morning mainly north portion. Tonight and wed. Wind variable 5 to 10 knots. Seas 2 to 3 feet.

NATIONAL TEMPS

Temperatures indicate previous day's high and overnight low to 8 a.m. EST.

City	Hi	Lo	Pr	Obs
Anchorage	20	63	01	sn
Asheville	70	48	04	cdy
Atlanta	68	56	01	cdy
Atlanta City	63	52	43	rn
Austin	77	63	03	cdy
Baltimore	68	53	07	cdy
Boston	58	49	14	cdy
Buffalo	54	48	30	sn
Burlington, Vt.	41	37	10	cdy
Charleston S.C.	71	61	03	cdy
Charleston W.Va.	63	56	20	cdy
Charlotte, N.C.	71	54	03	cdy
Cheyenne	48	26	04	cdy
Chicago	49	34	21	sn
Cincinnati	59	51	01	rn
Cleveland	54	50	01	sn
Concord, N.H.	43	36	10	cdy
Dallas Ft. Worth	59	50	03	cdy
Denver	38	25	04	cdy
Des Moines	60	56	02	sn
Detroit	58	46	02	sn
Honolulu	83	73	01	cdy
Houston	76	61	01	rn
Indianapolis	56	46	01	rn
Juneau	75	29	04	cdy
Kansas City	37	26	04	cdy
Las Vegas	57	39	01	cdy
Little Rock	62	54	04	cdy
Los Angeles	71	54	04	cdy
Memphis	60	56	02	cdy
Minneapolis	49	33	24	cdy
Missoula	26	11	03	cdy
Ms. St. Paul	62	51	01	cdy
Nashville	66	61	01	cdy
New Orleans	62	54	00	rn
New York City	50	38	02	cdy
Oklahoma City	50	38	02	cdy
Omaha	23	23	03	cdy
Philadelphia	66	51	22	rn
Phoenix	69	56	07	cdy
Pittsburgh	60	52	08	rn
Pittsburgh	60	52	08	rn
St. Louis	56	39	01	cdy
Salt Lake City	47	32	01	cdy
Shreveport	63	49	01	cdy
Washington, D.C.	71	51	05	cdy

POLICE BRIEFS

Suspicious vehicle

Lake Mary police made two arrests Saturday, following an investigation regarding a suspicious pickup truck parked at the north end of Primera Drive. The arresting officers reportedly called a K-9 unit when he believed there was evidence of drugs in the vehicle. As a result of a check, a total of 1,070 grams of marijuana were discovered in various boxes and bags. The driver of the vehicle, Robert Davis Jr., 24, of New Smyrna Beach was arrested on charges of possession of marijuana with intent to distribute, use of a motor vehicle in the commission of a felony, and possession of approximately 1,070 grams of marijuana.

The passenger in the vehicle, identified as Adrienne Kensey, 21, was charged with possession of under 20 grams of marijuana, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Mace attack

Altamonte Springs police arrested Terri Ann Denison, 36, of 15 Trailby St., Longwood, on Sunday. According to the arrest report, Denison was said to have tried to take a pair of Levi jeans, valued at \$34.99 from the store hidden in her purse. The report said when a store official tried to stop the woman, she pulled a can of mace out of her purse and sprayed the man with it. The store employee however, reportedly managed to detain the woman until police arrived. She was subsequently charged with aggravated battery with a weapon, shoplifting, and resisting a merchant.

Soap disagreement

Sanford police arrested Bobby Osgood, 50, of 5 Lake Monroe Terrace, near his residence Sunday. According to the arrest report, Osgood is said to have been involved in an argument over a bar of soap with two other persons, and threatened to go home and get a gun. Police said Osgood eventually returned with what appeared to be a handgun, hidden under a towel.

After police arrived, they discovered the handgun was a plastic toy. Osgood was arrested on a charge of aggravated assault.

Traffic stops

Michael Wayne Coburn, 26, of Orlando, was stopped by Oviedo police on State Road 434 early Monday. He was arrested on charges of driving under the influence of alcohol and possession of an open container.

Roger Lee Thomas, 26, of 664 Brightview Drive, Lake Mary, was stopped by Lake Mary police on Casa Verde Boulevard early Monday. He was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol.

Wanda J. White, 36, 270 Hanson Parkway, Sanford, was stopped by Sanford police at the entrance to Carriage Cove Sunday. She was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol and driving with a suspended license.

Daniel Frederick Septiron, 31, of 11 Terra St., Lake Monroe, was arrested by Sanford police Saturday following a two vehicle collision near Sixth Street and Olive Avenue. He was charged with careless driving, and driving with a suspended license.

Warrants

Chandre L. Barnes, 25, 1077 W. Broadway, Oviedo, was arrested Saturday at her residence by Oviedo police. She was wanted on a warrant charging her with burglary.

Madria T. Carr, 18, 1003 W. 15th St., Sanford, was arrested by deputies on 28th Street Saturday. She was wanted for failing to appear on a charge of driving with a suspended/revoked license.

Kathleen C. Brown, 41, 1040 Shafter Trail, Oviedo, was arrested at her residence Saturday by Oviedo police. She was wanted for violation of probation on a conviction of driving under the influence of alcohol.

Retail thefts

Thomas Wade, Jr., 31, 131 Academy Ave., Sanford, was arrested by Sanford police at a retail store in the 1500 block of S. French Avenue Saturday. Police said he attempted to take two extension cords valued at \$13.92. He was charged with retail theft.

Joel D. Wilkinson, 25, was arrested by Lake Mary police at a retail store in the 3700 block of Flagg Drive Sunday. He was accused of taking a miniature transmitter valued at \$38.98 from the store without paying. He was charged with retail theft.

Disturbances

Sanford police arrested Thomas Lee Sapp, 32, of Jacksonville, near a bar in the 2600 block of Park Avenue Saturday. He was charged with disorderly conduct.

Leonard P. Vinson, 41, 3034 E. 24th St., Sanford, was arrested by deputies at his residence Sunday following a reported dispute with a female. He was charged with aggravated battery, domestic violence.

Incidents reported to the sheriff

Tools and a radio with a total value of \$1,300 were reportedly stolen Saturday from a truck parked in the 700 block of Creekwater Terrace near Lake Mary.

Tools and other items with a total value of \$710 were reported stolen from a truck Friday in the 3800 block of Greenwood Boulevard near Lake Mary.

Incidents reported to Sanford police

A \$300 VCR was reported stolen Friday from a residence in the 800 block of Valencia Street.

An estimated \$165 in items were reported stolen Thursday from a vehicle in a parking lot at Castle Brewer Court.

A microwave oven, TV set, jewelry and tools valued at over \$5,510 were reported stolen Thursday from a residence in the 1900 block of Park Avenue.

Items valued at \$339 were reported stolen Friday from an outbuilding in the 1300 block of Palmetto Avenue.

A residential burglary was reported Sunday in the 100 block of W. 20th Street. Items valued at \$1,820 were said to be missing.

Power tools and building materials valued at \$2,340 were reportedly stolen Friday from a construction trailer in the 100 block of Pamela Court.

An attempt to steal a 1988 Dodge van was reported early Monday in the 2500 block of El Captain. Police said the burglar was spotted by the vehicle's owner, and fled from the area.

A generator valued at \$1,300 was reported stolen Sunday from a business in the 400 block of W. 15th Street.

A VCR valued at \$365 was reported stolen Sunday from a residence in Lake Monroe Terrace.

A Sanford man told police he was approached by two men, one with a handgun, in a parking lot in Seminole Gardens Sunday. He said the men pulled him from his 1987 Toyota pickup, and took the vehicle. Police said the vehicle was found later in an alley in Cowan Moughton Terrace, with \$1,500 in items missing.

A launching dollie, used during the Sailboat Regatta on Lake Monroe, was reportedly stolen Saturday or Sunday from the Marina Hotel grounds. The dollie, valued at \$319, was one of four being used for the event.

An estimated \$400 in property was said to have been stolen Saturday from a garage in the 2600 block of Princeton Avenue.

Jewelry, a TV set, stereo and other items valued at \$2,800 were reportedly stolen Saturday from a residence in the 2500 block of Hartwell Avenue.

An undetermined amount of jewelry was reportedly stolen Sunday from a business in the 1100 block of S. French Avenue.



King for a day

Willie Holt, retiring director of middle schools for the Seminole County school district, takes a few moments to enjoy the snacks at a picnic in his honor at the school board on Friday evening. Holt, who began as a teacher at Crooms High School 34 years ago will leave the school district this month and look to a future in educational consulting. In the meantime, he's being feted by his friends and colleagues in grand style.

Herald Photo by Agryl Ramston

Simpson juror might be booted

By MICHAEL FLEEMAN
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES — At least one juror in the O.J. Simpson trial faces expulsion for misconduct, the judge disclosed as lawyers finished in-depth questioning of potential alternate jurors.

Attorneys set aside today to pore over notes and juror questionnaires to prepare for the high-stakes game of exercising peremptory challenges. On Wednesday, they begin picking 12 to 15 alternates from a pool of 44 selected over the last month.

At least some alternates have long been expected to become part of the jury because the trial should last up to six months. That possibility became more immediate on Monday, when Superior Court Judge Lance Ito scheduled a hearing on juror misconduct.

Both Ito and Deputy District Attorney Marcia Clark referred to a problem with the jury empaneled on Nov. 3. The jurors are under strict orders to avoid news reports about the Simpson case.

"We may be losing someone from our panel of 12," Clark said.

Ito said Thursday's misconduct hearing may last a half-day.

"Each side has to take into account the fact that we may lose some of the originals. We may not," Ito said. If a juror is booted, he could empanel an alternate Thursday.

On Monday, lawyers finished in-depth questioning of alternate prospects. Now they can use peremptory challenges to dismiss prospects without giving a reason. They are not allowed to excuse prospects because of race or gender.

Attorneys will choose from an alternate pool that, like the jury itself, is predominately black. The alternate pool has 23 blacks, nine whites, eight Hispanics, three Asians and one mixed-race person who is black and Hispanic. Twenty-four prospects are men and 20 are women.

The jury is composed of eight blacks, two Hispanics, one white and one mixed-race person. Eight jurors are women and four are men.

Polls have shown blacks are more likely to believe that Simpson, who is black, is innocent in the June 12 killings of his ex-wife Nicole Brown Simpson and her friend Ronald Goldman.

Also Monday, attorneys and the judge juggled the schedule of various hearings, with the most significant involving admissibility of crucial DNA evidence.

The defense requested the DNA hearing be pushed back from Dec. 12 to Jan. 3 because one of its DNA experts, attorney Peter Neufeld, couldn't get away from a murder trial in New York. Ito didn't rule on the request.

The judge set a Dec. 12 hearing for a defense request to exclude evidence of what the defense calls "domestic discord." That evidence is expected to include Ms. Simpson's dramatic 911 call after Simpson broke down a door to her condominium and Simpson's no-contest plea to spousal abuse. The schedule changes aren't expected to delay opening statements, which are expected in late January or early February.

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EDITORIAL

Be downtown Saturday

Central Florida residents and visitors should know where Sanford is by now. As during every holiday season, the number of special events should really attract attention.

This past weekend, over 700 colorful sailboats could be seen off the shore from Sanford on Lake Monroe for the two-day-long Sailfest '94 event. Early last month, several thousand guests visited Sanford to participate in the annual Golden Age Games. People came from throughout the eastern United States as well as a few from Canada.

This coming Saturday will be another big day for Sanford. It's the annual Christmas parade, lighted boat parade, and practically an entire day of fun and holiday festivities in Sanford.

It won't be as big as some of the major city Christmas parade events, but a lot must be said for the hometown atmosphere the Sanford holiday parades always bring to local residents.

A few Sanford people went to the Orlando Christmas Parade this past weekend. Even though its start was slightly delayed by a rainstorm, they remained to watch. Comments about that parade included that the floats were well made, the bands performed with much perfection, and the units participating were well distributed and representative of all factions of life in Central Florida.

Many people added however that it was the physical appearance of Orlando's parade which they enjoyed.

In Sanford, local citizens will see something in the Sanford parade they couldn't see much of in Orlando. They will see their friends, neighbors, co-workers, and children participating.

Anyone who has ever marched in a parade will be quick to tell you what a thrill it is to step smartly past that reviewing stand, and see friends and family members along the curb watching them go by.

Let's face it, Sanford is a hometown. As a result, we will have a hometown-type parade. No one is trying to compete with New York City, Atlanta, or even Orlando. They are just out celebrating the holiday season, and doing their best to instill that joyous feeling to one and all.

Be in downtown Sanford this Saturday. Make it part of your holiday activities to watch people you know march down a street you know, in a city you know.

It's going to be a great day. We hope everyone will be on hand for it.

LETTER

Thanks for publicity

This year's Souper Supper was a success because of the great publicity we received in the *Herald* - a nice sociable crowd who stayed and ate seconds and visited. It was especially nice.

Irene K. Brown
Sanford

Berry's World



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"As a matter of fact, I'm an eccentric, ousted congressman with one of those helty pensions."

BEN WATTENBERG

Is 50.5 percent really a landslide?

Election returns and opinion surveys can be like the ink blots in Rorschach tests, different pictures for different people.

Thus, the recent Republican election victory has been called a landslide, an earthquake, a wipeout, a tsunami and a re-aligning election. That's not necessarily wrong. After all, no Republican incumbent governor, senator or congressman lost, and the state legislatures turned over like pancakes. But the hoopla adjectives about the Republican triumph overlook a monumental keystone number that offers great hope to the GOP, but which does not necessarily yield a tragic message for the Democrats.

This is the number. The popular vote (based on the vote for the House of Representatives) showed Republicans winning 50.5 percent to 47.6 percent for the Democrats (with 1.9 percent going to "other"). That's the landslide? Moreover, when voters were asked (by the Exit Poll of the Voter News Service, a consortium of four television networks and the Associated Press) to self-identify themselves by party they split 38 to 36 percent - Democrats over Republicans!

That's not so bad for a party that supposedly got landslide by a swarm of angry voters. The good news for the Republicans comes

from looking through the other end of the

telescope. The GOP had not won the popular vote in an off-year election since 1946, almost half a century ago! The average voter split since 1946 has been 52 to 46 percent Democratic. Even in presidential years when the GOP won big, Democrats got more votes on the congressional line. Thus, as Ronald Reagan was trouncing Walter Mondale 59 to 41 percent in 1984, Democrats still won solidly over Republicans for Congress by 52 to 47 percent.

Moreover, Republican governors stacked up a 56 to 40 percent popular vote margin over their Democratic rivals. And, of course, the GOP controls the House of Representatives by 231-



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So where was the tsunami, the wipeout, the realignment? If it's there, and I sense it may well be, you can get a taste of it under the heading "political ideology." VNS shows that voters were more than twice as likely (37 to 18 percent) to identify themselves as "conservatives" than as "liberals." This is either an all-time high conservative-over-liberal ratio for recent decades, or pretty close to it, depending on which surveys are tracked. Meanwhile 45 percent of the voters called themselves "moderates."

The numbers lead to some speculations. They should show which way Clinton will try to govern in the next two years. Unless he shakes the liberal label, he's history.

All the Republicans running for president should note that if a candidate loses the moderates they may win the nomination, but can be in big trouble in the general election. Liberals plus moderates also make up a majority.

The data certainly seems to show that the strongest base of power and popularity in the Republican Party lies with their governors. This should likely translate into general approval of Republican plans to send some major federal programs back to the states.

Therefore what? The Republicans are in good shape, but the Democrats aren't out of it. Yet.



DONNA BRITT

Lessons learned at holiday time

WASHINGTON - Christmas, the ultimate give-fest, is fast approaching. So it's helpful to be reminded that often, what you get back is stuff you never sought.

That doesn't mean you don't need it. The day before Thanksgiving, Bruce - a writer, 37 - wanted, for once, to do the right thing. One of those moody types who has trouble with certain holidays' high expectations and low returns, he decided to focus on helping others rather than just filling his stomach.

So, like thousands of others, he volunteered at a homeless shelter in the city where he lives - Los Angeles - but it could have been anywhere.

At the appointed time, Bruce, accompanied by a friend and his wife, arrived at the men's shelter and asked what needed to be done.

For some reason, he said, "nobody wanted to share his job. It was like, 'I'm folding these clothes, you can't do it!' When we went into the kitchen, it was, 'No, I'm peeling these carrots!'"

Finally, a male volunteer said they needed some signs painted for use inside the shelter, and offered paper, paint and a list of what to write. Bruce and his friend's wife were eager, but his pal, a professional illustrator, was thrilled. "It was like asking Michael Jordan, 'Can you help us out with some layups?'" Bruce said.

After some intensive work, they came up with several "really beautiful" signs, said Bruce. Understandably proud, they beamed when the volunteer who'd given them the assignment strode over.

Inspecting the signs, the volunteer said, "These kind of look too good." He brought over a boy of about 7, one of several children who were decorating tablecloths.

"These signs are a little too fantastic," the coordinator said. "I'm going to have him help you."

And the kid started painting over what the volunteers had done. Stunned, they watched the boy "totally screw them up," said Bruce. The child's main purpose, seemed to be to "give the signs the desired shabby, homeless effect."

Disbelief became outrage. But the threesome, who by now had all but exhausted their holiday spirit, figured, "Well, maybe there's something else we can do." But all they kept hearing was, "I don't need help!"

So they left. Hearing this holiday saga, I was struck by its many possible morals and meanings. Some people would say that the volunteers' egos outdistanced their charity, that their pride blinded them to the exuberance of a child's sweet scribbles.

More telling to me was the coordinator's feeling that professional-quality signs were a

problem, that somehow, the men housed at the shelter didn't deserve such beauty, such painstaking care. The volunteer seemed to feel the poor couldn't appreciate the signs, and ensured that they were made "appropriately" homely.

The best work Bruce and his pals could do was "too good" for the homeless.

But the coordinator was a volunteer too. He didn't have to be there, giving of his time and himself. Perhaps what Bruce and his friends saw was his best.

The lesson, I told Bruce, may have been this: Whatever you do, whether you're following your best instincts or your worst, you'll bump into other people. The best of them have flaws that reveal themselves at the damndest times. Which give us a chance to elevate ourselves by resisting the urge to deck them.

Bruce had a different take on it. Leaving the shelter, the thwarted dogooders walked the downtown streets, ranting about the world's stupidity. Ending up in a coffee shop, they sat, sipped, relived the day. Then Bruce had a "revelation."

Many people, he told his friends, have "rescue fantasies that include not just supporting family and friends, but rescuing the rest of the world. But if you can be good to your spouse, be a great mother or sister or a truly great friend - these days, that's a tremendous accomplishment."

Sitting there, he told them he realized that "everything I really care about is at this table. People I love, great conversation..."

And he was thankful, a full day early.

Why, after the grief? Maybe it had something to do with an anecdote his friend told at the table.

A resident at the shelter where he was working last year requested a vegetarian plate. When volunteers mistakenly brought chicken, the man insisted on having only vegetables.

The volunteers' first thought was, "Just take off the damn chicken." But then, Bruce's friend said, "It hit me. This is the one time a year this man gets to do what I do all the time - sit down, order something and be served." They gave him the vegetarian plate, he said. And got a lot more.



It's helpful to be reminded that often, what you get back is stuff you never sought.

JACK ANDERSON

Pentagon spending under microscope

WASHINGTON - In a bid to preempt Republicans in Congress, President Clinton said last week that he will seek an additional \$25 billion in defense spending over the next six years. But that won't avert a shoot-out over why the Pentagon is squandering money on civilian sporting events, executive jets and wild-horse roundups.

These are just a few examples of the budget-busting waste going on at the Department of Defense. According to a recent study by the Congressional Research Service, over the last five years the Pentagon has plowed an estimated \$52 billion into programs and projects that have no direct bearing on national defense.

Senate Armed Services Committee staffers have drafted a hit-list of expenditures that could be pared from the Pentagon budget in the next several years.

They plan to press the case with the GOP leadership and in a letter to President Clinton later this week. Because some of the cuts will offend Republicans as much as Democrats the issue has the potential for being divisive inside the Republican cloakroom.

Undoubtedly, many of these expenditures include programs with redeeming public policy virtues, and reflect certain value judgments by the GOP - for example, some lawmakers want to cut \$5 billion in future spending for defense environmental programs. But much of the spending simply reflects the growing problem of Pentagon pork.

As one Republican member of the Senate Armed Services Committee told us, "They (Democrats and Republicans) stuff it in because it's their pork. There may be a couple of things in there that are important. But also you'll find that a lot of appropriations were stuffed in the budget behind closed doors with no one knowing what was going on." This senator also speculates that many of his colleagues will retreat from backing the line-item veto because it would make it easier for a Republican or Democratic president to cut pork from the Pentagon's \$264 billion budget.

According to internal working documents, Republicans will propose \$772.1 million in rescissions from the 1995 defense budget. A total of \$29 billion might be saved over the next five years by eliminating 14 separate programs - including the Seawolf submarine. Here are some of the other programs pegged for elimination, along with their projected savings over five years:

M-1 tank upgrade (\$2.1 billion); defense environmental programs (\$5 billion); excess National Guard and reserve forces (\$2.1 billion); shrinking and reshaping the DOD workforce (\$10.6 billion); executive jets (\$1.1 billion); defense conversion programs (\$1.5 billion); medical and university research, most of which is not defense-specific (\$1.5 billion); Pentagon support for the Olympics (\$15.4 million in 1995 alone).

Dubious appropriations in the 1995 budget, which Republicans will try to cut through rescissions, include \$10 million for the National Guard Outreach Program in Los Angeles. About \$1 million will flow this year for the improvement of navigational charts for the lower Mississippi River, and it will cost \$5 million to return excess medical supplies and equipment from Europe to the United States for "use by Native Americans, local governments, and other deserving groups."



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School

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part-mutual (Jai-Alai and race tracks) revenues to the county, rather than sharing it with the schools.

The county must find a legislator to sponsor the proposal in the state legislature.

While they are doing that, Hagerty said, the school district's lobbyist will be working to see that the schools' interests are best served by any proposed legislation, Hagerty said.

County commissioner Dick Van Der Weide, who made the proposal, said all the money is supposed to come to the county. But several years ago, when schools were in "dire straights," the county agreed to divert some of the money to help the schools. Van Der Weide suggests the money be used for school sidewalks or some other mutual interest.

"We want to be partners with what is really our funds," said Van Der Weide.

Hagerty said the first he heard of the proposed legislation was when he was asked to comment on the situation after Monday's commission meeting.

He said the school district has been promised that the money will be used to finance joint projects, such as sidewalks around schools,

between the two government agencies.

"The money comes out of our operating budget," said Hagerty. "We need the money for teachers and classroom expenses."

According to Hagerty, the school district would use the nearly \$400,000 to pay for 12 teachers' salaries.

The school's currently receive all but about \$60,000 of the part-mutual funds that come into Seminole County.

"We depend on that money," said Hagerty. "I can understand that they need the money, but we do, too. We can not be taking money away from our students to help another agency."

The financial situation for the school district is bleak, Hagerty said. There doesn't appear to be any monetary increase on the horizon from other sources, he said, so if the money is taken away, it could mean "a major problem" for students in the classroom.

Hagerty said that he and his staff will be formulating a plan to try to work cooperatively with the county government to resolve that problem.

"We want to work with them to solve this," he said. "We are open to dialogue, but we have to do what is best for the students."

Tax

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million to build. But when an architect was hired and departments polled for their needs, the anticipated 93,000 square foot size of the building swelled by 27,000 feet.

County Manager Ron Rabun said Sheriff's Office staff overlooked the need for space for the City County Investigative Bureau and evidence laboratory. County Public Safety staff overlooked the need for a telecommunications repair office. The facility is now housed in a tin shed. The add-ons could increase the cost of the structure by \$3 million to \$4 million, Rabun said.

The proposal calls for the current county-wide tax rate of \$5.36 per \$1,000 of taxable property to zoom to \$6.64 in November 1995. A year later, the rate would increase to \$6.70, followed by \$6.73 then down a bit to \$6.70.

Last year's plan called for a \$5.52 rate for this year, \$5.54 for 1995, \$5.86 for 1996 and \$5.89 for 1997.

The plan includes no increases for the utility tax, garbage dumping fees or water and sewer rates. There may be cost of service increases for garbage rates if requested by the haulers.

Commissioners reviewed the proposal with little comment, pledging to find ways to reduce the amount. Commissioners have directed Public Works staff to investigate having a private company take over operations of the county dump and Transfer Station in an effort to curb spending.

Commissioner Pat Warren expressed a similar concern as she did last year, that the plan is just that and not a mandate.

"I don't want you coming back and saying we have to do it because we approved the plan," Warren said.

County capital planner Pam Hastings said only the current year of the proposal, approved during September budget hearings, is fixed. But Hastings added much of the spending in the plan is mandated by the state or federal government.

DEATHS

ARTHUR CHARLES BAGNELL

Arthur Charles Bagnell, 70, North Alderwood Street, Winter Springs, died Thursday, Dec. 1, 1994 at his residence. Born July 1, 1924 in Malden, Mass., he moved to Central Florida in 1984. He was a postal clerk. He was Methodist. He belonged to VFW, Winter Springs, and Disabled American Veterans, Sanford. He was a Navy veteran.

Survivors include sons, Howard, Fort Lauderdale; Arthur, Oxford, Mass.; Glenn, Craig, both of Winter Springs; daughters, Marsha Santoro, Longwood, Debra, Braintree, Mass.; sister, Edith Carb, Wells, Maine; six grandchildren; two great-grandchildren.

Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home, Altamonte Springs, in charge of arrangements.

ROLLIS L. BUSH

Rollis L. Bush, 54, Snowhill Road, Geneva, died Saturday, Dec. 3, 1994 at Heritage HealthCare Center, Winter Springs. Born in Snowhill on April 25, 1940, he was a lifelong resident. He was a private chauffeur. He was a member of Snowhill Missionary Baptist Church.

Survivors include daughter, Erika Tolbert, Oviedo; brothers, Johnny DeNeville, San Diego, Calif.; Otto, Cleveland, Ohio; Thomas, Deland; George, Enterprise, Ala.; Billy, Jersey City, N.J.; Horace Griffin, Orlando; sisters, Dorothy Eason, Memphis; Ernestine Griffin, Eatonville; Helen Chappell, Winter Haven; Harriett, New York, N.Y.; Mary Bellamy, Geneva; Margie Whipper, Oviedo; one grandchild.

Wilson-Eichelberger Mortuary, Inc., Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

RICHARD FROST CLASON

Richard Frost Clason, 75, Arlington Blvd., Altamonte Springs, died Sunday, Dec. 4, 1994 at his residence. Born Aug. 6, 1919 in Norway, he moved to Central Florida in 1965. He was an electronics technician for Civil Service. He was Lutheran. He was a retired Navy veteran and Pearl Harbor Survivor. He was a member of Bob Violet Models Organization.

Survivors include wife, Kathleen G.; son, Gary L.; Blauer, Batavia, Ill.; daughters, Cherrie Casselberry, Casselberry, Carol Smith, Raleigh, N.C.; Judy Geary, Norfolk, Va.; sister, Elsa Benson, Palm Beach Gardens; seven grandchildren.

Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home, Altamonte Springs, in charge of arrangements.

RON CROTHERS

Ron Crothers, 47, Ellstone Court, Casselberry, died Friday, Dec. 2, 1994 at Florida Hospital, Orlando. Born Sept. 9, 1947 in Fort Monroe, Va., he moved to Central Florida in 1985. He was a construction supervisor for the city of Orlando Parks Department. He served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War.

Survivors include wife, Myra E.; mother, Edith Crothers, Newport News, Va.; stepdaughter, Michele Schiavo, Casselberry; stepson, Daniel Schiavo, San Diego; daughters, Tracy, Virginia Beach, Va.; Dawn, Newport News, Va.; sister, Nancy Clay, Saltville, Va.; one granddaughter. Carey Hand Garden Chapel Home for Funerals, Orlando, in charge of arrangements.

CONSTANCE A. DANIELS

Constance A. Daniels, 62, Ruff Road, Sanford, died Saturday, Dec. 3, 1994 at Central Florida Regional Hospital, Born Jan. 29, 1932 in Appalachicola, Fla., she moved to Central Florida in 1951. She was an elementary school teacher assistant. She was a member of Allen Chapel A.M.E. Church.

Survivors include father,

RICHARD H. BROWN

Richard H. Brown, Defuniak Springs; step-mother, Helen Brown, Defuniak Springs; sons, William W., Detroit; Gary W., Atlanta; daughters, Sandra Fudge, Oviedo; Cathy Harris and Tammy Y. Daniels, both of Sanford; brothers, Charles Travick, Defuniak Springs; Richard E. Brown and Jewel Brown, both of Detroit; sisters, Louwena Owen, Broadview, Ill.; Iva Brown, Betty Brown, Vivian Brown, all of Bronx, N.Y.; Blanche Marks, Killeen, Texas; Sharon Brown, San Francisco; Sandra Folks and Valarie Wheelwright, both of Detroit; 13 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren.

Wilson-Eichelberger Mortuary, Inc., Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

DANIEL DEBRUYNE

Daniel DeBruyne, 89, Mason Street, Newark, N.Y., died Saturday, Dec. 3, 1994 at DeMay Living Center. He was born May 31, 1905 in Newark. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and Elks Lodge, both of Newark. He was a partner in American Produce Exchange, Newark.

Survivors include son, Richard DeBruyne, Marion, N.Y.; daughters, Damaris Shaffer, Ohio; Katherine Healy, Va.; eight grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; sister-in-law, Sue DeBruyne, Fla.

Scott Funeral Home, Inc., Newark, N.Y., in charge of arrangements.

MITTIE LEE JONES

Mittie Lee Jones, 89, Oak Street, Altamonte Springs, died Thursday, Dec. 1, 1994 at her residence. Born Jan. 2, 1905 in Worth, Ga., she moved to Central Florida in 1921. She was a cook. She belonged to Mount Moriah Missionary Baptist Church. She belonged to the Ideal Women's Club, Winter Park.

Survivors include brothers, Thinkie Black, Winter Park; Jessie Black, Miami; Henry Black, Chicago; sister, Louisa Black, Chicago.

Golden's Funeral Home, Inc., Winter Park, in charge of arrangements.

RUTH W. NEWELL

Ruth W. Newell, 84, Giovanni Street, Deltona, died Saturday, Dec. 3, 1994 at Deltona Health Care Center. Born Jan. 20, 1910 in Newark, N.Y., she moved to Central Florida in 1978. She was an attendant with state government. She belonged to Church of the Nazarene, Deltona.

Survivors include daughter, Brenda Camblin, Deltona; son, Robert Peeler, California; four grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

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

PHILIP JOHN ROBINSON SR.

Philip John Robinson Sr., 44, South Delaney Ave., Orlando, died Saturday, Dec. 3, 1994 at his residence. Born Aug. 11, 1950 in Evanston, Ill., he moved to Central Florida in 1957. He

was owner-operator of Paradise

Waterfalls, Inc., Orlando. He was a member of Faith World Church of Orlando. He created waterfalls for the Central Florida Zoological Park in Sanford. He was a Florida State champion swimmer with Boone High School in 1968 and a member of National Athletic Association.

Survivors include son, Philip John, Jr., Orlando; daughters, Shayna Lee, New Smyrna Beach; Karl Lynn, Sanford; mother, Nancy Robinson, Orlando; father, Bernard Herty Robinson, Jr., Deland; brother, Bernard Howard, Floyd, Va.; sisters, Dr. Laura Louise Wolberg, Ph.D., Atlanta; Leslie Jean Shaffer, Cockeysville, Md.; one grandson.

Beacon Direct Cremation Service, Orlando, in charge of arrangements.

EVA H. SMITH

Eva H. Smith, 96, Elm Avenue, Sanford, died Saturday, Dec. 3, 1994 at Lakeview Nursing Home, Sanford. Born Nov. 8, 1898 in St. George, Ga., she moved to Central Florida in 1904. She was a bookkeeper/secretary until her retirement. She was a member of Congregational Christian Church, Sanford. She was a 50-year member of Order of the Eastern Star, Sanford, and Royal Neighbors of America. She was a Navy veteran of World War II.

Survivors include sister, Nettie McKinney, Sorrento; 16 nieces and nephews.

Gramkow Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

JAMES MACLANCTON WALKER

James MacLancton Walker, 80, Airport Blvd., Sanford, died Monday, Dec. 5, 1994 at Florida Hospital, Altamonte. Born July 5, 1914 in Tifton, Ga., he moved to Central Florida in 1961. He was a retired milk route salesman. He was a member of First Baptist Church, Orlando.

Survivors include son, Wayne Walker, Apopka.

Gaines Carey Hand Garden Chapel Funeral Home, Longwood, in charge of arrangements.

FUNERALS

HARTLEY, BARBARA "BOBBIE" M.
Funeral services for Mrs. Bobbie M. Hartley, age 70, of Sanford, who passed away Saturday, will be conducted Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Oaklawn Park Chapel of the Baldwin Fairchild Funeral Home, with Pastor James Beckwith officiating. Interment will follow at Oaklawn Park Cemetery, Lake Mary. Visitation for friends will be held Tuesday from 5 p.m. at the funeral home. Mrs. Hartley retired from the Commercial Loans Department of Sun Bank in Sanford. Arrangements by Baldwin Fairchild Funeral Home, Oaklawn Park Chapel, Lake Mary.

SMITH, EVA H.
Funeral services for Eva H. Smith, 96, of Sanford, who died Saturday will be 2 o'clock Thursday at Evergreen Cemetery, Sanford, with Rev. Thomas Thachuck officiating. Friends may call at Gramkow Funeral Home Wednesday evening from 6 p.m. Mrs. Smith is survived by her sister Nettie McKinney of Sorrento, Fla.; sisters-in-law, Mary Hodges of Michigan and Agnes Hodges of Sanford, as well as nieces and nephews. Arrangements by Gramkow Funeral Home, Sanford.

Christmas

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holiday caroling event usually in conjunction with other groups. But this year the girls wanted to try something on their own, said service unit events director Mary Rowell.

The Frank Evans Center will be open from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. for the event and there will be a variety of activities going on in the building and in the parking lot. The Girl Scouts will sing in the parking lot at 7 p.m. There will be vignettes presented at various times during the evening on the stage in the center. The Lake Mary Woman's Club will be serving hot cider and cookies, and there will be craft items and art work displayed by the Lake Mary Seniors. The Lake Mary Historical Commission will have the library open, a Christmas display and 1995 calendars will be on sale. There will also be 1994 Olde Lake Mary Days T-shirts.

The Girl Scouts will have crafts to make for a minimal charge and crafts for sale in the parking lot, as well as face

painting.

The Lake Mary Garden Club will donate their time to decorate the exterior of the building, with decorations purchased through a grant from the Lake Mary Community Improvement Association. The Lake Mary Seniors will have their usual festive holiday trimmings inside, along with a tree, which belonged to Mrs. Frank Evans, whose husband built the community building in 1926 and for whom it is named.

Paving

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bring the parcels into compliance with the plan. Any proposed development of the parcels would be brought before the various city agencies and city commissioners at a later date.

The commissioners also agreed the city would work with the state on relocating city water and sewer lines during a planned widening of U.S. Highway 17-92. The city will save money by "piggy-backing" on a state contract at the time of construction, the city administrator explained.

In other business, the commissioners:

- recognized these city government employees of the year: Joanne Hopkins, administration; Evelyn Cohen, fire department; Debbie Renfro, parks and recreation; Investigator P. Robert Ledowski, police department; and Valerie Hockenberry, public works. Hockenberry was chosen overall city employee of the year and received a plaque and \$250. The others received plaques and \$100 each.
- called a special meeting

There are even reports from a reliable source from the North Pole that there may be an appearance of a special guest at 7:30 p.m.

The event is free and open to the public. The parking lot at the center will be closed, but parking is available at Lake Mary City Hall and the Shoppes of Lake Mary. The Frank Evans Center is located two blocks north of Lake Mary Boulevard on Country Club Road.

Wednesday in City Hall at 10 a.m. to discuss flooding in the Wildmere subdivision with county officials.

- asked the city attorney for an opinion on whether two commissioners serving on the historic commission is a violation of the Sunshine Law. Commissioner Annamaria Vacca asked attorney Richard Taylor for an opinion because Mayor Iris Benson and commissioner Ron Sargent are both on the historic commission and the group sometimes brings matters before the commission.

- named Simone Askew, manager of McDonalds, Hwy. 17-92 as business person of the month for December.

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NATIONAL BRIEFS



Gingrich's remarks irk White House

WASHINGTON — White House officials don't like Rep. Newt Gingrich's remarks about drug use by aides to President Clinton. But the incoming House speaker and his Republican team have a message for them: Get used to it.

The Georgia Republican defended his earlier accusation that up to one-fourth of the White House staff had used drugs in the four or five years before joining the staff, saying Monday that hardball politics is a solid American tradition.

"I'm a historian," he told reporters Monday. "Jefferson and Hamilton each subsidized papers to smear the other. Trying to lead America has always been a tough business and even Washington occasionally got hit."

A Gingrich ally, Rep. Bob Walker, R-Pa., also jumped in, saying, "This White House is going to have to learn that they no longer have lap dogs on Capitol Hill."

Labels for cigarettes

BETHESDA, Md. — Would smokers still light up a cigarette if the label said it contained high levels of hydrogen cyanide, formaldehyde and benzene?

A scientist is willing to bet that smokers would take a long look at their cigarettes if the packages warned of those contents — just as many Americans today stop to read the fat content of food they buy.

"Just as putting saturated fat (content) on cereals is an incentive to some manufacturers to try to lower it... this could be a basis for further competition for cigarettes," Dr. Jeffrey Harris of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, said Monday.

Harris presented a mock cigarette label to a panel deliberating whether smokers are being deceived by the measurements of tar and nicotine printed on cigarette packages that imply some brands are healthier than others.

Abortion foes have numbers in Congress

WASHINGTON — Abortion opponents in Congress say they finally have the numbers to reverse pro-choice laws over the next two years — a move their foes say will turn off voters.

Abortion rights supporters concede they've slipped into the minority in Congress, and opponents say that's the way voters wanted it.

"It was a major motivation for this past election," said Rep. Chris Smith, co-chairman of the Pro-Life Caucus. "People are waking up."

The New Jersey Republican said Monday that anti-abortion lawmakers are still discussing what they hope to achieve in the next Congress with their majorities. Any anti-abortion bill could face a veto from President Clinton and would require two-thirds support to override.

Medical bill blunders are her business

SALEM, Va. — John Hale Sr. thought his medical bills for minor surgery were a bit too major, but they seemed to be written in some indecipherable code, so he grumbled, shook his head and paid up.

"I can't sit down and read those things," Hale said. Then he heard about Pat Palmer, a Salem woman who makes medical bill blunders her business.

With Palmer's help, Hale, a diesel engine mechanic from Salem, received a refund check of more than \$600 on bills during the past two years. He was surprised — and upset. "It makes me wonder, in the 30 years I've been paying insurance, how much extra money I've paid."

During the past three months, Palmer has obtained \$15,000 in refunds for 22 clients. Only two were correctly billed, she said.

People are paying thousands of dollars out of their own pockets that they shouldn't be paying," Palmer said.

Palmer's company, Medical Recovery Service, takes 50 percent of each refund as its fee, but collects nothing if she doesn't find errors and get her client a check from a medical provider or insurance company.

Quake aftershocks jolt Los Angeles area

LOS ANGELES — At least seven aftershocks of the Jan. 17 earthquake shook Southern California, causing minimal damage but frazzling nerves.

"People were like little ants running for the exits," said Sue Stone, who was shopping at a mall in suburban Sherman Oaks.

The first aftershock, a 3.5-magnitude quake centered about 20 miles northwest of downtown Los Angeles, hit at 7:36 p.m. Monday.

The strongest aftershock, a 4.5-magnitude shaker, hit 12 minutes later and was centered near the same area, said California Institute of Technology seismologist Nick Scheckel.

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company \$15,000. Although Mylett and Aderholt were investigated in Houck's death, police did not have sufficient evidence to file murder charges.

STOP turns in petitions

LAKE MARY — The next meeting of the Seminole County STOP chapter will be Wednesday in the Lake Mary police station training room.

No guest speaker is planned for the 7 p.m. meeting but members will be turning in petitions signed by voters Election Day which back a constitutional amendment requiring prisoners serve most of their sentences. STOP stands for Stop Turning Out Prisoners.

Gary Jennings, president of the local chapter said an unofficial count indicates about 3,000 petitions were signed locally. Statewide, it is estimated between 75,000 to 100,000 petitions were signed for STOP. The group will not enlarge the petition drive until the supreme court rules whether the initiative qualifies for the ballot. The wording of a previous petition amendment kept it off the November 8 ballot. About 450,000 signatures are required to get an initiative on the ballot.

The petitions should be separated by county and banded in stacks of 100 to be turned in, Jennings added.

Big winner of a little house

LONGWOOD — Delores Teschner, of Longwood, had just returned home Sunday afternoon from the Sanford Historic Trust's Holiday Tour of Homes when she received the call from Jimmy Straehla, Trust president, telling her she had won the drawing for the Victorian dollhouse built by Trust members. Straehla said she told him that she had just finished asking her husband where would they put the dollhouse if she won it. Teschner drove back down to the Cultural Arts Center Sunday to pick up her prize.

Football faux pas

SANFORD — A reporter erred Monday in a feature story about Judge C. Vernon Mize Jr. naming the Florida State Seminoles as the SEC champs who will meet the University of Florida Gators in the Sugar Bowl. The teams will face off again in the big bowl game but the Gators are the conference champs, not the 'Noles. The reporter apologizes to all those snappin' Gators for the error.

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LOCALLY

SRD Volleyball meeting tonight

SANFORD — The Sanford Recreation Department will hold its meeting for the Polar Bear volleyball leagues tonight (Dec. 6) at 6 p.m. at the Downtown Youth Center, Sanford City Hall.

The SRD sponsors two co-ed leagues, one recreational (no spike) and one power. Play is set to begin the week of January 9th. For more information, call 330-5697.

Softball meeting Wednesday

SANFORD — The Sanford Recreation Department will hold its meeting for the polar bear softball leagues tomorrow (Wed., Dec. 7) at the Downtown Youth Center, Sanford City Hall.

Teams with representatives at the organizational meeting, which will start at 6 p.m., will receive a reduction in their registration fee. Leagues will begin play the week of Jan. 9. For details, call 330-5697.

Rollins rips Warner Southern

WINTER PARK — Daniel Parke led four Rollins players in double figures with 15 points as the Tars coasted to a comfortable 92-64 victory over NAIA Warner Southern.

Rollins (2-1) shot 51 percent in the game to just 36 percent for Warner Southern. Clyde Harris led Warner Southern (2-6) with 17 points and Mike Balado had 12.

Wildcats tame Lions

DAYTONA BEACH — Sophomore Jaime Grant scored 11 straight points to blow the game open in the first half, helping Bethune-Cookman past Florida Memorial, 96-63.

Grant tallied 19 of his game-high 24 points in the first half as BCC built a 53-24 halftime lead and never trailed throughout the game.

Freshman Ennis Young came off BCC's bench to score 11 of his 15 points in the first half. The duo combined for six field goals when the Wildcats went on an 8-of-11 shooting spree and Young grabbed a game-high 11 rebounds.

Florida Memorial was led by guard Tyrus Carter's 16 points. Bill Neal was the only other Lion in double figures with 11 points.

AROUND THE STATE

Marlins appoint Watson

MIAMI — The Florida Marlins on Monday appointed Dr. Jon Watson as the team's assistant for baseball operations, a new post.

Watson, 28, will assist in major league and scouting administrative matters and scout in South Florida and Latin America. He also will help develop a national program to increase Marlins' scouting efforts in inner cities.

Watson played five seasons in the Kansas City Royals organization before returning to school for his degree in business management at the University of the Redlands.

Tampa trims North Central

TAMPA — Idris Mays had 24 points and eight rebounds while Kenny Franklin came off the bench to add 21 points and eight rebounds as Tampa rallied to beat North Central 71-60.

Tampa (4-1) scored only four points in the first eight minutes of the game and trailed 12-4, but managed a 35-32 halftime lead.

North Central (1-4) tied the game at 37, but Tampa went on a 10-0 run for a 56-45 lead. Tampa held off the Cardinals from there, despite a team-high 15-point effort from North Central's Brian Isee who hit three 3-pointers.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Mens' Basketball

☐ Seminole CC at Indian River CC, 7:30 p.m.

Boys' Basketball

☐ Colonial at Lyman, JV, 6 p.m.; V, 7:30 p.m.
☐ Euclid at Lake Mary, JV, 6 p.m.; V, 7:30 p.m.
☐ Orangewood Christian at Trinity Prep, 7 p.m.

Girls' Basketball

☐ Lake Brantley at Seminole, Freshman, 4:30 p.m.; junior varsity, 6 p.m.; varsity, 7:30 p.m.
☐ Lake Mary at Oviedo, Freshman, 4:15 p.m.; junior varsity, 6 p.m.; varsity, 7:30 p.m.
☐ Lyman at Lake Howell, Freshman, 4:15 p.m.; junior varsity, 6 p.m.; varsity, 7:30 p.m.

Girls' Soccer

☐ Oviedo at Lake Mary, Freshman, 4:30 p.m.; junior varsity, 5:45 p.m.; varsity, 7:30 p.m.
☐ Seminole at Lake Brantley, Freshman, 4 p.m.; junior varsity, 5:30 p.m.; varsity, 7:15 p.m.

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☐ 9:30 p.m. — ESPN, Florida State at Arizona
NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION
☐ 7:30 p.m. — WKCF 18, Orlando at Cleveland

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County flexes muscles

Boys' soccer teams blank out of area opponents

From Staff Reports

WINTER PARK — Seminole county showed its superiority in boys' soccer over Orange and Volusia county schools, at least on this night, as Lake Howell and Lyman both won shutouts by identical 3-0 scores over Daytona Beach-Maitland and Winter Park, respectively.

McKEEBY LEADS SILVER HAWKS

Ben McKeedy scored a goal and added a pair of assists and Bryan Lowe got his first shutout of the season in goal as Lake Howell blanked Maitland at Richard E. Evans Field Monday night.

The Silver Hawks jumped on the Buccaneers quickly, scoring two goals in the first 15 of the game and held that 2-0 advantage at halftime.

Brian Kolesar got the first goal 2:45 into the game on assist from McKeedy, then Kolesar returned the favor, setting up McKeedy for a score 30 seconds later.

The final goal also came early in the second half as Josh Holcomb scored on a pass from McKeedy 3:15 into the second half.

The Lake Howell junior varsity made it a clean sweep for the home forces, picking up a 2-1 triumph over Mainland.

Lowe stopped five shots to record his first shutout of the season as the Silver Hawks improved to 2-3 on the season.

Lake Howell outshot the Buccaneers 39-11 and had three corner kicks to only two for the visitors. Maitland goalie Cameron Heustis had a good game, turning back 15 shots, but the Bucs fell to 3-2-1 for the year.

"McKeedy was outstanding with his goal and two assists and Lowe did a good job in goal," said Lake Howell head coach Anatole Popovich. "Jeff Yearick also played a very good game."

The Silver Hawks will travel to Longwood for a big Seminole Athletic Conference matchup with Lyman on Thursday. Junior varsity action starts at 6 p.m. with the varsity taking the field at 7:30 p.m.

DIEBLER PACES GREYHOUNDS

WINTER PARK — Brian Diebler scored a goal in each half and Charles Whitmore added a second half score as the Lyman Greyhounds improved to 9-0 with their whitewashing of the

Winter Park Wildcats at Showalter Field Monday night.

Diebler scored on a pass from Mark Lewis, with 5:18 left in the opening period as the Greyhounds took the 1-0 lead into the lockerroom at intermission.

Whitmore got his goal early in the second half, with 28:33 left, as he beat a trio of Wildcat defenders.

Diebler's second score of the night was unassisted as he beat a pair of Winter Park defenders and fired the ball into the upper corner with 11:47 left in the game.

The Lyman defense held Winter Park (6-2) to just four shots on goal and one corner kick, but Greyhounds goalie Shane LaPlaca stopped two of those to record the shutout. Lyman came up with 21 shots on goal and four corner kicks.

The junior varsity contest went to the Wildcats by a 2-0 score.

Lyman will host Lake Howell in a Seminole Athletic Conference game on Thursday. The junior varsity match is set for 6 p.m. and the varsity contest for 7:30 p.m.



Lake Mary Travis Crawford was named to the Seminole Athletic Conference Football Team as the First Team Tight End.

All-SAC football team announced

By DEAN SMITH
Herald Sports Writer

WINTER PARK — Lake Brantley High School head football coach Fred Almon made it a clean sweep as Coach of the Year in Seminole County as he has been voted the Coach of the Year by the coaches in the Seminole Athletic Conference.

Almon, who led the Patriots to a 5-0 conference record and the SAC championship, was joined by six members of his squad on the first team.

Quarterback Dee Brown, running back Heath Rutenour and offensive lineman Scott Forsi were named to the offensive team, while defensive lineman Steve Miller, linebacker Eddie Lee and defensive back Brian Whitman made the first team defense.

Also named to the first team offense were running back Robert Ruffin (Seminole); receivers Willie Jones (Lyman) and Spencer Munns (Oviedo); tight end Travis Crawford (Lake Mary); offensive linemen Jason Watts (Oviedo), Scott Bryan (Lake Mary), Thomas Wilk (Seminole) and Derek Garrett (Lyman); kicker David Henkel (Lake Mary).

Other first team defensive honorees were linebackers Brendon Spalding (Lake Howell), William Jennings (Oviedo) and Terrence McMillan (Seminole); defensive linemen Darby Brown (Lake Howell), Laki Travlos (Lake Mary), and Ron Moore (Seminole); defensive backs DeWayne Bell (Lyman) and Quentin Hunt (Seminole); punter Tyson Hinshaw (Lake Mary).

Making up the second team offense were quarterback Tom Dixon (Lyman); running backs Bryon

King (Oviedo), Kelvin Chisolm (Lake Howell); receivers Toby Morris (Lyman), Clifton Branch (Seminole); tight end Chris Casey (Lake Brantley); offensive line: Dan Barbara (Lyman), John Kroll (Lake Mary), Kirkpatrick Conley (Oviedo), Kevin Butler (Seminole), Tam Hopkins (Lake Howell); kicker, Kalin Eslich (Oviedo).

On the second team defense were linebackers Terry Franklin (Lyman), Brian Olson (Lake Howell), David Zickafoose (Oviedo), Cubit Malone (Seminole); defensive line: Scott Dedlowe (Oviedo), Ronel Jumpp (Lake Mary), Joe Ferrer (Lake Howell), Taurus Boone (Seminole); defensive backs: Jeff Calim (Oviedo), Donnie Casey (Lake Mary), Charlie Farmer (Seminole); punter: J.B. Cartmill (Lake Brantley).

Named honorable mention were: Lake Brantley — Billy Goldsmith, Billy Bishop, Del McGee, Matt Dixon, Matt Majefsky, Jason Lipsy, Daron Herndon, Brent Standage, Billy Chatlos, Justin Varitek, Brian Gonzales, John Berardi, Chris Guggenheim and Brad Tripp.

Seminole — Otis Wellon, Chris Bradley, Kiki Hill, Chris Youmans, Chad Grayson, Matt Mehalko, Sterman Williams, Derrick Shaw, Phillip Eubanks, Erick Smith, Terrell Jackson, Quentin Williams and Jason Cyrus.

Oviedo — Jason Crawley, Mike Guimmo, Ken Miller, Shawn Lingard, Chris Sanders and Brian Buchannon.

Lake Howell — Maurice Smith, Jason Kane, Matt McManus, Brad Butterfield, Rodger Hardy, Rick Lieflander, Ellis DeJesus, Paul Fenwick, Andre Alvarado, Ben Allin, Bryan Borsum, Charles

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Seminole HS teams in polls

By DEAN SMITH
Herald Sports Writer

SANFORD — The Seminole High School girls' basketball team joined the boys' team as the only two Seminole County teams to get votes in the

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Tribe falls again in St. Cloud

From Staff Reports

ST. CLOUD — The stigma of St. Cloud continued to haunt the Seminole High School girls' basketball team Monday night as the Tribe was outscored 28-18 in the fourth quarter and dropped a 79-75 decision to the Bulldogs.

The SHS junior varsity also suffered a tough loss, falling 63-59 in overtime.

"There were a lot of turnovers in the game," said Seminole head coach John McNamara, whose team has not won in St. Cloud in several years. "Both teams played good defense. I think we might have run out of gas late in the game. The score was 71-71 and then we threw the ball away and they scored. From then on we had to chase and could not quite pull it off."

Lake Mary Tuesday title goes to Monroe Harbour

From Staff Reports

LAKE MARY — Monroe Harbour Marina lost the battle but won the war as the Sanford-based softball team lost its season finale 14-10 to Joy's Orphans, but still claimed the championship in the City of Lake Mary Department of Parks and Recreation Mens' Fall Tuesday Night Slowpitch Softball League at the Lake Mary Sports Complex.

Monroe Harbour finished the season 9-1 and is the second team coached by Arthur Barnes to bring the winning trophy back to Sanford, joining Heilig Meyers, which won the Thursday night title.

Trailing Monroe Harbour in the standings were Joy's Orphans (8-2), Bacon (2-8) and Thirsty Whale (0-10).

The Friday Night League also claimed its champion despite having a week left in the season as Florida Manor crushed the Braves 12-1 to improve to 9-0 on the season and holds a two-game lead with one game left to play.

In the other Friday games, Woldunn used a 12 run sixth inning to erase a 12-8 deficit and held off 1-2 after 5, 2-0-1-4. Siemen's/Stromberg-Carlson collected the other win on a 7-0 forfeit from Bamboo Cafe.

The Friday Night League will conclude its season this Friday.

Pacing Joy's Orphans were, with four hits — Chuck Cornetto (two runs, five RBI); three hits — Dave Coss (triple, three runs, RBI), Bill Keck (triple, two runs, two RBI); two hits — Bill Zaladonis (two runs), one hit — Jim Reid (triple, run, three RBI), Jon Reid (three runs), J.J. Jiles (two RBI), Todd Pagel (RBI), Ruben Garcia (run).

Leading Monroe Harbour were, with three hits — Freddie Howard (two runs, RBI); two hits — Dale Peters (two runs), Greg Hardy (run), Calvin Bryant (RBI); one hit — Calvin Davis (home run, run, RBI).

Sonny Eubanks (double, four RBI), Barnes (two runs, RBI), Donnie McCoy and Tony Smith (run, RBI).

Contributing for Florida Manor were, with three hits — Jerry Camus (home run, double, run, four RBI), Ralph Correa (double, two runs, four RBI), Vic DiBartolo (three

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TUESDAY NIGHT		FRIDAY NIGHT	
Monroe Harbour Marina	821 905 1 - 10 14	Florida Manor	604 606 (11) - 31 23
Joy's Orphans	686 512 9 - 10 19	Braves	600 100 0 - 1 7
		13 other 5	371 10 8 2 - 10 19
		Woldunn	203 10(11) 0 - 20 24

People

Volunteer of the Week

Helping the underprivileged is a family affair

By **SUSAN WENNER**
Herald Correspondent

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Christmas brings joyous times with family and friends. Children's eyes are aglow with wish lists a mile long. What about those families who can't afford this holiday with all the trimmings and gaily decorated presents under the tree?

George "Pat" Smith of Altamonte Springs wanted to help those people have a beautiful Christmas. He, his girlfriend, and his four children, Joshua, Tina, Eric and Becky join together with his brother's family and others from the city of Longwood to help underprivileged families. The city of Longwood began many years ago taking donations from the city employees to give to a charity. Some years later they decided to help local families in need. Yet, for the past seven years Smith has coordinated a yard sale effort to allow that little extra money needed for an even more blessed occasion. His involvements also include volunteering at the teen club in Longwood, Night Moves.



George 'Pat' Smith (left) and his brother, Tom Smith, load truck with gifts for the needy.

It's a lot of hard work. Although the city of Longwood still continues to collect from the employees, Smith said, "We wanted to take this a step further and do the yard sale. It gives the extra funds needed."

Smith shared that the yard sale event has been going on for seven years with funds increasing each year. "The first year we raised \$300," he said. "We were able to help three families. Last year we raised \$1,100 and were able to help 11 families."

He said that proceeds from the

sale give them money to buy clothes, food and toys. "We get involved with the families," he said. "We get the sizes they wear in clothes. We buy one week's worth of groceries for them. We are usually able to get several toys for the children from the list they give us. A lot of food is donated."

Smith shared the joy they feel when delivering the presents. "If you could just see the faces of the kids," he said. "They don't expect much. The parents sometimes cry. It's nice to see how

much they appreciate this. It's so worthwhile. It makes you feel so good."

He concluded by encouraging everyone to attend the sale or if anyone can donate food, money and items for the sale to please call him at work (407)263-2389 or home (407)865-7588. The sale will take place on Saturday, Dec. 10 and Sunday, Dec. 11 from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the E.D. Myers Community Center, otherwise known as the Longwood Recreation Center, off Wilma Street in Longwood.

IN BRIEF

YMCA is having a craft show

LAKE MARY — Seminole YMCA is having a holiday craft show on Saturday, Dec. 10 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 655 Longwood/Lake Mary Road, Lake Mary 11 block south of Lake Mary High School. There will be only handcrafted items for sale. A 10 ft. x 10 ft. space is \$20 and a 8 ft. long table rental is \$10.

Contact Tom Brock, 321-8944 before Dec. 3 if you wish to reserve space.

CALENDAR

Overeaters to gather

A regular meeting of Overeaters Anonymous is conducted on Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m. at First United Methodist Church, corner of Park and 5th, Sanford. For more information, call Carol at 322-0657.

Nar-Anon to offer help

Nar-Anon, a self-help group for relatives and friends of addicts, will meet Tuesday at 8 p.m. at Orlando General Hospital. For more information, call 869-6364.

Clogging classes formed

The Old Hickory Stompers offer free beginner clogging classes. Intermediate and advanced lessons also available. Meetings are at the Deltona Civic Association on Tuesdays from 6 to 9 p.m. Call 349-9529 for more information.

Take off pounds sensibly

Members of Take Off Pounds Sensibly, TOPS, invite the public to join them on Tuesday evenings from 7 to 8 p.m. at the First Christian Church, 1607 Sanford Ave., Sanford.

The group now has a private room to weigh people between 6:15 and 6:45 p.m.

Each week a different program on weight loss will be conducted.

For more information about the club, call 323-1768 or 323-1664.

Toastmasters meet

Seminole Community College (SCC) Toastmasters Club #6581 will meet every Tuesday of the month, 7:30 p.m., at Lake Mary Chamber of Commerce office, in Lake Mary Centre, at Lake Emma Road. Contact Rosella Bonham at 323-8284 for more information.

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 meets weekly

The Sanford Optimist Club meets every Wednesday at noon at the Colonial Room at Touchton's in downtown Sanford. Visitors are welcome.

Kiwanis Club meets Wednesday

The Kiwanis Club of Sanford holds its noon luncheon meetings every Wednesday at the Sanford Civic Center, North Sanford Avenue at the lakefront. Visiting Kiwanians are welcome. For information call Walt Smith, 323-5088.

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 11-piece band. Donation \$2.00.

Club takes the lead

L.E.A.D.S. to Success, a club formed to share business connections, will meet 7:30 a.m. Wednesday at Pebble Creek Apartments clubhouse, 790 Creekwater Terrace, Lake Mary. One of the focal points of the meeting is to exchange business cards. Only one member of a particular type of business or profession is allowed to join.

For more information, contact Linda Short at 327-2160.

Coastliners meet Wednesday

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 former members and employees of the former Atlantic Coastline Railroad are invited to attend.

For information, call F. C. Peterman, 668-5979.

Grandparents, present a gift of time

DEAR ABBY: I am the mother of two small boys, and with the holidays rapidly approaching, I'd like to address an open letter to my parents and my husband's parents. I doubt that I'm the only mom who feels this way.

Christmas will be here before you know it, and if I may, I'd like to make a suggestion. Before you go out shopping for your grandchildren, I know of one gift you could give the entire family — including yourselves: time!

Our children are lucky to have four grandparents nearby, and I can't think of anything you could give them that would be more important.

To my mom: I know you really can't afford to buy the boys anything, and that's OK. But you could at least make an effort to drive over once in a while, or even call them just to say hello.

To my dad: I know you're busy, but won't you please try to remember their birthdays with a card, a phone call or visit?

To my in-laws: I know you've raised your children, but please don't think of time spent with your grandchildren as a chore.

All four of you live within a few minutes' drive, yet we seldom see you. You don't need

ADVICE

ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

an invitation to come to our place. Stop over and play a game, read a story to your grandsons, or ask them how their day went. Forge a relationship with them now, and they'll remember you when they grow up. Please don't wait until they're teenagers, and then wonder why they hardly know you.

This year, give your grandsons the gift of yourselves. It's all they really need.

Thanks, Abby, I'm not bitter, just!

DISAPPOINTED IN CINCINNATI
DEAR DISAPPOINTED: Now, it's my turn to thank you. I'm sure many people will relate to the message in your letter.

Grandparents, building a close relationship with your grandchildren can be very rewarding. Trust me!

DEAR ABBY: Approximately 20 years ago, my wife had an affair, which devastated me. However, we stayed together, even though I periodically raised questions about the activities between her and her lover.

Recently I started pressing for more intimate details. When she refused to satisfy my curiosity, in order to get even, I told our children about their mother's affair. What a mistake! Now they

tend to take their mother's side more than mine.

How can I redeem myself with my children and improve my relationship with my wife?

REPENTING IN SOUTH CAROLINA

DEAR REPENTING: It was a dreadful mistake to try to punish your wife by dragging the skeleton out of her closet in full view of your children.

First, to redeem yourself, apologize to your wife in the presence of the children for trying to turn them against her. Next, apologize to your children for trying to poison their minds against their mother.

Then quit beating yourself up. And if you aren't able to shake the guilt that continues to torment you, please consider professional counseling.

DEAR ABBY: About the music lessons kids hated, but later thanked their parents for forcing them to practice.

When I was a child, my father who was born in Greece, made me go to Greek school right after regular school. I hated it, for play time was nonexistent during the week. Also, I had homework in two languages.

However, the first time I went to Greece, I blessed my father a thousand times. To be able to speak and read Greek made my visit with relatives and friends all the more enjoyable. Even though I didn't use Greek much at home (being married to a non-Greek), it all came flooding back from years past. The resentment for having been forced to learn Greek quickly faded. I

had my reward! You may use my name.

KAYE RUBSO IN FLORIDA
DEAR KAYE: It seems to me I've heard that one before — learning another language has paid me big dividends in terms of communicating with relatives and friends from the "old country."

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I go to Florida for three months every winter, and we have made a habit of calling our married children every Sunday. (They live in Illinois.) All of a sudden, my husband decides that it is our children's place to call us in Florida. "If they want to talk to us," he says, "why can't they pick up a phone and make a call?" To be honest with you, Abby, it never dawned on me that we were doing all the calling.

A few of my friends have the same problem, and we would all appreciate your answer.

My husband reads your column every day, so please put your answer in the paper.

GRANDMA

DEAR GRANDMA: Question: Who is better able to pay for these long-distance calls? If it's not a strain on your budget, you might as well continue calling your children. On the other hand, if the kids can better afford it, they should call you.

(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.)

TUESDAY'S PRIME TIME

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
2	News	NBC Nightly News	Current Affairs	Ent. Tonight	Wings (in Stereo)	Something Wild	Fraser (in Stereo)	Lamorne	Dateline (in Stereo)	News	Tonight Show		
3	News	CBS News	Jeopardy!	Hard Copy	Rescue 911 (in Stereo)	Come Die With Me: A Mickey Spillane's M.I. Mystery	News	11:35 Late Show					
4	News	ABC World News	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Full House	Me and the Boys	Home Improvement	Grace Under Fire	NYPD Blue	My Big Fat Greek Wedding	News	11:35 Late Show	
5	Fresh Prince	Cosby	Countdown to Macy's	NBA Basketball	Orlando Magic at Cleveland Cavaliers (Live)				News	Extra: Ent. Magazine	Top Caps (in Stereo)	Mental	
6	Baywatch	Business	Machete, Lehrer		Peter, Paul and Mary Holiday Concert (in Stereo)				Peter, Paul & Murray, Too (in Stereo)			Williams	
7	Simpsons	Coach (in Stereo)	Roseanne	Married... with Children	Gladiator	1992 Drama (PA) Cuba Gooding Jr. James Marshall (in Stereo)	Babylon 5	Spider in the Web (in Stereo)	Roseanne	Murphy Brown			
8	700 Club	This is Your Day	M.B.I.	Gather	Bill Bright	Today's Family	Variety	Capital News	Comerstone				
9	W.V. Grant	News Ministry	James Robertson	F.D. Jakes	Diablo Live!	700 Club	Praise the Lord						
10	Love Connection	Rescue 911	News	Call in the Hat	Hooper	Seuss on Loose	Working Woman	Paid Program	Love Connection	Jack Van Inge	Rescue 911	News (H)	
11	5:00 Family Toons	I Love Lucy	Love Lucy	Hill Street Blues	A Case of Kidnapping	St. Elsewhere	Tailgate Zone	Tonight Show	Honey-moments	WKRP in Cincinnati			
ALL	Prince Story: The Journey	Rockford Files	Biography	Biography	FDI	Anna Lee Stalker (1994 Mystery)	Up in Arms	1944: Daring Day					
AMC	Death on the Nile	A Song is Born	1944 Comedy	Danny Kaye	On the River	1951 Comedy	Up in Arms	1944: Daring Day					
BET	Ray City	Screen Sc	Happen	Sanford	Not	Concieve	Video Soul						
CNBC	Business	Business	Mutual	Money	Cal Thomas	Equal Time	Rivera Live	Tom Snyder	Personal	Equal Time			
CNN	World Today	Moneyline	Crossfire	Promenews			Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Moneyline			
DISC	Wings	Shane	Jeopardy!	Next Step	Tenz 2	Treasure Island	Next Step	Team Our U.S.	Tenz 2	Treasure Island			
DSC	Charlie Br	Jeopardy!	Can Bears		Person	Disney	This Was America... 1941	Get Back and Lande	1958 James Stewart	1958 James Stewart			
ESPN	Match	Sportscenter	College Basketball	College Basketball	George Washington at Duke	College Basketball	Florida State at Arizona (Live)	Sportscenter					
FAM	Bin Tin Tin	New Lassie	Shade	Shade	The Greatest Story Ever Told	1951	700 Club	Father Dowling Mysteries					
HBO	Deal of the Century	1983 Comedy	Cherry Chase	Sigourney Weaver	(in Stereo) PG	Wayne's World 2	1993 Mae Myers	Dana Carney (in Stereo) R	Drop Zone	1993 Drama	Sean Connery		
LIFE	Supernat.	Drop Drop	George W	Design: W	Unsolved Mysteries	Tracing Powers	Christmas	1918/1919: The War	Unsolved Mysteries				
MAX	The Foghorn	1953	Daniel Harrison	News	The Harvest	1953	Miguel Ferrer	1944	The Philadelphia Experiment	1973	(in Stereo)		
MTV	Music Videos	(in Stereo)	Nation	Yal	Prime Time	(in Stereo)	Dead at 21	State	Unplugged	(in Stereo)	Beavis Butt	Beavis Butt	
NASH	Club Dance	(in Stereo)	American	News	Riders in Sky	Music City Tonight	(in Stereo)	Club Dance	(in Stereo)	News			
NICK	My Outer	Muggals	Group	U to U (H)	Jeannie	Bewitched	Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Yan	News	Van Dyke		
NOSY	5:30	Headline	***	Canal	Francis	Manus	Wesley, M.D.	Love Boat	Outside L. O'Ryan	10 Takes a Theat			
QVC	Gifts Under \$50		Holiday Gifts of Gemstone Jewelry		Samper			Football Collectibles					
SHOW	4:45	Always	***	Richard	Draytons	(in Stereo)	Body Bags	1993	(in Stereo) R	Beating	Street Knight	1993	(in Stereo) R
SUN	Pat Proq	Caldor Rpt.	Sup	College Basketball	Syracuse at Miami (Live)	NBA Action			Water Polo	NCAA Championship	Soccer		
TLC	Home Pro	HomeTime	FX Masters	TV History	Operation	Home Pro	HomeTime	Science Frontiers	Operation				
TMC	5:30	Cop Justice	Call	1:35	Last Light	1993	Grand	Keller	News	1984	Drama	Sam	
TNT	Bugs Bunny	Bugs Bunny	Kung Fu	Wings	NBA Basketball	Houston	Rockets at Seattle	Superstars	Canon for	Candice	1970		
USA	Fighters	Turtles	Bugs	Wings	MURDER, SHE WROTE	Boxing	Johnny Thunder	vs. Tony Tubin	(Live)	vs. Tony Tubin	(Live)	vs. Tony Tubin	
VH1	Video Blocks	Big 80s	Top 10 Video Countdown	Music Videos					Rock Concert	South of Sunset			
WGN	Saved Bel	Charles	Love Con	Jeffersons	Scrapple	1951	Teatras	Aussar	Sm	News	Night Court	Simon	
WTBS	On Pains	Griffin	Boss?	Boss?	1951	Gone With the Wind	1939	Drama	Clark	Gable	Vivien	Leigh	

'Sweet Adelines' to participate in musical sounds of Christmas

Special to the Herald

"Christmas was made for children" will be the theme of the Sound of Sunshine (Sweet Adelines) Show Chorus Christmas party, Dec. 15. There will be mistletoe and holly and toys around the tree. The toys will be donated by the members for distribution by St. Richards Church in Winter Park to children of migrant families.

The singers and guests will arrive at the Holiday Inn, University Boulevard in Winter Park, in their holiday finest to enjoy a gala banquet.

This is one time, in the year of rehearsing with coaches and their director Nancy Lewis, their costumes are hung up and the chorus members enjoy the com-

pany of their "sisters in song."

So many exciting events have happened to this busy chorus in the past year. Paul Chiararalle, manager of Disney World's creative entertainment, visited the chorus and presented a plaque and beautiful basket of fresh flowers for past Disney performances, and also the "professional" performance recently at the International Convention of Sweet Adelines in Reno, Nev. Chiararalle was there and said how proud he felt to have Sound of Sunshine represent the state of Florida and Disney World. The chorus has again been selected to perform at "Mickey's Merry Christmas Party" on Dec. 2, 3, 9, 10 and 16.

The chorus will also be performing at the Rehab Center

of Florida Hospital and the Hawthorne Mobile Home Park in Lake County. 1995 will be another exciting year with the chorus competing in the annual Region 9 competition April 28-30.

Plans are now being discussed for their appearance in Sydney, Australia in July 1996. The Sound of Sunshine Chorus is always looking for new members to join this great organization. If interested, please call Florence Korgan, 407-322-8254.

MOVIELAND Drive In 322-1216

7:30 PG Nov 17-92 Sanford

STAR TREK GENERATIONS

CLEAR & PRESENT

DANGER NO PASSES 9:40

BLONDIE

by Chic Young



BEETLE BAILEY

by Mort Walker



THE BORN LOSER

by Art Sansom



PEANUTS

by Charles M. Schulz



ECK & MECK

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



Vitamin E helps to reduce breast pain

DEAR DR. GOTT: In a previous column, you discussed the dangers of vitamin E. I have fibrocystic breast disease and my doctor has recommended I take 500 IU of vitamin E daily. Are there benefits to be gained or is this a waste of time?

DEAR READER: I'm afraid you misread my column. Vitamin E is not dangerous, even in large doses (above 2,000 international units a day). The Recommended Dietary Allowance is 10IU a day.

Remember that vitamin E in pills is less potent (up to two-thirds) than the natural form, which is plentiful in many foods, especially nuts and seeds.

For unknown reasons, vitamin E helps reduce the breast pain and swelling in women with fibrocystic disease, a common and benign breast disorder in women, causing painful, fluid-filled lumps in the breasts. Therefore, I agree with your doctor. Follow his advice.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Facts 1: Vitamins & Minerals." Other readers who would like a copy should send \$2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2433, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I really enjoy having a healthy appearance year-round but have become concerned about the risks of excessive sun exposure and tanning beds. I heard on the news about a hormone injection that's being experimented with that gives a tanned appearance. How safe is this as compared with other methods? Also, how real are the risks we hear about regarding skin cancer?

DEAR READER: The risks of chronic exposure to ultraviolet light - from either sunshine or tanning booths - are real and troublesome: various skin cancers can result. The relation is unequivocal. Those people who continue to sunbathe and use tanning beds will eventually suffer skin damage, premature

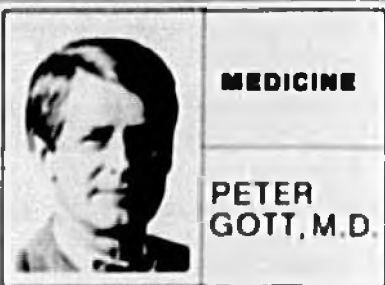
skin aging, discolorations, spotting and skin growths.

The association between UV light and skin damage is so conclusive that it has caused many people to reassess their willingness to look tanned. The pale, more healthful look may well become fashionable in the near future.

The use of melanin-stimulating drugs, which cause darkening of the skin without

ACROSS
1 Enclave in paper
5 Trick
9 Small hole
12 Female
13 Spookily
14 Wreath
15 Base
18 Notation
19 Mao - lung
22 Closes securely
24 Brood of pheasants
25 Meek person
27 Blamish
29 Planning
31 Capable of categorization
35 Stanza
37 Beer mug
38 Mary Tyler - 40
41 Federal agcy
44 Cooks slowly
46 Norma -

DOWN
1 Tiny
2 Grain
3 - Lingus (airline)
4 Ballet movement
5 Finished first
6 Mohammedan prayer leader
7 Burdened
8 Opponent
10 Shade trees



MEDICINE

PETER GOTT, M.D.

UV exposure, is still experimental. These products have not been released for general use.

I advise you to modify your concept of a "healthy tan" (an oxymoron) and limit your exposure to UV light.



Answer to Previous Puzzle
11 Uses a keyboard
12 Ambush
15 A Stooze
17 Ragged
19 - the night before Christmas
20 Examine minutely
21 Arabian commander
23 Drinks slowly
26 Dance
28 Western defense org.
30 Epic poem
32 Ureine animal
33 Actress - Bernet
34 Grafted (heraldry)
36 Inns
38 Dallas family name
41 Couple
42 Zodiac sign
43 Tree of the birch family
48 Calumny
49 Unsprayed
50 Short jacket
52 Roman bronze
54 Regret
55 Profit on bank acct.
56 Paid notices

WIN AT BRIDGE

By Phillip Alder

Auguste Comte, the 19th-century French philosopher and sociologist who founded positivism, wrote, "Love our principle, order our foundation, progress our goal."

A good place to lay the foundation for progress in card-play is with Englishman Danny Roth's book "Groundwork in Play and Defence" (800-274-2221; \$24.95). Published by Robert Hale, it contains 60 declarer-play and defense problems that range from intermediate to tricky. My main reservation is that several auctions are dreadful.

I particularly liked this deal from the book because I'm sure many players, including some experts, would go down. Against four hearts, West leads the diamond king. How should South plan the play?

Probably your first thought - if you haven't studied all 52 cards - is to ruff, play a spade to dummy and lead a trump toward your hand, just in case East has the singleton ace. However, with this layout, you should fail. West takes the trick with his trump ace and switches to the ace and another club. A third round of clubs from East promotes West's heart nine to the setting trick.

What's the solution? At trick one, don't ruff. Instead, discard one of those unavoidable club losers. Ruff the second diamond and proceed as above. No, don't discard both club losers, because the defense will play a third round of diamonds. Then, when you lose a trump trick to West's ace, West will lead a fourth diamond, which East will ruff with his trump 10. This up-erut generates a trick for West's heart nine.

SOUTH 12694
AKQ
883
J7543
AQ742

WEST 763
A93
AK1086
A8

EAST 852
104
Q82
K10853

SOUTH 1094
AKJ762
J8

Vulnerable: Neither
Dealer: West

South	West	North	East
1♥	Pass	1NT	2♠
3♠	3♠	Pass	Pass
3♠	Pass	4♥	All pass

Opening lead: ♠K

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HOROSCOPE

By Bernice Bede Osol
YOUR BIRTHDAY
Dec. 7, 1994

In the year ahead you might establish a relationship with an imaginative individual whose life views are unique. He/she will broaden your outlook.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Running errands might help soothe your restless spirit today. Target several neighborhood destinations and pay brief visits. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker Instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, NY 10163.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) It would behoove you to shop carefully today. You might not find the best price at the first store, but try a second or third. Spending some shoe leather could save some dollars.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Under your deft management today, situations that could cause problems will be handled effectively. You will know exactly how to apply your skills.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You will perform most efficiently today if you work at an even tempo. Take time to study your moves instead of acting impulsively.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) There will be an opportunity to become better acquainted with someone today. You will discover that this person has much in common with you.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) If you truly dedicate yourself to your objectives today, something of real significance can be accomplished.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Your imagination and expertise are more valuable today than the ideas of others. Focus on your vision instead of theirs.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Give your time and talents unselfishly today if someone needs assistance rectifying a matter beyond his/her control.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Generating cooperation in your associates today will not be difficult if you convince them that what you intend to do is as good for them as it is for you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) This can be a productive day for you if you establish a good pace. Do not let anyone set up your schedule for you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Pleasant social experiences are likely today. A generous companion might even pick up the tab at lunch or dinner.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Having a few friends over at your place is likely to make you happier than going out and spending money.

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