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## NEWS DIGEST

### Sports

**Seminole High completes coup**  
SANFORD — Seminole High School has added highly respected coaches Bob Traina and Bill Coughell to its athletic staff.  
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### People

**'Eagle lady' delights kids**  
Doris Meager introduced some of her very special friends to area kids recently. The eagles and owls delighted young and old alike.  
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### BRIFFS

**Beckwith trial thrown out**  
JACKSON, Miss. — The state Supreme Court has delayed indefinitely the third trial of the man accused in the 1963 assassination of civil rights leader Medgar Evers.  
The court said Monday it will take up a request by Byron De La Beckwith to dismiss the murder charges on the grounds that his right to a speedy trial has been violated. The white supremacist's trial was to have begun Sept. 21.  
Beckwith, 71, is accused of gunning down the NAACP field secretary in the driveway of Evers' home in Jackson. Beckwith was tried twice in 1964, but all-white juries couldn't agree on a verdict. The charge was dismissed in 1969.  
In 1990, a grand jury indicted Beckwith again.

**Pay freezes easing**  
CHICAGO — More U.S. companies are lifting pay freezes, but on average next year's raises will be about the same as those in 1992, a survey found.  
Four percent of companies surveyed froze wages in 1992, while 2 percent expect to do so next year, the consulting firm Hewitt Associates said Monday.  
That's a sign of increased optimism about the economy, Ken Aboach, a consultant for Hewitt Associates, said Monday.  
Hewitt surveyed 2,008 employers nationwide during the past two months and found that projected wage increases in 1993 — much like 1992 — averaged 4.8 percent for executives, 4.6 percent for employees exempt from overtime pay, 4.5 for nonexempt employees, 4.3 percent for nonunion hourly workers and 3.5 percent for union employees.

**A connection with CARE**  
NEW YORK — CARE, one of the world's largest relief agencies, has sent a letter to 1 million Americans urging donations for African famine — particularly for an "emergency" in Mali. Problem is, the Mali crisis is over.  
"We made a mistake in sending out that piece on Mali," said John Moarbacher, CARE director of public relations. A correction will be mailed by the end of September, he said.  
The plea, sent a month ago, cited several nations where the agency is feeding millions of people starving as a result of drought and civil war.  
CARE is spending tens of millions of dollars trying to save people in Somalia and Sudan.  
The agency's relief operation to Mali's arid north fed 90,000 people last year in the region around Timbuktu. But Mali and other parts of West Africa have had good crops, and emergency food has been put in storage should drought recur or fighting between the nomads and the government erupt anew, he said.

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### Warm, wet and humid



Partly cloudy with a chance of afternoon and evening thunderstorms. High near 90. Wind southeast 10 to 15 mph. Rain chance 40 percent.

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# Downtown renewed

## City OKs \$10,000 for Mainstreet Program

By NICK PFERPAUF  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — The City of Sanford approved a \$10,000 cooperative request from several business and preservation groups Monday night. The money is to launch the beginning of a Mainstreet Program to rejuvenate downtown.  
The Historic Downtown Waterfront Association President Chris Cranias made the presentation at the work shop session as well as the regular commission meeting.  
He explained that the requested \$10,000 would be met with matching in-kind funds from the various organizations and individuals. "One thing we want to do is hire a person to help in preparing the Mainstreet applications, and oversee daily operations," he said. "We have already obtained free use of an office building that would have cost plenty to lease."  
"When we hire this person, said SHDWA's Kay Bartholomew, "he or she will do the research and

paperwork needed to apply to the state to become part of the Florida Mainstreet Program."

She added, "If we are accepted at that level, we could get a state grant of possibly \$10,000 more to continue the work, and we would also get a great deal of free consulting help."

Cranias told the commission, "This isn't just SHDWA doing this. It's a cooperative effort between the Sanford Historic Trust, SHDWA, the Chamber of Commerce, Sanford Committee, and the Preservation Board, and we would like to have the City of Sanford join us to get it underway."

"The goal of the Mainstreet program is to develop a more interesting and attractive downtown area that would bring more people into this area," Cranias said.

"This isn't part of the Duany project," Bartholomew said, "but it dovetails beautifully with it." She added, "In preparing the plans for Sanford's development, Duany concentrated on

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## Market on the Mall to expand

By NICK PFERPAUF  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — The Sanford Commission Monday night approved a new policy governing the operation Market on the Mall. The change could greatly enlarge the participation at the weekly event.

The new Market on the Mall policy allows Sanford Historic Downtown Waterfront Association to control who will be allowed to display their wares at the outdoor event held each Friday and Saturday at the Magnolia Mall.

SHDWA President Chris Cranias made the presentation to the City during Monday's

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## Community petition



Herald Photo by Nick Pfeiff

Bob Cassa is addresses the city commission during the meeting last night.

## Rentals scrutinized

By NICK PFERPAUF  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Weekly residential rentals in Sanford's historic district are producing concern. A petition with 125 signatures against them has been presented to the city.  
No action was taken by the City Commission, pending the receipt of information regarding how other cities are handling the matter.

During the regular commission meeting, Bob Cassa, 709 S. Oak Ave., Sanford, represented the group submitting the petition.

"This is a list of 125 signatures of just some of the many people who are very concerned about this issue," he said. "We want the city to get rid of these eyesores in the community. All they do is bring in people who get involved in things like drugs and crime, and they

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## Lake Mary to formalize millage rate

By NICK PFERPAUF  
Herald Staff Writer

LAKE MARY — The Lake Mary City Commission will hold a special called meeting this Thursday night. The proposed 1992/93 budget will be the main item on the agenda.

During a commission meeting last week, several members of the commission indicated they might support accepting the roll back millage rate, rather than continuing at the same millage level used by the city for the past five years.

Although the budget was initially presented to the commission on July 23, no formal hearing has been held on it. It was originally scheduled for Aug. 8, but was delayed because of the length of the meeting.

During last week's commission meeting, a special called meeting was set for Aug. 27. As such, rather than a workshop session, the commission would be allowed to take formal action on the millage rate, if the roll back level is approved.

Even though a city commission approves a tentative millage rate, it can be reduced by a vote of the commission. It cannot be raised above the tentative rate however, unless approved by a public referendum.

Lake Mary had approved the tentative rate of 3.993. The roll back rate recommended by the county property appraiser is 3.76477.

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## Former county commissioner named to city's airport board

By J. MARK BARNFIELD  
and NICK PFERPAUF  
Herald Staff Writers

SANFORD — Former Seminole County commissioner Sandra Glenn was named to replace Joe Dennison on the Central Florida Regional Airport Authority's board last night by Sanford Mayor Bettye Smith.

"I think its time we had a woman on the Authority," said Smith last night.

The recommendation divided commissioners. Commissioner A.A. "Mac" McClanahan said Dennison should be appointed to a second four-year term. Commissioner Lon Howell, in response to Smith's

support of a female appointee, said a black person should be appointed to the board. Commissioners voted 3-2 to approve the appointment of Glenn, with McClanahan and Howell opposing.

Dennison, whose airport board term ends Sept. 30, said this morning he was prepared to serve another four-year term. Dennison, who is retired, also serves as chairman of the Sanford Planning and Zoning Commission. Dennison said no commissioner approached him to discuss whether his term would be extended.

When asked if he was disappointed, Dennison said, "I don't

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Sandra Glenn

## Board mulls land buy for next school

By VICKI BOGGS  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — The Seminole County school board, at tonight's board meeting, will discuss the purchase of the property that will be used for the next district high school.

While the discussion will focus on the purchase of the property, there may be some questions raised about what the proposed school will mean for Seminole High in Sanford.

There are two pieces of property

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## Officials pleased first day of school smooth

By VICKI BOGGS  
Herald Staff Writer

Administrators said the first day of school went smoothly in all areas yesterday.

There had been some fear that there might be some problems in the transportation department related to the elimination of many of the district's courtesy bus routes.

The state compensates school districts for bus service to students who live more than two miles from their zoned school. The district must pay 100 percent of the cost of transporting those who live closer, but service is provided as a courtesy to the students if they must traverse

a dangerous route. Last year, in an effort to save money, the district reviewed all courtesy routes and eliminated all but the most hazardous.

"We had a few phone calls today, but that's to be expected," Jerry Kucin, director of transportation, said yesterday afternoon. "I think we did a good job of being available to answer questions."

On Saturday and Sunday, area supervisors for the transportation department were on hand at shopping centers and stores around the district to answer routing questions and hand out bus schedules to those who had not gone to their schools and picked up the information.



Herald Photo by Tommy Vassell

The first day of school might bring anxiety for some, but these youngsters seem to be relaxed as they wait for their friends outside the bus at Pine Crest Elementary School yesterday morning. Classes began yesterday for Seminole County students.



## POLICE BRIEFS

### Two arrested for retail theft

Sanford police arrested two persons in two separate incidents at Rite Aid Discount Pharmacies, 2438 S. French Avenue. Melvin Bobby Mims, 40, of 1955 Second Drive, Sanford, was arrested Friday for reportedly stealing a pack of cigarettes. James Thomas Ward, 64, 1313 Shepherd Ave., Sanford, was arrested 90 minutes later for reportedly taking a bottle of Tylenol. Each was charged with retail theft.

### Drug sting nets one

Sanford police arrested Brian O'Neal Hahn, 26, 2421 Yale Ave., Sanford, on Friday. Special Investigative Unit police said he made a purchase of cocaine from an undercover agent at 11th Street and Maple Ave. Hahn was charged with purchase of a controlled substance, crack cocaine.

### Brother charged with car theft

Longwood police arrested Dana Reno, 19, of 717 Logan Drive, Longwood, Saturday. Police report his brother, Tony Reno, had reported his car stolen on Thursday, and had told them he suspected his brother may have taken it without his authority. Dana Reno was located at his brother's residence the following day and charged with grand theft, auto.

### Domestic violence arrests

John Finney, 45, 3300 Celery Ave., Sanford, was arrested by Sheriff's deputies at 3714 Washington Ave., on Friday, following an altercation with his wife. He was charged with aggravated assault, domestic violence.

Clanton Edward Brooks, 22, with no local address, was arrested by Sanford police Friday at 1808 S. French Avenue, following an altercation with a girlfriend. He was charged with battery, domestic violence.

Rodney Marshall Hillman, 27, 2600 Georgia Ave., was arrested by Sanford police following a dispute with a woman at his residence Friday. He was charged with domestic violence, battery.

Charles W. Hatcher, 38, was arrested by Sanford police at his residence, 2017 Hibiscus Court, on Sunday, following a dispute with his wife. He was charged with domestic violence battery, and resisting arrest without violence.

Bryan L. Almaroad, 25, of 548 Bay Ave., Longwood, was arrested by Longwood police Saturday following a dispute with his girlfriend at his residence. He was charged with battery, domestic violence.

David Wayne Sauls, 31, 404 Colonial Way, Sanford, was arrested by Sanford police at his residence Friday following a dispute with a girlfriend. He was charged with battery, domestic violence.

### Warrants served

Oswale Lee Faison, 20, 99 Castle Brewer Court, was located at 10th and Mangoustine Ave., by Sanford police on Sunday. He was wanted on a Seminole County warrant charging him with attempted first degree murder.

Ben Leonard Fowler, 19, 138 Scott Drive, Sanford, was apprehended by Sanford police at Castle Brewer Court Saturday. He was wanted for violation of parole on a burglary conviction.

### Incidents reported to the Sheriff:

A white 1984 Chevrolet was reportedly taken from the driveway of Vivian B. Watson, 807 Cherokee Circle, on Sunday. The vehicle's license number was listed as DUR-03R.

A telephone valued at \$100 was reportedly taken Sunday from an office at the Seminole County Expressway construction site, 875 Oak Way Rd., near Sanford. Entry was said to have been made by throwing a concrete block through a window.

Sabrina Conyers, of 143 Bethune Circle, reported her car was vandalized Sunday. She told deputies windows had been smashed and door handles broken. Nothing was reported missing from inside the vehicle.

### Reports to Sanford police

A .38 caliber handgun was reportedly taken Thursday, from a lunch bag on a chair, in the used-car office of Seminole Ford, 3786 Orlando Drive. The gun was the property of George Kertis, an employee.

Earl Stanley, #716, 1312 Racheille at Regatta Shores, told police on Thursday that a rented TV set had been taken from his apartment while he was away for 10 days.

\$800 in property was reportedly taken Thursday from a car owned by Terri Mikela, parked at the victim's residence in Sanford.

## County sets talk on budget

By J. MARK SANFIELD  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — With apparent little public interest in the proposed \$233.7 million Seminole County budget, commissioners are set to hold their first hearing on the proposal Sept. 8 without substantial modifications to the spending plan.

Only 19 people attended the county's three "town hall" meetings in Sanford and Casselberry two weeks ago. Thirteen people showed up for the first meeting. One showed up for the third.

Commissioner Pat Warren, who had sought the public input, said the low turnout suggests to her residents accept the spending plan calling for a tax and spending decrease.

"It had a lot to do with the rollback budget," said Warren this morning. "I think they were pleased that for the first time in years, it rolled back instead of went up."

The county tax rate has gone up for the past two years. Last year's increase was due to the addition of 25 cents to pay for the environmental lands bond approved by voters in 1990.

This year, the county has proposed a countywide tax reduction from \$5.70 for each \$1,000 of taxable property to \$5.42. The proposal would save the owner of a \$100,000 home \$21 over the current tax if the property valuation didn't change. The owner of a \$75,000 home would save \$14 over this year's tax.

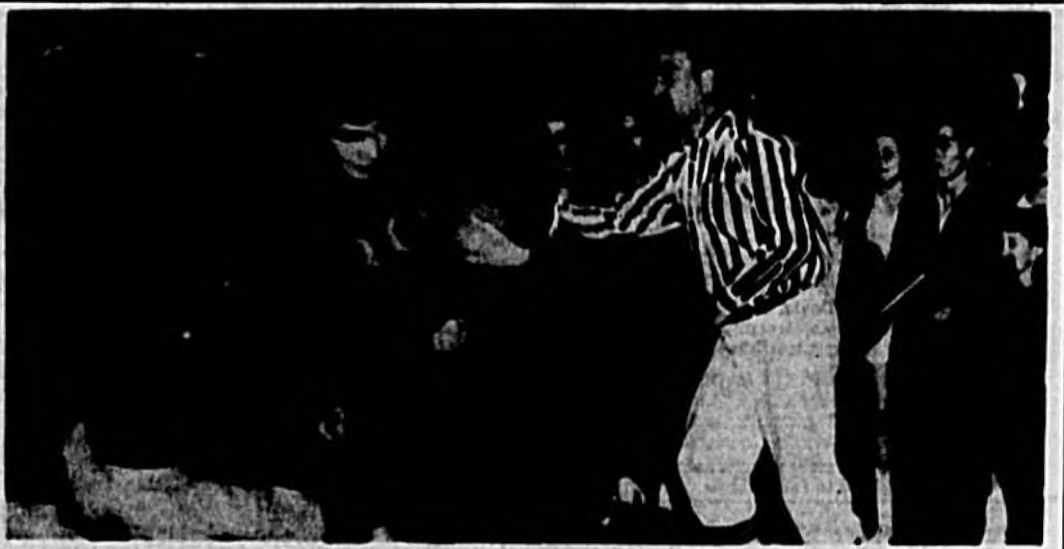
Unincorporated residents will see a one-cent reduction for their additional fire and road tax.

County Manager Ron Rabun was uncertain what the low turnout indicated.

"The fact the Bastille was not stormed is a sign of acceptance or maybe, apathy, one of the two," Rabun said Monday.

The budget features the hiring of 47 additional employees, which would give the county a total of 1,966 for general services and those functions provided by the sheriff and other constitutional officers.

The budget also proposes nearly \$57 million in road construction and improvements. The proposal also includes \$100,000 to begin a computerized "map" of Seminole County and \$200,000 to study the office needs of the county.



### Way Back When

With the high school, college and professional football seasons just around the corner, let's return to the Seminole High School Colery Fed 11 of 1946. Do you recognize old No. 89? Do you recognize the official if you can go back 46 years you will know the ball carrier is Sanford's all southern double wing fullback Willis Anderson. He ripped defensive lines to ribbons.

The official is Victor "Dick" McLaulin. He was an SMS graduate in the early 1920s. He was also a career employee with the Sanford Post Office. But he was also a certified football official in addition to being a longtime Florida State League baseball umpire. For several seasons he was the league's umpire-in-chief.

### Wilson school hit by vandals

SANFORD — Two reports were made during the weekend at Wilson Elementary School, 985 Orange Blvd.

On Saturday, an employee reported someone had thrown a brick through a window at the music building. At that time, nothing was reported missing.

On Sunday, another employee reported someone had removed the screen from the broken window, and electronic equipment valued at over \$2,000 was taken from the music building.

### Two forums set for consumers

ORLANDO — The Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Affairs will host two consumer forums in Orlando this week.

On Thursday and Friday, local residents will have an opportunity to speak to representatives of the agency's Consumer Council. Among the issues to be discussed are telemarketing, car repair, travel businesses, health clubs, dance studios, home solicitation, product safety and merchandising deceit.

The Thursday forum will be held at the Orange County Convention Center, 6900 International Drive, from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. The Friday forum will be held at the Mark Street Senior Center, 99 East Mark St., from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m.

The agency also operates a hotline, 1-800-HELPFLA (436-7382) to obtain information about state consumer protection, file complaints and report fraud.

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## Dog Racing

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**WORLD BRIEFS**

**Serbs accused of cover-up**

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina — A U.N. investigator has accused Serbs of covering up conditions at a prison camp, and Radio Sarajevo reported that the Yugoslav air force dropped napalm and cluster bombs on a Muslim-held city.

NATO was expected today to consider dispatching 6,000 soldiers to protect relief deliveries to Bosnia-Herzegovina. Diplomatic sources expected this proposal would be approved, but a plan by Muslim nations to authorize the use of force to halt the bloodshed was not expected to go far at the United Nations.

A Bosnian peace conference convenes Wednesday in London.

Attempts by the international community to end the violence in the former Yugoslav republic come as fighting intensified in the Bosnian capital, Sarajevo. Doctors at hospitals, working around frequent electrical and water outages, reported six dead and 18 wounded in a new round of mortar and rocket attacks on the capital Monday.

**Vietnam trying to endure**

HANOI, Vietnam — For grizzled revolutionaries, the view from Hanoi these days is disheartening.

The Soviet Union, Vietnam's model and protector, is no more. Worldwide, the club of ruling Marxist parties has shrunk to include just four other members — China, Cuba, Laos and North Korea.

But Vietnam's 63-year-old ruling communist party is trying to endure into the next century, chiefly by focusing on the economy and building a more efficient, just and somewhat liberalized government, political analysts say.

The party's former appeal as the force that battled foreign aggressors like France and the United States has lost its luster for a younger generation more interested in the good life than past heroics. Some communist say future domestic problems could prove more complex than fighting the Americans.

**Call for tax strike in Italy**

ROME — Americans might scan newspapers to see what's on sale today; the French, to find out what movie's playing tonight. Italians thumb through the pages to see what tax is due tomorrow.

The latest flood of new taxes in one of Europe's most taxed countries has prompted an appeal by a fast-growing political party for a tax strike. The call seems to have reached the government's ears — over the weekend the Finance Ministry issued a rare apology for an abrupt change in collecting procedures that caused aggravation for taxpayers.

The ink had barely dried this month on Senate Law No. 350, the latest package of government taxes including a "supertax" on houses, when irate homeowners swarmed assessment offices in cities up and down the country, cursing in 102-degree heat.

Those were the dutiful ones. Waiting in line for hours — some showed up at 3 a.m. — they just wanted to know how much tax they had to pay.

**Allies set to shield Shites**

By BARRY SCOWROTH  
AP Diplomatic Writer

WASHINGTON — Despite some Arab reservations, the United States and its allies are set to establish a protective aerial umbrella over embattled Shiite villagers in southern Iraq — and shoot down Iraqi planes that violate the "no-fly" zone, U.S. officials say.

The pending warning notice to Iraq, with the solid support of Britain, France and Russia, challenges President Saddam Hussein to stop what U.S. officials describe as persecution of the Shiite minority.

But Jordan, Syria and some other Arab governments are registering concern that Iraq might fall apart under Western pressure. The State Department said Monday the Western plan had strong support from partners in the coalition that went to war in 1990 to defeat Iraq and liberate Kuwait.

Still, U.S. officials said a warning was sent to Iran, which fought an eight-year war with Iraq, not to try to take advantage of the situation. This and other details could cause a day's delay in announcing the plan, said the officials, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Once there is a green light, U.S., British, French and Russian diplomats would deliver a protest note to the Iraqi ambassador to the United Nations in New York and President Bush would make a statement about American intentions, the officials said.

American and allied planes will patrol the broad area of Iraq below the 32nd parallel, mostly monitoring Iraqi military operations against the Shites on the ground.

Iraqi ground troops are carrying the brunt of the offensive while attacks from the air have subsided. The protective umbrella would pose a threat to Saddam that fixed-wing aircraft or helicopters venturing into the zone could be shot down. Meanwhile, the monitoring of the Iraqi army's operation against the Shites could set the stage for an allied offensive.

Western air units were sent to the region last year to carve out safe havens for the Kurds in northern Iraq. But the administration decided against erecting a similar shield at the time for the Shites.

The shift, as Bush seeks re-election as a resolute and experienced leader, follows a steady drumbeat of U.S. condemnation of Saddam both over his treatment of the Shites in the southern marsh lands and his reluctance to admit U.N. weapons inspectors to Iraqi ministries.

Former Secretary of State James A. Baker III, in a farewell speech two weeks ago, called Saddam "a ruthless madman." Edward J. Perkins, the U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, said he was conducting a "reign of terror" against the Iraqi people. Perkins said "the full scope of his brutalities has yet to be revealed."

And Brent Scowcroft, Bush's national security assistant, said last week "there is increasing evidence he is pursuing genocidal policies in the south."

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## Airport

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think that's appropriate." Glenn served as a county commissioner for 12 years before she was defeated in 1990 by Democrat Larry Furlong. She currently serves on the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council and Seminole County Tourist Development Council. She works at Sun Travel in Sanford.

Smith said this morning she believed Glenn's appointment would benefit the airport authority.

"Sandra has a lot of contacts," said Smith. "She served on a lot of boards and committees, including national boards and committees, that brought her in touch with contacts. We said all along, we wanted people with contacts that could help us develop our airport."

Smith said Glenn was a top choice for one of two positions created in January when the airport board was expanded from seven to nine members to broaden the professional skills represented on the authority. Smith said Glenn turned down the request then and commissioners subsequently appointed Gene Daniels of Sun Bank and Ronald Weindrich of Selmens Stromberg to the new positions.

Smith said she broached the appointment with Glenn recently and Glenn accepted.

Smith said Glenn's appointment was not a rejection of Dennison. She said commissioners had been concerned about having one individual serve on two "high-powered" city boards. Citizens who serve on city boards and commissions volunteer their time. All committee members are appointed by commissioners.

Smith said she did not consider advertising for applicants for the position because the commissioners had "always" recommended appointees since she has served on the commission.

Last night, McClanahan sought to reappoint Dennison, but no commissioner supported the call for a vote.

"If we are going to be concerned about putting a woman on the authority," said Howell, "then maybe we should consider putting a black on it. After all, there aren't any on it now."

## Land

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ly, one located at the Wagner Curve on State Road 434 near the Winter Springs City Hall and the other on State Road 434 on the west side of Howell Creek Road in Tuskawilla, being considered as the site.

The property near the city hall is a 58-acre site with an asking price of \$2,358,300. The asking price for the 74-acre site in Tuskawilla is \$2,300,000.

"But there are some wetlands and flooding areas on that site that are unusable," said Diane Kramer, the district's facilities planner. "The whole 58 acres on the other site is usable."

Though the school, which officials hope to open by the fall of 1995 will relieve the overcrowded conditions at Lake Howell High School in Winter Park, all of the high schools in Seminole County will have to be rezoned in 1994 to make sure there is a more even distribution of students around the county.

Lake Howell is the most overcrowded high school in the district, according to Kramer. Seminole High has, according to district records, the fewest students of any high school.

Parents who are concerned about the underutilization of facilities at Seminole High School do not want to wait until 1994 for a solution to their problem.

Jack Helaler, director of high school education for the district, said he would not speculate on whether or not rezoning, even two years from now, would help Seminole High School increase its numbers.

"I don't know what the board has in mind," he said. "I know they're still looking at a magnet school program for Seminole that they hope will start to solve that."

The board will discuss the magnet school proposal in a public forum on Sept. 15.

In the meantime, the school site for the school on the eastern side of the district is needed as soon as possible, district officials said.

"We need to get moving on this if we're going to have students in there by the fall of 1995."

The school board will meet to discuss the purchase of the land tonight at 7 p.m. in the district headquarters, 1211 Mellonville Ave. in Sanford.

## Market

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workshop meeting of the City Commission. The presentation was in conjunction with his request for funds to support the start-up of the Mainstreet program.

He explained, "We are proposing that merchants be allowed to set up outdoor displays or serve food without obtaining outdoor vendor permits from the city." The fees vary depending on the situation, but for an outdoor fruit and vegetable vendor, the city charges \$50 for a permit.

"The new policy will also allow an expansion which would permit other merchants who are not members of SHDWA to display their products," he said. "They would be charged a fee of \$5 per weekend to participate."

Commissioner Lon Howell asked about other downtown merchants who are not members of SHDWA. Crantias responded, "We could probably waive the fees for them, as long as they are downtown merchants." He added, "Of course we will be appointing a SHDWA committee to determine who will be involved in the Mall, and avoid members who wish to sell merchandise that conflicts with that of the downtown merchants."

Commissioner Whitey Eckstein questioned the collection and use of the fees. "Who would get these fees and how would they be used?" he asked.

Crantias explained the money would be obtained by SHDWA, and be used to pay for advertising and promotion of the event. "It's not a great amount," he said. "I think many people

would be willing to pay that amount to be included in it."

When the matter came up for commission approval, it was done so in a single motion in conjunction with the request for money for the Mainstreet program. The vote in favor of the proposal was three to two, but both Commissioners A.A. McClanahan and Whitey Eckstein said their votes were centered on the Mainstreet project which they felt needed more study and consideration. Each of them however, indicated their support of the requests for suggestions regarding upgrading the Market on the Mall.

## Couch

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LOTTERY: Couch would seek to restore use of Lottery revenues as supplemental, rather than replacement of state educational spending.

CRIME: Couch suggests the state consider looking at turning over the state prison system to private enterprises to reduce expenses. Couch favors "boot camp" housing and drilling for first-time offenders. Couch also favors stiffer penalties for violent criminals.

ENVIRONMENT: Couch is ending appropriations for Preservation 2000 at least until the economy improves.

"The government already owns 35 percent of the land in this country," said Couch. "Most of the land they buy (under P2000) is out in the sticks somewhere where no one ever sees it."

Couch said he favors limited regulation to protect the air and drinking water supplies. He said he also favors a ban on the sale of certain products that endanger air or water, such as some chemicals used in painting.

HEALTH CARE: Couch says he believes in working with insurance companies to provide low-cost insurance, instead state solutions such as tax credits.

FINANCIAL REFORM: "I'm against any new taxes," said Couch. "I do not want a state income tax. We should have a 2 percent across-the-board cut on every state agency but education. We can redirect that money to increasing salaries for teachers."

## Millage

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"It could be done," said City Manager John Litton. "There's not that much difference between the tentative millage the commission has already approved, and the roll back rate. In fact, for the entire city, it only amounts to about \$68,000, less in revenue, and we could live with that."

For a house appraised at \$100,000, the difference in next year's property taxes would only be approximately \$10.

## Perez

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EDUCATION: Perez recommends raiding unused state trust funds to find extra money for education, such as a radon gas study fund. Perez would equalize student allocations across the state to end inequities and shift more course curricula decisions to local districts. Perez does not support state-financed "educational choice" programs.

LOTTERY: Perez supports restoring lottery proceeds to the role of educational enhancement, instead of supplanting general fund appropriations.

CRIME: The state should explore private prisons, says

Perez. Also, inmates should be required to take literacy or English-language classes before being eligible for early release.

ENVIRONMENT: "We need a balance between the rights of property owners and environmental preservation," said Perez. Perez supports Preservation 2000, but says the state over-regulates the environment. Perez opposes off-shore oil drilling.

HEALTH CARE: Perez does not support "universal health care" programs, but is willing to consider tax-break incentives to encourage small-business owners to provide insurance for employees. Perez supports state-financed AIDS research.

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## IN BRIEF

### LOCALLY

#### Racquetball tournament

ORLANDO — The Tri-County Racquetball Shootout will be held August 28-30 at The Orlando Fitness & Racquet Club, 825 Courtland Street.

Cost will be \$30 per player with a two division maximum.

Singles divisions will include Open, A, B, C, Novice, 19-over, 25-over, 30-over, 35-over, 40-over, 45-over, 50-over, 55-over and 60-over for both men and women. Doubles divisions will be men's and women's Open, A, B and C, Men's 40-over, 45-over, 50-over, 55-over and 60-over and Mixed Open and A.

Deadline for entry is Tuesday, August 25th at 11 a.m.

AARA rules will apply but you do not need to be an AARA member to enter.

Awards will be presented to 1st and 2nd place winners.

For more information, call: Mike Mojer, 645-3550.

#### Longwood recreation offerings

LONGWOOD — The City of Longwood Parks and Recreation Department is offering tennis, gymnastics and softball this fall.

Tennis lessons will be offered for youth ages 6 and up starting Saturday, August 29th. Cost is \$24 for residents and \$30 for non-residents. Times for youth lessons will be ages 6-8, 9 a.m.-10 a.m.; ages 9-11, 10 a.m.-11 a.m.; ages 12-14, 11 a.m.-noon and ages 15-and-up, noon-1 p.m.

Adult instructional tennis for men and women over the age of 16 will start Monday, August 31st and run from 7 p.m.-9 p.m. with the same \$24 and \$30 cost.

Gymnastics are being offered for children ages 5-10 at a cost of \$28 per four week session.

Softball is also preparing to start and leagues are being offered for Men's C, Men's Super C and Women's C at a cost of \$280 per team and Co-Ed and Men's Over-50 at \$210 per team. The season will run for 10 weeks.

For more information, Call (407) 260-3440.

#### Registration for winter baseball

FIVE POINTS — Seminole PONY Baseball will conduct registration for its winter leagues on Saturday, Aug. 29, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Five Points Complex on State Road 419.

Players between the ages of 5 and 12 can be registered for instructional play for \$35. Players 13 and older can be registered for \$45 to play in competitive winter leagues.

Proof of age is required for those registering for the first time with Seminole PONY Baseball. Players must be these ages by Aug. 1, 1993. Family discounts are available.

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

#### Annual PONY meeting set

FIVE POINTS — The annual general membership meeting of Seminole PONY (Protect Our Nation's Youth) Baseball Inc. will be conducted on Sunday, Aug. 30, at 4 p.m. at the Five Points Complex on Highway 419.

All individuals interested in the operation and organization of Seminole PONY Baseball are urged to attend.

All regular members of the Board of Directors are requested to be present.

#### Sanford ASA umpire clinic set

SANFORD — The Sanford Officiating Service will hold an A.S.A. (Amateur Softball Association) Umpire's Clinic the weekend of Aug. 29-30 at the Sanford Recreation Department's Downtown Youth Center, lower level of Sanford City Hall, 300 North Park Avenue.

The clinic is for all those interested in an A.S.A. umpire and will cost \$20.

Session will start at 8 a.m. both days and attendees must be there both days. Saturday's session will deal with rules interpretations and mechanics, while Sunday will be made up of mechanics and taking the test.

For more information call Duane at 323-6026 or 330-5687.

#### Ripken gets birthday present

BALTIMORE — On his 32nd birthday Baltimore Orioles shortstop Cal Ripken signed a \$32.5 million, five-year contract that gives him the richest total deal in baseball history.

Ripken, a 10-time American League All-Star, will average \$6.5 million a year under the contract, which in average annual value trails only the deal Ryne Sandberg of the Chicago Cubs agreed to in March, a four-year contract worth \$7.1 million per season. In total money, Ripken's contract surpasses Bobby Bonilla's \$29 million, five-year deal with the New York Mets.

Included in the deal is a \$2 million post-playing career contract over four years.

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# New Tribe coaches

## duo among state's elite

By DEAN SMITH  
Herald Sports Writer

SANFORD — The Seminole High School athletic program got another shot in the arm, two in fact, this past week with the addition of new coaches for the boys basketball team and the wrestling team.

Highly successful Bob Traina has been named the new boys basketball coach while Lake Mary graduate Bill Coughell will take over the mat program.

"We're lucky and fortunate to get them," said SHS assistant principal Bob Lundquist. "We feel they are going to be excellent additions to our program. We're real pleased."

Coughell, a 1985 graduate of Lake Mary, was a four sport star (wrestling, football, track and decathlon) while playing for the Rams and went on to play linebacker at the University of Pennsylvania before returning to Lake Mary as an assistant wrestling and football coach, positions he has held for the past three years.

In addition to his wrestling duties, he will also handle the defensive line and linebackers for the Seminole varsity football team.

□ See Coaches, Page 2B



Bill Coughell



Bob Traina

# Fall is busy in Sanford

By DEAN SMITH  
Herald Sports Writer

SANFORD — In its neverending attempt to meet the needs and desires of the community the City of Sanford Recreation and Parks Department offers a wide variety of activities and programs for all ages.

Under the guidance of Director Mike Kirby and Superintendent Rocky Ellingworth and their staff the department has improved by leaps and bounds in both quantity and quality of programs over the past two years.

Among the programs being offered this fall are adult slowpitch softball for both men and women, power and recreational Co-Ed volleyball leagues, The Sanford Lakeside 8K Road Race, American Open-Style Karate classes, Youth Flag Football and Baton Classes.

The Fall Softball Leagues are scheduled to get underway Tuesday, Sept. 8th. The department will have one league on Monday, Thursday and Friday night's and two leagues on Tuesday and Wednesday night's. Games take place at one of three fields, Chase, Pinehurst or Ft. Mellon.

The Power Volleyball League will get started on Wednesday, Sept. 9th, with the Recreational League starting on Monday, Sept. 14th. All games will be played at the Salvation Army Gymnasium on West 24th Street.

The annual Lakeside 8K Race is set for Saturday, Sept. 19th starting at the Sanford Civic Center on Lake Monroe. The day will start with a two-mile fun run at 7:30 a.m., the 8K is set for 8 a.m. and a 4-mile Kiddy Run is scheduled for 9:30 a.m.

□ See Recreation, Page 2B



The Sanford Lakeside 8K Race (top photo) and slowpitch softball (bottom) are among the many activities offered by the City of Sanford Recreation and Parks Department this fall.



# St. Pete facing fight for Giants

By ANNE M. PETERSON  
Associated Press Writer

SAN FRANCISCO — Charlotte Hornets owner George Shinn is so positive he can work out a deal to buy the San Francisco Giants that he's already given himself a title — managing general partner.

Shinn met in San Francisco Monday with Mayor Frank Jordan and a group of potential local investors in the baseball team.

"I think that we like each other enough, and they see the potential I have to offer," said Shinn. "I can't do the deal without them. They could do it without me, but I

don't think I can do it without them. I don't think — I know I can't."

Shinn and a group of eight possible investors, including local developer Walter Shorenstein, say they will have an offer within seven days to present to major league team owners.

Besides Shorenstein, none of the other investors were named. No dollar amount was fixed to the potential offer.

The NBA owner reportedly is prepared to put up \$30 million and borrow an additional \$30 million for the team. Local investors would contribute another \$50 million.

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# Andrew bashes Indians spring site

By BEN WALKER  
AP Baseball Writer

CLEVELAND, OH. — The Cleveland Indians' new \$18 million spring training camp in Homestead, sustained major damage from Hurricane Andrew on Monday, and it was uncertain whether the team would be able to move in next season.

The Indians, who held camp for 46 years in Tucson, Ariz., planned

to shift to the Florida site next year. The Homestead facility was used this summer for tryouts for the U.S. Olympic baseball team.

"We have been in contact with our people in Homestead and they have informed us that there has been significant damage to our new complex," Indians president Rick Bay said.

"While we do not know the total extent at this time, we are aware of some structural damage to the

stadium, the scoreboard, the indoor batting cages and the fields themselves," he said. "We cannot speculate on how this will affect our plans for spring training 1993."

The Indians' camp appeared to be the only spring training site severely damaged by Hurricane Andrew. Several other spring ballparks, some of them used in the summer by the Class A Florida State League, were hit by strong winds.

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# Reunion, Shindig at 'Bowl'

From Staff Reports

SANFORD — With the summer season drawing to a close, Bowl America-Sanford is hosting a "Summer Shindig" for all summer league bowlers, Thursday, August 27th, from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. at the lanes located at 180 West Airport Boulevard.

The "shindig" will feature a Bar-B-Que, music and bowling. There will also be a drawing for a new bowling ball for the fall season.

There will also be a reunion for anyone who ever played in the former Wednesday High Nooners' Ladies Bowling League tomorrow, Aug. 28th at noon.

The High Nooners is the oldest existing women's league at Bowl America.

Anyone who wishes to attend the reunion is asked to bring a covered dish to the event and anyone interested in playing should bring their bowling stuff for fun bowling.

The Sanford City League had its Fall League meeting last Wednesday and proudly announced a new sponsor for the league — Beer:30.

The Beer:30 City League is the new name and needs two teams to fill the roster. Interested men bowlers for this added-money league contact Bowl America.

For more information, call Pat Thompson at 321-0455 or Bowl America at 323-7542.



# People

## IN BRIEF

### Al-Anon group gathers

Serenity Won, an Al-Anon group for friends and family of alcoholics, will meet each Monday, Tuesday and Thursday night at 8 p.m. at the Bahama Club, 2587 S. Sanford Ave., Sanford. Call Flora at 349-5576 for more information.

### Toastmasters meet

Seminole Community College (SCC) Toastmasters Club #6581 will meet every Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., at Seminole Community College. Contact Rosella Bonham at 323-8264 for more information.

### Take off pounds

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, 1807 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 323-7562 or 323-1664.

### Kick up your heels

Feel like kicking up your heels and dancing up a storm? Anyone over age 50 will now have the opportunity of doing just that, by enrolling in a beginners' tap dancing class, on Thursday, Sept. 10, 8:30 a.m. at the Casseberry Senior Center, or on Tuesday, Sept. 15, 10:30 a.m. at the Sanford Civic Center.

Evelyn Chester is the instructor. For further information, call 677-6819.

### 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.

### Jaycees meet

The Sanford Jaycees meet the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Anyone interested in attending can call Brent Adamson or David T. Russel Jr. at 322-3663.

### Overeaters to gather

A regular meeting of Overeaters Anonymous is conducted on Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m. at Florida Power and Light, 301 Myrtle Ave., Sanford. For more information, call Carol at 322-0657.

### Aerobics offered

The City of Sanford Recreation Department offers aerobics classes Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 8 to 10 a.m. and on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Cost is \$3 per class. Instructor is Debbie Black, board certified with over 10 years experience. Call 330-5897 for more details.

### Seniors step out

Dancing will resume September 16 for those over 50 at the Over 50 Dance Club dance held every Wednesday, 2:30 - 4:30 p.m. at the Sanford Civic Center. Live music by the Deltonians 11-piece band. Donation \$2.00.

### Ballet guild holds auditions

The Ballet Guild of Sanford-Seminole is pleased to announce its auditions for its 1992-93 season, its 25th in existence, and a season that will be filled with dance programs and other activities to celebrate the silver anniversary.

This year the guild has scheduled three auditions. The first will be held at the School of Dance Arts at 2560 Elm Ave., Sanford. The date is Saturday, Aug. 29 from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m.

A second audition will be held from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. at the Lake Mary SODA studio in the Food Lion shopping center on Saturday, Sept. 5.

The final audition will be held on Saturday, Sept. 12, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at the SODA studio on Enterprise Road in Orange City.

Auditions are open to anyone, male or female, 10 years old and older who has at least two years of dance experience. Prospective guild members should know that the audition fee is \$5 to pay for judges, and that when they audition they should wear appropriate dance attire.

Area dancers, or parents of area dancers, who need more information should feel free to call the guild at 323-1900, or to call the Orange City studio of SODA at (904) 775-7080.



### Swooping down for a visit

'The Eagle Lady' Doris Meager visited with children and adults Saturday at Kmart in Lake Mary. Meager introduced the fascinated audience to a menagerie of eagles and owls. Left: Assisting Meager (with eagle) are Susan Hauke (left) and Michelle Thurston, Kmart employees. Right: Meager demonstrates the wing-span of an eagle.



Herald Photos by Pamela J. Sheng

## Daughter's friendship too close for mom

**DEAR ABBY:** I have a beautiful 22-year-old daughter. She has always had many boyfriends and girlfriends until about a year ago, when she met this one girl at school. Since then, nothing has been the same.

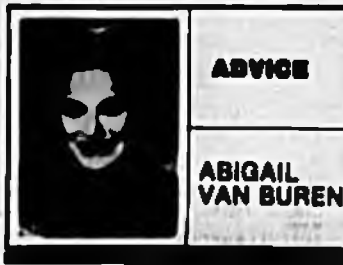
My daughter has dropped all her other friends, and she associates only with this one girl. They are together morning, noon and night. They have all their classes together, and after school this friend comes home with her, eats dinner here, and on weekends she spends the nights here.

They never have dates, but it doesn't seem to bother them — they are so wrapped up with each other. It just doesn't seem normal to me.

Abby, I am beginning to wonder about the relationship between these two girls. I love my daughter more than my own life. What should I do?

**HEARSICK MOTHER**  
**DEAR MOTHER:** Let your daughter know you love her and accept her as she is. There is no more convincing proof of your love.

**DEAR ABBY:** I lost (or somebody stole) my wallet. Fortunately, there wasn't much money in it, but my driver's license and credit cards will have to be replaced. That will be a



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ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

terrible inconvenience, but I can handle that.

What cannot be replaced is something I had cut out of your column and carried around for almost five years. It was a "confidential" to remind people who still had their mothers to thank her for all the things she taught them. Can you remember which one it was, and print it again?

**FAN IN AMSTERDAM, N.Y.**  
**DEAR FAN:** It was this one: "CONFIDENTIAL TO ANY-ONE FOR WHOM IT IS NOT TOO LATE: The gestation period of a mother's advice is anywhere from one week to 50 years. Losing one's mother before having thanked her for the many precious things she taught you is one of life's greatest tragedies."

**DEAR ABBY:** My husband is a CPA, and every year around income tax time, he is deluged with telephone calls from friends who want to ask him questions about their income tax returns.

My husband is an auditor, and I doubt that he has filled out an income tax return since college. Last night, a casual acquaintance called with a bookkeeping problem so simple that even I could solve it. I wonder if these same people call a brain surgeon every time they have a headache.

**MRS. T.D.S.**  
**DEAR MRS. S.:** Probably not.

But I'm sure if they thought a brain surgeon could relieve their headache, they wouldn't hesitate to call him.

**DEAR ABBY:** What do you think of an 81-year-old man and a 79-year-old woman who met in an old folks home four months ago, and decided to get married to save expenses? It's true, one double is cheaper than two singles, but isn't that a silly reason to get married?

**LIVES HERE**  
**DEAR LIVES:** It's as good a reason as any to get married. And better than some.

**DEAR ABBY:** What do you think of a daughter-in-law who fills the bathtub with water, takes a bath, gives her 2-year-old daughter a bath in the same water, then tells her 11-year-old son to bathe in it?

**DEAR FAN:** My grandson recently this. I overheard him say, "Please, Mom, May I please take a shower?" She told him, "No, I don't want the shower mopped up."

Abby, I think this is terrible. What do you think?

**BURNED UP IN SAN DIEGO**  
**DEAR BURNED UP:** I second your emotion.

**DEAR ABBY:** I found the enclosed clipping while going through some of my brother's personal papers as we closed his estate. It was clipped from your column years ago, and I was struck by how timeless it is.

**SHARI S. IN BREEMAN OAKS**  
**DEAR SHARI:** Thank you for sending it. Others may find it thought-provoking. Although I have seen several versions of the piece, this one is the only one that anybody can follow! There's

a message for everybody...read on:  
"Once upon a time, there were four people; their names were Everybody, Somebody, Nobody and Anybody. Whenever there was an important job to be done, Everybody was sure that Somebody would do it, but Nobody realized that Nobody would do it. So consequently Everybody blamed Somebody when Nobody did what Anybody could have done in the first place."

## SOUND ADVICE



NICK SPINA

CERTIFIED HEARING INSTRUMENT SPECIALIST  
Did you know that the loudness of the percussion section of a symphony orchestra can be louder than a rock concert?

Don't lose your job because of your hearing. If you have a particular problem because of a hearing loss there may be a new product called assistive listening devices that can help you hear in these difficult situations.

If you must talk on the telephone a great deal of the time, you should point this out to your dispenser before a new hearing aid is ordered. Special circuits are now available to make hearing aids and telephones more compatible.

Question - What makes an echo? Answer - It's really quite simple. Sound will bounce off of any hard surface. If you call out toward a hard wall directly in front of you at a distance of thirty feet or more, you will hear your voice "bounce" back or echo.

**Seminole Hearing Center**  
MRS. M-F 9 AM - 4:30 PM  
AFTER HRS: BY APPT.  
301 W. First St., Sanford  
(407) 321-0066

## TUESDAY'S TV

Table with 12 columns (channels) and 20 rows (programs). Includes channels like ABC, CBS, NBC, FOX, PBS, TBS, etc. and programs like The Simpsons, 24, ER, etc.

For 24-hour TV listings, see LEISURE magazine of Friday, Aug. 21, 1992

## NEW ARRIVALS

The following births have been recorded at Florida Hospital, Altamonte Springs:  
**Aug. 11** - Kimberly and Michael Gross, Sanford, girl; Tracey and Timothy Burch, Sanford, boy.  
**Aug. 12** - Susan and Gregory Graves, Lake Mary, boy.  
**Aug. 14** - Paddy and Gary Skaff, Longwood, boy; Delores Browdy and Osie Williams, Oviedo, girl; Penny and Gregory Weingart, Oviedo, girl.  
**Aug. 16** - Ginger Baldwin and Wade Bass, Altamonte Springs, girl; Marcy and Jerry Sanders, Sanford, boy; Sally and Zachary Drinkard, Fern Park, girl; Debra and Thomas Schuchart, Casseberry, girl.  
**Aug. 18** - Elizabeth and Willie Jacobs, Fern Park, girl; Olivia Calderon and Justo Morales, Altamonte Springs, girl.  
**Aug. 17** - Theresa and Joseph Brown Jr., Sanford, girl.

Advertisement for Patchfield featuring a menu of items like Fried Green Tomatoes, Spicy Ribs, Charles Grodin Beethoven, Far and Away You Cruise, Beauty and the Beast, and A Cinema Comedy. Includes prices and showtimes.





**BLONDIE**



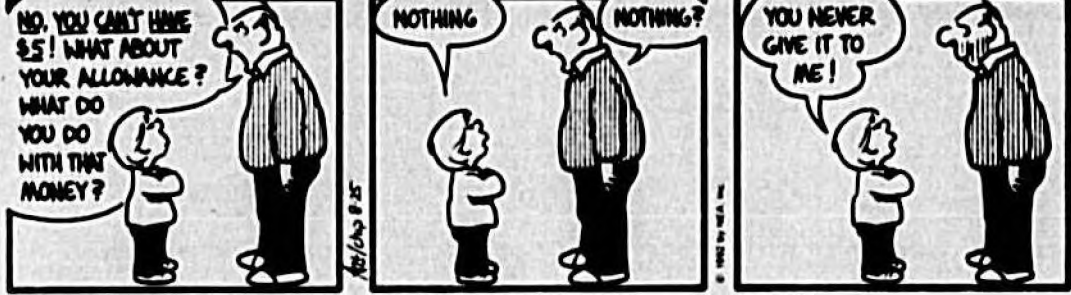
by Chic Young

**BETTY BAILEY**



by Mort Walker

**THE BORN LOSER**



by Art Sansom

**PEANUTS**



by Charles M. Schulz

**EEK & MEEK**



by Howie Schneider

**TUMBLEWEEDS**



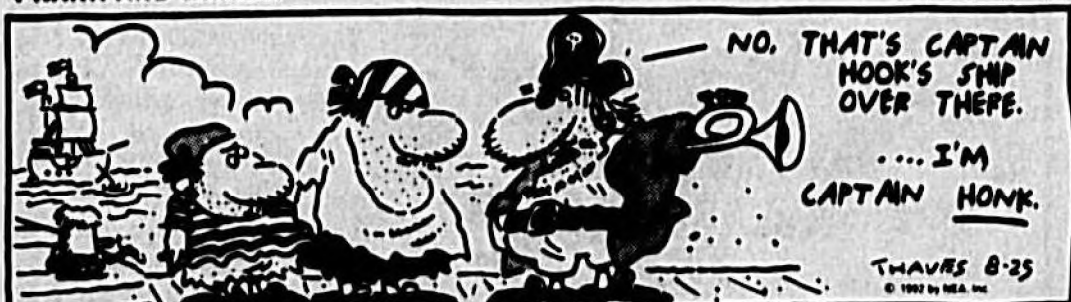
by T.K. Ryan

**ARLO AND JANIS**



by Jimmy Johnson

**FRANK AND ERNEST**



by Bob Thaves

**GARFIELD**



by Jim Davis

**ROBOTMAN**



by Jim Meddick

**Understanding husband's diagnosis of impotence**



**MEDICINE**  
**PETER GOTT, M.D.**

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** My husband has been diagnosed as having vasculogenic impotence. Just what does this mean?  
**DEAR READER:** I believe your husband's doctor confused you by being unnecessarily technical. Vasculogenic, a nonsensical term, simply means poor circulation; vascular and genetic (origin). Stated simply, your husband probably has arteriosclerotic blockages that interrupt the flow of blood to the penis. An erection depends on the ability of the penis to fill with blood; without the engorgement, impotence ensues.

Although most cases of vascular impotence are not correctable, some forms can be relieved by angioplasty or surgery to unblock major arteries. Therefore, your husband may need further testing - such as an angiogram - to determine the location and extent of the arteriosclerotic plaques.

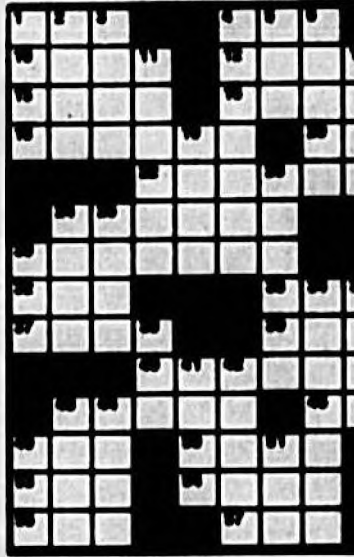
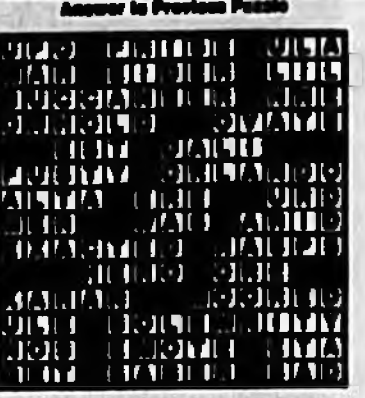
**DEAR DR. GOTT:** I'm a 48-year-old female with an enlarged thyroid gland, for which I take Synthroid daily. My gynecologist says it is larger now than in the past, so he is suggesting I see an endocrinologist. Since my thyroid blood test is controlled by medication, I don't understand why I should see another doctor. The way I understand it, it is not under- or over-active. Just enlarged. Please explain what treatment is available with the exception of Synthroid.

**DEAR READER:** Surgery. Now, before you turn the page, let me explain. Although the thyroid gland may enlarge without any obvious cause, it usually gets bigger in the presence of iodine deficiency (goiter) or over-activity (hyperthyroidism). Both these conditions are treatable. The easiest way to shrink a swollen thyroid gland is to take thyroid hormone, such as Synthroid, in pill form. The medicine supplies whatever hormone

the body needs; the thyroid gland shuts down and becomes smaller. In your case, the gynecologist has done all the right things - but your gland is enlarging. Therefore, you have two options: Ignore the thyroid swelling if it is mild/moderate, or have part of the gland removed.

An endocrinologist, who specializes in thyroid disorders, may fine-tune these options.

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- WIN AT BRIDGE**
- By Phillip Alder
- In 1957 Al Roth and Tobias Stone introduced the Spatnik Double, named for the Russian satellite. It was renamed the Negative Double, and the original version has been modified so that now its primary aim is to locate a 4-4 major-suit fit. For example, you have the North hand in today's diagram. After your partner opens one club and West unkindly overcalls one spade, what do you do? If playing penalty doubles, you are in an untenable position. You have the points to bid, but you have no acebid available. Enter the negative double. It shows enough points to contest at the level the auction has reached, and, in principle, four cards in an unbid major. However, in this position North might have five hearts if he holds too few points to bid a forcing two hearts. No length is promised in the second unbid suit, though the doubler will usually have length there, or length in partner's first suit, or the values for a no-trump rebid. South made a value rebid, jumping to game because of the known combined strength. Against four hearts, West cashed his two top spades before switching to the diamond jack. Having lost two tricks, declarer had to play the trumps for only one loser. This required finding an opponent with ace doubleton. Judging that East would have one top honor for his two-spade raise, declarer decided to win trick three with dummy's diamond queen and lead a heart to the queen. When that won, he returned a low heart and ducked in the dummy. The appearance of East's ace was a pleasing sight.

**WIN AT BRIDGE**

NORTH 1-2-3-4

WEST 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

EAST 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

SOUTH 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

Vulnerable: Both  
Dealer: South

South 10  
West 10  
North 10  
East 10

Opening lead: ♠ K

**By Bernice Bode Cool YOUR BIRTHDAY Aug. 26, 1982**

If you are properly prepared, the year ahead could be a banner one for you where self-directed enterprises are concerned. The success you're capable of experiencing could be impressive.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Mundane matters should not be evaluated from an emotional perspective today. If you let your feelings override your common sense, logical conclusions are apt to evade you. Virgo, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for Virgo's Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

**LIRIA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) A close friend of yours, who is a better salesman than a sound investment counselor, may give you a tip today that will require a second opinion. Don't be gullible.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)

**ANNE**

you're operating on unfamiliar turf today, joint ventures could be very "lffy." You may kid yourself into believing you have a good deal when, in fact, you don't.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) Domestic disagreements between you and your mate won't be resolved today by bringing an outsider into the act. It will be hard enough to reach an accord one-on-one.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) You might link up with someone today who knows as little as you do about a critical matter, yet each of you may look to the other for expert advice.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22) You'll be rather enterprising and daring today, but you may devote your energy to the wrong endeavors. Select targets that produce meaningful returns.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) In order to serve your personal interests today, you might utilize tactics that rock the boat where associates are concerned. Don't feather your nest at others' expense.

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by Leonard Starr