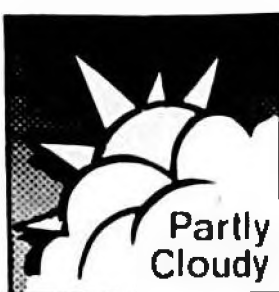


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Today: Partly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. High in the mid 70s. Wind south 10 to 15 mph. Chance of rain 40 percent.

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TODAY

BRIEFS

Llame hoy mismo

SANFORD — El Golden Rule Housing and Community Development Corp. anuncia su programa de viviendas para familias de bajos ingresos con ayuda para pago de la cuota inicial desde \$3,500 hasta \$10,000.

Es facil de calificar: dos años de empleo continuo o cinco años de ingresos continuos de SSL, AFDC, Seguro Social o pension de invalidez.

Para citas en español, llame a Henry Losada los Martes y Jueves de 4 p.m. a 5 p.m. Golden Rule, 2968 S. Orlando Dr., Sanford, 32491-23.

Or, in English

SANFORD — GoldenRule Housing & Community Development Corp. is hosting a workshop for the first time home buyer. The workshop, to be held this evening (Tuesday) will be from 7 until 9 p.m. and is a portion of the qualifying process for down payment assistance of \$3,500 to \$10,000. The seminar will be conducted by James Montesi of Paramount Financial, Inc. and be held at GoldenRule Housing & Community Development, 2968 S. Orlando Drive, told Zayre Plaza in Sanford.

To reserve a seat or for further information, phone 324-9123.

Epilepsy scholarships

The Epilepsy Association of Central Florida (EACF) is seeking families interested in applying for the Epilepsy Foundation of America (EFA) camp scholarship program. The program provides scholarships of up to \$250 each for children with seizure disorders (epilepsy) to attend summer camp. The deadline to apply is March 1.

"Every kid with seizures should have the healthy educational experience that comes with summer camp," said Charles Carmen, EACF executive director. "We especially encourage applications by parents whose child might not otherwise have the opportunity to go to camp this summer."

For application forms or information about camp scholarships, contact EACF at 422-1416.

ECFRPC meeting

The East Central Florida Regional Planning Council will meet this Wednesday beginning at 10 a.m. at its offices, 1011 Wynore Road, Suite 200, in Winter Park.

Among introductions and installations of new council members, County Commissioner Randy Morris will replace outgoing council member Daryl McLain. There will also be a replacement for the city of Mount Dora. Leesburg has announced it will not renew its membership in the ECFRPC.

Among committee reports, Sanford City Commissioner Jerry Lyons, chairman of the Geographic Information Systems (GIS) committee is scheduled to make a report.

On again, off again

SANFORD — A special work session called by the Seminole County Commission for 10 a.m. this morning has been cancelled. The subject of the meeting was to discuss the northwest Interstate 4 Master Plan. There was no immediate word regarding why the meeting had been cancelled.

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Confess your sins to the Lord, and you will be forgiven; confess them to men, and you will be laughed at. —Josh Billings

County fair grows into Florida Orange Festival



Herald Photos by Tommy Vincent

Festival workers oversee the construction of the Himalayan ride.

Food, fun, something for everyone

By VICKI DeSORMIER
Herald Senior Staff Writer

CASSELBERRY — The state fair has wrapped up down the road in Tampa.

In Seminole County, however, things are just getting under way in preparation for the county fair and the Florida Orange Festival which will kick off at the Seminole Greyhound Track in Casselberry at 4 p.m. on Thursday.

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The dragon's head from the Orient Express beckons.

Beware of scam

Homeowners: Don't get bilked over homestead exemptions

By NICK PFEIFAU
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Seminole County Tax Appraiser H.W. "Bill" Suber is warning new homeowners about a scheme he says bilks them out of \$25 in connection with required filings for homestead exemption.

Suber and the State Department of Revenue (DOR) have issued a warning to homeowners regarding solicitations. A company is offering to file homestead exemptions, primarily for recent home buyers, for a \$25 processing fee.

The warning was prompted by complaints filed by Suber and Orange County Tax Appraiser Richard Crotty.

"As soon as we became aware of this situation," Suber said, "we fired off letters to the Department of Revenue and (State Attorney) Norm Wolfinger."

Suber said a person is apparently using a drop-box in Altamonte Springs, as a local address.

While a press release from DOR said only new homeowners in Orange and Hillsborough counties have been identified as having received the solicitation, Suber said he has become aware of many solicitations having been received by residents of Seminole County.

The solicitations, which the DOR believes may be from the same company, are also using post office boxes in Tampa, under the names "Exemption Department," or "Exemption Service Dept."

John Everton, director of the DOR's Property Tax Administration program, said, "This solicitation is not coming from the Department of

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Debate: Black congressional district

From Staff and Wire Reports

Local black leaders feel the state is taking away something that is rightfully theirs by trying to eliminate a predominantly black congressional district that meanders from Jacksonville to Orlando through Sanford and other parts of Seminole County.

In Tallahassee several people sang a new version of a civil rights anthem after federal

judges started taking testimony about the need for a congressional district drawn to give black voters a greater say.

The demonstrators changed "We shall overcome someday" to "We shall overcome today" as the three-judge panel took its lunch break Monday.

"It took us a long time to get here and we're not going back," Rep. Corrine Brown, the Jacksonville Democrat who holds the seat, told

about 1,000 people gathered at a downtown park two blocks from the courthouse.

"There are those who want it all," Sanford City Commissioner Bob Thomas said. "They have most of everything and they want to take away what little we have."

Brown was one of three black Floridians sent to Congress after district boundaries were redrawn in 1992. Their elections ended more than a

See District, Page 5A

Dole wins first N.H. vote by a whisker

By DAVID SHARP
Associated Press Writer

DIXVILLE NOTCH, N.H. — If the first votes are an indicator, Bob Dole and Lamar Alexander will duke it out for the top spot in the first in the nation Republican presidential primary.

Residents of two tiny hamlets who went to the polls just after the

stroke of midnight today gave their nod to Dole by one vote over Alexander. Pat Buchanan was well back in third place.

While some Dixville Republicans were uneasy about a Dole candidacy, others said he's the best choice to beat President Clinton.

"If anyone is going to beat Clinton, he's going to be the one. He has the power base and the experience

Age is not a factor to us in Dixville. Remember, our moderator is 97," said Don Vashaw.

Overall, Dole captured 14 of the 39 votes cast in the Republican primary in Dixville and Bart's Location. Alexander trailed with 13 votes, followed by Buchanan with 5 and Steve Forbes with 4. Dick Lugar and dropout Phil Gramm each had 1, along with a write-in for

Colin Powell.

In the Democratic primary, President Clinton got 12 votes.

Dixville voters, outnumbered by reporters and photographers, cast ballots with all the traditional hoopla that accompanies Dixville's 15 minutes of fame every four years.

But Dixville, population 30, had

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Leaders pray for community, meet Lemon

By NICK PFEIFAU
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — The 10th annual Seminole County Prayer Breakfast will be held Wednesday morning, 7 a.m., at the Sanford Civic Center. Special guest will be former Harlem Globetrotter Meadowlark Lemon.

Lemon, known as the "Clown Prince of Basketball," is a legendary hero in the world of sports. From the inner-city playgrounds where youngsters try to duplicate his basketball wizardry to the luxurious cities of the world, Lemon has become a household word.

He is credited with having been the creative force and focal point of international comedy basketball since he began his career with the Globetrotters back in the 1950s.

The prayer breakfast brings together business, civic and government leaders for an inspirational message and to pray for peace, harmony and ethical values in the community.

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File Photo

A large turnout was photographed at last year's Seminole County Prayer Breakfast at the Sanford Civic Center. This year's event is another sell-out with guest speaker Meadowlark Lemon.

FLORIDA BRIEFS



Fund-raising fever in Tallahassee

TALLAHASSEE — Since this is the last week of committee meetings before the legislative session starts, many lawmakers will be busy sipping wine, eating cheese and collecting campaign cash from special interests.

The push is designed to beat a self-imposed House ban on fund-raising during the regular two-month session, which starts March 5 this year.

At least 15 major fund-raisers are scheduled in Tallahassee this week. Hosts include the real estate industry, Florida Medical Association and Associated Industries of Florida, one of the state's largest business lobbies.

"We're just about full-up next week with fund-raisers," said Jon Shebel, AIF president.

AIF and its members, which include most of Florida's major companies, gave \$1.5 million to legislative candidates in 1984. Shebel said he expects a similar amount will be handed out this year.

House Speaker Peter Rudy Wallace concedes the last-minute gold rush looks bad.

"I'd rather it not occur," said Wallace, D-St. Petersburg. "But I still believe it's better for (fund-raising) to occur before and after the session, rather than during it."

Wallace said the ban — enacted in 1980 — reduces the public perception that House members are voting on bills in exchange for contributions.

Although the Senate has no such prohibition, Senate President Jim Scott, R-Port Lauderdale, said many members limit fund-raising to before and after session.

The executive director of Common Cause of Florida said the rush isn't surprising.

"But I don't want to minimize the House ban," Sally Spenser said. "When you have contributions being made during session, there's a much greater potential for there being a link between a contribution and a vote cast."

The need for fund-raising has been heightened this year by the high-stakes campaign for control of the House being waged by Speaker-designate Buzz Ritchie, D-Pensacola, and Republican Leader Daniel Webster of Orlando.

The GOP, which already controls the Senate, is four seats shy of capturing the 120-member House.

Although House members are the beneficiaries of most of this week's receptions, House Republicans are planning a big fund-raiser Feb. 29 at Walt Disney World's Buena Vista Palace Hotel. Tickets start at \$250 while sponsors must pay \$10,000 each.

Webster said timing of the fund-raiser — Leap Year Day — is significant.

"We see the money we raise as giving us a chance to leap into the majority," he said.

Harbor pilot in trouble after grounding

TAMPA — The grounding of a cruise ship is just the latest incident in the checkered history of a harbor pilot.

State regulators may yank the license of pilot Thomas Baggett, who came off probation Jan. 11 for his role in a fiery ship collision at the entrance to Tampa Bay in 1983. He was at the helm Sunday when Carnival Cruise Lines' Tropicale ground into a sandbar.

No one aboard the Tropicale was hurt, and it sailed for Mexico early Monday after a safety check by the Coast Guard. The state Department of Business and Professional Regulation, which governs harbor pilots, had not acted against Baggett by late Monday.

But Secretary Rick Farrell can suspend a license if he decides the holder poses an immediate threat to public safety, said spokesman Ed Towey.

"He has been following the news reports very carefully," Towey said. "And he has made it a policy to deal harshly with licensees... who are repeat offenders."

Baggett did not return telephone calls Monday, but his lawyer said an attorney with the department indicated he would recommend an emergency suspension to Farrell.

"This was a simple grounding without personal injury, without property damage at night," said Tampa attorney Brooks Hoyt. "It's not that big a deal."

Baggett was involved in an August 1983 ship collision that caused a spectacular fire and a 250,000 gallon fuel spill at the mouth of Tampa Bay. Several other pilots blamed the crash on a command by Baggett, but he denied the accusation during a federal investigation.

Soon after the spill, records showed Baggett had been involved in several ship collisions and his driver's license was suspended after a 1981 drunk driving arrest. He was suspended for nine months prior to the 20-month probation. He paid a \$5,000 fine and attended a special course on ship-control management.

The Tropicale had just left the Port of Tampa en route to the Cayman Islands when it ran aground about 200 feet outside the shipping channel in 18 feet of water, Coast Guard Petty Officer Joseph Poore said. The shipping channel is about 1,500 feet wide.

From Associated Press reports

NEWS FROM THE REGION AND ACROSS THE STATE

Environmentalists cheer Gore

By **TON WELLS**
Associated Press Writer

EVERGLADES NATIONAL PARK — Vice President Al Gore, with a knot of cheering environmentalists off to one side and two alligators floating in a lagoon behind him, announced a Clinton administration plan to save the Everglades.

Gore, in a speech Monday at Everglades National Park, proposed about \$645 million dollars in new spending to help restore the vast wetlands in South Florida.

Gore said the program, including a reduction in subsidies for South Florida's sugar industry, would double federal spending on the Everglades to about \$1.5 billion.

The money would be used in part to buy 126,000 acres of land for the Everglades. The wetlands, called the River of Grass, are a sheet of water that flows southward across South Florida. The Everglades are usually so shallow that someone could walk across its 50- to 75-mile breadth.

"We are dealing with an extremely fragile system that is on the verge of collapse," Gore said. "We must pass on to our children a planet as healthy as

that left to us."

He spoke from alongside a small lagoon at the rear of a visitor's center at Everglades National Park. Two alligators floated nearby. A couple of long-legged birds came and went, looking solitary compared to several decades ago, when great clouds of pink flamingos could be seen rising from the Everglades.

Gore noted that wildlife in the Everglades has declined about 90 percent in the last few decades.

His reference to the administration backing a one-penny per pound reduction in sugar subsidies, often described as a tax, brought cheers and applause from environmentalists who gathered nearby with pro-Clinton signs.

The Everglades used to stretch almost coast-to-coast through South Florida. The were partly drained and polluted as farmers and developers kept up a steady assault over the last half century.

Environmentalists have laid much of the blame on the sugar industry, saying phosphates from its fertilizers have poisoned the wetlands.

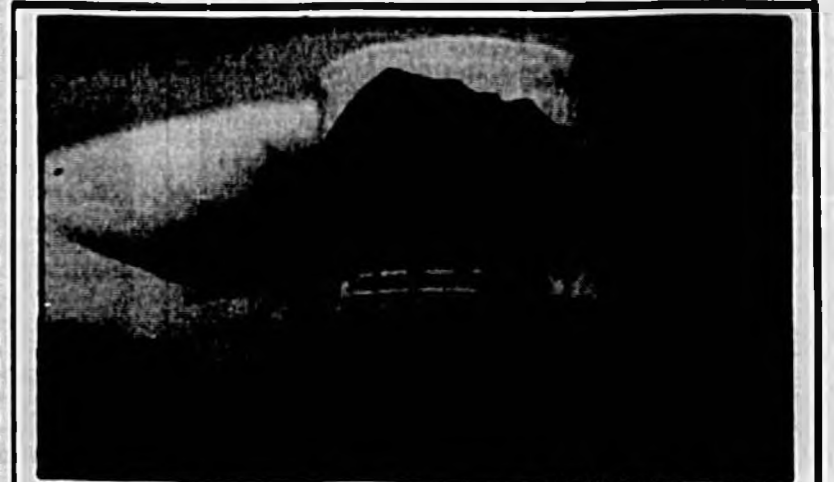
Since 1985, the federal government has allotted a subsidy,

now 18 cents per pound, to make sure that the sugar industry is profitable.

The subsidy reduction would raise \$35 million each year for seven years. The total of \$245 million would go into a Everglades restoration fund for land acquisition.

"This plan is a

multimillion-dollar boondoggle," said Jorge Domincis, spokesman for the Panjaly family of Palm Beach, owners of one of the largest South Florida sugar companies. "It's a big government land grab, and at the end of the day it's going to end up costing Florida taxpayers and costing jobs."



Just our cup of tea

This souvenir cup, owned by R.A. Newman, was donated to the Sanford Museum by the owner. The 100-year-old piece depicts the Sanford House hotel, one of the city's grand inns. It was located on Commercial Street until the 1920s.

Graham: V.P. will make or break 1996 election

By **BRENT KALLESTAD**
Associated Press Writer

TALLAHASSEE — The 1986 presidential election could hinge on the vice presidential pick, predicts U.S. Sen. Bob Graham.

"For one of the few times in American history, who the vice presidential candidate is becomes significant," Graham, D-Florida, said Monday. "If Colin Powell is the Republican nominee for vice president, and I think Bob Dole goes to bed praying that will be the case, he could have a very significant effect on the outcome of the election."

Graham also predicted U.S. Sen. Bob Dole or former U.S. Education Secretary and Tennessee Gov. Lamar Alexander will win the Republican presidential nomination. Either would be a difficult opponent for President Clinton, he added.

"I think it shapes up as possibly being the most competitive two-candidate election we've had since 1960," said Graham, noting that Ross Perot could skew the mix by summer as an independent candidate.

Florida hasn't voted for a Democratic presidential nominee since 1964, with the exception of 1976 when Jimmy Carter of neighboring Georgia carried the state beating Gerald Ford.

Graham said the biggest priority now facing Clinton and Congress is achieving a balanced budget.

"American politics has traditionally been pocketbook politics," he said. "Do people feel a sense of personal security and do they feel as if there is a likelihood of prosperity?"

Graham said lawmakers must get past the political differences keeping them from agreement on legislation for the balanced budget.

"The differences are relatively narrow," Graham said. "But in spite of that there has been a breakdown in negotiations."

"The benefits of balancing the federal budget are clearly in our national interest," he said.

Graham, who is up for reelection in 1989, said he remains undecided about seeking a third term in Washington. He has been encouraged to return to Florida and run again for governor, a job he held between 1979 and 1987.

However, Graham said he would probably make his decision late this year after the November elections and his upcoming 60th birthday.

"Not only will it be another election, and whatever that will portend for the future, but also Nov. 9 is my 60th birthday," Graham told members of the local Tiger Bay Club. "I am going to defer a decision on what my future will be after my current term in the Senate until I can look from the perspective of my 60th birthday and where Florida and the nation are after the November elections."

Gov. Lawton Chiles is banned by law from seeking a third term and many Florida Democrats believe Graham is their best choice to keep Republican Jeb Bush from winning in 1989.

Bush, defeated by Chiles in 1994 in the closest governor's race in Florida history, has not announced his plans but continues to employ some of his top strategists from his near-miss bid.



Art and antiquity

Adelaide Gifford of Lake Worth stands among some of the European and Asian masterpieces that were included in the antique show and sale held at the Sanford Civic Center last weekend.

LOTTERY

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

Fantasy 5
19-11-6-16-18



Cash 3
6-5-8
Play 4
2-9-3-6

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THE WEATHER

LOCAL FORECAST

Today: Partly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. High in the mid 70s. Wind south 10 to 15 mph. Chance of rain 40 percent. Tonight: Partly cloudy with late night fog. Low in the lower to mid 50s. Light south wind. Wednesday: Morning fog otherwise partly cloudy. High in the upper 70s. Light south wind. Thursday and Friday: Mostly fair. Lows in the mid to upper 50s. Highs in the upper 70s to lower 80s. Saturday: Mostly fair and milder. Lows in the lower 60s. Highs in the lower 80s.

FLORIDA TEMPS

City	H	L	P
Daytona Beach	73	59	66
FL. Lauderdale	71	58	65
Fort Myers	73	60	67
Gainesville	73	57	64
Homestead	73	57	64
Jacksonville	71	57	64
Key West	73	59	66
Lakeland	73	60	67
Miami	73	59	66
Ocala	73	57	64
Pensacola	65	52	61
Tallahassee	66	49	56
Vero Beach	71	49	60
W. Palm Beach	73	47	60

EXTENDED OUTLOOK

TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Ptly cldy 55-74	Ptly cldy 60-79	Mtly fair 55-81	Mtly fair 55-82	Mtly fair 62-82

MOON PHASES

First Feb. 26th	Full March 5th
Last March 12th	New March 19th

BEACH CONDITIONS

Daytona Beach: Waves are 2 to 2 1/2 feet and semi-glassy. Current is running to the south with a water temperature of 58 degrees.

New Smyrna Beach: Waves are 2 to 3 feet and smooth. Current is running to the south with a water temperature of 57 degrees.

TIDES

TUESDAY:
SOLUNAR TABLE: min.: 6:10 a.m., 6:40 p.m., maj.: 12:25 p.m. TIDES: Daytona Beach: highs, 9:18 a.m., 8:59 p.m.; lows, 2:34 a.m., 3:01 p.m.; New Smyrna Beach: highs, 9:23 a.m., 9:04 p.m.; lows, 2:39 a.m., 3:06 p.m.; Cocoa Beach: highs, 9:38 p.m., 9:19 p.m.; lows, 2:54 a.m., 3:21 p.m.

BOATING

St. Augustine to Jupiter Inlet — Wind southeast to south 15 knots. Seas 3 to 5 feet. Bay and inland waters a moderate chop. Tuesday night, wind southeast to south 10 knots. Seas 1 to 3 feet. Bay and inland waters a light chop.

STATISTICS

The high temperature in Sanford Monday was 75 degrees and the overnight low was 49 as reported by the University of Florida Agricultural Research and Education Center, Celery Avenue.

Recorded rainfall for the period, ending at 9 a.m. Tuesday, totalled 0 inches.

☀️Sunset.....5:15 p.m.
☁️Sunrise.....7:04 a.m.

The Ultra Violet Index (UVI) rating for Orlando is 5. Better wear hat and sunscreen.

The UVI exposure levels are rated by the Environmental Protection Agency as follows:

0.1,2 minimal
3.4 low
5.6 moderate
7.8,9 high
10- very high

NATIONAL TEMPS

City	H	L	P	Obs
Anchorage	18	7	an	
Atlanta	43	36	cdy	
Atlantic City	41	8	tn	
Austin	64	51	clr	
Baltimore	43	22	rn	
Boston	31	14	cdy	
Brownsville	93	67	cdy	
Buffalo	28	11	rn	
Burlington, Vt.	27	-3	an	
Casper	53	25	clr	
Charleston, S.C.	67	43	rn	
Charleston, W. Va.	56	36	rn	
Charlotte, N.C.	43	33	rn	
Cheyenne	53	23	cdy	
Chicago	47	18	01	rn
Cincinnati	43	29	17	cdy
Cleveland	58	48	01	rn
Coverdell, N.H.	38	4	an	
Dallas Ft Worth	78	34	cdy	
Denver	42	24	cdy	
Des Moines	58	28	cdy	
Detroit	37	18	01	cdy
Honolulu	76	58	cdy	
Houston	85	65	cdy	
Indianapolis	42	31	cdy	
Juneau	34	23	an	
Kansas City	66	26	cdy	
Las Vegas	71	56	cdy	
Little Rock	61	47	07	cdy
Los Angeles	64	48	07	cdy
Memphis	58	48	1.71	cdy
Minneapolis	48	25	cdy	
Mpls St Paul	42	23	cdy	
Nashville	56	37	54	cdy
New Orleans	72	39	34	cdy
New York City	39	21	rn	
Oklahoma City	75	24	cdy	
Omaha	69	33	cdy	
Philadelphia	42	16	rn	
Phoenix	77	54	cdy	
Pittsburgh	43	18	rn	
Portland, Maine	37	3	an	
Sacramento	59	36	56	cdy
St Louis	57	23	07	rn
Salt Lake City	53	39	07	rn
Seattle	48	43	31	rn
Shreveport	76	43	cdy	
Washington, D.C.	47	27	rn	

POLICE

CCIB activities

Members of the Seminole County Sheriff's department City/County Investigative Bureau (CCIB) made a number of arrests during the past few days. Several were as the result of undercover sting operations.

One reportedly occurred in the parking lot of a grocery store on Jackson Street in Altamonte Springs late Wednesday and early Thursday. Luis Daniel Alvarez, 18, of Altamonte Springs, was charged with possession of a controlled substance with intent to distribute and Tony Wright was charged with possession of a controlled substance.

At Sanlando Park in Altamonte Springs, another two arrests were reported by CCIB agents Friday night. Dennis C. Brady, 56, of Altamonte Springs was charged with exposure of sexual organs. Richard Vance Smith, 31, of Orlando, was charged with assignment to commit a lewd act.

Also Friday, at the Environmental Center in Winter Springs, another two arrests were reported.

White King Jr., 30, 141 Bethune Circle, Sanford, and Paul Lee Lambert, 29, of Cleveland, Tenn. were each arrested on charges of assignment to commit a lewd act.

Traffic stops

Sheriff's deputies stopped a vehicle Saturday on Halsey Avenue near Sanford. Two persons were arrested. The driver of the vehicle, Aris L. Taylor Jr., 38, of DeBary, was charged with driving with an unlawful blood alcohol level. The passenger in the vehicle, identified as Richard A. Schmidt Sr., 44, of Orange City, was charged with possession of under 20 grams of cannabis and possession of narcotics paraphernalia.

Nicholas Michael Selepe, 39, of Kissimmee, was stopped by deputies on SR-434 in Longwood Sunday. He was charged with possession of over 20 grams of marijuana, possession of LSD, possession of valium, possession/use of drug paraphernalia, and possession of concealed weapons (knives).

Lenard Taylor, 33, of 2300 Center Street, Sanford, was stopped by deputies at Cypress Avenue and Seventh Street Friday. He was charged with operating a motor vehicle with a cancelled/suspended/revoked drivers license, and possession of a controlled substance.

Matthew Robert Malone, 22, 810 E. Airport Blvd., Sanford, was stopped by deputies on SR-46 near Geneva Saturday. He was charged with driving under the influence.

Duane A. Davis, 38, 116 Azalia Lane, Sanford, was stopped by Lake Mary police on Lake Mary Boulevard Sunday. He was charged with driving under the influence.

Francis Beary, 47, of Orlando, was stopped by deputies on Lake Mary Boulevard Friday. He was charged with driving with a suspended/revoked license (habitual). At the John E. Polk Correctional Facility, it was found he was also wanted on an active warrant for failing to appear on a charge of driving with a suspended/revoked license.

Retail theft

Douglas James Hoy, 33, of Winter Park, was arrested at the Seminole Towne Center by Sanford police Saturday. Officers said he attempted to take a \$45 pair of pants from a store without paying. He was charged with retail theft.

Domestic case

Charles Henry McIntosh Jr., 41, 1199 Upsala Road, Sanford, was arrested by deputies at his residence Sunday following a reported altercation with a female. He was charged with battery, domestic violence.

Follow-up

Members of the CCIB, reportedly following up on a phoned tip, converged at a house at 517 Northwest Avenue, Altamonte Springs, last Thursday. Michael H. Ohmer, 21, a resident of the house, was arrested on charges of possession of over 20 grams of marijuana, possession with intent to distribute, and possession of drug paraphernalia. The report indicates that a juvenile who was located at the house, was also arrested on drug related charges.

Burglary

Mark Joseph Pastr, 21, of 112 Dorchester Square, Lake Mary, and Carollee Ireland, 18, of 1801 W. Fourth Street, Sanford, were arrested at 117 Sand Pointe Circle in Sanford Friday. Police said they responded to a call about two persons entering the house. The arrest report indicated Pastr was a former resident of the home, and had reportedly gone there to obtain some of his personal belongings. They said the female denied knowing that he was not allowed in the house. Each of the two was arrested on charges of burglary to a structure.

Sanford police reports

A blue and grey 1992 Chevrolet Blazer, license number KCD-191 was reported stolen Friday from the 2800 block of Grove Drive in Sanford.

Four tires and rims, said to be valued at \$3,500 were reported stolen Friday from a residence in the 300 block of E. 10th Street.

A \$400 cellular phone was reported stolen Saturday from a vehicle parked in the 300 block of E. 18th Street.

A bathroom mirror and chandelier, with a total value of \$300 were reported stolen Saturday from a vacant apartment in the 2500 block of S. Oak Avenue.

An air rifle and man's watch, with a total value of \$200 were reported stolen Saturday from a residence in the 1600 block of Park Avenue.

A VCR and numerous other items valued at \$1,970 were reported stolen early Monday from an apartment in the 1100 block of Northlake Drive.

A 1980 Chevrolet, reported stolen in Orange County, was located by a homeowner parked in his garage Friday, in the 2300 block of S. Palmetto Avenue.

A semi-automatic pistol and holster, with a total value of \$225 were reported stolen Saturday from a vehicle parked in the 2500 block of S. Georgia Avenue in Sanford.

Retail theft

Charles Alex Miller, 32, of Riverview, Florida, was arrested by Sanford police at the Seminole Towne Center Thursday. Officers said he attempted to take \$179 in clothing from a store without paying. He was charged with retail theft.

Accident

David Richard Mraz, 34, 306 Plum Tree Court, Sanford, was arrested by Sanford police Thursday. Officers were called when it was believed Mraz may have been involved in an accident in Geneva Gardens. He was found sleeping in the front seat of his vehicle at his residence. Charges placed against him were careless driving, leaving the scene of an accident with property damage, and driving with a revoked license, habitual. Officers also found he had been wanted on a warrant for violation of probation on a previous conviction of assault.

Worker dies in accident at train terminal

By VICKI DeGROSS
Herald Senior Staff Writer

SANFORD — A construction worker was killed on Friday when he fell about 15 feet from a roof at the Auto/Train terminal.

A renovation project at the facility at 600 Perimeter had workers trying to repair the covering over a pedestrian walkway. The workers were measuring the work surface when the accident occurred.

According to Sanford Police Cmdr. Dennis Whitmire, construction worker Lynn Henderson Earnhardt and James Hinton were working on the roof together when Earnhardt began to measure off the length of the roof.

"He was walking backward when he just stepped off the end," said Whitmire.

According to police records, Hinton, 44, of Winter Garden, fell more than 15 feet to the ground.

He sustained massive head injuries and died almost on impact, Whitmire said.

Foul play is not suspected and Sanford Police said the death was an accident.

Officials from Amtrak and from Autotrain were not available for comment on the accident.

Construction work is continuing at the facility.

Woman charged with criminal transmission of HIV, a felony

From staff reports

SANFORD — Gene Richardson, 36, 207 Cadillac Court, Altamonte Springs, remains in the John E. Polk Correctional Facility today. She has been charged with one count of criminal transmission of HIV, and one count of assignment to commit prostitution.

She has been booked at the jail under \$3,000 bond.

Seminole County sheriff's spokesman Ed McDonough said City/County Investigative Bureau (CCIB) agents arrested Richardson on Friday, February 16, at the intersection of

Marker and William Streets near Altamonte Springs.

According to McDonough, Richardson was arrested after a male customer told CCIB agents that she offered to have sex with him for money on Tuesday, Feb. 13.

Richardson has reportedly been arrested previously on prostitution charges. McDonough says she had admitted, twice in court, that she is infected with the HIV virus.

According to McDonough, criminal transmission of the HIV virus in the State of Florida is a third degree felony, with the maximum penalty of five years in prison if convicted.

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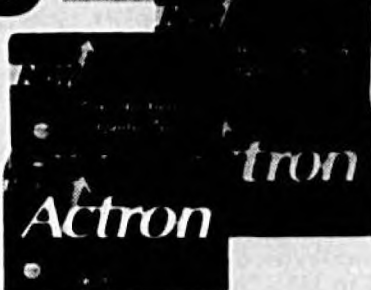
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EDITORIAL

Your political homework

Yesterday was Washington/Lincoln Day, or Presidents' Day, generally observed on the third Monday in February. Washington was actually born on Feb. 22, 1732, but with holidays being moved around and combined, it's becoming more and more confusing.

Yesterday morning, WDBO radio had a call-in show asking people which past president, in all of our history, might make the best president to lead our nation in today's world. A few responses said George Washington, several said Teddy Roosevelt, and Harry Truman, with Ronald Reagan receiving more votes than any other individual.

The reasons given for each selection were most interesting and bear noting. People made their suggestions based on what their favorites did while in office. No one selected a past president based on what he merely said he planned to do when elected, or because he was any better than his opponents at that time.

It's unfortunate that we must elect our leaders based on promises. Too bad we couldn't have a test period. Let each person wanting to be president go through a certain length of time in office and find out what he is really made of, then base our decisions on those results.

Today is another presidential primary election day. This time in New Hampshire. Although Louisiana and Iowa have already held party caucuses this year, this will be the first state primary in the nation.

Since the presidential primary race in 1982, over four decades ago, no one except Bill Clinton has been elected president without winning the New Hampshire primary.

The candidates have been hitting the streets in New Hampshire, just like they will be coming to Florida in preparation for Super Tuesday on March 12. At that time, Florida, in addition to Texas, Tennessee, Mississippi, Massachusetts, Oklahoma, Oregon and Rhode Island will all be making their choices.

The Florida primary is thus getting closer and closer. Just as people will be looking at New Hampshire's results tonight, they'll be looking at ours the night of March 12.

We have said it before in these editorial comments, and we, no doubt, will say it again. Listen, think about, study, and decide on which presidential candidate will do best in leading our nation for the next four years.

Our nation grows a lot in four years. It can rise or fall based on the person who is placed in leadership. Therefore, it is our responsibility to help formulate the best choices from which the entire nation will decide.

Do you know who the candidates are, what they represent, or what their backgrounds are? Have you formed an opinion based on your own judgment considering what may be best for the nation, (in comparison to allowing someone else to tell you how to vote)?

If you answered no to any of these questions, then you know what has to be done. You have exactly three weeks to work on this.

Berry's World

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WELL? I'm thinking!



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JOSEPH PERKINS

Education skills test is not racist

Q. An airport shuttle bus can hold, at most, 20 passengers per trip. What is the least number of trips to town that the bus must make to transport 90 passengers from the airport to town?

(a) 3-1/2; (b) 4; (c) 4-1/2; (d) 5; (e) 6.

This is an example of the kind of question that appears on the California Basic Education Skills Test (CBEST), which the state's aspiring teachers are required to pass before they are licensed to hold down a classroom job.

This month, a federal district court in San Francisco began hearing testimony in a massive employment discrimination suit - believed to be the nation's largest ever - involving Hispanic, black and Asian-Americans who have failed the skills test. Lawyers representing the tens of thousands of minority teacher candidates claim that the test is biased against non-whites.

The prima facie evidence of this bias, the minority plaintiffs say, is the fact that 80 percent of white applicants pass the skills test on the first try, compared to 53 percent of Asian-Americans, 49 percent of Hispanics and 38 percent of blacks.

But this simply is a fallacy. Because the basic skills test does not yield equal results among the various racial groups does not mean that the test itself is discriminatory. Indeed, to the extent the

test is biased, that bias is against teacher candidates whose reading, writing and math skills are below the level of the average high school sophomore.

Moreover, the state Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which administers the basic skills test, is extremely lenient to applicants of all races when it comes to taking and passing the licensing exam.

On the reading section, for instance, an applicant need only correctly answer 28 of 40 questions. On the math section, only 29 of 40 math questions. What that means is that an aspiring teacher can blow one of every four reading and math questions and still get a passing score on

those sections. So one needn't be a genius to pass the test.

Also, although half of the minority applicants fail the test the first time around - for reasons that probably have more to do with their preparation than test bias - they are permitted to take the test as many times as necessary to achieve a passing grade.

So given the simplicity of the test (again, the average high school student should pass it), and the opportunity to take it repeatedly, those who fail to make the grade probably are not cut out to be teaching in the classroom.

That's not to say that they cannot play some supporting role in the schools - whatever that may be - but parents in California deserve to have teachers who can pass a simple skills test instructing their kids.

That's the way Lawrence Aabe sees it. He's the Atlanta-based attorney who is defending the California skills test in federal court. The fact that so many minorities fail the skills test the first time around does not mean that the test is culturally biased, he argues. Rather, "it is an indictment on the quality of education available to racial minorities in this country."



That bias is against teacher candidates whose skills are below the level of the average high school sophomore.



SARA ECKEL

Leaders play both sides on abortion

Now that President Clinton and the Congress have passed a law that says it is illegal to distribute information about abortion on the Internet, I am going to distribute information about abortion on the Internet.

The following column is chock-full of information about abortion. It has also been sent careening down the information superhighway via America Online (keyword: columnists).

First, I'd like to urge the Food and Drug Administration to approve the use of RU-486, the French abortion pill, for use in the United States.

I'd also like to say that anyone who is looking to get an abortion should call Planned Parenthood at 800-230-PLAN to find her nearest women's health center.

There, I think I have sufficiently violated Rep. Henry Hyde's, R-Ill., amendment to the Telecommunications Act, which aims to "prohibit the use of an interactive computer service for the explicit purpose of selling, procuring or facilitating the sale of drugs, medicines or other devices intended for use in producing abortions," as Hyde has said.

This gag rule revives a 123-year-old obscenity law created by Anthony Comstock - the right-wing crusader who put Margaret Sanger in jail for distributing information about birth control.

It may seem bizarre, but unfortunately it is not the first time members of the 104th Congress have tacked on abortion or family-planning restrictions to seemingly unrelated legislation. Nor is it the first time our "pro-choice" president has signed such measures. To wit:

- The Department of Defense Authorization bill. Servicewomen, military wives and their daughters are forbidden from receiving abortions at their own expense in U.S. military hospitals overseas, except in the case of rape, incest or life endangerment.

- The Treasury, Postal Service Appropriations bill. This bill restricts federal employee health insurance from covering abortions, except in the case of rape, incest or life endangerment. An attempt to add a provision that covered abortions when "medically necessary" failed in the Senate.

- The Foreign Operations Appropriations bill. In a continuing resolution designed to keep the federal government open, Clinton and the Congress passed a measure that would deny funding to family-planning facilities abroad. Our leaders have apparently ignored the fact that countries that do not have adequate family-planning services - Russia, for instance - have higher abortion rates than countries that do.

- The Commerce, Justice, State Department Appropriations bill. This was another bill the president signed under the duress of the government shutdown. It has an amendment that forbids federal prisons from using government funds to provide abortions to prisoners, with the usual exceptions. (No word yet on a measure to provide funds for the expansion of prison nurseries.)

- The District of Columbia Appropriations bill. On Jan. 31, House representatives passed a measure that would forbid the District of Columbia from using the city's own funds to provide indigent women with abortions, except in the case of rape, incest or life endangerment. The Senate is scheduled to vote on this bill on Feb. 27.

In all, more than 20 measures to restrict reproductive rights have been considered by the 104th Congress. That's the highest number since the Roe vs. Wade decision.



The following column is chock-full of information about abortion.

MORTON KONDRACKE

Buchanan understands issues

President Buchanan? The last time the United States elected one of those, a civil war ensued. Picking a Buchanan again could produce the same result, which is why it undoubtedly won't happen.

But for all his incendiary divisiveness, Pat Buchanan is on to the big issue of the 1990s - economic insecurity - and his ascendance as a presidential candidate may at last force his Republican rivals to address it.

President Clinton is downplaying the issue on the advice of campaign guru Dick Morris, who argues that the more Clinton makes people unhappy with the way things are going in the country, the more likely they are to vote Republican.

But large chunks of the electorate are unhappy and scared. And why shouldn't they be? Even though the stock market is setting new records, corporate profits are booming, and worker productivity is increasing, one large corporation after another is announcing massive layoffs and worker incomes are falling.

Last week, the consulting firm Challenger, Gray and Christmas announced that employers led by AT&T slashed 93,400 jobs in January, the highest monthly total in three years. Over the past three years, 1.6 million workers have been downsized out of jobs. Actually, that may understate reality. The Labor Department last week issued a report based on state unemployment claims showing that 300,000 workers were laid off in the second quarter of 1995 alone, for a one-year average of 1.2 million.

Other data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics show that the average weekly wage of the lowest-paid two-thirds of U.S. workers has fallen from \$389 in 1979 to \$367 in 1995, adjusting for inflation, while the average wage of the top third has risen from \$889 to \$960.

For males, the average wage of the lowest two-thirds has fallen from \$467 a week to \$411, while for the highest third, it has risen from \$1,003 to \$1,073.

Republicans likely will claim that the wage decline has worsened under President Clinton because of his 1993 tax increase, but that's not so. Workers in the bottom two-thirds have lost an average of \$4.74 per week during the Clinton years, but they lost \$8.10 in four years under President George Bush.

In today's campaign, Buchanan is exploiting the issue in his typically pyrotechnic way: using it to declare war on foreigners, minorities and immigrants and to accuse corporations and free-trade advocates of what amounts to treason.

Buchanan's solutions to the jobs problem are to eliminate affirmative action, ban legal immigration to the United States for 10 years, punish U.S. corporations for investing abroad, and tax imports from low-wage countries. He

openly calls for a "trade war" with Japan and China, though not with Europe.

His policies would further divide ethnic groups here, damage the world economy, reduce competition and raise prices for Americans, and discourage investment in the United States, increasing the long-run misery of workers.

Now here in Buchanan's agenda are traditional populist ideas such as increases in the minimum wage or the Earned Income Tax Credit. He is not calling for increases in education opportunities, even though government statistics uniformly show that the better trained workers are, the more they make.

Instead, Buchanan's economic policies are of a piece with his 1992 social solutions - "religious war" and shooting rioters - and with his 1996 vow to "clean out the culture of bribery in Washington."

His combination of skinhead populism, Perotism, militant anti-abortionism, and ultra-nationalism - all delivered with Happy Warrior charm - nearly gave Buchanan a victory in Iowa, and early polls put him within range of victory in New Hampshire.

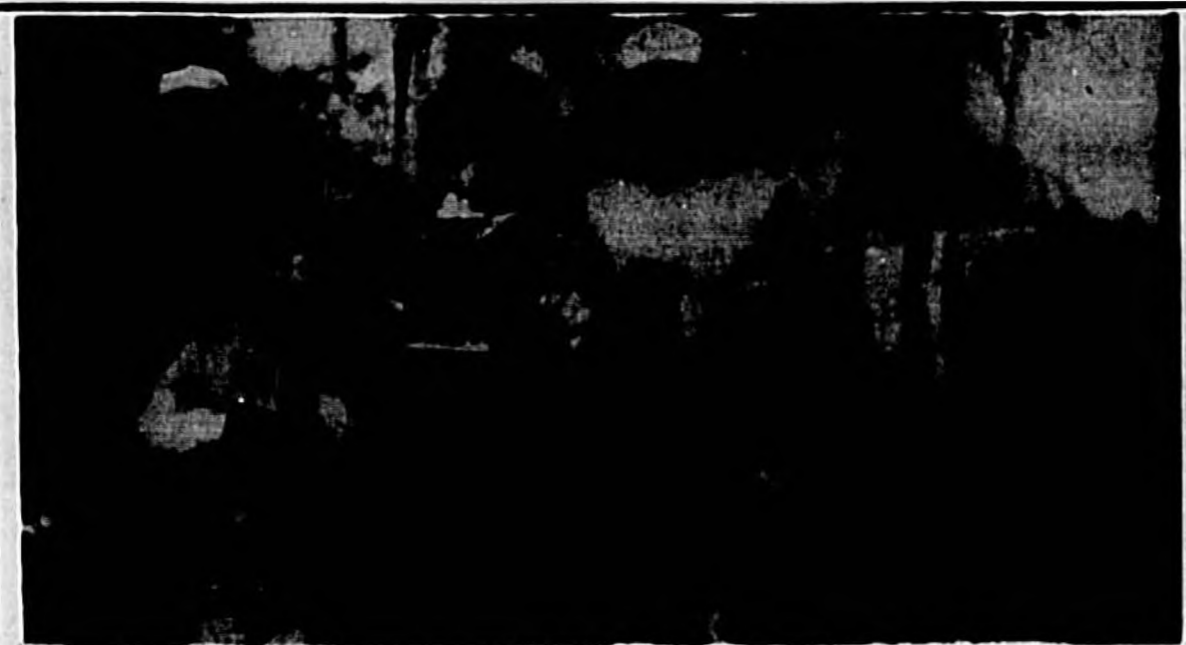
Winning New Hampshire wouldn't guarantee Buchanan the GOP nomination, but it would make him the GOP front-runner. Eventually, mainstream conservatives likely would settle on a single champion - Sen. Bob Dole, R-Kan., or Lamar Alexander - who ought to be able to beat Buchanan. Unless, that is, a two-man race didn't develop until it was too late to stop him.

That would surely set off a civil war in the Republican party and re-elect President Clinton by a landslide of 1984 proportions. So it behooves Buchanan's rivals to line up against his extreme chauvinism the way they did against Steve Forbes's tax policy and negativism.

More than that, though, Buchanan's opponents need to come up with better answers to economic insecurity than mere promises that tax cuts and deregulation will trickle down and lift all boats. In fact, those policies by themselves will do nothing to stop down-sizing and a growing income gap between workers and top managers.



Picking a Buchanan again could produce the same result, which is why it undoubtedly won't happen.



Annual fishing tourney

The Sanford Lions Club held its 22nd annual Vision Impaired Fishing Tournament Saturday on the St. Johns River at Mullet Lake Park. Shown during the awarding of prizes, front row, left to right, Juanita Lahner for most weight of fish caught, Betty Powell for the biggest fish, and

David Krassee for the biggest shad. Rear, left to right, boat captains for the winners, Grady Hutchins, Bill Hironimus, and Jerry Malloy. All of the visually impaired people were from the Conklin Center for the Blind in Daytona Beach.

Prayer

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While corporate sponsorship tables were offered, Triah Phillips at Strang Communications in Lake Mary said this morning the tables were completely sold out. Individual tickets were \$15 per person, but she said she expected they would also be sold out early today. "In effect," she said,

"we consider the breakfast as being completely sold out."

The prayer breakfast is being sponsored by a number of major corporations in the Central Florida area. Proceeds from the sale of tickets and corporate tables will be going to defray costs of the event.

District

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century of all-white Florida delegations.

Brown's district, the 3rd, meanders over 250 miles through 14 counties and 39 cities and towns. It links black neighborhoods in Gainesville, Jacksonville, Daytona Beach, Sanford and Orlando. About 51 percent of the district's voters are black.

Despite the length of the district, Thomas said Brown has been "very accessible" and the district's size has not affected the quality of representation Seminole County residents receive.

The boundaries were drawn by a panel of three federal judges.

Jacksonville radio talk-show host Andy Johnson, who lost the seat to Brown, led a group of residents who sued in 1984, arguing the district was the result of illegal racial gerrymandering.

Last June, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled in a Georgia case that race cannot be the predominant reason for crafting a district's boundaries. Three months ago, a three-judge panel in Tallahassee concluded race was the main reason for the shape of Brown's district.

Two of the federal judges who drew it sat on the panel last November as well as on this week's panel, which must determine if there is a compelling reason to keep a congressional district drawn primarily to link black voters.

The trial that opened Monday was expected to

last about a week.

Thomas said the African American community has "come a long way" and it is "a shame" to see the government try to reverse the decision.

"I thought things were getting better in that area," he said. "But now they are trying to snatch things away."

A lawyer representing Johnson said supporters of the district must persuade the judges there's a reason to keep the lines in place even though they were drawn for racial reasons.

"They have the burden of proof," Rod Sullivan said during a break.

During the rally, a parade of speakers urged the audience to stay committed.

Arnett Girardeau, a former state senator who made an unsuccessful bid for the seat Brown won, said the district was drawn "to do what America is supposed to be all about — and that is representation of people and people's needs and their views and their ideas."

Nelson Rivera, who represents Florida and four other states in the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, said the fight to declare the district unconstitutional was an effort to set black Americans back a hundred years.

"Hell, no, you ain't going to take this district," he said. "If you do take this district, it will be over our bodies, our sweat and our blood."

Wallace Small, 72, traveled from Jacksonville for the rally.

"It's just not only (Brown)," he said. "It's getting fair representation in Washington."

Festival

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The midway rides and carnival games are springing up around the spacious grounds for the third annual fair. For the first time, the Florida Orange Festival will also take place simultaneously at the fairgrounds.

The clean, drab landscape of the greyhound track with its vast paved parking areas is being rapidly transformed into a bright neon wonderland.

The fair's midway is a half mile of "state fair" quality rides and attractions produced by Cumberland Valley Shows. That company is known for its high quality shows and their attention

to detail.

The fair is adhering to its mission "to annually showcase local, regional and national advancements in horticulture, agriculture, technology and education; to support educational programs, foster worthwhile civic causes and to provide wholesome family entertainment."

Fair organizers said they added the orange festival when they found there was no other festival of its kind anywhere in the state.

"We were so shocked to find there was no orange festival anywhere in the state," said Sarah Bump, the fair and festival public relations coordinator.

"This is a state where citrus is one of the leading industries and there was no festival to celebrate it until now."

This year's event will feature a number of exciting foods, drinks, promotions, competitions and activities to salute the Florida orange and its importance to both Seminole County and the whole central Florida area.

The events will run for 11 days, culminating on March 3. Event hours are 4 p.m. until 11 p.m. on weekdays and 11 a.m. until midnight on the weekend.

Admission is \$5 per person and children under 10 are admitted free.

Dole

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competition for the first votes this year. Hart's Location, population 42, also cast mid-night votes for the first time in more than 30 years.

It was the first time since 1864 that the two communities competed to see who would cast the first votes in the New Hampshire primary.

Dole easily won Dixville with

11 votes to Alexander's 5. Buchanan had 2 and Forbes and Lugar 1 each. Clinton had 0.

In Hart's Location, Alexander had 8, and Dole, Buchanan and Forbes each had 3. Gramam and Powell got their votes at Hart's Location.

Both towns took advantage of a state law that allows officials to close the polls early and tabulate

the results if all eligible voters have voted.

Hart's Location started voting early in the 1940s to gain publicity, but gave it up after the 1964 election when residents grew weary of the late hours and media frenzy every four years. Energized with new blood, residents decided last March to give it another try.

Baby boomer kids follow parents' footsteps to pot

By LARRY McSHANE
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK — Like father, like son: The children of America's baby boomers are increasingly smoking marijuana and accepting pot as a part of growing up, according to a study by the Partnership for a Drug Free America.

The tracking study, released today, shows teens now see fewer risks and more positives to marijuana use. And their parents, despite their own drug experiences, are underestimating the allure of pot to the nation's youth.

"The country is losing precious, hard-won ground in its effort to curb adolescent drug use," said Partnership Chairman James E. Burke. "Today's trends are similar to those of the late 1960s, and the outlook for the near future is disturbing."

Every year since 1980, the survey has found an increased tolerance among U.S. teens for marijuana use. And the 38 percent who reported experimenting with pot in the

latest survey was the highest total in seven years.

The Partnership polled 9,341 teen-agers, preteens and parents in 1985 about their attitudes toward marijuana and other drugs. While teens still held negative feelings about crack and heroin, they were much more forgiving toward marijuana on a variety of levels.

In 1983, 74 percent saw a great risk of marijuana addiction; only 64 percent had the same view in 1985. Where 73 percent felt marijuana led to hard drug use, only 67 agreed two years later. Just 39 percent said they wouldn't hang around with drug dealers, compared to 55 percent in 1983.

The teens also found perceived benefits to marijuana use. Forty-four percent found it helped them relax, up from 34 percent in 1983. Forty-one percent said drugs helped them forget their troubles, up from 32 percent. Thirty percent said parties were more fun with drugs, up from 23 percent.

Twenty-one percent had smoked pot in the last 30 days,

compared to 14 percent in 1983. Among 13- and 14-year-olds, marijuana use has more than doubled in recent years.

"Drug use will continue increasing among teen-agers until these attitudes change," said Partnership research director Ginnia Marston.

The baby boomers, unlike their kids, now have an anti-marijuana bent. Over 80 percent do not believe that smoking marijuana is sometimes OK. More than 75 percent think it's not OK for adults to smoke marijuana in private.

There's also a "do as I say, not as I did" attitude. While 50 percent of the boomers say they smoked pot, 74 of that group says they would be upset if their child even tried marijuana.

A wide gulf was uncovered between parents' perception of marijuana's popularity and their children's reality. While only 32 percent of parents thought their children could easily get marijuana, 57 percent of the children said it was readily available.

Scam

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Revenue. property appraiser or any government agency. We want homeowners to understand that this is not an official mailout, and they can save their \$25."

Suber said, "It makes no sense for this guy to charge anybody \$25 for something they can do for no charge, especially since we here in Seminole County make the filing as simple as can be by mail."

He added that Orange County still requires applicants to make their homestead exemption filing in person, at least for the first time.

Everton said consumers may be misled in several ways:

Homeowners do not have to pay any fee to file for their homestead exemption. All they must do is file by March 1 with their local property appraiser,

who can provide free assistance with the filing.

Once the original exemption is filed, many counties allow an automatic renewal for each subsequent year that doesn't require the homeowner to file any form.

The solicitation letter being issued by this company indicates that the exemption form will be forwarded to the Revenue Department upon payment of the \$25 fee. Actually, the form is maintained by the local property appraiser, not the DOR.

"This solicitation is unnecessary and misleading," Everton said. "Homeowners should contact their local property appraiser if they get solicitations like this because we want to make sure that people understand their rights under the law."

Everton said the solicitation

tries to appear official by including a Department of Revenue DR-801 form for people who are filing a homestead exemption for the first time. The company apparently is reproducing blank forms and sending them to people who have just purchased a home this year.

"We would like to hear from anyone here in Seminole County who has received a communications of this type offering to file homestead exemption for a \$25 fee," Suber said. "If people will send the information directly to me, I'll see to it that it gets forwarded to Mr. Wolfinger."

The address is Seminole County Property Appraiser Bill Suber, County Services Building, 1101 E. First Street, Sanford, 32771.

DEATHS

EDWARD BURRIS SR.

Edward Burras Sr., 80, Orange Avenue, Sanford, died Sunday February 18, 1986 at Central Florida Regional Hospital, Sanford. Born Jan. 10, 1936 in Bainbridge, Ga. he moved to Sanford in 1978. He was a truck driver and a member of Macedonian Church of Osteen.

Survivors include wife, Beatrice; sons, Peter, Rochester, N.Y., Edward Jr., Belle Glade; mother, Caretha, Riviera Beach; sister, Betty Ciggs, Riviera Beach; brothers, the Rev. William Henry, Minister Leonard C., both of Riviera Beach, Roosevelt, West Palm Beach; three grandchildren.

Sunrise Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

Society, Winter Park Chapter, in charge of arrangements.

REBECCA ANN SCHNEIDER

Rebecca Ann Schneider, 37, Fairmont Drive, Sanford, died Sunday, Feb. 18, 1986 at Central Florida Regional Hospital, Sanford. Born August 4, 1948 in Morgan Field, Ky., she moved to Sanford in 1959. She was a housewife. She was Catholic.

Survivors include mother, Shirley Fitzgerald; husband, Kirk; sons, Kristopher and Brandon, daughter, Ellen Ann Marie; brothers, David and Donald Fitzgerald, all of Sanford.

Gramkow Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

JOSEPH SHEFFLER

Joseph Sheffler, 85, Landover Place, Longwood, died Sunday, Feb. 18, 1986 at his residence. Born Jan. 18, 1911 in DuBois, Pa., he moved to Central Florida in 1977. He was owner/operator of an export business. He was a member of Congregation Ohev Shalom, a 32nd Degree Mason, and a member of the Shriners. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy.

Survivors include son, Ralph, Longwood; sister, Marian Aggers, Phoenix, Ariz.; two grandchildren; two great-grandchildren.

Beth Shalom Memorial Chapel Funeral Home, Orlando, in charge of arrangements.

FLORENCE RACHEL SMANT

Florence Rachel Smant, 94, S.E. 30th Ave., Ocala, died Tuesday, Feb. 13, 1986 at a family residence in Casselberry. Born Feb. 1, 1902 in Albion, Michigan, she moved to Central Florida in 1967. She was a homemaker and a member of Seventh Day Adventist Church. She was a Gold Star Mother.

Survivors include husband, Ralph; daughters, Margaret R. Schurino, Fruitport, Mich., Mary, Milwaukee, Wis.; sons, Albert J. Galy, Naples; William L. Galy, Ocala; 12 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren. Gaines Carey Hand Funeral Home, Longwood, in charge of arrangements.

JULIA C. HALL

Julia C. Hall, 56, Evansdale Road, Lake Mary, died Sunday, Feb. 18, 1986 at her residence. She was born Sept. 16, 1939 in Jacksonville. She was a homemaker and a member of Markham Woods Presbyterian Church. She was a member of PEO. Dividends for Seminole County School System, a docent at Central Florida Zoological Park, member of South Seminole Community Hospital Auxiliary, and a girl scout leader for 10 years.

Survivors include husband, Wallace Hall; daughter, Catherine, Orlando; parents, Claude and Evelyn Tarver, Eustis; sister, Claudia Smith, Little Rock, Ark.; brothers, Philip Tarver, San Antonio, Tex., Paul Tarver, New Orleans, La.

Gramkow Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

ELMA B. SCHMIDBERGER

Elma B. Schmidberger, 86, Lake Gem Drive, Longwood, died Friday, Feb. 16, 1986 at Florida Hospital, Altamonte Springs. Born Oct. 30, 1909 in Lincoln County, Tenn., she moved to Central Florida in 1950. She was a retired seamstress and a Protestant.

Survivors include nephew Judson Dixon. Beacon National Cremation

FUNERALS

MALL, JULIE E.

Memorial services for Mrs. Julie E. Mall, 56, of Lake Mary, who died Sunday will be 11 o'clock Wednesday morning at Markham Woods Presbyterian Church, with Rev. Dr. Don DeBavette officiating. For those who wish, memorial contributions are suggested to Hospice of Central Florida, 2300 Maitland Center Parkway, Suite 300, Maitland, FL 32751, or American Cancer Society, Sun Bank Blvd., 200 W. First Street, P.O. Box 95, Sanford, FL 32771.

Arrangements by Gramkow Funeral Home, 500 E. Airport Blvd., Sanford, FL 32771 (407) 322-2213.

SCHNEIDER, REBECCA ANN

Catholic graveside services for Mrs. Rebecca Ann Schneider, 37, of Sanford, who died Sunday, will be 11 o'clock Thursday morning at Oaklawn Park Cemetery with Rev. Father Richard Trout officiating. Friends may call at Gramkow Funeral Home Wednesday evening from 6 to 7 p.m. only.

Arrangements by Gramkow Funeral Home, 500 E. Airport Blvd., Sanford, FL 32771 (407) 322-2213.

The Family of the late Mrs. Sallie Mae Williams acknowledges with extreme gratitude all acts of kindness extended to them during the passing of their loved one. The service was held February 16, 1986. Rev. Lawrence Collins, Sr. & Family

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NATIONAL BRIEFS



Buchanan says no to gays

WASHINGTON — Pat Buchanan said today he wouldn't allow openly gay people to work in his administration if he were president, although he worked with closeted homosexuals as an aide to President Nixon.

The GOP candidate, under scrutiny after two of his campaign aides stepped down after being linked to racist groups, also said he would be open to having minorities and women join his administration.

"African Americans are going to be represented in Pat Buchanan's fall campaign — you watch," Buchanan said in an interview with CNN.

Asked whether a black person would be offered a high appointment in a Buchanan administration, the commentator said, "I would certainly not rule that out and I would probably rule that in."

On the issue of homosexuals, Buchanan is against gays in the military and he said today he doesn't want openly gay people in his administration.

"I've worked with people in the Nixon White House who were gay, not openly gay. They're good people in a lot of ways," Buchanan told CNN. "I would have no hesitation of having folks like that. But I don't think their lifestyle should ... discredit the administration."

"In other words, Roberta Achtenberg — no," he added, referring to the former assistant secretary of housing, an openly gay Clinton appointee who resigned to run for mayor of San Francisco.

Asked if he would ferret out gays, Buchanan said, "Look, the FBI does those investigations. I don't do those as president."

Christian nudists 'not ashamed'

OCEAN ISLE BEACH, N.C. — Living up to the Genesis verse "naked and not ashamed," Christian nudists are planning a weekend retreat of hot-tubbing, karaoke and reading Bibles in the buff.

"We believe you can be a nudist and religious, too," said Jerry Love, a Methodist who has already booked 80 reservations from around the country for the getaway at his Whispering Pines family nudist resort.

His wife, Carol, a Baptist, added: "Christians can help to make nudism wholesome, family-oriented fun."

Christian nudists say their practice is rooted in biblical teaching. They note that Adam and Eve put on fig leaves only after they ate the forbidden fruit.

The Loves, who plan to make the gathering and annual event, say the conference will give Christian nudists a safe place to share their faith.

Unusual as it gets

EASTON, Md. — They seemed the perfect family. They took ski vacations together, gathered to watch the Super Bowl, went to church dances and rarely argued, friends said.

That picture was shattered Monday when 16-year-old Michael Fisher called police and allegedly told them he had just bludgeoned his stepfather, mother and brother to death with a hammer, then slit their throats.

"This is as unusual as it gets," said police Chief Walter Chase.

Train crash probe

WASHINGTON — Investigators in the crash of two passenger trains near Washington are trying to determine whether as many as eight of the 11 fatalities could have been avoided had there been no fire or if the victims had easier avenues of escape.

A Maryland state medical examiner reported Monday that one crewman and seven Job Corps trainees aboard the commuter train that struck a Chicago-bound Amtrak train died from the intense smoke and flames, and not from the crash impact.

Examination of the charred remains showed "no evidence of injuries (from the crash) that would have been fatal by themselves," Dr. John Smlalek, Maryland's chief medical examiner, said in an interview. He said two other crewmen and another student clearly died of injuries from impact.

WORLD BRIEFS



Peace process can't be blocked

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina — A NATO commander says Bosnian Serbs can't block the peace process by boycotting negotiations with former enemies, and thinks they may be coming to the same conclusion.

"I believe that the politicians want peace, and frankly I believe that all the military want peace," U.S. Adm. Leighton Smith said Monday after a Bosnian Serb general failed to show up for scheduled talks with Muslim and Croat rivals.

The no-show by Gen. Zdravko Tolimir made a mockery of a weekend summit in Rome where Balkan leaders reaffirmed the commitment of all sides to implement the rapidly unraveling U.S.-brokered peace accord.

Smith, commander of the NATO-led force in Bosnia, blamed the snub on Bosnian Serb political leader Radovan Karadzic and military commander Gen. Ratko Mladic. The talks went ahead on a U.S. warship in the Adriatic with Muslim and Croat generals.

From Associated Press reports

Mardi Gras

America's biggest street party, in all its gaudy glory

By MARY POSTER
Associated Press Writer

NEW ORLEANS — Mardi Gras madness, in all its gaudy glory, has hit once again in a Cajun-spiced orgy of gaudy floats, jangly bands, bared breasts and thrown beads. And oh yes, sobriety isn't considered a virtue.

All good sense gives way today in a Fat Tuesday celebration — America's biggest street party. More than a million revelers were expected to jam the French quarter for everything from parades to a transatlantic beauty pageant.

And while gray skies and rain led up to the big day, it did little to deter those who began lining up for the best spots.

"At this point, nothing bothers me," said Ronnie Lee Sampson, 28, of Nashville, Tenn., on Bourbon Street. "I've got another day of vacation and it'll take more than a little rain to ruin it."

Sunshine and temperatures in the mid-70s were forecast for today.

With a pile of beer cans beside him and a string of beads

around his neck, University of Texas student Jim Marcus, 22, awaited the festivities in a lawn chair.

"At first I couldn't move, then I decided why bother," Marcus said. "I might as well just rest here and wait for the next parade."

Jazz clarinetist Pete Fountain kicks it off at dawn as he leads his Half-Past Marching Club down fashionable St. Charles Avenue.

Numerous "marching societies" follow, including the gilded coconut-throwing Zulus — black people in black face parodying the previously all-white Carnival clubs — and then Rex, King of Carnival.

It all ends at midnight when the religious season of Lent begins. Mounted police herd the most determined revelers off the French Quarter's narrow streets, usually into already crowded bars.

Today's celebrations capped a monthlong Carnival season that has seen at least 100 parades across southern Louisiana. In Cajun Country, near Lafayette, tradition sends masked riders

out just after dawn to visit area farms and houses collecting the ingredients for a spicy gumbo.

In the French Quarter, costumes from elaborate to skimpy fill the streets and balconies.

And while police had said they would crack down on those who expose too much flesh or throw beads from balconies, no arrests had been made by Monday's

huge Orpheus parade. "I've seen more breasts in the last hour than I've seen in my entire life," said Horace Wilson, 28, of New York.

Diane Livingston, 36, of Los Angeles held up dozens of long strings of faux pearls.

"This is more jewels than any movie star has," she said. "I've forgotten all about my real life."

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IN BRIEF

LOCALLY

Polar Bear volleyball

SANFORD — Monday's results from the Sanford Recreation Department Polar Bear Recreational Volleyball League.

A League: Kathy's Baby Shop, Nichol's and Beer-30 (all 2-1) and Club Paradise (0-3).

B League: Church of God (4-0), Park Air and Flab, Laurence, Deen & Fromang (2-2), the 1st United Methodist-Flames (1-3) and Father-Daughter Team (0-4).

Babe Ruth coaches needed

SANFORD — Head coaches are needed for the Seniors (16-18) and assists are needed for the Juniors (13-15) for the Sanford Recreation Department Babe Ruth Baseball League.

Interested parties should call (407) 330-5687.

Babe Ruth Senior registration

SANFORD — The Sanford Recreation Department is taking registrations for the Babe Ruth Senior (16-18 year olds) Baseball League. Tryouts will be either March 2 or March 9. For more information call 330-5687.

AROUND THE STATE

Puppa saves Lightning

ST. PETERSBURG — Daren Puppa returned from a two-game absence to stop 29 shots and Rob Zamuner had a goal and an assist to lead Tampa Bay over the Dallas Stars 4-2.

Out with back spasms while Jeff Reese won the last two games, Puppa and the Lightning defense killed six penalties as Tampa Bay won its third consecutive game for the first time since early December.

The victory tied Tampa Bay (25-24-8) with New Jersey for seventh place in the Eastern Conference playoff race. The Devils lost 4-1 to Philadelphia earlier in the day.

ELSEWHERE

Cavs nip Heat

CLEVELAND — Terrell Brandon scored 27 points, including two clinching free throws with 3.4 seconds left, and the Cleveland Cavaliers beat the Miami Heat 73-70 Monday for their eighth straight victory.

With the Heat trailing 71-70, Bimbo Coles missed two foul shots that would have given them the lead with 10.2 seconds to play, and the rebound of his second shot was knocked out of bounds off teammate Billy Owens.

Alonzo Mourning led Miami with 20 points. Rex Chapman added 16 and Owens 15.

Danny Ferry scored 19 and Dan Majerle 12 for the Cavs, while Michael Cage had 14 rebounds.

Charlie-O passes away

CHICAGO — Charlie O. Finley, the ornery and innovative owner whose Oakland Athletics won three straight World Series in the 1970s, died in Northwestern Memorial Hospital of heart and vascular disease. He was 77.

A baseball maverick for more than two decades, Finley lived on a farm in LaPorte, Ind. He had been hospitalized for two weeks, according to hospital spokeswoman Lauri Sanders.

Legendary director dies

DES MOINES, Iowa — Harry Coyle, who directed the first televised World Series in 1947 for NBC, died of heart disease. He was 74.

Coyle, who stayed with NBC until his retirement after the 1989 season, won Emmys in 1975 and 1978 for his World Series coverage.

Sanders to leave baseball

IRVING, Tx. — Delon Sanders is to announce today he is temporarily putting his two-sport career on hold to concentrate on being the NFL's only two-way player.

Sanders, who doesn't have a baseball contract, has a \$35 million deal with Dallas.

Barkley reaches milestone

PHOENIX — Charles Barkley rebounded Kevin Johnson's miss at 8:21 of the first quarter of Phoenix's 98-94 overtime victory over Vancouver to become the 10th NBA player with 20,000 points and 10,000 rebounds.

Barkley joins Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, Wilt Chamberlain, Moses Malone, Elvin Hayes, Elgin Baylor, Robert Parish, Walt Bellamy, Bob Pettit and Hakeem Olajuwon in the exclusive club.

Raminole rolling

Rams edge Fighting Seminoles at Lake Mary

From Staff Reports

LAKE MARY — Shawn St. Dennis singled in the winning run with two out in the bottom of the seventh inning to spoil the varsity debut of Chas Lytle as Lake Mary edged Seminole 5-4 in the opening round of Pool B play in the Raminole Classic at Lake Mary High School Monday night.

In the other Pool B game, the Leesburg Yellow Jackets blanked the St. Cloud Bulldogs 4-0. In Pool A games at Seminole High School, Oviedo whipped New Smyrna Beach 7-1 and Seabreeze dumped Lyman 11-2.

In the only game scheduled for today, Seabreeze faces New Smyrna Beach at 3:30 p.m. in Pool A at Alumni Field in the Seminole High School Baseball Complex.

On Wednesday, at Seminole, St. Cloud takes on the Fighting Seminoles at 3:30 p.m. and, at Lake Mary, Oviedo plays Lyman at 4 p.m. and the Rams battle Leesburg at 7 p.m.

Lake Mary took a 2-0 lead in the top of the first inning, but the Tribe came back with a single run in the top of the second and three runs in the third to take a 4-2 advantage.

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POOL B	
OF LAKE MARY HIGH SCHOOL	
RAMINOLE FIGHTING SEMINOLES	
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Lake Mary	000 000 1 - 0 0 0
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Alexander, LP - Lytle (0-1), Love - none, 2B - Seminole, Kemp, 2B - Seminole, Raines, HR - Seminole, Youmans, Records -	
Seminole 9-1; Lake Mary 2-0.	
SATURDAY	
PANTHERS & FIGHTING SEMINOLES	
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Holland, Barbosa (6), Frasco (7) and Berio, Rabun and Youmans, WP - Barbosa (1-0), LP - Rabun (0-1), Love - Frasco, 2B - Gateway, Holland 2, Medina, 2B - none, HR - none, Records -	
Gateway 3-1; Seminole 0-2.	

The Rams tied the game with a pair of runs in the fourth inning and the score remained 4-4 until the seventh inning.

With two out and no one on, Luis Rivera reached on a two-base error and St. Dennis followed with his game-winner.

The victory went to Nick Alexander came on in relief in the third inning and held Seminole scoreless the rest of the way.

It was a tough loss for Lytle, a sophomore left-hander, who pitched very well in his first varsity start.

Doing the damage for Lake Mary (3-0) were Adam Sumner (2-for-3, run), Drew Young (1-for-2, run, RBI), Mike Buky and Robert Veasey (both 1-for-2 with one run scored), Rivera (1-for-4, run, 2 RBI) and Nick Soza and St. Dennis (both 1-for-4 with one RBI).

Providing the offense for Seminole (0-3) were Chris Youmans (1-for-1, home run, run, RBI), Tim Raines Jr. (1-for-4, triple, run), Daka Kemp (1-for-3, double, run), Alex Acosta and Rob Denman (both 1-for-3), Phillip Eubanks (1-for-4, run) and Mike Meadows (RBI).

TRIBE DROPS 5A-0 OFFER
SANFORD — The Gateway Panthers scored a run in the top of the seventh inning to edge Seminole 4-3 in a Class 5A-District 6 contest at Alumni Field Saturday.

The Panthers (2-1) scored two runs in the first inning and a single run in the third to take a 3-0 lead, but the Tribe rallied with three runs, two on a single by Phillip Eubanks, in the bottom of the sixth inning.

Lions, 'Crabs cruise at SHS

By TONY BUCHANAN
Herald correspondent

SANFORD — Daytona Beach Seabreeze and Oviedo grabbed the early advantage in Pool A play of the 1996 Raminole Classic baseball tournament with wins Monday afternoon at Seminole High School's Alumni Field.

Seabreeze opened the tournament with an 11-2 rout of the Lyman Greyhounds. The Oviedo Lions followed with a 7-1 victory over the New Smyrna Beach Barracudas.

In Pool B play Monday night at Lake Mary High School, the Leesburg Yellow Jackets blanked the St. Cloud Bulldogs 4-0 and the Lake Mary Rams trimmed the Seminole Fighting Seminoles 5-4.

Seabreeze and New Smyrna Beach are scheduled to play today in a 3:30 p.m. game at Seminole High School.

Three tournament games are scheduled for Wednesday. At Seminole, St. Cloud faces Seminole in a 3:30 p.m. contest while at Lake Mary, Oviedo takes on Lyman in a 4 p.m. start before Lake Mary plays Leesburg beginning at 7 p.m.

For the Oviedo Lions, coached by Lyman alumna and former Seminole assistant Kenne Brown, Monday's win was their third in a row after opening the season with a pair of losses (not to mention a pair of losses in the Dr. Phillips' First Pitch Classic that don't count against their record). "We're playing sound, fundamental baseball," said Brown. "We're still making some mental mistakes, like missing signs, but it's early yet."

Mike Halaychick went the distance on the mound for the Lions, allowing four hits (three in the seventh inning) while striking out two hitters and walking just one to set down the Barracudas (0-1) in their season opener.

Offensively, David Divito led the Lions with a triple, double, single, two runs scored, an RBI, and a stolen base. Jeremy Frost added a pair of singles, one run, and an RBI. Andy Neufeld doubled in a run and scored twice.

Troy Boutwell added a single, a run, and an RBI. Slade Hodges singled and scored a run. Jay McFarlane and Shawn Burger each hit a single. Richie Schneck drew a bases-loaded walk to drive in a run.

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LYONS & BARRACUDAS	
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GIRLS' REGIONAL QUARTERFINALS TONIGHT



After battling each other three times this season, the Lake Mary and Lake Howell girls' basketball teams will start different routes tonight in hopes of meeting again in the Lakeland Civic Center at the State Tournament in early March.

Class 6A-District 4 champion Lake Mary (24-2 and ranked seventh in Class 6A) will host Class 6A-District 3 runner-up Lake Weir at home, while 6A-4 runner-up Lake Howell will travel to Ocala to battle 6A-3 champ Forest. Both games start at 7:30 p.m.

County struggles at Patriot Invite

From Staff Reports

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Seminole County schools struggled in the opening track meet of the season as Seminole in the boys and Lake Brantley in the boys both claimed a county best fourth place. Kissimmee-Ocoola was the boys champion and Ocala-Forest was the girls' champ.

Seminole will host an open meet today, then most of the teams will be headed to different meets this Saturday, with Seminole going to George Jenkins in Lakeland, the Lake Mary girls at Deerfield Beach and the Lake Mary boys at Winter Park.

PATRIOT OPEN

BOYS
Team scores — 1. Ocoola (O), 61; 2. West Orange (WO), 72; 3. Mainland (M), 76; 4. Seminole (S), 69; 5. Lake Brantley (LB), 64; 6. Bishop Moore (BM), 66; 7. Lake Region (LR), 57; 8. Lake Mary (LM), 54.
Individuals: Long Jump — 1. Montgomery (S), 15-7 1/2; 2. Christian (Ocala Forest), 15-2; 3. Keith (WO), 15-0; Triple Jump — 1. Keith (WO), 33-2; 2. Christian (O), 31-3; 3. Washington (M), 29-4; High Jump — 1. Brown (WO), 4-10; 2. Richards (BM), 4-8; 3. Washington (M), 4-8; 4. Brown (WO), 10-11; 2. Ocoola, 11-31; 3. Lake Region, 11-41; 4. Davis — 1. Williams (LM), 10-1; 2. Bivins (BM), 9-2; 3. Beard (Lyman), 8-1; Shot Put — 1. Torres (WO), 35-3; 2. Williams (LM), 34-3; 3. Beard (L), 32-10; 100-Meter Hurdles — 1. Hervey (S), 15-80; 2. Maczillan (O), 16-80; 3. Beach (O), 16-42; 100-Meter Dash — 1. Montgomery (S), 12-97; 2. Sanders (M), 12-12; 3. Rothoc (M), 12-53; 1,600 — 1. Nessor (LB), 5:38-00; 2. Hudson (L), 5:45-34; 3. Burger (L), 5:51-52; 6,000 — 1. Lake Region, 14:34; 2. Ocoola, 14:48; 3. Mainland, 14:49; 800 — 1. Edwards (LR), 1:53-07; 2. Vargan (BM), 1:57-02; 3. Davis (M), 1:58-4; 100-Meter Hurdles — 1. Hervey (S), 47-20; 2. Maczillan (O), 51-92; 3. Beach (O), 52-4; 800 — 1. Nessor (LB), 3:38-76; 2. Brown (WO), 3:34-72; 3. Wise (L), 3:36-31; 6,000 — 1. West Orange, 1:58-00; 2. Ocoola, 1:58-11; 3. Seminole, 2:00-00; 3,200 — 1. Rivera (L), 12:48-72; 2. Smith (M), 12:22-45; 3. Baptista (Spruce Creek), 12:31-29; 4,000 — 1. Seminole, 4:19-04; 2. Ocoola, 4:29-14; 3. Lake Region, 4:38-11.
GIRLS
Team scores — 1. Ocala Forest (OF), 99; 2. Dr. Phillips (DP), 82 1/2; 3. Lyman (L), 76; 4. Lake Brantley (LB), 74; 5. Seminole (S), 57; 6. Lake Howell (LH), 47; 7. West Orange (WO), 45; 8. DeLand (D), 34.
Individuals: Long Jump — 1. Edwards (WO), 30-9 1/2; 2. Booth (OF), 20-9; 3. Bryant (M), 20-7; Triple Jump — 1. Williams (S), 43-6 1/2; 2. Lewis (L), 42-3 1/2; 3. Booth (OF), 41-0; High Jump — 1. Weatherbee (LM), 6-7; 2. Mayor (L), 6-8; 3. Low (T), 6-6; 800 — 1. Seminole, 2:44-12; 2. Lake Howell, 2:48-79; 3. Dr. Phillips, 2:58-00; 1,600 — 1. McKnight (L), 1:34-01; 2. Herndon (L), 1:39-0; 3. McNichols (OF), 1:34-0; Shot Put — 1. Herndon (L), 31-4; 2. Williams (O), 49-9; 3. Berman (L), 45-10; 100-Meter Hurdles — 1. Rele (OF), 15-30; 2. Carwell (L), 15-48; 3. Darnes (OF), 15-80; 100-Meter Dash — 1. Giddens (O), 16-46; 2. Wright (A), 16-46; 3. Thomas (BV), 11-11; 1,600 — 1. Lang (L), 4:28-79; 2. Fritts (DP), 4:40-39; 3. Frank (LH), 4:42-7; 4,000 — 1. DeLand, 42-41; 2. Ocala Forest, 44-12; 3. Dr. Phillips, 44-50; 800 — 1. Soan (S), 31-64; 2. Davis (OF), 32-45; 3. McGee (L), 33-50; 100-Meter Hurdles — 1. Chambers (O), 42-22; 2. Burrestein (DP), 42-47; 3. Bell (M), 42-50; Pole Vault — 1. Kamph (L), 11-6; 2. Edgcomb (D), 11-0; 3. Martfield (A), 11-0; 800 — 1. Evans (L), 2:01-40; 2. Lawson (S), 2:04-31; 3. Warden (L), 2:05-00; 3,200 — 1. Fritts (DP), 10:17-43; 2. Lang (L), 10:30-24; 3. Daymond (LR), 10:29-00; 6,000 — 1. Dr. Phillips, 3:33-33; 2. Lyman, 3:34-00; 3. Ocala Forest, 3:35-38.

Fresher tires help Jarrett win 500

By MIKE HARRIS
AP Motorsports Writer

DAYTONA BEACH — Throughout the last 40 laps of Sunday's Daytona 500, Dale Jarrett knew he had at least one advantage over Dale Earnhardt, the determined man chasing him.

All the leaders had their final pit stop on lap 160 after a nine-car melee in the back of the pack that

brought out the sixth and final caution flag of the 200-lap race at Daytona International Speedway. Jarrett took on four fresh tires. Earnhardt's team chose to put on only the two right-side tires for the sprint to the finish.

"We only had 20 laps on the left-side tires, so we decided to go for track position," explained David Smith, Earnhardt's new crew chief. Jarrett thinks the decision may

have cost Earnhardt a victory in the race he covets so dearly.

"You've got to look at the fact that Dale Earnhardt only changed two tires," Jarrett said. "That could have been a big factor in what he was able to do at the end. His decision surprised me because the car doesn't stick as well with older tires."

Earnhardt led several times after

See Jarrett, Page 2B

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People

IN BRIEF

Homemakers to meet

DEBARY — The February meeting of the DeBary Family and Community Education Club (Homemakers) will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, Feb. 22 at the DeBary Community Center on Shell Road.

The program will be presented by Sunny Pavlick and Kay Burris, entitled "Extended Care-Retirement." Campbell Soup label forms for company drawing were distributed. A list of labels being collected by local schools was also distributed. A membership effort is underway including "mail-box" memberships for shut-ins, etc.

Everyone is invited to participate in the educational and community activities of the club. For more information, call the Extension office at 822-5777.

Al-Anon group meets in Sanford

If you are troubled by the alcoholism of a friend or relative, there is help. Serenity Won, an Al-Anon group for friends and family of alcoholics, will meet each Tuesday and Thursday night at 8 p.m. at the Sahara Club, 2867 S. Sanford Ave., Sanford. For more information, call 322-4122.

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.

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 323-1684.

Toastmasters meet

Seminole Community College (SCC) Toastmasters Club #6661 will meet every Tuesday of the month, at 7:30 p.m., at the old Lake Mary City Hall on Country Club Road. Contact Rosella Bonham at 323-6284 for more information.

Longwood-Lake Mary Lions to meet

The Longwood-Lake Mary Lions Club meets the first and third Tuesday of every month, at 7 p.m., at the Ramada Inn, S.R. 434 in Longwood. Visitors and prospective members are welcome to attend.

Kennel Club to meet

The Central Florida Kennel Club meets the third Tuesday of every month, at 8 p.m., at the Lake Island Recreation Center, 450 Harper, Winter Park.

Anyone interested in the betterment and protection of pre-bred dogs or in breeding or showing dogs is welcome to attend meetings and apply for membership. Call 671-7440.

Group targets good health

Deltona Health Education Club meets the third Tuesday of the month at the Center for Better Living, 2922 Howland Blvd., Suite 4, Deltona, at 7 p.m. Anyone interested in health and well-being is invited to attend.

For information, call (904) 532-9290.

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 in downtown Sanford. Visitors are welcome. Call 323-2194 or 322-0298.

Serving others wins top award

By **SUSAN WILSON**
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — That gray mini-van still scurries around Sanford with the "everything on board" tag flapping in the wind. Yet, now through all the hustle and bustle Jeanette Stiffey has one more jewel to add to her crown.

Stiffey was recently awarded the eighth annual Dr. Luis Perez Humanitarian Award. This honor was presented by the Greater Sanford Chamber of Commerce at a ceremony held at Timucuan Country Club.

Working with the Seminole County School System as a dividend for almost 20 years, Stiffey has assisted with many student functions. She is frequently found traveling from city to city with the girls' basketball team.

She is the co-founder of Sanford Gymnastics Association and has served as its director since 1972. Teaching classes is also not a rarity.

Among her many achievements Stiffey and her husband, George, were honored in 1990 by Mayor Smith. One day that year was deemed as "Stiffey Day."

Members of the Sanford Church of Christ have always relied on Stiffey for her numerous efforts. From co-directing the education program at the congregation, serving at various dinners, coordinating numerous events and more, she

has always tended a helping hand. She is also helpful in driving elderly members to doctors appointments or to the grocery or aided in whatever capacity she can fill.

Stiffey's daughter, Stacy, wrote the letter that led to her award. She expressed that her activity in the community and schools was part of the reason for this nomination.

The coveted recognition was greatly appreciated by Stiffey. She commented, "It's wonderful to have received this," she said. "I'm so honored because it is one of the top two awards given."

Although Stiffey still puts things on hold when her other daughter, Sandy, visits from California while life remains busy. Her son, Tom, and daughter-in-law, Cindy, have two sons, Brandon and Ryan, who are the apple of "Nana's" eye. "My grandkids are very important to me," she said. "I like to stay active."

She further added, "Now that my husband, George, is retired we are looking for more things to do."

Stiffey maintains her driving force of volunteering is "devotion to God and family."

Still, award or not, Stiffey admitted she's always willing to lend a hand. Whether as Moma Jeanette, Nana or as a friend helping another in need is a way of life for her. Many confirm Stiffey will come to the aid of others in tireless service.



Wayne Albert presents Jeanette Stiffey with the Dr. Luis Perez Humanitarian award.

Celebrate flavor of Florida

Come to the Florida Orange Festival and Seminole County Fair and see a colorful assortment of horticultural displays. The theme for the 1996 horticultural displays is "Celebrate the Flavor of Florida." Garden clubs, plant societies and local green thumbs have entered their best foliage to be judged at the event. Look at award-winning dish gardens, hanging plants and terrariums. Be surrounded by beautiful azaleas, wisteria and bromeliads. Many of the garden clubs and plant societies will have volunteers to answer questions and to sell prized plants at the festival and fair. Fair visitors can enjoy these displays from Feb. 23 through March 3.

The "What on Earth" demonstration garden will be in full bloom too. The 1,500 square feet garden is a result of the hardwork of the homegroup 4-H Club members Justin and Jacob Roberts, and Jason and Ryan Quisenberry. The garden, which is handicap accessible, features six rows of a wide variety of plants. The seventh row demonstrates actual planting procedures. Fair visitors can see broccoli stalks and how big they really get. Or watch the 4Hers pick pea pods from the vine. Four-H members will conduct several workshops using the garden as a teaching tool. The "What on Earth" demonstration garden is located in Chevron's

Agri-Land


Besides the "What on Earth" demonstration garden, Chevron's Agri-Land hosts a number of agriculture-themed activities: Cracker Camp, Family Fun Farm, 5-H Ranch exotic petting zoo, pony rides and the livestock tent. Cracker Camp sets the scene of the old days with its picturesque campsite area. Visitors can tour the fairgrounds in a 1902 hay wagon, listen to local country gentlemen playing bluegrass music or have a friendly conversation as they relax in front of the campfire. There is a barnyard full of children's activities at the Family Fun Farm. Children will have a lot of fun searching for candy in the haystack. Of course, nothing delights children more than riding a gentle pony. But there is more; kids will giggle with pleasure when they pet a llama, a camel or touch a 600-pound tortoise at the 5-H Ranch exotic petting zoo. Take a tour through the livestock tent and see horses, pigs, rabbits and baby chicks. Chevron's Agri-Land is sure to interest visitors of all ages.

The festival's main exhibit hall ground floor hosts the

"Shoppes of Seminole" where festival visitors can view, sample and purchase wares from more than 50 commercial vendors.

The Casselberry Parks and Recreation Department is holding the Book of Records competition, Saturday, Feb. 24, from noon until 2 p.m. Competitions range from who can peel the longest single orange peel, who can peel and eat an orange the fastest, squeeze and drink the juice from an orange the fastest, pie-eating contest, ice cream (orange sherbet) eating contest, biggest bubble gum blowing contest and hot dog eating contest. Most contests are open to children and adults. Participation is free.

Don't forget to visit the Seminole Cooperative Extension Service booth in the Fairplex's exhibit hall. This year, we will be on-line at the fair. The live action presentation will feature the University of Florida Home Page and other agriculture-oriented sites. The Seminole County Cooperative Extension Service staff and master gardeners will be ready to answer your horticulture questions with the latest information. This is your chance to learn about the many different services that the



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Cooperative Extension Service provides to the community. Stop by and chat about your plant problems with one of the master gardeners volunteers and find about the publications available to the public that can be obtained free or for a reasonable low price.

The 1996 Florida Orange Festival and Seminole County Fair is located at the 150-acre Seminole Greyhound Park in Casselberry. A variety of enticing foods and beverages, promotions, competitions and special events will salute the Florida Orange Festival and Seminole County Fair. Contact the festival and fair office at (407) 696-FAIR (3247).

Al Ferrer is Seminole County Urban Horticulturist. Inquiries may be directed to him at the Cooperative Extension Service, 260 W. County Home Road, Sanford, FL 32773 or phone 323-2569, Ext. 5444.

Eat your cake and have it too?

DEAR ABBY: The phrase, "You can't have your cake and eat it too," has always bothered me. I wonder why not? I do it all the time. I have my cake — and then I eat it.

Recently I read somewhere that the correct phrase is "You can't eat your cake and have it too." This makes much more sense to me.

Which is the correct version? Abby, can you check this out? Sign me ...

HAD MY CAKE, THEN ATE IT

DEAR HAD MY CAKE: I checked it out, and the second version is the correct one. Quoted books attribute it first to Thomas Heywood in 1544. He wrote, "Weise you beate eate your cake, and haue your cake?"

Somewhat later (in 1633), George Herbert phrased the saying, "Wouldst thou both eat thy cake and have it?" This popular criticism was also variously rendered: "She was handsome in her time, but she cannot eat her cake and have her cake" (Swift, 1738); "You can't have your cake if you eat it" (J.R. Planché, 1871); and finally, "One cannot eat one's cake and have it, too" (T.H. Huxley, 1889). Readers, have you had enough cake already? I have — unless it's chocolate.

DEAR ABBY: Regarding your recent column about insensitive comments to infertile couples:

What I would say is: "You are really fortunate. You can be free of the stresses and strains of parenthood, have sex without fear, concentrate on enjoying yourselves, save



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ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

lots of money and retire early."

I am sure that would also be considered very insensitive, but as a man who is child-free by choice and wouldn't have it any other way, I have a hard time relating to the agonizing of infertile couples.

CHARLES IN AUSTELL, GA.

DEAR CHARLES: Of course you are entitled to your opinion. However, I hope you've been vasectomized, because should you accidentally become a father, it would be a tragedy of triple proportions — for you, the mother and the baby.

DEAR ABBY: A few years ago my parents made a videotape for their children and grandchildren. It was the most precious Christmas gift I have ever received.

They told us as much as they could remember about their parents, grandparents and family history. They told about their childhood, youth, meeting and falling in love. They described their early marriage, their hopes, dreams and plans for their life together. They talked about us children as babies, and related stories that were funny, sad, poignant and informative. They told of their triumphs and

tragedies, dreams fulfilled and forsaken. They repeated family stories that kids hear many times but soon forget.

There was no attempt to make it a professional tape. They simply borrowed a camcorder, set it up and started to talk. If a horn blew, a dog barked, a phone rang — no one seemed to care. It took them about a week to make the tape. One would talk until he or she was tired, then the other would sit down and carry on until the next day.

My parents are both gone now, but I can still hear their voices, see their faces and feel that they are here with me. This gift, which cost only a little time and a lot of love, is my greatest treasure.

MARTI ALLEN, DAYTONA BEACH, FLA.

DEAR MARTI: From your description, I, too, can almost hear them talking. And for those people who are intimidated in front of a camera, or can't seem to get started, a simple question can get the ball rolling: "Mother, will you please tell me a little about your childhood and your family?"

(Problems? Write to Dear Abby. For a personal, unpublished reply, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Dear Abby, P.O. Box 60440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90060. All correspondence is confidential.)

TUESDAY'S PRIME TIME

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5	News	CBS News	Inside Edition	Hard Copy	Primary Coverage (In Stereo)	6th News	Sea of Cortez (1988, Drama)	Lindsay Wagner, Holly Hunter	News	News	(11:35) Late Show	
6	News	ABC Mid Week	Jasper & Co.	Wheel of Fortune	Newsweek	Coach (In Stereo)	Home Improvement	Ellen "Sofa" Days	WWF Blue "The Holy Confessor"	News	News	(11:35) Nightline
10	News	Coody Show	Home Video	Satford "The Trip"	Ghostbusters 2 (1991, Comedy)	Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd	News	News	News	News	News	News
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22	American Times	Adrian Rogers	Sunny Hill	W.I.L.	Zala Lovell	Bill Bright	Yule's Family (R)	Worship				
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Legal Notices

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

THUYOON LEE and MALINDA LEE, husband and wife, Plaintiff.

NOTICE OF ACTION TO: THUYOON LEE MALINDA LEE...

GENERAL POST OFFICE P.O. BOX 13811 32709...

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a Claim of Lien on the following property in Seminole County, Florida...

NOTICE TO: ROBERTA LEE WOODS...

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: The E 1/2 and the SW 1/4 of SECTION 26, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, Seminole County, Florida...

Being more particularly described as follows: Reference is made to the Permanent Reference Monument designating the SW corner of said Section 26...

NOTE: IF A PERSON DECIDES TO APPEAL ANY DECISION MADE BY THIS COMMISSION WITH RESPECT TO ANY MATTER CONSIDERED AT THIS MEETING OR HEARING, HE OR SHE MUST FILE WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM...

Persons with a disability who need a special facility should contact ADA COORDINATOR at 201 North Park Avenue, Suite 1001, Sanford, FL 32771...

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CITY OF LAKE MARY, FLORIDA NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING...

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the City Commission of the City of Lake Mary, Florida...

Let 2, Plot of Sun Bank Property, as located in Plot Book 24, Page 37, of the Public Records of Seminole County, Florida...

The Public Hearing will be held in the Commission Chambers, 190 N. Country Club Road, Lake Mary, Florida...

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED: Notice is hereby given, that the following certificate(s) have been filed for a tax deed to be issued thereon...

LEG LOT 166 CRANES ROOST VILLAGE V ORS 1996 PG 1483

Names in which assessed: Alan R. Perry, All of said property being in the County of Seminole, State of Florida.

Payment of Sale fee, applicable documentary stamp taxes and recording fees are required to be paid by the successful bidder at the sale...

Dated this 23rd day of January, 1996.

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES NEEDING ASSISTANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY OF THESE PROCEEDINGS SHOULD CONTACT THE CITY'S ADA COORDINATOR AT LEAST 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETING AT (407) 324-3024.

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PRIVATE PARTY RATES 14 consecutive times... 7 consecutive times... 3 consecutive times... 1 time

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NOW ACCEPTING VISA MASTERCARD

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CELEBRITY CIPHER by Luis Campos

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NOTICE OF REZONING PUBLIC HEARING TO BE HELD

Notice is hereby given that the Seminole County Land Planning Agency/Planning and Zoning Commission (LPA/P&Z) will conduct a public hearing on March 8, 1996, beginning at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as possible, in the County Services Building, 1101 East First Street, Sanford, Florida, Room 1028 (Board Chamber).

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, PROVIDING FOR THE REZONING OF CERTAIN PROPERTY, THE CPG REAL ESTATE GROUP, INC. REZONING (A-1 TO R-18B) BY ASSIGNING NEW ZONING CLASSIFICATIONS TO THE SUBJECT PROPERTY, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, PROVIDING FOR COFFICATION, AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE



NOTE: The general public is encouraged to appear at this hearing and present input in accordance with the procedures used by the LPA/P&Z or submit written comments to the Current Planning Office, 1101 East First Street, Sanford, FL 32771, telephone (407) 321-1130, extension 7433 or FAX 320-3238.

Persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any of these proceedings should contact the Employee Relations Department ADA Coordinator 48 hours in advance of the meeting at (407) 321-1130, extension 7841.

BEING STORED AT Altamonte Towing. Under the supervision of Sheriff of Seminole County, Florida, will at 11:00 A.M. on the 21st day of March A.D. 1996 offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder, FOR CASH IN HAND AND SUBJECT TO ANY AND ALL EXISTING LIENS, at the front (North) Door, of the steps, of the Seminole County Courthouse in Sanford, Florida, the above described property.

That said sale is being made to satisfy the terms of this Writ of Execution. Donald F. Eslinger, Sheriff Seminole County, Florida

NOTICE REGARDING THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT OF 1990, PERSONS WITH A DISABILITY NEEDING SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PROCEEDINGS SHOULD CONTACT THE ENFORCEABLE WRITS SECTION OF THE CIVIL DIVISION AT THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE, 1349 28TH STREET, SANFORD, FLORIDA, AT LEAST FIVE DAYS PRIOR TO THE PROCEEDINGS, (407) 330-6440

MANAGER CURRENT PLANNING PUBLISH: February 20, 1996 DEM-200

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that I am engaged in business at 2587 Apollo Court, Oviedo, FL 32766, Seminole County, Florida, under the Fictitious Name of BYB'S BROS., and that I intend to register said name with the Division of Corporations, Tallahassee, Florida, in accordance with the provisions of the Fictitious Name Statutes, To-Wit: Section 968.09, Florida Statutes 1991.

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

GABE NO. 96-2113-CA-14 A GABE BAR NO. 00000000 ISLAND MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Plaintiff.

vs. KATHLEEN L. LOWIE, ET AL. Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE: Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered on February 2, 1996 in civil action no. 96-2113 CA 14 A in the Circuit Court of Seminole County, Florida, in which Kathleen L. Lowie, et al were the Defendants and Island Mortgage Corporation, the Plaintiff, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash at the Seminole County Courthouse, West front doors, 301 N. Park Avenue, Sanford, FL 32771 between the hours of 11:00 a.m.

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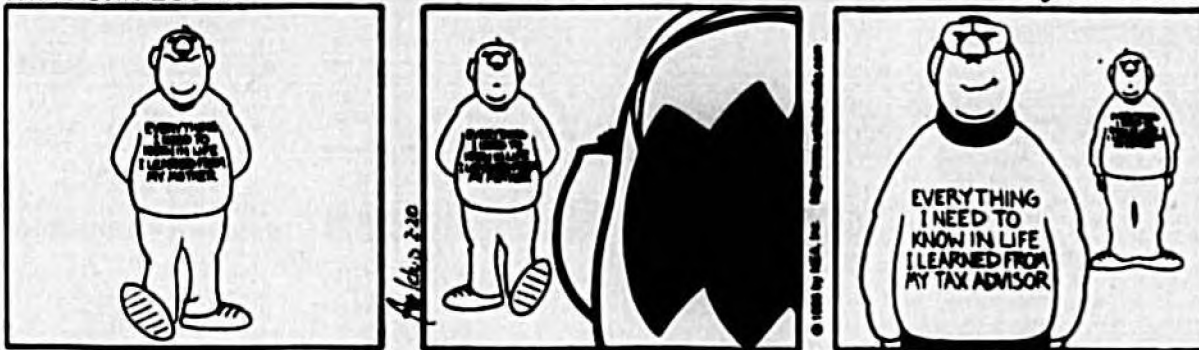
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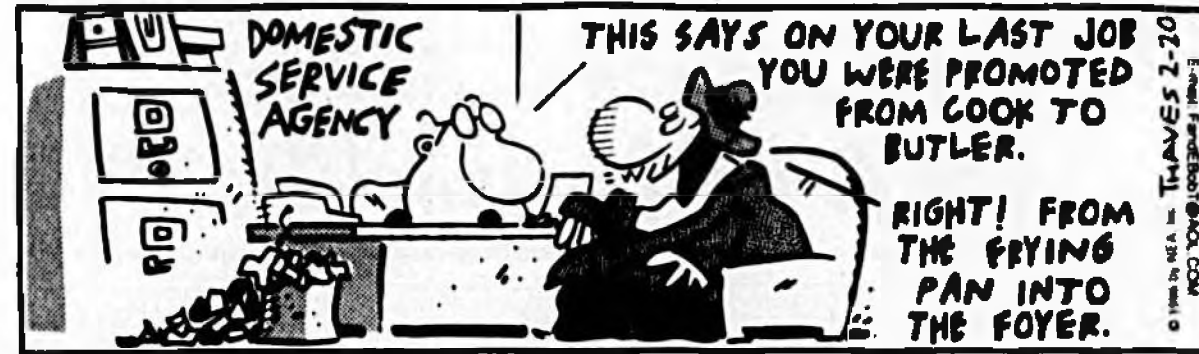
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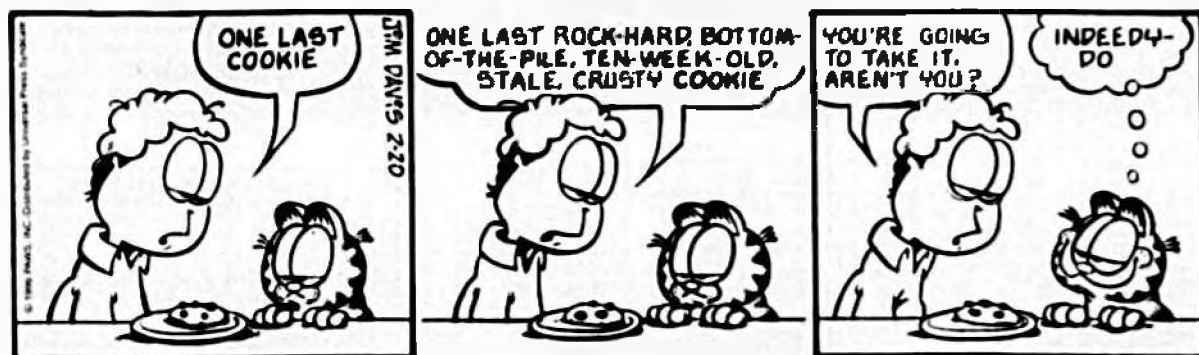
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Sinus drainage knows no limits

DEAR DR. GOTT: How much volume is there in the sinus cavities? For more than five days, I've been blowing my nose. Where does all the instant refilling come from? Further, why, in sub-zero weather, when our whole body is frozen, is our nose the only part thawing?

DEAR READER: The sinuses are lined with cells that — when stimulated by infection, dust, cold air, and other factors — produce and secrete mucus. This is the substance that causes the runny nose and sinus congestion that are the all-too-familiar consequences of colds and allergies.

When fully stimulated, these mucus-producing cells can secrete what appears to be an astronomical amount of discharge. Therefore, it's not the size of the sinus cavities that counts, it's the degree of reactivity.

Sinus drainage can be lessened by drugs, such as anti-histamines and decongestants.

You may feel chilled in sub-zero weather, but the air you breathe is quickly warmed — after it has had a chance to activate the mucus cells. You can reduce the amount of nasal discharge by wearing a mask or scarf over your nose and mouth; this will further heat the bitter cold air that you breathe.

Be grateful that your nose stays thawed. If it didn't, you wouldn't be able to smell the fragrant aroma of burning wood on a winter day.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I suffer from recurring back pain, usually located in, but not restricted to, my lower back. It occurs as a tingling, burning sensation and pressure. Muscle relaxers and exercise have no effect. I've been to an internist, orthopedic specialist and gynecologist. I've had urinalysis, X-rays, bone scans, an upper GI and an ultrasound. Nothing appears wrong!

DEAR READER: Recurring back pain is often caused by tense muscles. These cramps are frequently the consequence of chronic back strain and cannot be seen on X-rays or other tests.

Perhaps you could be helped by a program of physical therapy. Ask your doctor about this. Or, if you choose, see a chiropractor; spinal manipulation and massage will often cure symptoms such as yours.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Managing Chronic Pain." Other readers who would like a copy should send \$2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2017, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I've been told to take calcium supplements daily due to my age, etc. However, when I take them on a regular basis, I get cramps in my legs and feet. I've since heard

that in order to digest the calcium and have it work properly, I should take a vitamin D supplement.

DEAR READER: Post-menopausal women should take supplemental calcium to help prevent osteoporosis, the age-related bone-brittleness. Experts recommend 1,000-1,500 milligrams of calcium daily.

Calcium is not properly absorbed into the body without the addition of vitamin D. Ordinarily, a well-balanced diet contains enough of the vitamin, but no harm is done by adding about 125 units of vitamin D.

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I am not aware that calcium causes cramps in the lower extremities. Such a reaction would, in my experience, be



PETER GOTT, M.D.

unusual. However, you may be reacting badly to a particular product. Try my combination or, if you wish, experiment with over-the-counter calcium supplements until you find one that agrees with you.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Osteoporosis."

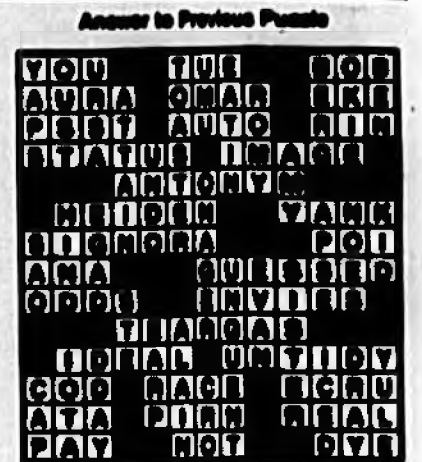
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- 1 Party participant
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- 17 Common element
- 19 Cure
- 20 Starchy
- 23 Shade of blue
- 24 Yahu —
- 27 Fish trap
- 29 Prepare the sleeping bag
- 31 Group of ten
- 36 Strip's floors
- 38 Fire duty
- 37 Of an artery
- 40 Tea
- 41 Maurice
- 44 Sounds
- 46 — I say
- 48 Play division

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- 2 Soft drink
- 3 Sweet pastry
- 4 Were easy
- 5 Reebuck
- 7 Paris
- 8 Leave the work force
- 9 Beach grains
- 10 Mode personality
- 12 Howard —
- 1 Pacific Island
- 2 Snowcap
- 3 Tropical tree
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 - 26 Whale
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 - 29 Wood cereal
 - 32 Near East
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 - 38 Lions' utterance
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 - 41 Playwright
 - 42 Cheese-sauce drink
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 - 55 Thing in law
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WIN AT BRIDGE

The parrot parodies players

By Phillip Alder

If you have read the previous monastic bridge books by David Bird and Terence Reese, you will want to get their latest offering, "Divine Intervention" (Gollancz; \$18.95 p.p. from The Bridge World, 39 West 94th Street, New York, NY 10025-7124).

Two-thirds of the stories, written by Bird and edited by Reese, feature a group of monks, headed by the cantankerous Abbot, who play in the Monastery of St. Titus. The remaining third is about two missionaries, Brothers Luke and Tobias, who are in Africa trying to convert the local tribe and the Parrot (an excellent player) to Acol, the British bidding system.

The text is entertaining and the

deals instructive, as highlighted by this one. The Parrot arrives in six diamonds, when seven no-trump would be laydown with a 3-1 heart break. West leads the heart two. How should the Parrot proceed?

Note that no other lead is better. Declarer starts with 11 top tricks. After a spade attack, declarer establishes a second spade trick. Against a trump lead, declarer draws trumps and ducks a heart. And with a club opening, declarer gets a club ruff in the dummy.

The lead looked for all the world like a singleton. But unless something very lucky happened in spades, the Parrot couldn't find a way to get home if East had started with four hearts. So, after much thought, he squawked, "Play the eight!"

East was surprised to win the trick with his 10, but no return could defeat the contract.

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♦ A 3		
♣ 9 5		
WEST	EAST	
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♦ J 8 6 2	♦ 10	
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♦ K Q J 10 9 8		
♣ A 10 2		
Vulnerable: North-South Dealer: South		
South	West	North
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2 ♣	Pass	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	Pass
4 ♣	Pass	Pass
5 ♣	Pass	Pass
Opening lead: ♠ 2		

HOROSCOPE



Wednesday, Feb. 21, 1986

Ample opportunities are indicated for you in the year ahead, but you must develop them skillfully. You may not get a second chance if you handle them improperly the first time around.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Disappointment will be possible today if your expectations exceed your contributions in a money-making arrangement you have with a friend. Try to be realistic. Pisces, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$2 and SASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Make sure to state your zodiac sign.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Occasionally you can get away with a bluff. Today, however, if you claim to be holding aces,

they had better be in your hand.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) The brainstorm you get today might lack some essential ingredients. Before you put your big ideas into action, you should study them further.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You might be subjected to some changes today that will initially go against the grain. They will not be too bad, but you must discover this for yourself.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Even though you might not agree with your male's suggestions today, at least hear him or her out. What he or she has to say could contain some real substance.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) The associates you deal with today might not possess your talents and abilities. Check them out first before assigning critical tasks.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You can derive satisfaction today from sure things that will offer small rewards. Do not hope to make a big killing on one roll of the dice.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) While in an expansive mood today, you might make promises to others that will be difficult to keep. Their disappointment will be slow to heal if you fail to deliver.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Extolling the benefits of what you did for another will not be wise today. He or she will already feel obligated and may feel resentment if pushed too far.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Discipline will be required today if you try to live within your means. Yielding to extravagant whims could demolish your budget. Use caution.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Try to keep your intentions in perspective today. Otherwise, you might waste lots of time spinning your wheels and accomplishing nothing.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Your powers of concentration and comprehension might not be as sharp as usual today. You should try to reread important documents several times before signing.

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ANNIE

by Leonard Starr

