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## NEWS DIGEST

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##### Christmas plants live on

With proper care, the Christmas plant you received as a gift can stay attractive for weeks. Tricia Thomas tells you how in her gardening column today.  
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### BRIEFS

##### Smith featured at luncheon

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Florida Secretary of State Jim Smith will be the guest speaker at the monthly luncheon of the Suburban Republican Women's Club Jan. 20.

The luncheon will be held at the Altamonte Springs Hilton Hotel beginning at 11:30 a.m. The cost is \$15 per person. Reservations must be made by Jan. 15 by calling Altee Weinberg, 330-2144.

##### Reservations open for market

GENEVA — Spaces at the Jan. 16 Bubble Country Flea Market may now be reserved. The event will be held from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the Geneva Community Center.

Community leaders are holding the flea market to raise funds in their efforts to protect the Geneva Bubble, the community's isolated underground drinking water supply. Proceeds from the space rental and the "Save the Bubble" booth will go to the efforts.

Spaces are \$15 each and may be reserved by paying in advance. A few tables are available for \$5 each. Call 349-2195 for information.

##### Jackpot rolls over

TALLAHASSEE — The Florida Lotto jackpot, worth an estimated \$6 million, rolled over to an estimated \$15 million this weekend after no one correctly picked all six numbers.

Lottery Secretary Marcia Mann said 271,321 tickets matched at least three of the numbers picked Saturday night. That includes 299 tickets worth \$3,035.50 each matching five numbers. If one ticket had drawn all six numbers it would have been worth \$6 million.

Another 14,566 tickets had four correct numbers, worth \$91 per ticket, and 256,456 tickets with three correct numbers are worth \$5 each.

The winning Lotto numbers were 2-10-12-30-37-44.

##### Oldest appellate court celebrated

SALEM, Mass. — When the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court first convened in Salem 300 years ago, its first act was to halt the witch hunt hysteria.

The state's highest court planned a special session back in Salem today to commemorate its distinction as the oldest appellate court in continuous existence in the Western Hemisphere.

The court stopped the witch trials, which had resulted in 20 executions, immediately after convening Jan. 3, 1693.

The five appellate cases it was to hear today involved more pedestrian matters: a challenge to lead paint regulations, a medical insurance dispute, check forgery, physician liability and the admissibility of a juvenile's statements to police in a manslaughter case.

From staff and wire reports

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#### Skies begin to clear



Partly cloudy and breezy with a 20 percent chance of showers. High near 80. Wind east 15 to 20.

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# Road work resumes

## Lake Mary construction could begin within hours of meeting

By J. MARK BARFIELD  
Herald Staff Writer

LAKE MARY — County Manager Ron Rabun anticipates construction could resume on Lake Mary Boulevard within hours of a special county commission meeting Wednesday afternoon.

"I really think they can be out there within hours of our approval," said Rabun Friday. "The bonding company asked us for a list of [state-approved] names and we told them we wanted a local company. There's quite a bit of supplies out there, so they won't have to wait for deliveries. They may wait a few days or a week, but I think they can be out there the next day."

The county's Lake Mary Boulevard widening project has been a bone in the craw of local businessmen and residents as well as motorists since mid-July when a contract dispute brought the construction to a halt. The county's contractor, John Mahoney Construction subsequently withdrew from the job leaving behind a swath of dirt, rough pavement and barricades.

Businessmen say the barricades and rain washouts have deterred customers from their stores. The same obstacles make traveling along the road a bit of a challenge.

At a 1:30 p.m. meeting Wednesday in the commission chambers, commissioners will meet to award the remainder of the project to a "completion contractor." The name of the company has not been announced by the completion bonding company, Insurance Company of America. But Rabun said bonding officials are negotiating with the company that submitted the lowest of several bids received on the job. Negotiations are expected to be completed later today.

Whoever takes over the job will have to hustle. Mahoney's original contract completion date of June 14, 1993 remains unaffected by work stoppage. Failure to meet that day will result in a \$1,000 per day penalty for the completion contractor, said county purchasing director Barry Hastings.

"We wanted to play hard ball with them," said Rabun.  
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## Officials welcome startup

By NICK PFEIFAU  
Herald Staff Writer

LAKE MARY — City officials welcome a resumption of construction on Lake Mary Boulevard. The project however, will be closely watched.

The next move by the city will be to launch into a \$300,000 companion boulevard beautification project. "We have been waiting to learn who the new prime contractor is," said City Manager John Litton. "Then we will have to coordinate."

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Pierre Abularrage, left, a social worker, reads over the papers that Leslie Gager needed to sign to get repairs started. Jack Morotta from the County Development Office looks on.

## Home, sweet home County to renew centenarian's home

By VICKI DeSORMIER  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Ada Dennis will be starting off the new year with a new outlook on life.

The 113-year-old woman, who shares a home in the Goldsboro section of Sanford with her 78-year-old son Leslie Gager, has been trying to get the county to help her affect some basic repairs on her home to prevent the rain from coming in.

This past week, Gager went to the County Development Office to sign the paperwork to let work begin on the house. After more than a year of trying, the wheels have been set in motion that will renew Dennis' home and allow her to continue to live there.

A spunky centenarian, Dennis has stubbornly insisted that she wants to remain at home as long as she can. With the assistance of visiting nurses and social workers, Gager has

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## State taps 2 schools for honor

### Lakeview, Lyman selected for drug free education

By VICKI DeSORMIER  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Lakeview Middle School in Sanford and Lyman High School in Longwood are two of the 11 finalists chosen state-wide in the Drug-Free Schools Recognition Program for the 1992-93 school year.

The schools were chosen because of their exemplary drug education programs.

Both Lakeview and Lyman, like many other schools in Seminole County, have incorporated the drug-free message into many aspects of the curriculum so that students hear the message throughout their day.

The schools have made it a point to reach students not only drug awareness strategies but they have also put a strong emphasis on self-esteem.

"We teach the students to respect themselves and others," said Linda Shakar, assistant principal at Lyman. "If they respect themselves, they will not do drugs."

Strong disciplinary programs at the schools have also ensured a lower incidence of drug use.

"We try to send a strong message to the students that drugs will not be tolerated here," said Lowman Oliver, assistant principal at Lakeview said.

Peer pressure also plays an important role in the anti-drug message at both schools.

"It's just not an accepted thing with a lot of our students."  
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## Longwood dispute heats up again

By GEORGE DUNCAN  
Herald Staff Writer

LONGWOOD — The dispute between City Administrator Jim McFellin and Mayor Paul Lovstrand has heated up again with both men issuing memos charging the other with lying and abuse of office.

In his Dec. 22 memo on city stationery, McFellin said he threatened to call the police to have Lovstrand removed from his office during a Dec. 22 meeting. Lovstrand, in his six-page reply, acknowledges a heated conversation with McFellin but says he was on his way out when the city administrator picked up the phone "as if to call the police."

In the six-page Dec. 30 response, Lovstrand lists 11 complaints about the city administrator including negligence, stubbornness, lawlessness, lack of judgment and mismanagement.

In a Dec. 30 memo reacting to the Lovstrand response, McFellin charges it "contains many inaccuracies, innuendos, misstatements and pure fabrication."

The written exchanges apparently stem from the Dec. 22 meeting the two men had in McFellin's office. Both men agree Lovstrand was in city hall when McFellin asked him to come into his office. At that time, McFellin told the mayor the stormwater fund was not considered an enterprise fund, but a special revenue fund. At a prior commission meeting, there had been some question as to what type of fiscal category the stormwater fund was in.

The two men then disagreed about whether the stormwater fund should be changed into an enterprise fund. According to McFellin's first memo, "Mayor Lovstrand stated in words to the effect that, 'We have two members on the commission and two seats are up next year; all we need is one more seat. And, when the hatchet falls, you won't be the only one to go.'"

Neither Sobotka, nor his attorney, Mike Jones, returned calls Thursday.

Kevin Carden, county Code Enforcement Board attorney, said the agreement signed by Sturm Monday finally stopped the fine from accumulating. The county's code fine has been running at \$500 per day since Oct. 22, 1986. By

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## Mayor loses confidence in administrator

By GEORGE DUNCAN  
Herald Staff Writer

LONGWOOD — After the recent rash of accusations and memos, both City Administrator Jim McFellin and Mayor Paul Lovstrand say it may be difficult working together.

Lovstrand said he had "lost all confidence" in the city administrator.  
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## Fine dropped if property owners clean up mess

By J. MARK BARFIELD  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Art Lane dumper Frank Sobotka has agreed to a settlement agreement with Seminole County to allow him to avoid his \$1.1 million illegal dumping fine.

The agreement calls for Sobotka, and fellow property owners Rodney S. and Carolyn R. Laval, to clean up the property along guidelines established by the county, State Attorney's

Office and Florida Department of Environmental Regulation. In return, Sobotka agreed to withdraw a lawsuit against the county and to dismiss any claims for reimbursement of legal fees.

Whether the settlement will accomplish the county's six-year goal of forcing Sobotka to clean up the property when a \$1 million fine did not is uncertain to county leaders.

"I would certainly hope the agreement will accomplish something," said Bob Sturm, chairman of the county commission. "But I have to

admit the same thing crossed my mind when I signed the agreement. But I guess if one thing doesn't work, try something else."

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## POLICE BRIEFS

### Suspended license leads to arrest

Local police arrested several county residents over the New Year's weekend for a variety of traffic offenses, including driving while under the influence.

Robert Adams, of Sanford, was arrested in Longwood by Seminole County Sheriff's deputies when he did not stop at a stop sign, according to police reports.

When stopped, Adams told officers he did not have his driver's license with him. After a computer check, officers discovered Adams' license had been suspended, according to police reports.

He was arrested and taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility, according to reports.

### Man arrested for stealing beer

An 18-year old was arrested after taking a 12-pack of beer from the Champ Store on South Sanford Avenue, according to police reports. Sanford police arrested Brian Townson, no address given, after an employee said she saw him taking the beer without paying for it, according to reports.

Officers found the beer in the alley in back of the store, according to reports.

### DUI arrest

Russell Adkins, of Sanford, was arrested in Winter Springs on a charge of DUI after officers observed him weaving on the road, according to police reports.

Adkins was driving on State Road 434 when a Winter Springs officer observed him crossing the center line on the road, then weaving in his lane, according to reports.

When Adkins was stopped, he told the officer he had had three beers, but his speech was slurred, according to police reports.

### Witness tampering brings arrest

John Sigman Sr., of Creekwater Terrace in Longwood, was arrested Friday and served with a Seminole County warrant for witness tampering. He was served at his address and taken to jail, according to reports. No other information was available about the charge.

### Domestic violence charged

An apparent fight with a girlfriend led to an arrest on a traffic offense for Sanford resident Daniel Penaloza, according to police reports.

Sanford police were called to Penaloza's address on South Sanford Avenue in regards to a domestic disturbance. According to reports, the caller said the female had left but that a man was following her in a gray Toyota, according to reports.

A Sanford officer spotted the car and pulled it over. After a routine check, he discovered Penaloza had had his license revoked, according to police reports.

### Sanford January meetings set

SANFORD — Commissions, Boards and Agencies have scheduled five meetings for the month of January. All meetings are open to the general public.

The following meetings were established as of the beginning of the month:

• **Tues. Jan. 5** — City Commission Organizational Meeting, City Commission room, 7 p.m.

• **Tues. Jan. 6** — Seminole Towne Center Community Redevelopment Agency meeting, (during the City Commission meeting) City Commission room, shortly after 7 p.m.

• **Fri. Jan. 8** — Board of Adjustment meeting, 11:00 a.m.

• **Mon. Jan. 11** — Regular meeting, city commission, 7 p.m.

• **Tues. Jan. 12** — Code Enforcement Board meeting, 7 p.m.

• **Mon. Jan. 18** — Regular meeting, city commission, 7 p.m.

Other meetings may be called as required during the month. Regularly scheduled City Commission meetings may be precluded with workshop meetings if the commission believes they are needed. The workshops are held beginning at 5 p.m., in the city manager's conference room on the second floor of the Sanford City Hall, 300 N. Park Avenue, Sanford.

## McFellin sets 1993 goals for Longwood

By GEORGE DUNCAN  
Herald Staff Writer

LONGWOOD — If the dust settles down in Longwood, Jim McFellin, city manager, hopes to finish the renovation of existing city hall buildings and working with the county to correct the flooding between CR 427 and Fairy Lake in 1993.

Other goals the city administrator has are finishing the downsizing of city government and working with the city commission to set meaningful goals and objection for the new year.

The latter goal may be the roughest as the disputes erupted between McFellin and Mayor Paul Lovestrand in the last days of 1992.

However, McFellin listed those four major goals he hoped to achieve in 1993. The flooding,

particularly after the heavy rainfall during the season, caused a flurry of complaints to city hall.

As for long term goals for the city, McFellin listed a number of items including the resurfacing of paved streets.

Another long-term goal was improving the dirt streets by asphaltting and correcting storm water drainage, specifically on Second Place, Reider Street and Oak Street.

Other long-term goals include storm water drainage improvements, particularly in several specific areas of the city; Lake Wayman/Longdale, Grant Street Swales, Loch Lohman & McClintock Culvert and the Mudd Lake dam with gates.

Various other small projects are also part of the long-term goals for the city, according to McFellin's list.

## Local rappers get shot at stardom

By VICKI DeBORNER  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — A rap group comprised of seventh and eighth graders from Lakeview Middle School will be among the stars who will entertain at the Rap Against Drugs competition on Jan. 5.

The Mustangs rappers, along with a team from Robert E. Lee Middle School in Orlando won the competition last year and have been asked to return to kick off this year's contest.

The Rap Against Drugs competition will help deliver the anti-drug message to nearly 90,000 students from 62 middle and high school students from Seminole, Orange and Osceola counties.

The Lakeview students and the Robert E. Lee students will conduct a press conference that will involve reporters from across the state.

They will also help unveil the "Rap Against Drugs" billboard and a Lynx bus that will be decorated with the anti-drug message.

The Rap Against Drugs groups will consist of three to eight students.

The students must create original lyrics and may include instrumental with their rap.

The winning rap groups from each county will have the opportunity to audition for Star Search and perform in a CableVision special. The top middle school rappers will perform at the NBA "Stay in School Jam" in March.

# Protesters target tourism

By DAVID FOSTER  
Associated Press

When protesters chanting "Save the wolf! Boycott Alaska!" were marching in a dozen U.S. cities last month, they knew Alaskans would pay attention: Tourism is a billion-dollar-a-year industry there.

Activists of all stripes are dusting off the time-honored tactic of the boycott, but raising it to new heights as they target not just corporations or industries, but entire states.

Gay and lesbian groups are boycotting Colorado, urging vacationers and conventioners to stay away until the state reverses an anti-gay rights amendment passed by voters in November.

Abortion rights supporters called boycotts in 1991 against Utah and Louisiana over those state's strict abortion laws. The Greater New Orleans Tourist & Convention Commission said last March that 17 groups had canceled meetings, costing the city \$116 million in lost business.

In Arizona, convention promoters just now are recovering from a five-year boycott that cost the state at least \$300 million in convention and tourism business. The boycott, prompted by the state's refusal to declare a holiday honoring civil-rights leader Martin Luther King Jr., ended last year when voters approved a King holiday.

In Alaska, state wildlife of-

ficials planned to reduce the wolf population by shooting more than 300 animals from helicopters — until last week, that is, when the hunt was canceled in the face of a tourism boycott promoted by animal-rights groups.

Political and business leaders in all three states cried foul, saying boycotts unfairly punish the innocent along with the guilty.

The boycotters' response: If a state wants to profit from its image as an attractive tourist destination, it had better measure up to the values held by those who would visit.

"We're not instilling the outrage in people. We're merely channeling it," said Wayne Paccell, director of Fund For Animals, a leader of the Alaska boycott. "You can't motivate people to boycott if they're not appalled by something."

Boycotts have a long history as a tactic to protest injustice, but many famous ones were more narrowly targeted.

The boycott of the Montgomery, Ala., bus system in the 1950s cost the bus company money, and California grape growers were hurt in the 1970s by boycotts supporting the United Farm Workers. But targets of the recent boycotts point out that victims often include those who support the boycotters' goals. In Alaska, eco-tourism companies sensitive to the environment were among those most likely to lose business from

wolf-lovers canceling reservations.

The Colorado boycott, meanwhile, has divided that state's gay community. Many activists warn that the boycott could cause a backlash by straight Coloradans and hurt efforts to rescind the anti-gay rights amendment.

"It's going to alienate what support we have," said Terry White, chairman of the Aspen Gay and Lesbian Community, which is defying the boycott by going ahead with its annual "Aspen Gay Ski Week" next month.

There are gay business people, too, White said. "Why punish them?" he asked.

Boycott supporters say protecting human rights should override economic concerns.

"We want to send a message that bigotry does not pay," said Robert Briggs-Daniels, spokesman for Boycott Colorado, a Denver-based group. "The boycott will continue until civil rights in Colorado are guaranteed to all its citizens — no exceptions."

A boycott's success often hinges on who jumps on the bandwagon. In Arizona, the National Football League's decision to pull the 1993 Super Bowl from Tempe brought widespread attention to the boycott, and a wave of convention cancellations followed.

The Colorado boycott was endorsed last week by two national gay-rights groups, and

several major conventions have been moved from the state since November, including the U.S. Conference of Mayors, the National Organization for Women and the American Association of Law Libraries.

Now all eyes are on Aspen, the exclusive ski resort where the usual holiday parade of celebrities has become politicized.

Some stars are staying away — Barbra Streisand, Liza Minnelli and Whoopi Goldberg among them. But overall, the Aspen Resort Association says reservations are running 12 percent above last year, and bars and restaurants are jumping.

Richard Davis, president of the Salt Lake Area Convention and Visitors Bureau, said a survey done just after abortion-rights advocates called the Utah boycott two years ago found few people who said they would avoid the state because of it.

"We lost a convention of the Universalist Church, but the Southern Baptists then asked for a proposal and we won the convention in 1990," he said.

A survivor of the Arizona boycott says the trend to statewide boycotts should concern tourism officials everywhere, since there's no telling when a skeleton might start rattling in their closet.

"You can take exception to a particular political position in any one of the 50 states," said Dave Radcliffe, head of the convention and visitors bureau in Phoenix.

## City reschedules meeting on mall

By NICK PFEIFAUER  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD A meeting planned for last week, has now been rescheduled tomorrow evening. The Sanford City Commission will consider a redevelopment agreement for the Seminole Towne Center Mall.

"The City Commission cannot enter into a redevelopment agreement by itself," explained City Manager Bill Simmons, "so the commission does another hat, and sits as the Community Redevelopment Agency."

"Of course the Agency cannot approve any official act on behalf of the city," he said, "so both the City and the Agency would be required to sign on the redevelopment, and each group, even though it's the same people, will have to approve and sign separate documents."

The third party involved in the agreement will be Melvin Simon and Associates, developers of the Mall, or their designated representatives.

Each of the entities must agree on all aspects of the talks.

The City Commission has previously studied the wording of the redevelopment agreement, but the document to be presented Tuesday night contains several changes.

During this past week's city commission workshop meeting, questions were raised regarding the need for information on what specifically has been changed since the original document was presented.

City Manager Bill Simmons indicated he would have the information in the hands of the commissioners in time for the meeting.

James Willard, an attorney with Shutts & Bowen, Orlando,

is scheduled to be on hand to represent the Simon organization. Simon officials may also be on hand.

The redevelopment agreement deals with the legal requirements needed in order to obtain financing for the massive construction project, building of new roadways and widening of some existing roads, establishing contracts with contractors and bonding agencies, and other

necessities.

Simon and Associates is the holder of a contract to purchase approximately 130 acres of land within the city limits. Plans call for construction, in phases, which will include an enclosed regional shopping center consisting of 1,250,000 square feet of space for the retail mall.

Simon has indicated in the latest proposal that, "...shall use its best efforts to proceed in

good faith to commence construction of the project as soon as reasonably possible."

The special meeting dealing with the mall project will be held in the commission meeting room of the Sanford City Hall, beginning at 7 p.m., Tuesday night. It will also include a city organizational meeting.

The next regularly scheduled City Commission meeting will be held Monday, Jan. 11.

**That's the way the ball bounces**

Tony Gonzalez, 72, and Norma Adamczyk, who says she's over 50, started off the new year with a hearty game of mixed doubles at the courts at Ft. Mellon Park on Saturday.

**Say Bon Voyage To Discovery On January 4th.**

**Last Day To Redeem Tickets is March 5th.**

The Discovery and Descubrimiento games officially end on January 4, 1993. That means all winning tickets must be redeemed by March 5, 1993. So claim your prize soon or kiss your winnings goodbye.

# Editorials/Opinions

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## EDITORIALS

### The dilemma of keeping violent criminals in jail

Immediate action has been taken to keep child killer Donald McDougall in jail. Now the state legislators must address the root, not just the symptoms of the problems that would have let him out of state prison at an outrageously early date.

McDougall, 37, tortured and killed five-year-old Ursula Sunshine Assaid, in a spectre of brutality. Sentenced to 34 years, he had served only 10 when he was due for release. A public outcry ensued. State officials found a loophole in the law that has added another five years to his sentence. That was better than releasing him on New Year's Eve - the scheduled date of his release - but it is hardly good news.

According to the Associated Press, the other credits McDougall has earned probably will mean he will only serve three years instead of the additional five. This is not a great triumph for justice. It's better than nothing but no one can be truly satisfied that McDougall will serve only three more years.

Even with the additional three years, McDougall will be walking the streets when he's 40. That lamentable fact could mean another young girl will die. Sadists are not usually rehabilitated and psychiatric experts say McDougall hasn't changed a bit.

The situation the Florida prison system finds itself in is a terrorist legacy from the liberal Warren Supreme Court. At that time, a spate of liberal rulings by the Court and by appellate bodies said prison overcrowding was not just uncomfortable, it was unconstitutional. In short, the judges said the inconvenience of a 'Donald McDougall' was more important than the death of an 'Ursula Assaid.'

McDougall was sentenced to 34 years in prison, but 24 years were erased through various forms of "gain time" for good behavior, for working in prison industries and to alleviate overcrowding.

Governor Lawton Chiles plans to address the issue of violent offenders this week. He and the Legislature must overhaul the prison system and back a few immediate reforms. Any inmate who is convicted of a violent crime should serve at least 75 percent of the sentence. Any one who is convicted of killing a child should not be eligible for any "gain time."

## LETTERS

### What will year bring?

What will 1993 bring? As watchnight services, television spectaculars of parades and football games, and New Year celebrations slip into history, we are anxious to see the changes forecast by the November election results.

A new president assumes office, a Congress with many new faces will convene, a transition "team" has been planning for the takeover in political power. Politicians, economists, businessmen all predict there will be changes of many kinds seeking to affect the economy, consumer and labor demands and a multitude of related items such as the national deficit, interest rates, taxes, and the cost of living. It can well be a year of "new beginnings" in many ways.

Traditionally, the New Year offers the opportunity to sweep away the mistakes of the past and open the gateway to new challenges, new outlooks, new possibilities, and new opportunities. Before we as a nation or as individuals do any further planning, we need to recall the first four words in the bible, "In the beginning, God..." Then as we look ahead to all the activities of the coming year, fervent in our minds should be an understanding and a reliance on God's guidance and help.

With the beginning of a new presidential administration and a new Congress, our hopes and prayers are that they will place God first in their thinking and planning, that they will keep firm commitment to our constitutional foundations, and that they will have the determination to preserve and expand our personal liberties as promised in those founding documents.

We need the "new beginning" of a Congress and president working together in bipartisan effort to solve both domestic and foreign problems in the best interests of all the people, a government that speaks in consensus as it regains the confidence and trust of America.

We need a "new beginning" in our attitudes towards the American lifestyle, regaining a high concept of public and social morality. We can no longer accept a society saturated with crime, lawlessness, drug trafficking and sleaziness. Ours should be a determination to improve the "quality" of everyday life.

The year 1993 can be America's greatest year if all of us would harken to the words, "In the beginning, God..." and discover an exciting year of "new beginnings!"

Chaplain Jim Spoons  
 LACUBAFFes  
 Altamonte Springs

## NAT HENTOFF

# Mark Twain himself is censored

There has been a merger between the Greater Hartford Community College and the Hartford State Technical College. The committee charged with suggesting a name for this new Connecticut institution of higher learning put forth a list of three. One was that of Mark Twain, who lived long and productively in Hartford where his large, comfortable home remains open to visitors.

The prospect of Mr. Twain being so honored greatly displeased Robert S. Holloway, head of the Black Student Union at the community college. The Chronicle of Higher Education reports that Mr. Holloway claims that students should have been consulted about the name with which they would henceforth be associated; and that some were troubled that Mr. Twain, in the way he wrote about blacks, showed himself to be a racist.

Furthermore, said Mr. Holloway, "when I think of Mark Twain, it sounds like a name for a little kids' school."

Mr. Twain was accustomed to having his books attacked, but this would be the first time he himself would be censored as unfit to have his name attached to a school.

For a long time, however, such an honor would not have even been imagined by Twain himself.

In 1885, a year after "Huckleberry Finn" was published, the Concord (Mass.) Public Library — on fastidiously excluding the book from its shelves — had this to say about the book and its writer:

"It is rough, coarse, and inelegant, dealing with a series of experiences not elevating, the whole book being more suited to the slums than to intelligent, respectable people."

Of all Twain's works, it is "Huckleberry Finn," of course, that has been the target, during all these years, of parents who have often succeeded in banishing the novel from school curriculums and libraries. Decades ago, the book outraged Southern whites

(all the whites in the book, except Huck, are bigots, hustlers or much worse). In recent years, blacks have been infuriated by the abundant use of the word, "nigger," in "Huckleberry Finn."



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In "What Johnny Shouldn't Read: Textbook Censorship in America" (Yale University Press), Joan Delfattore notes that in this passionately anti-racist book, the slave owners are shown as "ignorant and hypocritical.... Realistically, what should students think such people would say? 'Invite the African Americans to come in from the fields.'... Deleting the slave owners' racist comments would, ironically, make slavery look more benign than it actually was."

It would seem that during his secondary school education, Robert Holloway, who scornfully objects to having his school bear the name of the alleged racist, Mark Twain, never had a teacher tell him what "Huckleberry Finn" is all about. And why Mark Twain — who at 19 wrote of his own "ignorance and intolerance" — created this book to show how Huck too had grown out of the bigotry in which he had been reared, where Twain also was a boy.



"I should have bought baseball cards like my son told me to..."

## HODDING CARTER

# What about 'The Average Citizen'?

Time and Newsweek magazines have done the inevitable and put Bill and Hillary Clinton on their covers, separately, man and woman of the year. The prose was unashamedly gushy, the evaluations dangerously close to obsequious and the prognostications almost unreservedly optimistic. In other words, it's hominess as usual at the news magazines, which aren't in the business of making the world's most powerful couple or their readers unhappy in the first days of a new presidency.

But there is a more fitting cover story and a more appropriate symbol for the New Year than the Clintons, for whose leadership I have nothing but hope and for whose skills I have nothing but admiration. What would speak most directly to the president's and the nation's probable future would be better represented by the outline of a figure labeled, "The Average Citizen." In the middle of the blank figure's empty face would be a large question mark.

This is, after all, a democratic republic. The people get to choose, and they get to choose on the basis of news and opinion that are plentifully available. There is no way for any of us to complain that "we don't know" or "they don't tell us" about the fundamental dilemmas and choices of our time. Having for so long knowingly and consistently played the role of co-conspirators with both parties' political leadership in the debasement of the economy and social infrastructure, it is up to us to participate in their restoration.

But that is going to involve hard choices about costly alternatives. The easy part was to evict our co-conspirators from the White House, though we proved less capable of doing the same thing to Congress. Electing Bill Clinton was only the beginning, and in itself is not sufficient to do more than provide the pretext for an inauguration week to surpass all past inaugural extravaganzas. Unless we look in the mirror, recognize the enemy and do something about what we see, Bill Clinton is going to fail.

The unalterable truth is that Clinton has been elected president, not dictator. He cannot sign edicts to balance the budget or curtail health care costs or restore public civility and civic amity. He must rule through legislation and persuade with leadership, not force. In all things, he must depend on the good sense, courage and strength of the people. He and Congress will be asking for that support and looking for signs that it is forthcoming.

Take the economic situation. Which of us is ready to step forward and take a hit? The rich, who have prospered so mightily over the past 15 years or so? The middle class, which believes it is overtaxed but which pays taxes at a lower rate than its counterparts in all but one or two of the other industrial nations? Or is sacrifice supposed to be absorbed only by those who have been forced by circumstances to draw the short straw repeatedly?

Take our civic life. How much further is each discrete ethnic, religious, racial and economic

faction prepared to push the idea of entitlements and special interest claims? Or, to put it another way, which of us is willing to say that our survival as a nation depends on the restoration of unifying myths and an end to proliferating distinctions? Our great strength as a nation up until yesterday was that we were bound out of vast diversity by an overarching set of principles and precepts. E Pluribus Unum, it says on the national seal — One From Many. Do we agree it's time to drop the implicit counter-motto, From One, Many?

What about our role in the world? Do we need a monstrous enemy or a new Cold War with someone else — perhaps Japan — to sustain our commitment to involvement beyond our borders? Are we willing to take the time to sort through the conflicting evidence about the intentions of our former allies as well as our former adversaries and acknowledge that perfect clarity about either will never be possible? Can we balance the multiple definitions of self-interest in such a way that they neither overwhelm nor immobilize us? Are we ready to concede that complexity is going to make all our choices something less than tidy, and that our leaders can be wrong about them without being evil or stupid?

It's the New Year, a time traditionally symbolized by a dispersed baby left at the doorstep by an elderly, bearded gent disappearing into the background. It's the wrong symbol. Think of the New Year as a party hat instead. The people who wear it on New Year's Eve will crumple it up and throw it away in the morning, but they will remain. They — we — are the New Year.

So, too, are we all integral to the new administration. The pictures are of Bill and Hillary, and looking at them we cannot help but be optimistically expectant. But the nation is us and is ours. What we choose to support or oppose, how selfishly or unselfishly we decide, will define its future, just as what we will do for the next 12 months will define the New Year. That's the real cover story.

Letters to the editor are welcome. All letters must be signed, include the address of the writer and a daytime telephone number. Letters should be on a single subject and be as brief as possible. The letters are subject to editing.



In the middle of the blank figure's empty face would be a large question mark.

## JACK ANDERSON

# Elite cops forbidden to serve and protect

WASHINGTON — After Secret Service Officer Joseph A. Toriskie's fast-thinking led to the bust of a drug dealer last June in the crime-ridden nation's capital, most police departments might have pinned a medal on his chest.

But not in Washington, the nation's murder capital, and not by the Secret Service. Toriskie's valor was reprimanded by his superiors as "negligence in the performance of official duties," and he faced a possible 14-day suspension.

In a city where drug-related violence is rampant, and the annual murder rate is climbing ever closer to 500 (with 650,000 residents), the Secret Service Uniformed Division is not allowed to intercede unless it takes place in government buildings or foreign embassies.

Toriskie apparently should have called 911 like any other resident and taken his chances that the circuits to the emergency help number didn't ring busy as they have been known to do here.

Based on internal Secret Service memoranda, here's how events unfolded that June morning:

It was 11:30 a.m. and Toriskie was on duty, driving a Secret Service patrol car. Some local residents approached Toriskie and revealed "drug activity" occurring in a nearby playground.

After informing two fellow Secret Service officers, Toriskie turned the car over to them and proceeded to investigate the incident on foot. Toriskie then "gained access to the roof of an apartment building near the park," where he used his binoculars to scout the playground. The tip proved accurate. The young man the locals described to him was spotted pulling "a clear plastic sandwich bag containing a greenish-brown substance" from his waistband and handing it to another man.

Toriskie radioed his fellow officers in the patrol car and told them to move in for the arrest. He then left his position to join them. The suspect injured the two officers during the arrest but was eventually detained.

According to Toriskie's letter of reprimand, reviewed by our associates Dean Boyd and Jan Moller, "The U.S. Secret Service manual... provides in pertinent part that 'the USSS/UD will be preventative in nature, not investigative, and will not replace MPDC (Metropolitan Police of the District of Columbia) in any matters where the MPDC has primary jurisdiction.'"

Although a drug deal was taking place before his eyes, Toriskie was punished for responding in a way that is instinctive to most law enforcement officials. "Officers should not make unit-to-unit or post-to-post transmissions. Most radio communications should be directed through the appropriate Control Center," the Secret Service memo states.

Though the memo makes clear the Secret Service's Uniformed Division is to be a "preventative" force, a job description for Toriskie's position suggests otherwise. Under the heading, "Major duties and responsibilities," the description reads in part: "(An officer) enforces laws, statutes, ordinances of the United States and the District of Columbia and prevents, detects and investigates accidents and crimes, arrests suspects, gathers and compiles evidence and appears in court."

A spokeswoman for the Secret Service would not comment on the incident, or whether officers are routinely suspended when infringing on local police jurisdiction.

The Toriskie affair is more than a daily chapter in this city's battle against crime and drugs. It exposes a secret of one of America's elite law enforcement agencies: it is often an army without a war to fight.



Most police departments might have pinned a medal on his chest. But not in Washington.

# Bush, Yeltsin offer treaty as 'joint New Year's gift'

By RUTH BRADY  
Associated Press Writer

MOSCOW — President Bush and Russian President Boris Yeltsin, clinking glasses in a farewell toast Saturday, offered the world a "joint New Year's gift" — a treaty sharply reducing their most threatening nuclear weapons.

"The two powers that once divided the world have now come together to make it a better and safer place," said Bush at the start of a lavish Kremlin dinner launching his 24-hour treaty signing summit with Yeltsin.

Seeking to calm Russian concerns that his departure from office could slow the burgeoning cooperation between the two countries, Bush promised Yeltsin that President-elect Clinton would be a "100 percent partner."

The 100-degree temperature drop Bush experienced as he arrived here from his two-day visit to Somalia was in marked contrast to the warm reception he received on this, his third and last summit with Yeltsin since Russian independence in December 1991.

"On this momentous day, may I express our sincere gratitude to the president of the United States, Mr. George Bush, who has contributed so much to the development of the Russian-American partnership," said Yeltsin, as he toasted Bush with vodka under the gilded murals of the Hall of Facets.

The historic START II treaty, he said, is "our joint New Year's gift to the people of the earth."

The treaty assures Bush a significant niche in history as an arms control president. He has

reached three major weapons reduction agreements with Moscow since assuming office four years ago.

The dinner, with its promise of a safer world in the future, was as much an event of nostalgia. Bush was joined by his chief of staff, James Baker, who negotiated the first two arms agreements in his capacity as secretary of state.

"As I prepare to leave the presidency, I bid farewell to a man for whom I have enormous respect," Bush said.

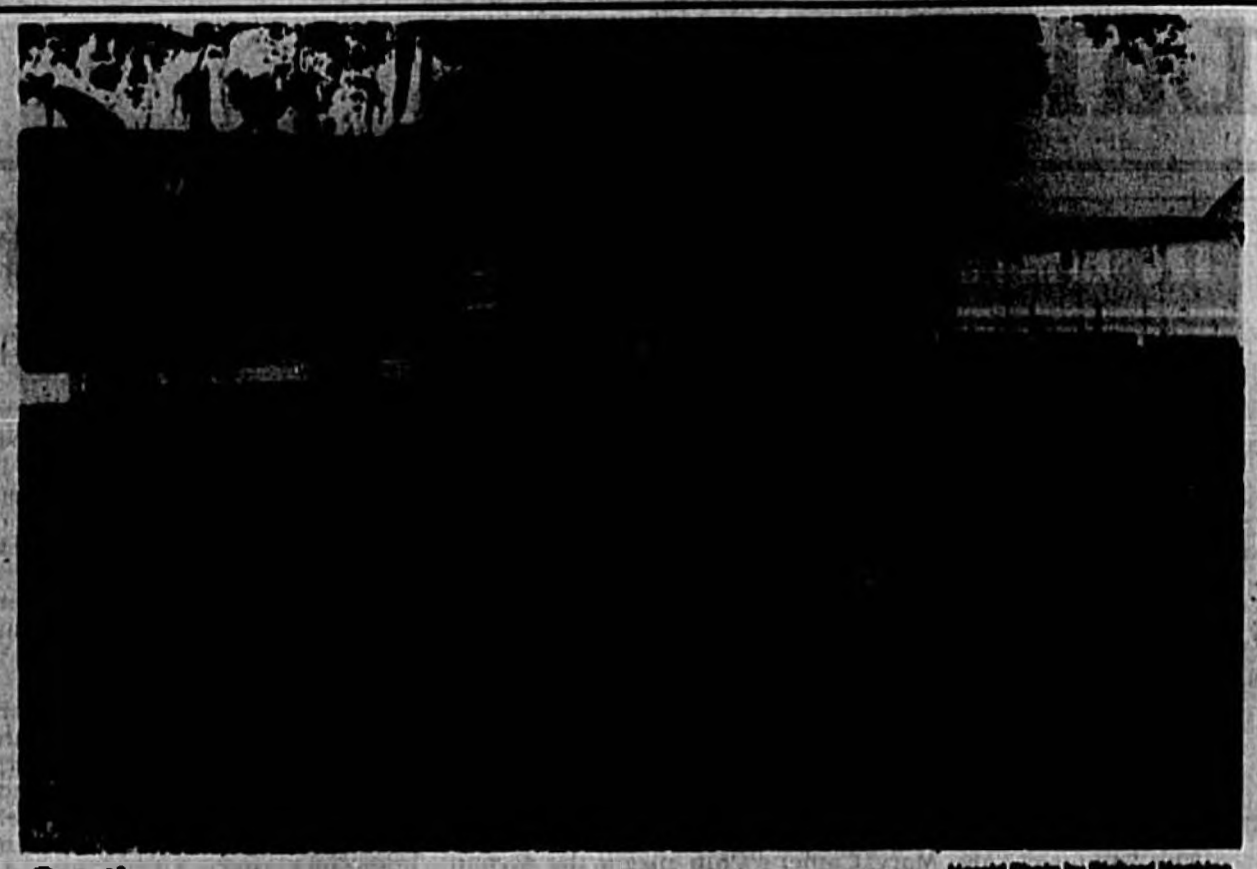
The president, on his 25 and final overseas trip, heads home Sunday after a morning meeting with Yeltsin, a signing ceremony, a joint news conference, and a Paris stop for dinner with President Francois Mitterrand.

The 30-page Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty II will reduce the number of nuclear warheads to their lowest levels since the United States and Soviet Union escalated their arms race in the 1980s.

Ten years from now, under the agreement, the two sides should have about two-thirds less nuclear warheads than their current 20,000 stockpile.

The treaty has something for each, a result of compromise U.S. officials said would have been inconceivable if the Soviet Union had not disintegrated.

"It was a fascinating time for all of us, to work with as much openness, as much candor, as much a keen desire on the part of the two negotiating sides to find solutions," said Undersecretary of State Frank Wisner.



Southern exposures

Some of the thousands of birds that have flown checked out the sign at Ft. Mellon Park recently south for the winter and settled in Sanford, and decided they liked where they were.

## Mayor

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administrator because of the 11 reasons outlined in his six-page letter.

"That doesn't mean I'm getting rid of him. It means I've lost confidence in him. I'm sorry for the letter but I hope when he sees it, he can't castigate me without a reply, that we can lay down the hatchet and work together," Lovstrand said.

For his part, McFellin said, "I do not see a professional relationship with the mayor of the city."

The two have been continually at odds since Lovstrand's election as mayor. However, disputes have escalated into verbal and written accusations only recently.

McFellin said he would provide Lovstrand "with the same courtesy I provide every other

commissioner."

The city administrator said he would continue to carry out the policies of the city commission.

"I believe he (Lovstrand) has an agenda he is going to follow. I will follow the wishes and desires of the commission, whether he agrees or disagrees or whether I agree or disagree. I will follow the directives of the commission," McFellin said.

Lovstrand insisted his six-page letter was only a defense of his actions after a page-long memo from McFellin.

"I am not going to make any motion (to fire McFellin). I have no plans to make any motion. I'm only telling the other commissioners how I feel," he said.

## Home

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been able to care for let. The only problem has been the flooding which forces Oger to call in the fire department to carry his mother upstairs to escape the water.

"That's not going to happen any more," said Pierre Abularrage, a social worker with Paragon Health Care who has been a liaison between the county and Dennis in getting the work done. "They have come through with a great package."

The development office has designated \$4,000 for repairs on Dennis' house.

According to Abularrage, the work will include installing new prehung exterior doors with dead bolts, replacing seven windows, installing a door at the back of the house, installing an apron around the outside of the house to drain water away from the house, installing locks on all

the windows, installing a new roof on the rear of the house, installing smoke detectors in the house and installing automatic exterior lights on the front and rear of the house.

"I am very, very happy they are doing this," Oger said. "This means so much to us."

Oger said that his mother is very excited and happy that the work will be done and that she will continue to be able to live at home.

In addition to the money that was designated by the county for the work, three anonymous donors have given \$50 apiece to an informal fund that is beginning to buy a piano for Dennis. Her piano was destroyed last year by flood waters in the home.

"She loves to play her gospel music and sing," her son explained. "A new piano would be a dream come true for her."

Lovstrand added he hoped, "We can get this behind us and get back to work."

## Road

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Rabun. "We wanted them to get in there and get done with it once and for all. Apparently, it's enough time because (the bonding company) is negotiating with somebody."

Hastings said Mahoney was paid a total of \$4.1 million of the \$6.8 million contract. The county will pay no more than the approximately \$2.7 million remaining in the contract amount, said Rabun. ICMA will be required to pay the balance if the low bid is for a greater amount, he said.

## Schools

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students to do drugs," Shaker said. "There's a lot of peer pressure."

According to the state Department of Education, no other district in the state had two schools named among the top schools in the state.

The state has passed along the applications from Lyman and Lakeview to the United States Department of Education for entry in the national contest.

Judges from Washington, D.C. will visit the schools over the next few months and national winners will be announced in May.

Representatives of the national winning schools will be flown to Washington, D.C. for an awards ceremony in June.

## Officials

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nate with him as well as the county, to be certain the beautification and widening work won't be interfering with each other."

Litton had earlier said he wants to get the beautification work completed by the end of construction, to avoid any continuation of traffic delays.

"If the work really gets back underway," Litton said today, "it would be a great way in which to start the new year."

"I'll be happy if work starts by next week, and even happier if it gets underway before the end of this week," said Mayor Lowry Rockett.

"We'll have to continue to closely monitor the construction progress to avoid any potential cost over-runs," he added. "A construction delay such as we've had in this project often leads to possible over-runs, and we will be watching the work to be certain this isn't used as an excuse."

Rockett said he was pleased that local firms would be used to do the actual work. "When they use Florida people," he said, "they are much more familiar

with construction needs and the availability of supplies. It will help the project move more rapidly."

Ken McDonald and John Emanuel, of The Eyes Have It Optical, in Lake Mary, have lead a boulevard merchants' drive to get construction resumed. "It would be great to see the work back in progress," McDonald said this morning, "but I won't believe it until I see it."

He added, "I just hope they're telling the truth this time, and that the work will still be done by June 14th as originally scheduled."

In September, McDonald and Emanuel had urged merchants and persons using the boulevard to join in a letter writing campaign demanding that action be taken as soon as possible to get construction back underway.

A number of people responded with letters to Seminole County Manager Ron Rabun. Almost all of the letters were copies, that required only the signature of the sender. Copies were to be sent to Governor Lawton Chiles, and the Board of County Commissioners.

## Dispute

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McFellin stated he then told Lovstrand to leave his office. "He said in words to the effect that 'I'll go when I want to.' I told Mayor Lovstrand to leave my office or I would have the police chief remove him. He reluctantly left my office."

In his response, Lovstrand said the two men disagreed about the stormwater fund as he favored making it an enterprise fund.

According to Lovstrand's memo, "The next response shocked me and may have caused me to overreact. He said, 'You don't have the votes.' I replied, 'Well, if I don't have them now, I will after the next election. If you don't listen now, it may be too late next year and you may not be the only one to go.'"

Lovstrand's description of the conversation continued, with his comments added in parentheses:

"He replied, (by this time the conversation was heated), 'Why don't you act in the interest of the people of Longwood instead of nit-picking.' I said, 'I am acting in their interests by watching their funds.' His reply, 'You're not you're acting in your own interests, you and Jimmy Ross and Steve Miller.' (Why was this necessary? He has never met Mr. Ross.)"

McFellin, in his Dec. 30 response to Lovstrand's memo, stated the name of Ross "was never used in the conversation referenced."

According to Lovstrand, both men told the other that he should resign from their post, then McFellin ordered him out of the office.

Lovstrand, in his memo, stated, "On reflection, I probably should have left his office sooner. I guess I was so shocked by his actions that I was a bit started. I do not, however, intend to take any more of this type of abuse. I was lured in, baited with rash accusations, and responded accordingly. I did not intend to bother the city commission with this. My objection was that he said all this in front of his subordinates in an effort to embarrass and belittle me."

Lovstrand concludes his response by saying, "If he (the city administrator) chooses to ignore, ridicule and subvert the actions of commissioners because he feels they 'do not have the votes,' he plays the game of politics and thus risks the consequences if that 'minority' becomes a 'majority.'"

## Fine

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Monday, the fine reached 1,138,750, the largest code fine in the county's 79-year history.

A county inspector, in August 1988, found paint cans, tires, a car frame and other garbage had been dumped on the property without a county dump permit. In October 1988, the county Code Enforcement Board fined Bobotka and the Lavals \$500 per day for violations of the county's landfill and borrow pit ordinances.

Inspectors found Bobotka had failed to comply with their orders to remove the illegally placed materials. Although the property is jointly owned, inspectors and law enforcement officials found Bobotka utilized

the property to dump debris collected by his company, JCL Landclearing Inc.

Bobotka was charged with littering by the Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission in 1991 and subsequently convicted Jan. 2. He was sentenced to a year probation and 100 hours of community service.

Assistant State Attorney Beth Rutberg said Bobotka has been released from his probation because he completed the community service requirement and removed several dumploads of debris illegally dumped at his property.

Richard Tetter, with the DER solid waste section in Orlando, said regulatory officials are considering ordering Bobotka to place several groundwater monitoring wells around the property to determine if any contamination is at the site.

If Bobotka fails to comply, Tetter said local DER officials would call in a state inspection team or inspectors from the federal Environmental Protection Agency.

"It's frustrating," said Tetter. "It's hard to know what to do when nothing gets done."

### GENE A. BESS

Gene A. Bess, 62, of Margo Drive, Longwood, died Friday, Jan. 1, at St. Mary's Hospital, Huntington, W. Va. He was born Aug. 31, 1930, in Branchland, W. Va. Mr. Bess was a postal worker and a Protestant. He was a member of the DAV and an Army veteran.

Survivors include mother, Mildred Lusher, Barboursville, W. Va.; wife, Jaunita, Longwood; daughter, Andrea V., Longwood; Martina L. Baca, Ridgecrest, Calif.; son, Thomas G., Palm Bay; sister, Donna Miller, Newark, Ohio; Marie McComas, Salt Rock, W. Va.; brother, Clyde L. Jr., George E. Lusher, John I. Lusher, all of Barboursville, and Callie L., Salt Rock; five grandchildren.

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

### THOMAS LEE DOUGLASS

Thomas Lee Douglass, 50, of Oakdale Avenue, DeLand, died Saturday, Jan. 2, at West Volusia Memorial Hospital, DeLand. Born Jan. 13, 1942, in Sanford, he was a lifelong resident of Central Florida. He retired from the Marines and was a member of Sanford American Legion Post #83.

Survivors include daughters, Teri Malcolm, Fort Pierce; Tammy, Gainesville; son, Travis, Carboro, N.C.; one grandchild.

Langford Funeral Home, DeLand, in charge of arrangements.

### LYLE F. FLETCHER

Lyle F. Fletcher, 61, of Wood-fire Way, Casselberry, died Tuesday, Dec. 29, at Martin Anderson Hospice House, Orlando. Born April 3, 1931, in Morenci, Mich., he moved to Central Florida in 1988. He was a computer program salesman and a member and elder of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Mr. Fletcher was also a member of the Professional Insurance Agents and an Air Force veteran.

Survivors include wife, Dianna J.; son, William Hostetler, Blue Springs, Mo.; stepson, Raymond E. Walker Jr., Denver; daughters, Devarine Kaye Hargrove, Tacoma, Wash.; Sandra Merth, Seattle; stepdaughter, Lisa R. Walker, Tampa; parents, Russell and Florence Fletcher, Morenci; brother, Neil, Tallahassee; sister, Doris VanWagner, Tatum, Mich.; also grandchildren.

Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home, Forest City, in charge of arrangements.

### NAROLDE "GENE" HALEY

Harold E. "Gene" Haley, 66, of Cornell Drive, Sanford, died Saturday, Jan. 2, at his residence. Born Jan. 7, 1923, in Kokomo, Ind., he moved to Central Florida in 1967. He was owner of MPE Electronics in Sanford.

Survivors include wife, Norma J.; son, Tom; Ocoee; daughters, Mariene Smith, Ferndale, Obra, Altamonte Springs; brother, Robert, Connecticut; four grand-children and five great-grandchildren.

Woodlawn Funeral Home and Memorial Park, Orlando, in charge of arrangements.

### EDITH MCGRATH

Edith McGrath, 93, of Sand-piper Lane, Casselberry, died Saturday, Jan. 2, at Florida Hospital, Altamonte Springs. Born Dec. 3, 1900, in Cincinnati, she moved to Central Florida in 1965. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include daughter, Marjorie Ryan, Casselberry; one grandchild, one great-grandchild and one great-great-grandchild.

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

### ALICE W. MORGAN

Alice W. Morgan, 66, of Hacienda Village, Winter Springs, died Friday, Jan. 1, at her residence. Born Oct. 13, 1906, in Jersey City, N.J., she moved to Central Florida in 1968. She was a receptionist for a motel and hotel.

All Faiths Cremation Service, Casselberry, in charge of arrangements.

### JEANIE ELLAN MURRAY

Jeanie Ellen Murray, 61, of 1740 Brunley Road, Chuluota, died Friday, Jan. 1, at Winter Park Memorial Hospital. Born Feb. 23, 1931, in Kodak, S.D., she moved to Central Florida in 1973. She was a homemaker and Catholic.

Survivors include husband, Lloyd Robert, Chuluota;

brothers, Allan Stratman, Sonoita, Ariz.; Omar Stratman, Kodiak, Alaska; Jim Stratman, Mes Stratman, both of Gunnison, Colo.; sister, Ardath Richards, Palmer, Alaska; Margie Nelson, Olathe, Colo.

Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home, Goldenrod, in charge of arrangements.

### SHERLEY JEAN YONKIN

Sherley Jean Yonkin, 42, of Eighth Street, Chuluota, died Friday, Jan. 1, at Florida Hospital, Orlando. Born Feb. 5, 1950, in Denver, she moved to Central Florida in 1984. She was a homemaker and a member of Church of Christ, Winter Springs.

Survivors include husband, Larry; son, Dale, Chuluota; daughter, Shanteen Yonkin, Chuluota; sisters, Tammy Sue Lopez, Lincia Perry, both of Ocoee; Cheryl Leit, Longwood; brother, Mike Perry, Brooksville; parents, Burton and Mary Perry, Ocoee.

Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home, Goldenrod, in charge of arrangements.

### GENE A. BESS

Funeral services for Mr. Gene A. Bess, 62, of Margo Drive, Longwood, who passed away Friday, will be conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Oaklawn Chapel of Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home with pastor Donald Fisher officiating. Interment will follow at Oaklawn Park Cemetery, Lake Mary. Visitation for friends will be held Tuesday from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. at the funeral home.

Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home, Lake Mary, 323-683, in charge of arrangements.

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# Lake Mary

## IN BRIEF

### Elders Affairs Commission sets meeting

The City of Lake Mary Elders Affairs Commission will be holding its monthly meeting at 100 W. Lake Mary Blvd., City Hall Chambers, on Jan. 7 at 10 a.m.

The special guest speaker will be Pam Sanders from Hospice of Central Florida.

Hospice of Central Florida is one of the oldest and most experienced hospice in Florida. The organization is known most of all for the caring professionals and volunteers, bringing hope and comfort into the homes of those facing life-limiting illness.

The Elders Affairs Commission welcomes the general public to all its meetings. We would like to invite all interested parties who wish to interact with the commission and our guest speaker.

### Camera club monthly meetings

The Seminole Lake Mary Camera Club meets the second Wednesday every month in Old Lake Mary City Hall, 158 N. Country Club Rd. at 7:30 p.m. For more information, call Grace at 321-4723 or Sel at 323-8691.

### Club takes the lead

L.E.A.D.S. to Success, a newly formed club to share business connections, will meet 7:30 a.m. Wednesday at Pebble Creek Apartments clubhouse, 780 Creekwater Terrace, Lake Mary. One of the focal points of the meeting is to exchange business cards. Only one member of a particular type of business or profession is allowed to join.

For more information, contact Marcia Kurtze 646-0609.

### Rotary meets early

Rotary Club of Lake Mary meets Thursday mornings, 8 to 9 a.m. at the Timacuan Country Club, on Rinchart Road. Contact Paul Osborne, president, at 321-4764.

### Lake Mary Optimists meet weekly

The Optimist Club of Lake Mary meets every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m., at 109 E. Crystal Lake Ave. (corner of Crystal Lake and Country Club Road). Visitors are welcome.

### Woman's Club to meet

Lake Mary Woman's Club meets the fourth Wednesday of each month. Contact Sheila Sawyer at 321-7947.

### Historical Commission gathers

The Lake Mary Historical Commission meets Mondays at Old City Hall. Contact Mary Wolff at 321-5666 for more information.

### Clogging group to have classes

Dixieland Cloggers hold classes from 7-8 p.m. each Monday at the old Lake Mary fire station, First Street and Wilbur Avenue.

### Weight Watchers meet on Thursdays

A local chapter of Weight Watchers meets at the Lake Mary Community Building every Thursday from 4:45 to 6:45 p.m.

### Youth Center open on Friday nights

Every Friday night, the Lake Mary Community Building is transformed in a Youth Center from 7-11 p.m. Area youth are welcome to participate in the fun.

### Sunbelt Daylily Club to meet

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

The club educates members on daylily growing through slide shows, guest speakers and trips to daylily gardens. A May flower show and plant sale is planned. There are no club dues. Call 888-3196 for more information.

### Let us know what's going on

The Sanford Herald welcomes announcements about social activities and club news for publication in the Lake Mary pages each Monday. There is no charge.

1. All items should be typed or written legibly and include the name of a person who can be contacted and a daytime phone number.
2. The deadline is 11 a.m. Thursday before publication.

# Home for the holidays

## Families and friends gather to make the season special

On Dec. 18, Nancy and Evert de Boer held a pre-Christmas party in their exquisite home in Heathrow. Nancy, who is from Columbia, and Evert, from Holland, make an extremely charming couple.

Their two adorable children, Michael and Patricia were fast asleep when the guest began to arrive at 8 p.m.

The hors d'oeuvres were very tasty with some being of the Spanish origin. The four desserts were heavenly and were made by Nancy and some of her lovely neighbors, Peggy Pyle, Nena Shidemanle, and Miryam del Toro.

There was an awesome chocolate mousse cake, a rum cake, a cheese cake and a very unusual cake called "Better than Sex Cake." Both a fruity non-alcoholic punch and the creative alcoholic punch were terrific.

A select group of people came from around the world as well as from Heathrow and the general Lake Mary area. Some of the guest included Thelma and John Sterrett; Nena and David Shidemanle; Peggy and Terry Pyle; Shelly and Roger Pynn; Gerri and Grant McEwan and Fay and Anton Buisling, among many others.



**LAKE MARY HEATHROW**  
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There was an elegant Christmas tree as guests entered the lovely home and in the family room was a children's Christmas tree decorated with Mickey Mouse and Donald Duck garlands.

### Christmas cheer

On Christmas evening, another congenial group of people gathered at the elegant home of Marianne and Anthony Basile for coffee and a luscious array of outstanding desserts.

Marianne and Tony were wonderful host and hostess along with their very pretty daughter, Gina.

Some of the guests enjoying the camaraderie and calories were Mary and Al Sculto; Marlon and Robert Good; Mary Jean and Thomas Walker and Dr. Wayne Rahming, among others.

The Basile's home was beautifully decorated for the holidays.

### Christmas drive helps needy

The City of Lake Mary launched its 1992 Community Christmas Drive.

Originated and financed by Police Chief Harry Benson in 1975, the event became popular in Lake Mary and the most successful of all cities in Seminole County.

Because of the strong community support, organizers had been able to reach out to many of the needy and less fortunate people of Lake Mary, providing food, toys, games and other Christmas items.

If not for the genuine spirit of giving from the community, many children would not have had a Christmas. It is during the holiday season that these families realized that others really did care.

In an effort to increase the number of new, quality books in the media center at Lake Mary Elementary School, the school has created the Book Garden Club.

With the money from its last

Book Fair, they purchased a group of very special books. Instead of putting these books directly on the shelf, the school will use them as seed books to get its library garden growing. And they need the community to help plant the books.

To plant a seed book on the shelf, think of someone special to recognize, remember, or for any reason appropriate. Then, for \$15, choose a favorite title from the seed book area. A special book plate will be placed in the book noting why and for whom the book was planted and the persons planting it. All money received from the sale of these books will be used to purchase additional books for the seed selection area. The family planting the seed book will have the opportunity to be the first to check out the book.

The first seed book has already been purchased. It was planted by the Peters' children in honor of their mother's birthday and her work as a Dividend in the media center.

For those who are interested in joining the Book Garden Club and planting a seed book, please contact media specialist Kaye Warner at 322-5218.

## Reminiscent holidays



Dividend volunteers, left to right, Cheryl Taylor, Laurie Meador, Donna Gillespy, Marie Braddock, Denise Powell and Betty Whitney, helped students make family wishes come true during the Holiday Boutique. Students shopped to fill their Christmas lists.

Herald Photos by Sarabecca Rosier



Arvida presented Heathrow's 1992 Holiday Lighting Ceremony to the delight of the community. Residents enjoyed entertainment from local

schools, gift distribution and of course a visit from Santa. Valerie Williams, left, and Mellanie Bartlett give a door prize to Michael DeBoer.



The dance group Destiny from Seminole High School was featured at the lighting ceremony.

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# Sports

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## IN BRIEF

### LOCALLY

#### Umpire clinic planned

SANFORD — The Sanford Officiating Association has scheduled an umpire's clinic for the weekend of January 9 and 10 at Sanford City Hall, 300 N. Park.

The clinic, which will begin at 8 a.m. both days, is for anyone interested in becoming an American Softball Association-certified umpire. The cost is \$20.

For more information, call Duane LaFollette, 322-9026, or the Sanford Recreation Department, 330-5697.

#### Seminole PONY registration

FIVE POINTS — Seminole PONY Baseball will be registering players for its spring leagues on consecutive Saturdays, January 9 and 16, at the Seminole PONY complex on State Road 419.

Registration, which will be conducted between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. each day, will be available to players between the ages of 5 and 16. Players must be the designated age by Aug. 1, 1993. Proof of age is required.

The registration fees are, by league: Shetland (ages 5 and 6) — \$35; Pinto (7-8) — \$55; Mustang (9-10) — \$60; Bronco (11-12) — \$65; Pony (13-14) — \$75; and Colt (15-16) — \$75. An additional fundraiser commitment of \$24 will be required at the time of registration.

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

#### Seminole Softball registration

FIVE POINTS — Seminole Softball Club, home of the 14-and-Under National Champions, will be holding registration for the Spring girls' slowpitch season beginning Saturday, January 9 and running through Sunday, January 17.

Girls, ages 6-18 may register at the Five Points Seminole Softball Club complex on State Road 419 (between 17-92 and 434 near Winter Springs) from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday's, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday's and from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday.

League play begins on Saturday, February 6. For more information, call 321-4985.

## AROUND THE HOLIDAYS

#### Miami women upset

SOUTH ORANGE, N.J. — Seton Hall took the early lead and coasted to a 73-59 upset victory over 22nd-ranked Miami in a Big East contest.

Jodi Brooks nailed 19 points and 10 rebounds for the Pirates (7-3) with Shamona Marable adding 14 points and 15 rebounds.

Miami's Vicki Plowden led all scorers with 24 points and nabbed 12 rebounds, while Holly Rillingier added 15 points and Carla Harris had 14 for the Lady Canes (5-3).

#### Bills win wild one

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. — The greatest comeback in NFL history was no big deal for Frank Reich. He's done this kind of thing before.

With no Jim Kelly and no Thurman Thomas, and in a 32-point hole (35-3), the Buffalo Bills turned to their miracle man, Reich, who engineered the biggest rally in college history in 1984 while at Maryland, hit Andre Reed with three touchdown passes and Don Beebe with one, then Steve Christie kicked a 32-yard field goal 3:06 into overtime to win it 41-38 Sunday.

#### Eagles also comeback

NEW ORLEANS — It was a game that history said no one could win, between two teams a combined 0-7 in postseason the last 12 years.

So naturally, the losers were the New Orleans Saints, who have NEVER won a playoff game.

The Philadelphia Eagles scored 26 points in 8 minutes, 20 seconds of the fourth quarter Sunday, overcoming a 13-point deficit and winning 36-20, ending their own playoff jinx.

#### Jackson should make Hall

NEW YORK — Reggie Jackson, one of baseball's all-time best postseason performers, is expected to become the 24th player elected to the Hall of Fame in the first year of eligibility when results are announced Tuesday.

Jackson, Steve Garvey and Phil Niekro are among the 14 first-time candidates.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

#### Boys' Basketball

□ Spruce Creek at Lake Brantley, Junior varsity at 6 p.m. with varsity to follow.

#### Freshman Basketball

□ Lake Mary at Lake Howell, 7 p.m.



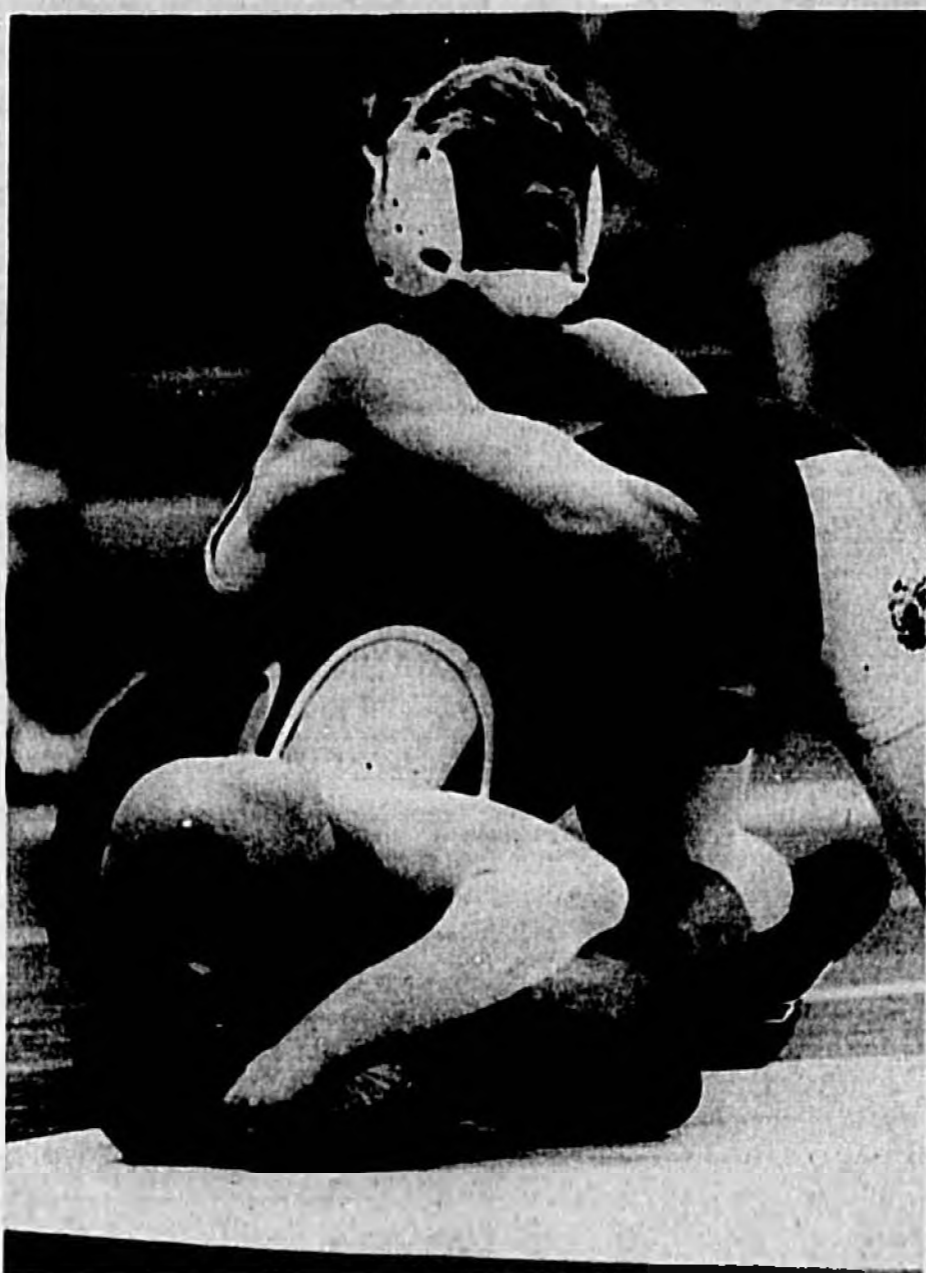
#### BASKETBALL

□ 9 p.m. — ESPN, college, Oklahoma at Duke, (L)

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# Getting back to work

## Greyhounds open '93 with quadrangle sweep



File Photo

Lyman High School 119-pounder Nicky Samero (top) ran his 1992-93 prep record to 9-0 with three victories at Kissimmee-Gateway Saturday afternoon, winning two of his matches with first-period pins.

### From Staff Reports

KISSIMMEE — There are two ways to remove rust: work it off slowly or grind it off in a hurry.

Lyman High School wrestling coach Rick Tribbit chose the latter method to get the Greyhounds back into the swing of things after their winter holiday, scheduling his team to participate in a quadrangle meet at Kissimmee-Gateway High School on Saturday.

Except for a few mental lapses, the Greyhounds picked up where they left off in 1992, sweeping through West Orange, Gateway, and Lake Weir to run their dual meet record to 6-0.

"We didn't look too bad," said Tribbit. "We looked a little rusty because of the holidays. Most of the guys didn't have a lot of competition over the holidays. We looked pretty good considering that we had a two-week layoff."

Dallas Simpson, Jason Nutt and Nicky Samero each extended their individual perfect records with three wins Saturday.

Simpson, Lyman's 189-pounder, improved to 10-0 by scoring a technical fall and a major decision before picking up a forfeit win against Lake Weir. Nutt (9-0) won his matches in the 160-pound class by decision, technical fall and 55-second pin. Samero (9-0) notched two pins and a decision at 119 pounds.

Samero was involved in one of the day's best matches, out-pointing West Orange's Kenneth Revell 3-1 in a rematch of the finals of the Lyman Christmas Tournament.

### LYMAN 22, WEST ORANGE 17

• 103 — Flores (L) by forfeit; 112 — Hunter (L) tech. fall Williams 19:4; 119 — N. Samero (L) dec. Revell 3-1; 125 — Altizer (L) pinned Cappuzzo 3:19; 130 — Stringfield (WO) tech. fall Gustin 17:3; 135 — Nison (WO) dec. Giummo 12:11; 140 — Bugera (WO) dec. Portney 6:4; 143 — V. Samero (L) pinned Sandrus 3:33; 152 — Defazio (L) major dec. McFarland 22:18; 160 — Nutt (L) dec. Schwarz 15:9; 171 — Melvin (L) pinned Scott 3:45; 189 — Simpson (L) tech. fall Correa 18:3; 220 — Diaz (L) pinned Kennedy :36; HVY — Daniels (WO) by forfeit.  
Junior varsity: Lyman 24, West Orange 8.

### LYMAN 41, GATEWAY 28

103 — Reed (G) pinned Flores 2:58; 112 — Hunter (L) by forfeit; 119 — N. Samero (L) pinned O'Neil 1:04; 125 — Altizer (L) by forfeit; 130 — Gustin (L) major dec. Lafaura 18:7; 135 — Mercado (G) pinned Giummo 1:40; 140 — Portney (L) major dec. Johnson 12:3; 145 — Santos (G) dec. V. Samero 8:4; 152 — Johnson (G) dec. Defazio 18:11; 160 — Nutt (L) tech. fall Perez 17:7; 171 — Mattos (G) pinned Melvin 3:25; 189 — Simpson (L) major dec. Cousins 12:3; 220 — Diaz (L) pinned Donawa :21; HVY — Marselle (G) by forfeit.  
Junior varsity: Lyman 33, Gateway 8.

### LYMAN 76, LAKE WEIR 6

103 — Flores (L) pinned Miles 2:22; 112 — Hunter (L) pinned Higgins 4:47; 119 — N. Samero (L) pinned Campbell :27; 125 — Altizer (L) pinned Sanduski 2:51; 130 — Gustin (L) pinned Karnes 1:39; 135 — Giummo (L) by forfeit; 140 — Portney (L) major dec. Ivey 12:3; 145 — V. Samero (L) pinned Dodge :30; 152 — Defazio (L) pinned Cole 5:34; 160 — Nutt (L) pinned Bell :55; 171 — Melvin (L) tech. fall Daley 15:9; 189 — Simpson (L) by forfeit; 220 — Altizer (L) pinned Diaz :52; HVY — Hannah (L) pinned Killebrew 1:30.  
Junior varsity: Lyman 24, Lake Weir 8.

"It's always a good match when Nicky wrestles Revell," Tribbit said. "They see each other so much. They wrestle each other all the time at tournaments and during the season."

Isaac Hunter (8-2) and John Altizer (9-1) were the only other Greyhounds to win all three of their matches.

□ See Wrestling, Page 2B

## Polar bear softball cranks up tonight

By DEAN SMITH  
Herald Sports Writer

SANFORD — The Sanford Recreation Department is wasting no time in getting its 1993 sports schedule underway. Tonight at Chase Park, the top teams in Sanford, the Super C's, kick off the Polar Bear Softball League season with three games.

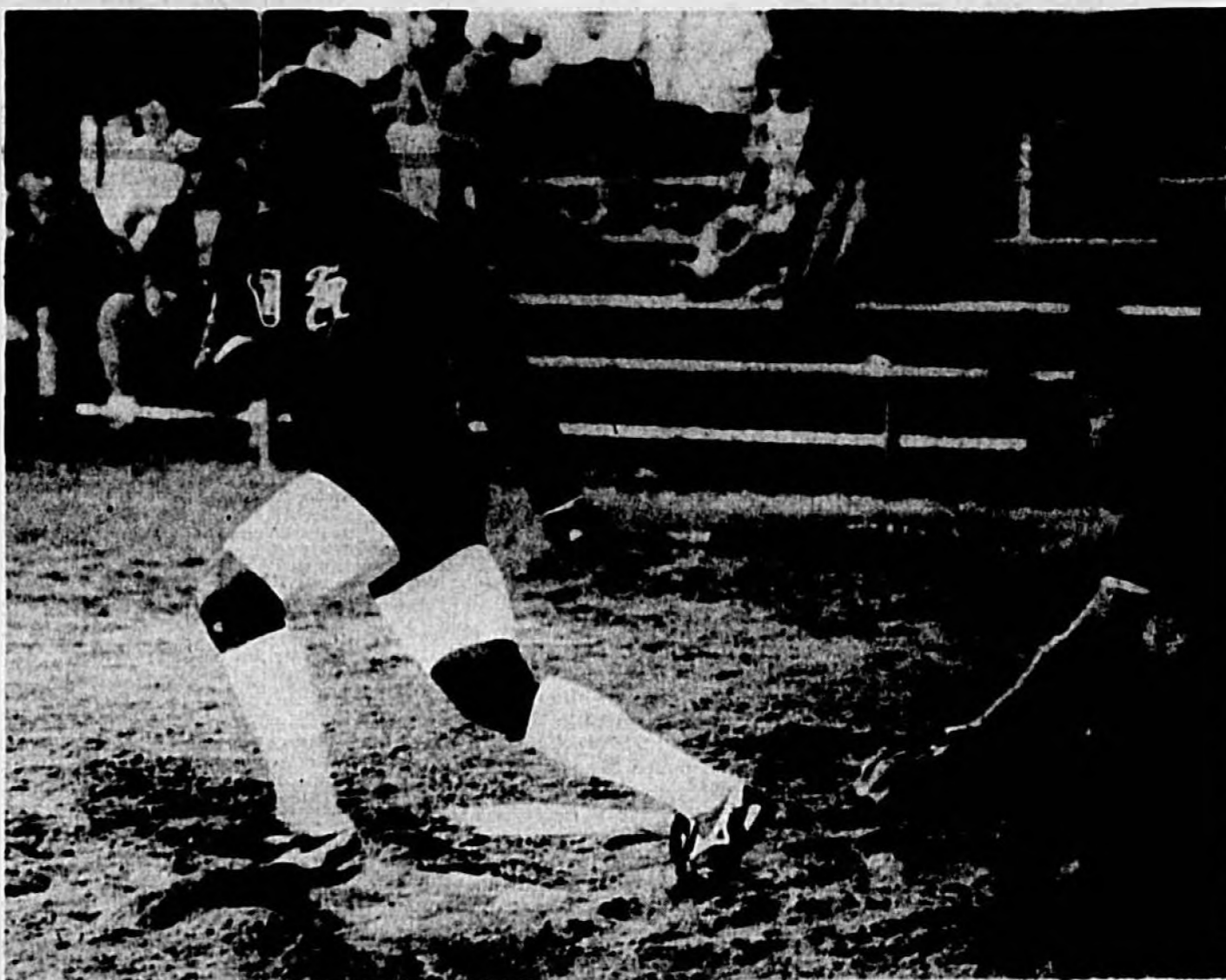
The Super C League opens a Polar Bear season that will see the Recreation Department conduct six-team leagues on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights at Chase Park.

Tuesday nights will belong to the women's league while men's C leagues will be played on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

There will also be a men's C league on Tuesday nights once improvements are finished on the Fort Mellon Softball Field. The men are tentatively scheduled to start play the first week in February, when the women move to Fort Mellon.

Tonight's season opener not only brings softball back to Sanford after a hiatus of several years.

□ See Softball, Page 2B



File Photo

Chicago White Sox outfielder and local resident Tim Raines (above) is expected to return to Sanford softball as a member of TRC in the Monday Super C League, which begins play tonight at Chase Park.

## Local preps show no signs of slowing down

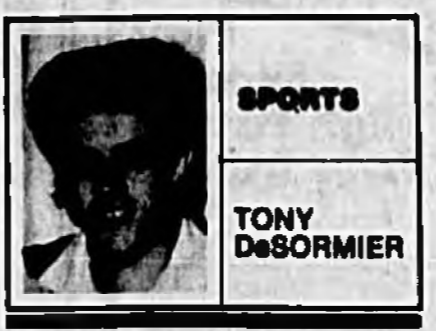
To paraphrase Joe Namath, we can't wait for tomorrow because you keep getting better every day.

As previously documented, 1992 was a phenomenal year for Seminole County high school athletics, local schools collecting five state championships during the previous 12 months. If you wish to go back to the beginning of the 1991-92 school year, that total grows to six championships in 16 months.

Supposedly, only Dade (metro Miami) and Duval (Jacksonville) counties topped Seminole's total.

And it's not as if one school were carrying the rest of the county: Seminole, the only Class 3A school of the group, captured two (baseball and boys' track) state crowns while Lake Mary (boys' tennis), Lyman (girls' soccer), Oviedo (boys' basketball) and Lake Brantley (girls' swimming) copped one each.

While the school didn't have a team state champion, Lake Howell's Brendan Buckley won an individual state crown at the Class 4A state



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wrestling tournament.

There's no reason to expect 1993 will be any less rewarding.

While making predictions is best left to psychics, recent trends and current track records indicate that the New Year will enjoy a very successful start. For example, Seminole County schools were competitive to the point of domination during holiday tournament play.

• To begin with, the Lyman wrestling team romped to the team title in its Christmas tournament. Oviedo tied for fourth while Lake

Mary finished seventh. Lyman coach Rick Tribbit also took half of his team and several wrestlers from Oviedo and finished fourth at the Sunshine Open in Tampa.

• County girls' soccer teams compiled a 13-6 record in tournament play. Lyman, Lake Brantley and Lake Howell were each 3-1 in the Burger King Classic while Seminole went 2-1 in the Flagler-Palm Coast event.

• Led by Lyman, county boys' soccer teams were a composite 15-8 during the break. Lyman went 4-0 to win the Pizza Hut Invitational, beating Lake Mary (3-1) in the finale.

• In girls' basketball, Lake Mary won the Lady War Eagle Holiday Classic, Lake Howell took second at the Evans tournament, Seminole finished fifth in the Polk Holiday Classic and Lyman placed sixth in the Lady Wildcat Invitational. As a group, the four teams were 11-4.

• At the Central Florida Classic boys' basketball tournament, Lake Brantley took second and Seminole

came in eighth.

Not a bad way to end 1992 or start 1993, depending upon your point of view.

We won't have to wait long to see how accurate an indicator the holiday tournaments are; the winter sport playoffs begin the week of Feb. 1, when the girls' soccer teams will play their district tournaments. Seminole County schools have won the last four Class 4A girls' soccer state championships.

The boys' soccer and wrestling district competitions will take place the following week. Girls' basketball district tournament play begins Feb. 18 while the boys' basketball districts up off Feb. 25.

By then, the high school baseball, slow-pitch softball, track and field, tennis, golf, and weightlifting seasons will have begun. Last year, Seminole County won three state championships in these sports and came within a game of winning a fourth. Who knows what thrills those seasons may hold.





# People

## IN BRIEF

### Al-Anon group gathers

Serenity Won, an Al-Anon group for friends and family of alcoholics, will meet each Monday, Tuesday and Thursday night at 8 p.m. at the Sahara Club, 2587 S. Sanford Ave., Sanford. Call Flora at 348-5876 for more information.

### Narcotics Anonymous meets in Sanford

Narcotics Anonymous meets Monday at 8 p.m. at the House of Goodwill, 317 Oak Ave., Sanford.

### Help for gamblers offered

Gamblers Anonymous and Gam-Anon for family and friends, meet separately Monday and Friday (non-smokers) at 7:30 p.m., Church of the Good Shepherd, 331 Lake Ave., Maitland. For more information, call 236-9206.

### Oddfellows schedule meeting

Lodge No. 27 of the International Order of Oddfellows meets the first and third Monday of every month, except July and August, at 8 p.m. at 101 Magnolia Ave., Sanford.

### Cancer support group meets

Support, Hope and Recovery, S.H.A.R., meets every Monday afternoon at 5 p.m. at Central Florida Regional Hospital in the far corner of the dining room. This is a self help support group for all cancer survivors, whether in treatment now or finished with it. Call 324-8737 or 323-7785 for more information.

### Toastmasters meet at SCC

Seminole Community College (SCC) Toastmasters Club #6881 will meet every Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., at Seminole Community College. Contact Rosella Bonham at 323-8284 for more information.

### Kiwanis Club of Casselberry meets

Kiwanis Club of Casselberry meets every Tuesday at 7:30 a.m., at Village Inn, corner Dog Track Road and US Highway 17-92 in Longwood. For information, call 831-8545.

### Weekly Lions Club meeting

The Sanford Lions Club meets every Tuesday at noon at the American Legion on South Sanford Avenue. For information, call 321-0700.

### Lake Mary Optimists meet weekly

The Optimist Club of Lake Mary meets every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m., at 108 E. Crystal Lake Ave. (corner of Crystal Lake and Country Club Road). Visitors are welcome.

### 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, 1807 Sanford Ave., Sanford.

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

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

For more information about the club, call 323-7563 or 323-1864.

### Panic Attack group to meet

Agoraphobia/Panic Attack Support Group meets each Tuesday at 8 p.m. at West Lake Hospital, 589 W. State Road 434, Longwood. The support group is for those who are afraid to go out of their house and be active in public.

### Overeaters to gather

A regular meeting of Overeaters Anonymous is conducted on Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m. at Florida Power and Light, 301 Myrtle Ave., Sanford. For more information, call Carol at 323-0857.

### 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 869-4364.

### Bridge club to meet, play

Sanford Duplicate Bridge Club meets at noon each Tuesday at the Greater Sanford Chamber of Commerce, 400 E. First St., Sanford.

### Clogging classes formed

The Old Hickory Stompers offer free beginner clogging classes. Intermediate and advanced lessons also available. Meetings are at the Deltona Civic Association on Tuesdays from 6 to 9 p.m. Call 349-9639 for more information.

# Christmas gifts need care

## Flowering plants can remain attractive for weeks

The flowering plants that you may have received as Christmas gifts (hopefully, per my suggestion) will need some care if they are to last as long as possible.

Flowering Christmas plants can be enjoyed not only during the holidays, but will remain attractive far into January and even February if cared for properly. Careful attention will add days and even weeks of life to the many popular Christmas plants.

Temperature has important influence on the length of time a flowering house plant will remain attractive. The poinsettia is especially sensitive to chilling; the plants should be placed in the coolest part of the room — but not in a cold draft. This means away from radiators and other sources of heat. A temperature of 65 degrees at night is satisfactory, but 60 degrees is better for most of the flowering potted plants. In fact, cyclamen like a 50 degree night temperature — these temperatures may seem a little chilly for us humans.

Watering methods can determine the life of most plants. Many draw on their plants by watering at regular intervals, not considering whether the plant needs it. Plant roots need air as well as water, and excessive water does not allow space for air in the soil. Overwatering literally smothers the plant roots. Water should be applied to



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thoroughly soak the soil in the pots and not more given until the soil approaches dryness again. Plants should be checked for dryness daily but not watered if the soil is still moist.

Remember that most holiday plants have been out of a greenhouse for a short period of time. The difference between a greenhouse environment and a typical indoor room is usually considerable. In the home, provide as much natural light as possible. A dark bedroom, hall, entrance foyer or living room will not provide optimum growing conditions. Place your plants where they receive the morning sun. Poor light will cause leaf drop.

Although the humidity in a house is not

easily altered plants will do best in an area of the house where the humidity is the greatest — this is usually in the kitchen. If often helps if plants are set on pebble-filled saucers with water maintained at a level just below the base of the spot so that it doesn't touch water.

Most potted plant problems can be easily detected by common symptoms displayed by the ailing plant. If detected early enough the situation can be remedied. The following is a list of the most common symptoms of foliage plant troubles.

**Brown tipped or burned margin of leaves** — caused by too much fertilizer, plants dried out temporarily, or windburn if plants are outside the house.

**Yellowing and dropping of leaves** — can be caused by chilling, overwatering, or poor drainage and poor aeration.

**Weak growth or light green or yellow leaves** — indicates too intense light, lack of fertilizer or a poor root system. Wilting — too much heat, lack of water, or root injury.

**Spindly growth and small leaves** — too little light or too high temperatures.

By giving your Christmas pot plants the best environmental conditions of proper temperature, adequate water and good light, they will furnish an attractive display for months to come.

# SCC announces leisure classes

Leisure Programs at Seminole Community College announce that the following classes will begin during the week of January 4.

**Creative Writing** — Tuesdays, 10-12, 10 a.m.-noon, at the Plant Club. Designed to acquaint the learner with the basic techniques of writing with emphasis on theme, plot, setting, characterization, and dialogue. Membership of material will be included in the course. A Writers' Workshop will also be taught on Wednesdays. Cost: \$40 per person for either class.

**Floral Design Workshop** — Wednesdays, 10-12, 7-10 p.m. This class will take beginners from the very basics of handling the tools used in flower arranging to identifying and caring for various

floral materials. Students will also learn how to perform basic wiring and taping techniques. Design concepts, floral design, corsages and bouquets, and make a variety of items. There will be three field trips to nurseries in the Central Florida area. Cost: \$140 per person, includes materials.

**Stroke Recovery for Seniors and Handicapped Individuals** — Wednesdays, 10-11 a.m. An exercise class specifically geared for seniors just getting started on an exercise program, or others of age with special limitations such as wheelchair-bound, recovering from a stroke or heart attack. The instructor utilizes many Yoga techniques such as special breathing exercises which help the students to get gentle but maximum

effectiveness out of the exercises and release stress and tension. Cost: \$17 Florida residents or \$27 Non-Florida residents for the entire course.

**Oil and Acrylic Painting** — Thursdays, 1/7/93, 11:15 a.m.-1:15 p.m. Basic to advanced techniques with emphasis on use of color, composition and perspective as applied to portrait, figure, still life, and landscape painting. Call for a list of supplies. Cost: \$20 per person.

**Karate I** — Saturdays, 1/9-2/6/93, 12:30-2 p.m. The Shotokan system of Karate for beginning and advanced students is used to assist the students in the development of basic skills through the study of body movement and reflex conditioning. Cost: \$40 per person.

# Fiancee should do the back-out boogie

**DEAR ABBY:**  
You messed up big when you told "Frustrated" she needs to "mature." (She loves to dance, but her fiance isn't much of a dancer; she offered to pay for 10 dancing lessons, but he refused.) I think she should postpone (or cancel) their wedding until he matures. If he won't do her this one small favor, there will be bigger disappointments ahead if she marries this selfish man. Abby, please get this in the paper before it's too late.

**AMY IN ALABAMA**  
**DEAR AMY:** I was inundated with letters in protest of my answer. Read on:  
**DEAR ABBY:**  
What lousy advice you gave "Frustrated." I was stupid enough to believe that I could teach my man to dance after we became husband and wife. NOT! He wouldn't even try. We attended dinner dances frequently as members of several

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organizations. While I was tapping my toes to the rhythm of the dance music, my husband sat there with a stony-faced frown, hating every minute of the evening after his belly was full.

Have you ever dressed to the hilt on New Year's Eve and sat watching everyone dancing and having a good time, while you count the minutes before midnight so you can go home? It's pure torture!

Have you ever taken a seven-hour car trip and couldn't even turn on the radio because "elevator music" gave your husband a headache? Well I have, so now you know why we aren't married anymore.

**ABONYOUS IN PEORIA**  
**DEAR ABBY:**  
I am frustrated by your advice to "Frustrated." Dancing is not the issue. Refusing to even try in order to please her is. I married a man who would not engage in any of the activities I most enjoyed. It was always a bone of contention. I wish I had had the maturity to call it off. I hope it's not too late for "Frustrated."

This time you should have advised them to both get counseling.

**SAN DIEGO**  
**DEAR ABBY:**  
Your answer to "Frustrated" missed the mark. Abby, this is not about dancing. It's about compromise.

How many times in her married life will she be required to attend business functions and sporting events that she has no interest in attending?

And this selfish man can't even take 10 dancing lessons to make her happy? This marriage will never work — and it won't be her fault.

**ONE WHO KNOWS IN SEATTLE**  
**DEAR ABBY:**  
"Frustrated" should use the money she offered to spend on dancing lessons for her fiance and treat him to a couple of sessions with a psychiatrist. He doesn't like to dance. It could be symbolic of why he isn't comfortable facing her — or getting close to her — or enjoying something that requires him to be in union with her.

Chances are, if he doesn't enjoy dancing with his fiancee, he probably won't enjoy doing anything more intimate with

her. Have I made myself clear, Abby?

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**DEAR INSIGHTFUL:** Yes. Very.

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# "Aladdin" tops box office hits

By MICHAEL WHITE  
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES — "Aladdin" granted Walt Disney Co.'s wish for a profitable weekend and earned first place in the box-office sweepstakes, topping off a strong holiday season at the nation's theaters.

"Aladdin" was projected to earn \$16 million over the New Year's weekend, displacing "A Few Good Men" as the top money-earner, said John Krier of Exhibitor Relations, which tracks box office earnings.

Aladdin rose to the No. 1 spot in its eighth week of wide release, buoyed by legions of young moviegoers on a last fling before returning to the classroom.

"It's the kids out of school," said Krier. Theaters showing "Aladdin" had "very big days the past week."

Between Christmas and New Year's Day the movie grossed \$32.2 million, a record for the period.

The previous mark of \$29.1 million was held by the original "Home Alone," said Dick Cook, president of distribution for Disney.

Movie industry earnings for 1992 were expected to reach about \$4.9 billion, up slightly from \$4.8 billion in 1991, said Krier.

Final 1992 earnings will be released later this week.

Over the weekend, "A Few Good Men." took in about \$14.2 million over the weekend.

"Home Alone 2" was in third place with \$10.2 million.

Other movies projected to be among the weekend's top 10 films were "The Bodyguard," \$8.9 million; "Forever Young," \$8 million; "Hoffa," \$5.4 million; "The Distinguished Gentleman," \$4.5 million; "Leap of Faith," \$4 million; "Toys," \$3.3 million; and "Trespass," \$3 million.

The projected earnings are based on Friday receipts and estimated Saturday and Sunday earnings.

Final figures for weekend earnings are scheduled to be released today.

# Ala. governor gives sermon

Associated Press

VESTAVIA HILLS, Ala. — Gov. Guy Hunt didn't refer directly to his recent indictment during the sermon, but he did preach about honesty and righteousness.

"The Lord says we are to have no fellowship with unrighteousness," Hunt told more than 200 people at the Sunday morning service at Vestavia Primitive Baptist Church.

"Religion should involve things of honesty and integrity right down the line," he said at another point during the 50-minute sermon, the first since his Dec. 28 indictment.

And "Our souls are made to soar above the cares of this world."

Hunt, 59, was a Primitive Baptist preacher long before he became a politician.

## Legal Notices

**NOTICE OF FICTITIOUS NAME**  
Notice is hereby given that we are engaged in business at 288 N. U.S. Hwy. 17-92, Longwood, FL 32773, Seminole County, Florida, under the Fictitious Name of PARS ASSOCIATES, and that we intend to register said name with the Secretary of State, Tallahassee, Florida, in accordance with the provisions of the Fictitious Name Statute, To-Wit: Section 855.04, Florida Statutes 1987.  
Owners: Stephen S. Parks and Merrill Fleming  
William W. Chastain, Agent for Owners.  
Parks & Associates  
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## Legal Notices

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
The Dept. of English for Speakers of Other Languages, Seminole County Public Schools, will hold a Public Hearing at 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 26, 1993, in the Foreign Student Office, 28 Pineview Street, Altamonte Springs, FL 32711.  
The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss with interested citizens the school district proposal application for a federally funded grant authorized under Section 1055 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, as amended; statutory requirements by Title VII regulations of 24CFR 85.15.  
The public is invited to review and comment on the proposed application. A draft copy will be available for public viewing on January 4, 1993 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Foreign Student Office, Altamonte Springs, FL 32711.  
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## Legal Notices

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA**  
PROBATE DIVISION  
File Number 92-81-CP  
IN RE: ESTATE OF CECIL MARSHALL LOGAN Deceased.

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**  
The administration of the estate of CECIL MARSHALL LOGAN, deceased, File Number 92-81-CP, is pending in the Circuit Court for Seminole County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Seminole County Courthouse, Sanford, Florida, 32771.

The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

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

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against the decedent's estate must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

All other creditors of the decedent and persons having claims or demands against the decedent's estate must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

**ALL CLAIMS, DEMANDS AND OBJECTIONS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.**

The date of the first publication of this notice is December 28, 1992.

Personal Representative: CECIL MARSHALL LOGAN, JR.

Attorney for Personal Representative: L.W. CARROLL, JR.

Address: LAWRENCE W. CARROLL, JR., P.A., 288 E. Altamonte Dr., 288 Altamonte Springs, FL 32711

Attorney for Personal Representative: L.W. CARROLL, JR., 288 E. Altamonte Dr., 288 Altamonte Springs, FL 32711

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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA**  
PROBATE DIVISION  
File Number 92-82-CP  
IN RE: ESTATE OF WILLIAM SULLIVAN KIRK, SR. Deceased.

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**  
The administration of the estate of WILLIAM SULLIVAN KIRK, SR., deceased, File Number 92-82-CP, is pending in the Circuit Court for Seminole County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Seminole County Courthouse, P.O. Drawer C, Sanford, FL 32771.

The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

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The date of the first publication of this notice is December 28, 1992.

Personal Representative: ASH KIRK CLARK, 288 E. Altamonte Dr., Altamonte Springs, FL 32711

Attorney for Personal Representative: ROBERT L. THOMAS, ESQ., 118 E. Samson Blvd., Altamonte, FL 32713

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DEZ-25

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA**  
PROBATE DIVISION  
File Number 92-83-CP  
IN RE: ESTATE OF WILLIAM SULLIVAN KIRK, SR. Deceased.

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**  
The administration of the estate of WILLIAM SULLIVAN KIRK, SR., deceased, File Number 92-83-CP, is pending in the Circuit Court for Seminole County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Seminole County Courthouse, P.O. Drawer C, Sanford, FL 32771.

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The date of the first publication of this notice is December 28, 1992.

Personal Representative: ASH KIRK CLARK, 288 E. Altamonte Dr., Altamonte Springs, FL 32711

Attorney for Personal Representative: ROBERT L. THOMAS, ESQ., 118 E. Samson Blvd., Altamonte, FL 32713

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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA**  
PROBATE DIVISION  
File Number 92-84-CP  
IN RE: ESTATE OF WILLIAM SULLIVAN KIRK, SR. Deceased.

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**  
The administration of the estate of WILLIAM SULLIVAN KIRK, SR., deceased, File Number 92-84-CP, is pending in the Circuit Court for Seminole County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Seminole County Courthouse, P.O. Drawer C, Sanford, FL 32771.

The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

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The date of the first publication of this notice is December 28, 1992.

Personal Representative: ASH KIRK CLARK, 288 E. Altamonte Dr., Altamonte Springs, FL 32711

Attorney for Personal Representative: ROBERT L. THOMAS, ESQ., 118 E. Samson Blvd., Altamonte, FL 32713

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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA**  
PROBATE DIVISION  
File Number 92-85-CP  
IN RE: ESTATE OF WILLIAM SULLIVAN KIRK, SR. Deceased.

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**  
The administration of the estate of WILLIAM SULLIVAN KIRK, SR., deceased, File Number 92-85-CP, is pending in the Circuit Court for Seminole County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Seminole County Courthouse, P.O. Drawer C, Sanford, FL 32771.

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The date of the first publication of this notice is December 28, 1992.

Personal Representative: ASH KIRK CLARK, 288 E. Altamonte Dr., Altamonte Springs, FL 32711

Attorney for Personal Representative: ROBERT L. THOMAS, ESQ., 118 E. Samson Blvd., Altamonte, FL 32713

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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA**  
PROBATE DIVISION  
File Number 92-86-CP  
IN RE: ESTATE OF WILLIAM SULLIVAN KIRK, SR. Deceased.

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**  
The administration of the estate of WILLIAM SULLIVAN KIRK, SR., deceased, File Number 92-86-CP, is pending in the Circuit Court for Seminole County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Seminole County Courthouse, P.O. Drawer C, Sanford, FL 32771.

The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

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The date of the first publication of this notice is December 28, 1992.

Personal Representative: ASH KIRK CLARK, 288 E. Altamonte Dr., Altamonte Springs, FL 32711

Attorney for Personal Representative: ROBERT L. THOMAS, ESQ., 118 E. Samson Blvd., Altamonte, FL 32713

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## Legal Notices

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA**  
IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA  
CASE NO. 92-189-CA-14-0  
CHASE MANHATTAN FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC., known as CHASE MANHATTAN OF FLORIDA, a banking corporation, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
ALDOH, MARIOTTI and VIVIANA P. MARIOTTI, his wife, and SUN BANK, N.A., Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE**  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on January 21, 1993, at 11:00 A.M. at the West Front Door of the Courthouse, at Sanford, Seminole County, Florida, the undersigned Clerk will offer for sale the following described real property:

Lot 12, ALAQUA PHASE I, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 23, Pages 67-72, inclusive, Public Records of Seminole County, Florida.

The above-described real property is being offered for sale pursuant to a Final Judgment entered in Civil No. 92-189-CA-14-0 in the Circuit Court of the Eighteenth Judicial Circuit, in and for Seminole County, Florida.

DATED this 10th day of December, 1992.

MARYANNE MORSE, Clerk of the Circuit Court  
By: Jane E. Jasevic, Deputy Clerk  
Published: December 28, 1992 & January 4, 1993  
DEZ-24

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA**  
IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA  
CASE NO. 92-1713-CA-14-0  
CHEMICAL MORTGAGE COMPANY, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
JOSE A. REYES, ANA T. REYES, his wife, and STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, Defendant(s).

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE**  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated December 23, 1992, and entered in Case No. 92-1713-CA-14-0, of the Circuit Court of the Eighteenth Judicial Circuit in and for SEMINOLE COUNTY, Florida, wherein CHEMICAL MORTGAGE COMPANY is Plaintiff and JOSE A. REYES and ANA T. REYES are Defendants, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in the West Front Door of the Courthouse, in Sanford, SEMINOLE COUNTY, Florida, at 11:00 o'clock A.M. on the 17th day of February, 1993, the following described property as set forth in the captioned case to-wit:

Lot 66, RICHFIELD, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 17, Page 10, of the Public Records of Seminole County, Florida.

DATED this 28th day of December, 1992.

MARYANNE MORSE, Clerk of the Circuit Court  
By: Constance V. Elern, Deputy Clerk  
Published: January 4, 11, 1993  
DEA-9

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA**  
CASE NO. 92-84-CA-14-K  
FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, a corporation, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
FRANK O. OLIVER, et al., Defendant(s).

**NOTICE OF SALE**  
Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to an order or a summary final judgment of foreclosure entered in the above-captioned action, I will sell the property situated in Seminole County, Florida, described as:

Lot 2, Block 1, ENGLISH ESTATES, UNIT TWO, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 13, Pages 61 and 62 of the Public Records of Seminole County, Florida of public sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash, at the West Front Door of the Seminole County Courthouse in Sanford, Florida, at 11:00 o'clock a.m. on February 2, 1993.

DATED December 28, 1992.

(Court Report)  
MARYANNE MORSE, CLERK OF THE COURT  
By: Ruth King, An Deputy Clerk  
Published: January 4, 11, 1993  
DEA-21

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA**  
CASE NO. 92-189-CA-14-0  
CHASE MANHATTAN FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC., known as CHASE MANHATTAN OF FLORIDA, a banking corporation, formerly known as Bankers Life Company, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
VALERIE NIXON, DONNA NIXON, DEER RUN HOMEOWNERS, INC., and UNKNOWN TENANT IN POSSESSION, known as Valerie Nixon, Defendant(s).

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE**  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that, pursuant to the Summary Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above-captioned action on the 17th day of December, 1992, I will sell the property situated in SEMINOLE County, Florida, and described as:

Lot 11, DEER RUN UNIT 1A, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 26, pages 10 and 11, Public Records of Seminole County, Florida, of public sale, to the highest bidder for cash, at the West Front Door of the Seminole County Courthouse, in Sanford, Florida, at 11:00 a.m. on the 21st day of January, 1993.

Dated: December 21, 1992  
MARYANNE MORSE, CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT  
SEMIMOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA  
Jane Britton, Deputy Clerk  
Published: December 28, 1992 & January 4, 1993  
DEZ-20

## Legal Notices

**IN COUNTY COURT SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA**  
CASE NO. 92-0988-SP-192  
CENTURY 21 ALL AMERICAN REALTY MGMT., INC. PLAINTIFF  
vs.  
HEATHER SCARR AND RODNEY & PAULA VERMILIO DEFENDANT  
BY: C. B. CRICK, Plaintiff.

**NOTICE OF ACTION**  
TO: HEATHER SCARR  
14066 MARINE DRIVE  
ORLANDO, FL 32832

You are hereby notified that an action has been filed against you in the County Court, Seminole County, Florida Summary Claims Division.

You are required to appear before MARLENE M. ALVA, a Judge of this Court, at 10:30 A.M. FEBRUARY 2, 1993, Seminole County Courthouse, Courtroom E, Sanford, Florida to answer the statement of claim filed herein. Any written answer or other pleadings must be filed with the Clerk of the Court and copies thereof furnished to the Plaintiff at PATRICK M. MAGILL, ESQ., P.O. BOX 922, ORLANDO, FL 32822.

Upon your failure to appear on the above-indicated date, a default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the statement of claim.

Witness my hand and the Official Seal of this Court in Sanford, Seminole County, Florida this 21st day of December, 1992.

(SEAL)  
MARYANNE MORSE, CLERK COUNTY COURT, SEMINOLE COUNTY, SANFORD, FL  
By: Cindy Burfield, DEPUTY CLERK  
Published: December 28, 1992 & January 11, 18, 1993  
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**Notice of Sheriff's Sale**  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that a Writ of Execution issued out of and under the seal of the County Court of Seminole County, Florida, Case #92-189-CA-14-K, against the defendant, Emerson Realty Group, Inc., a Florida corporation and Charles F. Emerson, Jr., individually, Defendant, which Writ of Execution was delivered to me as Sheriff of Seminole County, Florida and I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of the defendant, Emerson Realty Group, Inc. in and to the following described property, said property being located in Seminole County, Florida more particularly described as follows:

The contract rights of Emerson Realty Group, Inc. in that certain Agreement by and between Emerson Realty Group, Inc., Charles F. Emerson, Jr. and Real Estate One Keys dated January 22, 1992, and the undersigned as Sheriff of Seminole County, Florida, will at 11:00 A.M. on the 4th day of February, A.D. 1993, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder, FOR CASH IN HAND AND SUBJECT TO ANY AND ALL EXISTING LIENS, at the West Front Door of the steps of the Seminole County Courthouse in Sanford, Florida, the above described property.

That said sale is being made by the terms of this Writ of Execution.

Donald P. Estinger, Sheriff  
Seminole County, Florida  
Published: January 11, 18, 25, with the sale on February 4, 1993.  
DEA-27

## Legal Notices

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA**  
IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY  
Case No. 92-189-CA-14K  
General Jurisdiction  
FLEET REAL ESTATE FUNDING CORP., Plaintiff,  
vs.  
SHARON J. SHANK, ET AL., Defendant(s).

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE**  
BY: C. B. CRICK, Plaintiff.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Maryanne Morse, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Seminole County, Florida, will on the 21st day of January, 1993, at 11:00 a.m. at the West Front Door of the Seminole County Courthouse, in the City of Sanford, Florida, offer for sale and sell of public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described property situated in Seminole County, Florida, to-wit:

LOT 9, ALOMA BEND TRACT IV, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 22, PAGES 49 THROUGH 53, PUBLIC RECORDS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA,

pursuant to the final decree of foreclosure entered in a case pending in said Court, the style of which is: FLEET REAL ESTATE FUNDING CORP. vs. SHARON J. SHANK ET AL.

WITNESS my hand and official seal of said Court this 19th day of December, 1992.

(SEAL)  
MARYANNE MORSE, CLERK  
BY: Dorothy W. Bolton, Deputy Clerk  
Published: December 28, 1992 & January 4, 1993  
DEZ-21

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA**  
IN AND FOR SEMINOLE COUNTY  
Case No. 92-043-CA-14K  
General Jurisdiction  
FLEET MORTGAGE CORP., Plaintiff,  
vs.  
ANTHONY ROBERT RODRIGUEZ, If living, et al., Defendant(s).

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE**  
BY: C. B. CRICK, Plaintiff.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Maryanne Morse, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Seminole County, Florida, will on January 21, 1993, at 11:00 a.m. at the West Front Door of the Seminole County Courthouse, in the City of Sanford, Florida, offer for sale and sell of public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described property situated in Seminole County, Florida, to-wit:

LOT 12B, REMINGTON OAKS AT THE CROSSINGS ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 28, PAGES 48 THROUGH 76, PUBLIC RECORDS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA,

pursuant to the final decree of foreclosure entered in a case pending in said Court, the style of which is: FLEET MORTGAGE CORP. vs. ANTHONY ROBERT RODRIGUEZ, If living, et al.

WITNESS my hand and official seal of said Court December 16, 1992.

(SEAL)  
By: Jane E. Jasevic, Deputy Clerk  
Published: December 28, 1992 & January 4, 1993  
DEZ-27

## CLASSIFIED ADS

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71—Help Wanted

ASSEMBLY... Your knack for putting things together will win this one!! AAA EMPLOYMENT 700 W. 20th St., 322-2176

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HAPPY ELVES CHILD CARE CENTER... Lk. Mary needs qualified exp. caregiver/teacher. Immediate opening for capable, loving person. Call 321-2284

Help Wanted Male Service... Must be able to pass poly-graph and bonded. 321-7699

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71—Help Wanted

Newskeeper/Nanny... Non smoker. Must have car. References. Serious minded and responsible only. 322-9253

LAWN MAINTENANCE... Must have 3 yrs. COMMERCIAL exp. & transportation. Turf Mowers... 322-1461

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MOVE UP TO Management! Restaurant & Retail. Management Job. \$33K start. Fax, B.C. Mgmt., 644-0278

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OFFICE ASSISTANT... A little of this... a little of that! Eye for detail holds the key! Nice boss needs you on the payroll today! Hurry!!! AAA EMPLOYMENT 700 W. 20th St., 322-2176

OUTSIDE SALES REP... Experience in cold calling counts here! National company, top benefits! AAA EMPLOYMENT 700 W. 20th St., 322-2176

PACKER/INSPECTOR... Growing plastics company looking for motivated individuals for the molding department. Experience helpful but will train. 12 hour shifts, 7-7. Drug free workplace. Apply 1000 Sand Pond Rd. Lake Mary... 322-1111

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Welder/Painters & Carpenters... Needed Now! 98-614 hrs. Some Overtime. Will train several helpers. Fax 1-822-1216, J & H World, Inc.

WORKERS NEEDED!!! DAILY WORK, DAILY PAY!! Report of AAM: 2100 S. French Ave, Sanford

71—Help Wanted

Sales Person... Electronic & Appliance Experience Required. Full time. Salary plus commission. Room for advancement, major medical benefits. Apply in person: FARMERS FURNITURE 2400 S. French Ave., Sanford

SECRETARY... Typing, computer and word processing skills required. Spelling, grammar also essential. Reply in detail to P.O. Box 1945, Sanford, FL. 32773-1945

SECURITY... Part time, Sun-Thurs. Nights, Sanford Area. License preferred, but not necessary. 1-407-322-7777 Lv. msg.

SECURITY OFFICERS NEEDED... Part time, days, nights and weekends. Exp. in military police, law enforcement or basic security helpful. Class D or temporary license required. Apply in person at Flea World Security Dept. from Thurs-Sunday, 10AM-5PM, Hwy 17-92, Sanford. Ask for Ramos, 644-7187

Sheet Metal Person... Experienced, roofing related. Drivers license required. Call (407) 648-6134

SHOP HELPER... Learn the business from the ground up! Terrific career opportunity benefits! AAA EMPLOYMENT 700 W. 20th St., 322-2176

TELEMARKETERS... To 99 hr. plus bonus. Experience preferred, but not necessary. Many positions available. 407-648-6134

Telephone Sales... Incoming calling, 640-6400 per wk. Call today! 407-648-6134

Veterinary Kennel Assistant... Responsible person to care for animals and facility. Average 30 hrs per week. Apply: 1015 W. 20th St., Sanford

WAREHOUSE AND GENERAL LABOR HELP NEEDED!! Bonus for drivers. All shifts available. Daily pay, no fee. Report ready to work 3:30 am, Industrial Labor Svc., 1018 French Ave. No phone calls

Welder/Painters & Carpenters... Needed Now! 98-614 hrs. Some Overtime. Will train several helpers. Fax 1-822-1216, J & H World, Inc.

WORKERS NEEDED!!! DAILY WORK, DAILY PAY!! Report of AAM: 2100 S. French Ave, Sanford

KIT 'N' CARLYLE by Larry Wright



97—Apartments Furnished / Rent

SANFORD - 1 bedroom apt., complete privacy. Excellent area! \$65 per week plus \$200 security. Call 322-2299

SANFORD'S Best kept Secret! Pool & Laundry, 1 & 2 Bedrooms Convenient location! Call 322-2668

1 BEDRM. garage apartment in quiet Sanford area. \$280/mo. plus 1 mo. deposit. 322-2228

1 BEDROOM apartments. 675 and up plus deposit. References. No pets. 322-2243

101—Houses Furnished / Rent

SANFORD - 2 bedroom, house, complete privacy. 1 block from new hospital. \$110 per week plus \$200 security. Call 322-2299

103—Houses Unfurnished / Rent

DOWNTOWN Lk. Mary - Cozy 2 bdrm. 1 bath. \$480/mo. plus deposit. Call 321-9870

GOVIEVIEW - 3 bdrm., 2 bath, new carpet & paint. Family rm., appliances, garage. \$480/mo. SANFORD - 2 bdrm. 1 bath, fenced, carpeted. \$425 Call 322-2668

NICE 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central H/A, lg. fenced yard. \$380/mo. plus security Call 321-3888

SALE OR LEASE! Great 5 1/2 w/pool, 5 acres! B. Simons Realty, 322-9987/322-9988

SANFORD - 3 bdrm., 1 bath, new, remodeled, lg. pool and lot, fruit trees. \$450/mo. 407-574-0948

Stenstrom Rentals

92/2 Pineridge Club, pool, tennis ct., all appls., wash-dryer. \$325 mo. \$289 sec.

92/2 SANFORD - 1 1/2 duplex w/living rm., porch, new paint, blinds. \$295/mo. \$289 sec.

SANFORD, 3/1 duplex, with garage, CHA, lg. rms., w/ra. complete. \$450/mo. \$420 sec.

92/2 APARTS VILLAS, 2/2. Private, lg. garage, all appls., outside patio w/privacy, lg. rms. \$375 mo. \$369 sec.

Stenstrom Realty, Inc. Property Mgmt. Jim Boyce 222-2668 After 5PM: 322-2668

WE NEED Someone County homes to rent! For free quote, call: ND REALTY, 322-2668

WINTER SPRINGS - 704 E. Edgemoor Ave. Quiet 3 bdrm., 3 bath, fenced, central H/A, garage. \$380/mo. \$350 sec.

3/2 DUPLEX (PHONE 508 1-4) 92/2 SANFORD, 3/1 duplex, w/central H/A, lg. fenced yard, pool, and H/V 44 \$425/mo. 697-3071

105—Duplex/Triplex / Rent

LAKE MARY - 127 E. Lake Mary Ave. Modern 3 bdrm., 2 bath duplex. Velma complete, fenced, heat-up. Trees, very private. \$465/mo. 677-9716 or 321-2668

LAKE MARY, 3 bdrm., w/w carpet, C/H/A, ceiling fans, fenced yard, good area. 321-6788

LOVELY modern 2/1, good neighborhood. For free quote, scrn. porch. QUIET. 322-2212

107—Mobile Homes / Rent

ONE BEAMA, furnished, Part. Ave. Mobile Park. Quiet convenient. 322-2661

OYSTEEN - 4 bdrm. doublewide, 5 1/2 acres, near St. John's River. \$480/mo. 322-2670

114—Warehouse Space / Rent

FREEZER, PLUS Warehouse, walk in freezer, 2,400 SQ. FT. 701 Cornwell Rd., Sanford. 322-2670 ask for Eleanor Smith

LONGWOOD/LAKE MARY. Mid-size storage warehouse. 650-650 sq. ft. Free rent w/12 mo. lease. from \$145/mo. 321-2668

LONGWOOD/LAKE MARY area. 1,800-2,400 sq. ft. with or without A/C offices. 322-2668

SANFORD - 200 N. Elm Ave. 20,700 sq. ft., both offices, Brick - truck lift, sprinkled. 40V - 3 phase service. LI. man. or distribution ctr. 322-2668

SECURITY WAREHOUSE 4A and Old Lake Mary Blvd. \*1,200 - 3,000 sq. ft. of office/warehouse \*Finished office space from \$100/mo. Knapdale Realty, 1-800-1132

WAREHOUSE, mg. contractor. 2000 sq ft - 12 ft. doors. 9000 sq. ft. open fenced yd., lighted. \$300/mo. OFFICES w/ A/C. \$100/mo. 205 S. Morris. 407-340-2148

118—Office Space / Rent

NEW Sanford offices and/or warehouse. 400-2,000 sq. ft. Special. 322-2668

121—Condominium Rentals

NICE CONDO, w/BBQ, wash-dryer, Pineridge Club Res. rent plus dep. 321-1244

141—Homes for Sale

FHA OR VA AS LOW AS 3% Gov't Foreclosures, Reposs/Assume No Quality Homes! Owner financing. Seminole, Orange, Volusia.

Sanford less than \$1,000 down

Pinetree - renovated, carpet, appliances, fenced yd. \$49,900

Remodeled like new 2/1, tpic. appl., new paint. \$58,500

Pool Home! In cul de sac. 3/2, renovated. Garage. \$69,900

3/2 on 1/2 acre. 1700 sq. ft. tpic. appl., dead end street! \$39,000

Assume No Qualities! 2 1/2 on 1/2 acre! Fenced, cul de sac, dead end street. \$64,900

Additional homes avail. Less than \$7K down!

Lk. Mary custom built 3/2, 3 car garage. Liv. din. fam. rms. fireplace, sec. system. \$85,800

Lk. Mary renovated like new 3/1, garage. fenced yd. \$39,900

BATEMAN REALTY

Lic. Real Estate Broker 340 Sanford Ave. 321-6789 321-2257

HALL REALTY

ENJOY THE COUNTRY ATMOSPHERE offered by this 3 bdrm., 2 bath w/family rm. on almost 1/2 acre! Raised patio overlooks oak forest!

LAKE MARY 3 bdrm., 2 bath w/family room, central H/A, fenced yard, garage, walk to golf course. \$47,900 Owner financing with \$15,000 down. BANK REPS 323-5774

GENOVA - Cute 2 bdrm., 1 bath in town, tiled family room, new roof/carpet, \$44,900 1-866-317, leave message

LEASE PURCHASE - 3/2 mobile, \$900 mo. Includes all. Other terms avail. 669-8071

LOOK

3 and 4 bdrm. homes available in Seminole and Volusia Counties. NO DOWNPAYMENT TO QUALIFIED BUYERS! INTEREST RATE AT 7.5% FIXED. Gov't rep. bank foreclosure. Assume no quality mortgages! Low monthly. Call for details!

Janet Hancock, 322-7271 AA Cards, Inc., 268-1294

Century 21

Owner Financing \$4,000 down, \$484.01/mo. for 30 yrs. 3 bdrm., 2 bath, C/H/A, garage. \$45,888 322-6768

Alot of SPACE, a little price! 1,300 sq. ft. 3 bdrm., 2 bath, lg. private & fenced yard. \$69,900

NEAT OPER floor plan 3 bdrm., 1 1/2 bath w/family rm. Inside utility and garage. \$55,900

REDUCED to sell! 3 bdrm., 1 1/2 bath w/pool, garage. Walk to school/shopping. \$51,900

SANFORD - \$2,000 plus closing fees you set! Owner financing. 3 bdrm., completely renovated, new roof, doors, window, deck, carpet, counter tops, etc. Central air. Includes all! Only \$12,000 down! Investors Realty, 774-9415

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We list and sell more property than anyone in the Greater Sanford/Lake Mary area.

PARTASTIC 4/2 in Maitland. like new! New carpet, updated kitchen, oak floor in master, left bdrm. w/bath! much more! \$167,500

WHAT A BUY! This 3/2 apt/condo home is on a beautifully landscaped lot. Scr. porch, high ceilings, security system, great floor plan! \$65,500

A FINE FIND IN THE "FOREST"! 3/2 immaculate in mobile home community. Enjoy pools, spa, tennis, crafts and more! \$65,000

CALL ANYTIME 321-2720 322-2420

3640 Park Dr., Sanford 641 W. Lake Mary St., Lk. Mary on Our 30th Year

141—Homes for Sale

NEW Homes \$49-79K + Land. Your lot or any lot in San. Co. All sites incl. appls. Model upon Hwy. 92 Deland. Call (904) 822-0400

OVERDO/TWIN RIVERS Levely 4/2, 2,327 sq. ft. Owner Ready To "ACTION OFF" Taking bids, Doug Richardson SunFlorida Realty 345-0888 or 345-1703... \$134,900

153—Acreage-Lots/Sale

OCALA NAT'L FOREST. Wooded lots! \$5,750 each, no money down! \$21.41 monthly. 1-800-992-5226

OYSTEEN, 10 ACRES! Deluxe 2/2 doublewide. Fenced, wooded. \$120,000

OYSTEEN, 10 ACRES! V.A. CHULUOTA. Beautiful vacant lots. From \$12,900 - \$35,000. Selective Realty... 364-4320

Where Can You Find... Over 9 acres for under \$26,000! Right on Maywood Rd. E. of Osteen. Owner terms possible. HURRY!

CALLBART REAL ESTATE 322-7498

155—Condominiums Co-Op / Sale

ORLANDO - Yambertan On The Lake - 2/1, nice carpeting, range, refrig, air, pool, etc. \$34,900. WINTER SPRINGS - 2 1/2 bdrm., 2 bath, kitchen equipped, vertical blinds, nice carpet, lg. porch, pool, etc. \$47,900 Owner will finance both. 328-4711

157—Mobile Homes / Sale

WHY PAY RETAIL! New 1993 mobile homes! 14X70 \$130/mo. 34X70, \$275/mo. 365-5709

1979 PARK Model, furn., 12X35, w/central FL rm., 18X36, all exc. cond. Must see! \$22,900

12 Oaks Campground. Ready to move in! \$12,500. 322-1792 for appointment.

198 DDL WIDE, furnished 2/2, two porches, shed, Carriage Cove. \$15,900 Call 322-7467

160—Business For Sale

PAPER ROUTE - Orlando Seminole. Circulation 230 daily, 410 Sunday. \$30,000 plus per year income. 2-3 hr. per night, appls./car/mo., Cassalberry area. Must see! Sacrifice! \$18,000 cash. 321-8249

165—Duplex for Sale

SANFORD DUPLEX - 1 bdrm. each, good neighborhood. \$39,900 Will finance. Call 407-574-9044

101—Appliances / Furniture

BED. Brass queen size, oriole mattress, new still in box. Call 322-2668, 321-6411

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DESK - wooden, medium size with glass top, 7 drawers. Very good condition. \$129. 407-646-7141

DISH WASHER - Westinghouse, white, energy saving, works good. \$79. 321-1792

DOUBLE BOX Spring-matt. Sets. Big selection-645 & 616. LARRY'S MART... 322-4122

DRESSER AND VANITY combines 7 drawers plus matching chair, white, easy care finish. Like new! \$65 322-8643

ETHAN ALLEN maple dining table with clock and timer. Clean. \$79.00... 322-2668

GAS RANGE - Tappan, green with clock and timer. Clean. \$79.00... 322-2668

GRABBER-REFRIG-SINK - All in 1 unit. 2 burners. stainless steel sink, 200V. Exc. for offic. appl. Reduced to \$123-6474

REFRIGERATOR, Small electric 3.5 cu. ft. Must Sell \$80. 321-7747

SEASONS GREETINGS FROM A-1 BEST! Get the best deal on used washer/dryer. Good brand. Free delivery! 321-3245

103—Television / Radio / Stereo

TELEVISION SET 17" RCA Color/kr. channel lock w/remotes. \$100. 322-2668

107—Sporting Goods

KNIVES Custom made or repair. Call Mem. 322-2668

109—Office Supplies / Equipment

OFFICE SWIVEL CHAIR - Brown cushion, orms. \$25 322-2668

105—Lawn & Garden

LAWN MOWER - Sell protected. 2 in cut. Dymk Mark 3.5 HP Briggs & Stratton. \$80. 321-7299

109—Pets & Supplies

NOTICE: Florida Statute 326.31 states that all dogs and cats sold in Fla. must be at least 8 weeks old, have an official health certificate, proper shots, and be free of intestinal/external parasites.

HAPPY START PUPPY CLASS For pups up to 10 wks. Basic training. It's easy! 321-3143

215—Boats and Accessories

BASS BOAT, 1986 15 ft. 40HP Mercury, trolling motor, trailer, extras, good cond. \$2500. Call 322-2668

215—Boats and Accessories

10 ft. BOWRIDER - 165 HP 170. About 35 hrs. Immaculate, w/trailer/cover. Must Sell \$10,500 OBO 327-4339

1994 SKI/FISH Boat, 90 HP Merc., w/trailer. Runs great. \$3500. Call 322-2668

1988 BRVETTE - 120 HP 170 w/trailer. \$5,000 OBO Must sell! 321-7426 after 7PM

86 SKREER Tournament Bass Boat, Merc XR2 130, w/cover, exc. cond. \$4,000 322-3548

88 PRO 17, BassTracker Boat & Trailer, 35 HP merc. AM/FM cass., fish & depth batteries, gauges. ONLY \$3800. 322-4748 Lv. Msg.

217—Garage Sales

GARAGE SALE AD BARGAIN Call in your garage sale ad by 12 noon on Tuesday and take advantage of our special garage sale ad price! Call Classified new for details! 322-3611

221—Good Things To Eat

HAVEL ORANGES, Red Grape Fruit, U Pick W. pick. Open Daily. Meriwether Farms. 3461 Cotery Ave. CR.415

223—Miscellaneous

A Happy Christmas! AND Merry New Year! 2 U Heavy Crown Poin... 322-6764

OFFSTEE road/black trunk, 31" X 17" X 17" steel. Lined with tray. \$28. 322-5004

JACUZZI, seats 4, Maroon marblelike, auto timer+jets, w/wired cab. \$1099. OBO take payments/cash. 322-2668

BROWING MACHINE Sears Lifestyle 2000, like new! Makes exercise fun! New, \$130, sell for \$75. 325-4340

TONING TABLES (7) - Sunfane, easy exercise... \$3,000 Call 322-2668

UNIDEN TRANSPORTABLE CELLULAR CAR PHONE. \$125 OBO 904-383-4734 or 1-379-9223

230—Antique/Classic Cars

BUICK LESABRE CLASSIC - 1964, runs good. \$1,999 OBO Call 322-2668

BUICK SKYLARK - 1964, 2 door, 300 V-6, runs. \$6000. \$1100. \$300

**BLONDIE**

by Chic Young



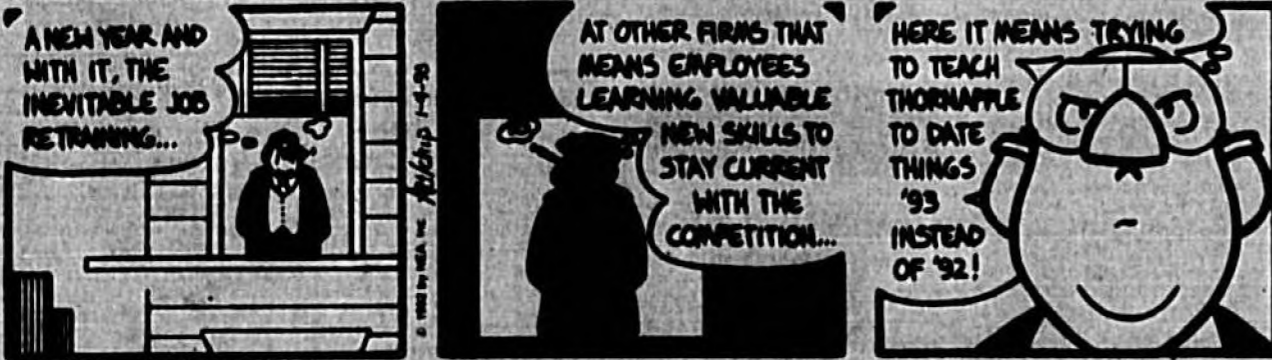
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by Mort Walker



**THE BORN LOSER**

by Art Sansom



**PEANUTS**

by Charles M. Schulz



**BEK & MEK**

by Howie Schneider



**TUMBLEWEEDS**

by T.K. Ryan



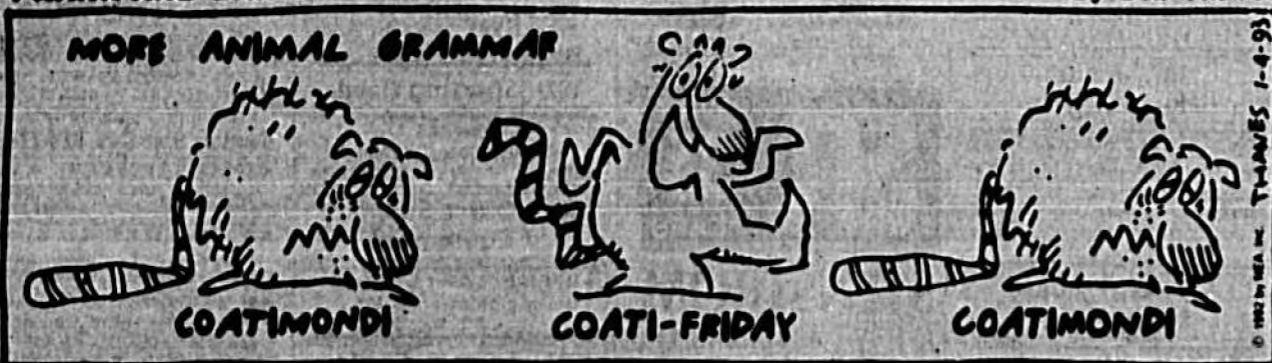
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by Jimmy Johnson



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by Bob Thaves



**GARFIELD**

by Jim Davis



**ROBOTMAN**

by Jim Meddick



**Is low energy level a sign of illness?**

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** Do all persons have the same amount of energy and drive? I'm constantly criticized because I am unable to do the amount of work that many my age or older are able to perform.

**DEAR READER:** Energy levels are highly individualized and may vary from time to time within the same individual. For example, some people who are bored at work experience a loss of energy; at home, however, when they're involved with an interesting project, their energy levels return to normal. This is all very subjective, but I raise the issue in hopes that you will analyze your work patterns to discover if interest or boredom plays a role.

If you honestly feel "pooped" all the time, you should see your doctor for an examination. You might be anemic or have an underactive thyroid gland. Perhaps you're not sleeping well, so you're tired a lot of the time. Could alcohol consumption play a part in your loss of energy? Perhaps you're depressed and feeling emotional strain; this can be very draining.

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** Please provide information on proteinuria. What is the cause, treatment and what type diet should I follow?

**DEAR READER:** The kidneys were designed to filter out waste products from the blood and eliminate them in the urine. The reverse of this is that the kidneys also conserve many substances and prevent them from being excreted. Protein is one such substance. It should not be present in the urine.

When proteinuria is discovered, during a routine urinalysis, doctors worry about the possibility of serious medical conditions, such as nephritis. Actually, proteinuria may reflect a whole host of medical ailments that affect the kidneys, ranging from

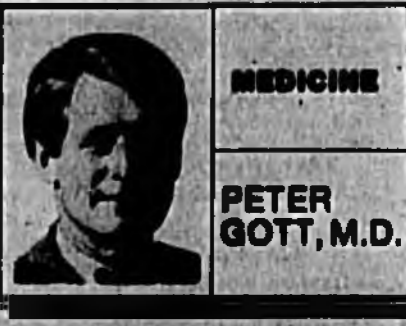
cancer to lupus. A person with protein in the urine should be thoroughly tested with blood analyses and X-rays to determine the cause of the problem.

**ACROSS**

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- 13 Insects
- 14 Taboo item
- 16 Spanish hero
- 18 Of bees
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- 22 Ancient city
- 23 Cricket positions
- 24 Smear
- 27 Wheel projection
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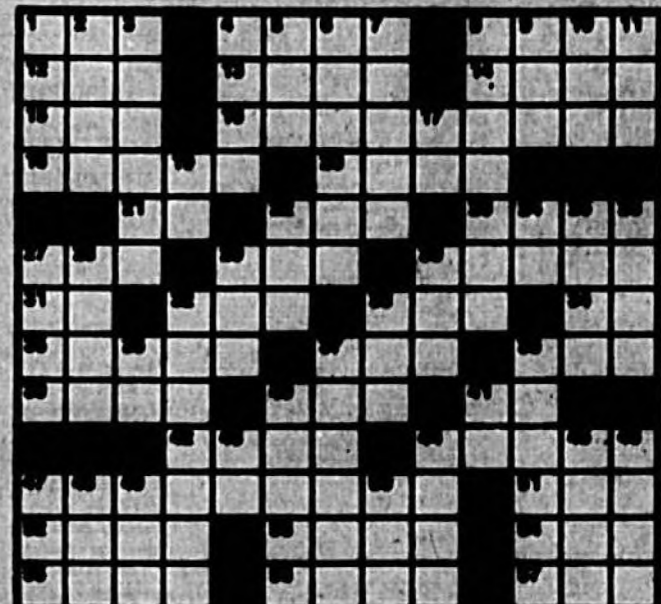
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- 2 Cut
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- 4 Put on solid food
- 5 Apr. 15
- 6 Getting higher
- 7 Irish poet
- 8 Took off (a ship)
- 9 Brown bird
- 10 — — — — —
- 11 Parcel of land



**MEDICINE**

**PETER GOTT, M.D.**

Answer to Previous Puzzle



- 17 Estate
- 18 A letter
- 22 For instance
- 24 Southwest
- 25 Great Indians
- 26 Actor —
- 27 Female student
- 28 Time — —
- 29 half
- 30 Montreal
- 31 Accounting
- 32 — — — — —
- 33 100, Roman
- 34 Auto co.
- 37 Concentrated
- 38 Football talk
- 39 Animal enclosure
- 41 — radio
- 43 — — — — —
- 44 Two words of under-standing
- 45 Of down
- 46 Portion of medicine
- 47 Assurance —
- 48 — — — — —
- 49 Hockey great
- 50 French season

**By Phillip Alder**

Laurence J. Peter once said, "An economist is an expert who will know tomorrow why the things he predicted yesterday didn't happen today."

Well, at the bridge table, experts are usually able to anticipate what will happen tomorrow (the next few tricks) — it is part of the art of winning at the game.

Take today's deal as an example. How would you have planned the play in five diamonds, West leading the spade king?

North's bid of three spades was Minor-Suit Stayman, which is often played in conjunction with transfer bids. However, it is unusual to employ the convention with only four high-card points. But note that here three no-trump is hopeless after the spade-king lead. Regardless, South showed amazing restraint

in passing over five diamonds.

If you take the trump suit in isolation, it is normal to lead low toward the queen on the first round. Here, though, that line of play contains a hidden risk. If East can win the trick with the diamond ace and switch to a heart, you will go down if the heart finesse fails and you lose another trump trick.

There is a virtually guaranteed line of play. After winning with the spade ace, ruff a spade in the dummy. Then lead a trump and make the strange-looking play of finessing your 10. West is welcome to win with the jack if he has it, because he cannot attack hearts. After driving out the trump ace, you can discard your heart losers on dummy's club suit. With the given layout, you even collect an overtrick.

Always treat each suit within the context of the deal as a whole.

**By Bernice Bede Oost**  
**YOUR BIRTHDAY**  
Jan. 5, 1993

In the year ahead don't quit if the objectives you're striving for aren't achieved on your initial try. Adversity is a character builder and you will eventually succeed.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) In order to arouse the spirit of cooperation in your companions today, you must first set the proper example. If you're self-serving, don't be surprised if they are as well. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) If it is your lot to provide others with instructions today, be certain they are explicit and detailed. If your commands are fuzzy, undesirable end results are likely.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20-March 20) Although you are likely to be in

a gregarious, sociable mood today, you still might not feel comfortable around certain groups. Be very selective regarding companions.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19) There is a possibility today that you might use poor judgment in a career matter that calls for boldness and imagination. Don't be impulsive; be thoughtful and deliberate.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) If you have to deal with an individual who is rude and petty today, don't respond to his or her infractions in a like manner. It will make you look as bad as the offender.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) In business dealings today, strive to bargain from strength, not insecurity. If you believe yourself to be strong, the other guy will perceive you as such.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22) Don't behave in an unbecoming manner toward someone today just because you think he or she might treat you similarly. Prejudging people could get you in trouble.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) Performance, not appearance, is

**BRIDGE**

**NORTH 1-4-93**  
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♦ 10 9 8 7 6 5  
♣ 7 6 5

**EAST** ♠ 10 7 6 5  
♥ J 9 8 5  
♦ A J 9  
♣ 10 4

**SOUTH** ♠ A 9 4  
♥ A Q 5  
♦ K 10 7 3  
♣ A K J

Vulnerable: Both  
Dealer: South

South	West	North	East
3 NT	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
6 ♣	Pass	5 ♠	All pass

Opening lead: ♠ K

**ANNIE**



by Leonard Starr