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## The Sanford Herald

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### Suspect Is Sought In Shooting Death

The death of a 32-year-old Sanford man caused by a slug from an unknown caliber pistol is being investigated by the Seminole Sheriff's office.

Elestial Sewell, 801 Locust Avenue, was brought to Seminole Memorial Hospital at 6:30 p.m. Sunday night and died an hour later of a bullet wound in the lower stomach which caused massive bleeding.

According to J. Q. (Slim) Galloway, chief county investigator, the shooting of Sewell occurred at Bookertown near Lake Monroe, a small community west of Sanford adjacent to I-4.

Galloway said the shooting is being probed and at least one suspect in the case is being sought.

Sanford police Sunday were called to Seminole Memorial Hospital to investigate the knife wound inflicted to a 4-year-old girl.

The report as filed by Lt. William Smith and Sgt. Charles Tins listed Victoria Mitchell, daughter of Allen and Lacey Mitchell.

Police reported the girl got between her parents as the two were having a fight and received an accidental push on the arm.



BY JOHN A. SPOLSKI

### MONDAY Headlines Inside THE HERALD

#### World News

The United States, seeking a new era in its relations with Peking, plans to propose to Communist China at Warsaw Tuesday that the two nations take practical small steps to open up trade, travel and communications. (Page 1B)

Nigeria's 100 tribesmen are back where they started more than a decade ago, but decimated, divided, disillusioned and desperate. (Page 1B)

American forces report no casualties in four battles as ground fighting remains light and scattered. (Page 1B)

#### Around the Nation

Spitting black and short of breath, unexpected thousands of sickened coal miners are claiming millions of dollars in newly won disability benefits for black lung disease. (Page 1B)

#### Statewide Developments

Police seizure of films such as "The Secret Sex Lives of Romeo and Juliet" is unconstitutional censorship that costs theater operators money, an attorney has told a federal court. (Page 5A)

#### Sports World Thrillers

Seminole Junior College Raiders (14-0) host Indian River (19-0) tonight at Seminole High gym. (Page 2B)

Seminole High has disastrous weekend as they lose two. Lyman and Oviedo also lose. (Pages 2B-4B)

**WEATHER** — Yesterday's high 76 low 54. Temperatures Tuesday through Saturday will average a little below normal.

Highs today in mid 70s and lows in the low 60s, turning colder Wednesday.

Rains of a half-inch or more are expected Tuesday and again Friday.

Arctic air surged to the Gulf of Mexico, bringing frigid weather, freezing rain and some snow to the South.

I expect to pass through life but once. If therefore, there be any kindness I can show, or any good thing I can do to any fellow being, let me do it now, and not defer or neglect it, as I shall not pass this way again.

William Penn

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### No Room For Spectators

# Jury Selections Underway

By BILL SCOTT

Mabel Frances Thompson, 35-year-old Sanford mother of four, wore a new upsweep hairstyle for her first day in court today.

The dark haired woman accused of killing Bobby Thompson, her fireman husband and stuffing his body in a hall closet, wore a bright purple dress with a polka dotted blouse as the long task of selecting a jury began today.

There was no room for spectators as the courtroom was filled with prospective jurors when Circuit Court Judge E. Thom Rumberger entered shortly after 10 a.m. He was accompanied by Defense Attorneys Mack A. Cleveland Jr. and Roger Berry together with Abbott Herring and Thomas Speer, state attorneys and prosecutors.

The nearby county commissioner chamber was packed with witnesses subpoenaed and awaiting being sworn. Over 100 prospective jurors summoned for possible service stared straight ahead at the accused who in turn faced at the judges bench while Arthur Beckwith, circuit court clerk commenced reading the long list of names of persons summoned.

Approximately 50 of the venire will be chosen from which a jury of 12 will be empaneled, with the rest serving as alternates if needed.

Defense attorney Cleveland

while the trial is in progress. They are also forbidden to discuss the case with anyone. Judge Rumberger after having witnesses sworn dismissed them for the day, but reminded them they could be called at anytime. The remainder of the afternoon will be taken up with the selection of jurors with the procedure continuing Tuesday morning if necessary.



AS THE TRIAL BEGINS . . .

SEMINOLE JUNIOR COLLEGE student Conni Kehl presents her sketches of the proceedings at

the Seminole County Court House of the principals involved.

### Wells Elected Chairman

Joseph Wells, Jr., local resident, was elected to a prominent position in the United Transportation Union on Jan. 14. Wells was chosen as general chairman of engine services of the Atlantic Coast Lines of the Seaboard Coast Line Railroad. The election, which was held in Jacksonville, consisted of 30 lodges of conductors and firemen.

Wells, an unknown outside of the Sanford area, was considered a "dark horse" candidate, according to a spokesman, C. H. Getzen. Getzen stated that Wells' "ability put him into office."

Wells will negotiate engine service contracts, and will assume his new duties on Jan. 22.

### New Charges Filed On Pair

Harlan Blackburn, 48, alleged Central Florida bolita kingpin and Edward R. Kirkland, 46, noted Orlando criminal attorney, are scheduled to appear before Circuit Court Judge E. Thom Rumberger at Seminole County Court House at 1 p.m. Wednesday for arraignment on morals charges.

The pair are charged with "lewd and lascivious assault upon a female under 14" and Kirkland

land has been additionally accused of a crime against nature.

These charges were originally brought on warrants signed by Seminole County Judge Wallace Hall, but late Friday afternoon Hall quashed the county warrants after Thomas Speer, assistant state's attorney, requested the setting aside of the county charges, so the two men could be tried in circuit court.

Both Blackburn and Kirkland entered innocent pleas in the county court and were represented by Edward J. Hanson Jr. and Andrew A. Welch, Welch is said to be a member of the same law firm as Kirkland.

According to charges filed by State Attorney Abbot Herring, Blackburn and Kirkland are accused of being involved in the "involuntary" of the Regency Apartments located on SR 407 in South Seminole County.

### JC Festivities Noted

Florida's Lieutenant Governor Ray C. Osborne, an avowed Republican candidate for the U.S. Senate, came to Sanford Saturday afternoon by plane from Tallahassee.

The slim, youthful politician arrived at the airport in a state plane at precisely 4:15 p.m. and five minutes later was discussing with County Judge Wallace Hall, Thomas Speer, assistant state attorney and John Morris, Sanford-Seminole Jaycee vice president, his reason for being "in town" to take part in the Jaycee's award activities.

Osborne took time in his schedule to answer several questions posed by The Herald concerning the state's integration problems, road situation and his own political plans.

Concerning the U.S. Supreme Court's immediate school desegregation mandate, Osborne said the area causing the most concern was housing, and he felt this would create a false racial imbalance.

Citing an Orange County incident, which would force a child to be bused an average 80 miles per day to attend school, the Lieutenant Governor said hardships were resulting from the situation.

Osborne said a child should be allowed to attend his own neighborhood school and not endure the hardships caused by a false racial imbalance situation.

"The only reason I would favor such busing would be to increase the quality of education for the child," he advised.

Osborne described the state's road situation as "critical" and blamed the legislature for letting the problem get this far without doing something about it.

"I feel the inaction by the legislature was a terrible mistake," he said.

He cited as "particularly bad" the roads in the central and southeastern sections of the state.



DAVIS GETS TOP AWARD

LT. GOV. RAY C. OSBORNE presented the Good Government Award to Sanford Attorney S. Joseph Davis, Jr. at Saturday night's Jaycee Awards Banquet at the Sanford Civic Center. (Related photos on page 1B) (Bill Scott Photo)

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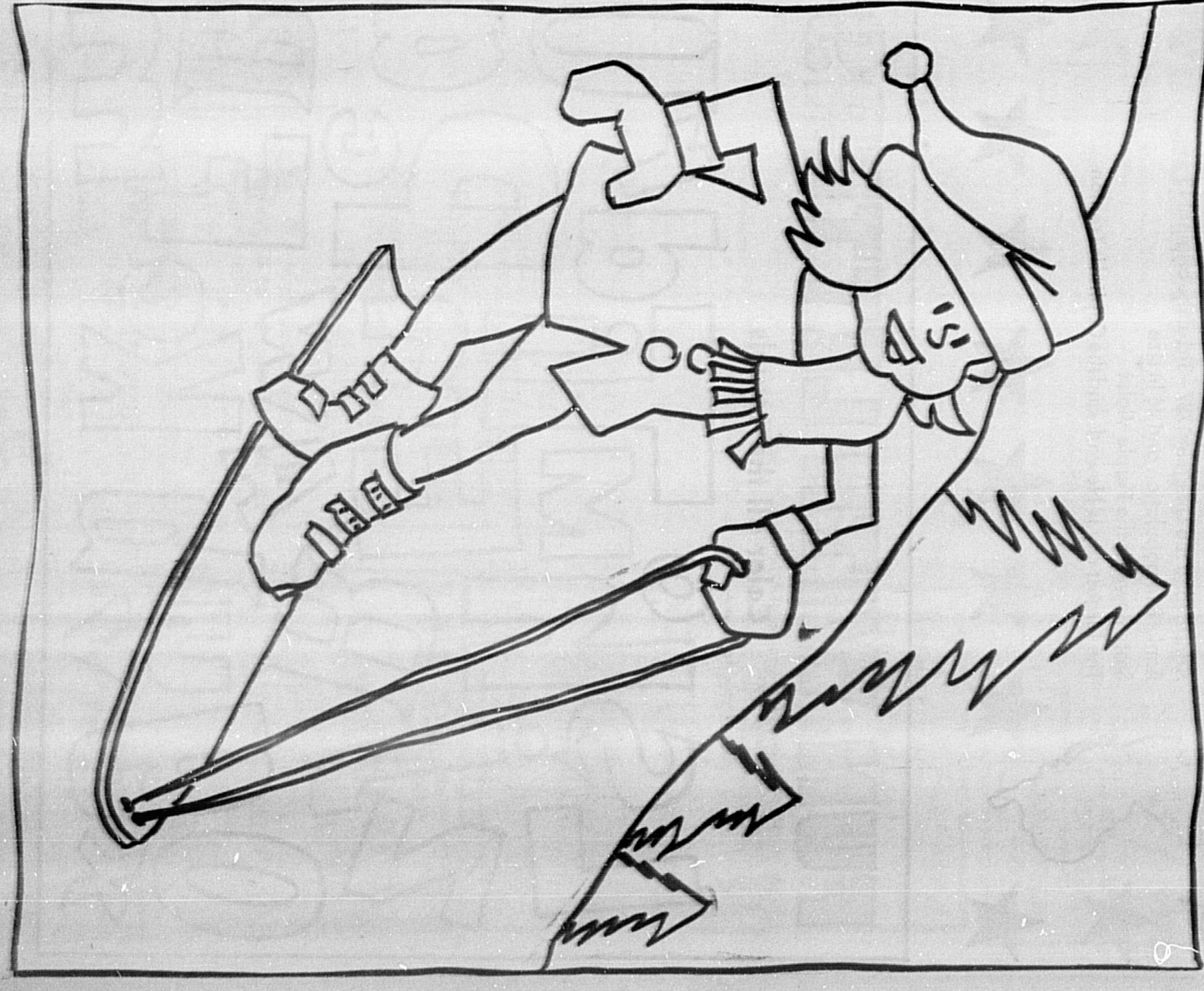
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Homestead Renewals Flood Tax Assessor

By MARION BETHA Seminole Countians have delayed the office of Tax Assessor D. Guy Allen with return of applications for homestead exemption renewals...

TUESDAY Headlines Inside THE HERALD

World News American B52 bombers keep up their raids along the Cambodian border to prevent massing for another Tet offensive. (Page 2A)

Statewide Developments Gov. Claude Kirk cares more about grandstand politics than he does about Florida's school children, says state Education Commissioner Floyd Christian. (Page 2A)

Sports World Thrillers SJC Raiders prove to all in Sanford that they are really number one as they knock-off favored Indian River 83-79 at the Seminole High gym. (Page 6A)

WEATHER — Yesterday's high 68 low 46. Partly cloudy today and Wednesday. High today 55 to 65, low tonight 45 to 52. Winds northwesterly 10 to 15 miles an hour becoming northerly Wednesday.

It was minus 25 degrees at Williston, N.D. Bone chilling cold clung to most of the nation from the Great Plains to New England today and drove temperatures below freezing across a large part of the South.

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Raiders Red-Hot Again- (Pg. 6A) Thompson Trial In Second Day 5th Juror Tentatively Seated



ON TRIAL FOR LIFE FRANCES THOMPSON, accompanied by an attorney, Roger Berry, is pictured walking toward the courthouse this morning, the second day of her trial in the first degree murder of her husband, Bobby Joe Thompson.

Use Waterways, Rotarians Told

By CHARNER LEONE "God gave us great rivers and water ways: it's up to us to use them properly," said John Krider executive director of the Greater Sanford Chamber of Commerce...

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FAILURE TO YIELD TWO PERSONS were injured at 7:45 a.m. this morning when this auto, driven by Bettylou L. Keigans, of Longwood, collided with a car driven by Berry J. Lenz, of Maitland, on U.S. 17-92 and Seminole Boulevard (Dug Track Road). Joan Keigans was treated and released at the Naval Training Station Hospital at Orlando while 16-year-old Jeanne Keigans was admitted, suffering from lacerations and abrasions. FHP Trooper W. E. Glass investigated the accident.

By BILL SCOTT The trial of Mabel Frances Thompson, young Sanford mother of four, accused of killing her fireman-husband and hitting his body in a hail of stones, entered its second day Tuesday with the jury selection starting where it ended late Monday afternoon.

Selected late Monday afternoon on a "tentative basis" were David R. Raitch, a former monte Springs, a refrigeration mechanic; George D. Bayer, English Estates, a screw firm service representative; John Inley, telephone company cable splicer from Sanford, and Ed-ward J. Adamkiewicz, of Longwood, an electrical engineer with Martin-Marietta.

McNulty Resigns SIC; 3 Seats Open

C. Howard McNulty has offered his resignation from the Sanford Industrial Commission to Mayor Lee P. Moore. In a letter dated Jan. 13, McNulty said, "I regret that I must resign but I find it impossible to devote the necessary time to this worthwhile endeavor."



C. HOWARD McNULTY

Lake Orienta Meeting Set On Flood Control

City hall at Altamonte should be jammed with interested citizens tonight when a meeting will be held to discuss flood control of Lake Orienta. The controversy has engendered political implications in recent weeks.

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — (AP) — The State Cabinet passed unanimously today a resolution prohibiting leasing to achieve racial balance in schools ordered to desegregate on Feb. 1.

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