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## NEWS DIGEST

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#### Sports

##### Defenders of the crown

LONGWOOD — Lyman High School defended its 4A-District 9 boys' soccer title with a 4-0 win over Lake Mary Friday night. Lyman, ranked second in the state, hosts Winter Park in the 4A-Region V championship game this Tuesday. **See Page 1B**

#### People

##### Activist challenges mayor

SANFORD — In last Tuesday's Herald, Mayor Bettye Smith dared citizens to offer a solution to the drug and crime problems in Sanford following a Sanford City Commission meeting Monday night when irate citizens asked the city to do something about drugs and crime. Civic activist Martha Yancey is challenging the city with a proposed solution. **See Page 5B.**

### BRIEFS

#### P/Z meeting cancelled

SANFORD — The regularly scheduled meeting of the Sanford Planning and Zoning Board, Thursday, Feb. 18, has been cancelled. The meeting is usually held on the third Thursday of each month. "We cancelled this week's meeting because of a lack of significant agenda items," said Jay Marder, director of Planning and Development. Marder said he had agreement on the cancellation through discussions with Joe Denton, chairman of the P&Z. The next regular meeting will be held on Thursday, March 11.

#### President's Day closings

In celebration of President's Day, students on the traditional calendar in Seminole County schools will have the day off from school tomorrow. Some of the schools on the year round calendar will be in school tomorrow and have a day off as they reach their next intersession period. The district offices and most of the school offices will be open for business during regular business hours. Classes, for those who have the day off tomorrow, will resume on Tuesday. In addition, federal offices and banks will be closed. Post offices, except for the main post office in Orlando, will be closed and there will be no mail delivery.

#### Rolling confesses to murders

MIAMI — The man awaiting trial in the 1990 slayings of five Gainesville college students has confessed and is cooperating with authorities, a newspaper reported Saturday. Danny Harold Rolling, 38, has pleaded innocent in the case. He is serving a life sentence for a string of unrelated robberies. The Miami Herald, quoting four unidentified sources, said Rolling has given details of the stabbings to investigators, including why he chose the victims. The Herald said the sources would not give specifics, however. A closed-door hearing in the Rolling case is scheduled for next week. Will Irby, spokesman for the slayings task force, said he could neither confirm nor deny the Herald report. Rolling's public defender, Rick Parker, did not immediately return a telephone message left at his home. Rolling recently began talking to investigators directly, the Herald said, although much of the information has been passed through his inmate friend Bobby Lewis, who is serving a life sentence for murder. Earlier this week, investigators searched the site of an animal pen near the site of one of the killings. The Herald said they were looking for a knife, rubber gloves and body parts Rolling confessed to burying nearby.

From staff / Associated Press reports

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#### Clear skies



Partly cloudy with a high near 70. Wind variable 5 to 10 mph.

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# Campus shootings

## Wounded student from Sanford dies

By VICKI DeSORMIER  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — They were good boys on their way to have dinner off campus when they were senselessly killed. Friday evening, a carload of men opened fire and left two students dead and one injured outside the campus of Bethune-Cookman College in Daytona Beach, Saturday, a third student. **See Eaddy, Page 5A**

Editor's note: A letter to our readers from the family of Henry Eaddy appears today on Page 4A.



Henry James Eaddy

## 4 arrests; tragedy may be case of mistaken identity

From Staff and Wire Reports

SANFORD — Four men were arrested Saturday less than 24 hours after the fatal shooting of a Sanford man and two other men at Bethune-Cookman College in Daytona Beach. Police said the men opened fire with handguns on the victims while they sat in a car. Police said the men will likely be charged with three counts each of first-degree murder and one count each of attempted first-degree murder. Three black males, including two brothers, and a white male were in police custody Saturday evening. The police telephone recording said that the four men in custody were apparently involved in **See Arrests, Page 5A**

# Valentine's Day: Hearts, darts

## Recalling memorable moments

By VICKI DeSORMIER  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Cupid has been making the rounds in downtown Sanford this weekend, shooting his arrows and bringing love to the city. More often than not, he brings smiles to the faces of those around him, sometimes just smirks. Last year, Missy Laughlin of Sanford said yesterday, he really hit his mark. She doesn't think he could top it this year. "Last year, James and I got engaged," she said, pointing to her husband, grinning sheepishly a short distance away. "He gave me an engagement ring wrapped in a box of chocolates." James refused to comment on whether or not he planned to try to top that gift for his wife of one week today. "It'll be romantic," he said. Harold and Merna Corless of Greensburg, Kansas spend their winters in Sanford visiting family and friends. They've been married 48 years, but still find the time to **See Valentine, Page 2A**



## A history of lovers' celebration

By NICK PFRIEFAUF  
Herald Staff Writer

Valentine's Day is considered as one of the most widely observed unofficial holidays in the nation. It is the occasion for the exchange of gifts or symbols of affection between lovers. The reason behind the observance however, appears to contain more violence than affection. According to some accepted legends, the event **See History, Page 2A**



Harold Photo by Richard Hopkins

Harold and Merna Corless, who winter in Sanford, say they celebrate Valentine's Day every day, even after 48 years of marriage. **See Valentine, Page 2A**

# Welfare reform

## House panel approves bill on two year time benefit limit

By JACKIE HALLIFAX  
Associated Press Writer

TALLAHASSEE — Welfare benefits would be cut off after two years under a bill that moved through a House panel, but the legislation still needs more work, a key lawmaker said. The House Social, Economic & Developmental Services subcommittee voted 9-1 for the legislation (CS-HB 587), sponsored by Reps. Cynthia Chestnut, D-Gainesville, and George Albright, R-Ocala. Rep. Tom Feeney was the dissenter. The Orlando Republican has sponsored his own version of welfare reform, which has not yet been considered. The bill goes next to the full Aging **See Reform, Page 5A**

## Local reaction mixed in proposed assistance cutback

By VICKI DeSORMIER  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — Welfare benefits would be cut off after two years under a bill that moved through a House panel last week. Locals are divided in their opinions on the issue. While some believe that it is a good idea to limit the benefits, some believe the change is too drastic and others think it is not enough of a cut. The House Social, Economic & Developmental Services subcommittee voted 9-1 Wednesday for the legislation (CS-HB 587), sponsored **See Reaction, Page 2A**



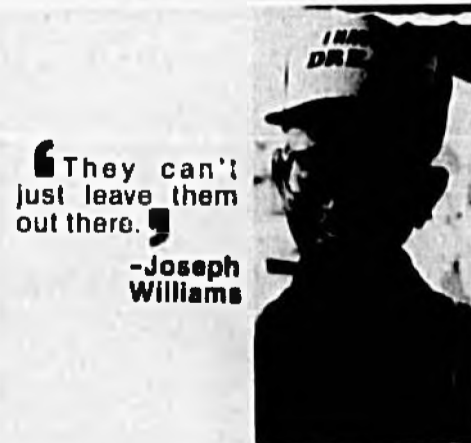
"I don't want to be on welfare forever, but I have to get on my feet."

-Barbara Hamer



"We don't need welfare at all."

-Elizabeth Mathieux



"They can't just leave them out there."

-Joseph Williams



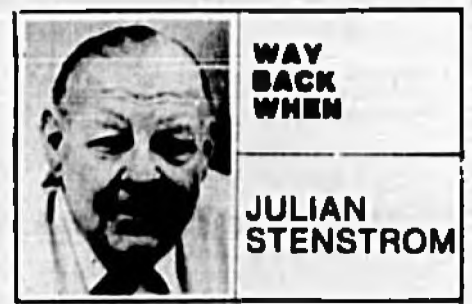
"People can't make a 30 year retirement out of welfare."

-Daniel Miller

# 'Doc' the soda jerk brings back sweet memories

Good morning everybody! Come with me this morning down the trail to "Way Back When" on a warm summer evening when dad, mom, and the kids would board the family Essex and take a spin around town just to cool off a bit. If it happened to you in the 1920s and the 1930s chances are you would top off that drive around Sanford by pulling into a parking place either in front of or beside "Doc" McReynolds' drugstore on the southwest corner of Sanford Avenue and 25th Street. And, what's more, you didn't have to get out of your car. We're not talking about drive thru's like we have today. We're talking about real old fashioned curb service. You'd toot your horn and before you knew it the guy behind the soda fountain would come to your car and take your order. Shortly you'd see him return with all the goodies you had ordered on a tray that would be adjusted to fit the drivers' side window. That man behind the fountain was called in those days a soda jerk. Why? Beat's me! Who'd want to refer to J.W. Altman or Don Knight as a "jerk?" But that's what these two fellows were called along with others such as **See Stenstrom, Page 2A**

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WAY BACK WHEN

JULIAN STENSTROM



## POLICE BRIEFS

### Drug charges filed

Herbert Andre Dixon, 25, 803 E. 14th St., Sanford, was charged with possession of crack cocaine by the Sanford Police on Thursday morning.

Police said that Dixon was arrested on an unrelated warrant charge when police conducted a "pat-down" search. They said they found a plastic container that had a substance that tested positive for crack cocaine in it.

He was taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility and held on \$3,000 bond.

### Assault charged

Hugh Charlie Smith, 64, who refused to give his address to police was charged with aggravated assault and with resisting arrest without violence when he was arrested by Sanford Police on Thursday afternoon.

Police said that he refused to leave Tony's Bar when asked by the manager. They said that he pulled out a knife and threatened the manager when he was asked a second time to leave.

When Police arrived, they said, he was very uncooperative and tried to resist being handcuffed.

He was taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility and held on \$2,500 bond.

### Couple arrested for battery

Tab E. Morgan, 37, and Colleen Lynn Sherman, 25, both of 713 Creekwater Terrace, Apt. 209, Lake Mary, were charged with domestic violence when they were arrested on Thursday night by Seminole County sheriff's deputies.

They were taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility and held on \$2,500 bond each.

### Warrant arrests

Michael Andre Simmons, 25, 1118 Cypress Ave., Sanford, was charged with violating the terms of his probation on possession of controlled substance charges.

Seminole County deputies said that he turned himself in at the John E. Polk Correctional Facility.

Bond had not yet been set.

Bret Genovese, 31, 1823 Landing Dr., Apt. H, Sanford, was charged with violating the terms of his probation on petit theft charges.

He was found at the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where he was serving time on unrelated charges under the name of Charles Bret Cochran.

He was ordered held without bond.

Herbert Andre Dixon, 25, 803 E. 14th St., Sanford was arrested on a warrant for violating the terms of his probation on charges of possession of a controlled substance.

Sanford Police found him at 14th Street and Locust Avenue with a pellet gun.

He was taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility and held without bond.

Clarence Williams, 42, 208 Cedar Creek, Sanford, was charged on an active Orange County warrant for grand theft.

Seminole County sheriff's officers found him as a passenger in a car on which they were making a traffic stop.

He was taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility and held on \$1,000 bond.

Nancy Lee Harris, 25, 2766 Ridgewood Ave., Sanford was charged with failing to appear in court on charges of driving with a suspended license.

She was found by Seminole County sheriff's deputies at a friend's house.

She was taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility and held on \$250 bond.

Thomas Williams III, 21, 2461 Center St., Sanford was charged with failing to appear in court on charges of driving with a suspended license.

Sanford Police found him at the corner of 8th and Pecan in Sanford.



### Fisherwomen

A brisk breeze didn't stop fisherwomen Lisa Roseman, Linda Pearson and Sabrina Cox, (l to r) from reving up the Mariner motor and cruising into Lake Monroe for some bream fishing Saturday. The trio had some bright sun to warm them on the trip.

Herald Photo by Richard Hopkins

## Sanford man found guilty of growing pot

By NICK PFEIFAU  
Herald Staff Writer

Kenneth Ireland, 41, of Sanford, was found guilty of three drug-related charges Thursday in Orlando Federal Court.

Ireland was reportedly involved in the growing and cultivation of marijuana in greenhouses located in Orange County.

According to Larry Colleton, with the U.S. Attorney's office, "Ireland was convicted of conspiracy to possess, with intent to distribute, 1,000 or more marijuana plants, possession with

intent to distribute 28 kilos of marijuana, possession of 1,000 or more marijuana plants, and carrying a firearm during the commission of a drug related felony."

Official sentencing has been set for April 21. "I expect he will get at least 15 years," said Colleton.

The Federal courts do not allow early release programs. "He will serve at least 85 to 90 percent of the time," Colleton explained. "The only time off is for good behavior, and that amounts to only 54 days per year, after the first full year is served."

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## House leaders say prison bill will exceed Chiles proposal

By BILL BERGSTROM  
Associated Press Writer

TALLAHASSEE — Florida would get more prison beds than Gov. Lawton Chiles proposes under legislation moving through House committees, Speaker Boley "Bo" Johnson said Friday.

House criminal justice and corrections panels should finish work next week on a bill that would make space for 6,300 more inmates in the prison system, said Johnson, D-Milton.

That would include 4,300 more secure, or "hard," prison beds and 1,800 spaces in alternative drug treatment or work camp programs, he told a news conference with Corrections Chairman Kelly Smith, D-Palaska, and Criminal Justice Chairman Elvin Martinez, D-Tampa.

Chiles "safe streets" prison reform proposal called for 3,600 new prison beds.

After several years of tight budgets, Florida needs more prison space than that to relieve crowding, Smith said.

"For every new commitment we receive into the system we have to release one," he said.

Judges sent 34,000 people to prison in 1992, and prisons had to release 34,000 inmates to make room for them, Smith said. "Nineteen thousand of these

prisoners, approximately, spent six months or less in prison."

Smith said legislation moving through his committee would spend \$65 million for new prison beds and alternative programs.

Martinez said he and Rep. Willie Logan, D-Opa-Locka, have proposed a bill to make more room in prison for violent offenders by abolishing minimum mandatory sentences, so judges can send non-violent offenders to alternative programs.

"We'll see if it will allow us to have more of the electronic surveillance programs ... more ways to allow someone to repay their debt to society without necessarily having to sit behind bars at taxpayers' expense throughout the whole period," Johnson said.

Some Senate Republicans are backing another proposal to add prison space. Sen. Locke Burt, R-Ormond Beach, told a meeting of state and local law enforcement officials that using 5,000 empty county jail beds could give counties extra income and cut the state's construction costs.

The House legislation also will focus on juveniles, Johnson said.

"Juvenile offenders are the most worrisome to me because they're more violent than before.

...Now they shoot their way in and shoot their way out and threaten our communities in the process," he said.

Martinez said his committee has approved a measure that would coordinate efforts of schools, police and state juvenile caseworkers who now can end up working at cross purposes.

"It's a misnomer to call juvenile justice a system," Martinez said. "Under the current system juveniles must be arrested up to 20 times before they are visited with any sanctions."

A separate juvenile services agency could coordinate programs "where juveniles will be punished immediately and appropriately so that they will not be able to laugh at the system," Martinez said.

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## EDITORIALS

### Fighting crime: Demand action

It wasn't too many years ago when a major crime in Sanford was considered shocking. It was the subject of discussion throughout the city.

Today, major crime is becoming so common, it could appear as though no one cares.

Last Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the *Sanford Herald* reported 27 arrests in just the Sanford, Lake Mary and Longwood area. There were many more crimes and arrests elsewhere in the county.

In addition, almost a dozen persons were arrested locally on outstanding warrants, and five were jailed on DUI charges.

Some of the major news stories of this week included a teacher charged with sex crimes against students, a man who shot his ex-wife, two teenagers charged with murder, and numerous assault cases.

People are upset over the crime problem. Homeowners are worried over burglaries. Motorists are concerned about car-jackings. Pedestrians are scared of being attacked.

Unfortunately, even though people are constantly calling for a crack-down, little seems to be accomplished. When a government body receives complaints, the first action is usually setting up a committee to study it. Before long, the problem is months old and nothing has been resolved.

If there are not enough police officers, cities respond by saying there is no tax money available to hire additional personnel. People end up being threatened with a tax increase to pay for better protection.

The passing of time is not going to bring about any reduction in crime. There is no question that it will continue to grow.

It's time we went beyond accusations about who is to blame, and started doing some serious work, which includes improved police protection. We don't need more laws, we need more enforcement of those we have.

There should also be fewer committees, and more action taken by government bodies to assure an anti-crime drive is successful by its own leadership.

This can only be accomplished when the people demand action by those in government.

## LETTERS

### Victim's family makes open plea

Henry James Eaddy came from a family of educators, and his uncle is a surgeon.

The family is deeply concerned with violent crimes in our community and the apparent disregard and respect for human life as evidenced by acts such as this.

The increase in violent crimes is staggering. We must do something to prevent and discourage this type of behavior. Within the African-American community, the frequency of black on black crime is still disturbing. Many times the victims and the perpetrators are young and black. The catalyst to change the outcome of these incidences of violent crimes may lie within our continued struggle to educate, nurture and support young people.

The survival of our community and the future of our young people can be altered. However, we must all act now to understand the perceptions and realities of what is happening on a daily basis in our communities. The direct impact on the health, safety and well-being of each individual in our own community depends upon it.

The family of  
Henry James Eaddy  
Sanford

**Berry's World**  
**NASA**

"Excuse me. Could you direct me to the \$30 million toilet?"

## Observing Black History Month

Actions are often posed relative to the emphasis placed upon February as Black History Month. Young people wonder how this observance originated. Black History Month is the outgrowth of Carter G. Woodson's introduction of a Negro History Week observance in 1927.

Carter G. Woodson, a Harvard educated historian, was concerned that history books contained little if any information about the experiences of black Americans. Woodson dedicated his life to correcting this oversight and developing awareness of the contributions of African Americans in shaping America. Over the years Negro History week expanded into a month's observance.

The black experience in America differs from that of other immigrants to this country because they did not participate in the decision to come to America. The African slave trade began in the late 17th century and provided free labor for the Southern plantations.

African chiefs and slave traders conspired effectively to deprive millions of Africans of their freedom during the course of the slave trade. Virginia, the leader among the colonies, was the role model that other Southern states followed in enslaving Africans.

The institution of slavery persisted from the latter part of the 17th century to the latter part



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of the 19th century. The 1860s were turbulent times in America and the issue of slavery was quite divisive, both in the North and the South.

Prior to President Abraham Lincoln's inauguration March 4, 1861, South Carolina held a convention and voted unanimously to secede from the United States. Mississippi, Florida, Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana and Texas followed South Carolina. During February 1861, delegates from these states assembled in Montgomery, Ala. and formed the Confederate States of America with Jefferson Davis as president.

The herculean task facing Lincoln was to preserve the Union. He had been elected on a Republican platform that supported a United

America and demanded a limitation to slavery. The platform affirmed the right of each state to control its local institutions, even slavery.

The Confederacy attacked federal troops at Fort Sumter, S.C. and initiated the war between the states. The siege of Fort Sumter lasted two days April 12 and 13, 1861, until the federal troops surrendered.

The Civil War continued longer than either side had anticipated. Soldiers of the Confederacy and the Union won and lost battles. Frederick Douglass, a former slave writing about the Civil War stated, "The very stomach of this rebellion is the Negro in the condition of a slave. Arrest the foe in the hands of the Negro and you smite the rebellion in the very seat of its life."

In September 1862, after the Northern victory at Antietam, Lincoln issued a preliminary Emancipation Proclamation. The proclamation decreed that on Jan. 1, 1863 in every part of the South still in rebellion, all slaves, would be "thenceforth and forever free."

Uppermost in Lincoln's thought was the preservation of the Union and if freeing the slaves would be a helpful catalyst in realizing this objective, then the slaves should be freed. Our 16th president was consumed by the desire to reunite the American states.

"WHY SHOULD WE BOTHER WRITING NEW BILLS? WE CAN JUST PASS ALL THIS GARBAGE!"

## ELLEN GOODMAN

### Is there a Zoe Baird problem?

BOSTON — When Zoe Baird streaked across the national sky from anonymity to ignominy in two weeks, I was one of her few defenders. I didn't think that hiring an undocumented nanny was a career-ending injury. Illegal child care is as common in the '90s as smoking dope was in the '60s.

Well, if Zoe Baird was judged and convicted of smoking without inhaling, Kimba Wood was just found guilty of getting a contact high. She didn't break any law, she was just standing around breathing in the atmospheric fumes.

Back in 1986, when Judge Wood and her husband — yes, yes, working hubbies are too involved in these decisions — hired a nanny from Trinidad whose papers had expired, it was legal for them to do so. They filed all the requisite papers and forms.

If the judge committed any misdemeanor at all, it was thinking like a lawyer instead of a politician. When the Clinton teams asked if she had a "Zoe Baird" problem, the answer was, technically, no. But she had the whiff of it in her hair.

The words "illegal alien" are now enough to make strong men and women run screaming in horror. They transform the most sedate resume into a tabloid headline: ALIENS INVADE EARTHLING — DESTROYING FUTURE!

The administration was damned if they did appoint her. Deja Zoe all over again. And damned because they didn't. The judge got a bad rap and working mothers got a bad vibe. But we are all now damned to another chapter in the pursuit of perfection in public life.

Over the weekend, the list of offenders began to grow. On the equal opportunity circuit, Charles Ruff was apparently also disqualified on account of his household hiring. A squirmy Ron Brown admitted to paying taxes for his weekly cleaning lady as soon as he found out that he should: last month. Stay tuned for more late-breaking news.

The search through the household help accounts is going to make the search through Henry Kissinger's trash cans look relatively clean. If you think there are a lot of illegal alien nannies and housekeepers, you should see how many all-American neighbors and relatives are being paid off the books.

One of the many things that makes me squeamish about all this is not just the way child care has become the whipping girl of the moment. It's the way we get the ethical blimpish of the moment.

We seem to deal with character issues as if they were a grab bag. We reach in, pull out the latest one in no particular order and use it to judge anybody in public life. For a while, it's all that we see of that person. It blots away everything in a person's life.

Consider what happened to Zoe Baird and

Kimba Wood. In one brief searing moment, Zoe Baird was reduced to one line: She was the \$500,000-a-year-lawyer-who-hired-illegal-alien. It didn't matter whether she was capable of the job or kind to her baby sitter. When life becomes a one-liner, nobody reads between the lines.

Now Kimba Wood, the judge who helped put Michael Milken in jail, may go down in history for her household hiring practices, not to mention her brief training as a Playboy bunny. A career becomes a cartoon. Character becomes caricature.

I think that private ethics are important. How we behave in our personal lives should count in public. It would be fascinating if we decided to judge people's character by how they treat those who work for them whether the worker were a secretary, a hamburger flipper, or a housekeeper. Whether the issue was sexual harassment or economic exploitation.

That's not really what's happening. Rather, we lurch from one lethal "sin" to another. Wiping out one person after another. Every time we appear to come to some more balanced perspective of character and its flaws, life and its complexity, Clinton and infidelity, something else comes out of the grab bag.

On the night the judge withdrew her name from consideration, I was not the only one who found herself in the middle of an informal Kimba Wood seminar. A clutch of good friends with decent resumes and serious oral convictions went through a joking-but-real review of our own personal histories.

We could find enough blemishes in our lives to make for a collective case of acne. Not one of us would be thrilled to see videotapes of the three worst moments and four worst decisions of our lives.

Is there a Zoe Baird problem? You bet. It's the problem you hear when people think about public service life and say, "Not me." It's the problem when they think about the spotlight, and say, "It's not worth it."

Oh, by the way, Dear Kimba: I once played a Hot Box Girl in "Guys and Dolls." If the White House ever calls, I'm out.

## JACK ANDERSON

### Forfeiture program becoming cash cow

WASHINGTON — The lure of easy money is threatening to turn the government's war on drugs into a high-stakes bounty hunt.

It's called the asset forfeiture program. It's the reason why an assistant prosecutor in New Jersey tools around in a forfeited yellow Corvette, and why the Denver police force exercises on weight-lifting equipment seized from a fitness studio.

"If the locals (police) have a guy with a ton of marijuana and no assets versus a guy with two joints and a Lear jet, I guarantee you they'll bust the guy with the Lear jet," a senior official with the U.S. Customs Service told our associate Dean Boyd. "It's a business for them. But the problem is, you can't just take the smuggler's checkbook. You have to get the whole package: the dope, the criminal and the money."

To the government, asset forfeiture is an innovative way of attacking criminals where it hurts the most — in their pocketbooks. "If we have the Cali cartel losing 100 pounds of cocaine, they can replace it at 15 cents on the dollar. But if we seize \$10 million, they lose \$10 million," says Cary H. Copeland, director of the Justice Department's executive office for asset forfeiture.

But to a growing chorus of critics, the program has become such a cash cow that law enforcement agencies are shifting their priorities in the drug war — especially at the state and local levels. "We're getting cash off the streets instead of drugs. Since when is that the priority in the war on drugs?" says Rep. John Conyers, D-Mich., chairman of the House Government Operations Committee.

Through civil forfeiture, law enforcement agencies are allowed to seize almost any asset suspected of being linked to criminal conduct. If local police make the seizure, they keep the loot. If federal agencies are involved, the assets are sold and divided among local, state and federal authorities. Some property also gets earmarked for prison construction, the drug czar's office and management expenses. Since 1985, the Justice Department has reaped nearly \$2.6 billion from the program, with some \$600 million getting plowed back to individual federal agencies and a billion dollars to state and local police.

In addition to their own forfeiture programs, state and local cops get a share of the federal windfall if they assist with seizures. Though asset sharing was designed to foster cooperation between the agencies, some say the profit motive has begun to interfere. Explains Charles Intreago, editor of the Miami-based newsletter, Money Laundering Alert: "State and local cops get stars in their eyes, and more will try to latch on to big federal cases to get a piece of the pie. Meanwhile, who's solving the neighborhood rape and murder cases?"

Sometimes the profit motive and law enforcement combine to produce tragic results. Sources cite the shooting death of Tommy De La Rosa, a 10-year veteran of the Fullerton, Calif., police department, at the hands of drug smugglers in 1990. At the time, six different police departments were vying to lure the traffickers into a \$4 million cocaine deal. De La Rosa was killed in an ambush while working undercover as a drug dealer.

Copeland acknowledges problems in state and local forfeiture programs, and his office recently issued new guidelines for officers to use in asset forfeiture. "The law was created to make sure that there was not a disincentive to seizing money," he explains. "But to suggest that these guys are running amok on a national level is bogus." For federal law enforcement agencies, he argues that the windfall is too negligible to make a difference.



The words 'illegal alien' are now enough to make strong men and women run screaming in horror.

## Arrests

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 an altercation Friday night shortly before the shooting.

Authorities added, though, the victims may not have been involved in the altercation, and that the gunmen mistook them for the men they had quarrelled with earlier in the evening. Earlier, police said the incident may have been sparked by a traffic confrontation.

Arrested were Patrick L. Ashley, 23, and his brother James B. Ashley, 20 both of South Daytona, Jesse A. Adams, 22, of Daytona Beach and another 20-year-old whose identity hadn't been confirmed.

The slayings of three young men, two of them Bethune-Cookman College students, cast a pall over the campus Saturday, just as the school was recovering

from an earlier wave of violence. Dead at the scene were Kenneth White, 18, a freshman, and David Thomas, 22, a former student. Henry James Eaddy, 18, also a freshman, died early Saturday of head wounds at Halifax Medical Center. Bernard Smith Jr., 24, was listed in stable condition Saturday at the hospital with a bullet wound to the thigh.

Two of the victims were found dead on the campus, one in the street and the other behind an office building.

"The motive? We are attempting to determine that," said Al Tolley, a spokesman for the Daytona Beach Police Department.

The tightly knit college of about 2,300 students has been plagued with violence within the

last year. With Friday's deaths, eight students have been killed since June in shootings and auto accidents.

Until Friday, the appearance of the predominantly black college's gospel choir at President Clinton's inauguration had almost wiped out the memories of the earlier deaths.

The six earlier deaths came in a series of unrelated incidents.

Mary McLeod Bethune, a black educator, founded the school in 1904 with a vision for black education and \$1.50 in cash. In 1923, the school merged with Cookman Institute, which was established in Jacksonville, and the combined school became a Methodist institution. It became a four-year college in 1941. It is one of the nation's most distinguished black private colleges.

## Reaction

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by Reps. Cynthia Chestnut, D-Gainesville, and George Albright, R-Ocala.

Rep. Tom Freney was the dissenter. The Orlando Republican has sponsored his own version of welfare reform, which has not yet been considered.

The bill goes next to the full Aging and Human Services Committee.

"I don't think it's a good idea," said Barbara Hamer of Casselberry. "I'm a full time student and I need that assistance check to pay the rent and put food on the table."

The single mother is attending classes at Seminole Community College. She hopes to become a paralegal and to get off of public assistance soon, but she said it takes more than the two years allotted under the proposed changes to get training and find a job that would allow recipients to get on their feet.

"I don't want to be on welfare forever, but I have to get on my feet," she said. "There needs to be reform. But the reform needs to be that one hand needs to know what the other one is doing."

Elizabeth Mathieux of Geneva said that "in this day and age" anyone who wants to get a job should be able to find one.

"We don't need welfare at all," she said. "There are jobs out there for people who want them. There's jobs for people even if they're crippled. When I needed more money, I got myself a job."

The availability of jobs was just the problem Aitce Jackson of Sanford had with the proposed welfare reforms.

"Are they going to find people jobs when they get off of

welfare," she asked. "Unless they're going to put people in jobs when they cut them off from welfare, I don't think they should do it."

Her brother, Joseph Williams, also of Sanford, agreed.

"They can't just leave them out there," he said. "They have

to give them jobs."

Daniel Miller, who was visiting Sanford from Richmond, Va., thought the government was making a good move.

"Welfare is not a life-long affair," Miller said. "People can't make a 30 year retirement out of welfare. It is good for people who need it, but it's abused."

## Reform

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and Human Services Committee, with Rep. Art Simon as chairman. The Miami Democrat said that work on the legislation will continue before the committee considers the bill.

The idea is to limit the length of time benefits can be received in exchange for expanding the support services to people who have found work. Supporters think such a tradeoff would discourage dependency and make it easier to wean people off welfare.

Florida has a welfare-to-work program now, known as "Project Independence." But only one in five of the parents who are eligible for education and training under that program gets such services because the state hasn't come up with the money for the programs.

The reform legislation calls for

three-year pilot programs in two mid-sized urban counties; participation would be voluntary in one and mandatory in the other.

To experiment with welfare reform, however, Florida has to get permission from the federal government, which picks up the tab for much of the cost of assistance.

## Eaddy

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Henry James Eaddy, 18, of Sanford, died of head wounds suffered in the attack.

"I just talked to him yesterday," Juanita Harold of Sanford, Eaddy's grandmother, said on Saturday.

Harold said her grandson, an asthmatic, had just returned home from the hospital where he had been treated for his respiratory problems. He told her that he was not coming home for the weekend because he needed to rest.

"The next thing...this," she said.

Family and friends gathered Saturday at Harold's Sanford home.

"This is a tragedy," Eaddy's mother, Joseclyn J. Harold said. "Why did this have to happen?"

Eaddy and his friends were allegedly shot by suspects, now in custody, who mistook them for young men with whom they had quarrelled earlier.

"These are senseless deaths," Eaddy's grandmother said. "Something is wrong with these young people. They killed these people and realized they killed the wrong people. Instead of sitting down to think they kept looking for the others," Harold said.

Eaddy grew up in Sanford and lived here until his junior year at Seminole High School when he moved to Winter Park to live with his mother. He graduated

last June from Winter Park High School.

Harold said her grandson had been involved in athletics in Sanford for several years, though he did not play sports at Seminole High. He did play football for a short while at Winter Park High.

Harold said her grandson and his friends were not armed when they were attacked by the other young men.

She said that Eaddy was not the sort to carry a gun.

"He was humane, kind and courteous," she said. "He was a good child. There is some consolation these young men have been caught."

Eaddy was a business education major at Bethune-Cookman College.

## DEATHS



**MAGGIE MAE HALL ENSRUD**  
 Maggie Mae Hall Ensrud, 60, Radio Avenue, Sanford, died Saturday, Feb. 13, in Sanford. Born July 29, 1932, in Sanford she was a lifelong resident. She was a lead operator for Sprague Electronics and a Baptist.

Survivors include husband, Donald; son, Ricky, Sanford; parents, Curtis, Sr., and Laura, of Geneva; brother, Curtis, Jr., Geneva; sister, Barbara Stevens and Francis Williams, both of Geneva, Shirley Green, Sanford; three grandchildren.

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

Rebecca; sons, Robert Clay, DeLona, Brian Steven, Sorrento; daughter, Karen Kay Hash, Colonial Heights, Va.; father, George, Lake City; sister, Linda, and one grandson. Brissson Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

### JOSEPH "JOEY" TERRENCE DORSEY

Joseph "Joey" Terrence Dorsey, 37, of 16 N. Fairfax Ave., Winter Springs, died Friday, Feb. 12, at Florida Hospital, Altamonte Springs. Born Dec. 26, 1955, in Orlando, he was a lifelong resident of Central Florida. He was a cabinet maker and a member of the First Baptist Church, Altamonte Springs.

Survivors include wife, Linda; sons, Joshua Allen, Orlando, David Michael, Winter Springs; daughter, Amanda Lee, Winter Springs; mother, Pauline Holcomb, Casselberry; stepfather, Robert Holcomb, Casselberry; sisters, Judy Hinson, Carline Warren, both of Cadwell, Ga., Barbara Gionet, Orlando, brothers, Larry, Orlando, George, Bradenton. Beacon Cremation Service of Central Florida, Orlando, in charge of arrangements.

### AIMEE J. LEASON

Aimee J. Leason, 83, of Mango Drive, Casselberry, died Thursday, Feb. 11, at her residence. Born Sept. 28, 1909, in Saltsburg, Pa., she moved to Central Florida in 1978. She was a homemaker and a Presbyterian.

Survivors included sons, Jefferson R. III, Longwood, Kenneth B., Casselberry; brother, William Grassell, Hampton, Va.; sister,

Alyce Shaeffer, Bellevue, Wash.; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

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

### JOHN C. PAPA

John C. Papa, 71, Donegal Court, Altamonte Springs, died Thursday, Feb. 11, at Florida Hospital, Altamonte Springs. Born Feb. 8, 1922, in Trenton, N.J., he moved to Central Florida in 1983. He was a retired owner and operator of a wholesale meat company and a member of the Catholic Church of the Annunciation. Mr. Papa was a member of the 4th Degree Knights of Columbus, VFW Post 10147 and the Mens Club and Italian Club at the Church of the Annunciation. He was an Army veteran of World War II.

Survivors include wife, Candida; son, John B., Altamonte Springs; brothers, Frank, Trenton, Emilio, Pennington, N.J., Armando, Lawrenceville, N.J., Dominic, West Palm Beach, Anthony, Yardley, Pa.; sisters, Lucy Freselone, Kathryn Polizzi, both of Trenton, Luella Maruca, Morrisville, Pa.

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

### FRANK THOMPSON

Frank Thompson, 31, of Fern Park Boulevard, Fern Park, died Saturday, Feb. 6, at Fern Park Development Center. He was born Dec. 10, 1961, in Clermont. Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home, Altamonte Springs, in charge of arrangements.

### FUNERALS

**ENSRUD, MAGGIE MAE HALL**  
 Funeral services for Mrs. Maggie Mae Hall Ensrud, age 60, of Sanford, who passed away Saturday will be conducted Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Oaklawn Park Chapel of the Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home with the Rev. Daryl Permenter officiating. Interment will follow at Oaklawn Park Cemetery, Lake Mary. Visitation for friends will be held Monday from 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Rather than flowers, the family graciously requests contributions be made to Hospice of Central Florida, 2500 Mallard Center Parkway, Suite 500, Maitland, FL 32751. Baldwin-Fairchild Funeral Home, Lake Mary, in charge of arrangements.

**JAMES, NETTIE MAE**  
 Funeral services for Mrs. Nettie Mae James, 90, of 811 Sanford Ave., who died Monday, Feb. 8, will be held 11 a.m. Monday, Feb. 15, at Hickory Avenue Church of God with the Rev. Purcell Sanders officiating. Interment will follow in Evergreen Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home on Sunday from 5 p.m. Sunrise Funeral Home, 900 Locust Ave., 32773. In charge of arrangements.

### GORDON FRANCIS BECK

Gordon Francis Beck, 49, of 32345 Chipola Trail, Sorrento, died Thursday, Feb. 11, at his residence. Born Aug. 14, 1943, in Lake City, Iowa, he moved to Fern Park in 1973 from there. He was a sales representative for NIDY Construction Company. Mr. Beck was the scout master to the Mt. Plymouth Troop #5 and very active in the Scouting organization.

Survivors include wife, Linda

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# Health/Fitness

## IN BRIEF

### Heart Walk '93 set for today

A three-mile walk and health fair will be held today at Lake Eola to teach people the importance of exercise in the fight against heart disease.

Heart Walk '93 is sponsored by Orlando Regional Medical Center and begins at 1:30 p.m. The walk will be followed by a health fair which will include exhibits on nutrition and walking shoes and health screenings such as cholesterol, blood pressure and pulmonary function. Proceeds from Heart Walk '93 will benefit the American Heart Association.

For a further information, call HealthLine at 648-3806.

### Women's health discussed

WINTER PARK — In conjunction with the American Heart Association, Winter Park Memorial Hospital's Women's Health network presents "A Woman's Heart: Hormones, Heart Disease and Health," on Tuesday from 7-9 p.m., a free, informative program for women who are concerned about their health and wellness. A member of the hospital's medical staff, and the chief dietitian at Winter Park Memorial will address the most current information on the relationship between your hormones and your heart, and how nutritional habits can help or hinder the onset of heart disease.

The event will be held at the medical-library auditorium, 200 N. Lakemont Ave. Reservations are required. Call 646-7517.

### VNA plans walk-a-thon

The Central Florida Visiting Nurse Association will sponsor a 5K Walk-a-thon at Lake Eola Park in downtown Orlando on Feb. 20 beginning 9 a.m.

Walkers are encouraged to collect sponsors for the 3.2 mile walk around Lake Eola. Prizes to be awarded to participants include: T-shirts, water bottles, free pizza coupons, and a weekend getaway to the person collecting the most funds. Free massages and blood pressure screenings will be available following the event.

For more information, or to register for the event, call 645-5371.

### Florida Altamonte celebrates 20 years

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Florida Hospital Altamonte, 601 E. Altamonte Dr., invites the community to celebrate its 20th anniversary on Sunday, Feb. 21, from 2-5 p.m.

There will be activities for the entire family, including: a Fun Run and Walk starting at 2 p.m.; a free Sports Medicine Clinic, including free joint and ankle screenings by physical therapists, hearing tests by audiologists and foot checks by podiatrists; hospital exhibits; live entertainment; clowns and facepainting and a giant birthday cake and punch.

For more information, call Florida Hospital Altamonte's Community Relations at 767-2265.

### Centra Care plans Health Fair

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — Florida Hospital Community Health Services will offer a Health Fair on Sunday, Feb. 21, from noon to 3 p.m. at the Florida Hospital Centra Care in Sanford, 730 S. Orlando Dr.

Cholesterol, blood pressure, body composition and general health assessment screenings will be offered.

There will be a \$3 charge for the cholesterol screening; all other screenings are free.

For more information, call health services at 897-1929.

### MDA is looking for patient volunteers

Adults and children affected by several neuromuscular diseases and related disorders are needed to volunteer for research studies supported by the Muscular Dystrophy Association, according to Sandy Boyd, president of MDA's Central Florida Chapter.

Qualified candidates would include:

• People ages 10 to 75 with a diagnosis of hyperkalemic periodic paralysis for testing of a possible medication for the disease.

• Families in which one or more members have autosomal recessive Duchenne-like muscular dystrophy for a family study.

• Women who know they are carriers of Duchenne muscular dystrophy for assessment of an experimental carrier detection test.

• Candidates with autosomal recessive muscular dystrophy or mild to severe Becker muscular dystrophy to undergo a new diagnostic test.

• People affected by hereditary neuropathies such as tomatoculous neuropathy (HNPP), familial carpal tunnel syndrome, familial brachial plexus neuropathy and other peripheral neuropathies, for a study relating to these diseases and to the neuromuscular disorder, Charcot-Marie-Tooth disease.

Qualified people in the Central Florida area interested in participating in one of these studies can get more information by contacting MDA National Headquarters, 3300 E. Sunrise Drive, Tucson, AZ 85716, or call 800-572-1717.

## False alarm

### AIDS-like illness called cluster of diseases, not just one

By DANIEL Q. HANEY  
AP Science Writer

BOSTON — Last summer's scariest medical story — a mysterious outbreak of a new AIDS-like sickness — has apparently turned out to be a false alarm.

Several reports published conclude that the illness is not one new disease but many old ones.

While a few people clearly have fallen ill with symptoms that mimic AIDS, their condition is extremely rare and not contagious, and it probably results mostly from garden-variety bacteria and other germs, not a terrifying new stealth virus, doctors said.

"The cases represent a hodgepodge of different clinical and immunological entities. We are not talking about just one disease," said Dr. Scott D. Holmberg of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta.

The newly recognized condition dominated headlines from last July's International AIDS meeting in Amsterdam. Several researchers described patients who had many earmarks of AIDS but were not infected with HIV, the AIDS virus. These included strikingly low levels of helper T cells, also known as CD4 cells, which orchestrate the

body's defenses against infections.

Since then, the condition has gotten a name — Idiopathic CD4 T-lymphocytopenia, or ICL — and intensive study.

In today's New England Journal of Medicine, researchers published six reports on various aspects of it.

"When you look at the clinical, epidemiological and laboratory results, one doesn't see a consistent pattern. That suggests perhaps this whole syndrome is composed of patients with different causes," said Dr. David Ho, head of the Aaron Diamond AIDS Research Center in New York City.

Among other conclusions:

• The condition is rare. In all, 111 cases have been reported in the United States. The CDC found just two when it reviewed 230,179 cases in its AIDS files.

• It is not contagious. Spouses and acquaintances of victims have not caught it, and it does not seem to spread through blood transfusions.

• Many cases probably result from a menagerie of bacteria, fungi and other parasites. Poisons or environmental toxins might also play a role. A few apparent victims are actually in the very early stages of HIV infections.

• The condition has been around at least since 1983 and probably much longer. It was not recognized, though, because

## Government to test vaccine on infants exposed to AIDS

By PAUL RABURN  
AP Science Editor

BOSTON — The government will begin studies next month to determine whether a vaccine and an antibody injection can head off AIDS in infants born to infected mothers, a researcher says.

Dr. John L. Sullivan of the University of Massachusetts Medical School in Worcester, who led the group that designed the studies, said he is optimistic that many cases of AIDS in infants might be prevented.

"Do I think we have the vaccine that's going to do the job? I don't think so," he said. But he added, "It's very likely it could induce some protection."

Other researchers who spoke at a news conference during a meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science were not as optimistic.

"It's premature to predict that we can find a cure," said William Haseltine of Human Genome Sciences. "We don't know enough to predict if — or when — we might have an AIDS cure or vaccine."

In the United States, about 6,000 children are born each year to mothers infected with AIDS.

About 1,500 of those children develop the disease themselves, Sullivan said. Of those who get AIDS, 50 percent to 75 percent are exposed to the disease at the time of birth, suggesting that quick moves at birth could head off infection, Sullivan said.

Several trials of vaccines and antibody injections are set to begin in the next six months, the first in March, Sullivan said.

The trials are being organized by the National Institutes of Health and will be conducted at hospitals across the country.

tests to measure the number of helper cells have been available for just a few years.

• There is no reason to think that a single virus is responsible for the bulk of cases.

## Book records '75 Years of Caring'

On May 24, 1916, a group of 10 physicians met with the hospital commission of the Orlando Board of Trade to begin planning a hospital for the 15,000 residents of Orlando.

From this planning, Orange General Hospital opened and admitted its first patient on Nov. 5, 1918. The patient, Ida Chiles, delivered her son, Seaborn, by candlelight. At the outset, private patient rooms were \$7 per day for a corner room with bath, \$8 for a corner room without a bath and inside rooms were \$1 less. The operating room charge was \$5 for minor surgery and \$10 for major surgery.

Over the next 75 years, Orange General Hospital grew, added beds and services, changed its name twice, and is now Orlando Regional Medical Center, which is part of Orlando Regional Healthcare System.

A book, titled "75 Years of Caring," has been written and chronicles the many changes that have taken place at the hospital, in healthcare and in Orlando since 1918.

Some of the many subjects covered include information about nursing and the hospital's nursing school, how the hospital handled integration during the 60s and what the future holds for healthcare. In addition, a historical exhibit is on display at the Orange County Historical Museum through November.

For information, call the HealthLine at 648-7899.

## Lithotripsy available at CFRH

SANFORD — HCA Central Florida Regional Hospital has announced the addition of lithotripsy to its services, according to Susan Prather, public relations specialist for the hospital.

A mobile lithotripter will be available at the hospital on Wednesdays for the treatment of kidney stones.

Lithotripsy is a non-surgical procedure that uses highly focused shock waves to disintegrate kidney stones so that they may then be passed through the body's urinary system. Lithotripsy is normally performed on an outpatient basis by a urologist, reducing the amount of time a patient is away from their normal routine. Conventional kidney stone surgery requires a hospital stay of about eight days, while with lithotripsy, a patient normally is in and out of the hospital in the same day.

During the procedure, the patient is lowered into a specially designed tub filled with warm

water. The water is used as the medium to transmit the shock waves to the stone. The urologist uses x-rays to determine the exact location of the stone and positions the patient to receive the shock waves. Multiple shock waves are transmitted until the stone has been completely disintegrated.

After the procedure, the patient is lifted from the tub and sent to the recovery room until the anesthesia wears off. The average procedure takes approximately one hour.

Lithotripsy has minimal side effects and substantially fewer risks than surgery. The costs for this procedure are normally much less than with traditional surgery, as well.

Board certified and board eligible urologists will be utilizing the lithotripsy in the treatment of their patients with kidney stones. They are: Anthony Aricola, M.D., Michael Friedman, M.D., Gonzalo Huaman, M.D., Gregory Loma, M.D. and Charles Witten, M.D.

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## Co-ed volleyball meeting set

SANFORD — An organizational meeting for the Sanford Recreation Department's Spring Co-ed Volleyball Leagues is scheduled for 6 p.m. this Monday night.

The meeting will be conducted in the Recreation Department offices located in the lower level of Sanford City Hall.

Two leagues are being planned: a recreation league, which will begin play on Monday, March 1, and a power league, which will open its season on Wednesday, March 3.

Registration deadline is Wednesday, Feb. 24. The registration fee is \$75 per team. Players who do not live in Sanford must pay a non-resident's fee of \$10 or a family fee of \$15.

For additional information, call 330-5697 between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

## Lake Mary softball

LAKE MARY — The City of Lake Mary Department of Parks & Recreation has announced plans for its first adult softball leagues.

Open registration will begin on Wednesday, Feb. 17, for Men's C, Women's C and Co-ed.

The leagues, which will play on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights, will run for 15 weeks starting the first week in March.

Cost is \$420 league fee, \$40 ASA registration fee and \$5 for non-resident fee.

For more information, call 324-3097.

## AROUND THE STATE

## Earnhardt wins Goody's 300

DAYTONA BEACH — Dale Earnhardt won his third race in a week with a dominating victory Saturday in the Goody's 300 NASCAR Grand National race.

Earnhardt's Chevrolet led 87 of the 120 laps as the five-time Winston Cup champion won the Busch series race by one-car length over pole-winner Ken Schrader's Chevrolet at Daytona International Speedway.

Earnhardt recorded an average speed of 146.441 mph and picked up \$39,375. He started fifth in the 44-car field.

The victory was his 19th on the Busch circuit, and fourth straight and sixth overall in the 12 years of this event.

Earnhardt, who on Sunday is seeking his first Daytona 500 victory, won the Busch Clash last Sunday among 1992 Winston Cup pole winners, then added a win in one of Thursday's Twin 125-mile qualifiers for the 500.

## Quarterback gets 2nd chance

DADE CITY — A quarterback who led his high school football team to the 1992 state 3A title won't go to prison for beating and robbing a pizza delivery man — instead he's been offered two college scholarships.

Isaac Johnson, a 19-year-old with three other felonies on his record, was sentenced Friday to four years probation and 60 days in the Pasco County jail, to be served on weekends.

The light sentence came after friends and relatives testified for more than two hours that Johnson made a promise to his dying mother to stay out of trouble and go to college.

Circuit Judge Lynn Tepper told Johnson he was lucky to get the outpouring of support and numerous breaks from the justice system. But she set tight restrictions on his probation.

Johnson must finish high school, maintain a C average, and attend college or vocational school after his graduation this summer. And if he violates probation, he will be sentenced to seven years in prison.

## AROUND THE NATION

## FSU escape Maryland

COLLEGE PARK, Md. — Bob Sura won a scoring battle with Kevin McLinton and No. 10 Florida State won its sixth straight Saturday, surviving a late Maryland rally for a 87-84 victory.

Sura scored 23 of his career-high tying 34 points in the second half, but the Seminoles blew a 15-point lead before coming back to win. Sura's free throw with 42 seconds left proved to be the winning point.

McLinton had a career-best 32 points, including 21 of the Terrapins' final 27, but his potential game-tying 35-footer at the buzzer fell short.

The victory put the Seminoles a half-game ahead of idle North Carolina atop the Atlantic Coast Conference. Florida State (19-6, 9-2) has won 10 of 11.

## BEST BETS ON TV

## AUTO RACING

11:30 a.m. — WCPX 6, Daytona 500. (L.)

## BASKETBALL

1:30 p.m. — WESH 2, New York Knicks at Orlando Magic. (L.)

## HOCKEY

7:30 p.m. — SUN, Boston Bruins at Tampa Bay Lightning. (L.)

Complete listings on Page 2B



Herald Photo by Richard Hopkins

Senior midfielder Danny McAvoy assisted on all four goals in the Lyman Greyhounds' 4-0 win over the Lake Mary Rams in the 4A-District 9 title game Friday night. Three of McAvoy's assists came off of throw-ins.

## Arrow Force One holds off Lake Mary

## From Staff Reports

LAKE MARY — Employing a balanced attack, Seminole's Arrow Force One withstood a late Lake Mary rally to post a 78-64 Seminole Athletic Conference boys' basketball victory Friday night.

Led by Deon Daniels' 15 points, seven different Seminole players contributed seven or more points.

Eric Roberts added 13 points (including three three-point field goals), Travis Perkins (who had a pair of three-pointers) had 12, and Matt Parker tossed in 10. Andre Hall chipped in with eight while Ray Perkins and Neville Fuller each had seven.

Jimmy Newberry scored a game-high 22 points for the Rams. Richard Roche added 10 while Jarrod Rouse had nine. Roche and Rouse each had a pair of three-point field goals.

Seminole jumped out to a 16-point lead, 27-11, after one quarter and still led by 12, 40-28, at halftime. A 23-13 third quarter helped Arrow Force One build a 63-41 advantage heading into the final stanza.

To their credit, the Rams attempted to rally, outscoring Semi-

noles 23-15 over the final eight minutes.

Lake Mary won the junior varsity contest, 59-51.

Friday's victory keeps Seminole (10-15, 6-2 in the SAC) a game behind Oviedo in the conference standings. Oviedo, which beat Lake Howell 58-46 Friday, is now 14-11 overall and 7-1 in the SAC.

Lake Mary drops to 5-16, 2-6 in the conference.

Seminole will play again this Wednesday night at Lake Howell. Lake Mary will play three games at home this week, beginning with DeLand on Tuesday.

Seminole (78): T. Perkins 5 0 12, Roberts 4 2 13, R. Perkins 3 1 3, Parker 3 4 10, Fuller 3 1 7, Daniels 6 3 8, 15, Howard 1 0 2, Hall 3 2 3, Holloway 1 7 3. Totals: 29 15 27 8.

Lake Mary (64): Newberry 8 6 7 22, Brown 0 2 2 2, Thomas 2 0 1 4, Saunders 1 1 4 3, Roche 4 0 0 10, Peck 2 0 0 5, Bultcher 0 1 2 1, Pritchard 2 1 1 5, Wakefield 1 1 3 3, Rouse 2 1 4 9. Totals: 22 15 22 64.

Seminole: 27 13 23 15 — 78

Lake Mary: 11 17 13 23 — 64

Three-point field goals — Seminole 3 (Roberts 2, T. Perkins 2); Lake Mary 3 (Roche 2, Rouse 2, Peck). Team fouls — Seminole 20; Lake Mary 20. Fouled out — Seminole, Holloway; Lake Mary, Thomas, Saunders. Technicals — None. Records — Seminole 10-15, 6-2; Lake Mary 5-16, 2-6 SAC. Junior varsity — Lake Mary 59; Seminole 51.

Repeaters  
'Hounds blank Rams to defend 4A-9 crown

By RYAN ANDERSON  
Herald Correspondent

LONGWOOD — Danny McAvoy led the Lyman High School Greyhounds to a 4-0 victory over the Lake Mary Rams and a second consecutive 4A-District 9 boys soccer title Friday night at Greyhound Stadium.

McAvoy assisted on all four Greyhound scores, three of which came off of throw-ins. Lyman goalie Chris Lewis came up with three saves to register the shutout.

"We played very well tonight," Lyman coach Ray Sandidge said. "We talked about it before the game and we decided we didn't care how it looked, we just wanted to make sure we won."

"We played well tonight and it is a testament to the character of my players, especially the seniors. They really played outstanding. They all knew what was at stake and they rose to the occasion."

The Greyhounds played with

precision and confidence, seeming to dictate where the ball would land and when. It didn't take long for them to find the back of the net as Mike Sells tallied off of a McAvoy pass with 33:41 left in the first half.

John Bernard and Joel Dewberry also scored for the Greyhounds in the first half, both off of throw ins by McAvoy, with 18:59 and 8:40 left in the first half, respectively.

After the intermission, both teams engaged in a defensive struggle which lasted until the last minute of the game, when another McAvoy throw in found John Scott in front of the open goal.

The Lyman defenders held the Rams to only six shots on goal while the Lyman offense recorded 17 shots on goal. Lyman had an advantage in corner kicks as well, taking four to the Rams' one.

Despite the score, Sandidge knew that the match could have gone the other way very easily.

"Lake Mary is a very good team."

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Herald Photo by Kenjo Zabulungi

Despite a game-high 22 points from junior Jimmy Newberry (No. 44), the Lake Mary Rams suffered a 78-64 setback at the hands of Deon Daniels (No. 32) and the rest of Seminole's Arrow Force One Friday night.

## Earnhardt aims to end drought in Daytona 500

By MIKE HARRIS  
AP Motorsports Writer

DAYTONA BEACH — It ruffles Dale Earnhardt that he has begun numerous Daytona 500s as the favorite, but in 14 tries, he has come up empty.

Sunday, in the 35th running of NASCAR's most richest and most prestigious event, the five-time Winston Cup champion again is the odds-on favorite to add the crown jewel to his sparkling list of accomplishments.

"I can't be thinking about being a favorite," said Earnhardt, who won the Goody's 300 on Saturday. "I'm going to get in there and go. Five-hundred miles is a long way to go. The car's got to work all day, and you've got to have no problems. I think the car's been working good enough — it'll do the job if we do ours."

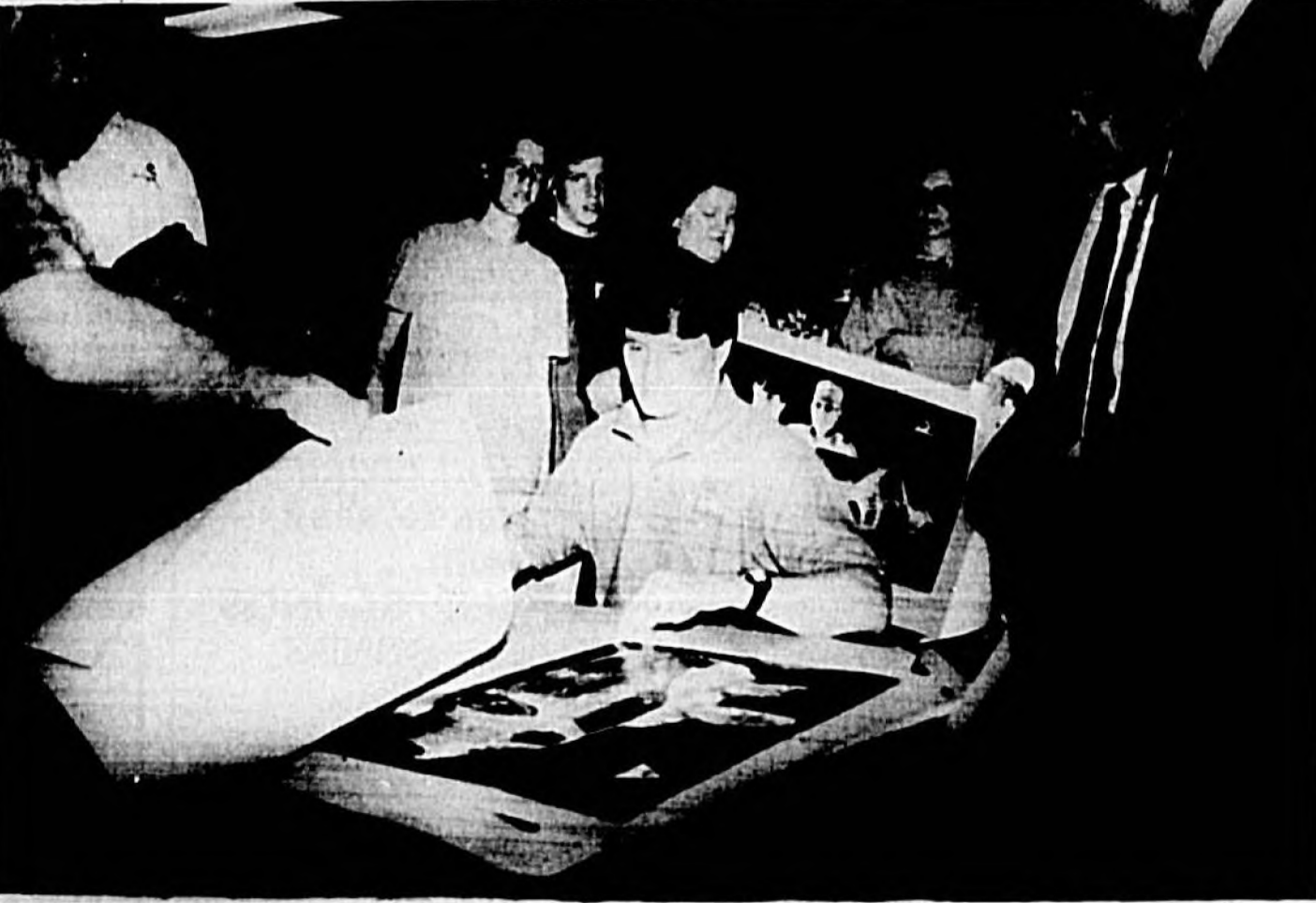
"Somebody's got to win. Why shouldn't it be me? What's happened before doesn't mean a thing when that green flag drops Sunday."

There are plenty of other potential winners in the 41-car field at Daytona International Speedway.

Kyle Petty and Dale Jarrett will start from the glamor spots in the front row, with Petty hoping to join two previous generations of his family as Daytona 500 winners.

His father, Richard, who will wave the green flag Sunday for the first

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Herald Photo by Kenjo Zabulungi

Bobby Hillin, who will start ninth in today's Daytona 500 at the wheel of the Heilig-Meyers' Ford Thunderbird,

made an appearance at Heilig-Meyers' Sanford store Friday night to sign autographs and talk about racing.

## Heilig-Meyers backs Donlavey, Hillin

By DEAN SMITH  
Herald Sports Writer

SANFORD — It's good to see a nice people get a break.

After fielding cars on a limited budget since 1949, Junie Donlavey finally has the backing to be competitive on the NASCAR Winston Cup tour.

Donlavey, one of the most respected and well-liked

mechanics and car owners on the circuit, has had three Rookie of the Years and several other top flight drivers drive his Fords over the years. But he never had the corporate backing to get the best parts necessary to run with the front-runners on a regular basis.

But that changed this winter when Heilig-Meyers Furniture decided to become Donlavey's primary sponsor.

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STATS & STANDINGS

DOGS

Table with columns for race name, date, and odds. Includes races like 'Friday night', 'First race - 5/16', etc.

Table listing various sports teams and their records. Includes Chicago White Sox, Cincinnati Reds, Cleveland Indians, etc.

NBA STANDINGS

Table showing NBA Eastern and Western Conference standings. Columns include team name, wins, losses, percentage, and games back.

JAI-ALAI

Table listing Jai-Alai results for various locations like Orlando-Seminole, Fort Myers, etc.

SPRING TRAINING

Table listing spring training dates and locations for various MLB teams.

THIS WEEK'S FISHING FORECAST

Table with columns for Lake, Fish, Best Bait, and Location. Lists various fishing spots and their conditions.

SOURCE: Florida Game and Freshwater Fish Commission

Saturday's Women's Scores

Table listing women's sports scores from various locations like Hartford at Calgary, Montreal at Ottawa, etc.

AUTO RACING

DAYTONA BEACH - The lineup for Sunday's Daytona 300, with residence, type of car and qualifying speed in mph, where applicable.

ALL Times EST WALESE CONFERENCE

Table showing Walese Conference standings for various teams like Pittsburgh, NY Rangers, etc.

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Table showing Campbell Conference standings for various teams like Chicago, Detroit, Minnesota, etc.

GOLF

5000,000 Seniors Challenge NAPLES - Leaders after Saturday's second round of the \$500,000 Seniors Challenge on the 36-37 Vineyards Country Club course.

TVRADIO

AUTORACING Noon - WCPX 6, NASCAR, Daytona 300. (L) COLLEGE BASKETBALL 1 p.m. - SC Women, Northwestern at Minnesota, (L)

BASEBALL

BALTIMORE ORIOLES - Invited Mike Flanagan, pitcher, to spring training.

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# Business

## IN BRIEF

### REAL ESTATE

#### Oviedo joins Coldwell

Michael R. Good, president of Coldwell Banker West Central Florida has announced that Charter Realty, Inc., of Oviedo, is now a member of its West Central Florida Operations. The office is located at 1419 W. Broadway, and will be managed by Judy Green, Charter Realty's previous owner.

"We chose to join Coldwell Banker because of their strength in the real estate market," said Green. "We researched other national real estate brokerages but none had the commitment to customer service excellence like Coldwell."

Charter Realty, Inc. has served the Oviedo area for 13 years. The office is staffed by 24 full-time sales associates.

#### Two join Prudential

Gary Phillips and Karon Underwood have recently joined the Prudential Florida Realty's Northside office, at 120 Crown Oaks Center Drive in Longwood. Phillips has been in real estate for six years and is a Multi-Million Dollar Achiever. Prior to entering the real estate profession, he was a Certified Public Accountant.

Underwood has been in real estate for 12 years, and has her broker-salesperson's license.

### INSURANCE

#### Urbanek moves up

Peter Burchett, regional vice president for Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Florida has announced the promotion of Lake Mary resident Jon Urbanek to the position of sales manager for the company's central region office located in Orlando.

Urbanek will lead sales activities and marketing planning in central Florida for the company's products. He will manage 10 employees.

Urbanek joined BCBSF in June, 1988 as an account representative in Daytona Beach. In 1990 he was promoted to the position of manager of major accounts.

He is a 1985 graduate of Florida State University.

### NEW BUSINESS

#### Longwood marketing company

Kenneth H. Cristol, a 20 year marketing and sales veteran of Central Florida's construction and development industry, has opened Cristol Marketing Company in Longwood.

Cristol specializes in strategic marketing and sales services, business development and communications.

He most recently handled business development and sales for Williams Company of Orlando, where he held statewide responsibilities for both the Orlando and Tampa Divisions.

Cristol Marketing Company is located at 237 Hunt Club Blvd., Suite 102, in Longwood.

### BUSINESS ACHIEVEMENTS

#### Golf carts going

EastWood Golf Course in south Orlando has become the first member of the National Golf Course Owners Association to purchase golf carts under a national purchase agreement with manufacturing giant, Yamaha.

The association is comprised of over 1,000 golf course owners from around the country including 105 in the Central Florida area. The long term contract calls for the purchase of 10,000 new golf carts this year.

EastWood, the first to take advantage of the offer, has purchased 80 golf carts, worth in excess of \$300,000, from Yamaha representative, TNT Golf Carts, Inc., of Sanford. Twelve of the carts are to be powered by natural compressed gas and will be the first of their kind in Florida.

TNT is located at 650 Hickman Circle, in the I-4 Industrial Park.

### TRANSACTIONS

#### Barnett to sell business

JACKSONVILLE — Barnett Banks Inc. said Wednesday it has agreed to sell the credit-card processing business for 14,000 former First Florida Banks merchants to a Kentucky company.

Barnett will cut 100 positions with the sale, but Financial Alliance Processing Services Inc. of Louisville plans to keep the sales representatives and offer jobs to some of the other workers.

First Florida, which has been purchased by Barnett, recruited merchants to process their credit card transactions, but Barnett does not specialize in that service.

Financial Alliance plans to open nine district offices in Florida to serve its new customers.

The transaction price was not disclosed.

### PROFITS

#### Sound Advice reports profits

Sound Advice Inc. reported a 79 percent increase in second-quarter profits on record holiday sales.

The consumer electronics retailer earned \$1.48 million, or 40 cents a share, up from \$824,000, or 22 cents a share, in the quarter ended Dec. 31, it reported Wednesday. Revenues were up 19 percent to \$51.7 million from \$43.5 million.

For the first half of the year, the company earned \$1.85 million, or 50 cents a share, up 24 percent from \$1.49 million, or 39 cents a share, in the first half of last year. Revenues were up 20 percent to \$89.4 million from \$75.2 million.

Sound Advice said sales were hurt by Hurricane Andrew, which closed one store for a month, but other retailers reported sales gains from residents buying replacement goods.

The chain operates 20 stores from Miami to Jacksonville, including Orlando, Winter Park and Altamonte Springs.

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# Sailpointe undergoing changes

By NICK PFEIFAU  
Herald Business Writer

SANFORD — Sailpointe Apartments, located at 401 W. Seminole Blvd. in Sanford, is undergoing massive re-furbishing. By the time the project is finished, the name will also be changed.

The first three buildings are currently being worked on, with the others still to come. "Eventually we will have the entire facility improved," said manager Penny Allen. "The next phase will involve the clubhouse area and one unit, then we will be undertaking rebuilding in three groups of two buildings each."

Work is presently underway at three buildings located near the rear of the complex, just off Fulton Street. A total of 72 units are located in the three buildings. Work on the units is expected to be completed by April 15.

According to Allen, "We have moved people who lived there into other units. Then, when they are finished, we will be moving people from other units and start work there until the entire complex is finished."

Work includes installation of



Herald Photo by Nick Pfeifau

The exterior of Sailpointe Apartments, soon to be named The Points at Lake Monroe.

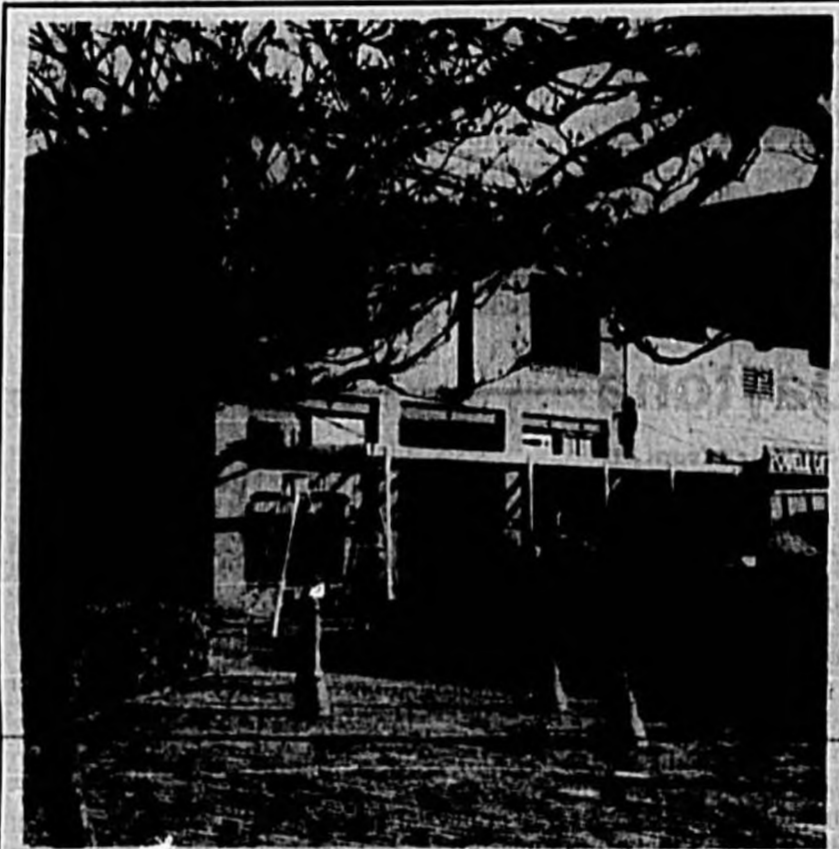
new carpeting, changing stairways, improving balconies, building and screening patios, replacement of cabinets, and other improvements which will eventually include a repainting.

"After that," Allen said, "the next phase will involve the

clubhouse where we will be adding a new fitness center, and relocating our offices to that building."

"Eventually, we will be also replacing the Sailpointe signs," she said, "so we figured when

we do that, we may as well change the name as well. We have already applied for an official name change, and by the time everything is completed, this will be known as "The Points at Lake Monroe."



Herald Photo by Nick Pfeifau

#### Restoring history

"We're not rebuilding, we are restoring," said Tom Speer. The Speer Building, 113 S. Magnolia Avenue in downtown Sanford, is the site of some construction work. The old canopy, originally on this building when it was first built in 1927, is being refurbished. Now called the Speer Building, it was known as the old 'Miller Building.' Miller, father of a local judge, Frank Miller, not only built the building presently owned by the Speer family, but built the old Ritz Theater, and the Princess Theater which was also located in the downtown area of Sanford. Speer said he is trying to renovate as closely as possible to the original look in 1927.

## Siemens Stromberg-Carlson announces new vice president

By NICK PFEIFAU  
Herald Staff Writer

LAKE MARY — Siemens Stromberg-Carlson has announced the appointment of Werner Pekarek as vice president of manufacturing at the company's manufacturing facility in Lake Mary.

Pekarek will be responsible for the manufacturing of the company's EWSD and DCO central office switching systems as well as the complete line of transmission equipment. He will report to Ronald Weindrich, senior vice president of operations.

"We welcome Mr. Pekarek's extensive experience in manufacturing with Siemens companies worldwide," said Weindrich. "We are confident that he will make a valuable contribution to our manufacturing leadership team as we continue to strengthen this world class manufacturing facility."

Prior to his local appointment, Pekarek served as head of manufacturing operations at Kamp Lintfort, Germany. He has also had extensive experience in the areas of field test engineering, production planning, industrial engineering and general management.

He is a graduate of the Siemens Apprenticeship Program, having completed his studies in electronic engineering at the University of Paderborn, Germany.

Siemens Stromberg-Carlson, with headquarters in Boca Raton, is the third largest equipment supplier to the U.S.



Werner Pekarek  
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In Lake Mary, Siemens Stromberg-Carlson is located at 400 Rinehart Road.

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# People

## IN BRIEF

### DISTINCTIONS



Tricia Barrean

#### Dazzler of the Week

Tricia Barrean, a 11th-grader at Seminole High School, has been selected by the school's Dazzler Dance Team as Dazzler of the Week.

A member of the dance team for a year, Tricia says she enjoys going to Church Street Station with her friends and going to the beach.

Tricia said, "I want to be on the dance team because I like to dance and it's fun."

She added, "I learned a lot of things by being on the dance team...like that it is hard and takes up most of your time, but it's worth it. One of my goals is to be my best and try my best."



#### Toastmaster honored

Sally Shelbenberger (left), Toastmaster of the Day, presents Lester Rathwell trophies and ribbons for the best speech and table topic at a recent meeting of Daybreakers Toastmasters Club. The club meets every second and fourth Thursday morning at 7 a.m., at Christus, 107 W. First St., Sanford. Visitors are welcome.

### ORGANIZATIONS

#### USMM, Guard vets meet today

SANFORD — The US Merchant Marines veterans of World War II and the U.S. Navy Armed Guard veterans will meet on Sunday, Feb. 14 at 1 p.m.

They will meet at the Sanford American Legion, 2874 S. Sanford Ave.

CSM Bill Ryan, retired from Melbourne will present a ship's bell to the chapter at the meeting.

Membership is open to all "old salts" and to associate members as well.

#### Pretty kitty cat show set

ALTAMONTE SPRINGS — The City of Altamonte Springs will be presenting their eighth annual Pretty Kitty Kat show on Saturday, Feb. 27 at 10 a.m.

The contest will be at the Westmonte Civic Center, 824 Billa Lane, Altamonte Springs.

Pre-registration, which costs \$3 per feline, may be done by sending a check of money order to Shelly Noof, City of Altamonte Springs, Community Events, 225 Newburyport Ave., Altamonte Springs, FL 32701.

Late registration may be done up to 9 a.m. the day of the show and will cost \$5.

# Women attack crime

## Civic activist challenges Mayor Smith

By ED KORGAN  
Herald Correspondent

SANFORD — Sanford citizens are mad.

They are disturbed that crime is running rampant in the streets of Sanford.

"What can we do?" is the question generally asked. "Where do we start?"

During Violence-free Community Month, coming up in March, citizens, social service agencies, law enforcement agencies, schools and treatment centers, to name a few, in Seminole and Orange counties, will stage an awareness campaign to help combat crime.

In the meantime, the Sanford Woman's Club is backing up the efforts of Martha Yancey, a longtime civic activist who is chairman of the club's Public Affairs Department. Several months back, Yancey announced the proposed formation of a citizens' group to help strike back against crime.

Jean Metts, club president, said, "I would urge everyone to get involved in doing something to stop drugs and crime. 'Call and keep calling legislators.'" Metts said, "Anyone interested in the committee, call Martha or any woman's club member." Metts added.

In an article in the Herald Tuesday, Mayor Bettye Smith dared citizens to offer a solution to the drug and crime problem in Sanford.

Yancey challenges that offer. She said, "Our town (Sanford) is not that big that something can't be done. We have got to pull together and make it a community-wide project. Just like we did for Park on Park. You know the community just came in and we did a beautiful job up there, and it looks like that is what we are going to have to do again. This can only be accomplished with an organization that monitors and reports all the activities between the citizens, law enforcement officers and the drug pushers and thieves in our community."

The model for the organization Yancey has in mind is MADD



Herald Photo by Ed Korgan

Martha Yancey shows Tuesday's Sanford Herald sub-headline: Mayor dares residents to offer solution.

(Mothers Against Drunk Drivers). In a few short years, MADD has gone nationwide and is the biggest combatant against drunk drivers, she said. The organization monitors courts and law enforcement agencies, educates individuals on the harmful effects of alcohol and lobbies for stiffer fines and jail sentences for offenders.

Yancey, who has been personally victimized several times, continued, "I would like to know what the police are doing about crime in our city. We are taxpayers in this city. I think we should know what is happening when our complaints are received in the police department. How do I know that they are doing anything about it? They say they

are, but many people tell me they have called the police and have seen them around later, much later, or not at all. Is the crime so much in our city that our police force has to take 30 or more minutes to respond to a call?"

Yancey added, "The people in the community are getting scared of what is happening out there. Who is going to be the next person to be killed by a drug dealer or someone looking for a cheap thrill? It doesn't seem like anyone has the answers to any of my questions or anyone else's. The mayor's challenge came because there are no longer any good answers available and there simply is not enough money to pay for all the police officers that are

needed."

Yancey is concerned that "criminals are taking over. Drug sales are reportedly made in broad daylight and even close to many of our schools," she said. She feels that a gap has opened up between the citizens and the law enforcement agencies. "Even the laws in the community seem to be criminal-oriented," she stated.

Yancey believes that an agency which she envisions could have a liaison in the police department to monitor the action taken on all calls made into the department. The information received through the liaison would be the basis to grade the department and its officers on the

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# Black History Month salute

## Navy personnel recognized for serving their country

By MARVA HAWKINS  
Herald Correspondent

SANFORD — Three African-Americans who are making a difference in the country, making it a country to be proud of, and protecting those at home from the dangers of warfare, are being saluted today.

Dedication to the country and nation is shared by two who are making the country a safe place while citizens strive here at home to make the community better.

In a conversation with Electrician's Mate Chief Joyce Nathan Artis and her husband, Electrician's Mate First Class Sherman Artis, both of the U.S. Navy, it is obvious that sharing their Navy careers together makes a committed twosome, devoted to their country. They are also working towards



Melvin Walker Jr.

enriching the lives of others.

E/M Chief Joyce is a Sanfordite. She is the daughter of the late Victor Nathan and

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Joyce and Sherman Artis

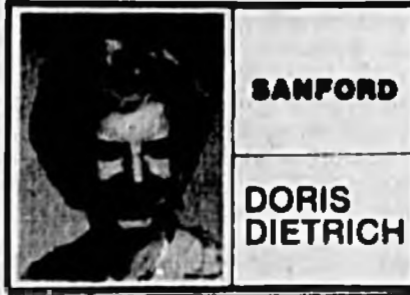
# It's the season when sweethearts are trumps

A breakfast Thursday morning at the Ag Center was a gathering of real sweethearts hosted by the Family and Community Education Volunteers, formerly known as the Extension Homemakers.

The event, an annual Community Thank You Breakfast preceding Valentine's Day, is a way to thank volunteers in the community for their cooperation and help they give throughout the year, according to Barbara Hughes-Gregg.

Attractive red heart invitations were sent out to volunteers. Approximately 65 attended for the 7:30 a.m. feast that included quiche, homemade muffins, homemade jams and jellies and freshly squeezed Florida orange juice. They received sweetheart pin mementoes.

The FCE Volunteers gave over 20,922 hours last year to the community in education and community service. This equals the work of 11.6 full time paid volunteers, Barbara said. This



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year's theme was "Cultural Diversity."

The Family and Community volunteers celebrated the theme with a very special exhibit that is a national treasure of Puerto Rico. The art exhibit is on loan from Washington D.C. FCE volunteers Sary Sepulveda and Haydee Gambaro were responsible for acquiring the exhibit.

For more information about the exhibit, can contact La Prensa, a hispanic newspaper.

#### Celebrity baggers

A number of community leaders, tagged Celebrity baggers, recently helped bag groceries at three Winn-Dixie stores in the interest of cancer research. Proceeds from the event will go to Hope Lodge, a home away from home for families of cancer patients in Gainesville and Miami, sponsored by Winn-Dixie Stores Inc.

Spearheading the local event were members of the Sanford-Lake Mary Unit of the American Cancer Society under the chairmanship of Emy Bill. She said each celebrity bagger received a basket of fruit and a Celebrity Bagger apron, compliments of Winn-Dixie.

The "Who's Who of Celebrity Baggers" at the following Winn-Dixie stores include: Market Place on French Avenue — Bobby Douglas, Lacy Domen, Juanny and John Mercer, Mayor

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Herald Photo by Tommy Vincent

Dr. Jorge Deju receives sweetheart pin from Margaret Tindal of FCE volunteers.

## ENGAGEMENTS



LaRhonda Katina Moore and Guy Roshon Martin

### Moore-Martin

SANFORD — Raymond and Isabelle Hollie announce the engagement of their daughter, LaRhonda Katina Moore, to Guy Roshon Martin, son of Mrs. Carolyn Martin of Sanford.

Born in Sanford, the bride-elect is the maternal granddaughter of Staley and Arrilla Jones of Sanford. She is the paternal granddaughter of Marian McFarland of Orlando. Her step-grandparents are Roman Hollie of Opelika, Ala., and Roberta Lockhart of Sanford.

Ms. Moore is a 1992 graduate

of Seminole High School, Sanford. She is presently employed as sales representative for New Fashion Gift & Beauty Supply in Sanford.

Her fiancé, born in Sanford, is the maternal grandson of Willie Mae Robinson and John Martin of Sanford. Martin is a 1992 graduate of Seminole High School and is currently serving in the U.S. Army at Fort Campbell, Ky.

The wedding will be an event of May 15, 1993, 3 p.m., at New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Sanford.

### Chamberlin-Vezina

DEBARY — Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Hamelin of DeBary, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Lori F. Chamberlain, to Thomas P. Vezina, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Vezina of Sanford.

Born in Saratoga Springs, N.Y., the bride-elect is the maternal granddaughter of Mrs. Fern Fosmire of DeBary and the late Mr. John Fosmire, Miss

Chamberlain is a 1979 graduate of Seminole High School, Sanford.

Her fiancé, born in Boston, Mass., is a 1983 graduate of Seminole High School.

The couple are self-employed and presently run a cleaning service.

The wedding will be an event of Feb. 14, 2 p.m., Deltona Christian Church, Deltona.

## Salute

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Thelma Nathan Mike of Sanford, Joyce graduated from Seminole High in 1976 and graduated from Florida State University in Tallahassee in 1979. Her military career began as a recruit at NTC in Orlando in 1980. She chose a career in electricity and electronics.

She attended electrician mate class A school and graduated fifth in a class of 34. Her desire, said Joyce, was to further her training. She attended nuclear power school and graduated 93rd in a class of 377. At the Nuclear Power Training Unit, Ballston Spa, N.Y. She continued her studies and excelled in her field of endeavor. She graduated 32nd in a class of 109 students.

Her assignment was as a radiological controls shift supervisor responsible for work on board the nuclear surface ship, USS Puget Sound, Gaeta, Italy. She has been assigned as crew electrical leading petty officer, supervisor of electrical operations, and classroom instructor for production students. Her career has seen her and her husband stationed in Charleston, S.C., Norfolk, Va., and Little Creek, Va. Presently, Chief Artis is stationed at the Nuclear Power Training Unit in Charleston where she is qualifying to operate computer-operated reactor simulators.

Sherman Artis is a native of Beaumont, Texas. He is the son of the late Thaddeus Artis and Mary Ann Artis. E/M First Class Artis graduated from French High and received an associate degree in drafting technology from Lamar University, Beaumont, Texas.

His military career began as a recruit at Great Lakes, Chicago where he studied basic electricity and electronics. He completed electrician mate class A school and went onto naval nuclear power school. He was then assigned to Nuclear Power

Training Unit, Ballston Spa, N.Y. After being transferred to the USS Virginia, Norfolk, Va., he was responsible for maintenance and all aspects of nuclear power work aboard nuclear surface ships.

Artis is stationed on board the USS Frank Cable at Charleston. He is presently a radiological control shift supervisor responsible for work aboard nuclear submarines and is responsible for administrative tracking and shipment of radioactive nuclear material waste.

The couple are the proud parents of two daughters, Britany Nicole and Melanie Kirsten. They are active members of St. John's Catholic Church, Summerville. After 21 years of service to the U.S. Navy between the two of them, they are anticipating a few more years in the Navy after which they plan to become an active part of their community.

Cpl. Melvin Walker Jr. recently visited with his parents and family. Walker is a 1988 graduate of Lake Mary High School. He joined the U.S. Marines and went on to graduate from basic training in Parris Island, S.C.

During his five-year Marine Corps service, Walker told of the many commendations he has received. His awards and medals are for sea service deployment: Star Second, National Defense Medal — Gulf War, Navy Unit Citation Award, Kuwait Liberation Medal, South Asia Airborne Wings, Pistol and Rifle Expert. Corporal Walker is stationed at Camp Lejeune, N.C. where he is a radio chief with the 110th C. Battalion, 2nd Marine Division Sentry Guard School. He also works in electronics.

Walker has done tours of duty in Japan, the Philippines, Somalia, Spain, Norway, Egypt, Israel and United Arab Emirates. He is the son of Irma and Melvin Walker Sr. He plans to continue his career in the Marines.

## Valentine luncheon held at Towers

By HERMAN SCHROEDER  
Herald Correspondent

The annual Valentine luncheon for the women of Holy Cross Episcopal Church of Sanford and All Saints Episcopal Church of Enterprise, sponsored by the two churches over 20 years ago, was held at Bram Towers, host for the event. Fifty-three women and one priest, Father Young, whose parents were residents of Bram Towers at one time, attended the luncheon.

Kay Bartholomew talked about the St. Lucia Festival, traditions and legends; how it started here, and plans for the future.

Bartholomew made the following statements: Light plays a vital role in our lives as well as in the festival of St. Lucia. The name Lucia comes from the Latin word "Lux," which means light. St. Lucia was a saint from Sicily where she was martyred for being a Christian and giving her dowry to the poor.



Kay Bartholomew (right) talks about Sanford's St. Lucia Festival at Valentine luncheon.

The present day festival is based on traditions held in Sweden beginning on the Dec. 13, she said. There is a direct tie with the Swedish tradition and

the local area as Gen. Sanford brought Swedish immigrants here. Many descendants remain and have contributed to the community.

This year the festival will be expanded in several ways, Bartholomew said. It will grow and be more colorful each year, she added.

## Teachers offer to tutor students

Are your children having problems with their studies? Elementary, middle and high school children in the Sanford community are invited to come and get special help with their homework. There are dedicated teachers to tutor your children in their schoolwork at St. John's Baptist Church, East 10th St. and Cypress Ave. Make the difference in your child's grades. Every Wednesday — 4:30 p.m.



### Play scheduled

The City of Sanford Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Steering Committee, along with Seminole Community Boys Glee Club, and Tajiri Arts International will present a play that will address

the peer pressures of our black boys, a story of how they will survive. "Into the Lives of Urban Princes." This play was written by Vickie Felder, noted writer of Orlando. Edited by Labethia Whitby, the play addresses the social issues of our day — AIDS.

abuse, teenage pregnancies and survival in this day and age.

The play will be presented at the Sanford Civic Center, Friday, Feb. 19, 7:30 p.m. Tickets are at the door for a donation of \$5 which will help the continuance of the City of Sanford Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship Fund. Patricia Hitchmon is the director.

### Youth workshop set

The 2nd Annual Youth Workshop "Music and Motivation" will be conducted by the Florida A&M University Gospel Choir, Saturday, Feb. 20. The workshop is from 9 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. at the Sanford Civic

Center. Lunch will be served for workshop participants.

The workshop will be followed by a concert at 7:30 p.m. at the Sanford Civic Center featuring the Florida A&M University Gospel Choir and the Sanford-Seminole Youth Workshop Choir.

Pre-registration is required for the workshop; there is no registration fee. For more information please call Cynthia Oliver at 322-5826, Sheralyn Brinson at 321-4881 or Marva Hawkins at 322-5418. This annual affair is sponsored by the Sanford-Seminole Alumni and Friends of FAMU and the Martin Luther King Steering Committee.

## Dietrich

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Bettye Smith, Dr. Robert J. Smith and the Rev. and Mrs. John Hinton.

Also Lake Mary Boulevard and U.S. Highway 17-92: Bill Dodd, Dr. Beverly and Darvin Boothe, Jean and Adm. Richard Fowler, DeLores Lash, Joanne Lucas, Sandra and Garnett Goard, Donna Adamson and Dean Adamson.

Also: Airport Boulevard and 25th Street - The Rev. Tony Black, Burt Fairchild, Dave Freeman, Kathy Rodriguez, Tak Imamura, Joyce and David Farr, Phyllis and Art Grindle and Wayne Doyle.

### Art show and tea

Today, Valentine's Day, is the perfect time to grab your sweetheart and stroll down the boulevard to a colorful art show and tea.

The Sanford-Seminole Art Association will hold its 34th membership show today, from 12:30 p.m. until 4 p.m. at the Cultural Art Center, Fifth Street and Oak Avenue.

The highlight of the show is the People's Choice Award and the two special awards, Peacha Wiggins and the E.B. Stowe. Prizes and ribbons will be awarded to the winners of those art pieces judged excellent.

The public is invited and tea will be served all afternoon.

### Meeting glitzy

Glitz, a talented quintet attired in sweetheart red T-shirts, entertained the Sanford Woman's



FCE volunteers Helen Griffith and Louise Nolan serve Beth Bridges at appreciation breakfast.

Club at the February meeting. Directed by Jaen Metts, club president, the group sang a medley of love songs dating back to the 1930s when they traced the lives of a couple from then on through to their golden wedding anniversary. More on this group at a later date.

The clubhouse and tables were decorated in a festive Valentine motif. Hostesses were: Pat Foster and Licle Fleming, chairmen; Toni Hobson, Lourine Messen-

ger, Pat Brooks, Charlotte Knowles, Helen Kaminsky, Helen Marston and Rochelle Whitley.

### A sweetheart fete

A group of Sanford women, who call themselves the Friendship Club, get together frequently for a "Just Because" luncheon.

On Thursday, the group met at Holiday Inn, Sanford Marina,

to eat, drink and be merry.

The table decorations featured Valentines and Valentine confections. The pianist even saluted the women with the familiar old favorite, "Let me call You Sweetheart."

Enjoying the day were: Nellie Coleman, Dorothy McReynolds, Liz Helfrich, Jeri Kirk, Martha Yancey, Faye Kelley, Lourine Messenger, Charlotte Knowles, Vida Smith, DeLores Lash and Joanne Lucas.

## Crime

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work that is being done in the curtailment of the drug trade and the lawlessness in the community.

She speaks of a liaison to sit on the city commission to represent the citizens against lawlessness. Her ideas go as far as monitoring judges in courtroom cases to

make sure that judges are handing out tough sentences to those who deserve it.

She continued, "I think our community is going to have to get mean. I think we can do it. We have got good people here but they have got a temper too and they know what it takes to clean up this town and we are going to have to clean it up. It

just looks like there is too much lawlessness for any one police department to take care of. A citizens action group that is recognized by the police department, the city hall, and the citizens of the community will serve our community well and I fully intend to get this group going."

In order for this group to be

effective it needs members. Yancey is asking everyone to join the cause. She feels that silence is giving the criminals a better chance to continue their lawlessness. She plans to have an announcement of an organizational meeting within the next week to begin the quest against those who want to continue dealing in crime and drugs.

## Free health care program designed to help cope

By SANDRA ELLIOTT  
Herald Staff Writer

SANFORD — A working, middle-aged woman doesn't know where to turn when her mother needs to go to the doctor but her elderly father can't drive anymore. She could routinely take time off work, but that might jeopardize her job.

Helping caregivers cope with the daily problems of the aging and elderly is the goal of a free seminar Feb. 27 at the Sanford Civic Center.

Hosted by Seminole County

Better Living for Seniors, organizers hope to draw participants from a five-county area. Better Living assistant director Sherry Fincher and program organizer Sue Allbee explain caregivers sometimes get so bogged down with their task, they don't know where to turn and that help for some of their problems is available.

Although there have been meetings in the past dealing with singular subjects, Allbee said this is the first time experts on caregiver topics are being brought together in one place, enabling people to

"shop" for the information they need.

Health care and hospitalization will be major topics at the seminar. Allbee said many older people put off going to the doctor due to fear, cost or both. Minor ailments, if left untreated, can become major crises.

"Their children are thrown into a frenzy," Allbee explains. "It takes a crisis before people begin to look around and arm themselves with information."

Information available at the seminar should benefit, not

only people already dealing with an elderly parent, sibling, spouse or friend but individuals who will be doing so in the future.

Legal, medical and financial issues will be addressed with such topics as: living wills, guardianships, Alzheimer's patients and memory impaired, chronically ill and hospice, Medicare and Medicaid.

Local doctors will staff an "Ask a Doctor" booth to answer questions about geriatric patients.

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# Today's a good day to revive Ten Commandments of Love

**DEAR READERS:** Can you believe it's Valentine's Day again - already? And what better day to revive my Ten Commandments of Love!

Yes, Dear Readers, I actually had the chutzpah to write my own Ten Commandments - but that was more than 20 years ago, when I was younger and knew everything.

Originally, I had written two sets of commandments - one for men and one for women. Then, an early feminist from Milwaukee wrote to demand equality for women, insisting there should be only one set of commandments, separate, but equal.

She was right, so how's this for a gender bender?

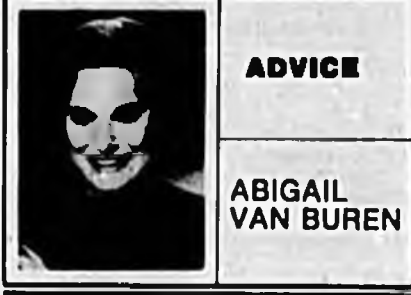
## THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF LOVE

Thou shalt put thy mate before thy mother, thy father, thy son and thy daughter, for thy mate is thy lifelong companion.

Abuse not thy body with excessive food, tobacco, drink, or any foreign substance that goeth into thy arm or up thy nose.

Do not forget that cleanliness is a virtue.

Permit neither thy business nor thy hobby to make thee a stranger to thy children, for the most precious gift a parent can



### ADVICE

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give his or her family is time. Make not a beggar of thy mate. Willingly share with him or her thy worldly goods.

Forget not to say, "I love you." For even though thy love may be constant, thy mate doth yearn to hear those cherished words.

Remember that the approval of thy mate is worth far more than the adoring glances of a hundred strangers, so cleave unto thy mate, and forsake all others.

Keep thy home in good repair, for out of it cometh the joys of old age (not to mention its resale value).

Forgive with grace, for who among us does not need to be forgiven?

Honor the Lord thy God all the days of thy life, and thy children will grow and bless you.

**DEAR ABBY:** When I was in

Kunkle High School more than 60 years ago, I gave a book report on Woodrow Wilson. The only thing I remember was that his hobby was writing limericks.

I think the one he wrote about himself is a gem:

"For beauty I am not a star  
There are others more handsome by far  
"But my face, I don't mind it,  
"For I am behind it,  
"It's the ones in front that I jar!"

**WILMA KRISHER, WEST UNITY, OHIO**

**DEAR ABBY:** Being identical twins, my sister and I have had some interesting experiences. My favorite happened at our 10th college reunion. My twin and I graduated from the same college, the same year. We both attended our reunion, and stood together at the registration desk.

My slender sister had her two small children in tow. I was 8 1/2 months pregnant with my first child and was as big as a house.

The woman sitting at the registration table had never been able to tell us apart when we were all in school together.

"Without thinking," she said, "Oh my goodness - you're both here! How will we ever tell you girls apart?"

**SEEING DOUBLE IN ORION, MICH.**



Webelos "Scorpions" are seated (from left): Jeff Gillett, Matt Johnson, Tim Nelson, Daniel Brown, Nick Anthony and Blake Fisher. Standing: Roy Nelson, assistant den leader (left), and Tony Brown, den leader.

## 10 members of Boy Scout Webelos receive awards

The "Arrow of Light" award was presented to 10 members of the Boy Scout Webelos. The award is the highest honor that a Cub Scout can earn. The special patches and certificates were given to each scout at the annual Blue and Gold banquet held on Saturday, Feb. 13, at the Altamonte Elementary School. The U.S. Marine Honor Guard participated in the special occasion which included a dinner for the Cub Scouts and their families.

The Arrow of Light patch is the only Cub Scout distinction that can be worn after the members become Boy Scouts. In addition to the Arrow of Light, the members received other activity badges too.

The two dens, the Scorpions and the Wolverines, comprising local Pack 237, have completed many projects and shared various activities. The Webelos Scorpions took a trip to Boatwright Farm in Alma, Ga. where they were able to experience many of the responsibilities of working on a farm. The Scorpions decorated T-shirts which were sent to different soldiers during the Gulf War. The scouts successfully completed a four-year recycling project, collecting \$1,200 worth of aluminum, paper and copper, which helped them earn the World Conservation award. During the fall of 1990, the Scorpions' basketball team had an undefeated season.

The Wolverines have learned survival techniques which was essential to earn the Outdoorsman patch. They earned the Aquanaut badge after having their swimming abilities tested and verified by the retired



Webelos "Wolverines" are (from left): Beau Varner, Elliott Thomson and Evan Rice. Not pictured are: Colby Taylor and Russell Rice, den leader.



### LONGWOOD

DEBORAH YINGLING

become proficient in various crafts and have participated in fund-raising activities, such as selling popcorn and candy. The members will continue to participate in Cub Scout activities and prepare to join Boy Scout Troop 237 this summer after they complete fifth grade.

The First Baptist Church of Longwood will hold a Valentine's Banquet tonight, beginning at 5 p.m. The dinner will have a family focus and children are welcome to attend with their parents. The function will be professionally catered.

The church is located at 891 East State Road 434 in Longwood. Tickets for the event will be available through Sunday and are priced at \$3 for adults and \$1.50 per child. For further information, please call the church office at 339-3817.

swimming coach from the University of Kansas. The Wolverines have also learned CPR and made their own first aid kits.

Both Webelos dens have

## IN THE SERVICE

**RYAN JOSE ORTIZ**  
Ryan Jose Ortiz, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Parrett of 1144 Nuomi Lane, Sanford, has joined the Navy under the Seaman Apprenticeship program and will travel to the Recruit Training Center in Orlando in July 1993 to begin his Navy training.

Under the Seaman Apprenticeship program Ortiz will receive general on-the-job training in various general and nautical-related skills until he decides on a permanent specialty.

After successfully completing basic training and apprenticeship training Ortiz could be assigned to any one of the Navy's duty stations around the world.

**MICHELLE L. TAYLOR**  
FORT LEONARD E. WOOD, Waynesville, Mo. - Pvt. Michelle L. Taylor has completed basic training here.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

She is the daughter of Dorothy L. Allen of 3049 Bungalow Blvd., and Johnny L. Taylor of 1119 W. 11th St., both of Sanford.

The private is a 1992 graduate of Seminole High School, Sanford.

**MELISSA A. KOEHLER**  
FORT JACKSON, Columbia, S.C. - Pvt. Melissa A. Koehler has completed basic training here.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military

courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

She is the daughter of Becki Koehler of 1045 Collins St., Melbourne and Ken Koehler of 521 Lake Charm Court, Oviedo.

The private is a 1992 graduate of Oviedo High School, Oviedo.

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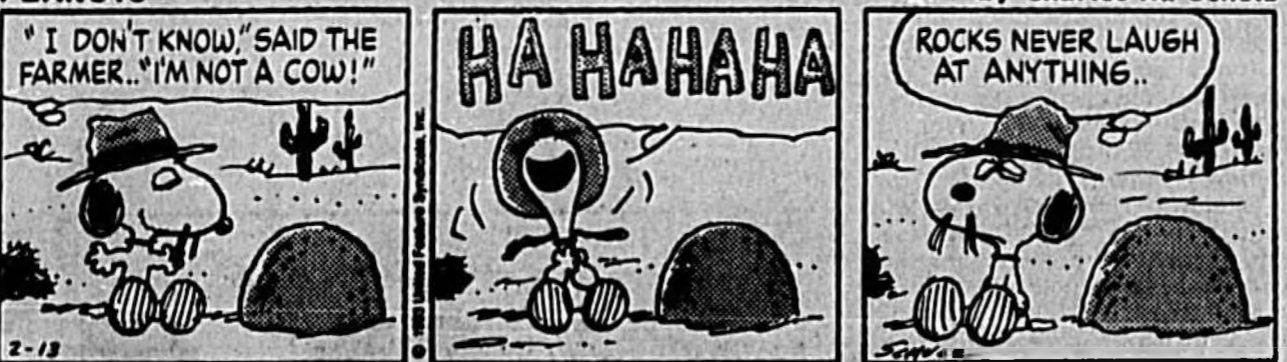
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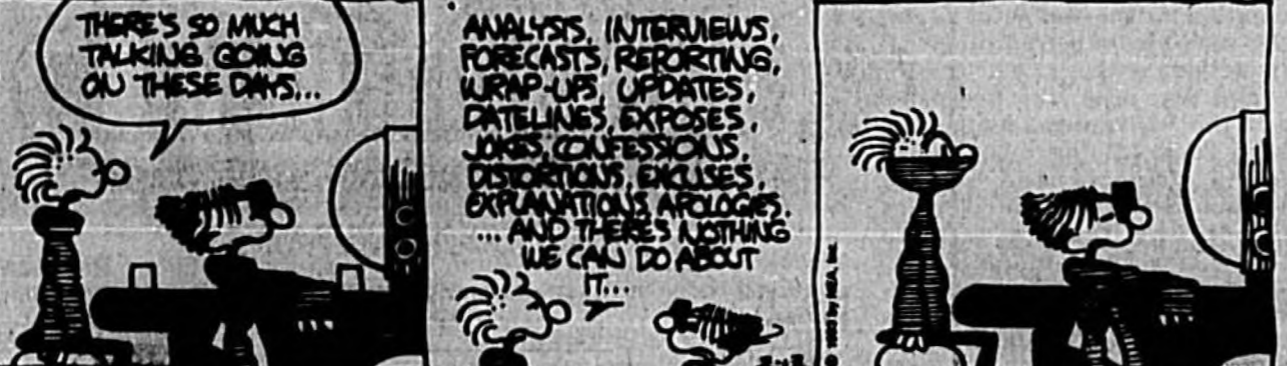
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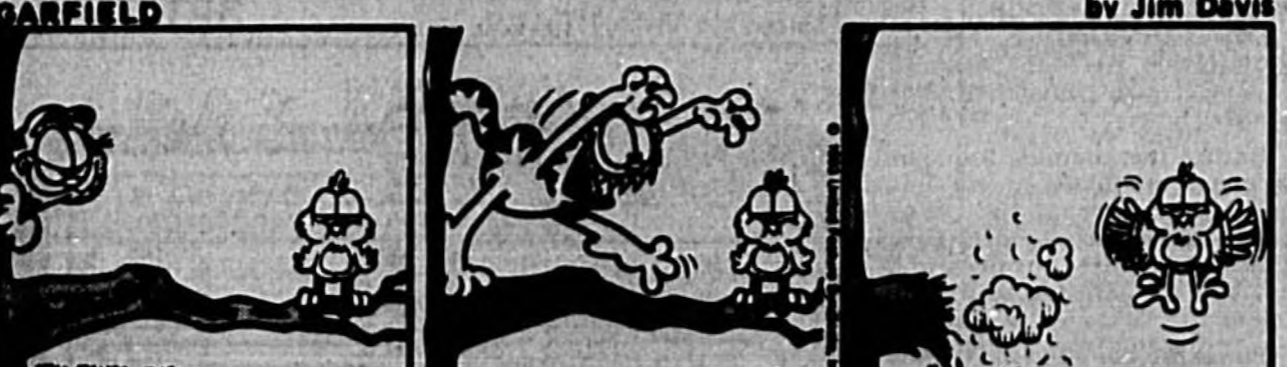
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**By Bernice Bede Osol  
YOUR BIRTHDAY  
Feb. 14, 1993**

Do everything in your power in the year ahead to increase your number of business contacts. Friends you make in the workaday world could turn out to be a big help.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Avoid situations that emphasize commercialism when dealing with friends today. You could come out on the losing end in business matters. Aquarius, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for Aquarius' Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$12.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20-March 20) Put your chips on associates today if you feel their luck is superior to yours. You might have a chance to ride in on their coat-tails.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19) If someone whose judgment you trust regarding social issues offers you advice today, don't let it go in one ear and out the other. You could benefit from what you've been told.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) It is best not to rock the boat in a joint venture today if your counterpart has situations under control. Your input could be disruptive.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) Be supportive of your mate today, especially when he or she makes a presentation in front of others. If you disagree on any points, discuss them privately.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22) You could be rather fortunate today in developments, where you subordinate your interests to others' concerns. Thinking solely of yourself will produce the least benefits.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) Have fun and enjoy yourself today, but keep moderation in mind. Your chart indicates that you are inclined to overindulge to your detriment.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Your best probabilities for personal gain are likely to come later in the day. Earlier you might be a bit too indecisive to

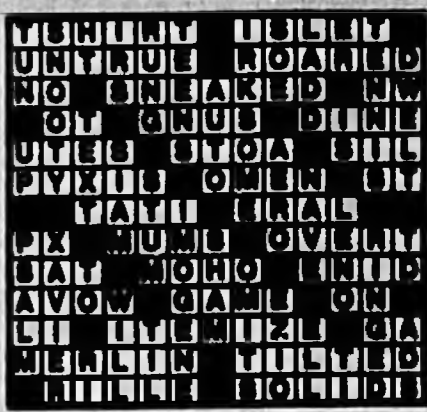
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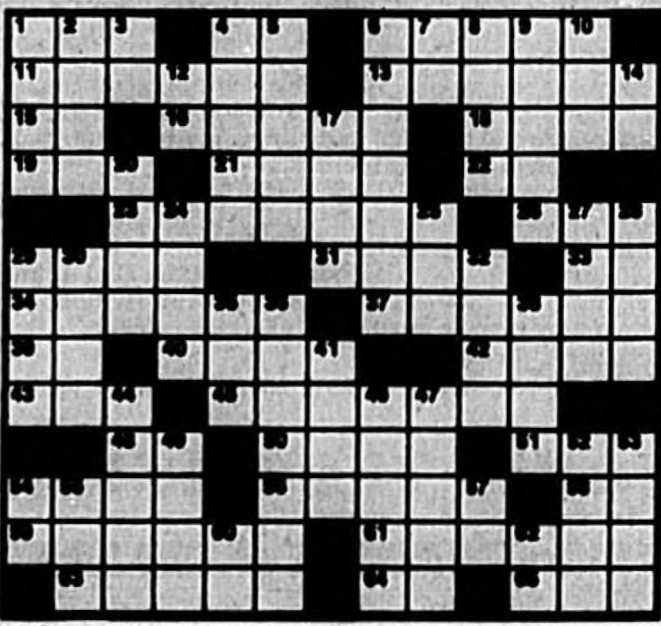
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- 48 A continent (abbr.)
- 50 Ordinance
- 51 Timber tree
- 54 Hawaiian instruments
- 56 Poem by Homer
- 58 Is (Sp.)
- 59 Imitates
- 61 Device
- 63 Talking bird
- 64 Neighbor of NC
- 65 GI's address

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**



- 3 Babylonian deity
- 4 Falls softly
- 5 Blue-jeans material
- 6 Purple flower
- 7 Ancient city
- 8 — Julia
- 9 Ready to be used (2 wds.)
- 10 Program
- 12 Twice (prof.)
- 14 Stomach (abbr.)
- 17 How sweet
- 20 Mine entrance
- 24 Egyptian goddess
- 25 — Quentin
- 27 Biblical tribe
- 28 — slow
- 29 Once — a time
- 30 Enticing
- 32 Female title
- 35 Nautical rope
- 36 A language
- 38 Mother
- 41 Fuel
- 44 Opponent
- 46 Tree parts
- 47 Jacob's father
- 49 "A" — apple
- 52 Chrp
- 53 Concerning (2 wds.)
- 54 Symbol of hesitation
- 55 Actress — Bealby
- 57 Minister's title
- 60 Symbol for calcium
- 62 N. of FL.



make advantageous judgments. **LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You're a quick study today, and you have the ability to mold others' ideas into something promising for all concerned. Unfortunately, however, you might not use this gift properly. **SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Material conditions might fluctuate for you today. You could be fortunate in adding to your resources, but you may also deplete them with unnecessary extravagance. **SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Something that you are hopeful about can be achieved precisely as you have envisioned it, provided you don't allow negative companions to convince you otherwise. **CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Follow your instincts today when they tell you the trends are running in your favor. If you wait too long for additional evidence, the tide may have already turned. as your watchwords. **LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Things won't be dull or unrewarding today in situations where you're inclined to make your presence felt. You're the catalyst that can move developments in a positive direction. **SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Give priority today to matters of importance to you financially or materially. If you handle things effectively, personal acquisition is likely. **SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) This is one of those days where the more you have to do, the better you are likely to perform. Establish a busy agenda early in the day and stick to it. **CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Lady Luck tends to favor you today in indirect ways. There's a chance some good things might happen for you that you won't be aware of until later. (C)1993, NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.

**By Bernice Bede Osol  
YOUR BIRTHDAY  
Feb. 15, 1993**

The year ahead could prove to be an extremely busy one for you, due to many new interests in which you may become involved. More travel than usual is also indicated.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You could be a bit of a dreamer today, but that's OK, because what you will envision is feasible. Your imaginings can be brought into existence.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20-March 20) You might fare better today if you intuitively do what you feel is best for yourself and those in your charge, instead of doing traditional things that could fail.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19) Substantial things could happen for you today, provided you manage your involvements in accordance with your highest standards at all times. Don't cut any corners.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) Focus your effort and attention

on meaningful objectives today, regardless of how difficult they might appear. You could be in for some pleasant surprises.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) Participatory endeavors that require a total team effort hold more promise for you than any involvements that call for independent action. Don't go it alone.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22) Take pride in your work today, and be willing to do a bit more than what is asked of you. A good job will provide you with both gratification and unexpected rewards.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) Others will be willing to cooperate with you today if they understand that what you want for yourself, you also want for them. Successful support needs motivation.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) If you apply yourself today, you'll not only be a good starter, you'll be a strong finisher as well. Let continuity and consistency serve

**By Phillip Alder**  
English is a difficult language, but one full of variety. I particularly enjoy the diverse ways one can play with the words: anagrams, puns, homophones, spoonerisms, malapropisms, and so on. In particular, I like malapropisms. Mrs. Malaprop was a character in Richard Brinsley Sheridan's "The Rivals." She had the habit of using a word close to the one she really should have employed. For example, she spoke of "an allegory on the banks of the Nile." See how many malapropisms you can find in the rest of this column.

Today's deal comes from a rubber-bridge game in which the stakes were expansive, very expansive. North had just bid and made seven no-trump. This is the second deal. West had a normal pre-

eminent opening of five clubs. North bid six clubs to show a stroganoff two-suiter; but not necessarily that shapely and stroganoff. The rest of the bidding contained three ill-advised doublings.

Declarer thumped the club-ace lead in hand. He dashed two rounds of trumps. When they broke 3-1, he twitched his attention to hearts. When West absconded on the first round, it was an easy job for South to ruff out East's heart queen. Declarer retrained to dummy with a diamond ruff, drew the final trump and claimed.

North-South had won a 50-point rubber. (Don't forget the 100 honors on this deal, and the 100-point bonus that you get, under the new scoring rules, for making a redoubled contract.) They corrected so much money that they were suddenly effluent.

**NORTH 3-5-99**  
 ♠ KQJ1097  
 ♥ AKJ986  
 ♦ —  
 ♣ 2

**WEST**  
 ♠ 5  
 ♥ —  
 ♦ QJ74  
 ♣ AQJ88763

**EAST**  
 ♠ 853  
 ♥ Q7432  
 ♦ A  
 ♣ K1064

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ A43  
 ♥ 108  
 ♦ K1086532  
 ♣ —

Vulnerable: North-South  
 Dealer: West

South	West	North	East
70	50	60	70
70	Dbl.	70	Dbl.
	Dbl.	Redbl.	All pass

Opening lead: ♠ A

**ANNIE**



by Leonard Starr









# Education

## IN BRIEF

### Healthy Heathrow

LAKE MARY — Slim Goodbody, the health and fitness guru, will be visiting Heathrow Elementary School on Thursday, Feb. 18. He will be hosting a musical presentation called "The Musical Health Show" that will involve the students in learning how to stay in shape and to take care of themselves. For more information about the show, call the school at 333-4422.

### Outstanding minorities sought

ORLANDO — The University of Central Florida McKnight Center of Excellence is currently accepting nominations for the March 20 induction into the McKnight Achievers Society (MAS). The program identifies and supports outstanding African-American students in Kindergarten through the 12th grade who are high achievers. Members participate in monthly meetings and organized community service projects, such as the Black History and Cultural Brain Bowl, statewide meetings, fundraising projects and field trips to culturally and academically relevant events around the area. Nominations are needed this week. For more information or to obtain an application, call 407-423-6632 or 407-823-5580.

### Winter Springs top students

WINTER SPRINGS — The following students were given Student of the Month status at Winter Springs Elementary School:  
 ● Kindergarten: Kim Anderson (Super Student), William Griffith, Cigi Stone, Paul Anderson, Amber Hampton and Aaron Haar.  
 ● First grade: Alda Rodriguez (Super Student), Samantha Ramery, Kevin Dubicki, Matthew Healep, Allen Sirizi, Michael Roberson and Steven Edenfield.  
 ● Second grade: Vanessa Roman (Super Student), Carrie Glaspey, Jimmy Chenet, Chastity Hoffman, Brandon Ferwerda, Heather Brown and Lee Bergman.  
 ● Third grade: Adrianna Sekula (Super Student), Cassidy Henningsen, Stephen Budzash, Joey Gonzalez, Erin Leichtenberg, Melissa Browning and Fred Griffith.  
 ● Fourth grade: Danielle Wainwright (Super Student), Yarah Otero, Diane Gregory, Michael Navarra, Amy Niemer and Kevin Ramnath.  
 ● Fifth grade: Katie Donnelly (Super Student), Robert Vite, Lisa Shuler, Laura Kizer, Ryan Gallo and Tami Fischer.

### Prom Promise getting set again

The Prom Promise campaign, sponsored by Nationwide Insurance, is getting underway once again in Seminole County schools. Four district schools, Lake Mary High, Lyman High, Lake Brantley High and Oviedo High, are set to participate this year. Prom Promise asks students to find alternatives to drug and alcohol use at their proms which will take place in the spring. Students are asked to sign pledge cards stating that they will remain drug and alcohol free for, at least that one night.

## High school report

### Lake Mary



Elaine Heinzman

## The play's the thing at Lake Mary High

LAKE MARY — "Thespians do it on stage." That's the slogan of the Lake Mary Thespians Troupe 3506.

The troupe participated in the District 5 Thespians competition that was held recently. There, they earned five awards of excellence and one superior rating.

The Lake Mary Thespians presented a one act play called "Addict," which earned an "excellent" rating.

Karyn Stillwell received an "excellent" on her monologue and was named the best female supporting actress in the entire district competition.

Maya Jones also received an "excellent" rating on her monologue.

The Duet Acting Team of Samantha Fleifel and Angela Bates earned another of the "excellent" ratings that was earned by the Lake Mary team.

Robert Tuttle earned two of the awards that the team brought back to school from



this most recent competition. He received an "excellent" for his solo musical presentation and a "superior" rating for costume design.

All of the individuals who earned an "excellent" or a "superior" rating for their work at the District 5 competition will go on to compete at the state level.

Marty Cronk, who plays Jimmeyer in "Addict" says he loves the recognition of being a Thespians.

"I wanted to be in Thespians because of the great honor and prestige involved," he said. "I also like the idea of being recognized nationally."

Thespians are chosen for the Lake Mary team on a secret point system.

After they are in a number of productions that the school drama club performs, they are chosen to become a Thespians.

At the end of the school year, all of the new Thespians are inaugurated into the club.

Elaine Heinzman would like to thank Kevin McGowan for his contributions to this article.

### Seminole



Cherise Scott

## Valentines and curriculum plans

SANFORD — Today is Valentine's Day.

It is a day for showing love and affection toward a loved one. As one student remarked, it is a day when you should express your true feelings.

We must not lose sight of the fact that there are 364 other days in the year to show our love and affection, though I don't think our pockets could afford showing this love as materially as we do on Valentine's Day.

As one teacher reminded us recently, "people put too much emphasis on a single day to be nice and show their affection."

All in all, it should be a fun and enjoyable for all.

Around this time of year, Seminole High is beginning to register students for the fall.

A new curriculum guide has just come out to aid students in choosing the classes they need or want to take.

Also included in the curriculum guide is information pertaining to the new Academy of Health Occupa-



tions. Incoming ninth and tenth graders who are interested in the health academy can fill out an application and get three recommendations from a teacher, a school guidance counselor and a community representative.

If a student is accepted into the program, they will be rescheduled.

These students coming in have more to look forward to than any group of students before them. They also have better opportunities and more options.

Also around Seminole, our state championship baseball team is starting their 1993 season.

For the seniors, a park is being crated where we can eat lunch and socialize. During this upcoming week, class pictures were taken.

Soon, Spring will be here. That means Spring Break, the Prom and then Graduation. How time flies.

Also with the spring, I hope there is an end to this spread of the flu.

## Blueprint gives power back to the schools

By BILL KACZOR  
Associated Press Writer

TALLAHASSEE — Florida's Blueprint 2000 school reform program has taken a major step toward its goal of shifting power over schools from the state to teachers, parents and community leaders.

Gov. Lawton Chiles and the state Cabinet approved a transition plan Tuesday that calls for using incentives rather than directives to achieve education goals.

"More and more I've come to realize government cannot, by thou shalt not or thou shalt or by rules and regulations, tell people what to do, how to live their lives as much as we'd like to do it," Chiles said.

Some cabinet members and a legislator questioned the lack of standards to measure the program. Education Commissioner Betty Castor said that issue

would be acted upon at a later date.

The Florida Commission on Education Reform and Accountability sent the Cabinet its recommended transition plan after removing proposed minimum standards for dropout and graduation rates, student performance and other goals.

Panel members feared such standards would become maximum rather than minimum benchmarks. They saw a requirement for public reporting of school performance as a more flexible and effective way to judge progress and put pressure on school officials.

But Sen. George Kirkpatrick, D-Gainesville, a recent appointee to the commission, disagreed so strongly at one commission meeting that he threatened to resign over the issue.

"It's great to have flexibility but you've got to have some

accountability," he told the Cabinet.

That accountability is lacking without specific standards, he insisted.

A law passed two years ago requires each school to have an advisory council of parents, business people and others to get communities involved. The councils are to help draft school improvement plans to meet state and local goals.

"The stick we give the advisory committees is the ability to compare their school and their progress against all the other schools in their district and against all the other schools in the state," Kirkpatrick said.

That is what taxpayers want before they will support higher taxes for education and without more money the accountability program will not work, Kirkpatrick said.

### Teacher of the Year:

Art Woodruff

## New program is exciting for Seminole's top teacher

SANFORD — Art Woodruff, Seminole High School's teacher of the year, grew up in Sanford and he's glad to be helping the hometown students.

A 1980 graduate of Seminole High School, Woodruff said that he is very dedicated to the students.

"I put in many hours outside of school for activities, such as the yearbook," he said. "I do it for them and because I love it."

Woodruff developed Seminole High School's Principles of Technology program based on the state's Tech Prep curriculum.

"I had done some outside work and I sort of



Art Woodruff

customized it to fit our particular needs here at Seminole," Woodruff explained. "I worked with other science teachers for five weeks in Arizona this summer developing effective teaching strategies."

Woodruff said that the key to his teaching success

is his ability to guide students as they teach themselves.

"I don't teach straight from the textbook," he said. "I let the students work through problems until they find the answers."

Woodruff said that he believes the hands-on approach to learning is the best.

"We spend about half our time in the lab in my classes," he said.

He also noted that the support of principal Gretchen Schapker and the rest of the Seminole High staff has been invaluable.

"They make my job so much easier," he said.

## Community comes together for Multi-Culture Week

SANFORD — Representatives of many cultures and ethnic backgrounds will come together in Sanford this week at Seminole High School.

"People from all over the world live here in Seminole County and many of them are volunteers here in our schools," Lynn Baggett, a volunteer coordinator at Dividends, the school district's volunteer program.

Beginning on Tuesday and running through Friday at Seminole High, there will be Multi-Culture week to celebrate the diversity of our community.

On Tuesday, 16 international students enrolled at the University of Central Florida will be on hand to talk about their native lands.

On Wednesday, Bill McLaughlin will talk about Scotland and will have a professional piper with him to demonstrate the music of the bagpipes.

On Thursday, Terry and Jean Sherwood, who have travelled extensively in African and have a large collection of African art, will present an African assembly.

On Friday, John Marshall will discuss the Mid East.



Art Woodruff works with his students to be sure textbooks. He says the hands on learning that they really learn the lessons that are in their happens in his labs is the best kind.

### Seminole County School Board

#### What's for lunch?

Monday, Feb. 15, 1993 Presidents Day, No School.	Seasoned Green Beans School Roll Milk
Tuesday, Feb. 16, 1993 Pizza Tri-tators Steamed Broccoli Diced Peas Milk	Thursday, Feb. 18, 1993 Hot Dogs on a Bun Boston Baked Beans Garden Salad Cinnamon Applesauce Milk
Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1993 Salisbury Steak Whipped Potatoes	Friday, Feb. 19, 1993 Manager's Choice Milk