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Train strikes vehicle, one person dead

From Staff Reports

LONGWOOD - One fatality was reported this morning in a vehicle/train collision. Longwood Director of Public Safety Terry Baker said the incident occurred near the intersection of CR-427 and Plumosa Avenue, at approximately 7:21 a.m.

Other than the driver of the vehicle, there were apparently no other persons involved after the driver reportedly parked on railroad tracks at the time the vehicle was struck. The driver was said to have been killed in the collision.

Details were not available at press time, and the identity or address of the person who was killed were not immediately released. The accident is being handled by the Florida Highway Patrol.

PSC to discuss new area code for county

By Nick Pflanz
HERALD STAFF WRITER

The Florida Public Service Commission (PSC) is meeting in Tallahassee today and Wednesday to consider several charges placed against telephone companies, called "slamming," and to discuss a proposed new area code for Seminole County and the immediate area.

One of the items is a show-cause hearing against AT&T Communications of the Southern States, Inc. operation "Connect N Save" for violation of the interexchange carrier rules, (slamming). The term is used to describe the results when a company changes a customer's phone company without the customer realizing what is being done.

The commission is to vote today on whether or not to require AT&T to show cause, in writing, why it should not be fined \$5.49 million, or have its certificate canceled in response to 183 alleged violations of the rule.

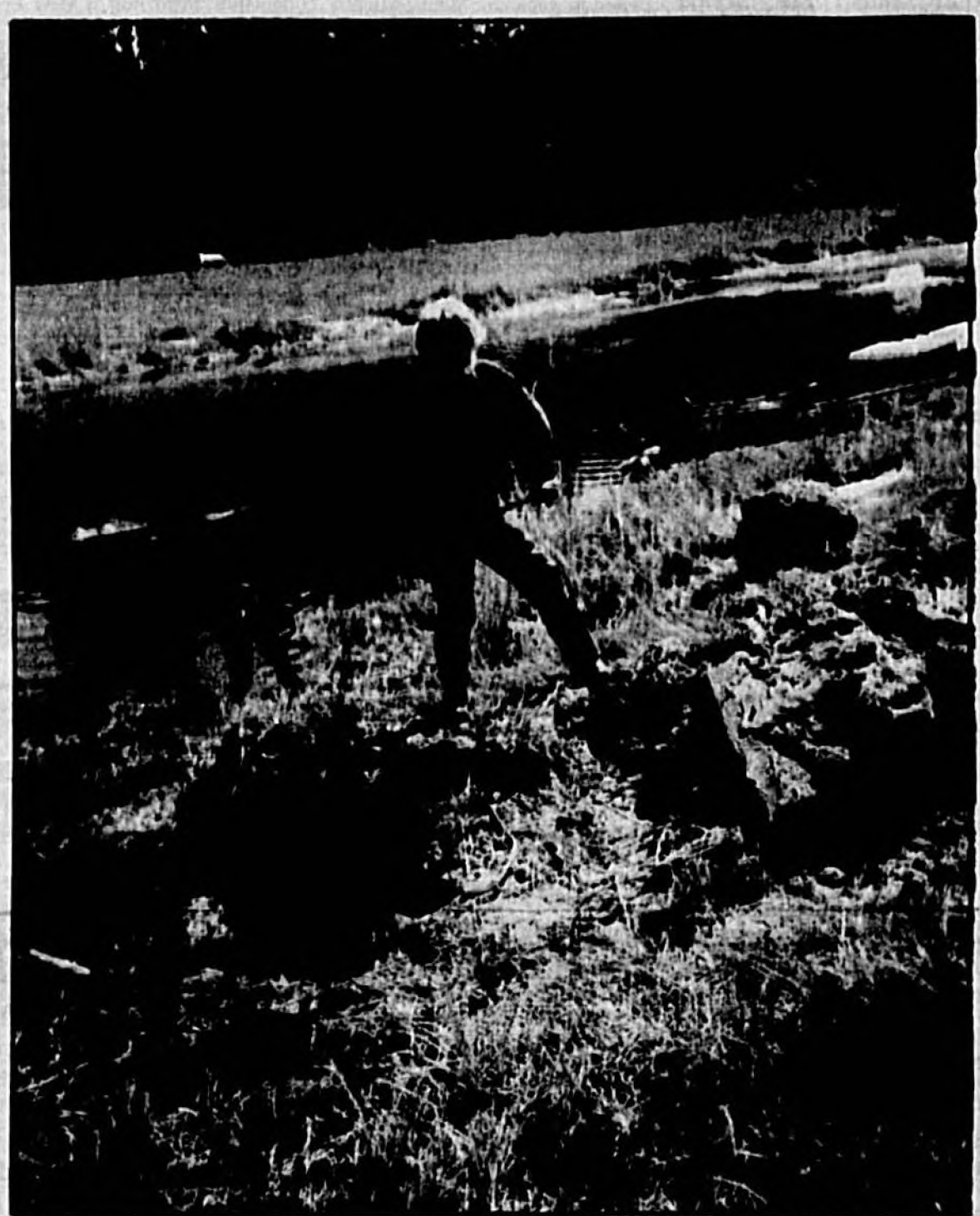
Also today, All American Telephone, Inc. will be on the PSC carpet. The commission will vote on whether or not to accept a company offered settlement of \$34,200 for apparent "slamming" violations.

On the positive side, the commission is to vote on whether to allow BellSouth to waive late payment charges for consumers in areas affected by

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"If love does not know how to give and take without restrictions, it is not love, but a transaction."
-Simeon Goldman

You've got to lose some, to learn how to save some



Tom Sheipe (above) forks dead catfish out of his pond in Sanford. The fish kill occurred this weekend, brought on by recent adverse weather conditions. Thousands of fish (below) were buried on the property.

Herald Photos by Shari Brodie

Fish kill brought on by smoke, lack of rain

By Shari Brodie
HERALD FEATURE EDITOR

SANFORD - She recognized the firefighter, one of many who battled the recent wildfires, by the T-shirt he was wearing.

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Kids find plenty to do on summer vacation

By Jeff Bertinleke
ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

LAKE MARY - Sure, anyone can spend summer vacation sitting around the house playing video games.

There's plenty on cable TV and it sure is hot outside, isn't it?

Well, the last time we checked on the elementary school kids in Seminole County, they were pretty excited about summer vacation. And most of the kids have found better things to do than wait until the school bell rings again on August 3.

At Lake Mary Elementary School, there is a day care program that attracts kids who attend schools from all over Seminole County. As the thermostat reached triple-digits last week, some of the kids sat in the air-conditioned cafeteria

at the school and talked about their summer adventures. The room was cool, snacks and drinks were all around, and they had just left the playground.

It was one of the times that they were actually at Lake Mary Elementary. Other days they have traveled to area hospitals and a planetarium. It's been a full summer, but some of the kids have had adventures elsewhere. The kids are all young elementary school-aged and here's a few samples of what they have done this summer.

Justin Harden (Longwood Elementary): "We studied all about planets and stars. It was fun seeing a planetarium."

Zureya Balmas (Longwood Elementary): "I got to go to Typhoon Lagoon and also got to take roller skating lessons."

Jason Wells (Wilson Element-

County judge in bid for third term

By Russ White
HERALD STAFF WRITER

SEMINOLE COUNTY - The first time John Sloop ran for a county judge's seat there were five candidates. There wasn't a whole lot he or the others could talk about in a non-partisan race except for their experience as attorneys and what perceptions they might have of the court.

Sloop won that race and an-



'I have found my niche in life as John Sloop, Seminole County Judge'

- Judge John Sloop

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other four years ago.

Now, he is going for the judicial hat trick - a third consecutive term. He is opposed this time by Jeanne Gold, a former assistant state attorney from Longwood who is running for the first time.

At 49, Sloop believes he has and will continue to be a good county judge. Instead of shooting higher for a circuit or court of appeals seat, he wants

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Crime time in Seminole County

Bank robberies

By Nick Pflanz
HERALD STAFF WRITER

CASSELBERRY - Two men have been arrested in connection with the robbery of Colonial Bank on SR-436 in Casselberry. The robbery took place shortly after 5 p.m. Friday.

According to Casselberry police Sgt. Dennis Stewart, one man entered the bank, and indicating there was a weapon, demanded money from a supervisor. The supervisor is said to have told the robber that she did not have a key to open the teller box. The man reportedly became verbally abusive and fled from the bank. He entered a white car driven by another man and fled west into the SR-436 rush hour traffic.

Bank personnel notified Casselberry police and gave a description of the subjects and their vehicle. Stewart said police located the vehicle at the intersection of SR-436 and U.S. Highway 17-92 at which time a traffic stop was attempted.

The two sped away however, and police received permission to conduct a pursuit based on

the serious nature of the charges. The car and suspects were said to have matched the descriptions in an attempted bank robbery at Barnett Bank in Winter Springs, a short time before the Casselberry incident.

The vehicle continued into east Altamonte Springs and turned into a business parking lot. The driver reportedly attempted to turn around and go back into the traffic but police Sgt. Pleasants angled his patrol car across the traffic aisle.

The suspects attempted to swerve around the patrol car and accidentally collided with the left front end of the vehicle.

The two were then taken from their car and placed under arrest. They were identified as Joseph A. McDonald, 42, driver of the vehicle, and passenger Robert Lawton Cook, 47.

McDonald has been charged with bank robbery, and felony fleeing and eluding. Cook has been charged with bank robbery.

In addition, Cook is said to be on parole and has an active warrant for driving with a suspended/revoked license.

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Herald Photo by Tammy Wessan

Who says summer is all about laying on the couch trying to beat the heat? Not the kids from all over Seminole County who are spending time at the Lake Mary Elementary School summer camp.

Justin Harden (Longwood Elementary): "We studied all about planets and stars. It was fun seeing a planetarium."
Zureya Balmas (Longwood Elementary): "I got to go to Typhoon Lagoon and also got to take roller skating lessons."
Jason Wells (Wilson Element-

tary): "We went to the mountains and went canoeing in North Carolina. We drove there and stayed all week."
Mia Davis (Idylwild Elementary): "I spent some time at my

cousin's in Ocoee and I visited my grandmother for three

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Airport board narrows director search

By Nick Pfeiff
HERALD STAFF WRITER

SANFORD - Another round will be undertaken Thursday, regarding the search for an Orlando-Sanford Airport executive director. The matter is scheduled for consideration at the next meeting of the Sanford Airport Authority, July 23.

The executive director search committee met on July 10 and selected five candidates for consideration by the board, which will be announced at the

meeting.

The five have been identified as Robert L. August of Erie, Pennsylvania; John H. Drury of Naples, Florida; Bill Gatchell of Hobbs, New Mexico; Olen Januska of Waukesha, Wisconsin, and Victor White of Salt Lake City, Utah.

The authority may select first, second and third choices, after which contract negotiations are expected to get under way.

Another item listed on the meeting's agenda is a briefing

of products by Jimmy Goff, who has been asked to provide a time line for key future airport projects to help assist with budgetary decisions.

On July 10, the Federal Aviation Authority gave notification that the Orlando-Sanford Airport had been evaluated as a Primary Service category. One of the benefits of the designation is immediate qualification to receive approximately \$1.7 million from the FAA entitlement program in the next year's budget. Goff is to ad-

dress new funding strategies available with known FAA participation in the coming year.

Also scheduled is the consideration of the airports 1998/99 fiscal year budget. A joint meeting has been scheduled on the budget with the Sanford City Commission on August 10 at 3 p.m.

The Airport Authority meeting, Thursday, July 23, will begin at 8:30 a.m. in the second level conference room in the A.K. Shoemaker International Terminal.

Bank

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McDonald has additional felony warrants for burglary to a dwelling and violation of probation.

Winter Springs police brought witnesses from the scene of their bank robbery, and the two suspects were said to have been identified as being involved. Winter Springs police will file appropriate bank robbery charges. The FBI is also conducting an investigation into the robberies.

Both suspects have been taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility in Sanford.

Fatal shooting

From staff reports

LONGWOOD - A 40-year-old woman was shot to death Sunday night in a Longwood business establishment. As of this morning, no one has been charged in connection with the case.

According to Seminole County Sheriff's Spokeswoman Deanne Brown, officers were summoned to Kathy's Wings, 2690 W. SR-434 at approximately 9:30 Sunday evening, in response to a 9-1-1 call regarding a woman who had been shot. When officers arrived they found Joanne L. Tracey, an employee of the business, on the floor. It was determined gunshots had been fired from outside the building, through a rear window.

Tracey was immediately airlifted to South Seminole Hospital in Longwood, but her wound was said to be so severe, that she could not be revived. She was pronounced dead at approximately 10:45 Sunday night.

Brown said previous reports indicated Tracey had been involved in a custody dispute with her ex-husband Joseph, over their 4-year-old son. Volusia County deputies assisted local deputies in locating Joseph Tracey at his home in New Smyrna Beach. He reportedly came to Seminole County voluntarily for questioning, and was said to have been fully cooperative.

As of this morning, Brown said sheriff's deputies were still investigating the shooting. She indicated the ex-husband is not, at this point, considered a suspect and no arrests have been made.

Women robbed

From Staff Reports

SANFORD - Gary Kolmetz, 37, of Lake Mary, is being held without bond charged with three counts of robbery, aggravated battery with a motor vehicle and possession of drug paraphernalia. Kolmetz allegedly robbed three women including former mayor of Casselberry, Andrea Dennison. One woman was robbed at around 7:25 a.m. as she was

waiting for the bus at the corner of 10th Street and Locust Avenue. The suspect was hanging out of the driver's window and took the victim's purse. Thirty minutes later, Dennison was struck by the same car that stole the purse. Dennison was struck in the parking lot of the Seminole County Services building on First Street in Sanford. The robber exited the car and pulled Dennison's purse from her arm.

Later, an elderly woman was

accosted at the corner of Southwest Road and 18th Street. The driver asked her a question, and then proceeded to take her purse from her. Police then found the vehicle at the corner of 12th Street and Mangouatine. Police found the purse and the paraphernalia in the back floorboard.

Dennison was treated at Central Florida Regional Hospital for minor injuries. She suffered bruises on her right hip and arm. She also had a sprained ankle and wrist.

POLICE BRIEFS

Driving under the influence

Kenneth Little, 28, of 124 E. Alma Ave., Lake Mary, was arrested Saturday, July 11, by Lake Mary police. Little was charged with DUI and was arrested at the above address. Little allegedly stopped in the middle of an intersection, went over the center line almost 3 times and pushed her to the ground.

Battery

Joyce Barber, 41, of 777 Creekwater Terr., Lake Mary, was arrested Sunday, July 19, by Seminole County deputies. Barber was charged with battery. She was arrested at the above address.

Malita Moran, 20, of 710

Hickory Ave., Sanford, was arrested Friday, July 17, by Sanford police. Moran was charged with aggravated battery. Moran was arrested in the 1000 block of Cedar Creek Circle.

Correction

Due to an editing error, in Sunday's *Seminole Herald*, on Page 6C, a photo caption read incorrectly.

The caption under the photo of Mary Cowan should have read "Mary Cowan, with her dog, Blackie, almost lost her leg because of a wound that wouldn't heal."

The editor regrets the error.

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OBITUARIES

RUTH BOOTH

Ruth Booth, 85, East 2nd Street, Sanford, died Saturday, July 18, 1998 at Central Florida Regional Hospital, Sanford. Mrs. Booth was born Feb. 14, 1913 in St. Joseph, Miss., and moved to Central Florida in 1906. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Sanford.

Survivors include son Harold Reynolds, St. Petersburg; daughter, Catherine Bossert, Sanford; sister, Elizabeth Wahstrom, Seattle, Wash.; five grandchildren; 6 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild.

Beacon's National Cremation Society, Winter Park, in charge of arrangements.

WILLIE EARNEST CAMPBELL

Willie Earnest Campbell, 54, Wolcott Place, Orlando, died Saturday, July 18, 1998. Mr. Campbell was born Jan. 24, 1944 in Sanford. Mr. Campbell was a bus driver for Orange Lake Country Club. He was a member of Providence M.B. Church.

Survivors include daughter, Tangala D., Orlando; father, Nathan, Lake Monroe; mother, Lizzie, Lake Monroe; brother, Kelly Bernard, Lake Monroe, Charles L., Tampa, Henry L., Kistimnee; sister, Ehteline Jefferson, Tampa; one grandchild.

Wilson-Eichelberger Mortuary, Inc., Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

WILLIE D. LOGAN

Willie D. Logan, 55, Northwest Sixth Place, Gainesville, died Thursday, July 16, 1998 at Shanda at Alachua. Born March 10, 1943 in Tampa, he left Central Florida in 1995. Mr. Logan was a construction laborer. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include mother, Ida Kate, Sanford.

Sunrise Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

ELIZABETH MCKENZIE

Elizabeth McKenzie, 94, Academy Avenue, Sanford, died Saturday, July 18, 1998 at Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center of Sanford. Mrs. McKenzie was born Dec. 6, 1903 in Oatesen. Mrs. McKenzie was a hairstylist. She was a member of Palbearers Society and Heroina of Jericho. Mrs. McKenzie was a member of St. James African Methodist Episcopal Church.

Survivors include sisters, Josephine Smith, Lillian Bacon, both of Sanford, Annie Lee Gills, Ella Mae Thomas, both of Pompano Beach.

Sunrise Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

ERNESTINE PATRICIA JONES

Ernestine Patricia Jones, 54, Del Bonita Court, Tampa, died Tuesday, July 14, 1998. Born in Chicago, Ill., she moved to Central Florida in 1982. Mrs. Jones was a bus driver. She was a member of Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church.

Survivors include daughter, Alison Delay, Doraville, Ga.; sisters, Emily Scott, Winter Park, Doris Dunn, Altamonte Springs; brothers, Michael Scott, Ft. Huachuca, Ariz.; William Scott, Evanston, Ill.; John Scott, Orlando; two grandchildren.

Golden's Funeral Home, Winter Park, in charge of arrangements.

ROSA G. POUND

Rosa G. Pound, 95, West 12th Street, Sanford, died Friday, July 17, 1998 at Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center of Sanford. Born Dec. 3, 1902 in Orangeburg, S.C., she moved to Central Florida in 1950 from Jacksonville. Mrs. Pound was a homemaker. She was a member of New Mt. Calvary MB Church.

Survivors include son, Richard Lee, Jacksonville; sister, Virginia Mack, Jacksonville.

Wilson-Eichelberger Mortuary, Inc., Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

JOSEPH RIVERS

Joseph Rivers, 85, Sipes Avenue, Sanford, died Monday, July 20, 1998 at Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center of Sanford. Born Dec. 24, 1912 in Savannah, Ga., he moved to Sanford in 1983 from West Palm Beach. Mr. Rivers was retired from the Coca Cola Bottle Company. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include sons, Eugene, Sanford, Johnny, Harold, both of Savannah, Ga., Bennie, New Jersey; daughter, Verna Lee Smith, Englewood, New Jersey; brother, Landy Patterson, New Jersey; 28 grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren.

Sunrise Funeral Home, Sanford, in charge of arrangements.

AUDREY E. TRECKER

Audrey E. Trecker, 86, Adams Court, Sanford, died Friday, July 17, 1998. Born Feb. 9, 1912 in Beaver City, Neb., Mrs. Trecker and her husband had been winter residents since 1964 before moving to Central Florida permanently in 1976. Mrs. Trecker was the former registrar for the Republican Party in West Hartford, Conn. before retiring. She was a Protestant.

Survivors include sons, Jerry Trecker, Hampton, Conn.; James Trecker, Oradell, N.J.; brother, Lloyd Ricker, Sanford; six grandchildren.

Brisson Funeral Home, San-

BERTHA LOWE MYERS

Bertha Lowe Myers, 85, East First Street, Sanford, died Wednesday, July 15, 1998. Born June 12, 1913 in Virginia, she moved to Central Florida in 1968. Mrs. Myers was a secretary for various departments of the U.S. Government. She was a member of AARP and a

TREVOR JAMES LEAYMAN

Trevor James Leayman, 26, Norvell Ct., Deltona, died Saturday, July 18, 1998. Born in

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Sloop

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to be right where he is. "I have found my niche in life as John Sloop, Seminole County Judge," he said.

His is a job that requires seeing as many as 350 to 400 people a week. That's the usual workload for each of the five county judges who rotate weekly on 5-week cycles. County judges earn \$102,000 a year regardless of seniority.

Sloop put \$65,000 in personal loans into his campaign before qualifying began. Yes, the strategy may have been to discourage the opposition. "But it's not play money - it's there to spend," Sloop said.

Being a judge means being a teacher at the same time. Sloop says, "Everyday on the bench I have an opportunity to make a difference. Each person is unique and I employ a full range of approaches to get my message across - that we are responsible for our actions and the consequences that follow."

Sloop is the co-chair of the Education Committee of the Community Initiative Against Domestic Violence. "We look for ways - candlelight vigils, dramas, dynamic speakers - to increase community awareness of the horrible toll domestic violence extracts from society."

Judge Sloop teaches law to fellow judges as a member of the Education Committee of the Conference of County Court Judges. "We meet twice a year to stay current in the law, to identify trends, and to share ideas on how to handle problems. The best way to learn is

to teach."

In recent weeks, Sloop was as busy away from the courthouse as in it. He rode with Animal Control to help rescue animals and worked at the Geneva shelter during the wildfires in the county. "I had to help," he said. "They wouldn't let me fight the fires, so I did what I could at the shelter."

Sloop is the Semoran Springs District chairman of the Boy Scouts of America and an assistant scoutmaster of Altamonte Springs Troop 203. He is a past president and director of the Habitat for Humanity in Seminole County, an American Red Cross volunteer and a certified lifeguard for the YMCA. He is married to Vickie Smith and has a son at Purdue University.

His judicial accomplishments include having saved tax money and increased efficiency of the county court system by helping reorganize the court to reduce delays.

He also helped reduce wasted court appearance time for litigants and their attorneys by being on time for hearings and by allowing litigants, witnesses, and attorneys to appear by telephone.

Sloop also allows jurors to ask questions of witnesses and provides instructions to each juror before trial begins and encourages jurors to take notes during trials.

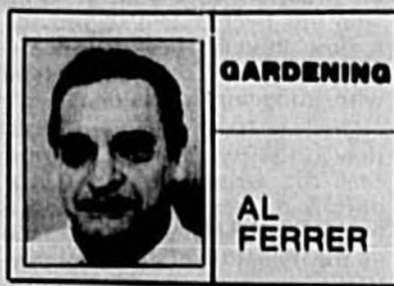
Eight years ago when he won his first race to be a county judge, Sloop talked about what he was prepared to do. Today, he can talk about what he has done as he seeks a third term.

So you're bugged by lawn pests...

Several insects and related pests are common in Florida lawns. Southern chinch bugs, spittlebugs, grass scales, and bermudagrass mites suck plant juices. Mole crickets, white grubs, and billbugs live in the soil and damage the grass roots. Other pests, including sod webworms, grass loopers, and armyworms, eat the grass leaves. Additional insects and related pests such as fleas, millipedes, chiggers, sowbugs, and snails do not damage the lawn but may become nuisances by biting people or crawling into houses, garages and swimming pools.

Monitoring insects: An effective way to survey for chinch bugs, lawn caterpillars, mole crickets and beneficial insects is by the use of a soap mixture applied with a 2-gallon sprinkling can. (This mixture is not effective in surveying for white grub or billbug larvae.) Mix 1-1/2 fluid ounces of dishwashing detergent in a 2-gallon sprinkling can full of water, and drench 4 square feet with this solution. Observe the area for about 2 minutes. If the above pests are present, they will emerge to the grass surface and can be detected. If no insects are found in the first area checked, examine at least three or four other places in the suspected areas.

Diagnosis: Insects are only a few of the many causes of yellowish or brownish areas



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in grass. Disease, nematodes, dry weather, and nutritional disorders are sometimes responsible for such injury. It is important that homeowners be sure of the cause so the proper treatment can be applied to correct the trouble without the needless use of pesticides and extensive damage to the grass.

Cultural practices: Rapid succulent growth, resulting from frequent or high applications of water-soluble inorganic nitrogen fertilizers, acts as an attractant and substantially increases the chances of insect attack. Incidence of damage from these pests can be greatly reduced with applications of minimum amounts of slow-release nitrogen fertilizers in combination with other macro- and micronutrients.

Control: When spraying for control of soil insects (mole crickets, white grubs and billbugs), the turf should be moist at the time of application. Immediately after spraying the insecticide, irrigate with about

1/2 inch water to leach the insecticide into the soil where the insects are feeding. For control of surface feeders (chinch bugs, lawn caterpillars, bermudagrass mites, grass scales and spittlebugs), do not irrigate after application. Granular formulations for the recommended insecticides may be substituted for sprays in controlling chinch bugs, webworms, mole crickets, white grubs, or billbugs. If applied for soil insects (mole crickets, white grubs or billbugs), irrigate with about 3/4 inch of water immediately after applying. To help prevent unnecessary environmental contamination and reduction of beneficial insects, spot treatments can be applied when infestations are first noticed and the damaged area is small. Treat the off-color area and about a 10-foot buffer area surrounding it. If damage is widespread over the year or if many infested areas are detected, the entire yard should be treated. Inspect the area two to three times at bi-weekly intervals to determine if infestation is under control.

Apply insecticides properly: Read and understand all directions on the container label regarding dosage rates, application information, and precautions. When a spray is applied for controlling insects, it is important to apply the insecticide in a large

amount of water. The jar attachment to a garden hose is the suggested application device for lawns. The type that requires 15 to 20 gallons of water passing through the hose to empty the quart size jars is recommended. Put the amount of insecticide in the jar as directed on the label for 1000 square feet. Fill the jar the rest of the way with water. Spray the contents over 1000 square feet. To insure even coverage, spray back and forth across the measured area; then turn at right angles and spray back and forth across the same area.

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Jeff Berlinicke

Herald Staff Writer



Little League pitchers have too much on their minds

There isn't much to not like about Little League or Bambino baseball.

It's great to see kids out having fun doing something they enjoy while their parents look on. There are worse things they could be doing.

That said, there is something that's been bothering me about the game.

In the past few weeks, there have been tournaments all over Central Florida and I've seen a lot of them. Kids ranging from eight- to 17-years-old are enjoying the game, despite the travel and the heat, but there's one problem that needs to be corrected.

Pitching.

That's the key to the game, as well as the future of the game. For the past several years, hitting has become the major part of the game. Everyone wants to be Ken Griffey. Nobody wants to be Greg Maddux.

It all starts in youth baseball, where the games are starting to take forever and the problem starts right on the pitcher's mound.

Simply, there's too much for a young kid to think about. Just let him pitch the darned game.

Here's a few pointers from a person who was a little league all-star pitcher in Baltimore for several years and picked up lots of splinters by the time he made it to high school.

First: Hey, kids, just get the ball over the

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Beer: 30 racks up a championship

It's over in the Sanford Co-Ed Summer Softball League

By Jeff Berlinicke
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It's all over in the Sanford Co-ed softball league.

Beer 30 ran out to a huge lead and averaged its only loss of the season with a 20-14 trouncing of KMS in the championship game last night.

It was 5-0 after an inning and, despite a comeback attempt from KMS, Beer: 30 coasted.

All season long, Beer: 30 has pounded opponents, rarely going the full seven innings due to the slaughter rule which ends a game after a 10-run lead.

Beer: 30 scored at least 20 runs in all but one game, a loss to KMS to set up last night's championship game.

It didn't take long for Beer: 30 to take charge of the championship game.

Beer: 30's first five hitters scored. Jerry DiBartolo led off the bottom of the first after KMS went down in order, and Paula Ritchey followed with a single.

Joe DiBartolo doubled and Nicole Goyette singled, then Dave Coss walked to make it 4-0. Beer: 30 scored another on a sacrifice fly from Bob Goyette to round out the first inning scoring.

KMS closed it to 5-4 in the second. Keith Kempke singled and was followed by Gina Green's single. After two fielder's choices, Brad Rupert and Kortney Kuhn each singled to make it 5-4 after a Doug Atkinson sacrifice fly.

Then, Beer: 30 struck again with four in the second inning, capped off by an over-the-fence grand slam from Coss.

KMS had three more in the third, but Beer: 30 pounded the ball all night and was only scoreless in the fifth inning.

Hitting for KMS: Bruce Sellers (double, run), Lucy Sellers (two singles two runs), Keith Kempke

(two singles, three runs), Gina Green (single, double, run), Brad Bender (single, run), Lynn Webb (run), Brad Rupert (two singles, double, two runs), Kortney Kuhn (two singles, run), D.J. Speicher (home run).

For Beer: 30: Jerry DiBartolo (two singles, double (four runs), Paula Ritchey (two singles, three runs), Joe DiBartolo (three doubles, three runs), Nicole Goyette (two singles, four runs), Dave Coss, two singles, grand slam, three runs), Roland Jennigan (single), Vic DiBartolo (two singles, triple, two runs).

Sanford Christian won twice last night, knocking off the Seminole Scoop and Maronda Homes.

In the first game of the evening, Sanford Christian downed the winless Scoop, 20-4 in six innings. The game was close until the fourth inning when Sanford Christian erupted for seven runs. Leading 2-1 going into the fourth, Mike Surro led off with a single and moved over on another single by Joel Weiss. With two outs, the floodgates opened. Scott Finley led four straight walks, and Roy Anderson doubled to clear the bases. It was 9-2 after the fourth and Sanford Christian was never challenged again.

Dan Stearns homered for the Scoop.

Hitting for Sanford Christian: Monica Tichomoff (two singles, four runs), Tommy Preston (double, three runs), Mary Wells (two runs), Roy Anderson (double, single, two runs), Kelly Bany (one run), Mike Surro (two singles, triple, two runs), Carla Finley (single, run), Joel Weiss (two singles, two runs), Mary Lee Preston (single), Scott Finley (two singles, two runs).

For the Seminole Scoop: Jeff Berlinicke (double), Dee Chouard (single, run), Dan Stearns (triple,

homer, two runs), Russ White (single, run), Heather Daigle (single), Melinda Morris (single).

Sanford Christian returned to take on Maronda Homes in the second game and, despite falling behind, erupted for eight runs in the fourth and scored in every inning on the way to a 25-14 win.

For Sanford Christian: Monica Tichomoff (three runs), Tommy Preston (two doubles, single, four runs), Mary Wells (single, run), Roy Anderson (two singles, two runs), Carla Finley (three singles,

three runs), Mike Surro (four singles, one run), Brenda Anderson (four runs), Mike Pipitone (two doubles, triple, four runs), Kelly Bany (single, two runs), Scott Finley (two singles).

For Maronda Homes: Debbie Poczik (three runs), Kenny Miller (three runs), Lori Poe (two doubles, four runs), Steve Patrick (double, two singles), Robert Ulliana (single), Michelle Carroll (single), Mike Poczik (single), Rick Lawrence (single, run), Brian Zaldonis (single, run), Randy Plummer (two singles, two runs).

Oviedo headed for St. Cloud



The Oviedo 11-12 Major Little League All-Stars won the District 14 championship last week. Players on the team were:

Evans, Tim Johnson, Chris LaFata, John Mancini, Jared Mercer, Steve Pontones, Jacob Prange, Ryan Raspberry and Justin Sines.

Oviedo, Sanlando advance to tennis regional

Three local women's tennis teams from Seminole County advanced to this month's United States Tennis Association (USTA) Regional Tournament by posting victories in last month's District 5 (Central Florida) qualifying tournament at Sanlando Tennis Center in Altamonte Springs.

Representing District 5 in this month's regional championships to be held July 24-26 at Sanlando are Riverside Park of Oviedo, whose Spring team captured the 3.0 Division, and Sanlando Park's 4.0 (Fall/Spring Day) and 4.5 (Spring) divisions.

The other team to qualify for the regionals was Lake Cane Tennis Center's 3.5 team captained by Carol Krohn.

Ten teams from District 5 which encompasses Orange, Seminole, Osceola, Lake and Sumter counties competed in the three-day qualified which was held in searing temperatures approaching the 100-degree mark. Each team played

a round-robin format against other teams in their divisions.

Riverside, which is captained by Ginny Hyman, went undefeated in the tournament by beating Lake Cane Tennis center three straight times, 4-1, 3-2 and 3-0. Comprising the winning Riverside team are Michelle Bozzacco, Becky Bracey, Patti Graham, Lorna Hallal, Brenda Herron, Laurie Kurtz, Bonnie Miller, Gale Poleschuk, Diane Smith, Elizabeth White and Susie White.

Sanlando Park's 4.0 champions also finished with an unblemished mark, dispatching Fort Gattin in three tightly contested matches, 3-2, 4-1 and 3-2. The winning team, which is captained by Lora Crone, includes Tracy Barrington, JoAnn Donahue, Maria Ferreira, Jill Holman, Laurie Luther, Mary Beth Merco, Jenny Orr, Lori Paulucci, Janice Pendley, Denise Pierce, Nancy Potter, Suzanne Rucker, Cassandra Shumata, Sue Smith, Susan Stoun, Tina

Wolpow and Laurie Adankowski.

Sanlando's 4.5 team, captained by Susan Till, advanced by beating Pine Meadows of Eustis, 4-1, and Orlando Tennis Center, also 4-1. Team members include Ligia Bottinelli, Maureen Burton, Jennie Caudill, Sandy Dollar, Joyce Dowd, Lillian Dowd, Bridgette Hamilton, Stephanie Honberg, Charlie Kelley, Sally Knight, Claudia Mattos, Jan Meddock, Jo Morton, Sue Newell and Shelley Slaton.

Other participating teams included Red Bug Park 3.5, Sylvan Lake Park 3.5, Red Bug Park 4.5 and Silver Lake Country Club 4.5. As District Five's official sponsor, Florida Hospital Rehabilitation Center provided trainers at the tournament.

The women's 5.0 team and the men's 4.0 team and 4.5 team advanced to the Regional Championships directly from season play. The 5.0 team captained by Geneva's Kathy

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Sanlando's 4.0 District 5 championship team: Laurie Luther, Lora Crone, Suzanne Rucker, Jenny Orr,

Denise Pierce, Maria Ferreira, Lisa Paulucci, Laurie Zdanekowski.



Sylvan Lake's 3.5 women's team: Susan Hoffman, Ann Larabee, Jane Torney, Lisa Nusslein, Sheila

Baker.



Riverside's 3.0 District Champions: Liz White, Diane Smith, Becky Bracey, Ginny Hyman, Gale

Poleschuck, Brenda Herron.

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