

Memorial Service
The old Webster church at
7015 Seminole Way, on Dec. 23,
was sold to the former
VFW Club building now the
Webster Community Center.
What happened to the church?

Cemetery
Bishop John J. Ving, Father
Peter Randall Chase and J.L.
Cornell officially turned the
new plot on Holy Cross
Cemetery Church.

The Memorial Association
president Dennis L. Murphy

Business

Congratulations
Paul Hickson received the
Master Gunsmith of Order
of St. Luke, P.B. Randall, Jr.
was elected president of the
American Legion Post 110
and C.J. L. Burke was

Saints Knights of Columbus
Treasurer Paul Jack Rocco was
named chairman of the new
VFW post.

The Chrysalis
American Legion Post 110 held
a breakfast to 1,100 local teachers
and their spouses at the Legion

on Dec. 13, 14 year old students
claiming that it would benefit
the world.

The Kibbutz road to open
a gala dinner and off on
Hans 15.

The Florida Dental Society
hosted members from throughout

Fellow to Dr. PHH McClellan, a
25-year veteran.

Business

Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Ferry were
named managers of the Mayfair
Hotel under a lease with owner
W.P. Kirkland.

Grey Cab drivers Charles
Shaffer quit the police force and
opened an Atlanta station at
Third and Park.

On Nov. 27, Barbara Kopfman
opened a dance school at 100
Rooms at 1310 N.W. 10th.

A new cutting record set
in December when two rates
from Sandy Land quarry
record \$3 to \$5.50 per cubic yard.

M.L. Roberts Laundry opened a
branch at 108 Park Avenue with
Mrs. Della Stevenson as manager.

The Schubel's Crate Mill was
advertising for men over 35 to
come to work at 25 cents per
hour for a 50-hour week.

Realtors E.P. Lane and J.H.
Colebaugh reported that
demands for rentals were the
greatest since the boom of 1925
and that very few were available.

Politics

M.J. Lange was reelected to
the City Commission on behalf
of the People's Party.

Miscellaneous
Mrs. William Bedord Pippin
wrote and published the songs
"Mother" and "Oh Beautiful
America".

The State Warman Board
moved from the court house to
the Mutsch Building with Mrs.
Carolyn Carter in charge. Mrs.
J.E. Reddy, Mr. Helen Head
Santini and Mrs. G.T. Tamm
were among investigators.

City Hall completed its first
year was signed and Veterans
of Foreign Wars, American Legion
and the National Guard had
in the city of Lakeland last
Sunday.

Rehoboth Beach Country
Club will during the
summer months add an
entertainment department.

World War II
The nation had been at war
for one year, with almost three
million men in the services
in date action. September and October
certainly did their part
in the war effort. They sent their
men overseas and several did
not return. They worked at civil
service jobs at the Navy base and
everywhere headed and worked
on war related committees, set
recruit records in scrap metal
collection, served in the state
guard and as air raid wardens,
and endured rationing of items.
They also continued regular
activities such as church services,
political elections and their day-
to-day work.

And so it was in Sanford, 60
years ago, in 1942.

Golf tourney raises
\$25,000 for park
honoring deputy

Frank Ball Report

The golf tournament Monday,
at Lake Mary Country Club in
Lake Mary, raised \$25,000. The
funds will go toward the
construction of the Eugene
Parry Law Enforcement
Memorial Park over Geneva.

The park is being named in
memory of Parry, who was
killed July 9, 1998 while on duty
in the line of duty. The park is
United in Honor all Seminole
County Law Enforcement
Officers and to give the youth of
the County a much-needed
recreational facility.

The outdoor pool is to be
funded at over \$100,000. Most of
the project is being financed by
donations of cash, supplies and
labor... by the public.
Construction is expected to
begin within a year.

Additional donations for the
outdoor project can still be
sent. For additional information
contact Deputy Fred
McLellan at 407-247-3761 or
Sarah Bryant at 407-247-3762.

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Marker

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surrounded by a picnic area. The park, which locals referred to as Schenck's Park, officially opened in 1910.

It was probably the first swimming park in Central Florida," Carlson said. "It was a sort of all-in-one type of amusement. There was a swimming slide, a diving stage, sunbathing, changing rooms, swings, a covered gabled and a dance pavilion. It was very popular."

The 6-foot-deep pool was cleaned and sanitized each day and refilled during the night from an 80-foot-deep artesian well. In 1915, the pool was made larger and a boiler installed to warm the water.

"It was probably the first heated outdoor pool in Central Florida," Carlson said.

Carlson said,

"People from all over Central Florida came to the park. Schenck even ran a trolley bus to and from Sanford to transport visitors to his park, while others preferred to travel to the amusement complex in Winter Haven or to Lakeland, on a good day, about 1,500 visitors to the park and up to 10,000 spectators attendance for the pool was 2,500 persons."

Admission to the park was a nickel, and to use the pool it was an additional 25 cents. Those who came without a bath suit were required to rent one from the Krocendoo Swimming Shop.

The park closed in the 1920s, and Schenck died in 1930 at the age of 65. Many of the facilities remained, however, and Carlson remembers playing at the pool as a child.

When he was a boy,

"the old swimming pool was still used up until the 1970s," he said. "My family would play in the woods, and my boys would fill the cracks of the pool with sticks and mud and then sit in it until we were done."

Today, the remaining pool has been filled in, the rolling meadows and woodlands have turned to the open, rural landscape surrounding Schenck's Park and Lakeland, Florida's first and very popular amusement park.

so rapidly, and we're here to teach of our legacy," said Clara Hispano, Seminole County Historical Commission chairman. "That's why we have to preserve these places so our kids will continue on to the next generation."

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During his lecture, Sklar told children and parents that the two determining factors of someone's success is how they think of themselves and how they take care of themselves. According to Sklar, parents play an important role in the way children view themselves.

"Parents need to be sure to show their children that it is who they are, not what they do that is important," said Sklar, co-author of the professional trade publication, "Parenting Monologues from an Beginning Workshop." "Kids become great achievers because that's where they feel the love is. They need to know that parents love them for who they are, not the things they do."

"Parents must support and be unconditionally accepting of their children's dreams and who they are," he added. "They also must be involved in their behavior standards." Continued from Page 1

"I thought the information he gave was excellent," said Valerie Held, co-owner of Valerie's School of Dance Art in Seminole. "It wasn't negative minded, but just trying to do with performing arts being a terrible art and everything else get paid for it. He was very honest and forthcoming with the information."

Sklar is in the planning stages of an upcoming Broadway musical, "The Kid Who Played the Palace," in which he will act as producer and composer/lyricist. The play will be directed by William Martin.

Kids House Continued from Page 1

Friends of Seminole County's abused children, including those who are physically, mentally or sexually abused.

Throughout the past three years, the group has grown to include a full-time crime prevention and abuse unit director, who programs services such as crisis intervention, support and referrals to hospital services. A multidisciplinary team provides crisis, forensic exams and interviews.

As the need for Kids House has grown, so has the need for a larger facility. Seminole County government recently granted \$100,000 toward the much-needed expansion of the Kids House facility. The group is currently searching for other grants to assist at the cost of the new building and the day-to-day operations of the organization.

Unfortunately, child abuse is alive and well in Seminole County, said Marilyn Hartaway, development coordinator for Kids House of Seminole County. "Kids House is here to coordinate all the services needed for abused children in order to serve the growing

needs of abused children, regardless of age, gender, race, ethnicity, culture, religion or economic status."

With the addition of the new facility, there will be enough space to develop a residential plan for residence and add on to the existing building.

Hart will call to increase the Kids House facility located at 547 N. County Road 422 in Sanford, from 2,000 square feet to nearly 10,000 square feet, with nine rooms for various social, health and therapeutic departments.

"We don't want the facility to have a hospital or commercial look," said Burke. "We want a residential look that is child friendly."

Now as the construction stage, Burke plans to have the design approved by the county and ready to begin construction within the next six months. The new facility will not only meet the current needs of the organization, but will provide room to grow in years to come.

"We're re-planning the building to give room for future growth," said Burke.

Election

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In District 3, only Commissioner Randy Jones qualified for the seat. Without an opponent, Jones earns his first full term on the commissioners. Jones won a special election in June 2000 to fill the remaining "term" of A.A. "Mac" McClanahan Sr. who died in office.

"I'm very fortunate," Jones said. "After that five-person race, we had last time, this is a big relief."

He added, "I've got to return a lot of checks people sent in for campaign donations, but I don't mind that at all."

During his time on the commission, Jones has been an advocate of neighborhood initiatives. He said he will continue to push for those programs in the coming years.

"We've done a lot in terms of the big-dollar projects like the Riverwalk during my two years on the commission," Jones said. "The primary thing I want to do is make sure we have money available to do neighborhood projects that

may not cost a lot but have a big impact on the immediate community."

Jones said he will also continue to push for well-funded fire and police departments, and the construction of a new public safety headquarters.

"We've got one of the best fire and police departments in the state," Jones said, "and they need better facilities."

Though residents in District 3 and 4 will not select a commissioner, voters citywide will still need to vote on March 4 to voice their opinion on a proposed change in Sanford's form of government.

The referendum will ask voters whether they want to change to a strong mayor form of government where an elected mayor runs the day-to-day operations of the city or if they prefer to keep the city manager-commissioner form of government where a professional hired by the commission runs the city.

Golf tournament raises more than \$25,000

The golf tournament Monday at Seabreeze Country Club in Longwood, raised \$25,000. The proceeds will go toward the construction of the Eugene Crowley Law Enforcement Memorial Park near Clermont.

The memorial park fund now stands at over \$100,000. Most of the project is being financed by

donations of cash, supplies and labor by the public. Construction is expected to begin within a year.

Additional donations for the park construction are still being sought.

For additional information contact Deputy Todd Madenjian at 407-292-2701 or Steven Baynes at 407-292-2603.

STAYING at home

Patriots

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below.

On the job's clock, has been turned into a collaboration of a day's work, and the past few weeks, three-year-old Michael Morris has been a student's helper, from the time he first placed his new jacket over his mother's shoulders to the end of the day.

"When Morris and his brother and sister come in and first go to the room, they know that we'll be here as well as check off their work and that we're not going to let them go home until the girls are accounted for," said Morris. "It's a standard of how we want them to act. It's a good example and the program is continuing to grow."

This new approach did not yield results overnight. The Early Patriots attempted to it was successful in their second season. They

launched in Oct. 13 last year before becoming enough of a success to become one of Fort Lauderdale's top 100 teams.

During this time, several two-parent Michael Morris' mom and dad, Michael Morris, helped out on the team's board. As a result, after a year of working as lots of great volunteers, Michael Morris' father told *The Seminole Times* that the jump players understand to receive a scholarship.

"Michael Morris' mom, I think, has a great deal and the opportunity to go back to college," said Morris. "She has known all along that she wants to go back to school and she's always had the desire to do that, so I think that's why she's doing our best and that's how we're growing."

On the last in October high-quality player returning to Early Patriots, Morris. The sophomore came on strong to start the season,

providing an inside presence prior all the outside running backs' tenure. Though Morris has slowed down in recent weeks, her mom, Michael Morris, still has a lot to offer the future.

Both teams will have some improvements as they moved in during January to Oviedo High School and are considering that both teams have alternative schools set because of Oviedo High School's move have come a long way, said Morris.

The girls who have been here for nearly two years, they are being very happy for their last year," said Morris. "I am so proud of our girls, so I hope our girls continue to do well for the rest of the year and continue this tradition."

"We hope our girls for the girls and a young career for boys," said Morris. "I am so proud of our girls for the rest of the year and continue this tradition."

Briefs

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CHAMPION: Please contact

Chris Caines at 407-223-1224

TRI-CADIANA WINS 31

PALM COAST

Roy Duncalda of Lake Mary shot 69 and a final round of one over par 73 Sunday (Jan. 17) to win the Palm Coast Classic at Maitland Woods Golf Club.

At 144, he finished two strokes ahead of Rod Ferry of New Smyrna Beach, who had a pair of 70s for 146. Blanchard finished his round on Friday (Jan. 16) at 148.

With Duncalda's victory, he is now 2-0 in the 31st season on the North Florida PGA Winter Tour and has won over \$10,000 in the last two tournaments.

Duncalda, 42, of Orlando, is the only member of the 1970 and 1971

only player to break 70 in two days, closed with 64-130 to share last money of \$150.

NORTH FLORIDA PGA WINTER TOUR

PALM COAST CLASSIC

Maitland Woods Golf Club, 1000 Clubhouse Rd., Lake Mary, 407-223-7173; 146 S. 2nd Street, New Smyrna Beach, 407-223-7272; 1200 E. Main St., Melbourne, 407-747-7272; 100 S. 2nd Street, Vero Beach, 407-796-7272; 2700 N.W. 27th Ave., Ft. Lauderdale, 407-947-1770.

ROHN LEADS USF

Lake Mary's 11th graduate Maggie Kohn had 11 assists and scored nine of her 11 points in the first game of the season.

Kohn hit 12 consecutive free throws in the Bulls' 10-9 victory over the University of Tampa on Saturday. She also had three-game losing streak with 14 total victories over 21 losses.

Next up: vs. UCF on Friday.

LAKEMARY GAMES

The Lake Mary High School Track Club will be holding its

Spring Games April 20-22 at

High school age division silvers on Saturday, February 8.

Each athlete is limited to three events, counting relay, and the winner is determined by points.

Feb. 8: Loop Invitational, the day of the event, will consist of four persons. Prizes will consist of the LMI GTI track program.

Field events are throws and running events jumps, high jump, and shot put.

Running events are 100-, and 200-meter dash, 1,600-meter relay, 4x100-meter relay, 100-meter dash, 200-meter dash, 4x400-meter relay.

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FWC asking who killed bird

Indicates no foul play

ICALA — Somebody shot and killed at least 40 pelicans, including 10 young ones, between December and the Paradise Mills residential area, according to the Florida Game and Freshwater Fish Commission.

The victims were found scattered along the water and roadsides near the Paradise Mills residential area, about 10 miles west of Orlando, between Dec. 17 and 20.

A review of recent records shows that 100 pelicans were shot during the same period last year, mostly along roads in the central portion of the state, and 100 more between Dec. 17 and 20 this year. The birds range between 12 and 18 years old. They weigh 10 to 12 pounds each, have long wings, and a white breast, long legs, and a long, strong beak. They were shooting range operators and used at least two types of firearms.

According to the review, the birds were shot, usually gray or darkish, 100 feet apart, 100 feet apart, with a rifle or shotgun, 100 feet apart. The tracks in a majority of 200 were shot at 100 feet. They drove it to a parking area at the end of Bern Road where they parked it and then walked along the canal shooting the birds. The area of the canal where the birds were shot is part of the Orange County Natural Area, which small game hunting season was underway.

Anyone familiar with the incident or the identity of the suspect should call Lt. Bill Hodges at 858-401-3222. That may remain anonymous and may be eligible for a reward of \$100 information leads to an arrest.

Wading birds are long-legged birds, waders, egrets and herons that range far inland in the Everglades. They are often seen along shorelines, especially ditches and water retention ponds, hunting their meals. There is no hunting season on most wading birds and they are protected under federal and state laws, and 100 pelicans would not affect law enforcement.

A rather unusual incident occurred earlier this month, January 10, in the northern part of the section of the large coastal marshes between the city and west of Highway 17 in Pinellas County. At the time, the birds were mostly shot and were found within about a mile of the canal, where the birds were shot.

One bird, a crested heron, was still alive when it was brought to the United States Fish and Wildlife Service's Rookery Center in Glade Spring Nature Park's wildlife center for treatment and rehabilitation, where the bird was determined to have a single bullet lodged in its wing.

The bird was sent to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's Avian Research Center in Patuxent, Maryland, for further treatment. The bird was released after several weeks of treatment, but died before reaching a great blue heron colony again, while still in the wild.

This is joint investigation by the FWC and the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

LAKE ORION LAKE DRAWDOWN

Due to record rainfall starting December 1, the Michigan Dept. of Natural Resources, the Huron River and Wildlife Conservation Commission, Detroit Water and Sewerage Department, the Detroit Water Commission and the Michigan Department of Natural Resources will begin a gradual drawdown of Lake Orion.

The drawdown will continue through April 15, 1989, to a level of 580 feet above sea level. The drawdown will provide more room for water storage and will reduce the amount of water flowing into the Huron River.

For more information, call 313-292-3222.

—By Tom Gandy, Special to the Times

Tom Gandy is a reporter for the Times.

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Bringing up baby

Judy's Dolls offers children, collectors opportunity to adopt newborns

By JENNIFER
PARKER

Perhaps some have an aversion to derived from Judy Potts' newborn factory. After filling out a subscription application, prospective parents can choose the name located behind a glass window and choose their a dollhouse doll with matching hair and eyes.

Although a small percentage of people who visit Potts' nursery say they want children, most through the adoption process for the first time. "The age of the soon-to-be parents is nothing to worry about," however, since the newborns are actually little dolls created by Lee Longwood Original Dolls Inc.

"When these people come into the store and see the babies, they are surprised that they are real," Potts said. "When people first see them, they think they are real because they are so lifelike."

Potts' business, Judy's Dolls, is one of two Lee Longwood original newborn nurseries in Florida, which is why more than 300 "babies" have been adopted from the Longwood store in less than two years. There are only about 40 other similar adoption centers throughout the United States.

When the China doll company announced at a general toy fair its plan to open the adoption center in Tallahassee, Potts decided she wanted her store to become one of the new home nurseries. However, it wasn't her decision alone that would bring the center to Longwood.

Like the prospective parents visiting her nursery, Potts had to fill out an application form. She also had to credit a \$50 deposit and a \$100 non-refundable fee.

After filling out the application, parents can choose their baby's name, sex, eye color, hair color and skin tone. They are also given a choice of a boy or girl.

Parents are given a choice of a boy or girl.

"I've had many people tell me that they had to wait for the babies," she said. "Now, I had many people here to give a waiting period until today.

The plan worked, and today children and adults enjoyed the opportunity to adopt a Lee Longwood newborn from Judy's Dolls.

The experience of adopting a newborn is unique, according to Potts. "It's different from holding the baby because the baby dolls seem to react differently to their looks while you're holding them," she said. "They react with a 'tugger.' At Judy's Dolls, we can help with the adoption process."

Michele Gatto, also known as Miss Debbie, has worked at the original nursery shop in Orlando and, according to Potts, doesn't taper off when they first see the customers.

"It's really cute to see the babies," Gatto said. "They just fall in love with the babies. It's fun to help them fill out the application."

When the paperwork is finished, the prospective parents pick up a "nursery smock" and enter the nursery.

"The room is even more special," Potts said. "Once they are cradling it, they can pick up and hold the babies all they want."

People can choose from a variety of babies — some have blue eyes with brown hair; others have black hair with brown eyes. After a choice is made, the parent is presented to the nursery and the adoption paper work is done.

Before parents and child can go home, however, the baby goes through a basic health check-up.

Checklist, starting left, a pair of Missouri Original newborns will be adopted at Longwood, Judy's Dolls "Tots" from the Seven Wishes collection, and Baby Nino's Koko, both available at the Lee Longwood, Inc. store.

Top: The Precious Names collection and the Precious Dolly from the Lee Longwood, Inc. collection.

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Clothing store owner's family are becoming store fixtures

DEAR ABBY: Last year I opened my own business. It's a small clothing store we have, and we're doing well. My problem is, I'm available to go through to my family that they cannot visit me there all the time. I love them dearly, but my shop is a place of business — not a second home for them.

My husband is unemployed. He sits constantly at the door. He'll sit on a check some time, entrance holding his car. He comes in, falls asleep and starts sleeping off forever. When my customers see when they walk in, it is very unprofessional.

My daughter, who is in daily with two young children, has been here since her birth. When she sits up on the counter next to the cash register, in no time

the kids are running around the store making a mess and throwing paper airplane out the window onto the floor. My daughter yells at them and then an argument ensues. Time after time, it ends up with me taking them to go home, my daughter becoming upset and the kids running into tears.

Robert's attitude turns around and waits out when they set the ultimatum. I have no idea because of this, and I am baffled for it to continue.

How can I make it clear to my family that they can't make themselves at home at my shop? I feel like a burden.

EXASPERATED SHOPIF OWNER IN WHOMALD

DEAR SHOP OWNER: Since your husband and daughter do not seem to get the message that they cannot just "drop in," you must be more assertive and draw the line for them. Get some books on retail merchandising and customer relations and SHOW them what they are doing to hurt your business. If they persist, stop them at the door and say, "We didn't let you past, but you can't stay. Love you all — and I'll see you soon."

Please be firm — your customers will soon depend on it.

DEAR ABBY: I am a candidate for a position of \$1. For the past year or so, I've been interviewing for a better job. Without fail at almost every interview, the asked some questions only about you are asking.

"Are you married? How long have you been married? Do you have children? Are you planning on getting pregnant? Exactly when are you planning to start a family? Will you want to stay home when your children are young?" What's your biggest health concern? How religious are you? Are you willing to work Roth HaZephachot, Yom Kippur?" (the most religious day on the Jewish calendar).

What's the best way to avoid answering these questions? The best time is before you get charged? Thanks for your help.

INTERNATIONAL CANDIDATE

DEAR ABBY: I am a candidate for a position of \$1. For the past year or so, I've been interviewing for a better job. Without fail at almost every interview, the asked some questions only about you are asking.

ing are illegal. I'm telling you this because I've seen you're interviewing older applicants, and I wouldn't want you to get in trouble with the EEOC (Equal Employment Opportunity Commission)."

If the questioning persists, the EEOC should be notified because the questions are discriminatory.

QUOTE FOR THE DAY:

Abraham Lincoln said: "If you once forfeit the confidence of your fellow citizens, you can never regain their respect and esteem. It is true that you may fool all of the people some of the time, but you can't fool all of the people all of the time." Quoted by Andrew W. Mellon.

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Fungal diseases becoming more prevalent each year

serious fungal diseases affecting bald cypress and red cedar are becoming more prevalent every year in the central Florida area. One disease known as *Cercospodiolus* blight seems to be the most serious problem on different species of cypress. Other hosts for this disease include the swamp laurel and Michaelmas. In the Japanese cedar, the Bald cypress and the arborvitae.

Pathogen

The fungus was first reported in 1887 affecting a *Sequoia* tree in Pennsylvania but only recently has become an important pathogen in the south eastern part of the country. *Cercospodiolus* produces microscopic spores on special structures that can be seen through a hand lens or dissecting microscope as grayish brown tufts on the twigs. Young, green twigs are elongated and usually divided in 3 to 5 segments.

Pleosporomyces produces microscopic spores on a flask-like structure called perithecia that contain the spores that when mature are scattered from the structure as hairs formed by a sticky substance that glues the spores together. Spores are unicellular and rounded. Both organisms can be easily identified by microscopy with the aid of a binocular microscope.

Symptoms

Two types of symptoms are observed on the reaction of the leaves. Besides, locally, the branches closest to the diseased area are defoliated. A third type of symptom is the presence of tufts on infected branches. The symptoms then continue to spread upward and outward to susceptible plants.

The disease is favored by warm, humid, and wet weather or by overused irrigation. In Florida, infections may occur during the year. Spores are naturally spread by wind and water.

Disease

Blight needles on lower twigs and branches showing a rusty brown necrosis should be examined in a laboratory for signs of the fungi. Using a hand lens or a stereomicroscope can help in determining if fungal structures are present and the nature of the structures such as perithecia associated with *Pleosporomyces* blight or naked spore bearing structures associated with *Cercospodiolus* blight.

Control

To effectively manage them, disperse a fine solution of cultural and chemical controls to be used. Use a spray mist or a fine mist to reduce translocation of the disease on the leaves. If plants are pruned, clean the pruning tools and use either a carbide or a carburetor cleaner. Disinfection to be effective should be applied before the disease spreads to the entire tree or group of trees.

Best results are obtained when the fungicide is applied prior to the appearance of symptoms or when preventive cultural controls for disease development exist. Always use the fungicide according to label instructions.

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