

# Sanford Herald

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## NEWS DIGEST

### Sports

#### Another first

JACKSONVILLE — In what has become a year of firsts for the Lake Brantley High School wrestling program, Saturday evening brought several more.  
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### People

#### Sickly plants saved by test

If you are having problems with your landscape, sickly, yellow or chlorotic and poor performance, you may need to have your soil checked for pH.  
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### Florida

#### Vacationers dream

FORT LAUDERDALE — Blueberry picking in the summer, cross-country skiing in the winter. And only about \$48 a night per person, including three meals, to stay in a hotel on the largest freshwater lake in the world.

#### Rotary marks President's Day

City Manager Bill Simmons unfurls the American flag in front of a downtown Sanford business this morning in honor of President's Day.  
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### President's Day celebration

SANFORD — In honor of President's Day, Howell Place, 200 W. Airport Blvd., invites all Yankee Doodle Dandy neighbors to be its guests for food, fun and refreshments Tuesday from 5-7:30 p.m.

For each guest attending the event, Howell Place will make a donation of \$10 to the Army Reserve Center Support Group, whose members are spouses of those fighting in the Middle East. For information and to R.S.V.P., call 322-7700.

### Support group to meet

SANFORD — The Sanford Operation Desert Storm Support Group will meet tonight at 7 p.m. at the American Legion Hall, 2874 Sanford Ave., Sanford.

For more information, call Judy Osborn at 323-0106.

### Youths recognized

LONGWOOD — The Longwood City Commission tonight will present the city's Juvenile of the Year Awards to five local youths.

The awards will be presented to T.J. Graaha, of Woodlands Elementary School; Charlotte Hamilton, of Milwee Middle School; David Ouellette, of Longwood Elementary School; John Selenica, of Rock Lake Middle School; and Mary Walton, of Lyman High School.

The commission will meet tonight at 7 p.m. in the commission chambers of Longwood City Hall, 175 W. Warren Ave., Longwood.

### Winning Lotto ticket in Titusville

MIAMI — One lucky ticket matched all six of the Florida Lotto numbers drawn late Saturday, making its owners worth an estimated \$15 million, officials said Sunday.

State computers show that the ticket was purchased in Titusville, but the specific retail outlet wasn't immediately identified.

Drawn were the numbers 11-18-22-26-42-45. Whoever owns the single ticket has six months to claim the money, payable over a 20-year period.

Also winning were 306 tickets with five of the six numbers. They are worth \$3,913.50 each. There were 15,963 four-of-six winners, worth \$109.50 each, and 312,024 three-of-six winners worth \$5.50 each.

This week's Lotto jackpot, based on estimated sales and projected long-term interest rates, is \$7 million if paid over a 20-year period.

### From staff and wire reports

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### Warming trend begins



Partly cloudy with a high in the mid to upper 70s. Wind from the southeast at 15 mph.

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# U.S. warships hit mines

## USS Princeton struck; Sanford sailor is safe

From staff and wire reports

DHAHRAN, Saudi Arabia — No casualties were reported aboard the USS Princeton, on which a Sanford man serves as Gunner's Mate, after the U.S. warship hit a mine while moving deeper into hostile Persian Gulf waters today.

Petty Officer Third Class Paul Van Dusen, 25, son of Harvey and Nancy VanDusen, Sanford, is part of a 31-ship task force gearing up for a possible Marine invasion.

"We are so relieved there were no injuries. We've been praying hard," Nancy said from her Sanford home this morning.

In a letter to his wife, Kimberly, VanDusen wrote last week that the Gulf had been quiet.

"He wrote that the Iraqi pilots had been turning tail when they see our planes," Nancy said. "There hadn't been much action."

The Princeton, a high-tech missile cruiser, was one of two ships to sustain mine damage. Also damaged, but with no reported casualties, was the amphibious assault ship the USS Tripoli. The mine damage was the first of the war. Neither ship was reported in danger of sinking.

The invasion for which the ships are gearing up could be one element of the ground offensive that allied leaders have indicated is days if not hours away.

In an effort to stave off a bloody ground war, Iraq's foreign minister, Tariq Aziz, held talks in Moscow today with Mikhail S. Gorbachev and the Soviet foreign minister, Alexander Beasmeritnykh.

But prospects for a diplomatic breakthrough appeared remote and, in a prelude to a widening of the

conflict, the month-old air war pounded on.

In northeastern Saudi Arabia this morning, the sun was fighting its way through clouds as Saudi Tornado fighter-bombers headed north for targets. Air transport traffic was heavy too, with lumbering C-130 transports lugging supplies to forward units on the frontier.

The two vessels that hit mines today were the USS Tripoli, a helicopter and troop carrier, and the USS Princeton, a 2-year-old Aegis missile cruiser, U.S. military officials said. Initial reports said both were operating under their own power after the explosions.

Iraq's navy is all but decimated and thought to pose little threat to the allied armada in the gulf. But U.S. officials believe Iraq has been dumping floating mines in the waterway.

More than 80 mines have been found and destroyed during the gulf crisis.

The Tripoli, an Iwo Jima-class vessel commissioned in 1966, can carry up to a battalion of Marines — more than 2,000 men — and up to 25 helicopters. But only a small contingent of Marines was reported aboard.

The billion-dollar Princeton, normally part of a carrier group, is equipped with a computer-linked radar and missile system for long-range air defense, and has a crew of about 380.

The ships were about 60 to 120 miles apart at the time, one officer said.

Along the desert front, skirmishes between U.S. and Iraqi troops intensified over the weekend. Iraq

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John and Mark Good record song to salute troops

## Good brothers support troops through music

By LAURA L. SULLIVAN  
Herald staff writer

SANFORD — Although their song is about men and women overseas, the lyrics John Good and his brother Mark wrote and recorded have hit home with several local families.

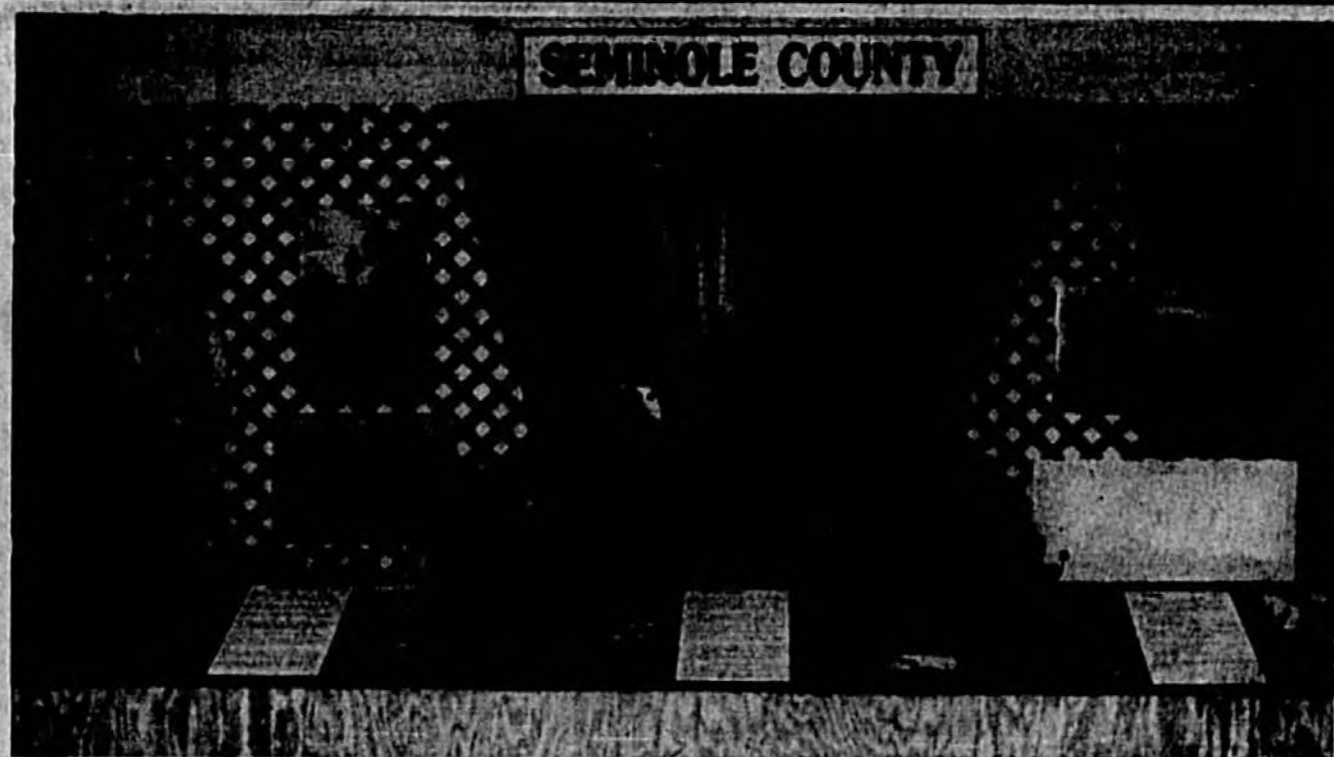
The brothers wrote "Our Heroes Across the Sea" three years ago for active duty troops and all U.S.

veterans, POWs and MIAs. They recently altered the lyrics to pay tribute to troops in the Persian Gulf.

Their own father served twice in the Vietnam war and in World War II.

Recorded at Goodtime Productions in Sanford, tapes of the song are available at \$3.25 each. Good said \$1 from each tape sold will be donated to the Operation Desert

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Two Sanford women won best in the district for their booth at the State Fair.

## County art students display works in State Fair exhibit

By VICKI DeCORMIER  
Herald staff writer

LAKE MARY — Of the seven students chosen to represent Seminole County in the Youth Fine Arts exhibition at the Florida State Fair in Tampa this year, six are from Lake Mary High School, 855 Longwood-Lake Mary Road in Lake Mary.

Shelley N. Charron, Shawn Harvey, Kristi Hartwell, Dominique Thomas, Carey Vandiver and Cynthia Weisberg are students at Lake Mary.

"We have a lot of students who do outstanding work here," said Carol Gentry, an art teacher at the school. "They have some exceptional talent."

James Fuller from Oviedo High School was also

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## Women do Seminole proud

By LASY BOWEN  
Herald People Editor

SANFORD — Pungent smells of livestock, sing-song croonings of sideshow barkers and exotic tastes of homemade pies and sausage sandwiches were all there when Laura Crnko attended the State Fair in Tampa last year. She decided not to go back this year as a spectator. She wanted to go back as part of it, representing Seminole County.

Each county in Florida is given space at the fair to promote its points of interest and its special characteristics. Crnko and her friend, Tonya Roland, both from Sanford, had never set up a booth at a state fair before, but decided to try in an attempt to better represent Seminole. The attempt paid off, because Seminole County's booth was judged best in the district.

"We wanted to do something more for Seminole County. Last year, they had a nice display about turf grass, but we felt there's more to our area," Crnko said.

The ladies were sponsored by the Farm Bureau, an organization to which they belong.

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## Wanted: Businesses for 'Waste Watcher' program

### Waste removed from homes on Amnesty Day

By J. MARK GARFIELD  
Herald staff writer

SANFORD — Hoping to encourage more businesses to reduce garbage, Seminole County will begin a "Waste Watcher" program to commend successful programs.

"We want to recognize business and industry that have started programs for recycling internally for their employees or for the public," said Sherry Newkirk, county recycling coordinator.

Under the program, businesses that significantly reduce garbage using three practices will be eligible.

First, they must reduce garbage at its source by reducing packaging, for example. Second, they must recycle products used, such as glass, plastic, aluminum or cardboard. Third, they must begin reusing products and materials instead of discarding them, such as reusing containers instead of discarding them after the first use.

Newkirk said many retailers, particularly grocers,

have begun recycling programs for cardboard and plastic bags. Newkirk said the county will be seeking innovative plans that attempt to reduce garbage in all three areas.

"We hope to see something not quite so common," Newkirk said. "We are now finding children are learning about recycling in school and they're bringing it into the home and pressuring their parents into doing it. We hope those parents will take what they've learned to the workplace and put some of those ideas into practice, so we can have a full loop working here."

Newkirk said information packets will be distributed through the Greater Seminole County Chamber of Commerce. Applicants must submit a two-page letter outlining their waste-reduction programs and citing the amount of waste reduced both in terms of weight and in percentage of overall waste produced.

County solid waste staff will review the applications and make recommendations for the Waste Watcher recognition.



## POLICE BRIEFS

### Man arrested on warrant

Tracy Lamar Eberheart, 31, of 3625 Main St. in Sanford, was arrested on Thursday on an active warrant for violating his parole on charges of the sale of cocaine.

When Sanford police officers arrived at his home Eberheart was allegedly hiding in the attic, but came down and turned himself in when the officers announced that they knew where he was hiding.

He was arrested and transported to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where he is being held without bond.

### Woman arrested on several warrants

Violet Petralia, 25, of 2815 1/2 Palmetto Ave. in Sanford, has turned herself into authorities.

Petralia, also known as Carol Lucci, was arrested on active warrants from Seminole, Hillsborough and Volusia counties involving two counts of third degree theft and one of prostitution.

She was arrested and transported to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where she was held on \$2,500 bond.

### Knife-wielding man arrested

Fernando Silva, 27, 2509 S. Bay Ave. in Sanford, was arrested on Tuesday and charged with aggravated assault and carrying a concealed weapon.

According to the Longwood Police Department report, Silva allegedly was running along Savage Court in Longwood brandishing a four and three-quarter inch steak knife and yelling "I'm going to kill you."

The victim, not identified in the report, ran from Silva and reported the incident to the Longwood Police Department.

When officers found Silva, still on Savage Court, the victim said that he was the man who allegedly committed the act.

The report noted that police allegedly found the knife that the victim had described in Silva's boot.

Silva was arrested and taken to the John E. Polk Correctional Facility where he was held on \$2,000 bond.

### Man charged with battery

LAKE MARY — A Sanford man was arrested at a convenience store on Country Club Road early Saturday morning, charged with spouse abuse. Lake Mary police reports show David Curtis Freeman, 27, 904 Cherokee Circle, was arrested at the store. Police report his wife, who was at the scene with her two children, told them he twisted her wrist, choked her and threatened her life.

Police report the woman had red marks on her neck and her clothing was torn. Freeman was held on \$500 bond at the John E. Polk Correctional Facility.

### Geneva man charged with burglary

GENEVA — Robert Wayne Bridges, 27, 713 Harney Heights, Geneva, was charged Friday with the burglary of a storage shed at 1015 Meade Road sometime between Dec. 26 and Jan. 13. According to Seminole County sheriff's reports, deputies received a tip that Bridges had taken several items from the shed, including a Ruger revolver, and pawned them in the Longwood area.

A computer pawn check revealed two of the items reported missing from the shed were pawned by a woman in January. In a sworn statement, the woman told deputies she had pawned the items for Bridges, reports show. A search of Bridge's home revealed several other items reported taken. Bridges was charged with armed burglary, grand theft and trafficking in stolen property. He was held at the Polk correctional facility on \$5,000 bond.

## Auction termed success

By VICKI BOGARDON  
Herald staff writer

SANFORD — Seminole Community College officials were very pleased with the results of the seventh annual Dream Auction that took place this past weekend at the Sheraton Orlando North in Maitland.

"We haven't finished counting up the money yet," said Jim Sawyer, Seminole Community College's vice president of student and information services.

Sawyer said that the Dream Auction really consists of three separate auctions: the live auction, the board auction and the silent auction.

About 400 people were on hand Friday evening for the auction which lasted on into Saturday morning.

"We didn't get out of there until almost two," Sawyer said.

The bids from the board auction and the silent auction were still being tallied and that money will be collected within the next few weeks.

The SCC Dream Auction has, over the years been a successful fund raising effort for the Seminole Community College Foundation.

The Foundation helps pay for scholarships for students attending the college in all areas. The Foundation is not affiliated with any department of study at the college so they are able to offer assistance to students in any academic or vocational field.

The state Department of Education will pay 40 cents for every 60 cents earned in a matching grant.

The grant, financed by the Academic Improvement Trust Fund, made it possible for the college to raise more than \$120,000 for the Foundation last year.

"We don't even have a guess on what we will earn this year," Sawyer said, though he felt it might be more than last year's total.

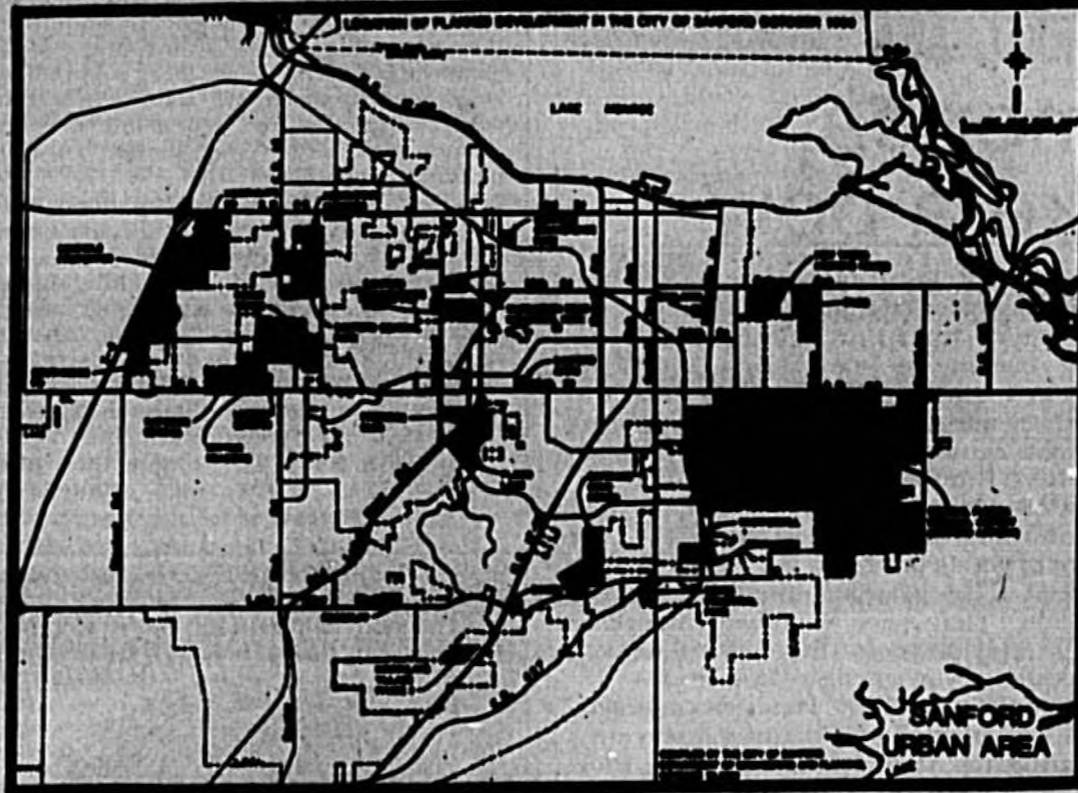
The item which brought in the largest amount was a trip for two to Calgary, Alberta, Canada for the annual Stampede Rodeo.

John O'Brien purchased a Sling in Cascaberry, purchased the trip for about \$2,000.

## PUBLIC NOTICE CITY MASTER PLAN TO BE REVISED

The City of Sanford is revising its Comprehensive Plan to comply with the State Growth Management Act. The Plan provides direction in the areas of land use, transportation, housing, conservation, recreation and open space, water, sewer, drainage, aquifer recharge, government coordination and major capital improvements. Proposed revisions generally refine the direction established in the City's existing Comprehensive Plan which last received major revisions in 1987.

The map below illustrates the location of various planned developments in the City of Sanford and exemplifies the type of information upon which the Comprehensive Plan is based.



All City residents and property owners are encouraged to participate in the City's planning program. To implement procedures for public input adopted by the Sanford City Commission, the City's Planning and Zoning Commission invites residents to attend the last of a series of four informal workshop sessions on Thursday, February 21, 1991 at 8:00 P.M. in the City Commission Room, City Hall, Sanford, Florida.

The Planning and Zoning Commission, as the City of Sanford's designated Local Planning Agency, will consider the various elements of the Comprehensive Plan on the above dates and invites questions and comments from the public. The Plan is due to be transmitted for state review in March, 1991. Materials and summaries of the Comprehensive Plan are available for review at the Department of Engineering and Planning at City Hall, Sanford, Florida. Further inquiries may be directed to Jay R. Marder, AICP at 330-5670.

ADVICE TO THE PUBLIC: If a person decides to appeal a decision made with respect to any matter considered at the above meeting or hearing, he may need a verbatim record of proceedings, including the testimony and evidence, which record is not provided by the City of Sanford. (FS 286.0105)

## Memorial vote set tonight

By NICK PFERPAUF  
Herald Staff Writer

LONGWOOD — If the City Commission grants approval during tonight's meeting, the City of Longwood may have a new memorial, dedicated to the men and women whose are not just in the service at present, but those who served in all wars.

Acting City Manager Don Terry will make the official request tonight, which will call for creation of a star-shaped platform that will circle the base of the existing flag pole at Longwood Memorial Gardens.

The gardens, located near Candyland Park on Grant Street, has had the flag pole for a considerable length of time, located in the middle of circle drive, but now the plans call for the creation of the star base around the bottom of it.

According to Terry, "it will have separate planters in a portion of each of the five points of the star, and each point will be specifically dedicated to one of the five branches of military service." Terry said the project will be only a minimal cost to the city.

The plans for the proposed memorial were submitted to the city on behalf of the Longwood VFW Post by Post Commander Larry O'Brien, and have been approved by Bill Goebel, Longwood's Director of Parks and Recreation.

If the request is approved tonight, the VFW Post will assist in constructing the memorial with assistance provided by the Public Works Department, and work release personnel who do city work on weekends.

Terry said plans also call for installation of a light at the memorial, one that will allow the American flag to be displayed 24 hours a day. Terry said they are discussing electricity at the site with Florida Power and Light.

The city will also provide the installation of an electrical connection for a public address system to be used in the future for special holidays and observances.

Personnel involved in the project say they expect commission approval during tonight's regular Longwood City Commission meeting, which will begin at 7 pm. in the Longwood City Hall.

## Earthquake jolts Philippines

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — A strong earthquake measuring 6.2 on the Richter scale hit the central Philippines today but authorities said there were no reports of injuries or damage.

Leyo Bautista, spokeswoman of the Philippine Institute of Volcanology and Seismology, said the temblor was felt at 10:38 a.m. (9:38 p.m. EST). She said the temblor was centered in the ocean, 545 miles southeast of Manila.

"It was a modestly strong earthquake and it's quite fortunate that it was at sea," Mrs. Bautista said.

The temblor was felt in many central and southern towns and cities, including Cebu, the country's second-major industrial and commercial center after Manila. Authorities, however, reported no injuries or damage.

A powerful earthquake killed nearly 1,800 people in central and northern Luzon last July 16.

The Richter scale is a gauge of the energy released by an earthquake, as measured by the ground motion recorded on a

seismograph. Every increase of one number means that the ground motion is 10 times greater. An earthquake of 6 is capable of widespread damage near the epicenter.



### What's for lunch?

Tuesday, Feb. 19  
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Cherry cup  
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## TROY McCRANIE AKINS

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# Editorials/Opinions

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### EDITORIALS

## America, take a bow

A report just released by the U.S. Commerce Department should help put to rest the popular myth that, during the 1980s, this country became a second-rate industrial state. In fact, during the last decade American productivity and output in the manufacturing sector were comparable to the levels of Japan and Western Europe.

The Commerce Department reports that U.S. manufacturing productivity — the measure of goods produced per hours worked — grew at a 3.6 percent annual rate during the 1980s. That pace matched America's major trading partners. In 1990, moreover, U.S. productivity reached a record level.

By comparison, U.S. factories managed productivity gains of only about 1.4 percent a year during the 1970s. Over the same time, Japan, West Germany and other fast-growing economies were speeding along at roughly three times the American rate.

The dramatic improvement was due in part to efficiencies achieved by older, less-competitive industries, like steel and autos. In fact, while the U.S. manufacturing sector reduced its labor force by roughly 10 percent during the 1980s, industrial production increased by better than 30 percent.

Another encouraging development is that U.S. factory output has risen in recent years to 23.3 percent of gross national product. This level of output has not been achieved since the 1960s, when U.S. manufacturing was recognized as the world's leader. As recently as 1982, U.S. manufacturing output had stood at only 20 percent of GNP, a postwar low.

Perhaps the most significant piece of data reported by the Commerce Department is that the United States now accounts for more than one-fourth of the total exports of industrial countries. That share represents a 25 percent improvement over five years ago.

A country's export performance is a good barometer of its competitiveness because exports indicate how a country's products fare in world markets. The latest numbers suggest that the U.S. industrial base is as vital as it has ever been to the global economy.

The resurgence of the American manufacturing sector in the 1980s refutes the prevalent notion that America has lost its economic vitality. That U.S. factories could stage such a comeback after being given up for dead demonstrates that America still is capable of meeting its economic challenges.

## Reckoning with limits

California's rich agricultural empire is in crisis because of a long, severe drought. Irrigation-dependent farmers are being told they will receive no water for many crops and only enough for their groves and orchards to keep the trees alive.

Since much of the nation's fruit and vegetable supply comes from the Golden State, that's bad for the country — at least in the short run.

Amid all the pain are lessons that shouldn't be overlooked:

One is that the federal government made a serious mistake many years ago when it started subsidizing irrigation of water-gulping crops such as cotton and alfalfa, that couldn't pay their own way. The error is particularly egregious in the case of cotton, which is subsidized again by federal price supports once it reaches the market. As a consequence of these misguided policies, arid California is second only to Texas in the production of cotton and hay.

Another lesson is that California cannot keep accommodating an ever-growing population. That fact was obvious long ago, but wasn't taken to heart. Los Angeles, semi-desert even in normal years, became the second largest city in the country. To do so, it aggressively robbed distant rivers, aquifers and mountain lakes. Other cities did the same, in varying degrees.

Drastic measures are being imposed to get through the current crisis, but tight discipline will be needed even after the drought ends. Irrigation water should be sold at no less than cost, so that it will not be used wastefully. Water conservation should become standard practice, in the cities as well as in agriculture. And cities should adopt development policies that discourage an excessive influx of population.

One way or another, California must adjust to its natural limitations. It's better to adjust before disaster strikes.

### VINCENT CARROLL

## What we can learn from immigrants

We don't just import our TVs and autos anymore. We import our brains, too.

Glance down this year's list of winners in the Westinghouse Science Talent Search, the most prestigious high school award of its kind. You'll spot first names like Mehul, Clamac, Anil, Rageshree, Wei-Jen, Nupur and Tatiana — evidence of the continuing importance of immigration in maintaining U.S. scientific literacy.

All right, so I don't know for a fact how many of the 40 young winners are first- or second-generation Americans. A foreign-sounding name is no proof in itself. Yet immigrants have been outperforming native Americans in math and science for years. Why should we think the pattern has changed?

Indeed, scholars at the American Enterprise Institute actually did check the backgrounds of the Westinghouse winners two years ago. Their findings: 22 of the 40 were either immigrants themselves or the children of immigrants.

These young scholars' passion for science is not, alas, shared by most of their peers. "We face the serious problem of becoming a know-nothing country," worries the chairman of New York University's chemistry department.

And how. Since 1987, more than half of all doctorates in mathematics granted by U.S.

universities have gone to foreigners, and an ominously similar dominance has begun to prevail in other fields, too. At the New Jersey Institute of

Technology — to cite a most striking example — more than 80 percent of full-time students hail from Asia. Even at a major state facility like the University of Texas at Austin, more than half of the graduate students come from other countries.

As Manfred Czesla of the University of Illinois at Chicago says, "Our university research system is dependent on the supply of foreign graduate students. Without them now, it would collapse."

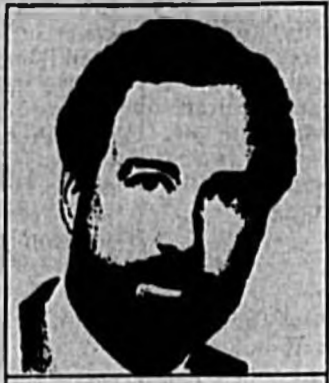
You might think such overwhelming evidence

of slipping scientific prowess would be acknowledged by educators in the lower grades. Think again. In a few weeks, U.S. students will take the International Assessment of Educational Progress, enabling a comparison of them with students abroad. Yet already some educators are offering excuses for the expected poor showing by Americans. The apologists blame cultural differences, a short school year, faulty translations of the tests and different curriculum for U.S. shortcomings, or they resort to that weather-beaten alibi that other countries only educate an elite, while we teach everyone.

In fact, even top American students don't always fare well on international tests. In one taken a few years ago, average Japanese students outscored the upper 5 percent of U.S. students enrolled in college-prep math courses. And if a limp curriculum and short school year contribute to shabby performance, then let's strengthen the first and lengthen the second.

The critics are right, of course, that cultural differences, not just schools, contribute to the apparent achievement gap.

Yet is it too much to ask that our students match the achievement of their counterparts in Vancouver, Dublin, Stockholm or Berlin? Heaven help us if the answer is yes.



Immigrants have been outperforming native Americans



### DON OAKLEY

## In the beginning was slavery

**NOTE:** The month of February is designated as "African-American History Month." To mark the 1991 observance, here is Part One of "The African-American Experience," a series produced by Newspaper Enterprise association. (This segment was revised and adapted from a previous landmark series by NEA.)

For Sale: Several Irish Maid Servants, most of them for Five Years: One Irish Man Servant. Also Four or Five Likely Negro Boys.

Colonial advertisement  
The story of black people in U.S. history began in Jamestown, Va., in 1619, when an unnamed Dutch man of war unloaded a cargo of "20 negroes" hijacked from a Spanish ship bound for the West Indies.

But for some 40 years, blacks were as free or as unfree as their fellow whites in the Southern colonies. Most of the whites were indentured servants serving out a period of time in exchange for their passage to America or as punishment for crimes committed in England.

But a trend began to develop for black slavery, and before the Revolution, it existed in every colony. There were other stirrings, however of certain self-evident truths, certain inalienable rights. And it was a black man who became the first martyr.

Crispus Attucks, who led a mob that harassed British troops in Boston in March 1770, was the first to fall in the "Boston Massacre." Blacks were with the Minutemen at Lexington and Concord in April 1775. Two black men, Peter Salem and Salem Poor, were heroes at the Battle of Bunker Hill in June.

When George Washington took command of the Continental Army, he issued an order barring blacks. In January 1776, however, Congress authorized the enlistment of free blacks. By the time the American cause had reached its lowest point, at Valley Forge in 1777, both slaves and free blacks were welcomed.

In all, some 5,000 black men fought in the Revolution, most of them in integrated units.

In the decade that followed the Revolution, slavery was abolished in most of the Northern states. But in 1787, when the Founding Fathers assembled in Philadelphia to labor over a Constitution for the new nation, political realities dictated compromise. The question of slavery was left to the individual states.

Thanks to the invention of the cotton gin, slavery entered a period of dynamic growth at the beginning of the 19th century. In 1790, there were 700,000 slaves. By the time of the Civil War, there would be 4 million.

The antebellum South was much more than huge plantation fields. As late as 1860, some 88 percent of all slaveholders had fewer than 20 slaves. The large planters, however, wielded political and economic power far out of proportion to their numbers.

It was the spread of King Cotton to the West



that was responsible for the greatest cruelty of the system: the internal slave trade, which took husbands from wives, children from parents. Black Codes which grew more and more severe, regulated every aspect of the slave's life.

In 1829, David Walker of Boston, born a free black in North Carolina, issued a bearing indictment of slavery and a ringing appeal for black revolution. A shiver shot through the nation.

Blacks did not revolt en masse. Yet revolt they did individually, with their feet. Thousands made their way to Northern states and into Canada over the "Underground Railroad." Harriet Tubman, an escapee herself, brought out 300 slaves in 19 daring trips into the South.

Most Northerners, while disliking slavery, were content to leave it alone. But the abolitionists became increasingly ardent.

In 1831, journalist William Lloyd Garrison proclaimed, "I will not equivocate. I will not excuse. I will not retreat a single inch and I will be heard."

Famous names among the black abolitionist speakers and writers were Sojourner Truth, Charles Lenox Remond and Samuel Ringgold Ward. But towering over them all was the eloquent Frederick Douglass.

"Those who profess to favor freedom and yet deprecate agitation," said Douglass in 1867, "are men who want crops without plowing up the ground, they want rain without thunder and lightning."

Several events in the 1850s crystallized positions on both sides of the Mason-Dixon Line.

The Fugitive Slave Law of 1850 made Northerners feel like accomplices in an ugly system. The Kansas-Nebraska Act of 1854 resulted in two years of fighting in "Bleeding Kansas" and the birth of the Republican Party.

In the Dred Scott decision of 1857, Chief Justice Roger Taney infuriated abolitionists by declaring that slaves were not citizens and that Congress had no power to forbid slavery in the territories. In 1858, John Brown unsuccessfully attempted to spark a slave revolution by seizing the armory at Harper's Ferry, Va.

The election of Abraham Lincoln in 1860 was the final straw for the South, and the Southern states began seceding.

One month after Lincoln's inauguration, South Carolina fired on Fort Sumter, and the Civil War had begun.

Tomorrow: Honoring the battle cry of freedom.

### JACK ANDERSON

## Tunes from '60s fill Saudi airwaves

"THE EMERALD CITY," Saudi Arabia — At this huge military base north of Riyadh, the popular sounds on the airwaves are news and the tunes of another war.

These soldiers, many of whom learned about the Vietnam War in history books, prefer the songs of the 1960s. On any given day, either from the ubiquitous Walkman or over military radio stations, one is likely to hear Jimi Hendrix, Janis Joplin or The Doors.

This base is the Saudi kingdom's most secret city, capable of housing tens of thousands of soldiers. At the center of the base is a spectacular building complex with fountains and greenery, much like Dorothy found at the end of the Yellow Brick Road — thus the nickname, "The Emerald City." Its real name and location are classified.

The radio station that broadcasts to the troops from here, in keeping with the theme, is called Wizard 108.

During the buildup of troops, before the war started, the chief radio entertainment came from Iraq's Baghdad Betty — a heavily accented propagandist who lamely tried to get U.S. troops to defect.

How bad was Betty? She was so bad that she told the soldiers their wives were sleeping with all the big American celebrities — Tom Selleck, Tom Cruise and Bart Simpson. Betty was obviously the victim of bad research. She was also one of the first "casualties" of the war when the radio and television transmitters in Iraq were bombed out of service.

One of the most clever secret operations of the war so far was when the allies immediately began broadcasting on the same frequencies of the Iraqi stations that they had obliterated. It so confused the Iraqis and unsettled Saddam Hussein that he put out the word that the Central Intelligence Agency was imitating his voice in those broadcasts.

The programs from Iraq were of little interest to the U.S. troops anyway. They rely on the BBC over shortwave for war news, and those without a shortwave are woefully uninformed at the front. Many of the people here in The Emerald City did not know where they were on the map. And at least half of the enlisted people randomly questioned did not know that Norman Schwarzkopf was their commanding general. If it doesn't come in a letter from home, they have few other ways of finding out the details of the war that they are fighting.

Those who can tune into Wizard 108 get half news and half music. The station takes requests. After a Scud missile attack, the most in demand songs are Pat Benatar's "Hit Me With Your Best Shot," or Queen's "Another One Bites the Dust." A consistent favorite is Edwin Starr's 1970 hit "War" with the refrain, "What is it good for? Absolutely nothing."

Armed Forces Radio caters to the '80s tastes, greeting the day with "Oooooooooo morning, Saudi Arabia!" In the tradition of Vietnam DJ Adrian Cronauer a la Robin Williams.

"Face it," one private from Boston said, "Rap sound don't make it out here with the scorpions and such. It's OK for punks trying to act bad back on Dot Avenue. But we grunts are the mean green machine that is going to make that King Saddam wish he never was born to breathe. We need real war music from the war movies."

KEATING ONE — The Keating Five is about to turn into the Keating One. The Senate Ethics Committee is approaching a final decision on disciplinary action against the five senators who are accused of intervening for savings and loan executive Charles Keating after taking campaign money from him.



This base is the Saudi kingdom's most secret city





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## IN BRIEF

### BASEBALL

#### Oviedo Jr's lose a pair

ORLANDO — The junior varsity baseball team of Oviedo High School lost two one run decisions in the Second Annual Panther Junior Varsity Baseball Tournament hosted by Dr. Phillips High School.

The Lions dropped a 10-9 decision to Apopka in a game that was shortened to five innings by darkness (the Dr. Phillips High School field has no lights) then came up on the short end of an 8-7 score to West Orange in 10 innings at the Dr. Phillips Little League Complex.

"We had an early lead in both games and also came from behind in both games," said Oviedo coach Eddie Norton. "But we just couldn't hold the lead. Both games were good to watch."

In the first game Adam Nelson was 2 for 3 with a triple, three runs scored, two RBI and four stolen bases, including home. Also having good games were Lee Reynolds (3-3, double, RBI) and Brian Lawson (1-1, two walks, two runs scored, three stolen bases).

In the second game Oviedo scored two runs in the top of the 10th, with Louie Traeger getting a bunt single to score the go-ahead run, but the Warriors came back with three in the bottom of the stanza.

Reynolds was the starting pitcher, allowing only one earned run over six innings and striking out 11, and had a double and an RBI. Nelson ended up being the losing pitcher but in his first two innings of work struck out the first six men he faced before being hit. At the plate he was 2 for 4 with a home run, and two runs batted in.

#### Gators win again

GAINESVILLE — Dave Majecki and Brian Purvis each drove in three runs while Mario Linares and Brian Duva each homered to lead No. 15 Florida to a 18-6 victory over No. 11 Long Beach State Sunday.

Gators starter Marc Valdes (2-0) went the distance, holding the 48ers (5-7) to six hits while striking out five and retiring the last 10 Long Beach State batters he faced.

Florida (7-2) had five runs in the third inning on seven straight hits with two outs off starter Andy Croghan (0-1) and reliever Dwayne Fowler.

Linares, one of six Gators with two-or-more hits, followed with a homer in the fifth inning to key a three-run outburst and give Florida a 18-2 lead.

### GOLF

#### Trevino triumphs

NAPLES — Lee Trevino birdied the final hole to snatch victory from Dale Douglass with a 6-under-par 66 on Sunday in the Senior PGA Tour's Aetna Challenger.

Douglass, who led all three days of the tour, duelled with Trevino throughout the afternoon on the 6,882-yard South course at the Vineyards before Trevino shut the door with a 12-foot putt on the 18th hole. Trevino walked away with the winning \$87,000 check. Douglass took the runnerup share of \$39,000.

Trevino registered six birdies without a bogey Sunday for a three-round 205. Douglass, who had four birdies with no bogeys, shot a 68, finishing one shot behind Trevino.

Mike Hall and Gary Player tied for third at 210 after shooting 68s Sunday. Rocky Thompson, Ben Smith, Terry Dill, Jimmy Powell and Harold Henning tied for fourth at 211.

### BASKETBALL

#### Magic falls in O.T.

ORLANDO — The Milwaukee Bucks overcame a five-point deficit in the final 1:20 of regulation for the second time in three days, then outscored the Orlando Magic 13-3 in the first three minutes of overtime Sunday and won 111-103.

The Bucks won for the second straight time since trading All-Star guard Ricky Pierce to the Seattle SuperSonics, despite shooting only 32 percent from the field in the first three quarters and playing without starters Jay Humphries and Frank Brickowski.

Humphries missed the game with a sore big toe on his right foot, while Brickowski and Orlando's Greg Kite were ejected for fighting with 3:57 remaining in the first quarter.

Danny Schayes led Milwaukee with 28 points, 22 of them in the second half when the Bucks overcame a 15-point deficit.

Jeff Grayer finished with 19 points for Milwaukee. Lester Connor and Dale Ellis, playing his first game since being acquired in exchange for Ricky Pierce on Friday, added 13 apiece for the Bucks.

Scott Skiles and Otis Smith each scored 20 points for Orlando.

Compiled from wire and staff reports.

**BEST BETS ON TV**

**BASKETBALL**  
 8:30 p.m. — WESH 2, NBA. Chicago Bulls at Cleveland Cavaliers. (L)

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# Another first for Patriots

## Lake Brantley claims first region title

From staff reports

JACKSONVILLE — Saturday evening brought several more firsts in what has become a year of firsts for the Lake Brantley High School wrestling program.

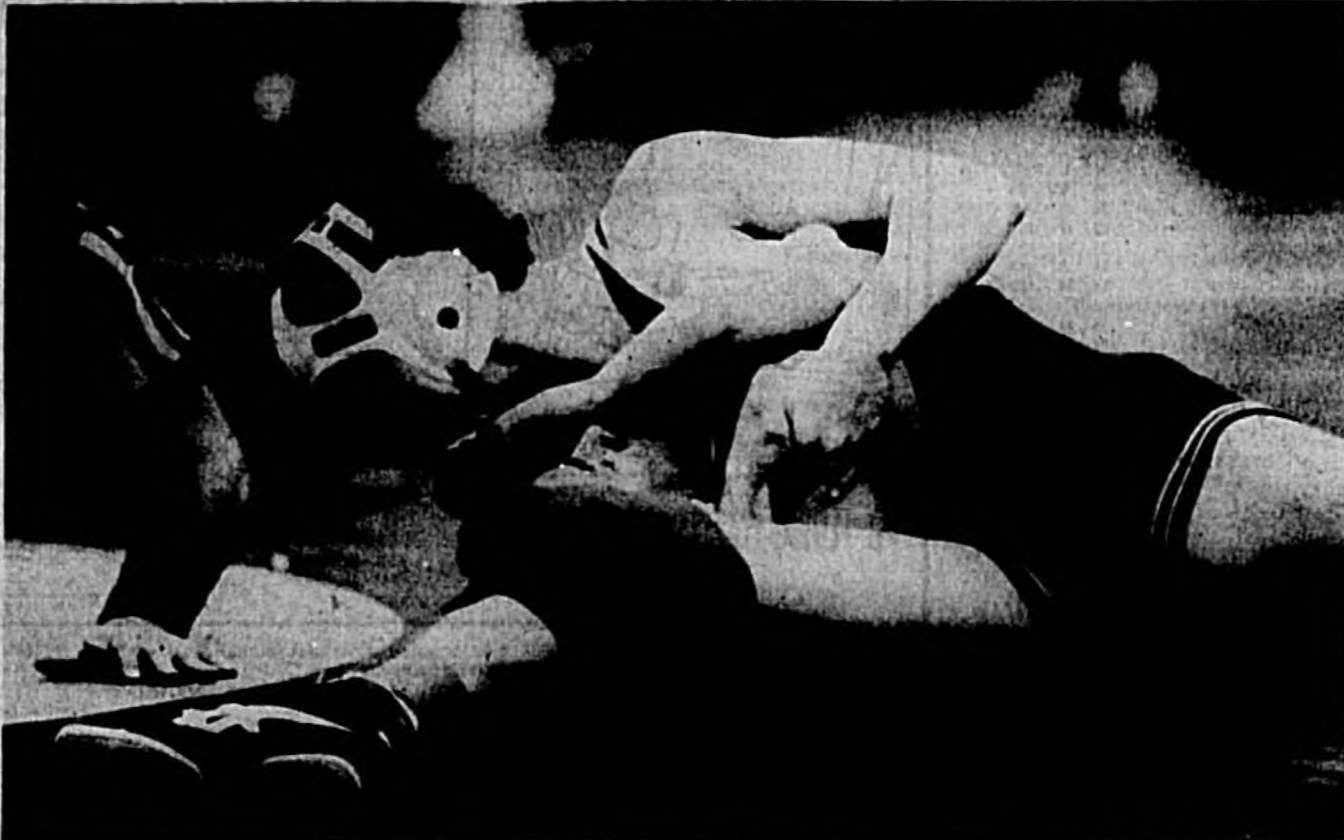
With nine of their 10 wrestlers qualifying for next week's Class 4A state championship meet in West Palm Beach, the Lake Brantley Patriots won their first-ever wrestling regional championship, outscoring Oviedo 173-153 for the 4A-Region 1 title at Jacksonville-Wolfson High School.

The nine state qualifiers is also a new record for the Patriots.

Lyman was third (136.5) while Lake Mary, winner of the last seven regional championships, came in fifth (98.5) behind Orange Park (103). Lake Howell was eighth (70).

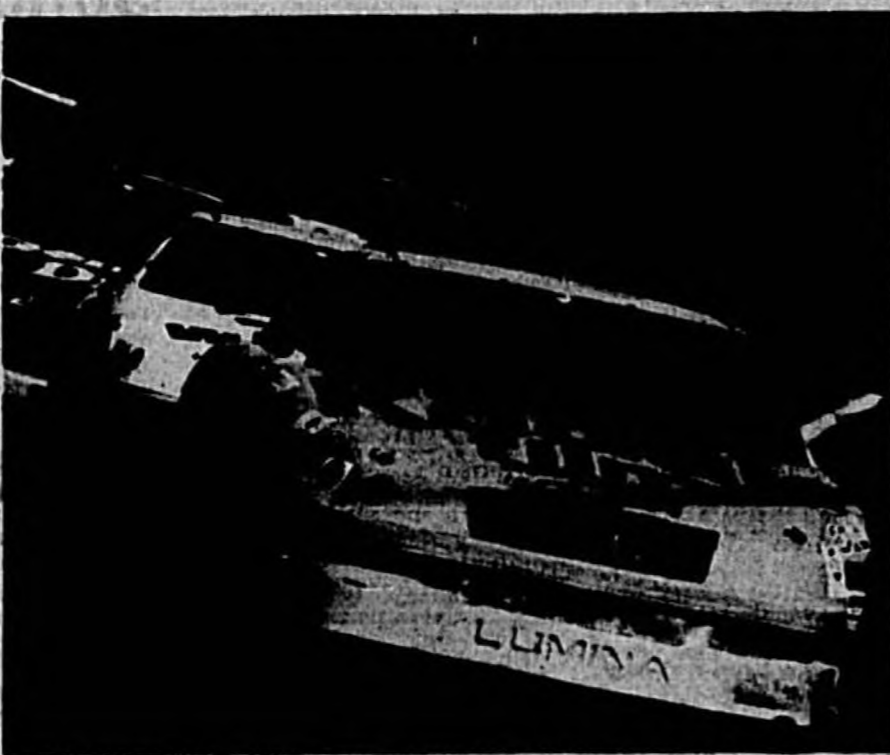
"I thought that any one of the three teams (Lake Brantley, Oviedo or Lyman) could win it," said Lake

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John Atchley is one of nine Lake Brantley wrestlers who qualified for next weekend's state tournament.

## DOUBLE TAKES



Photos by Daytona International Speedway

### Irvan in, Earnhardt out

Ernie Irvan (middle, right) drove his No. 4 Kodak Chevrolet Lumina (above) to victory in Sunday's Daytona 500. The outcome of the race was greatly affected when Dale Earnhardt (No. 3, below right) slid into Davey Allison (below left) coming out of turn No. 2 with two and a half laps remaining.



## Irvan backs claim with 500 victory

Associated Press

DAYTONA BEACH — Ernie Irvan, who tried all week to convince people he had a real chance to win the Daytona 500, went out Sunday and did just that, outrunning heavily favored Dale Earnhardt and pole-winning Davey Allison when it counted.

"It just proves people better listen to me next time," Irvan said with a laugh.

His victory was aided considerably by Earnhardt's continuing ill fortune in NASCAR's premier stock car race, with a spin three laps from the end curtailing his chance of winning it for the first time and sending Irvan on to the victory under a caution flag.

Earnhardt, whose heart was broken here a year ago when he shredded a tire about one mile from the end of what appeared to be a certain victory, tried hard to be philosophical.

The defending Winston Cup champion said, "They're going to run another one of these things in '92 and I'll be back."

For Irvan, there was pure joy and some disbelief in his second Winston Cup victory and a trip to Daytona's Victory Lane — especially since he nearly ran out of gas after the biggest triumph of his 32 years seemed assured.

Irvan was second to Earnhardt and Allison was seventh when the field was given the green flag with seven laps remaining following the eighth caution period of the race.

By the end of lap 194 around Daytona International Speedway's 2 1/2-mile track, Allison was up to third and he and Irvan were hooked up chasing down Earnhardt.

Irvan's yellow Chevrolet Lumina then took control, moving to the front on lap 195 and leaving Earnhardt's Lumina and Allison's Ford Thunderbird in a side-by-side duel behind him.

"I figured I could have stayed behind him and pushed him to the Daytona 500 win or he could push me to the Daytona 500 win," Irvan said. "I can't think of anybody I'd rather see win this race, because he hasn't won it yet, but I decided I'd rather him push me."

After he rocketed by Earnhardt, Irvan kept a close eye on what was taking place behind him.

"I think I looked more in my mirror than straight ahead."

## Routs, comebacks open church softball league play

By BILL KERRIS  
Herald Correspondent

SANFORD — The Sanford Church Softball Spring League opened Saturday with four routs and two comebacks.

Winter League champion Central Baptist scored 10 runs over the final three innings for a 13-12 come-from-behind victory over First United Methodist to highlight "A" League play.

Church of God of Prophecy also beat St. Stephen Catholic 11-5 while Holy Cross Lutheran defeated Neighborhood Alliance 11-7.

In the "B" League, Markham Woods First Baptist scored five runs in the seventh to beat First Baptist Geneva 8-5. Sanford Christian stomped Holy Cross Lutheran 12-0 and Church

of God crushed First Nazarene 14-2.

Next week in the "A" League, First United Methodist plays Holy Cross Lutheran at 9 a.m., Church of God of Prophecy challenges Central Baptist at 10 a.m., and Neighborhood Alliance takes on St. Stephen Catholic at 2 p.m.

Markham Woods First Baptist plays Holy Cross Lutheran next week at 11 a.m. to begin "B" League action. Church of God tackles Sanford Christian at 12 p.m., and First Nazarene confronts Grace Christian at 1 p.m.

Leading Central Baptist over First United Methodist were Jay Crutchfield (three singles, two RBI, two runs scored), John Lerner (two singles, three RBI, run scored), Mike McCoy (two singles, two runs scored), and Tom Holland Sr. (triple, three RBI, two runs scored).

St. Stephen Catholic	210	101	6	-	3	0
Church of God of Prophecy	130	601	4	-	11	14
First United Methodist	663	700	2	-	12	16
Central Baptist	663	671	2	-	12	16
Holy Cross Lutheran	312	311	6	-	11	15
Neighborhood Alliance	100	603	4	-	7	10
Markham Woods First Baptist	161	610	3	-	6	11
First Baptist Geneva	622	610	6	-	3	12
Holy Cross Lutheran	600	60	0	-	0	3
Sanford Christian	200	42	0	-	12	12
First Nazarene of Sanford	300	600	0	-	2	6
Church of God	200	671	0	-	14	17

Also contributing Central Baptist were Eddie Coggon (triple, single, RBI, run scored), Ken

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**BLONDIE**



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**BEETLE BAILEY**



by Mort Walker

**THE BORN LOSER**



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**PEANUTS**



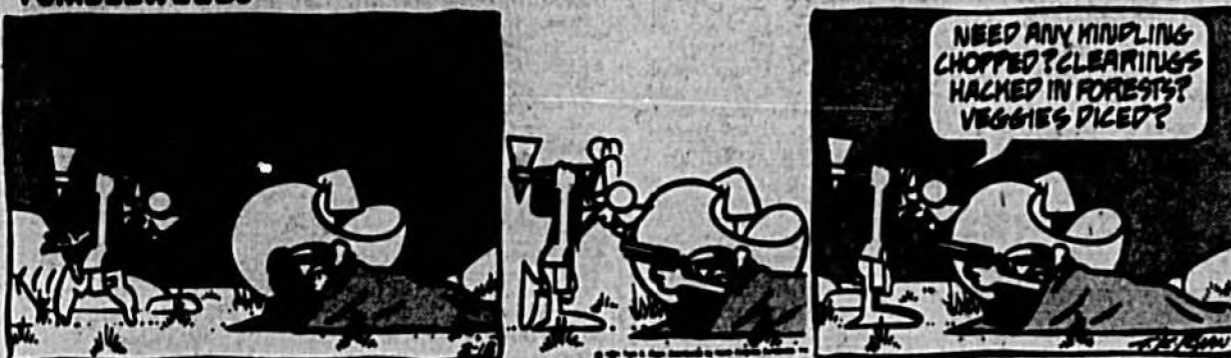
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by T.K. Ryan

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**FRANK AND ERNEST**



by Bob Thaves

**GARFIELD**



by Jim Davis

**ROBOTMAN**



by Jim Meddick

**Antihistamines help lengthy infection**

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** Five years ago, I had a lengthy sinus infection. I now have another, and no medication appears to be helping. What can I do for this problem?

**DEAR READER:** Some people seem to be prone to repeated attacks of sinus infection. This tendency is often related to allergies, air pollution and tobacco smoke. Therefore, if your present infection is not clearing up, your doctor may wish to address these issues.

For instance, if you are allergic to dust or pollen, they can cause chronic nasal congestion and sinus blockage. You may need antihistamines to promote sinus drainage.

Similarly, air pollution and tobacco smoke inflame the tissues around the sinus openings. The sinuses are air-filled cavities behind the nose; when these chambers become blocked, infection sets in and is difficult to eradicate until the sinus openings can be unplugged. Therefore, to aid healing, you'll want to avoid air pollution — and, if you're a smoker, stop.

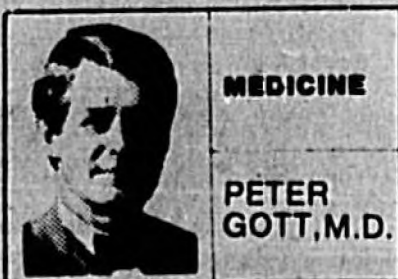
I should also mention antibiotics. Sinus infections are caused by many different types of bacteria, some of which are resistant to the usual antibiotics, such as penicillin. Therefore, the antibiotic that cured your first sinus infection might be totally ineffective treatment for a repeat attack. If you haven't responded to your current antibiotic, the doctor will have to experiment with others.

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** I'm planning on becoming pregnant in the near future. I have a history of extreme morning sickness, which I would like to avoid. Should I begin daily doses of vitamin B-6, and how much? Is there any other way to alleviate some of the nausea?

**DEAR READER:** Morning sickness, the nausea affecting some women early in pregnancy, can be unpredictable; no one knows why it occurs in

some women and not in others, or why it may appear during one pregnancy and not during a second or third.

Therefore, while I understand your wish to prevent morning sickness, I think you're better off not worrying about it until it happens: Perhaps you'll be lucky and avoid it this time around.



**MEDICINE**

**PETER GOTT, M.D.**

In any case, I advise you to take no medicine, vitamin supplements or over-the-counter drugs early in pregnancy unless your obstetrician has approved.

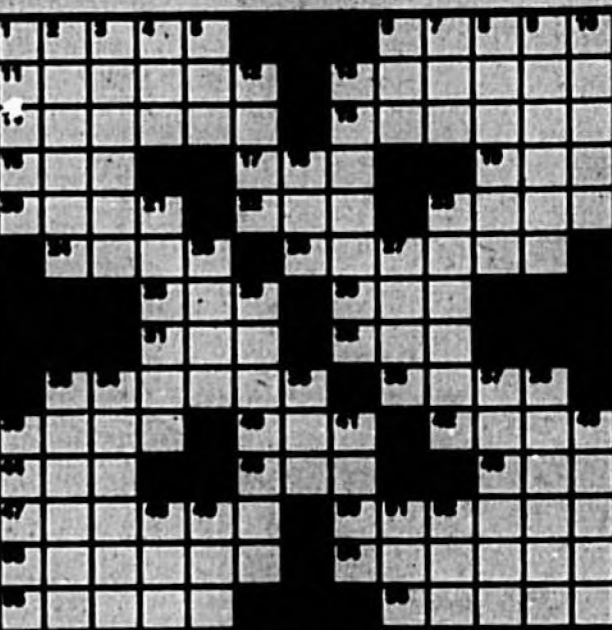
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- 6 Vapors
- 11 Destroyed
- 13 Capable of flying
- 14 Became less severe
- 15 Swedish
- 16 Genus of rodents
- 17 Everything
- 18 Mac West role
- 20 Fighting equipment
- 22 Puppy noise
- 23 Lawn party
- 24 Huminate
- 25 Grape-growing area
- 26 Navy ship
- 30 Cleared women

**DOWN**

- 1 Pasture grass
- 2 Alabama city
- 3 Unwholesome vapor
- 4 Horn suffix
- 5 Sheep's province
- 6 Republican party
- 7 Sausage
- 8 Wind-powered vessel
- 9 Whole
- 10 Fashion
- 11 1944 invasion date
- 12 Like a fox
- 13 Actress — Ullmann
- 14 Dirty spot
- 15 Fought with swords
- 16 Jacob's twin
- 17 Baby's seeds
- 18 Rubber-soled shoe
- 19 Swerved
- 20 Indefinite person
- 21 — de Janeiro
- 22 — tire
- 23 Bar
- 24 Refresh
- 25 Loop — on
- 26 Facing glacier's origin
- 27 Naval ship
- 28 Urgent wireless signal
- 29 Printer's measure
- 30 New (pref.)

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**



**WIN AT**

**By James Jacoby**  
In December I had the pleasure of spending a week at the South Florida home of the legendary Benito Garozzo. One has to be careful walking through his den to avoid tripping over the numerous World Championship trophies.

This week you readers will have the pleasure of seeing a few of Benito's brilliancies. Today's is from the World Championship in 1983, when I was the victim of the famous Italian Blue Team. But look at the pickup Garozzo personally engineered in defending the hand as East.

Aggressive bidding by South landed him in four spades, doubled by West. A heart was led to Garozzo's ace, and Garozzo returned a spade. Declarer won and played a diamond to dummy's queen.

Garozzo ducked. South led dummy's diamond eight, now wondering whether West had started with A-7 alone in diamonds. So declarer put in the nine of diamonds. West won the 10 and played another spade, and declarer wound up losing two diamond tricks and three others for down two. In the other room, against prosaic defense, four spades was set only one trick.

Note that Garozzo's play had no danger attached to it. Declarer was marked with great length in spades and diamonds, so the ace of diamonds would never get away. And ducking would be particularly necessary if West held J-7 of diamonds rather than 10-7. (C)1991, NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.

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♥ K J			
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**HORO**

**By Bernice Bede Ouel**  
**YOUR BIRTHDAY**  
Feb. 19, 1991

Don't be discouraged if your big plans are buffeted a bit in their early stages of the year ahead. They'll survive these encounters and should work out in the long run.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Any gains from a collective endeavor must be equally distributed today, or else hard feelings could result. If you're in charge of dispersals, make certain they come out even. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20-March 20) Take whatever positive measures you can to advance your personal interests today, but don't do anything at the expense of others, even if you're dealing with persons who mean little to you.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19) Unless you're very careful today, there is a possibility that the

folly of a foolish friend could cost you money. Try not to let others involve you in things that might deplete your resources.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) It looks like you might have two sets of rules for governing your behavior today. Your social conduct should win you admirers, but your commercial conduct may not.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) You may have difficulty recognizing when victory is within your grasp today; you'll do things that could minimize your advantages rather than enhance them.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22) Try to make do with what you have today instead of begging assistance from others. Your requests might be granted, but if they are, they could have strings attached.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) Changes tend to benefit you today, but you might not recognize the advantages they have to offer; instead of flowing with events, you may start swimming against the tide.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Someone who has your best interest at heart may offer you

some very constructive advice today. You'll appreciate its value, yet you may do the opposite of what is recommended.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Just because you know someone who was lucky in a risky endeavor recently doesn't mean you can replicate such good fortune. This individual may have had critical information which you lack.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You'll be tolerant and considerate with friends today, and they will find you a delightful companion. However, you might not treat family members as leniently, and they could have something else to say.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Be careful about whom you criticize in front of a stranger today, because this individual might know the person you are discussing and report your conversation to the offended party — verbatim.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If you go shopping today, try not to be an impulsive buyer, especially of big ticket items. Your faculties for discerning a bargain might not be in operating mode.

by Leonard Starr

