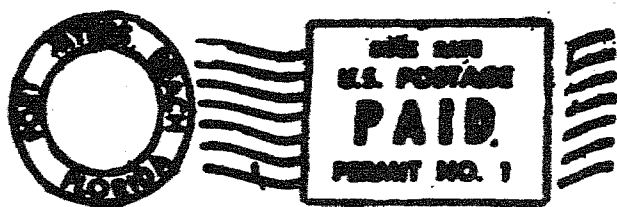


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## CHRISTMAS IS BEST EVER

Islanders agree that this Christmas was the biggest and best the Islands ever had. The church services were all attended to overflowing --- and the children's party at the Sanibel Community House was so filled that standing room was at a premium, even on the porch.

There were 250 little ones for all over the country who were called by name to come forward and receive the gifts that Santa found in his bag just for them. All 250 came back to their parents clutching their gift and smiling expectantly. Most of them opened their package at once, but some just held it and enjoyed the suspense of wonderment.

The dance at the Community House on Saturday, which pays for the children's party, practically guaranteed that next year's party will be bigger than ever, as the dance was attended by at least 200 teenagers and adults. (Some said that 400 or more were there, but it's possible that they were seeing double!)

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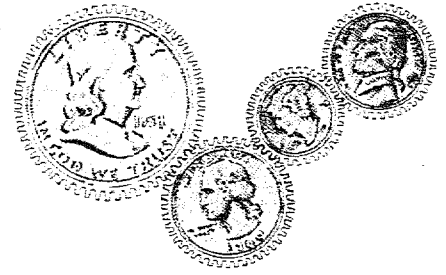
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JOHNNY RIDGE, long time Sanibel resident, found his first Junonia Christmas Day, not in front of his Sanibel Trailer Resort (dang the luck) but in front of the Gallery. His birthday was yesterday, and we all hope he was able to repeat his luck.

Mrs. GOERGE BLOSCH of Andalusia, Pa., and Mrs. AUGUSTA SWARTZ of Philadelphia, visited their sister and her husband, the ROBERT KLOTZES of Seagull Studios, over the Holidays. Mr. & Mrs. Edward BLOSCH and their son, MONTE, also of Andalusia, stopped in for the day.

PRISCILLA MURPHY gave a party early Saturday evening to introduce Mr. & Mrs. NORMAN CHAMBERS of Hiers By The Sea to Islanders.

Mr. & Mrs. CARLSWENSON (he's an executive with Standard Oil) and their son, DONALD, of New York City, spent the Holidays at Casa Ybel as they have for the past three years. Mr. Swenson told us that Donald is the most confirmed sheller he has ever seen and is on the beach every minute he can get there. He's already found four golden olives, so we'd say he's not only confirmed, he's good!

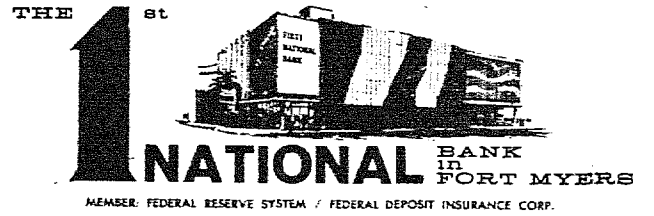


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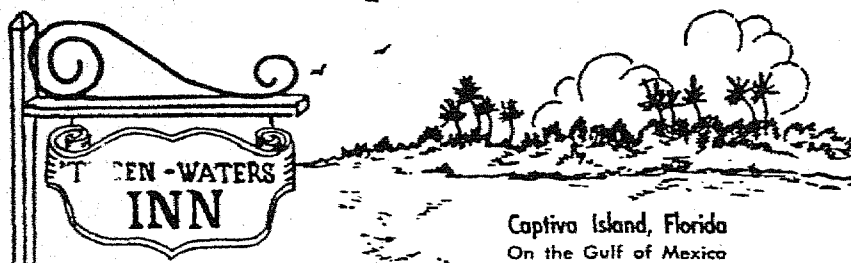
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## PERSONAL

Mr. & Mrs. W.W. Wooster spent the holidays with their son and his family, Mr. & Mrs. David Wooster.

Mr. & Mrs. Walter Colquitt of Shreveport, La., who were supposed to leave there for the Colony on the 21st, had to wait two days because of the weather. Being late, they had to take the left hand side of a cottage instead of the usual right hand side. While not a major tragedy, Mrs. Colquitt got everything in the reversed kitchen on the wrong side and was quite confused. They do say tho, that it is better to be confused than in three feet of sleet.

Eddie Mugridge of "Glory of the Sea" spent Christmas with her friends, Mr. & Mrs. Cecil Kelly in Winter Park.

Mr. & Mrs. L.E. Vogler and children Pamela and Ronnie arrived at Gulf Breeze Christmas Eve just in time to enjoy to the fullest their annual Island visit.

Capt. Jake Stokes and his boat "Searene" are back at Bill Way's Marina. If you want to go fishing with one of the best guides around, stop in at the Marina.

Mr. & Mrs. EDWARD LOWERY are back at their Captiva Island home for the winter season.

JONATHAN (MAC) McLendon, his wife, LORRAINE, and their three children, SUE, JOHNNY & ROBERT, are staying at the Shell Basket during their fifth season on Sanibel.

Mac, who is a professor at Northwestern, invited Professor STANLEY WRONSKI of the Univ. of Michigan, his wife, GERRY, and their children, MARY, LINDA, SANDY, JOHN and PAUL, to share their vacation.

The party, of course, needed two cottages, but all converged for Christmas dinner. As if that wasn't enough, Mr. & Mrs. CHET E. KUKULSKI of Chicago and their three children (he's an architect and they're staying at Snook's), the DON AMONS and their three children, and your Islander reporter, were invited to share the feast.

Don cooked the two turkeys at home and the ladies prepared the rest of the food at the McLendon Cottage. The tables and silver were all from the Wronski's, and at last all had a place to sit and plenty to eat.

Mr. & Mrs. H.A. VROOMAN of Captiva spent a happy Christmas in Tampa with their daughter, CHERRY ROMERO, and their grandchildren, ROSEMARY and MICHELLE. They added to the happiness by celebrating their 47th wedding anniversary there on Dec. 23.

## A CHRISTMAS TALE

A most thoughtful gentleman from the North, on the Islands for the first time, came to your Island Reporter just before Christmas and handed her some money, saying, "I'm sure you would know of someone on the Islands who might not have a very good Christmas without a little help. Would you find them for me and give them this and wish them a Merry Christmas?"

Our Reporter asked if she might give his name and he replied, "Positively not!" So she looked and looked and finally found someone who had a happier time because of this dear man from the cold North with a warm heart.

## CHRISTMAS PACKAGE

Miss Margaret Ann Stokes arrived in Santa's pack (via the Air Force Hospital) on Christmas Day in Weisbaden, Germany, weighing in at 6 1/2 lbs. Mama Edythe and Daddy Lamar were very pleased with their new arrival -- and so were Grandma and Grandpa Pearl and Jake Stokes. If the Stokes offspring keep this up, the senior Stokes are going to have a least a score of grandchildren!

## NEW BAKE SHOP

The "Island Bake Shop" opened on December 26, but some over-hungry friends jumped the gun and asked Jack to bake birthday cakes for them before Thursday. One was for Mrs. Alexander (Flicker) Flick's 90th birthday, one for Mrs. Tad Allen (ordered by Helen & Doris Pleosser) and one for Helen Denny to present to a friend at the Telephone Company. The last was a masterpiece, complete with 'phone, pole, and wires spelling "Happy Birthday."

Col. & SUSAN KARR'S guests for the holidays were Mr. & Mrs. E.E. GRIFFIN of Walton, Ind. He is Susan's son, and they have been visiting here each year since 1948.

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## FOR NATURE LOVERS

Mr. & Mrs. A.R. McNamara report that the old road, opened to provide easy access to the new Catholic Church, is a wonderland for nature lovers. They drove down to the canal and in a half an hour, saw ducks (as many as 50 at a time), a big alligator (duck hunting), a porpoise, and a mama 'coon with four little babies. Be careful when you drive there, tho, because the road is very narrow, so you'll have to be on the alert if someone else wants to get thru.

'TWEEN WATERS  
CELEBRATES

'Tween Waters Inn guests and friends were entertained at an eggnog party last week by the management. A fresh ham glazed with fruit was in the center of the Christmas table, surrounded by other goodies. Delicious and enjoyable -- both the food and the company!

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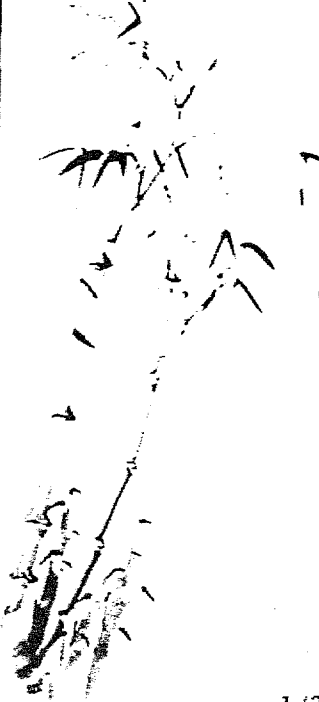
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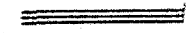
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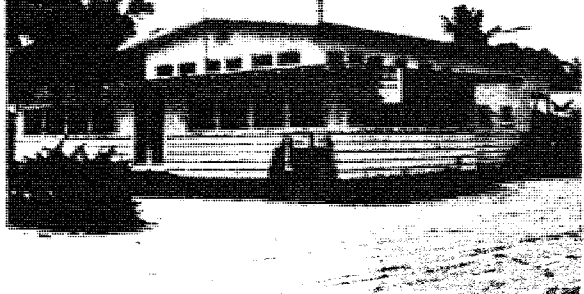
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#### CAPT. LADD IN HOSPITAL

Capt. PALMER LADD is in Lee Memorial Hospital for the second time since the "Santiva's" last run. We're sure he would be very happy to receive cards from his Island friends.

#### S.D. OFFICIAL VISITS

LESTER C. HOUCK, who is with the State Department in Washington, D.C., has been a Casa Ybel guest for the past ten days. He was in charge of receiving foreign dignitaries and world famous people who attended the ceremonies for the late President John F. Kennedy. The many important and exacting responsibilities which occurred during that time made it a necessity for Mr. Houck to take time to relax, and he selected Sanibel for his rest.

#### NEW SHOP OPENS

JAMES WILLIAMS, long time Island resident, has opened "Jim's Shell Shop" on the Lighthouse Road that runs past the Sanibel Post Office. He has a very fine selection of both foreign and Florida shells.

#### GUESS WHO?

This is a "Guess Who" without a picture -- for then you would know who -- but, rumor has it that a couple, both quite well known to all Islanders, have decided to become ONE on or about the 10th of January. Place your bets, ladies and gentlemen.

#### SHELL TALK

Mrs. Les Osterhuis, a guest at "Hiers By The Sea Motel," found a Junonia right in front of the place, and Angelo Zambuto, the senior member of the family that now owns the Motel, found his first Golden Olive last week.

#### TO THE ISLANDER:

As a long time visitor to the Islands, I would like to tell you how very much I enjoy the Islander and its weekly review of life's activities on the enchanted Islands.

I plan to be there for a month or so beginning in March. (sgd.) J.W. SNYDER  
 Chevy Chase, Maryland.

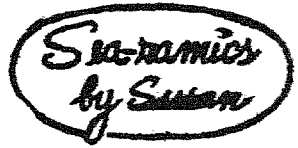
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**PERSONAL**

The staff of Casa Ybel had a Christmas party last week and were fortunate to have as guests Mr. & Mrs. Harry Stewart, who entertained the group with slides of their recent trip around the world. 'Twas a very cosmopolitan gathering -- some of the other guests included Mr. & Mrs. Chesra Braly who took a trip around the world three years ago with Betty and Ronnie Fenton.

Christmas Eve, the Fentons entertained the hotel guests at a party during which Ronnie played Santa Claus. Refreshments were served to the guests who all had a wonderful time.

Christmas Eve at BILL and ISABEL REISINGER'S home was marvelous. Be-

sides the housefull of relatives here for the holidays, they invited several Island friends to share the fun of helping the children trim the tree. It was a great big one which took a lot of trimming but was a thing of beauty when finished.

The children were soon off to bed, and Bill and his brother Bob hunkered down on the floor trying to get "Big Bruiser, which gives super highway service," together and running. After they got it working, they and every man in the party gave it a thoro trial run -- which probably proves something about youngsters and adults, but everyone was so busy having a good time that the moral of the story was never discussed.

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The "Caribe Adventure" on Gulf Drive was full this holiday season, what with the arrival of JOHN F. WRIGHT'S sisters, the Misses ELVA & MILDRED WRIGHT of Long Branch, N.J., and Mr. & Mrs. WILLIAM MILLER of Elberon, N.J., who are the aunt and uncle of permanent Sanibel residents JUNE & KENNETH WRIGHT.

This is the Misses Wright's second visit to the Islands, where they have found much inspiration for their art work. Mr. Miller, who was for years a contractor in the heating and air-conditioning field, is now retired and hopes to visit the "Caribe Adventure" frequently.

Bob Reisinger picked up Mr. & Mrs. James Vincent of Freeland, Michigan, and brought them over to the Islands last Thursday for their first visit here. The Vincents, old friends of Bob from back home, have been staying on Pine Island.

Mr. & Mrs. Lewis Malory gave a cocktail party at Casa Ybel for friends and guests in the hotel last Thursday.

Enid and Joe Donahue arrived back home on Sanibel Christmas Eve Day, just in time for a wonderful Island Christmas.

HORACE & EVELYN COCHRAN scattered Merry Christmas messages all over the Islands via their beautiful Christmas cards -- and after compiling some of them, we came up with: It's cold as the devil up there and the Ohio river will be frozen bank to bank any minute; they hope to see all their friends here soon; and they're very happy with the arrival of Miss Shelly Dee Amon and the weekly arrival of the Islander. (Both events make us very happy, too.)

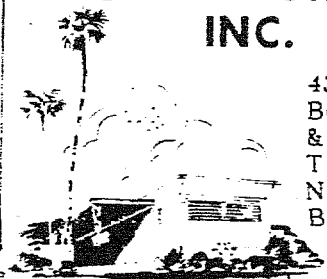
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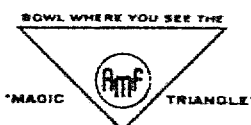
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Micky, or Bob, you are NOT at  
Betty's Hawaiian Village.

**PERSONAL**

The January tide cards and colored maps of the Islands are available to interested shellers at the Sanibel-Captiva Real Estate Office in Town Square.

The family of Capt. GERARD MEINHARDT and Sgt. & Mrs. MANFRED BLEI are staying at Hurricane House, and Capt. HEINZ LEDER and son, and Lt. Col. HANS W.P. FINCK and family are staying at Sanibel Cottages.

Capt. Meinhardt is commanding officer of the units of German soldiers who are training at Huntsville, Ala., under the NATO program.

Lt. Col. Finck and M/S

Esch visited our Islands with their families last year and were so impressed that they talked of nothing else when they got back to Alabama... which is why everyone came along this year to see our Islands for themselves.

Muriel and Bill Way must have invited everyone on the Islands to come over for a little Christmas "cheer." Among the "Cheerers" were Mary & Gogo Gogolin, Jean & Vince McVetty, Muriel's mother, Mrs. Benjamin Schultz, Jerry Funk, Tony Frenette, Richard Monteith, and all the Amon clan. Shelly Dee was balanced on Vince's shoulder (Vince had just begun to feel natural and to relax) when Fou Fou, the

Way's poodle, got jealous and jumped onto his lap. Poor Vince was flabbergasted and showed it, tho he managed to take care of both children very well for an inexperienced guy.

Mr. & Mrs. CHARLES C. MILLER of New York are vacationing at Luning Cottage, Hiers By The Sea. He's director of public relations for the Rubber Manufacturers Association, Inc., 444 Madison Avenue, and even while on vacation didn't forget his job as he told us the company passed the 10 billion dollar mark in sales this year, more than 10% of which was invested in space

research programs. Several of the research labs are in Florida.

The Millers are here for shells, sun and fishing, and we hope they do better with the first two than Mr. Miller did with the last. He went to Dewey's Marina, got 14 shrimp, and after hours of fishing, caught a fish on the last shrimp -- species unknown, and he insists it was smaller than the shrimp itself! Said it was a very good day, tho.

The Millers are friends of FLETCHER KNEBLE, who they met when both men were White House correspondents during World War II.



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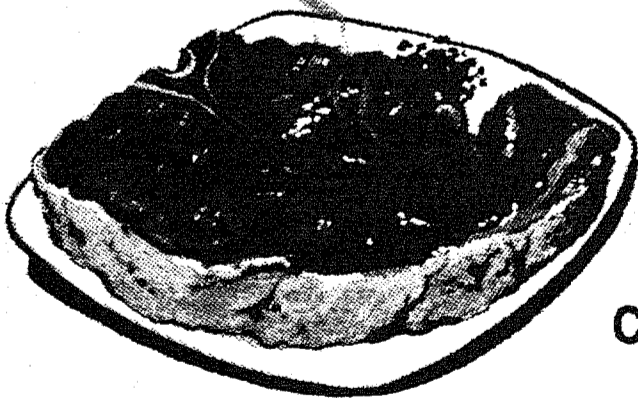
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