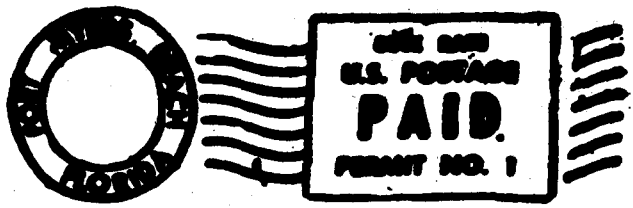


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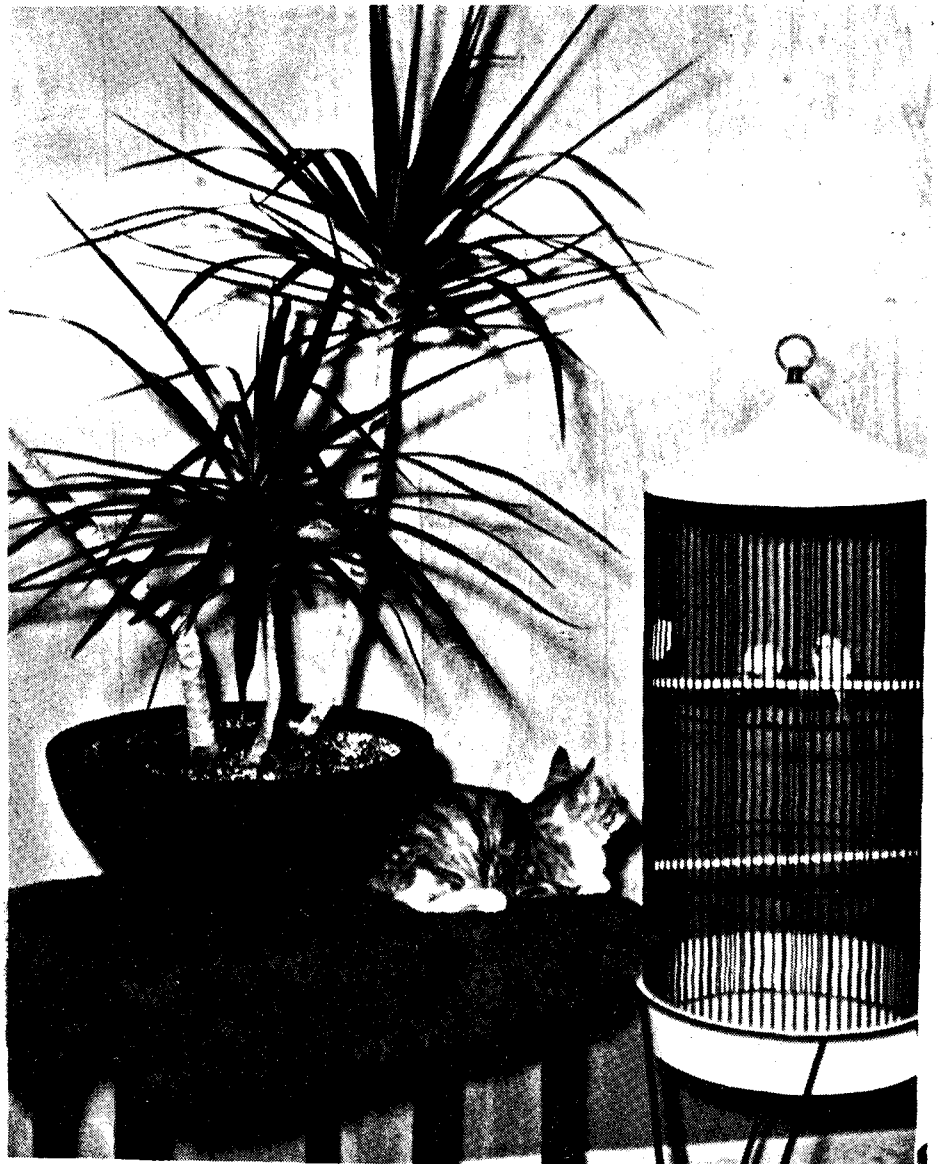


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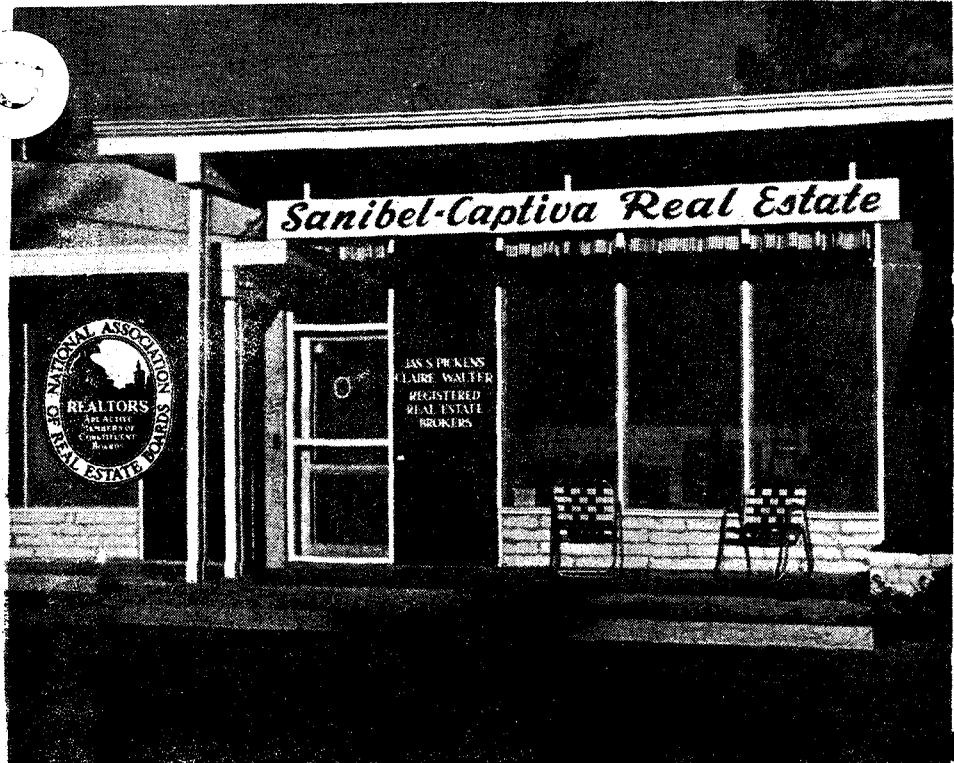
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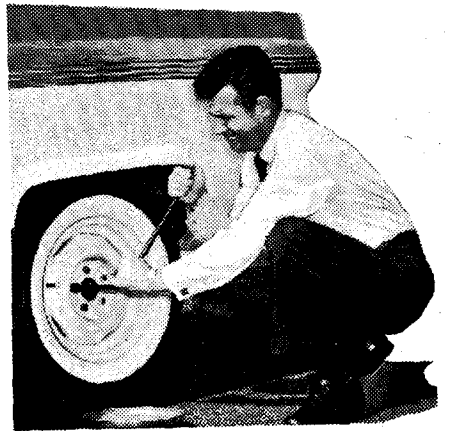
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24 Tues	2:36	5:11	10:04	9:47
25 Wed	3:37	6:23	11:10	11:22
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Who's Who on Sanibel

Mr. & Mrs. CHARLES J. MULLER of Detroit, Mich. and dog Shelly (named after sea shells) have been spending 3 weeks at Sanibel Cottages. This is their 14th year at Sanibel & it is still their Shangrila. Fae found a live golden olive in front of Sanibel Cottages and Chuck found a large live alphabet cone up by the boat. They have had very good luck fishing, getting 2 large trout,

1 large snook, 1 large flounder, grouper, snapper, redfish and several large sheephead, and naturally many skates. The weather has been perfect and shelling good, so they say they will be back at Sanibel Cottages again next year. The Mullers have made several long found friends on this Island and cannot stop praising Sanibel's friendliness & wonders.

They said that the Islander has been their touch of Sanibel up in the cold north for the eleven months between visits, and that it is a bright spot on dreary days.

Mr. & Mrs. BILL REISINGER (she's the former RENA STONECYPHER) returned to the Islands last week after their marriage on November 2nd. Their friends were glad to see them again.

Mr. & Mrs. PAUL LUDLAM of Daytona Beach popped over to the Islands and Betty's Hawaiian Village for a few days of fishing last week, arriving on the next to the last day of Mr. & Mrs. ALBERT HARTSHORN'S vacation. The day after the Ludlams arrived, Mr. Ludlam and Mr. Hartshorn went fishing----and brought in nearly 100 Spanish Mackerel and Blue Runners.

The Hartshorns promptly decided to delay their return to West Virginia, and went fishing every day. Their luck remained good - Monday, they came in with 76! (hope they have big freezers at home!)

Other guests of Betty's are Mr. & Mrs. FRANK VITELLI of New York, who arrived for

a spell of shelling and Bay fishing.

Betty and Micky, by the way, have remodeled the shop, and have added some local shells (expertly cleaned) for those who fancy them - - at reasonable prices, Betty added!

TO THE ISLANDER:

O.K., You win. I won't give you the chance to sever our amiable relations so here is my subscription check. I can't wait for your long over due bill.

The "Islander" is small among the National Giants, but its heart overflows the Islands of Sanibel and Captiva. Its pulsation intensifies the profound nostalgia that invariably persists in retrospect of the tropical splendor and tranquility that I have had the good fortune to enjoy in the past six years. This indelible impression has left me with an insatiable urge to once again, without any further subterfuge, hurry down to my beloved Captiva.

Merry Christmas to you all. See you all of a sudden.

HENRY NIELSEN
Irvington, N.J.

The Colony on Sanibel has cottages filled with return guests, most of whom will be here through Thanksgiving.

Back for the 10th year are Mr. & Mrs. NORMAN MILLER of Merchantville, New Jersey. The Millers drove over to the Corkscrew Swamp recently to admire the wildlife and plants that abound in that fringe of the everglades.

Other long-time visitors are Mr. & Mrs. H.B. STANTON of Oak Park, Illinois, here for the 8th year.

Mr. & Mrs. JOHN M. LYNCH of Garretty Park, Md., will be leaving the Colony right before Thanksgiving, and Mr. & Mrs. G.R. CULVERT of Lincroft,

New Jersey, will be going home this weekend.

Mr. & Mrs. ROBERT C. PETERSON of Litchfield, Minn. are also enjoying their first Colony visit in a number of years.

Mr. & Mrs. CLARKE J. CHURCH of Amesbury, Mass, who have been visiting Florida's East Coast, chose Sanibel and the Colony for their vacation this year and will be here through the holidays. Shortly after their arrival, they were joined by friends Mr. & Mrs. GUY M. LEIGHTON of Portland, Me. After Thanksgiving, the Leightons will be going on to Antigua.

THE REBEL MOVES NORTH

Ethyl Snyder called this week to tell us of a clipping she had been sent from a Portland, Me., newspaper, telling of the sale of the Kinzie Brothers' REBEL to the Casco Bayline company of that city.

Looking at our trusty atlas again, the only ferry line we could see going out of Portland was to Peak Island, so, until further notification, we shall assume that is where the Rebel is plying the waves.

The Rebel was built in 1957 by the Blont Marine Corp. of Warren, R.I., and before its purchase by Casco, Blont was going to build a brand new ferry for the Baylines. The paper mentioned that the Rebel was the last ferry to be sold - if you know where the others are (one's in Ohio, we know) why not drop us a card?

Coast Pilot Captain Harry Sanders of the Inland Waterway took the ferry, still flying the confederate flag, up the waterway to Maine. The clipping said that the Rebel had been bought on the 26th of October, and figuring travel time and so forth, it's quite possible that the Rebel is once again carrying passengers to an offshore island as you read this.

PERMISSABLE ARSON from page one

partment. VELNA RIDGE represented the Sanibel Auxiliary.

It was a beautiful sight to watch the blaze against the sky and although sheriff RALPH SMITH was on hand his only traffic problem was getting the patrol car thru the gallery of spectators. The house that was burned down was donated by HOWARD DAYTON (with the permission of his insurance company, of course.) When nothing was left but a few ashes, the firemen, tired, begrimed and hungry, gathered at the Captiva Civic Center with their wives and families for Pot Luck Supper. EULA RHODES had baked the ham & all the other ladies furnished some of their culinary best for the feast. It was fun but would have been more so had YOU been there. So join up with your department & be on hand for the occasion next year.

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Mr. & Mrs. WARREN L. BURMEISTER, of Wilmette, Ill., will arrive today, November 19, for their third vacation on the Islands. They will be taking their rest at Oster's on Sanibel.

Mr. & Mrs. HERBERT WEBB, who are staying at the Sanibel Trailer Park, were fishing on the causeway just past the first bridge when Mr. Webb felt a heavy tug --- and pulled in a perfect and beautiful bright apricot colored eight inch long horse conch, much to his surprise and delight. This thrilled the Webbs, and they are now looking forward to even more happy surprises during their time on Sanibel.

If anyone has an old birdcage, they'd like to part with, Ethel Reynolds would like to have it. Not for birds, but for two Hermit Crabs of the land type which were a gift to her from Jim Moore of Palmetto, Florida. They are much like the Hermit Crabs we see in shells along the Beach and Bay but each sports a blue claw. One makes his home in a magpie (Livona Pica Shell) and the other in a tulip (Fasciolaira Hunteria Shell). The one in the tulip arrived in a smaller tulip shell and looked quite cramped, so Ethel placed a larger one in the box with him and he soon emerged from the small one and backed into the larger where he appears much more comfortable. They like corn meal and lettuce and crawl right into the dish with their food while they eat. Who has a more unusual pet?



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The first order for new chairs for the Sanibel Captiva Legion Home was placed last week and they'll be arriving soon. Thanks to the generosity of our many friends who are helping to make the Auxiliary's drive for 100 new chairs a success. The Auxiliary has received additional donations from Vrooman's Television, William Ward Wooster, Dr. & Mrs. Robert M. Baker, Cecilia Strader, Andrew Melody, Admiral and Mrs. E. G. Konrad and Mrs. Stella Dean Mitchell, all of whom are residents of the Islands, and from J. W. Snyder of Chevy Chase, Maryland.

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Who's Who on Captiva

Instead of just a one day meeting of the Peachtree Battle Garden Club of Atlanta for the month of November, it will last an entire week, when Mrs. William S. Dennis, Jr. of Atlanta and Captiva, retired president of the garden club as of last March, invites the club to have a house party at her home "The Seashell" on Captiva. Another member, Mrs. Charles G. Cowan suggested that the members stop enroute going and coming, at their fishing lodge on the Steinhatchee River. This they did when the 12 members left Atlanta on Monday November 16th. Two of Mrs. Dennis' neighbors, Mrs. M. Hines Roberts and Mrs. Robert Gallaher are entertaining some of the members.

Several special features are planned. On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Roberts entertained at a cocktail party, which was followed by a buffet supper at Mrs. Dennis' home. On Wednesday a basket lunch party was held at the beach. Immediately following Mrs. Parker Mills conducted a driftwood work shop for the club at the Captiva Civic Association Clubhouse. Pin dis-

played driftwood mobiles and demonstrated the use of driftwood in combination with Island greenery, Island grasses, leaves, pods, shells, etc. in various arrangements. Later in the afternoon, Paul Everett acting as guide conducted a tour of the grounds of several of the Island homes. The grounds visited were Mr. and Mrs. Auderried Whittemore, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barker, Mrs. Albert Spalding, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Faris, Mrs. Earl Drake and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Van Vleck whose home is the former home of the late Ding Darling. Activities of the day terminated with dinner at the Nutmeg House on Sanibel.

Thursday, as you are reading these events, the garden club is being entertained in the afternoon and evening by Mrs. Robert Gallaher who is taking the group on the "Mail Boat" on a trip around the Islands. Mrs. Gallaher will also be hostess for supper served aboard.

On Friday afternoon a special program on "Shells" will be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Jeremiaassen. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey

Meyer will lecture and assist in the exhibit of shells. The climax of this week of activity will be a cocktail and dinner party at the home of Mrs. Robert Gallaher.

A signal honor has been awarded a member of this garden club. Mrs. W.S. Malone, Jr. won the tri-color ribbon last year for an arrangement which has been chosen for the 1965 National Garden Calendar. A copy of this calendar was given to the Captiva and Sanibel Island friends who so graciously shared in the entertainment of the Garden Club.

Members of the Club attending the house party are: Mrs. D. Edwin Plaster, president, Mrs. Charles G. Cowan, Mrs. T. W. Branch, Mrs. Lewis E. Crook, Mrs. H. Benson Ford, Mrs. O. M. Jackson, Mrs. Charles M. Mabry, Mrs. Harry L. Richardson, Mrs. I. M. Sims, Mrs. R. A. Manning, Mrs. T. F. Davenport, Mrs. A. C. Doak, Mrs. R. L. Doyal and Mrs. Dwight Keith.

fruit trees they had just planted this Spring were loaded with fruit.

Mr. & Mrs. HARVEY MEYER have had Mr. & Mrs. ALFRED S. BERGGREN of Trumbull, Conn., as house guests this week. Honoring them at a dinner in the Meyer home were Dr. & Mrs. JOSEPH AMDUR and their two children, ROBERT and ELIZABETH, all of Coral Gables.

Mr. & Mrs. TED FONDA of Novelty, Ohio, who recently purchased the Robinson home on Coral Way, just arrived to set up winter housekeeping.

Don't forget THREE things November 22. The covered dish supper honoring the new Chapel By The Sea Pastor, Dr. SPEARS, is Number one. Numbers two and three are your plates and your silverware. It will be held at the Captiva Community Hall.

TEEN CORNER by susie amon

There was quite a bit of excitement at the senior high last week. Friday the 13th is supposed to be unlucky. But it was quite the opposite for the Greenies because they won their homecoming game against Arcadia 25 to 6. Prior to the game was a week of preparatory activities - Monday, slogan and tag day, was when they passed out tags such as "Do the Dogs" - Tuesday, surprise day, was when the kids got to school and found out that their periods were switched.

Wednesday, clash day, was when everyone wore clothes that clashed, and that turned out very funny. Thursday, quiet day, was when no one was supposed to talk so that they could yell loudly enough for the "Greenie Growl." If you were caught talking, you had to wear a tag saying, "I am a loudmouth," or other things. Chris Gault and Judy McQuade were hall monitors. Friday, color day, was when everyone wore the school colors, green and white.

Also on Friday, Cypress Lake had an inner squad game. Some of our Island teenagers participated. Chuck Nave, Raymond Rhodes and Jimmy Jack were players in the game. Eddy Ballinger is one of the team managers and Diana Ballinger is one of our cheerleaders. We would like to congratulate these kids on the wonderful job they have done for our school.

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Flip has played with the top bands of the jazz era including Russ Morgan, Red Norvo, Woody Herman, Benny Goodman, and jazz at the Philharmonic in addition to playing and recording with his own groups. He was one of the major sparks in the Woody Herman herd and most of the saxophone solos in that first and unequalled herd were his. While with Woody he wrote "Apple Honey" which became a jazz classic and a favorite of musicians and fans alike. He also recorded "Sweet and Lovely" which is considered one of the great ballad recordings.

One of the original and most enduring stars of jazz at the Philharmonic, Flip won greater recognition when he recorded Juan Tizol's composition, "Perdido". This number achieved such fame that he acquired the nickname Flip

"Perdido" Phillips; and even foreign audiences punctuate his performances with cries of "Perdido", "Perdido!"

Recognition of his musical ability is evidenced by the fact that for ten consecutive years he was the recipient of the Downbeat Award in the tenor sax field.

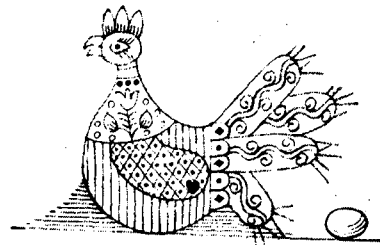
Flip's musical tourings have taken him not only over all of the North American Continent; but, also include nine tours of Europe and trips to Japan, China and Australia.

For relaxation, Flip enjoys baseball - a sport he likes so much that he used to work with the Cleveland Indians to keep in condition. Since moving to Florida, fishing has become his favorite off-time recreation; and, he has become one of the expert fishermen of the area.

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The Sanibel-Captiva American Legion Post #123 is having their annual Legion Thanksgiving gathering November 23. There is nothing special planned in the way of food or entertainment - just fellowship and relaxation. There will be four door prizes, three turkeys and a ham, with the first prize winner having his (or her) choice of either. The gathering will start at 8:30 P.M. with a 50¢ donation going to benefit the School Backstop and Athletic Fund.



Thanksgiving



AT

Coconut Grove

Restaurant

MENU

APPETIZER

Homemade Vegetable Soup . Fresh Fruit Cup . Juice
Garden Salad Bowl (choice of Blue Cheese, French,
1,000 Island or Oil & Vinegar Dressing) . Relish Tray

ENTREE

ROAST TOM TURKEY

Sage Dressing, Giblet Gravy, Homemade Cranberry Relish

ROAST SIRLOIN OF BEEF - AU JUS

BAKED VIRGINIA HAM

Pineapple Raisin Sauce

CHOICE OF POTATO & VEGETABLE

Whipped Potatoes	Tender Sweet English Peas
Candied Yams	Pearl Onions
French Fried Potatoes	Baby Lima Beans
Homemade Rolls and Butter	

BEVERAGE

Coffee	Sanka	Tea
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DESSERT

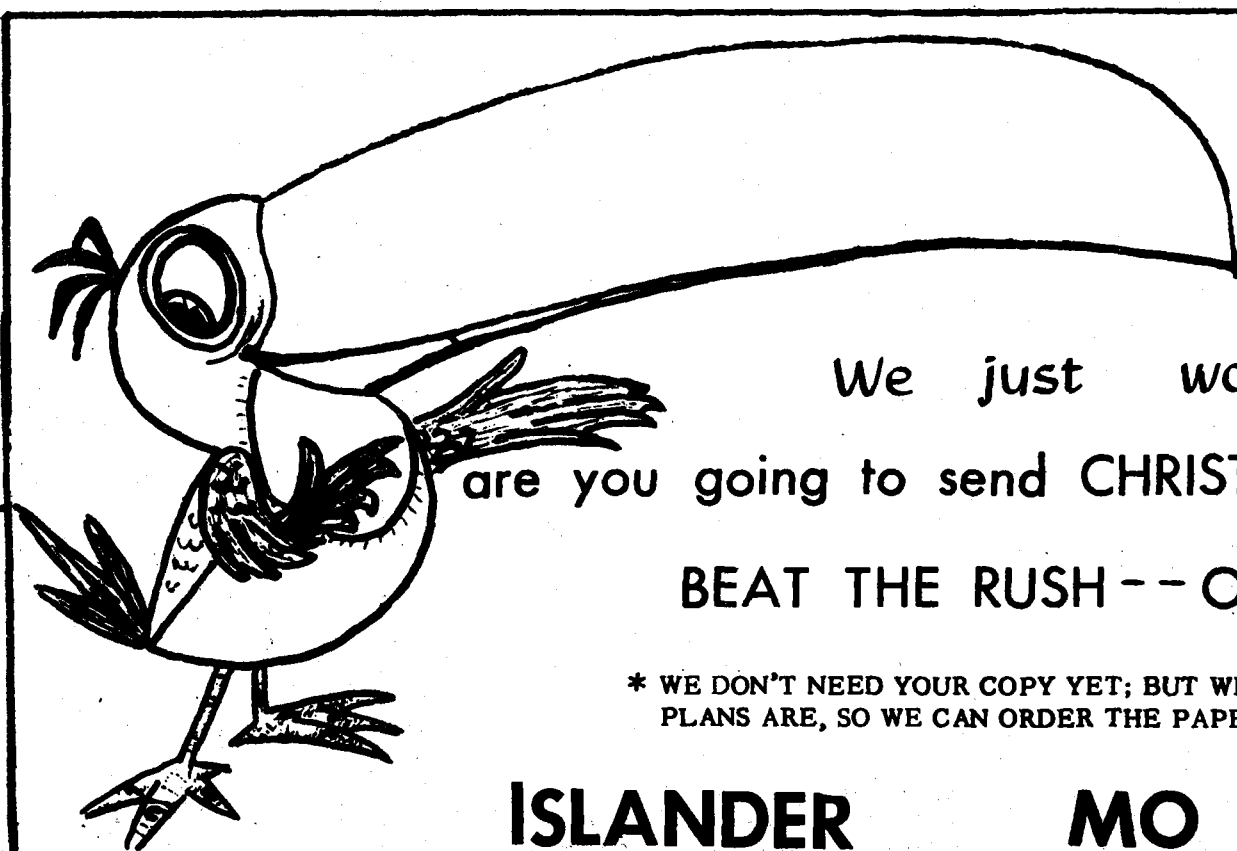
Pumpkin Pie, Warm Mincement Pie, Ice Cream; Sherbert

COMPLETE DINNER **\$2.75** CHILD'S PORTION **\$2.00**

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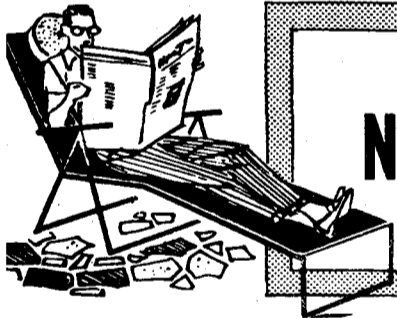
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POST OFFICE RUSH

The Post Office Department gets quite rushed around the Holidays. So this is to remind you to mail your overseas and out of state packages and cards early.

The Christmas "rush" next month brings a very old quote to mind: "Neither snow nor rain, nor heat, nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds." This was said by the Greek historian, Herodotus in the Fifth Century B.C. but it still is true of the postal service.

However, Sanibel Postmistress Scotia Bryant recently added a thought. "While it is true that bad weather does not stop the mails, it certainly can slow them down."

She mentioned that planes can't get off the ground, switches on railroad tracks can freeze up. Trucks must move more slowly and cautiously over highways. And, in many places, mailmen might wish for the warmth of an igloo. Even the impish Mr. ZIP can't assure next-day delivery under these conditions.

"Why," you may ask, "does

the post master bring this up?"

"Simply to let people know that there is a factor that we just can't control, the weather, Postmistress Dodie Booth of Captiva said. "It is important that people mailing Christmas cards and gifts make every effort to shop early and mail early to assure on-time delivery. This is especially true during the Christmas rush when an ever increasing avalanche of mail moves through the postal system."

The Post Office Department has several new tools to use in this year's mail service. The most important is the new ZIP code and transportation-distribution system that came into being with the Zoning Improvement Plan (ZIP). Everyone is urged to use the five digit numbers because in most cases the code cuts down the number of times a piece of mail must be handled. This saves time, labor and money.

The Post Office Department suggests that even if you don't know the code for the addresses of the people to whom you'll be sending cards and gifts, you should use the code on your return address. And you should record the codes from

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the return addresses of those who are writing to you.

Moving the Christmas mail is a hard, tiring job and the local workers who work so diligently during this period deserve all the cooperation they can get.

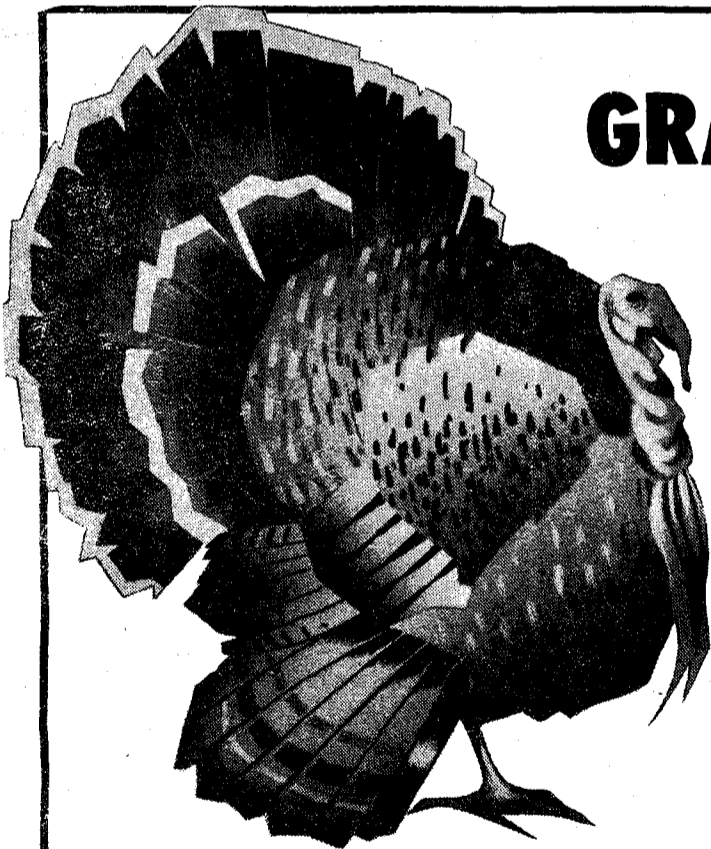
The postmaster said that shopping early, mailing early and using ZIP codes will really put ZIP into your Christmas mailings...and give your mailman a hand too.

LADIES GUILD MEETS TONIGHT

Tonight the Ladies Guild of the Sanibel Community Church will meet at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Willis Combs, Co Hostess will be Mrs. Fred Kenkel. Many of

the ladies of the guild have been busy throughout the year making things for their Annual Bazaar to be held Nov. 28 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Sanibel Community House.

During the past month, workshops have been held at the home of Mrs. Smith Kauffman, Mrs. John P. Glass, Mrs. Tad Allen and Mrs. Floyd Snook. All the ladies are invited to bring any articles they are still working on with them tonight & following the meeting, a final workshop will be held. White Elephant articles may be left with either Mrs. Walter Strong or Mary Aleck.



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