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SCHOOL'S OUT

Larry Gavin was presented the American Legion Merit Award, given annually each year to a six grade student at the close of the school year. Becky Miller was given the second place certificate, and the Citizenship Award went to Lee Woodring.

Besides these three awards, the last day of school was an exciting one. Not only were report cards handed out, but a Field Day and picnic was in order for the children of the Sanibel Elementary School.

Winners in the contests in Miss McCann's first and second grade classes were: Footrace - 1st, Mark Muench; 2nd, Isabel Gavin; 3rd, Gail Carper. Distance ball throwing - 1st, Alvin Walden, 2nd, Marshall Tilden; 3rd, Wayne Woodring. Jump rope - 1st, Debbie Zambuto; 2nd, Mary Anne Aleck; 3rd, Susan Bailey. Hop race - 1st, Tony Jordan; 2nd, Gary Holtzman; 3rd, Curt Rhodes.

In Mrs. Sloat's third and fourth grade classes contest winners were: Broad Jump - 1st, Charlie Gavin; 2nd, Curtis Nave; 3rd, Sammy Sharp. Distance ball throwing - 1st, Curtis Nave; 2nd, Lee Woodring; 3rd, Kim Billheimer. 50 Yard Dash - 1st, Charlie Gavin; 2nd, Niki Wakefield; 3rd, Harry Jordan. Jump Rope - 1st, Alice Aleck; 2nd, Billy Gesser; 3rd, Marilyn Walden. As each class held their contests the children

from the other grades were cheering spectators.

The winners from Mr. Kontinos fifth and sixth grades were: Broad Jump - 1st, Larry Gavin; 2nd, Mathew Preston; 3rd, Roger Carlin. Hop Race - 1st, Roger Carlin; 2nd, Jimmie Jordan; 3rd, Janet Wooster. Jump Rope - 1st, Bonnie Brown; 2nd, Jeanie Wooster; 3rd, Joan Miller. 50 Yard Dash - 1st, Carol Nix; 2nd, Bonnie Brown; 3rd, Donna Wiles. 100 Yard Dash - 1st, Mathew Preston; 2nd, Larry Gavin; 3rd, Calvin Preston.

Ribbons were presented to all the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners in all the field events with the exception of Carol Nix and Donna Wiles. Mr. Kontinos ran out of ribbons so has promised them they will receive theirs later.

After the contests hot dogs, baked beans, potato chips and Pepsi-cola served picnic style made for a pleasant close to this year's school term.

YOU NAME THE NEW FORT MYERS BRIDGE

In compliance with Senate Bill No. 458, Chapter 65-798, Laws of Florida 1965, and in order that a democratic vote may be obtained in the naming of the new bridge across the Caloosahatchee River, Fort Myers, Florida, this ballot is being circulated in all area newspapers by Chambers of Commerce in such areas. Each voter is permitted 5 votes in the spaces provided for hereunder. Please send your completed ballot to the Fort Myers - Lee County Chamber of Commerce, P. O. Box CC, Fort Myers, Florida, no later than June 21, 1965, for tabulation. After the ballots have been tabulated, a public meeting will be called and the name of the new bridge will be announced.

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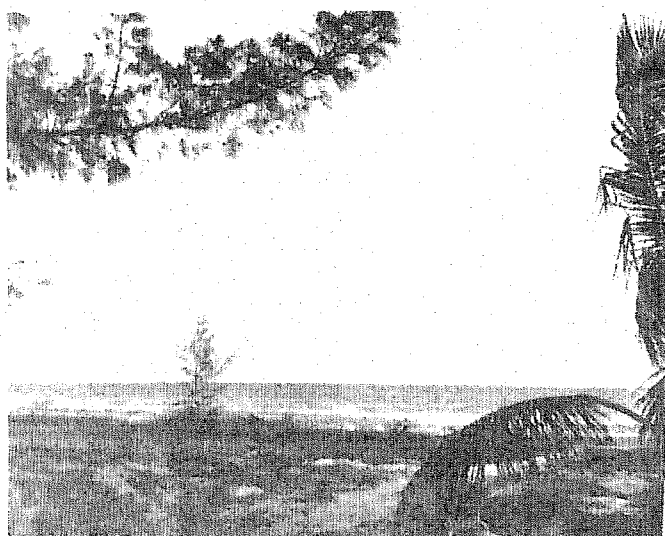
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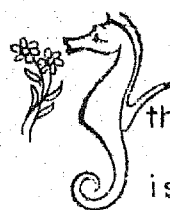
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WILLIAM MacINTOSH has gone to Washington, D.C. to attend the National Booksellers convention. It's the first one he's ever been to, and he'll visit friends, Mr. and Mrs. JOE NORBURY in Washington. Mr. Norbury is with the State Department and the Norburys visited the Islands in January.

Mr. MacIntosh will be returning to Sanibel this week-end -- and then Mrs. MacIntosh can relax a little. She's minding the shop while he's gone.

Mrs. GLEN STAHL at the Shell Basket has had a call from Mrs. ALICE NEBLETT advising that she reached Schenectady to find 28 degree weather, awaiting her.

Mrs. ROSE CHAMBERS also celebrated her birthday recently (May 28.) Joining in best wishes at a dinner party at the Nutmeg House were Mr. & Mrs. Al Muench, Priscilla Murphy, Roy Bazire and, of course, Norm Chambers, plus Debbie Zambuto, Melissa and Mark Chambers of the younger generation.

LARRY GAVIN had the misfortune of breaking his left arm above the wrist while at play this past week. Now he too is sporting a cast. The breaking of bones is becoming much too common among our Island friends.

TO THE ISLANDER:

Seems like 25 miles would be a long distance, but Tuesday night it seemed like nothing, after you got to the Sanibel Island Community covered dish supper. What supreme hosts! Lil' Ethel Reynolds and nice big Floyd Snook. He even baked the most delicious biscuits through the meal and served them to us.

Then it was a pleasure worth an admission to hear and listen to every word the able speaker Mrs. Tom Nix said.

The vibrations at this meeting were good and so helpful to various good things coming to the Islands and Lee County --- and, Mickey, I do raise orchids so when they bloom, come pick an armload.

/s/Mary Cunningham
 Captiva Island, Florida

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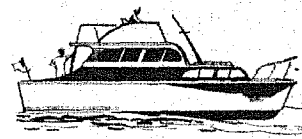
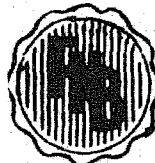
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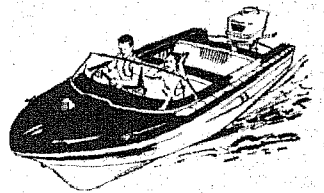
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12 Sat	12:08	10:58 a	5:10	6:05
13 Sun	12:50	11:29 a	5:45	6:40
14 Mon	1:27	12:01	6:16	7:16
15 Tues	2:03	12:34	6:48	7:51
16 Wed	2:38	1:08	7:21	8:26
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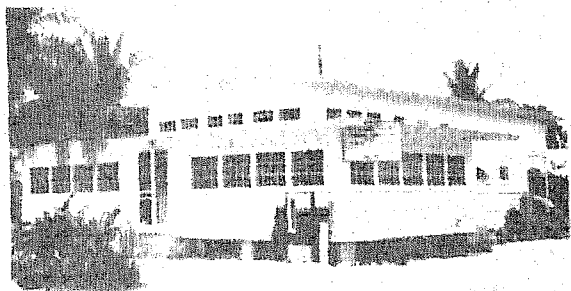
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(6:30 - 8:00)**WHO'S WHO ON SANIBEL**

Mr. and Mrs. SIDNEY G. KEEVIL were on Sanibel for a short stay turning their lovely new house on Palm Lake into the home they will eventually retire to, and like all of us discovered what the word manana means! Their home is in Sulphur Springs, Maryland, but they'll be commuting as often as possible and their children and grandchildren will be looking forward to coming down. Welcome!

MARGARET WALTERS has adopted a precious little bundle of turquoise feathers which she has named PEPY. He's so vivacious the name automatically pops into mind. He's from MARY CUNNINGHAM'S birds. Mary has made many an Island home happier with a gift of one, sometimes more, of her little beautifully hued parakeets. This little fellow already had a place in Margaret's heart before she departed for home with him.

EDIE MUDRIDGE shut up shop for a holiday to Bimini in search of rooster tails (*Strombus gallus*). Accompanying her were Dr. JANE M. EPPERSON and Mrs. CONSTANCE DUPRE. Hope they come back with lots of interesting finds, even rooster tails, which are almost as scarce as ten's teeth.

WILLIS and OPAL COMBS are using an electric blanket

every night and warm clothing during the day at Woodmere North, their summer home on Lake Cayuga, N.Y. They've already planted a garden with plenty of rain to help it along and report the woods are full of birdsongs. En route they visited friends at Princeton University.

Mrs. FLOYD SNOOK has returned from a visit to her hometown, Lakeland, where she stayed with a dear friend, Mrs. W.L. TINKLER, whose home is across the street from the Snooks' former Lakeland home. She also spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. MELVIN KASPER, and grandchildren in Orlando and not only had a good time getting caught up on all the news but managed a little time for shopping in both cities.

The ROBERT H. WAGHORNS of Baton Rouge, La., are at Snook apartments for a visit. The Waghorns are regular visitors to the Islands and don't miss a chance to shell. Hope they'll find lots of treasures.

Last Friday Miss IRENE SCHAFER, visitor from Clarksville, Indiana, staying at Gulf Breeze Cottages, found her first Junonia.

Mrs. GOLDIE LUNDBERG celebrated a birth day last Tuesday.

WHO'S WHO ON CAPTIVA

Mrs. BELTON JOHNSON is back in her home on Captiva Island after her bout with surgery and is feeling just fine. MIRIAM wishes to thank again all her friends on both Islands for their prayers and their cards.

We really slipped up when we put the DUGDALES in Massachusetts last week. Chester-town, the home of the KIRKUS DUGDALES, is in Maryland. MARGARET is still in the Kent-Queen Ann's Hospital, but has just been moved into a lovely air-conditioned room in the new wing. It is sad to relate that she is very uncomfortable, but is keeping her chin up. The fracture was a nasty one and will require a long healing period. We are with you, Margaret, in thought and prayer.

It is a joy to report to off Island friends that we have had two wonderful rains since Memorial Day. How grateful we were to have it wait until most of the guests had started for home on Monday, giving them all a beautiful long weekend for their holiday.

Two new couples to visit beautiful Captiva Island and staying at Mid-Island Cottages are Mr. and Mrs. WALTER LUX of Hollywood, Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. GERHARD TAMM formerly of Nantucket, Mass., but now residents of

Lantana, Florida.

Other repeats are TED and ANN EDWARDS of Clearwater, Florida, who honeymooned here last year and Mr. and Mrs. ERNEST LIOTTI and their fine son of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

On Saturday KARIN BOOTH, daughter of RAYMOND and DOTY BOOTH, became a teenager. To celebrate the occasion, her mother, with MAYBELLE STAMPER, drove Karin into Fort Myers with her two friends, DONNA WYLES and BETTY CLEMENTS, to attend the theatre. Many happy returns of the day, Karin.

On Memorial Day MARY BAILEY motored to Fort Myers to pick up Granddaughter ANN BAILEY at the airport. After a few days on the Island, the two will motor to Macomb, Illinois, where they will spend a few days hoping for it to warm up in Pentwater, Michigan, sufficiently for Mary to continue on to her own home there where she will spend the summer.

SIGNE WIGHTMAN is spending a few days at JEAN HAYFORD'S home caring for Jean's grandchildren while Jean spends a few days off the Island in the vicinity of St. Petersburg.

Mrs. TIMMY WYLES isn't letting a full length cast stand in her way of doing things about the house. While her daughter works, BEULAH is tending the children, cooking, washing, ironing and etc. Just "can't keep a good man down," eh, Beulah?

FUN DANCE

Gogo Gogolin is putting on a dance at Casa Ybel Saturday, June 12. The fun will start at 9 p.m. and there will be a door prize and an orchestra to fill the night with beautiful music.

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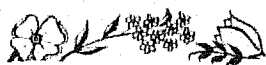


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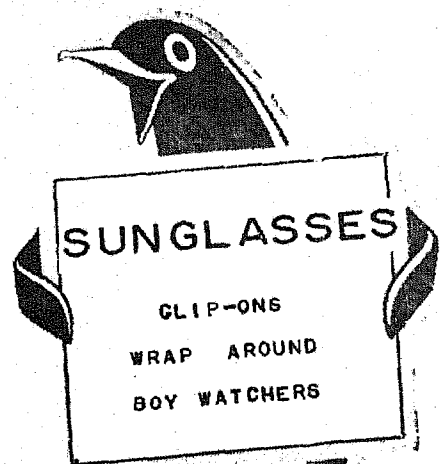
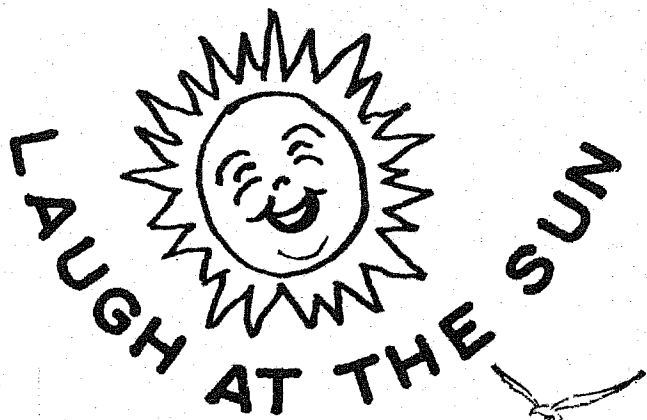
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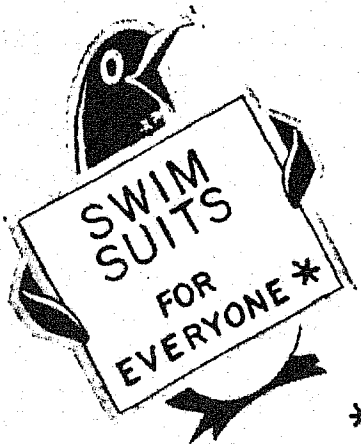
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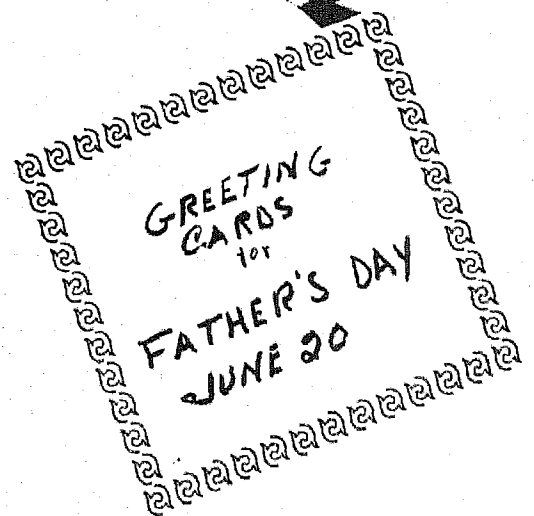
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