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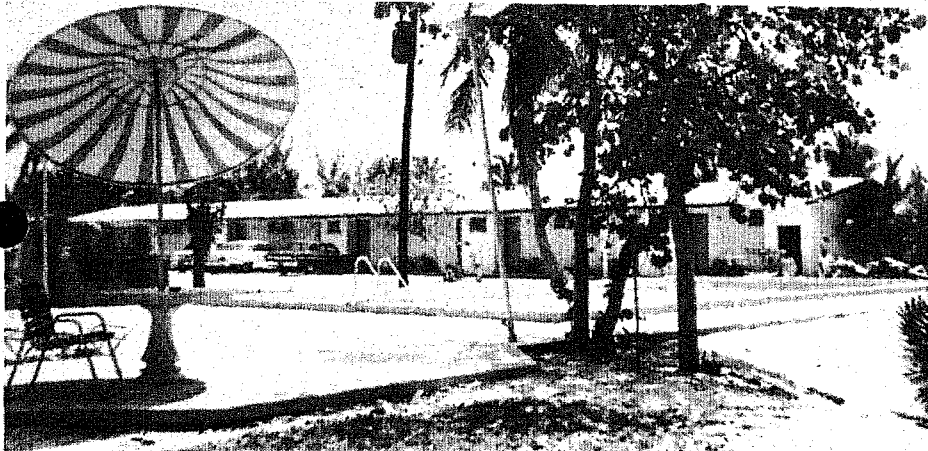
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SALE OF REEF MOTEL BY LOCAL BROKER LARGEST IN LEE COUNTY THIS WEEK



Sanibel-Captiva Real Estate reports the sale of The Reef Resort Motel on Sanibel Island, from Finlay L. Matheson, Key Biscane, Florida, to Specialty Steel Treating, Inc., a Michigan corporation owned by Mr. and Mrs. Donald G. Cox of Bloomfield Hills, Michigan.

This property consists of a parcel of land extending from Gulf Drive to the Gulf of Mexico with approximately 600 feet of beach frontage. The present improvements consist of a two story building containing 20 efficiency apartments, a one story ten-unit motel building, a swimming pool, a separate combined managers' quarters and office building and a separate building for helps' quarters. The grounds are nicely landscaped, using native trees and plantings, making it one of the most attractive resort motels in the area. Ample room is available for expansion.

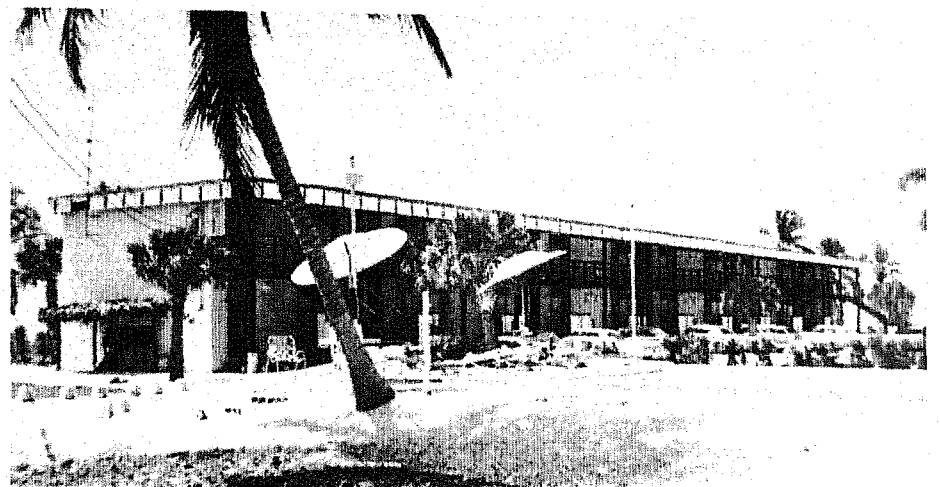
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EASTER PARTY

The Community Church Easter Party for the Sunday School children will be held Friday, April 8 from 10 to 11 a.m. Children from the Lee County Children's Home will be guests at the party.

A PICTURE OF PROGRESS

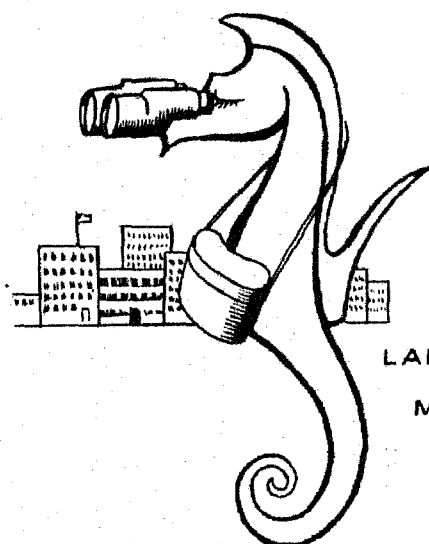


A New County Road on Sanibel Island

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ST. MICHAEL'S
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EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Thr Rev. T.A. Madden, Vicar

SUNDAY
Holy Communion.....7:30 a.m.
1st and 3rd Sun.....9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship
2nd, 4th, 5th Sun.....9:30 a.m.
WEDNESDAY
Holy Communion.....9:00 a.m.

ST. ISABELL'S
CATHOLIC CHURCH
Father MIGUEL M. GONI

HOLY MASS:
Sundays11:30 a.m.
Thursdays 7:30 p.m.
Holy Days 5:30 p.m.
CONFESSION
Sundays before Mass

SANIBEL COMMUNITY
CHURCH
The Rev. TAD ALLEN, Pastor

Morning Worship...11:00 a.m.
Sunday School.....9:30 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
The Rev. W.A. McCain, Pastor

SUNDAY
Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship...11:00 a.m.
Young People's Hour...6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship...7:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Prayer Meeting & Bible Study
.....7:30 p.m.

CAPTIVA CHAPEL by the SEA
Dr. GUTHRIE SPEERS
Sunday Worship...11:00 a.m.
Wed., Bible class...10:30 a.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
Sunday.....11 a.m.
at Dorothy Drummond's home,
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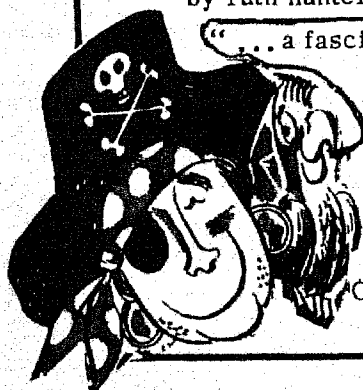
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SHACK**

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"BAREFOOT GIRL ON BROADWAY"
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GR 2-3943 Now playing

"The Loud Red Patrick"

The Red Pelican Art Gallery

Announces that the
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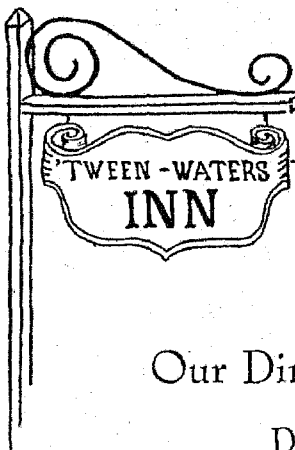
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• Sunday Night Buffet—6:30 to 8:00

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WHO'S WHO AND WHY

Returning north after spending the winter season in their Sanibel home on Gulf Drive are Mr. and Mrs. HERBERT LEWIS of St. Paul. They will fly home, while ROY BAZIRE drives the car, escorted by their dog, DINGLE.

Roy will stop off in Iowa City for a couple of days to visit the president of the U. of Iowa, Dr. HOWARD R. BOWEN and his wife. Roy was one of Dr. Bowen's first students at Iowa more than 30 years ago when Roy was a freshman and Dr. Bowen began teaching economics.

In a fairy story, a wave of the wand produced a beautiful palace and the princess walked in. In this case, it wasn't a wave of a wand, but the love and labors of all her family and Marietta was able to walk into her own palace which had not been there a few hours before. Thanks to modern magic, the pre-fabrication technology.

MARIETTA HOLLEY's home sprang up almost overnight right across from Ede's Glory of the Sea.

The magicians were Marietta's parents, MARTIN and SADIE HIERS, and her brothers, DONALD HIERS and ALLEN NAVE. They chose the site, put down the foundation to measurement, and the trucks moved in carrying two enormous halves of the pumpkin, err, house. The two halves were zipped together and presto, there was the palace!

Marietta was as surprised as the rest of us. She plans to start a sewing business, doing alterations, and making upholstery and slip covers.

Mr. and Mrs. G. FREDERIC KUDER have returned to Durham, N.C., after spending the winter on Sanibel, but will return to the Islands in the fall, having taken a year's lease on the Mollman (formerly G.R. Kiewitt) home on Gulf Drive. They hope to build their own home soon on a large gulf-front parcel purchased from Priscilla Murphy last fall.

Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM BUNDY returned to Washington last week after spending a restful few days on Sanibel at the Sea Horse Cottages. Mr. Bundy is assistant secretary of state for Far Eastern affairs and had just completed a trip through southeast Asia before coming to the Islands. This was the Bundys' first chance to visit here in eight years.

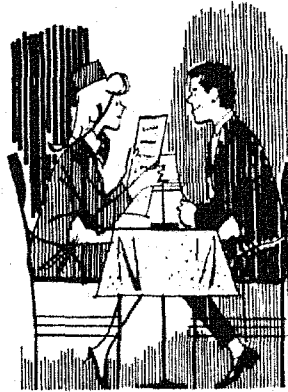
Did you think there were no new taste sensations? JACK and DORIS think you'll change your mind if you go down to the Island Bake Shop and have a taste of that Krazy Mixed-up Salt they have sitting out on the counter. We did, and tasted it again---and tasted it again. It's crazy all right, but good!

WHEELS DURSTINE was feted at his annual birthday party at Sanibel Cottages last week. Mr. and Mrs. Durstine of Columbus, Ohio, have been vacationing on Sanibel with BLANCHE and FLOYD PFLOUGH for many years, and the Durstines' birthday beach party is a major event of the season. With the Durstines are their daughter, MARY ANNE, and son-in-law, CARL, as well as two grandchildren, AMY and CURT.

Mrs. EDWARD J. COMLY found her first junonia Wednesday a week ago at 6:30 a.m. on the beach near the Beachcomber---which made her very happy. She and Mr. Comley are spending ten days at the Beachcomber before returning to their home in Pennington, N.J.

LORAIN McCLINTICK of Tradewinds, and her little REBECCA, have been visiting her mother, Mrs. MARIE WILSON, in Anderson, Indiana. Mrs. Wilson has been quite sick. We are glad to hear she is improving rapidly and Loraine expects to return here soon.

EASTER



AT

Coconut Grove Restaurant

menu

APPETIZER

Home Made Vegetable Soup • Fresh Fruit Cup or Juice

Relish Tray • Garden Salad Bowl
Choice of Blu Cheese, French, Thousand Island or Oil and Vinegar Dressings.

ENTREE

ROAST LEG OF LAMB, Gravy, Mint Jelly

ROAST SIRLOIN OF BEEF - AU JUS

ROAST TOM TURKEY

Sage Dressing, Giblet Gravy, Home-Made Cranberry Relish
CHOICE OF POTATO AND VEGETABLE

Whipped Potatoes • Tender Sweet English Peas
Candied Yams • Pearl Onions

French Fried Potatoes • Broccoli

Home Made Rolls and Butter

BEVERAGE

Coffee • Sanka • Tea

DESSERT

Pumpkin Pie, Warm Mincemeat Pie, Ice Cream Sundae
Ice Cream, Sherbet

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

Hours Easter Sunday - 12 noon to 9 p.m. - Serving Dinner Only
Wishing You a Very Happy Easter
from JOHN and BELLA KONTINOS

COLONY NOTES

Dr. and Mrs. ROLF M. STEFFEN and their daughter, CLAU-DINE, of Lafayette, Ind., are spending their usual spring vacation at The Colony. The Steffens have been coming to Sanibel every spring for twelve years.

They missed their Sanibel vacation last year when they took a six months trip around the world. The Steffens own a lot on Sanibel and they hope to build a home here within a few years. Dr. Steffen is professor of physics and director of nuclear research at Purdue University.

Dr. and Mrs. HAROLD G. SPENCE, Summit, N.J., are spending a month at The Colony, their first vacation on Sanibel. They have found fishing here especially enjoyable.

Dr. and Mrs. L.R. SCHERER, Minneapolis, Minn., arrived last Friday for their annual vacation at The Colony. Dr. BERNARD SPENCER, who had learned about Sanibel from Dr. Scherer and is also from Minneapolis, has his family here for their fourth visit. From the Spencers, Mr. and Mrs. JOHN HEDBERG got the good word so they, too, with their four children are vacationing here.

The WINTON JONES family and the HENRY ADAMS family, all of Wayzata, Minn., will be leaving this week but have already made reservations for a return visit next year.

Welcome newcomers to The Colony are Mr. and Mrs. JOHN A. CHURCHILL and little daughters, ANNE and ELIZABETH, of Evanston, Illinois. Mr. Churchill is the Chicago Tribune's manager of the telephone sales division of classified advertising.

Dr. and Mrs. K.A. PHELPS, St. Petersburg, Fla., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. WHITNEY EASTMAN. Doctor Phelps and Mr. Eastman were Dartmouth classmates.

Mrs. GEORGE CHRISTENSEN, Glencoe, Illinois, (our Chicago-Sanibel commuter) is back for a three-week stay. Also here from Glencoe are Mr. and Mrs. JOHN C. BUTLER and son, BOB.

Mr. and Mrs. BRUCE GRAHAM and children of Chicago, are enjoying their second visit on the island. Mr. Graham is a partner in the firm of Skidmore, Owings & Merrill, Architects and Engineers, Chicago.

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Fifty-five Paintings, Wash Drawings and Sketches
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From Sunday, March 27 thru April 9

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DING DARLING SANCTUARY ONE OF A KIND

The Ding Darling Sanctuary Committee has found it has another problem in addition to work being done on the bird tower construction, marking of canoe trails and making sure the roads are in good condition--- it is evidently one of two U.S. Wildlife sanctuaries in the United States which bear the name of a person rather than an area. U.S. officials are already referring to it as the "Sanibel Sanctuary," and committee chairman Mrs. Herbert Lewis will write to Secretary Udall and try to persuade him to use the other sanctuary as a precedent so that the Ding Darling name could be retained. Many contributions have come in in his memory and this group of supporters feel strongly about keeping the name.

ANNUAL ISLAND CHAMBER MEETING APRIL 27

The Sanibel-Captiva Island Chamber of Commerce, Inc., will hold its annual meeting Wednesday, April 27, at 8 p.m. in the Chamber building.

All members are urged to be present. If you cannot attend in person, have your proxy present with you at this meeting.

Officers and members of the Board of Directors will be elected at this meeting. The president, treasurer and all other committee heads will give their annual reports.

Light refreshments will be served. You are reminded that you must be a paid member of the Chamber in order to vote.

SPECIAL EASTER PERFORMANCE

The Pirate Playhouse on Sanibel Island is giving two special performances of the Loud Red Patrick during Easter week --- on Monday, April 11, and Saturday, April 16. The same fine cast will play. Curtain is 8:15; for tickets, call the box office, GR 2-3943.

NEW CORPORATION

Secretary of State Tom Adams announced the chartering of the CUL-NUD REALTY, INC. corporation this week by Norman Chambers of Sanibel Island, and John W. Sheppard and Joanne S. Noppe of Fort Myers, Florida.

Weather Report

	2 p.m. readings	
	TEMP	RAIN
Sun.	80	0
Mon.	78	0
Tues.	74	.18
Wed.	76	0
Thurs.	77	0
Fri.	76	0
Sat.	80	0
Sun.	85	0

Total March rainfall .33

These readings are Captiva rainfall. If anyone on Sanibel (who will be here through the summer) has an accurate rain-gauge and would be willing to be called on Monday mornings for the previous week's readings, we would be delighted to hear from them. The Captiva readings are through the courtesy of Mr. Allen Weeks.



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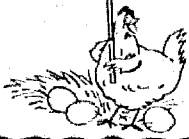
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GOURMET FEATURE OF THE WEEK

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Shows 10 A.M. to 5 P.M.

Come and have lunch at the Pavilion before or after the show

GATHERING PLACE

Island Inn is a warm and homey place. It ought to be, for it's been around since the last century. You would expect that it would be one of the places where long-time island visitors would like to congregate---and they do. They make a little community within a community.

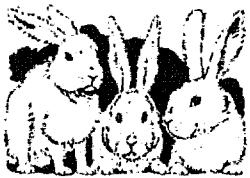
Allen Drury, the novelist, has been coming for years. Gene Sarazen is another and then there is Dean Hollister of Cornell. These are just a few of the part-time islanders who have a loyalty to Sanibel and a loyalty to the Island Inn. They do a lot to make it a center of vigorous and diversified activity that is striking to anyone who comes onto the Island grounds.

You see them young and old, playing shuffleboard or in conversation; and over here an art class is going on---and there is a hat with a bird perched on it and a woman under it bobbing about among her art students looking at their work, picking up a crayon and adding a stroke, no doubt being helpful, because they all seemed to be having a

marvelous time.

The woman is Molly Pitcher, and she is why we are writing this. Molly is one of the old-timers; spends six months every year on her beloved island and six months in her colder Vermont home. She paints mostly in water color here on Sanibel and finds oils more suitable for Vermont landscapes. She has exhibits each summer in the North and you may see her yearly island exhibit now in progress at Island Inn.

Molly is a product of Swarthmore and the Industrial Arts School in nearby Philadelphia. She was born in China of missionary parents (but her mother was an artist) and came to the States at age 13. Her mother started her in art and she has lived it (and taught it) ever since. She is delightful to meet and talk to. Go see her, especially if you have any interest in art.



FIRE AT CASTAWAYS

A brief but violent fire Monday gutted the thatched hut used for storage and the pool filter at Mitchell's Castaways on Sanibel. The fire, which manager Jim Dowling thinks may have been started by a short circuit in one of the stored TVs they had been testing, knocked out the phone service, so Dowling drove all the way down the island to notify Fire Chief Nave. He and the Sanibel fire trucks got back to the scene shortly after the Captiva fire trucks arrived and the fire was out within a few minutes of their arrival.

No one was hurt, but since all the extra air conditioners and TVs were stored in the building, the financial loss was considerable.

CANDIDATES INVITED HERE

Democratic candidates in the May primary were invited, at a meeting of the Lee County Democratic Executive Committee, to attend an open meeting to be held in the Community House, Wednesday, April 27, at 8 p.m. All island voters are welcome, and are urged to attend to meet the candidates. More information later.

REAL ESTATE SALES

PRIXCILLA MURPHY, Realtor, reports four sales this week. On Captiva, the home of Mrs. T. LOCKWOOD PERRY of Asheville, N.C., was sold to Mr. and Mrs. HARRISON P. EDDY, Jr., Manchester, Mass. Sanibel sales included a residential golf-front lot from Mrs. GEORGE DUNHAM of Delray Beach, to Dr. and Mrs. CHARLES C. FISHBURNE, Jr., Jacksonville Beach, who hope to move to this area in the near future, and two residential lots in Sanibel Shores subdivision, one from Mr. and Mrs. JOSEPH KNIGHT, Indian Rocks Beach, Fla., to Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT C. PARCELLS, Perry, Ga., and the other from FRANCIS BAILEY et al to Mr. and Mrs. HENK NEWENHOUSE, Northbrook, Ill.

SANIBEL-CAPTIVA REAL ESTATE reports the sale of the property adjoining the Golden Sands Restaurant on the main road on Sanibel Island and known as the Harrison Building, from Mid-Island Development Corporation to J.P. Lippe and Clarence Dufalla, Trustees. This parcel has 100 feet fronting on State Road 867 by approximately 560 feet of depth. The new owners plan to completely remodel the building into nine or ten air-conditioned apartments to be known as THE GOLDEN SHELL APARTMENTS and will specialize in seasonal and yearly rentals.

The Red Pelican

SANIBEL ISLAND, FLORIDA

sale --- penny
candy, 5¢.
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money selling
penny candy
for a penny!)



BIOLOGY LESSON

About six weeks ago Eula Rhodes picked up an egg case on the beach near Casa Ybel. She held it up to the light, saw an embryo swimming around inside the pouch and knew she had found a live skate egg.

The little four-pronged egg-case is popularly called a mermaid's purse or seapurse. It is made of keratin, the basic stuff of hair and horn and fingernails and is waterproof until the embryo is advanced enough to tolerate sea water. Eula took her seapurse find to Nature, Inc. and put it in Charles LeBuff's keeping.

He put it in one of the tanks and waited for it to hatch. Meanwhile he kept watch, occasionally holding the dark brown pouch to the light to see what new might be going on inside.

The skate embryo starts as only a dot on a large yolk. It grows a tail and slowly absorbs the entire contents of the yolk sac. Sea water comes in when the yolk has been absorbed. It is thought to enter through a tiny hole in each corner of the purse.

Charles said the embryo Eula found was probably two or three weeks old. He watched it slowly develop wing-like fins, and then last Tuesday (Mar. 22) the purse seam split, the case opened and the baby skate swam out. The ending of this tale is short and sad: the little creature joined its ancestors just two days later. Let's wish the next one longer life.

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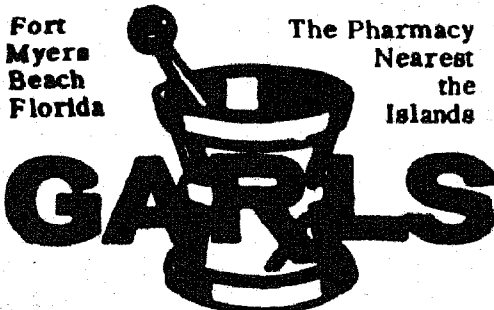
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We are sure that you have many times passed a shop window, looked in, enjoyed what you saw and maybe carried away the memory of some one piece that had special appeal. But it probably soon passed out of your life.

There is something at Friday's that you ought to make a trip to see. It stirs no casual interest. You might even want to possess it. But unless you ask you would not realize that this Hutschenreuther coffee pot and the satellite pieces of Hutschenreuther china are the materialization of more than one hundred years of art craftsmanship and family tradition.

This piece is more than ever of surpassing interest when we quote you a line written by an island visitor to Lee Roy and Helen Friday: "You have some of my family china. I would very much like to have that coffee pot." The writer, Mrs. Louis Hutschenreuther, from Grosse Pointe, Michigan, was recently a guest at Casa Ybel.

Mrs. Hutschenreuther's husband came from Bavaria and his family have been creative artists in porcelain and color for 125 years. The figures are all from the Hutschenreuther works in Hohenbey, Bavaria---a beautiful dancer-figurine caught in mid-motion in a most graceful and complicated arabesque; a man and a maid stopping in a dance for a fleeting kiss, a beautiful classical statuette in porcelain of a young girl sitting on a mat.

We got carried away looking over the photographs of these art objects made of kaolin, feldspar and quartz, ground, seived and mixed in the right proportions and finally---mixed with that indispensable ingredient, the imagination of the artist. We think you will, too.



HESTER-BROWN

Miss Gaynelle Hester and Mr. Carlyle A. Brown, III, of Cocoa, Florida, were married Saturday, April 2, at the Sanibel Community Church by the Rev. Thaddeum Allen.

Tohi and Larry Holly of Merritt Island, Florida, were Maid of Honor and Best Man for the bridal couple.

The Browns are honeymooning at Snook Apartments.



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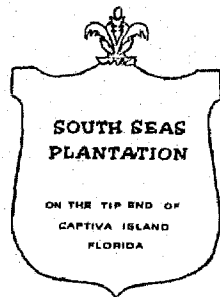
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ONE MAN SHOW

Leon Levy calls himself an architect who has only turned artist on retirement. You won't believe him when you see his one-man show at the Sea Horse Gallery. He may have earned his living as a distinguished architect, but it is evident that Leon has always been an artist.

He must have always seen beauty in fascinating color contrasts, whether vivid or pastel. He must have always been able to isolate into almost framed unity small portions of the total panorama that met his eyes each day. He must always have had the creativity that has enabled him to take a portion of his world and convert it completely through a wonderful imagination to a vivid scene from whatever planet you want to name.

His images are vivid and bright or murky and faded, as the mood strikes him. Take, for example, "The Shipwreck" and, on the bright side, "The Bayou" (surely from some far tropical world). Whether you have ever liked abstracts or not, you will be charmed by the one on the right hand wall of the gallery, as you enter, marked "Unnamed."

Before you make the rounds of the work he is showing, you will be exclaiming over Leon's versatility, both in technique, subject matter and mood. You will chuckle over an impudent little tugboat in New York Harbor and what it creates to compete for your attention with the giants which form the background. (He calls this one "The Upstart.") We like the whimsical "Argument at Table"; we like "Florida Dry-Kye." And, "The Sitters"---they aren't baby-sitters, but the scene

would appeal to any lover of Sanibel.

We have referred to Leon's ability to take a piece of his experience either real or imaginary, give it unity and put a frame around it. You see this in his titles too, because there he puts his finger on the very heart of the experience---sometimes with a whimsical twist, as in "Salute to John J. Audubon." Who else could have added just that fillip to enjoyment of the picture. There is so much more; but you will find your own treasures. Leon, we salute you. You belong to us and we're proud of you!



How would you like to be mid-wife to a sting ray?

FRANCES MITCHELL had this experience recently when JAKE RUPERT hauled in a 50 lb. sting ray at his dock on Clam Bayou. He is rather proud of landing it with a 20-lb. line.

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The April 1 dance, put on by Charlie Ross and Gogo Gogolin at Casa Ybel, was enjoyed by the forty couples who attended. Whenever the band took an intermission, Billie Saxinger played the piano and Ed Ashford drummed so that everyone could keep dancing.

These dances, which are unique on The Islands, are sponsored by Charlie and Gogo alone ---and just about the only repayment they get is the thank you from happy dancers.

ST. ISABEL MISSION HOLY WEEK SERVICES

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The work will be done during the summer months, and includes the remodeling of 14 units, enlarging the dining area, the new motel units and the golf course, with a completion date of August.

LIBRARY FOOTNOTES

The Sanibel Public Library has a new book rack made by Art Swanson. Come in and see this nice new piece of library equipment which holds the latest acquisitions, some of which are THE ISLAND by Merle; FULL FATHOM FIVE by Carter; HERZOG by Bellow; FUNERAL IN BERLIN by Deighton. You'll probably borrow one!

Mrs. Herbert Lewis gave the library a fan which was put in tip-top operating condition by Don Simonds. Thank you Emmy Lu, Don and Art!

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