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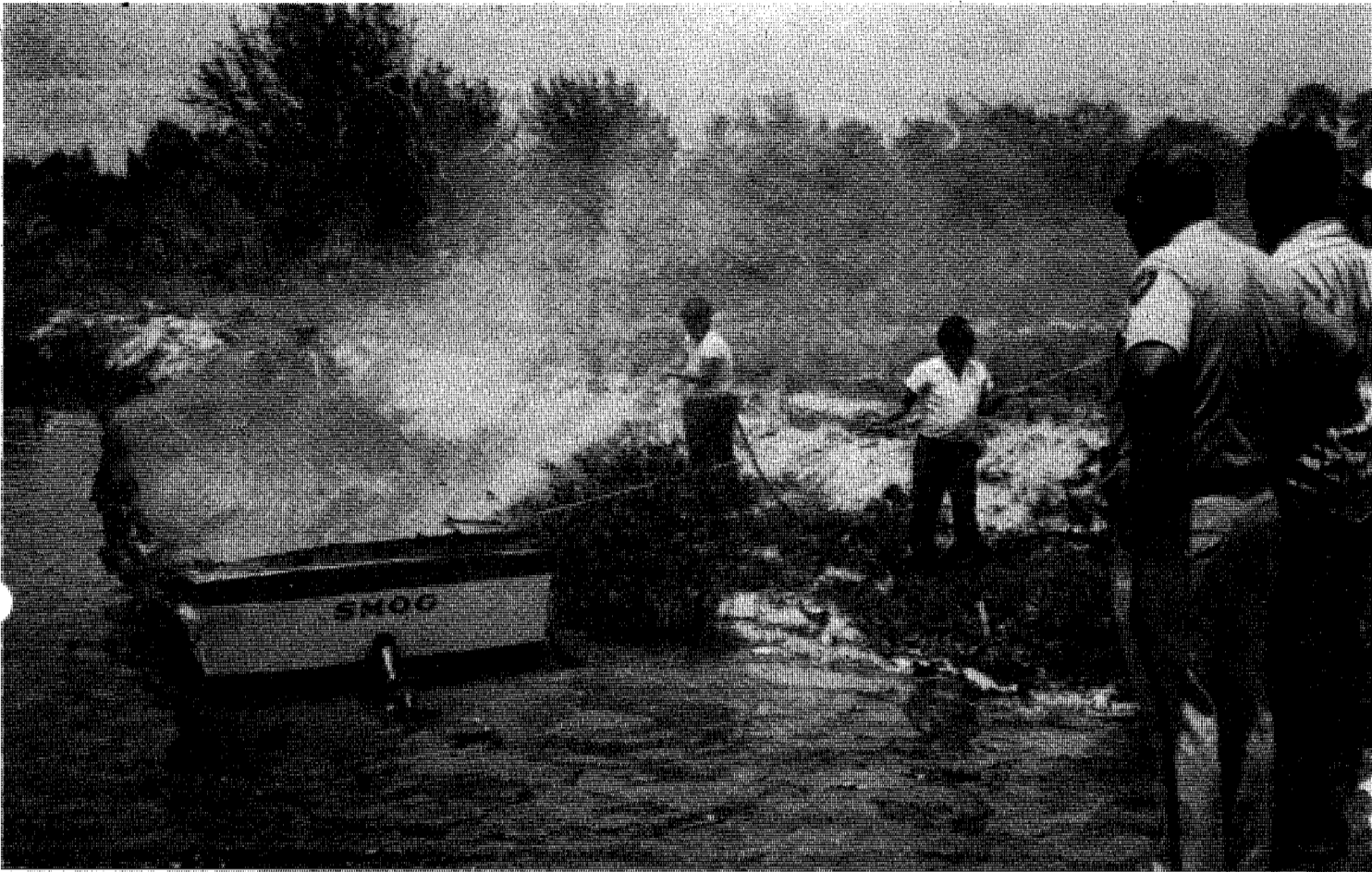
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## Smog smokes

Ralph L. Chamberlin escaped unharmed and his neighbor, Harry Glaeser, suffered minor burns on his hands when Chamberlin's boat, a 22 ft. PenYan Barracuda named "Smog", caught fire and burned to the waterline Friday afternoon.

Chamberlin and Glaeser, both of Sanibel Arms on West Gulf Drive, were working on the boat's inboard-outboard motor when the engine backfired and ignited the gasoline in the full tank.

"As soon as we bought the boat," Mrs. Chamberlin told the ISLANDER, "we both took the Power Squadron's safe boating course. That's where we learned to keep the gas tank full, and that's why there was no explosion."

Mrs. Chamberlin said that members of the Fire Department told her that the seams of the gas tank gave way slowly. "There was a soft, gentle 'poof' when the gasoline ignited completely," she said, "but the lack of an explosion prevented the damage to adjoining boats and buildings."

As soon as they saw the flames, the men jumped from Chamberlin's boat, which was in the process of burning its moorings and the dock it was moored to, to the next dock, where they boarded Glaeser's boat and took it, while towing a third boat, safely down the canal. A fourth boat, moored at the next dock, was removed by its owner.

The burning boat drifted down the canal, damaging another dock on its way, before the fire department could get the fire under control.

"It seemed like hours before they got here," Mrs. Chamberlin said, "but I know it was only minutes. They did a wonderful job, and so did our new police chief, John Butler. We're very thankful we have such wonderful people on Sanibel."

The call came into the Fire Department at 1:45, according to Jerry Muench, and Muench, Bruce Frazier, Jim Anholt, Oscar Gavin and Marty Holtz were on the scene at 1:50.

The call was complicated by the fact that one of the fire trucks was engaged in putting out a brush fire about 3/4 of a mile north of Three Star on the Sanibel-Captiva Road. The earlier call had come into the department at 12:30 p.m.

(Above) Bruce Frazier and Oscar Gavin secure "Smog" as Chief John Butler and Jerry Muench supervise.



Sanibel firemen valiantly battle, but boat burns to one foot above the waterline Friday afternoon.

## Commissioners approves contract; city hall hears today

Monday morning's planning commission meeting ran overtime during a discussion between the task force chairmen and the commissioners, of the proposed contract document to be presented to Wallace, McHarg, Roberts and Todd by the city council today (Thursday).

The contract was read by the commissioners, various typographical errors were corrected, the wording of some of the sections amended and some paragraphs added.

The lengthiest discussion concerned the payment of subcontractors which the planners might need to hire for additional scientific or legal expertise.

Attorney John Schumacher, chairman of the legal task force, helped considerably with legal terminology.

It was decided to add two paragraphs under section 2, which spells out the Planner's responsibility:

Paragraph 6 will say that the planners "will obtain at their own expense specialist subcontractors necessary for the completion of the plan."

Paragraph 12 states "that the planners will 'bear all costs incident to compliance with the requirements of this section.'"

The contract specifically spells out workshops with representative groups, four public seminars and five public hearings. Therefore, it would seem apparent that the opportunity for ample input from the public is available.

In other business, the task force chairmen were asked if they had any problems. Frank Parsons, chairman of the emergency force, inquired as to the meaning of his task force in relation to the task force set up within the police department to assign emergency teams. He said that he thought there might

be duplication between the two emergency groups.

Duane White explained that the hurricane season is nearly upon us, and that the setting up of teams to do the work necessary before and after a storm did not preclude the work of Parson's force. However, the police task force work White continued, is short term to hold over until Parson's force had a master evacuation plan worked out.

The planning commission asked the task force members to put into priority order a list of ten items requested by the planning firm. The list will be given to the firm tomorrow.

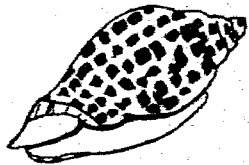
The list includes: rapid, uncontrolled growth and development, beach and shore erosion, potentially increased storm and flood damages, esthetic degradation of beaches, destruction of beach vegetation, destruction and loss of fresh water wetlands, insufficient water supply and

inadequate distribution system, degradation of fresh and salt water quality, present and future solid waste disposal problems, and traffic control and transport problems.

The afternoon session of the planning commission started with a run down of William Roberts' schedule while he is here, including today's meeting with the City Council, the signing of the proposed contract tomorrow (Friday) in the city manager's office, a meeting with the Civic Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, and several developers.

The commission then accepted the contract as corrected and amended, to be presented to the City Council and the Planners today.

Joseph Winterrowd was proposed and accepted as a new member of the water task force. Jerry Muench was accepted as a new member of the street and roads task force.



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# In your opinion. . .

"If you could invite anyone in the world to dinner, and know they'd accept the invitation, who would you invite, and what would you serve?"



Sharon Burns and daughter, Rachel Margaret, of Long Island, New York: "I'd invite my husband and serve him lobster thermidor."



Priscilla Murphy, Sanibel: "Ohhh—I'd invite Father Beaugard and serve him steak on a Friday night!"



Mrs. Thomas Burns, Fort Myers Beach: "I'd invite my children and grandchildren and serve them pasta fagioli." (Editor's note: Thanks to Mario Hutton, you have probably just read the first correct spelling in an American publication of "Pastafazool!")



Shirley Michel of Wanaque, New Jersey, with her sons, Douglas and Keith: "Oh, that's an interesting one. How about Paul Newman (and Joanne Woodward for my husband, Harold)—and I'd serve Coors beer, iced clams and oysters, shrimp and salad!"

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Faye Holt, Sanibel: "I'd invite my daughters from California and I'd serve them pecan pie, because that's their favorite."



Mrs. Tom (Susan) Jones of Anchorage, Alaska: "President and Mrs. Ford, and I'd serve fresh baked salmon."

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# Around town

by georgie mankin

Sunshine, sand and songs prevailed on Sanibel last Sunday for Mother's Day; and we were privileged to have Dr. Dita DeVaux here to help us celebrate Mother's Day.

Dr. DeVaux of Miami, staying at Blind Pass with her husband, Richard Splaine, sang Sunday, her own composition, at First Baptist Church, "To Mother".

When they were here last year at about the same time, Pastor Gerald Frost said, he could not find a Mother's Day song in any of the church literature and he had to pick "Faith of Our Fathers" and change it to "Faith of Our Mothers."

Dr. DeVaux decided then to do something about that and so she wrote both the lyrics and music to this first Mother's Day song that has a spiritual connotation. This was a premiere as were the two songs she introduced at the same church last year. One was called "He Cleansed My Soul" and the other "He Said That We Can Do The Same." Sanibel is fortunate to have so many talented people both visiting and living here.

Miss Kathleen Sutter has been thoroughly enjoying her stay at The Colony with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Don Gehring of Alexandria, Virginia.

Even though the activity has slowed down through the week here on the islands, we still have many people visiting for the weekends. Most of the motels report much coming and going—it's nice to get away for a few days!

We're happy to see Dave Woods back home from Lee Memorial Hospital.

Close to home—Brad Mankin is recuperating from a fractured elbow. If you ask Brad how it happened, you'll get a real fishy story—"fighting a great white shark in the bay"—really, Brad!

If you're out walking in the surf these days, be sure to do the shuffle because this prevents sting ray punctures. The rays bury themselves and are difficult to see in the sand; so consequently people get stung when they tramp on them. Really, the best thing to do is to wear rubber thongs and shuffle along.

All you graduating high school and college seniors—please let us know when you're graduating and send us a picture so we can "put you in the paper."

Hermine Seiff (looking most elegant in a turban and primitive floor-length coverup) and Sidney Aronson of New York were browsing through among the shells last weekend when we met them. They are partners in SA Films, Inc., which makes documentary and educational movies, and first came to Sanibel in 1974, when, incidentally, Charles Kurault of CBS was also here for the first time. Fortunately, the filming they did was much more acceptable to many people on the Islands than Kurault's.

But all that is beside the point—since their first visit here, they have returned twice, and plan to come back as often as possible.

"This is my very favorite place," said Ms. Seiff—a feeling a lot of us share.

The Colony's out of state guests this week include: Dr. and Mrs. Shiflett of Knoxville, Tenn.; Mrs. Ann Gobel and party of Dumont, N.J.; Dr. and Mrs. John C. LaRosa and family of Rockville, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Timothy McGlenn of Minneapolis, Mn.; Miss Margaret Grollman and party of Nutley, N.J.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moritz and family of Short Hills, N.J.; Mr. and Mrs. Mark H. MacCaughern of Strafford-Wayne, Pa.

Priscilla Murphy, of Priscilla Murphy Realty, Inc. entertained her office staff and their wives and husbands at her new home in Coquina Beach Wednesday evening. As always, the food was delicious and plentiful, and also as always, a good time was had by all.

Charlie and Susan George of Atlanta have joined the staff at Castaways for the summer.

Charlie's general managerial duties are a far cry from his work as an IBM computer mechanic—and it's a turnabout for Susan, too, who is a former fourth grade teacher turned professional photographer.

The stay at Castaways is the final summer of a year's sabbatical for the two, who have journeyed through the U. S., Canada and Mexico by light airplane, all the while taking pictures for a studio Susan plans to open in the fall when Charlie returns to IBM.

As time permits, they hope to offer local and other photographic scenes for sale in the restaurant.

Mrs. Joan Gourdier of Ontario, Canada, found TWO golden olives in one day recently. She was shelling in the evening at low tide in front of Shell Harbour Inn when

she found her beauties, one quite small and one which measured over two inches. Elsie Malone said both had an arrestingly rich color.



Speaking of which—(Elsie Malones, not olives) above is a picture of Mrs. Elsie Malone with her pride and joy, Cissie Malone of Sanibel (on the right) and Cissie's four week old puppy. Cissie, who is a beautiful golden Yorkshire terrier, informed us (with a judicious amount of barking and woofing) that while her puppy really doesn't look like a Yorky now, (being short haired and dark and all) the puppy will flower in full glory in about a year.

# Colin S. Gordon

Colin Stuart Gordon, 71, a resident of Captiva Island and Woodstock, Illinois, died Monday, May 5, at the Woodstock Memorial Hospital after a short illness.

Mr. Gordon is survived by his wife, Mary Elizabeth, and three stepchildren, Mrs. Charles (Ann) Alexander of Groton, Mass., William English Walling III of New York, N.Y., and Willoughby George Walling of Cambridge, Mass.

A native of Chicago, Mr. Gordon's entire business career of almost 50 years was spent with Quaker Oats, from which he retired from active service in 1962, and from Quaker's Board of Directors in 1971.

During World War II, he was called to Washington, D. C., to help with the complex problems of the wartime commodity market, and remained in Washington under President Truman as a Director of the Office of Price Administration.

While at the University of Chicago, he played on Alonzo Stagg's last championship football team. He was the son of Robert Gordon, also a Quaker Oats official and a founder and officer of the American Cereal Company, which preceeded the Quaker Oats Company.

Private services were held for the family in Woodstock. In Lieu of flowers, the family requested contributions be made to Woodstock Memorial Hospital; Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical Center in Chicago or the University of Chicago.

## It rained!

Mario Hutton reported that 1.2 inches of rain (almost as much as fell all last month) fell upon a parched Sanibel Saturday.

"We had a good steady rain of about an hour this evening," he told the ISLANDER Monday at 9:30 p.m., "but I really can't tell you how much it measured for two reasons—one, my rain gauge is way in back of the house, and two, my flashlight isn't working and I don't know if I could even find the gauge, let alone read it, in this darkness."

So, at least one end of Sanibel got some much needed rain. We were unable to verify how much (if any) reached West Sanibel and Captiva.

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# Association elects new directors

The Community Association met Tuesday, May 6, to elect a new board of directors. More than 120 members unanimously voted for the slate of nominees as presented by Sherry Vardal. They are: Don Bissell, Iva Lee (Cookie) Dugger, Jean Haff, H. Stanley Johnson, Jr., William Krueger, Arther Orloff, Barbara Rusch, Fred Valtin, Tom Duggan, Richard Wilson and Judy Workman.

Cookie Dugger then gave a financial report of the Shell Fair. Total income from the fair was \$22,753.51. Expenditures, \$8,462.72, giving a net profit of \$14,290.79.

Dr. John Willard, retiring president, gave a report on the Association's building program. He said that it had been hoped that the City of Sanibel and the Association might be able to work together on the program but that the city had many things to do, so there was no progress to report.

He said that there were 733 members at last count, the association was still growing each month and that he was thrilled with the enthusiasm and activity of the Board during the past year.

He gave heartfelt thanks to Duane White, Cookie Dugger and Ed Underhill for their work at the Shell Fair. Cookie will be heading up the Shell Fair again next year.

He explained that it cost approximately \$8,000 per year to run the Community Building and that dues accounted for approximately half that amount. He made money raising suggestions such as raising dues from \$8 to \$10 and the possibility of charging other organizations an equitable fee for the use of the building. He also said a full-time executive secretary was needed for the Association.

A dozen or so new members and guests were introduced before adjourning the business meeting.

Four handsome, charming people, Leonard Stokes, Marian Chaplin, Jean Culpepper and Margaret Johnson, kept the audience enchanted with a variety of entertainment for more than an hour and a half.

After a sing-a-long, Jean Culpepper explained that she, Leonard and Margaret had been in the advertising business, more

specifically, the singing jingle business. Their group was called "The Song Spinners." She played recordings of several of their old singing commercials after which Stokes commented that "for many years, we were lost in the impenetrable jingle."

Leonard and Margaret sang four duets, with Margaret playing guitar. Marian Chaplin sang a song she wrote about Sanibel, and, by request, she and Stokes sang a nostalgic duet medley "All Alone," "Always", and "What'll I do?"

Margaret Johnson followed more sing-a-long with several folk songs. The program came to a close on a warm, pleasant note with the audience singing "Goodnight Sweetheart."

## Ruth's floating!

These days, Ruth Hunter is on Cloud Nine. The reason? Not only is her book, "Come Back On Tuesday," selling well at MacIntosh's Book Shop, but Mary McGrory a syndicated columnist who gave Ruth a rave review in the New York Times for "It Fell Upon a Day," (another of Ruth's books published by Scribners), has just won a Pulitzer prize!

Mary McGrory wrote the beautiful poem about President John Kennedy which circled the globe at the time of his death.



"Look at the people, birdie."

# The Sanibel Stinger



Whoopee...pineapples, folks. When I first come to Sanibel, I was told there was no way in the world anything would grow. Didn't I know the soil was salty from all them hurricanes and high tides? Didn't I know about all them earth critters that eat up all the plants and if the bugs don't git em, the racoons surely will?

Well, I'm not one to believe nothin until I see fer myself how it is cause I'd heard tell of Sanibel bein a great farmin community once upon a time an I said so.

The answer to that was "Well, that was before."

"Before what?" I asks.

"Before the big storm in '26."

"You mean to tell me nothin has growed here since '26? You mean to say that salt ain't washed out of the sand yet?"

That kind of talk didn't make no sense to me at all, so sure enough, first year I plants tomatoes. I thought I was purty smart, and heeding the words of wisdom of my expert friend, I planted em in baskets. I'd fox them bugs and racoons and salt.

Bein from a part of the country some north of here, I planted in what I thought was the right growin season. After the tomatoes got chewed on by every bug God ever created and drowned by spring rains, I got some more expert advice. Plant in the fall, after the rains.

This time I planted acorn squash and durned if the racoons didn't eat the blossoms right off. I figured if the racoons liked them blossoms, maybe I could eat them too, but it was a whole heap of trouble tryin to out-think a racoon. I did get to pick two they left over so I et both of them. Can't say as how I'd recommend them fer much seein all the trouble it was to get them away from the animals, but mebbly I didn't have to right recipe.

It was still early enough in the fall after the disaster with the squash to plant somethin else, so I put out one of my very favorite eats, which is eggplant. I'm here to tell you that the seeds sprouted fine, the younguns looked real good, green and healthy up to about the age of two inches high when they all fell over dead.

Depression took over. My farmin was a failure. My thumb had turned black between up north and down south.

Then I got real mad and had the island water association water checked. Mebbly I

figured all them dead things was gettin too much chlorine or somethin not good fer them. That turned out not to be true. The water was good, clean, sweet water.

Then I called up the agriculture people and had the soil checked. That turned out to be good, clean, sweet soil. I was frantic. I like growin things, especially things to eat, but it sure looked like I was at the end of my growin days.

My expert friend came by one day and asked how was my growin comin, so I told him. I knew he was looking for a chance to say "I told you so," so I give it to him.

Then he says, "I know what killed your eggplant."

"What?" I asks.

"Salt air," he says.

"You gotta be kidding!"

I kicked that one around for a while and wondered if I could call the air pollution people to have them check out the air my plants was gettin. If the air was killin my plants, I wanted better air. After a bit, I figured that was one sure way to be considered ready for the loony bin, so I give up that idea.

In fact, I give up the whole idea of growin anything until one day along about my third year here, I had a taste fer pineapple that wouldn't stop so I hussles up to the store and gits me two of the biggest pineapples you ever saw. They was just the right color, the tops was big and green and they was super delicious.

After I got through eatin every morsel, I got to lookin at them tops. There they was sittin in the kitchen and sittin in the kitchen cause I didn't have the heart to throw them out.

So the next mornin, real early, I gets up and lets out a big shout. "O.K. Salty Sanibel...now you hear me! I am not plantin them tops. I am only gonna let them rest in this here mulch pile, see?"

I looked sort of sheepishly around to see if Sanibel had heard me but I didn't hear nothing back so I dropped the tops in the mulch pile.

I didn't hardly dare to peak at them fer more than two years except to see that they was still green. I didn't water them, didn't feed them, didn't pay no mind to them at all.

This year I took a chance to go see how th was doin and by golly, I got me a whoopee, little pineapple!

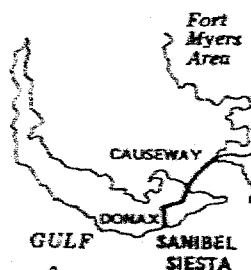
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## Snook snagged

The local fishing situation has been quite good this past week. Many proud fishermen, both Islanders and tourists, have been catching a lot of snook. They are being taken off Blind pass during the first hour of outgoing tide. They're also hauling them in off the first and second spans of the Sanibel Causeway.

Tarpon are rolling all over the place it seems, but are being caught primarily in the passes and bay areas. The lucky anglers are using catfish for bait with the head cut off.

The mackerel are still not schooling but are being caught off the public pier, the Sanibel Causeway and the bay area.

A very important factor to consider, if you want to land "the big one of the year," is the drag in your fishing reel. Try to find a drag that's smooth. Most of the fishermen that lose "the biggy," generally have a poor drag that's jerky in motion.

The drag on your reel is a breaking system, somewhat like a car. It produces the amount of friction you want or need but it must produce this friction smoothly to do its job properly.

Very often we catch fish that swim at a moderate speed for a fair distance. For these situations a reel having a drag able to yield the line smoothly at a fairly slow speed is desirable.

When a fast running fish is hooked the angler should know whether this will affect the drag in his reel such a sudden increase in friction might cause your line to break.

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The right amount of friction between the hard and soft washer is accomplished by keeping every other hard washer stationary on the shaft, so not to turn with the spool. The other hard washers do turn with the reel spool because of little protrusions which fit into notches in the spool.

The soft washers just float between the hard washers. They, too, are made of different types of materials which I'll explain next week.

In the meantime don't let that big one get away. Good fishing!

## Pending bills ban coral

Dean and Wanda Marshall and Edna Russell called an emergency meeting last Thursday evening in the community hall to inform interested citizens in three bills which are pending in the Florida legislature.

The bills (HB1417 by Rep. Freeman, SB 629 by Senator Renick and SB 473 by Senator Redford) if passed as presently written, would forbid the collection of, sale of or possession of any corals and sea fans in Florida waters or in the entire state of Florida.

According to the Marshalls and Mrs. Russell, the Supreme Court has recently ruled that Florida's territorial waters have a three mile limit; that the major coral reefs are six or more miles out; that almost 100 per cent of the coral sold throughout the United States is brought in through the state of Florida, and that there is nothing in the bills to prevent coral dealers from collecting coral outside the three mile limit and importing it into Georgia or Alabama.

Ellen Smith of the Jade Butterfly also pointed out that the bills, as written, would prohibit the possession of any precious coral jewelry imported from other nations, and also would virtually eliminate the sale of American Indian jewelry in the state, as the Indians use a variety of red coral in much of their turquoise and silver jewelry.

The Marshalls stressed that they were not against bills protecting endangered corals, but since the bills had passed through committee with a 33-0 vote (which indicated the committee members had perhaps not received adequate information) and since the bills were so broad in scope, that they were urging the legislature to delay action on the bills until such time as the representatives and senators had had time to study coral conservation more closely, and to also take into account how such bills might affect the economy of the state and its citizens.



Helen and Maynard Eaton (left) greet guests at their farewell brunch at South Seas Plantation last Saturday.



Some of the Eatons' guests enjoy pre-brunch punch

## Activities Calendar

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**ROTARY INTERNATIONAL** - area meetings. Fort Myers, Tuesdays at 12:15 in the Shrine Bldg. off Cleveland Ave.; Fort Myers South, Mondays at 12:15 in the Sheraton inn on Rt. 41; Fort Myers Beach, Thursdays at 12:15 in the Holiday Inn on Estero Blvd.; Cape Coral, Wednesdays at 8:00 a.m. in the Cape Coral Country Club. For information call Dick Vann, 463-9436.

**KIWANIS CLUB** meets each Wednesday morning at 8:00 a.m. at Scotty's Pub on Periwinkle Way.

**FIRE CONTROL DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS** hold their regular meetings on the first Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. at the new Firehouse on Palm Ridge Road. The public is invited to attend.

**ALANON** - Every Friday, 8:00 p.m. at St. Michael's and All Angels Church.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** - open meeting. St. Michael's and All Angels Church, Periwinkle Way, Friday nights, 8:00 p.m. For information call 472-2150.

**LADIES GUILD** of the Sanibel Community Church meets at 1:30 every third Thursday of the month. For Details, phone 472-2425.

**SANIBEL-CAPTIVA SHELL CLUB** meets 3rd Wednesday, 8 p.m. at the Community House.

**SANIBEL-CAPTIVA HOTEL-MOTEL ASSOCIATION** meets the third Tuesday of each month at 8 p.m. at the Sanibel Chamber of Commerce.

**AMERICAN LEGION POST No. 123** - American Legion Home, second Tuesday of the month, 8 p.m.

**SANIBEL PLANNING COMMISSION**, officially established by the Sanibel City Council on February 25, 1975, will hold regular meetings every Monday at 9:30 a.m., at Sanibel City Hall. The Public is invited to attend.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT** meets every 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:30, Palm Ridge Road Firehouse.

**BINGO MUREX** - American Legion Home, Wednesdays 8 p.m. - no minors.

**BOY SCOUT TROOP No. 88** meets at 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays at the school.

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**SANIBEL-CAPTIVA CONSERVATION FOUNDATION** Board of Directors meets the second Tuesday of each month at 3:30 p.m.

**SANIBEL COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, INC.** - Sanibel Community House, 1st Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m.

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**SIGHTSEEING TOURS** - Herb Purdy, 472-1333 or 472-1849; Tarpon Bay Marina (Canoes), 472-1323.

**SIGHTSEEING INFORMATION** - U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, 472-1100.

**OFF ISLAND DAY TIME ATTRACTIONS** - Edison Home in Fort Myers, 334-1280; Shell Factory, U.S. 41 North Fort Myers; Jungle Cruises, 334-7474, Fort Myers Yacht Basin; Waltzing Waters, 283-0636, Pine Island Road.

# Astrological Hints

by madam dorinda 481-3051

**Especially cast for people in the island area of Lee County by a local astrologer**

**Aries:** You will find an opportunity in the way of loans or credit. Higher-ups and other important people will be helpful, and some publicity can be valuable in furthering a hope or goal.

**Taurus:** Good time to take tests or seek other favors from people. Matters concerning parents or superiors should be dealt with today. You will have a wonderful time on the trip you are taking.

**Gemini:** You may find upsetting conditions regarding your work. Speak up and say what you think to a dangerous or careless co-worker.

**Cancer:** A partnership will look especially good for you, but will likely not help your reputation. Too much haste can make trouble for you, especially in work. Take your time.

**Leo:** Pay attention to the needs and desires of your immediate family. Take time to explain how you want things done, especially to one learning new skills.

**Virgo:** Do be careful in walking or driving now, however accidents or slip-ups will be largely a result of lack of attention or concentration. Give more attention to health needs.

**Libra:** You will be very impatient, or inclined to argue now. Communications with close kin or neighbors will be beneficial. If giving any sort of a party, you will have most of the responsibility.

**Scorpio:** Don't be concerned about a communication delay. A change of scenery or small trip could do you good. Don't go overboard on any financial matter.

**Sagittarius:** There can be travel or good news now. Browsing in a book store will add much pleasure for you. This is also a good time to further personal matters.

**Capricorn:** You could create an enemy by passing on rumors or talking too much now. Go slow and learn from the mistakes of others. You are likely to have unexpected callers.

**Aquarius:** Parents or employer may make some big changes that will affect you. You could get into an argument over a matter of principle and be more wrong than right.

**Pisces:** Finish up things you have already started. Keep all your appointments, and be on time. You could be asked to join an organization or club.

## Church Calendar

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**SUNDAY:**  
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Church School & Kindergarten . . . . 9:30 a.m.  
**WEDNESDAYS:**  
Holy Communion . . . . . 9:00 a.m.  
**HOLY DAYS:**  
Holy Communion . . . . . 7:30 p.m.

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Fr. Gerard Beauregard

Saturday Evening Mass . . . . . 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday Mass . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Friday Mass:  
First Friday of each month . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Daily Mass . . . . . 5:30 p.m.  
Holy Days . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Vigil . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Confession before each Mass.

SANIBEL COMMUNITY CHURCH  
Rev. Bruce Milligan

Morning Worship & Nursery . . . . . 11 a.m.  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:00 a.m.

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The Rev. Gerald Frost, Minister

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Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Services . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
**WEDNESDAY EVENING:**  
Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:00 p.m.

## Clarification

In reference to a report in the ISLANDER last week that the planning commission had received an unsigned letter from the Chamber of Commerce, Robert Parcels, president of the Sanibel Captiva Chamber of Commerce, said that evidently (and inadvertently) the Planning Commissioners did not receive the signature page of the three page letter written by the Civic Affairs Committee which was sent to the planning commission last week.

## VFW to meet on Pine Island

The 13th (Black Cat) District, State of Florida, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will hold their regular quarterly convention on Sunday, May 18, in home of the Greater Pine Island Post 4353, located on Stringfellow Blvd. (S-767) at Courtney Rd., approximately 4 miles south of Pine Island Center on Pine Island.

There will be a joint meeting of the posts and auxiliaries starting at 10 a.m., at which Past State Commander, James Graham, of Ft. Myers will represent State Commander, John Petit, of Bushnell. At 1 p.m. separate meetings will take place during which election of officers to guide the district during the next fiscal year will be held.

All members of the V.F.W. and auxiliaries are strongly urged to attend these meetings inasmuch as items of vital interest to everyone will be presented and discussed.

## tides

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|        | HIGH |       | LOW   |       |
|--------|------|-------|-------|-------|
|        | AM   | PM    | AM    | PM    |
| THURS. | -    | 2:53  | -     | 11:45 |
| FRI.   | -    | 3:52  | -     | -     |
| SAT.   | 7:46 | 5:05  | 12:41 | 11:44 |
| SUN.   | 8:21 | 6:41  | 1:38  | 1:53  |
| MON.   | 8:53 | 8:27  | 2:32  | 3:33  |
| TUES.  | 9:25 | 10:05 | 3:18  | 4:48  |
| WED.   | 9:56 | 11:29 | 4:00  | 5:48  |

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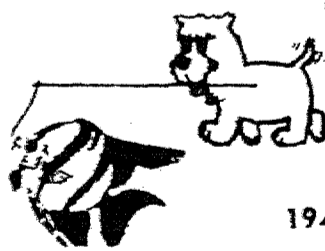
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## Erosion control, "Yes" federal funds, "No"

Exactly 200 Captiva property owners of record voted for some sort of erosion control out of 314 ballots returned to the elections office by the May 9 deadline.

Of the 200, 48 voted for Proposition No. 1, which stated the erosion commission attempt to complete the entire program as presented using State and Federal funds, 152 voted for No. 2, which stated the erosion commission should complete as many elements of the plan as possible using only local or privately contributed funds, and 114 voted for No. 3, which would have abandoned any efforts to implement the program as presented.

"We do have alternative programs, because we wouldn't have gone this far without having looked for alternatives," Paul Stahlin, Captiva erosion agent, told the ISLANDER Monday.

"As a matter of fact," he continued, "in the 1971 erosion report, we anticipated that the community would accept the conditions imposed by State and Federal agencies—and I quote:

"On page 17 of the 1971 report, it reads, 'The commission feels that the Captiva community cannot afford to finance the entire cost of an erosion control program such as recommended herein.

"Therefore, additional funding must be sought. It would be a futile exercise to apply for Federal funds, since the conditions governing the use of Federal monies would be onerous and the total contribution could not exceed 8.4 per cent of the project cost, according to the Corps of Engineers, 1969 report."

The balloting results were presented at the Captiva erosion district's regular meeting Tuesday night (too late for the ISLANDER deadline).

"I can't tell you in advance what's going to happen," Stahlin said Monday evening, "but I'm sure alternatives will be discussed."

## Causeway cash plan prepared

The bridge committee met last Wed. to prepare their report on how to spend the money coming from the refinancing of the causeway. Three major areas were defined; land acquisition, roadways and appurtenances for public safety and public use facilities.

Land acquisition was broken down into two categories: beach parks with three areas being considered: Lighthouse end of the island, mid-island and Bowman's Beach Road, and interior wetlands which included a nature center and public education facilities.

Roadways included right of way acquisition, specifically for the closing of Gulf Drive between Shell Harbour and Casa Ybel and a parallel road to Periwinkle, construction of new roadways and improvement of existing roadways. Six items for improvement were listed; critical intersections, build up of shoulders, establishing turn lanes, straighten dangerous curves, replacing inadequate culverts and protecting the causeway road were subject to flooding or erosion.

Sanitary public use facilities included construction of comfort stations and a dump

station. Recreational public use facilities possibly would include a boat ramp city trailer park and parking lots.

The committee then established a dollar figure for all the work to be accomplished: beach acquisition, \$3 million; interior wetlands, \$1 million; \$4 million for all the roadway projects and \$1 million for public use facilities, bringing the total to \$9 million.

Although this amount is considerably higher than the \$4.5 million coming directly from the refinancing, there are other sources of causeway related funds which

may enable the \$9 million program to be implemented.

However, the committee did take into consideration the same program having available only \$4.5 million. In that case, the road program would be allotted \$2.5 million, \$1.5 million for land acquisition and one-half million for public use facilities.

Captiva projects carried a dollar figure of \$750,000, and included the protection of the bridge spanning Blind Pass, protection of the road from Tween Water and the Captiva post office and shoulder improvements.

## Salvation Army week proclaimed

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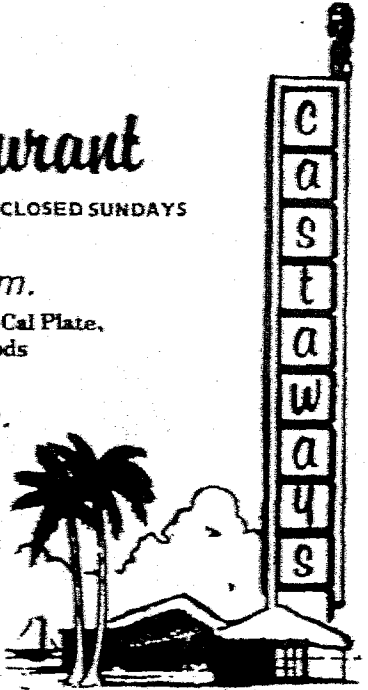
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## Upcoming hearings

Thursday, May 15 (today): 9:30 a.m. at City Hall; City Council meeting with the planning consultants to discuss the contract and other matters.

Monday, May 19, Planning Commission, City Hall, 9:30.

Monday, May 19, 1 p.m. at City Hall, a meeting of the Finance Committee.

Tuesday, May 20, a public hearing on the vegetation control ordinance, 9:15 a.m. at City Hall.



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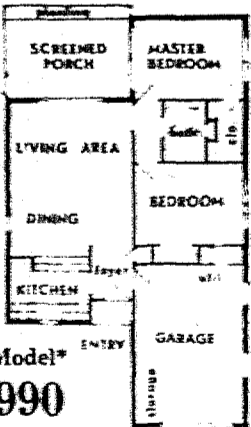
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## Blue Circle

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Fran Shaver hosted the bandage rollers of the Blue Circle last week and treated the workers to a great swimming party in her delightful pool overlooking Buck Key on the bay at Captiva.

Among the busy beavers working were Dorothy Robinson, Kay Schultz, Pin Mills, Linn Kuder, Sally Kirby, Frances Shaver, Miriam Johnson, Alice Sparkes and Ruth Hunter.

These bandages are sent to the sick and poor around the world through the Catholic Medical Mission Board, who, incidentally, furnished a great deal of the medicine for the orphans planed in from Vietnam.

## Notes from all over

Shades of Southeast Asia: Not only does Florida have her share of refugees but now we are importing water buffalo! The water buffalo, four of them, will be seen in the St. John's river near Orlando in an experiment in hyacinth control. We hope that the water buffalo like the hyacinths and that a nice Vietnamese family will take over the care and keeping of the animals after work hours.



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## Giants knock Orioles out of 1st

In senior division play the Bobbi'Del Little Beauty Shops Cardinals remain in first place after topping Kelly's Sandwich Inn Athletics 18-10 on Wednesday and 14-2 on Saturday. Gretchen Frederick was credited with the first win in a hard-hitting game. For the Cards Karen Hendry smashed three doubles and a single for 7 RBI's, Nancy Gorr rapped out three singles, Frederick walloped a home run and a double, Kathy Peterson poled a home run and a single, Lisa Hendry tripled and singled, Kathy Morgan hit a pair of singles, and Betty McKeown, Kim Prine, Debbie Flynt and Tangela Nelson all singled. Hitting for the A's were Jeannie O'Connor with two doubles and a single, Mary Schmidt with three singles, Vali Nielson and Dawn Matthews each with a double and single, Maryanne Brown and Shelly Wunsch with a double apiece, and Teresa Jones and Teresa Kemp with a single each.

Peterson was the winning pitcher for the Cards on Saturday. Karen Hendry hit four singles, Peterson and McKeown each had three singles, Morgan hit a pair of singles, Frederick doubled while Judy Winslow and Lisa Hendry each singled for the Cardinals. Hitting for the A's were Nielson and Brown with two singles apiece. O'Connor with a double and Debbie Rynearson with a single.

Sanibel's Smitty's Tigers did not play last week.

Standings as of May 11:

| Team                  | W | L | Pct. |
|-----------------------|---|---|------|
| Bobbi-Del Cardinals   | 7 | 1 | .875 |
| Kelly's Athletics     | 4 | 4 | .500 |
| Smitty's Exxon Tigers | 1 | 7 | .125 |

The Lions Mets moved into first place in junior division play by taking one game from the Lions Auxiliary Angels. Tuesday's Mets-Angels game was called at the end of three innings because of time with the Mets ahead 21-5 and will be completed later in the season. On Friday Terry Brown pitched the Mets to a 9-5 win. Hitting for the Mets were Laura Reasoner, Sylvia Harris and Sue Houston with a single each. For the Angels Laury Scott hit a double and a single, Missy Casteel had two singles while Callie Thurman and Lisa Nelson each singled.

Sanibel's Tiffany Parlor Giants bested the Kiwanis Orioles 5-4 Wednesday and 9-8 Sunday, knocking the Orioles out of first place. Timi Voignier was credited with the first win as Wendy Bissell and Susan Purdy singled for the Giants. Hitting for the Orioles were Cinda McCoy and Deanna Cook with two singles each, Carolyn Stahl with a triple, Tina Rynearson with a double, and Cindy Lea, Celestine Goodman and Betsy Bothwell all with singles.

Although the Giants went hitless in the

second game, they scored their runs on walks. An overthrow allowed the tie-breaking run to come in Marlene Francis and Jan Bissell shared the mound for the Giants. Hitting for the Orioles were Stahl with three singles, McCoy and Lea with two singles each and Rynearson and Jenna Crane with a single apiece.

Standings as of May 11:

| Team                  | W | L | Pct. |
|-----------------------|---|---|------|
| Lions Mets            | 7 | 2 | .778 |
| Kiwanis Orioles       | 7 | 4 | .636 |
| Tiffany Parlor Giants | 5 | 6 | .455 |
| Lions Aux. Angels     | 2 | 9 | .182 |

Schedule for this week's games:

Thur., May 15: 6:30-Carlos Bay Braves vs. Rotary Red Sox. 8:00-Sanibel Yankees vs. Lions Cubs.

Fri., May 16: 6:30-Kiwanis Orioles vs. Lions Aux. Angels (Jr. girls). 8:00-Beach Bank Royals vs. Sanibel Astros.

Sat., May 17: (At Sanibel) 9:30-Lions Mets vs. Sanibel Giants (Jr. girls). 11:30-Kelly's Athletics vs. Sanibel Tigers (Sr. girls).

Mon., May 19: 5:30-Rotary Red Sox vs. Sanibel Astros. 7:30-Kiwanis Pirates vs. Sanibel Yankees.

Tue., May 20: 6:30-Lions Mets vs. Kiwanis Orioles (Jr. girls). 8:00-Lions Cubs vs. Carlos Bay Braves.

Wed., May 21: 6:30-Sanibel Giants vs. Lions Aux. Angels (Jr. girls). 8:00-Beach Bank Royals vs. Kiwanis Pirates.

## Mrs. Kontinos appointed chairman

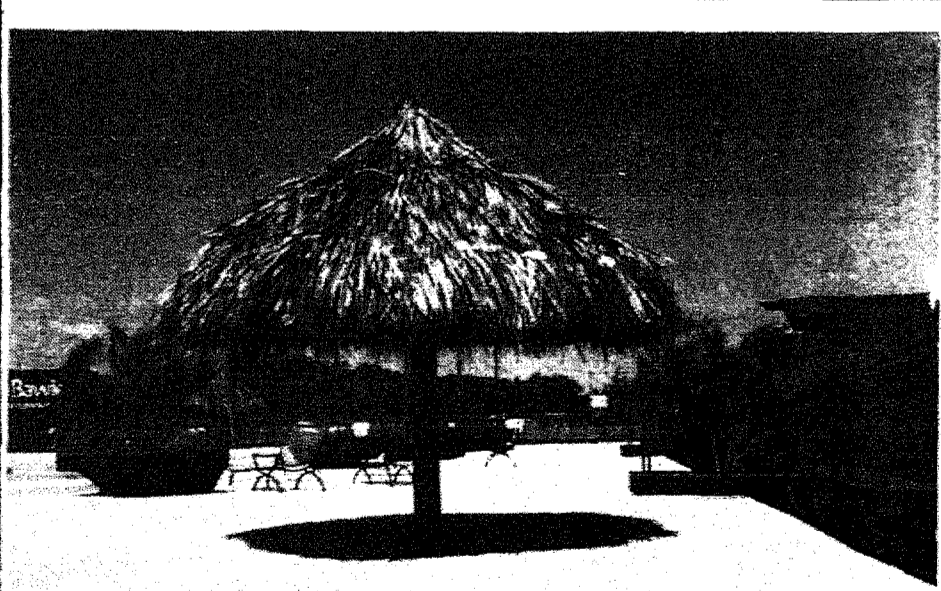
Mrs. John (Bella) Kontinos has been named chairman for the Sanibel Breath of Life fund drive sponsored by the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

Kick-off date for the drive is September 8.

This lung-damaging disease in children is a problem of major significance here in Sanibel and all across the U. S., according to Mrs. Kontinos.

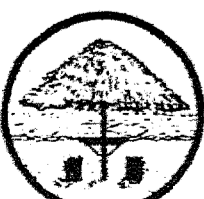
"There are millions of American children fighting lung-damaging diseases like chronic bronchitis, bronchiectasis, severe asthma, persistent pneumonia and the most serious of all, cystic fibrosis," she said. "One of every 1,500 babies born this year will inherit cystic fibrosis, a birthright of suffering, sickness and shortened life. Cystic fibrosis damages lungs and affects digestion. It's incurable."

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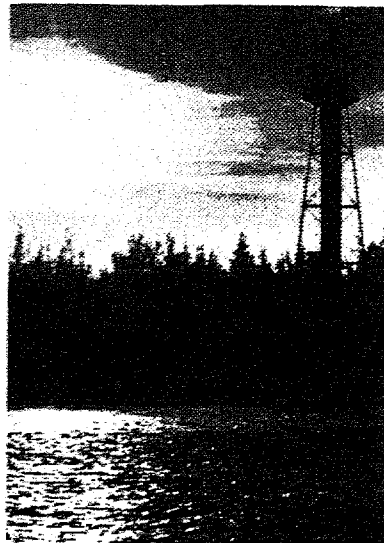
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# Sanibel Astros split with Braves

The Kiwanis Pirates held on to first place in Little League competition by beating Sanibel's Huxter's Plaza Yankees twice last week. On Monday the Pirates took a 12-4 victory with Bruce Frederick and Mike Morse on the mound. Frederick doubled and tripled, Morse hit a triple, Jeff Powell and Buzz Giangeruso had a double apiece and Skeeter Marker singled. Jody Gault's double was the Yanks' only hit.

Frederick and Powell shared the pitching duties for the Pirates in Thursday's 21-1 win and gave up a lone triple by Gault to the Yanks. Powell hit a double and three singles, Ronnie Thomas had a double and two singles, Frederick hit a triple and two singles, Marker doubled twice, Dave Berguin tripled and doubled, and Morse had a two-bagger for the Pirates.

The Carlos Bay Braves and Sanibel's Kiwanis Astros split their two games with the Astros winning 6-3 on Monday and the

Braves taking Thursday's contest 16-13. In the first game Greg Rhodes and Brett Vartdal pitched for the Astros and struck out 13 batters. Rhodes and Chuck Makar-wich each singled for the winners. Hitting for the Braves was Dave Hubbard with a double and a single.

In the second game Jeff Weit, Mark Studer and Hubbard all pitched for the Braves. Studer hit two doubles and a single, Hubbard had a double and two singles, Weit and Robbie Sears each had two singles apiece. For the Braves, Rhodes and Albert Hunter both hit two singles, Vartdal doubled and Makar-wich singled.

The Rotary Red Sox came from behind on Tuesday to edge the Lions Cubs 11-10 with Victor Jenkins and Ricky Goins on the mound. Goins hit two doubles, Steve Smith had a double and a single, while Victor and Vincent Jenkins had a single apiece. Hitting for the Cubs were Dave Underhill and a

triple, Larry Jenkins and John Brossard with a double each, and Mike Keohane, George Kazakos, BeBe Moore and Jeff Nesbit all with a single each.

Friday's Cub-Sox game was called because of time with the teams tied 8-8 and will be completed later in the season.

The Beach Bank Royals were idle last week.

## Standings

Standings as of May 11:

| Team              | W  | L | Pct. |
|-------------------|----|---|------|
| Kiwanis Pirates   | 11 | 1 | .917 |
| Beach Bank Royals | 6  | 4 | .600 |
| Kiwanis Astros    | 5  | 5 | .500 |
| Rotary Red Sox    | 4  | 5 | .444 |
| Huxter's Yankees  | 4  | 6 | .400 |
| Lions Cubs        | 3  | 6 | .333 |
| Carlos Bay Braves | 2  | 8 | .200 |

## Castaway guest



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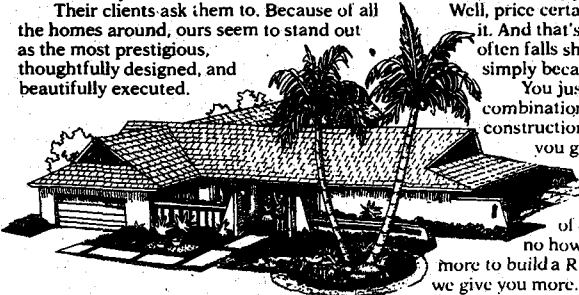
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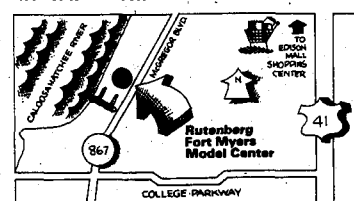
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# The Mayor on the moratorium

Normally, when we're serving large bunches of people shrimp, we boil them in the shells (very important) and then let our guests shuck their own. However, every once in a while, we get carried away and decide to fry some, from whence cometh this week's recipe.

For some odd reason, the general public has fallen for "bigger is better" is shrimp. I really don't know why, since the bigger ones are harder to catch (so they cost more), and besides that, they're tougher and have a much more decidedly iodine taste. For frying or boiling, 'tis better to buy 21-25s (that means 21 to 25 shrimp per pound) or even smaller, the 31-36 count. If you get the 21-25s, butterfly them—but with the smaller shrimp (any count 31 or below) all you have to do is peel them, leaving the tail segment on for easy grabbing.

Okay, now we have our shrimp peeled (except for tail segment) and butterflied, if

they are the larger ones. Wash them thoroughly, pat dry, and shake them in a mixture of 2-3rds flour to 1-3 Romano cheese, with a bit of parsley (chopped) and garlic powder or VERY finely minced garlic thrown in.

Drop shrimp, about five or so at a time (unless you have a real deep fat fryer with a basket) into about 2½ or 3 inches of HOT oil in a deep saucepan. Cook them til they're pink or float to the surface (Never more than two minutes.) Drain on absorbent paper and serve with shrimp dip.

Easy shrimp dip: half bottle chili sauce, heaping Tbs. of mayonnaise, Tbs. of lime juice, dash Worcestershire, level to heaping Tbs. of horseradish, depending on how hot you like it.

Following is a recipe for a Florida pie, which you might wish to end your shrimp dinner with—or serve on its own at a tea some day.

## Florida Orange Pie

- 1 cup orange juice
- 1 cup orange sections
- Tablespoons grated, orange rind
- 1 cup sugar
- 5 Tablespoons cornstarch
- 3 egg yolks, beaten
- 2 Tablespoons lemon juice
- 2 Tablespoons butter or margarine

Combine orange juice, sections, grated rind, sugar and cornstarch. Cook on low heat until clear. Add a little hot mixture to beaten egg yolks. Cook about 5 min. longer. Remove from heat. Blend in lemon juice, butter or margarine.

Pour into baked pie shell. Be sure filling and shell are both hot or both cold. Cover filling with meringue. Bake in 350 degree oven until lightly browned.

Mayor Porter Goss, when asked his view of the six month building moratorium, which has been of some concern to Sanibel residents, told the ISLANDER Monday that there was "no absolute moratorium" at the present time in his opinion.

"For legitimate concerns," he said, "there is a clear cut relief route spelled out in the ordinance and, in my opinion, there is no absolute moratorium at this point, for the very obvious reason that the council could not possibly foresee every possible eventuality."

"I cannot possibly foresee, and this is my personal feeling, that there will be a serious holdup over RU-1 owner-occupied single family homes, just so long as they are not built in a way which would cause ecological damage—for example, by being too close to the water on the beach, or too close to the fresh water in the Sanibel slough or by being in the middle of a mangrove area."

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