

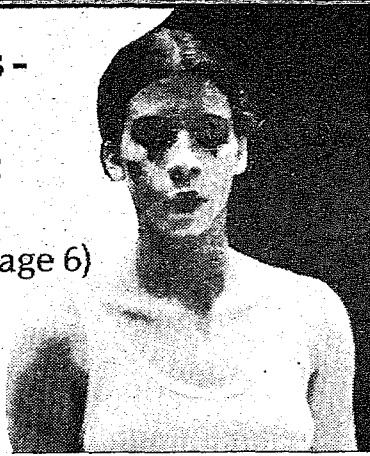
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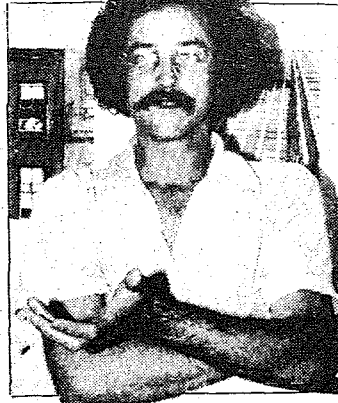
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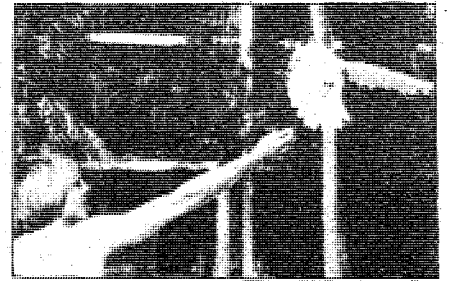
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group finds giant man-eating lizard

Bill Neumeister, the son of Virginia and Alvin Neumeister, who live on Kings Crown Dr. on Sanibel, is part of a group of explorers on a round-the-world expedition that discovered an 18-foot man-eating lizard.

The 33-year old Neumeister went to Papua, New Guinea as the medic on Operation Drake, a two-year voyage following the route around the world taken by Sir Francis Drake in the Golden Hind 400 years ago. Although Neumeister is not a doctor, he majored in biology at St. Olaf's College in Northville, Minnesota

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Dauphin Causeway to be rebuilt, planners told

by gwen stevenson

Councilman Porter Goss, speaking from the audience-side of the Council chamber, told a Planning Commission workshop yesterday that he had heard that the federal government had decided to rebuild the causeway to Dauphin Island which was destroyed in Hurricane Frederick. The ISLANDER later confirmed that the bridge is being totally rebuilt at a cost of \$28 million. The money is coming from the Federal Highway Administration with no local or state funds required. Goss said that he felt the decision was "totally out of line". Goss said that disaster funds are reported to be low and federal and state officials are seriously considering restricted development in "high hazard areas". A report has just been released by the Department of Interior that lists a cut-off in federal funds as a method of discouraging development on barrier islands.

Planning Department staff member Bob Duane presented a draft of a request for a

proposal for a consultant to the Commission for their consideration. The City is looking for a someone to examine the land use plan in view of hazard mitigation and hurricane evacuation. "Basically," said Duane, "the study calls for a reexamination of some of the assumptions in the plan and a re-evaluation of development."

The City Council had decided to hire an outside consultant because of the possible results of the study. "More and more it isn't a question of not rebuilding a hotel on a beach to prevent it being washed away repeatedly," Goss said. "Hazard mitigation becomes an element of growth management and land use. When you get into land use, you get into private property rights. When you get to individual property rights, you can expect to get into court," he said. "I don't want to go into court based on a government brochure. I do want an expert witness."

Sanibel resident and hotelier David Holtzman injected a new element into the planners' thinking when he asked the Commissioners who was going to pay to rebuild an entire building if over 50 percent of it is destroyed. (The plan now says that you must rebuild a structure where over 50 percent has been destroyed according to current codes.) Holtzman pointed out that for cement block houses which don't meet the federal flood regulations, an owner would have to tear down the remaining portion and completely rebuild the home. "But," said Holtzman, "your insurance will only cover the part that's destroyed."

Holtzman stated that the rule would be "an even greater catastrophe for the people on this Island than the hurricane itself". Holtzman also echoed a concern expressed by newly-appointed Commissioner Bill Hagerup, who reminded the Commission that the City building department should consider, along with rules for future construction, methods of reinforcing existing homes. Hagerup also suggested that consideration be given to limiting people pulling boat trailers to the earliest part of the evacuation time. Acting Commissioner Judy Workman added that she felt the part of the Council's resolution authorizing the hiring of a consultant dealing with economic displacement was "very critical".

The draft proposal will go back to the Planning Department for revision and then forwarded to the City Council. No dollar amount was attached to proposal request.

dogs still free to roam

by gwen stevenson

Fulfilling a promise she made in December, Councilman Zee Butler introduced a review of the "No leashes for dogs" issue last week. She did so, she said, because a number of people had called her to complain about the health problems when owners neglect to clean up after their pets and the danger of being attacked by an unleashed, uncontrolled animal. Although the issue did not come to a formal vote, it was obvious that it would have been defeated with Mayor Francis Bailey, and Councilmen Porter Goss and Charles LeBuff staunchly in the animals' corner.

The Council rejected a leash law in 1976, an act that caused the en masse resignation of the City's Health Committee at the time. "We are known as the 'dog latrine of Lee County,'" said Butler, pointing out that dogs are not permitted on Lee County beaches. (One Captiva resident said privately after the meeting, however, that dogs are extremely prevalent on Captiva's beaches and nothing is done to enforce the County law.)

Another problem that has compounded the dog problem is that, with the withdrawal of CETA funds, there are no more beach patrols, Butler explained.

Goss agreed. "We have the ordinance we



photo by mark harmel

need for restraint," he said. "It's in the public nuisance law. The problem is enforcement.

Councilman Duane White emphatically disagreed. He cited "dog packs" running wild at "his end of the Island." According to

White, a dog restraining law is required to protect innocent dogs from attack by these packs. "I also know of a dozen dogs that have been caught by 'gators,'" he said.

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The President's barrier island report

By BILL SCHEEL

photo by mark harmel

Some see them as potential death traps, others see them as an opportunity for making great wealth. They provide homes for thousands of people, vacation spots for millions more, protection of the mainland and a sanctuary for sealife crucial to the world's intricate foodchain.

"They" are the 300 barrier islands that dot the coast from Maine to Texas. They range in size from just a few acres to well over 100,000 acres and their future has come under increased scrutiny as their contribution to our nation's environmental and cultural lifestyle has become apparent.

In his 1977 Environmental Message to Congress, President Carter said, "Most of the barrier islands are...targets of intense real estate and development activity. The development of these resources has often been encouraged by federally permitted or subsidized roads, bridges, and sewers, with the result that millions of people have been subjected to the hazards of hurricanes, and to property losses from the erosion and other physical changes that are characteristic to barrier formations.

"About 68 coastal barrier islands are still unspoiled. Because I believe these remaining natural islands should be protected from unwise development, I am directing the Secretary of the Interior, in consultation with the Secretary of Commerce, the Council on Environmental Quality, and state and local officials of coastal areas, to develop an effective plan for protecting the islands."

Last month, after almost three years of work by five government agencies, the study, entitled "Alternative Policies for Protecting Barrier Islands Along the Atlantic and Gulf Coasts of the United States," which includes a draft environmental statement, was released.

The thrust of the 140-page document is the presentation of options open to the federal government in dealing with barrier islands, both developed and undeveloped.

Three levels of possible federal action are listed. The first, "low," basically describes current efforts, the "moderate" alternative calls for redirection of authorized programs, and the "high" level calls for new legislative and executive directives to protect barrier islands.

The options deal with all federal programs that affect barrier islands, including those which encourage development as well as those which protect islands.

The report does not provide a preferred alternative. After review by the Secretaries of Interior and Commerce, and examination by all affected agencies, a final action proposal for protecting barrier islands will be prepared and forwarded to Carter for his review and recommendation.

Following are descriptions of the three different alternatives listed in the report, which was drafted by the Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service of the Department of Interior.

Maintain the status quo

The first alternative open to the federal government is to maintain the status quo. Between 1950 and 1973, urban acreage of barrier islands increased by nearly 138,000 acres; forty islands which had no urban acreage in 1950 had land categorized as urban in 1973; approximately 14 percent of the total barrier island acreage is urbanized as compared to 3 percent for the nation as a whole; and the rate at which barrier islands are urbanizing is about twice that as the nation as a whole.

The report states that under present federal regulations, these trends will continue and intensify and predicts increased government expenditures to subsize development, to protect lives and investments, and to rebuild storm-damaged facilities.

The federal government has no consistent policy towards barrier islands. "On the one hand," says the report, "there are federal programs that tend to encourage development that is incompatible with natural processes and values of barrier islands and beaches. On the other, there are federal programs and policies designed to promote the conservation of barrier islands and their resources."

Among the agencies which contribute to development of islands are the Environmental Protection Agency, which provides grants for wastewater treatment plants; the Small Business Administration, which aids businesses in setting up and expansion; and the Corps of Engineers, which issue permits for dredging and filling.

The Flood Insurance Act of 1968 makes it possible for property owners in floodplain areas to receive inexpensive flood insurance. In addition, almost \$10 billion in general tax revenues have been spent on various flood protection works since 1936.

But many other federal agencies are, at the same time, working to preserve barrier islands.

The Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service

(HCRS) has spent over \$128 million in the past 13 years to acquire barrier island acreage for outdoor recreation. Also administered by the HCRS is the National Landmarks and National Register Sites program. Seventeen barrier island sites have been designated as National Natural Landmarks, with 56 other sites under consideration, and there are 76 barrier island properties listed with the National Register of Historic Places.

The National Park Service administers nine national seashores, one national recreation area, one national monument, and one national park that includes one or more barrier islands. These units provide recreational opportunities consistent with preservation of natural resources.

The Fish and Wildlife Service administers 31 National Wildlife Refuges which are, at least in part, on barrier islands. Nearly 180 miles of beach are contained in refuge boundaries. The refuges are maintained in order to provide protection and habitat for a wide variety of animals, including migratory birds.

Barrier islands are also protected through the Office of Coastal Zone Management and an array of executive orders dealing with floodplains and wetlands.

Overall, about 20 different federal agencies administer over 30 programs that affect barrier islands in different ways. The report concludes: "These programs often work at cross purposes, resulting in potential problems of public health and safety, loss of important public benefits provided by unspoiled barrier islands, increasing costs, and wasted dollars."



Make it tougher to develop

"The federal actions which affect the barrier islands most dramatically and directly are federal construction projects or development projects funded through loans and grants made to other governmental entities or private citizens."

Because of that, says HCRS, a moderate level alternative for protecting barrier islands would include "...loans and grants for constructing or expanding areawide wastewater treatment facilities or water and sewer lines, assistance to small business concerns, or disaster relief construction on barrier islands, should be limited to those facilities essential to the health and safety of the residents or critical for the protection of the environment."

The moderate level alternative presents opportunities and areas where existing programs can be made more effective in protecting barrier islands.

The report states each proposed development funded with federal assistance should require an environmental impact statement or environmental assessment.

Nine federal agencies, from the Department of Housing and Urban Development, to the General Services Administration, would be affected by adopting these options.

The moderate level alternative calls for major steps to be taken by the Federal Insurance Administration (FIA).

First, "...the FIA should consider developing actuarial rates specifically related to barrier islands and which reflect the true risks of developing on barrier islands. These insurance rates would, undoubtedly, be higher. Hopefully, decisions on where and how to build would be affected by the higher rates; the islands'

natural features would be protected; and costs to the general taxpayer from insurance subsidies would be reduced."

Additionally, this section calls on the FIA to insure adequate levels of inspection and enforcement of building codes as a qualification for flood insurance eligibility, complete their floodplain mapping for barrier islands, and use the height of storm surge and wave crest in calculating the 100-year flood elevations on barrier islands.

The moderate level alternative would seek to discourage the building of bridges to barrier islands, which the report says, "...play a crucial role in promoting and making possible the development of barrier islands."

The Coast Guard, which is responsible for issuing permits over navigable waters, should, "...restrict federal permits for constructing, reconstructing, or expanding bridges to barrier islands to only those facilities essential to the health and safety of existing residents or critical for the protection of the island environment," the report says.

The report recommends the Army Corps of Engineers to discourage dredging permits which would stimulate development on barrier islands. "With regard to wetlands," it states, "permits to dredge and fill which would adversely affect barrier islands should be discouraged and, in except in extreme cases of an overriding national interest, denied."

All of the options listed in the moderate level alternative are already possible under existing law. In many cases, however, the adoption of the alternatives would be a major shift in policy for the federal government.

These changes in policy could have a great impact on Fort Myers Beach. For example, the Corps of Engineers would have the power to deny dredge and fill permits to a project like the Estuaries if it were shown the development would harm Estero Island or any other barrier island.

The cost of flood insurance on the Beach could skyrocket if the Federal Insurance Administration developed actuarial rates specifically for barrier islands.

The adoption of the moderate level alternatives would appear to have the effect of slowing development on the Beach, but would allow it to continue, without the help of the federal government.

Discourage growth

One option the federal government has for protecting barrier islands is to "prohibit from interstate commerce sales of barrier islands lots or developments that adversely impact on areas of vital concern."

The high level protection alternative presents a number of far-reaching options that would need to be instituted through Executive Orders or Congress, as well as the adoption of the moderate alternatives.

Most of the alternatives call for the full weight of federal permitting and funding powers to be used against the development of barrier islands.

For example, the report states no federal grants loans, or permits should be issued for a barrier island project unless

- "a. there are no feasible or prudent alternatives,
- b. federal participation in the project is essential, and
- c. the proposal ensures harm to the island's resources would be minimized and all possible planning is undertaken to mitigate any adverse impacts on the island's natural values."

That would prohibit the approval of any federal right-of-way or permit, which would include bridge permits.

The high level protection alternative calls on the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to designate all appropriate barrier island areas as "coastal high hazard areas", and then says they should "deny federally subsidized flood insurance for new construction in areas" designated as high hazard areas or seaward of erosion setback lines.

In case of disaster, FEMA could not use disaster relief assistance in such "coastal high hazard areas". Instead, the report said, they should "provide relocation assistance for businesses and residents who voluntarily elect to move to safer areas."

Adoption of the high level alternative would make it much easier for the federal government to acquire land for preservation. They would have the power to condemn state-owned land, which they can't do at the present; the federal share of matching funds for conservation purposes would be increased, and a Barrier Island Trust Fund would be established.

Finally, the report said the development of a comprehensive conservation tax law should be considered. Such a law would increase tax benefits for charitable gifts of barrier island property, discourage speculation and development of barrier islands by imposing a speculation tax, increase the capital gains tax realized

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Residents petition for downzoning

by gwen stevenson

A request by several of the residents of Seagrape and Buttonwood Lanes to have the density lowered on 26 acres of Gulf-front property was determined by the City Council last week to require a General Amendment. The current zoning on the property is five units to the acre and the planning staff has recommended that it be changed to three — a density they feel is more compatible with other neighbourhood dwellings. The request was heard by the Planning Commission as a Specific Amendment, although Commission Vice-Chairman Judy Workman told the Council last week that they had realized that, because of the number of acres involved, it would require a General Amendment. (General Amendments are necessary for all changes affecting more than 20 acres.)

Councilman Porter Goss said last Tuesday that he "liked the concept of three (units per acre). I am persuaded by the arguments of the (planning) staff report and am very much attuned to the petition of the people in the area".

Goss, responding to Mayor Francis Bailey's query about other cottage type resorts in the area (The Colony lies to the west), said that two duplexes, which abut the property on the eastern side, are evidence that resort can be mixed with residential use.

Sanibel attorney Reed Toomey, who represents the Siegenthaler family who are the current owners of the land, reminded the Council that the land was zoned multi-family under Lee County and the City had left it as a resort housing when they adopted the land use plan.

"The City is violating the due process provision of the Constitution," Toomey declared, "by this great reduction in the value of the property which constitutes a taking of the land. It is a clear case of down-

zoning. The owners relied on the integrity of the plan and the (other) residents do not have the right to expect the Siegenthalers to absorb this diminution of value." Toomey also said that lowering the density of his clients' property also violated the equal protection clause. He pointed out that the property had been on the tax rolls as being zoned multi-family.

Toomey also told the Council that they were required to demand the same standards from themselves in requesting the Amendment as they would from an individual application. He cited the fact that the request had not been heard or noticed as a General Amendment as one area the City had been lax.

Toomey also said that surrounding neighbors who hadn't signed the petition to lower the density on the parcel, had not received as much information from the City as the petitioners had. Planning Director Bruce Rogers replied that all affected property owners within 300 feet had been sent notices of the hearings, but that the staff report had been sent to the petitioners and "some others" but not to everyone. Toomey pointed out that many of the owners lived elsewhere and there would have been no opportunity through the mails to get copies of the notice since he himself only got it last Thursday and that was through "diligently going to City Hall and asking for it."

When recommending the change, which Toomey claimed would result in a 43 percent reduction in the density, the City had also failed to take into account the adjoining beach areas "down to Shell Harbor Inn one way, the Lighthouse the other and even the development on the other side of Periwinkle Way". He pointed out that there was a 15-unit condominium and several interval ownership projects between the property and the Lighthouse.

Toomey also told the Council that the buildings in the surrounding neighbourhood consisted of cement block homes, most of which would not now be permitted under the new Federal Flood regulations. "Is that a reason to make new construction comply with non-conforming prior construction? The neighborhood itself is going to have to change for flood mitigation," he argued.

"The (Planning) staff addresses the visual disparity issue with no development plan in front of them," he continued. "If you build inland, you aren't assured a view of the Gulf," he said. He also criticized the Staff's conclusion that the streets were only used by residents and not subject to outside traffic. "There is no traffic study, no data to support the facts," he stated.

Priscilla Murphy Realty president Stan Johnson said bluntly that the Council had another case "where basic fairness is involved. You've got a group of people on Seagrape and Buttonwood who are going to jump all over one neighbor. They got away with it on the Mary Lee property and they're trying it again," he said.

(Last October the Planning Commission denied a Development Permit request by Outer Island Development Co., Inc., to construct eight units on the property due west of the Siegenthaler parcel—then owned by Mary Lee—when it was zoned for nine units. The Permit was denied because the project wasn't "compatible with the surrounding neighbourhood." Outer Island has since sued the City and several of the Planning Commissioners individually for \$1 million in federal court. A decision has not yet been rendered in that case.)

Johnson went on to say that there had been no opportunity at the Planning Commission hearing for anyone to offer an opposing view. "Boom, the hammer came down," Johnson said, adding that "in the four years

I have been sitting through these meetings, I have never seen a situation that look as greased as that one did."

Councilman Goss moved that the Council should determine that the neighbours' petition for a zoning change be determined to be a General Amendment and requested the Staff prepare a Resolution to that effect for the Council to consider at the next Council meeting. The motion passed unanimously.

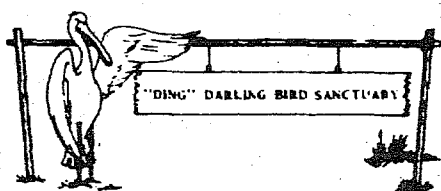
City loses Little Lake Murex decision

A "disappointed" Neal Bowen, Sanibel's City Attorney reported last Friday that Lee County Circuit Court Judge John R. Schoonover had ruled against the City in the Little Lake Murex case. Schoonover agreed with the plaintiffs' contention that the vested rights they had in their subdivision entitled them to the zoning they had under Lee County. Bowen said that the developer, Quentin B. McNew, had dredged the "lake" and spread some fill in the area before Sanibel adopted their land use plan.

Under Lee County zoning, prior to the incorporation of Sanibel, the developer was entitled to 49 single family dwellings. The comprehensive land use plan reduced that to 26.

Bowen said he felt that his clients, the City, had "as good a chance to win as the plaintiffs" and says that he plans to ask the City Council for permission to appeal Schoonover's ruling. "The cost of an appeal is only a fraction of what the trial litigation costs," Bowen said, adding that the City developed a very extensive record during the case and he felt that there would be some "appealable issues".

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Nungester wins motion in hearing with Maxwell

by gwen stevenson

Lee County Circuit Court Judge John R. Schoonover last week granted a motion for a protective order to former City Manager Bill Nungester against Steven R. Maxwell. Nungester is suing his former employee for harassment. Maxwell failed to appear for the hearing.

According to Nungester's attorney, Ken Jones, Maxwell sent Nungester a set of interrogatories last year, which, the attorney said, he answered. Maxwell then submitted a second set, which Nungester contended was being used to harass him and asked for a protective order declaring that he did not need to respond to them. Schoonover ruled that the interrogatories were not related to the suit and went beyond the scope of discovery, relieving Nungester of the obligation of a response.

Maxwell had filed a motion to compel Nungester to answer the interrogatories, but the judge had ruled that Nungester's request for a protective order should be heard first.

Jones, who is associated with Goldberg, Rubenstein and Buckley, said that the interrogatories need not be answered until each side takes depositions and then they may be appealed at that time.

Many of the questions that Maxwell reportedly is asking involve actions taken by officials in the City's Building Department during late 1978 and early 1979.

Maxwell has said recently that a firm with which he is associated, Management Research Systems, Inc., will publish a book he is writing on Sanibel that will be a "political primer". Although Management Research Systems, Inc. has a Sanibel telephone number, it does not have a Sanibel occupational license. When questioned last

week by City Code Enforcement Officer Dick Baker, Maxwell first said that he was going to move his firm off the Island. After apparently conferring with an attorney, Maxwell phoned the City and said that he had been advised that, as a non-profit corporation, he was not required to hold an occupational license. Baker advised Max-

well that he would have to go before the City Council for his non-profit status. "So we mailed him an application for a license and a request to appear before Council," Baker said.

There was no record of the firm being incorporated under any status either by the State of Florida Secretary of State's office nor at the Lee County courthouse.

Council urges County revocation of Galt Island zoning decision

Protesting the building of 308 condominium units on what he termed "a small sand mound ringed by mangroves", Sanibel Councilman Porter Goss last week received authority to draft a resolution requesting the county to rescind their 3-2 vote.

"That action by Lee County (in approving the development) impinges on the express intent of the Charlotte Harbor Ecosystem.

Goss cited a recent advisory opinion by State Attorney General Jim Smith holding that any decision taken by a local government after the adoption of a comprehensive land plan must be consistent with that plan. According to Goss, the County's decision

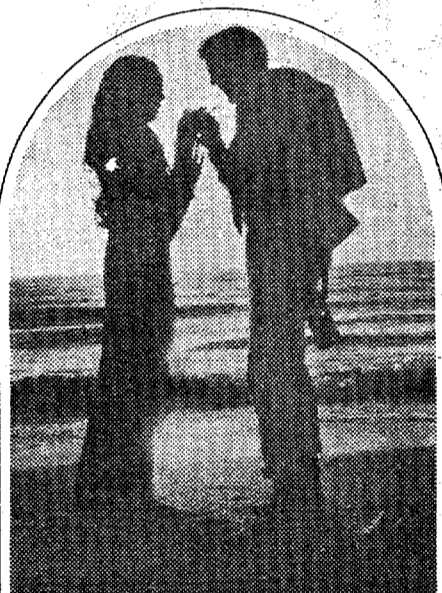
allowing the development "runs counter to the objectives of that plan".

Goss said, "We are gradually ringing Charlotte Harbor with condos - we're building a bridge to the Three Sisters, there's development on Pine Island, Punta Rassa and San Carlos Bay." Goss contended that Lee County was obligated to talk to Sanibel under the intergovernmental provisions of the county land use plan.

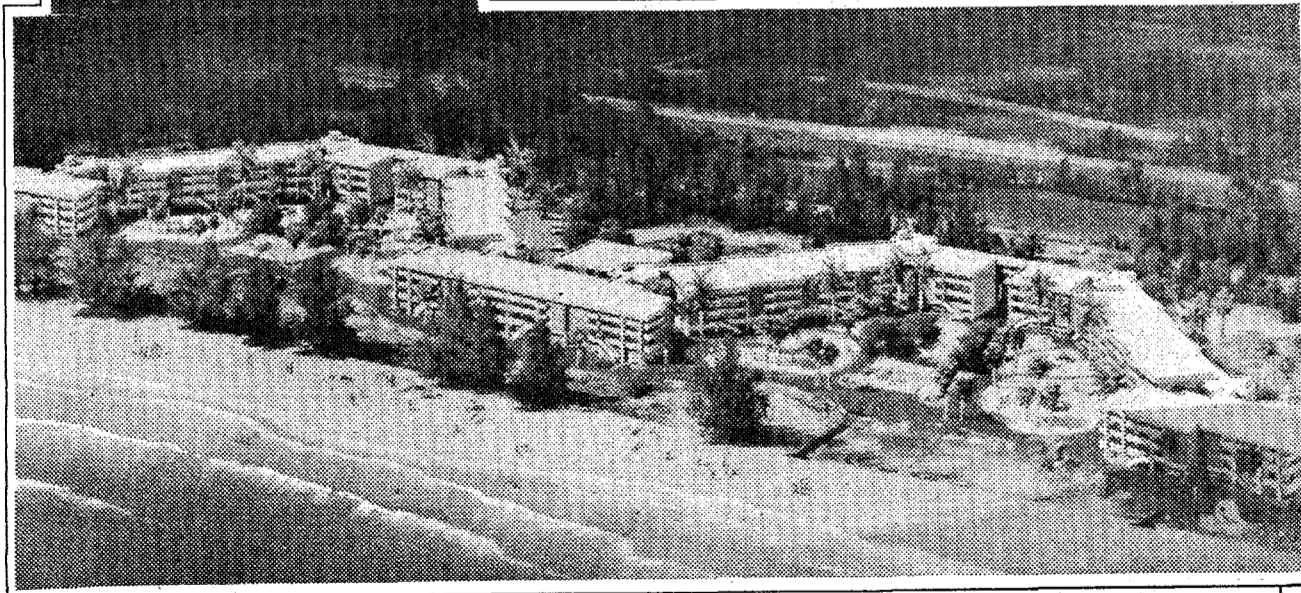
Council member Zee Butler said that all of Pine Island Sound was declared an Aquatic Preserve several years ago. "The State has not drawn up any guidelines and this is what we should concentrate on."

The Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation has petitioned the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) for rules regarding the Pine Island Sound Aquatic Preserve. State Representative Franklin Mann has endorsed that petition especially since it affects Galt Island. Mann has gone on record as being opposed to the proposed development on Galt Island.

At Councilman Butler's suggestion, Goss will draft two petitions, one to the County and one to the Department of Natural Resources.



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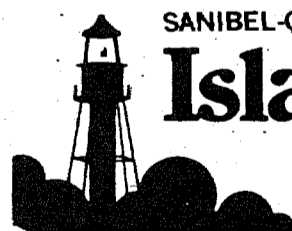
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Erosion District chairman resigns

by gwen stevenson

Dan Burner, Chairman of the Captiva Erosion Prevention District, has submitted his resignation to the Governor. Burner cited pressing business commitments as his reason.

The District, at its last meeting, voted to recommend to Governor Bob Graham that Captiva resident Richard J. Butze be approved to fill Burner's term, which expires in November, 1980.

Burner reported that the Captiva Civic Association had also written the Governor's office endorsing Butze's appointment.

Because of the controversy surrounding a proposal by South Seas Plantation property owners for a beach renourishment plan, the Captiva Erosion District has placed their beach renourishment plans on "hold". "We have authorized a sand search to see that we have the proper amount and type of offshore sand for our project," Burner said, "but we are holding up on awarding the rest of the engineering contract until we see what happens to the South Seas' proposal at the County level." The County has appointed a committee to study the plans - their endorsement is required before the state and federal agencies can consider issuing any permits. Burner said that he understood that the County would consider the plan "within the next few weeks".

With the delays, Burner says that even if all the permits are issued, Captiva won't be underway with its plans until next year. "That was another reason for resigning," Burner concluded. "This way, someone can

come in who can see the project through the next four years."

Burner said that he considered the fact that the District, under his leadership, had come up with a plan for beach renourish-

ment and its financing which is approved by the majority of Captiva residents and the cementing of relations between the District and the Captiva Civic Association to be the major accomplishments during his tenure.

Food co-op planned for the Islands

Plans are underway to establish a Sanibel-Captiva food cooperative to combat the rising costs of needed grocery items and the reduced buying power of the Islands' consumers.

Organized under the auspices of Community Housing and Resources, Inc., the proposed co-op hopes to provide an alternative means of obtaining foodstuffs and other supplies through cooperative purchasing of goods in quantity at wholesale prices and distributing those goods to co-op members at or near cost.

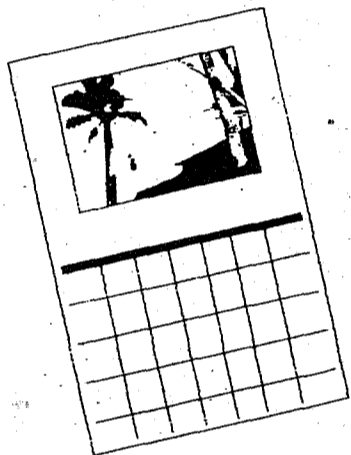
In the fall of last year, co-op organizers

held preliminary discussions concerning the directions that a food co-op might take on Sanibel. They gathered information from existing cooperative enterprises throughout the country and made inquiries regarding potential sources of supply. The feasibility of providing such items as fresh produce, grains and flours, dried fruits and nuts, fruit juices and dairy products, as well as paper products and cleaning supplies, are currently under investigation.

The co-op's first general meeting will be held at the Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Center, Tuesday, January 22, 7:30 p.m., to

determine the extent of community support for such a venture. Among items to be included on the meeting's agenda are proposals for (1) the generation of working capital, (2) suitable distribution sites for goods, (3) a name for the group, and (4) alternative methods for ordering and delivery. All interested individuals are invited to attend.

Future meetings have been tentatively scheduled at the Conservation Center for the fourth Tuesday of each month, with the second meeting to take place on February 26. For further information, contact Jan Holly, 472-2840, or Sheryl Pharr, 472-4552.



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Island Arts & Artists

Arts Alliance presents Anna Karenina

The Lee County Alliance of the Arts and the Lee County Dance Council cordially invite you to join them for the AMERICAN PREMIER SHOWING of ANNA KARENINA, a benefit, at the Edison Theater in downtown Fort Myers, on Friday, February 22 at 7:30 p.m.

ANNA KARENINA, a ballet in three acts from the novel by Tolstoy, was first

produced at the BOLSHI THEATRE in 1972. It was choreographed by Maya Plisetskaya, who danced the role of Anna. ANNA KARENINA is the first ballet based on Tolstoy's works.

Lehigh Acres to hold 1980 juried arts show

The Lehigh Acres Fine Arts League, Inc., invites you to participate in the ANNUAL ALL-FLORIDA JURIED FIESTA OF ARTS SHOW OF 1980 to be held in the Friendship Forum, Homestead Road, Lehigh Acres, Florida, January 27 through February 1, 1980.

The categories include oil, watercolor, acrylic and other media. The show is open to all Florida Artists. All entries must be original works solely attributable to the artist. Work must have been completed since 1977 and not have received an award in a juried show. All work must be dry, framed, ready to hang with screw eyes and wire. Maximum size, including frame: 4 ft. x 4 ft. Fee is \$3 per entry. Limit 3 entries.

Award presentations: Sunday, January 27, 1980, at 3 p.m.

Receiving days: January 17 and January 18 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Friendship Forum, next to the library on Homestead Road, Lehigh Acres.

Tickets are limited. They are restricted to reservation only.

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For information, please call Lee County Arts Center at 939-2787.

BIG Arts offers cinema car pool

Barrier Island Group for the Arts (Big Arts), in order to make it easier and to save gas for those who want to go to the Edison Cinema, is proposing the following:

All those who want to go to the 7:30 p.m. performance on Tuesday's and Friday's, should stop at the Sanibel-Captiva Chamber of Commerce on the Island, at 6:15 p.m. for a car pool arrangement.

Departure of the car or cars elected for car pooling will be at 6:30 p.m. sharp. It is suggested that each car pool passenger pays the driver 75 cents as his or her share of the gas.

I repeat: the car pool experiment will be every Tuesday and Friday; be at the Chamber of Commerce by 6:15 p.m.

The program will start today, Tuesday, January 15 for "The Rich Kids."

Schoolhouse Gallery featuring graphics

The Schoolhouse Gallery is featuring a Contemporary Group Graphics Show starting now through February 9. They are located on Tarpon Bay Rd., Sanibel, and are open daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed Sundays.

The following artists will be featured at the Schoolhouse Gallery:

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- Jan Ehrenworth - Color Embossments
- Tim Hamill - Serigraphs
- Ruth Rodman - Collographs
- Linda Sherman - Serigraphs
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John Cohen coming to Sanibel

On Saturday, January 26, the Barrier Island Group for the Arts is sponsoring three short films by John Cohen who is coming to Sanibel from New York to introduce them at 8 p.m. at the Community Center. Cohen may be familiar to many of you as one of the founders of the famous New Lost City Ramblers with Mike Seeger and Tracy Schwartz (and, formerly, Tom Paley) who, during their 21 years together put out 15 records on the Folkways label and who played at virtually every folk festival in the country. Cohen has been interested all his life in old-time music, has spent many hours tracking down musicians in the hills of Kentucky and North Carolina and bringing them to New York City for concerts under the auspices of the Friends of Old Time Music. Nine albums of music have been made of the mountain music of Kentucky and North Carolina.

One of John Cohen's films, "The High Lonesome Sound," made in 1962, looks at the music of a Kentucky coal mining region and especially at the music of Roscoe Holcomb, Bill Monroe, and the Baptist and Holiness churches in eastern Kentucky. Another film he will show is "The End of an Old Song," made in 1970, that centers around Dillard Chandler and his North Carolina neighbors who, ac-

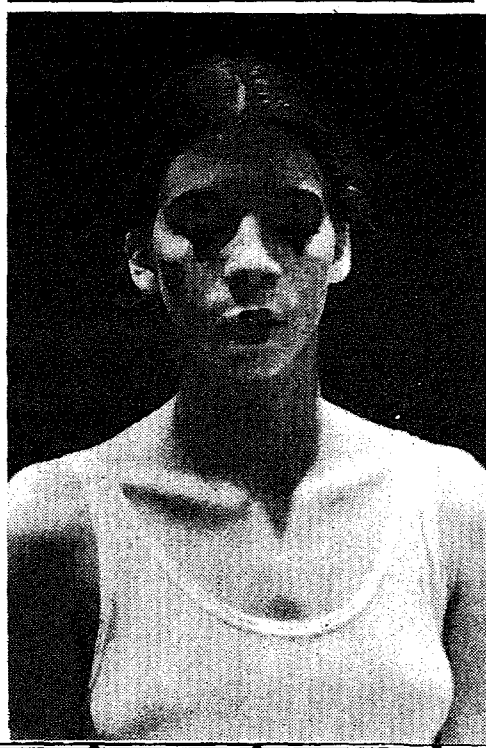
ording to Cohen, "still sing the ancient British love ballads in traditional styles, although the world is changing around them." Cohen's third and most recent film is "Qeros: the Shape of Survival." Completed in 1979, it is a film about Indians in Peru, their music, weaving and culture. The film was the basis of the NOVA program "Patterns from the Past," which was shown on PBS last year.

Cohen, known to his friends as a Renaissance man, is also a former freelance photographer for "Life," "Time," and "Esquire," and has had one-man shows of his photographs at Yale University and the Rhode Island School of Design. His work is in the collection of the Museum of Modern Art in New York, and his films have been shown at the Whitney Museum in New York, at the Flaherty Festival, and at the San Francisco Museum of Art. He is Associate Professor of Visual Arts at the State University of New York at Purchase, New York.

If Cohen can carry them under his arm along with the films and his banjo, he'll also bring some of his Peruvian photographs which will be on exhibit at the Community Center the night of the twenty-sixth only, and, after the films, he and some Sanibel musicians will play for anyone who wishes to stay. Moonshine will

be served.

Tickets are \$3 each (\$1.50 for students 18 and under) and are available at the door on the night of the performance, or beforehand at MacIntosh Bookshop, Art Fac, Schoolhouse Gallery, and Captiva's Tree House Gift Shop.



Sgt. Ray Rhodes honored by News Press

Sanibel Police Sargeant Ray Rhodes has been named one of four winners of the Outstanding Public Service Awards given periodically by the Fort Myers News Press editorial board.

Rhodes role in rescuing 18 month old Penny Seibert from her parents pool last November was listed by the board as an outstanding action deserving of the award.

Rhodes had pulled the Seibert child from the pool and administered mouth to mouth resuscitation until the unconscious child began to breath again on her own.

The awards are given on the basis of "dedication to duty and acts of bravery" that aid the communities in which they live and work.

Island Temperatures

This report is based on records kept at the Sanibel-Captiva Chamber of Commerce located on Causeway Road:

	High	Low	Rain
Friday, January 11	80	66	0
Saturday, January 12	76	68	0
Sunday, January 13	78	70	0
Monday, January 14	78	68	0
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Wednesday, January 16	76	58	0
Thursday, January 17	76	62	0

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Council to investigate purchase of land linking Causeway properties

At the request of the Planning Commission, the City Council last week decided to ask Priscilla Murphy Realty if they would be willing to sell a tract of land they own that lies between the two parcels fronting on the Causeway Road that the City bought last year.

Priscilla Murphy Realty president Stan Johnson has told the Council in the past that, while he would be willing to grant the City an easement to the property, he was not willing to sell it outright. (A planning hearing for a Development Permit for a duplex on the land has already been scheduled for later this month.) Johnson said last week that he had not changed his mind about selling the land.

Commission Chairman Ann Winterbotham told the Council that the Commission had recommended the purchase "at the appraised price" and told the members that not having the land might put the City "in a real planning bind" when the time comes to utilize the Causeway properties.

Councilmember Zee Butler asked Winterbotham if the Commission had "any recommendation about where we are going to get the money?"

Councilman Duane White agreed with the

Commissioners, saying, "I think it is very important we purchase that property — an easement wouldn't really do it since it would only cut into that property more".

Councilman Goss suggested that the City Manager find out if there is a negotiable price for the property and, if so, what it is and report back to the Council. The Council decided not to get an appraisal on the property at this time.

New Occupancy

Certificate law considered

Responding to complaints from City officials that people who move into buildings prior to being issued a Certificate of Occupancy and then never complete the final requirements prompted a first reading of a law last week that is designed to change that.

If passed, the law requires that a C.O. will not be issued until the applicant has completed all the Development Permit requirements. A temporary C.O. may be issued if there is an exceptional hardship and the applicant is diligently fulfilling the requirements of his permit.

Municipal

Council appoints committee members

At this time of the year, the City Council regularly reviews the City's standing and ad hoc committees and makes alterations in their membership.

Two new members were substituted on the Board of Adjustments and Appeals: Claire Walter as a member at large and Lawrence Tetrault, both of whom will serve for four years. Although the committee has only met once in six years, the Councilmen believed that such a Committee was mandated by the County Board of Health. Other members are: Bill Frey, and Dave Wooster for two years and Charles Slay, Allen Nave and Frank Vellake for one. The staggered terms were imposed to avoid having all terms expire at the same time.

Frank Vellake resigned as the Chairman of the Historic Preservation Committee and Councilman Zee Butler said that she would contact the other Committee members to see if they would continue to serve.

Ralph Woodring, Paul Zajak and Betty Anholt were appointed to the Live Shell

Committee replacing Nora Deitlein, Anne Joffe and Paul Howe who resigned.

The Moderate Cost Housing Committee remained unchanged.

Dr. Stephen Halibus was added to the Public Health Committee, joining Dr. Stanley Wegryn, George Campbell and Dr. Ingalls Simmons.

Membership in the Vegetation Committee remained the same and the Committee was given an extra vote of gratitude from Council members who agreed that they did a "yeoman's job".

Bruce Fraser (Emergency Vehicles) and Gwen Stevenson (Public Education) were added to the Emergency Preparedness and Evacuation Relief Team (EPERT). Other members include Bill Hughes, Sgt. Bill Trefny, Marty Holtz, Jim Pickens, Jerry Muench, Dr. Ingalls Simmons, Jim Anholt and Mark Twombly.

Membership in the Sewage Committee (now drafting their final report) and the Marine Advisory Committee remained the same.

Dual Tax Committee members appointed

The City Council last week voted to establish a Dual Tax committee to participate with the Cities of Cape Coral and Fort Myers in a Tri-City Dual Taxation Committee. The Committee is trying to resolve the taxation inequities between the County and the municipalities.

The Council appointed Council member Zee Butler, Planning Commissioner Fred Valtin and Bank of the Islands president Jim Hermes to the Committee. All three have been working on the problem for the City for over a year.

The Committee is responsible for analyzing the dual taxation report approved by Lee County January 2, 1980 and making recommendations to the City Council; to analyze and make recommendations about the Chairman of the Lee County Com-

mission's policy statement on dual taxation; to oversee, along with the Tri-City Dual Taxation committee, the current effort by Lee County to reorganize its budget and to provide information and recommendations about the law enforcement patrol effort in the City of Sanibel.

"Right now, it is impossible for the city to identify the sources of income and expenses for the incorporated and unincorporated areas in the county," Butler said. "This committee will get in on the ground floor of the new budget revisions that are planned."

Councilman Goss suggested that Sanibel should have another chat with Sheriff Frank Wanika about the overlapping of patrols on Sanibel. The Council also decided to address the Legislative Delegation on the problem when it meets in Fort Myers next month.

Rate of Growth law change passed

The City Council last week passed an ordinance amending the Rate of Growth law to provide that, when there is a tie under the Rate of Growth point system in the allocation of Development Permits, the earlier application will have priority. The change also mandates that a Development

Permit allocation will be terminated if all the requirements for a building permit aren't completed within 60 days of allocation. An additional 60 days may be granted, however, if the Building Official deems that the complexity of the project warrants the extension.

Gulf Ridge Subdivision Plat approved

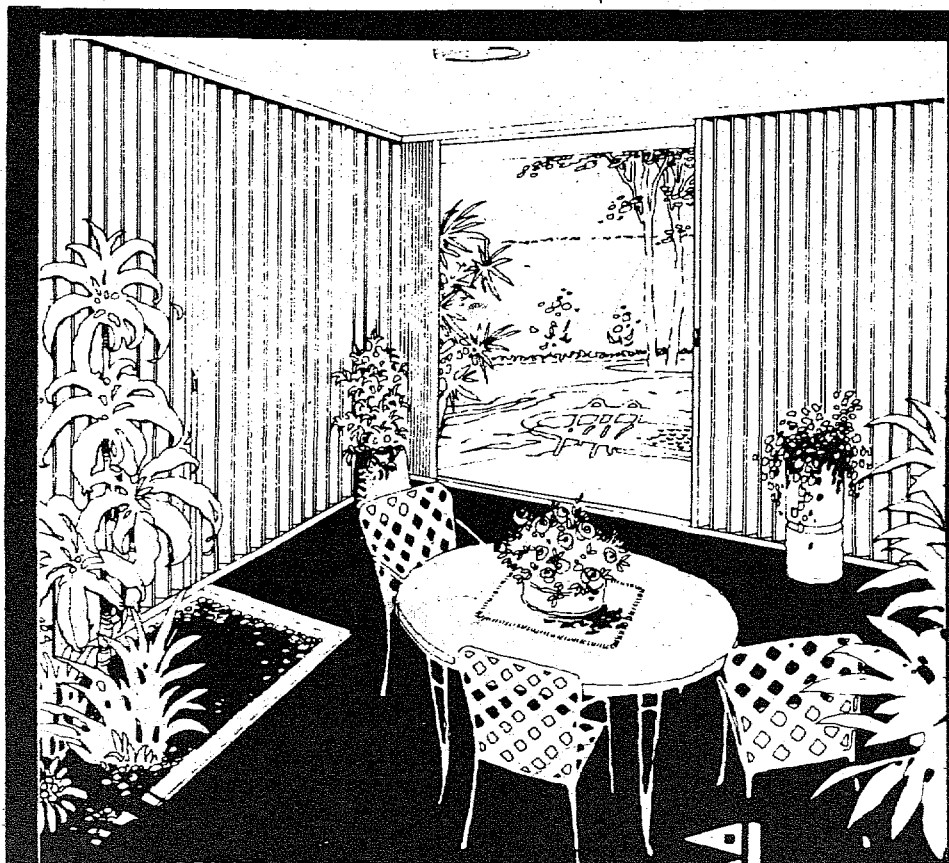
The City Council last week approved a plat plan for the Gulf Ridge subdivision, located next to Blind Pass Condominiums. They also accepted a dedication of 34 feet beside Sanibel-Captiva Road as right of way.

The developers, represented by Don Manchester as project manager, also plan to deed 21 acres to a "charitable conservation-type organization" within the next six months. Although they said they have not decided which organization, Manchester said they had been having conversations

with the Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation.

Sanibel Council member Zee Butler did not participate in the discussion, nor vote, because of a declared conflict of interest, since she has signed a contract for one of the lots in the subdivision.

The plat approval will not become final, however, until the condition of obtaining all the mortgagees' signatures has been met. Until that time, City Attorney Neal Bowen will retain the original plat plan.



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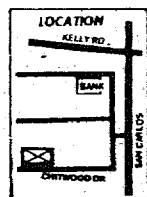
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Brush fire!



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records

by gwen stevenson

Bill Hagerup replaces Ray Fenton on Planning Commission

After a complicated process of elimination, William Hagerup emerged as the victor for the Planning Commissioner's slot left vacant by the recent resignation of Ray Fenton. He narrowly defeated Donna Kreager in the final three-two vote. Other candidates who had placed their names in consideration were Chris Gault and Tim Stone.

Tim Stone had been nominated by Councilman Duane White, but Council member Zee Butler pointed out that Stone, who works with outgoing Commissioner Fenton, would have the same problem with conflicts of interest that had caused Fenton to withdraw from many Commission decisions.

Councilman Porter Goss had nominated Chris Gault because she would "represent the under-30 group on the Island which does not have a direct voice in City government." Goss emphasized that he was not recommending Gault as a representative of "moderate cost housing, lower cost housing

or any kind of housing". Butler objected to Gault because, she said, Gault was employed on the Islands and she wondered if she could devote the kind of time necessary for the job. (That was another of her objections to Stone.)

Butler nominated Kreager because her background included interior and exterior design and planning and, Butler said, she would fill the gap left by Fenton. Sanibel Mayor Bailey agreed. "She has the time and the energy," he stated.

Both Butler and Bailey stated that the fact that Hagerup had not initiated an interview showed what they felt to be a lack of interest. White said that he had advised Hagerup just to leave his phone number on his resume so that the Council members could get in touch with him if they wished. "That's my fault," he declared.

After Stone and Gault had been eliminated, Goss said that he was going to vote for Hagerup because he had lived on Sanibel longer than Mrs. Kreager.

City considers fee revision

A complaint last November by Island potter Mark Heimann that a Specific Amendment fee of \$150 for a reconstructed fence was out of line prompted the City administration to review their fee structure.

Planning Director Bruce Rogers told the Council that while the new fee arrangement was not "appreciably different from the old one", he thought that it did result in a "more equitable distribution of fees". The most significant change came in the fee for any application for a Specific Amendment exclusively involving an accessory use or uses. That is proposed to be one percent of the estimated value of the structure, but with a \$75 minimum attached to it, to which Councilman Goss objected.

"To take six months of hearings for a \$150 fee to rebuild a \$400 fence does not compute," said Goss, referring to the Heimann situation. (Heimann's request was con-

tinued pending this new fee revision.) Rogers replied that it still took the same amount of staff time to process the amendment as a more expensive but similar project.

Development permit fees for commercial development, including restricted commercial, were set at \$200 for up to 1500 square feet of floor area and \$20 for each additional 1000 square feet with a \$500 maximum.

Residential fees are \$200 for the first dwelling unit and \$25 for each additional with a maximum of \$500.

Another change is the institution of a \$10 per revision charge for revisions to approved Development Permit Plans when requested by the applicant.

The second reading of the proposed ordinance is scheduled for February 2 at 10:40 a.m.

Sign clarification requested

Since several businesses on Sanibel with more than one occupational license have requested a separate sign for each license, Code Enforcement Officer Dick Baker has requested Council clarification of the Graphics Ordinance.

"I am very much opposed to tying the Graphics Ordinance to occupational licenses," Councilman Zee Butler declared, but she raised the problem of professional notices. "I think it is in the public interest for a building like Baywind Plaza to list all the

doctors inside, but it is not in the public interest when 18 (retail) businesses are operating out of one establishment. White agreed. "We set out to cut down on the proliferation of signs," he said, "but with a professional building, we should identify the professionals who are there."

The Council agreed that Butler would work with Dick Baker on the problem and come back to the Council with recommendations. "Meanwhile," cautioned Goss, "hold the line."

Vegetative Debris question still pending

City Manager Bernie Murphy reported to the Council last week on the problem of differentiating between litter and using vegetative debris for beach renourishment. Murphy recommended to the Council that the two ordinances that deal with the problem, one in the land use plan that appears to require a Development Permit and

the Anti-Littering law, be revised to permit deposits, with Administrative or Legislative approval. This, the Council agreed, requires the development of approval standards and Murphy said he would proceed with getting the language ready for Council's consideration at the second meeting in February.



Rebel joins SPD

Rebel, the newest member of the Sanibel Police force yawns after working over time with her partner Officer Betty Weir. Weir and Rebel recently graduated from K-9 school. They are patrolling together on the night shift.

by mark harmel

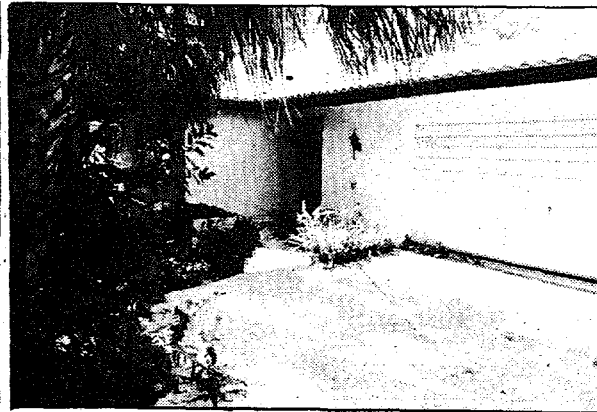
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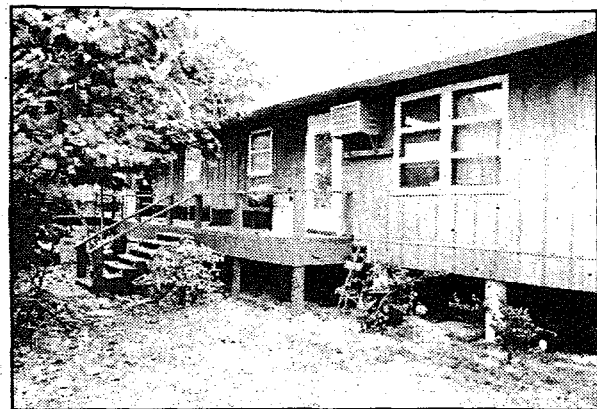


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on the water

by capt. mike fuery

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Of course, there are many anglers who regularly use artificial lures and wouldn't be caught dead with something live on the end of their hooks. To them, the soaring costs of shrimp don't really apply.

It's the folks who get out on the water a couple of times a week or less (and who are starting to wonder about the practicality of buying bait) who should consider trying the artificials.

There are a number of artificial baits on the market, but what seems to make the best action are a handful of lures called Salty Dogs, Trout Touts and others made by Creme, a firm from Tyler, Texas who

started with fresh water lures and branched out into saltwater.

What these lures look like (to the fish) are small grass shrimp. Only, when you see a lure display in the stores, it looks like a candy store. You see little Trout bodies, or soft plastic bodies, that are white, green, black, orange, flesh, pink and combinations of those.

There is a guide I know of, in Charlotte Harbor, who buys the tails for his shrimp lures by the bucket. Most of the time he carries white, pink and yellow.

Of course the artificial tail has to be connected to something and so you should buy a few lead heads. These are generally tear-molded lead with a hook coming out the back. You simply work on a new tail over the same weighted head and hook, when the trout takes off the used body.

Color combinations between heads and bodies sometimes makes a great deal of difference in catching fish. I carry red, white and yellow heads. Sometimes they will bite on a red head and white body, or vice versa.

Sounds like while you aren't spending lots of money on live shrimp, you will go broke

buying lures, right?

At first, it's going to cost a couple of bucks to get your trout lures ready. You can buy a packet of lead-hook combinations, usually four or five in a box, for about eighty cents. Three or four tails of the same color should cost about the same for the package.

Recently, there have been some interesting changes in the use of plastic tails for catching trout. One of the most important is the new "curly" tails. These curious-looking lures feature a fat little flexible body for an inch or so, then the next two inches is a flattened ribbon-tail which weaves convincingly as the lure is worked through the grass beds where the trout patrol for food. The curly tails cost about the same as the regular flat tails, but are very difficult to find. Some of my friends who are also guides, have had to write to firms that make these lures and order them. In Fort Myers, sometimes K-Mart carries the curly tails and there is a small marine equipment store called EDARS off Fowler Street, that also stocks these special baits.

When you work your new Trout Tout or Salty Dog lure, try putting on a tiny bit of shrimp, for flavoring. In somewhat dirty

water, the trout can track down that lure by smell. When the fish are really biting you won't need anything to sweeten the bait.

Pick up a couple of different heads and bodies and see what you can do with them. Some fishermen won't use anything else.

Islander angling



At last a chance to catch something other than a trout! There are redfish reportedly being caught in the 8-10 pound range in Tarpon Bay. This is not a big run but Sanibel Marina describes the Tarpon Bay red fishing as "good." The Bait Box also reports a few reds and snook being caught in the canals using white bucktails or a boomer flairhair.

Trout is still everywhere around the Islands. The good places to try are the grassflats at the Island end of the Causeway, Dixie Beach, in Tarpon Bay, and other flats in the Sound.

Some flounder can still be found mixed in with trout on the flats, and sheephead are at the pier and in Tarpon Bay.

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W	23					
Th	24	12:26 AML	5:31 AM H	11:23 AML	6:33 PM H	* Denotes strong tides
F	25	1:59 AML	7:38 AM H	11:59 AML	7:26 PM H	** Denotes very strong tides
Sa	26	3:18 AML			8:19 PM H	
Su	27	4:24 AML			9:12 PM H	
M	28	5:16 AML			10:00 PM H	
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For Captiva Island Gulf side, subtract 30 minutes from each high tide, and subtract hour and 16 minutes for each low tide.
For Captiva Island, Pine Island Sound (Bay) side, add 1 hour and four minutes for each high tide and add 52 minutes for each low tide.
In between these points, gulf or bay, guesstimate and have good fishing and or shelling.

dogs . . .

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"There are threats to our beaches that are more harmful than dogs running in the water or dog feces," Goss said, whereupon he pulled out a list of things he (facetiously) considers to be a matter of concern to those worried about the public's safety on Sanibel's beaches.

"We would have to outlaw beer drinking because some cause cancer; bologna sandwiches would have to be outlawed because of the carcinogens in them; manhattans would be forbidden because of the red dye in the cherries, no sunbathing except on cloudy

days; no bare feet for a variety of reasons -- you could step on a shell, or a pop top or.."

Goss continued to say that we should allow no swimming without a shark chopper because we know there are sharks in the water; we should prohibit smoking because of air pollution, and fishing hooks are hazardous to both people and pelicans.

Councilman White reacted angrily to Goss' hazard list. "Save your remarks for the first person who is seriously injured," he retorted.

Goss said that he believed that dogs' freedom was indicative of the kind of

"unique lifestyle this community enjoys."

Sanibel resident Alice Kylo, who had waited through the day's deliberations, voiced her strenuous objection to dogs running unleashed on the beaches and elsewhere. She pointed out that she felt it wasn't very good for the dogs themselves to run in the hot sun.

"Well," said Zee Butler, "I acted responsibly in bringing the matter before council."

"I'd still like to see some tightening of that ordinance," White commented. "Well, you aren't going to get it," Butler concluded.



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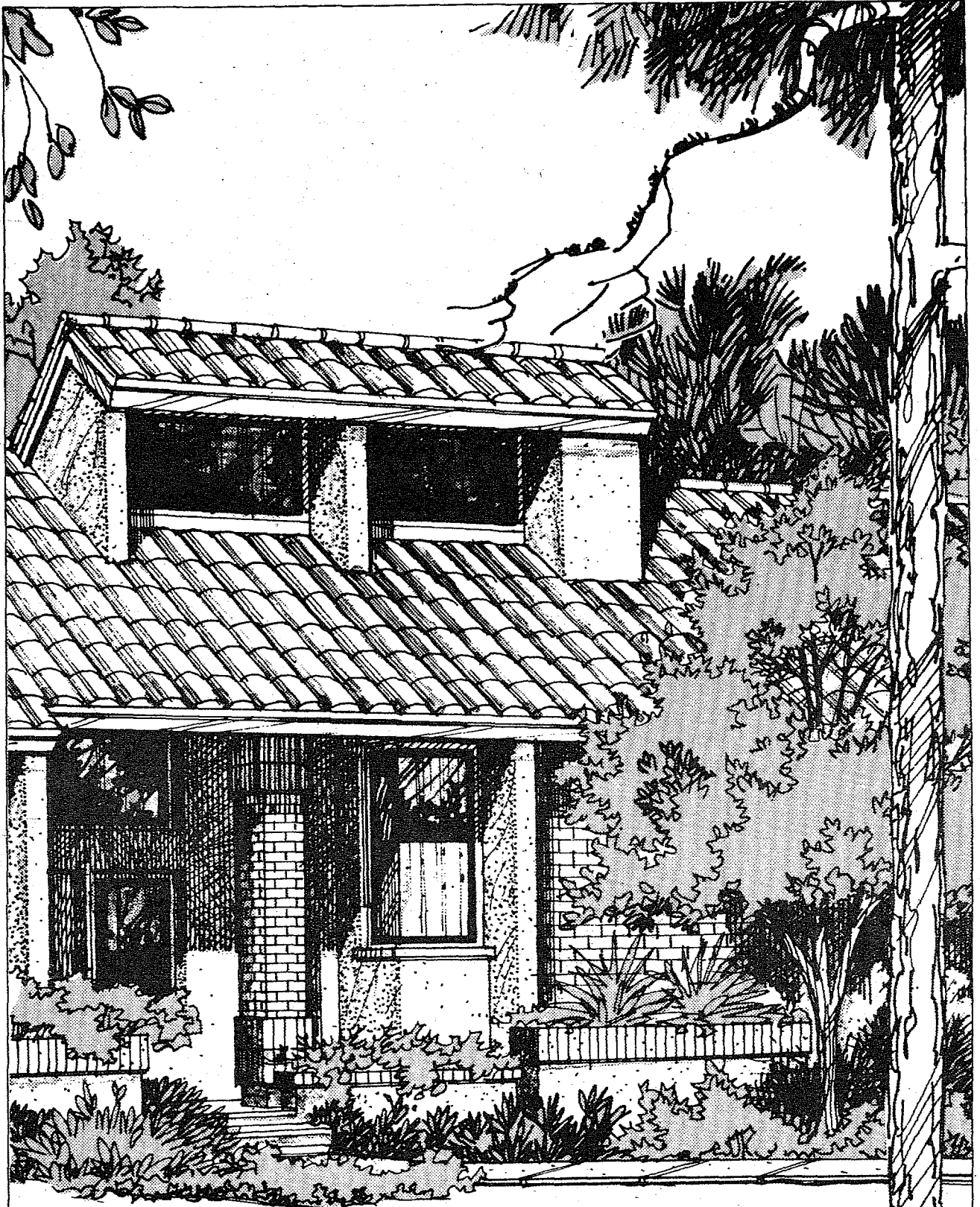
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UP CLOSE

by pat harmel

photos by mark harmel

Emil Fray is a man of vision; the kind of vision that comes from viewing life through a ground glass lens without blinking.

And, as the intellectual dust slowly settles over the Photography as Art battlefield, Fray's vision has strengthened and expanded into an adamant commitment to the artistic validity of the photographic image.

It was just a little over a year ago that Fray began tossing around the idea of a gallery - devoted exclusively to the photographic image - with friends and co-workers. His enthusiasm was contagious; the dream grew wings.

Fray recalls how quickly the gallery seed began to take root: "I was still doing work for the Island Reporter and I was discussing the feasibility of a photography gallery with the people I worked with and others in the community. Everyone was extremely enthusiastic so we sat down to establish what it would take to get us through the first year of operation. We came up with a figure, went around to see various people, and all of a sudden the money starting coming in. The initial support was overwhelming; all we had to do was ask."

And thus The Photographers' Gallery was born.

Now, beginning his second year as Gallery Manager, Fray is willing to reflect on the first year's struggle and risk a few predictions of the future.

"A lot of people," he believes, "are into photography. Most people have cameras and most people need help. We started the Gallery with about 50 founding members and I would say they got involved because number one, they were photographers, number two, they liked photography, or number three, they liked our idea."

"Our intention here is to show the best work that's being done in the country. Eventually we want to be able to bring the best photographers down here to teach, to show, and to talk with people about photography."

Indeed, in its first year of operation the Gallery has come a long way towards fulfilling many initial goals. Averaging an opening a month, the Gallery has already had 12 top rate exhibits meet with public approval and critical acclaim. Contact with the SoHo photography gallery in Denver and a gallery in Woodstock, New York, has fueled plans for a future "gallery network."

Emil Fray

Manager of The Photographers' Gallery

The Gallery was awarded non-profit, tax exempt status in October of last year and gained its first lifetime member in the form of world reknown artist-photographer Robert Rauschenberg.

Successful workshops at the Gallery have been conducted by Sarasota photographer-collector Steve Katzman and acclaimed nature photographer Pete Carmichael. An intermediate photography class is now being taught one afternoon a week at the Gallery under the auspices of the Lee County Continuing Education Program. A Gallery darkroom, to be available to members and the public for a small fee, is near completion.

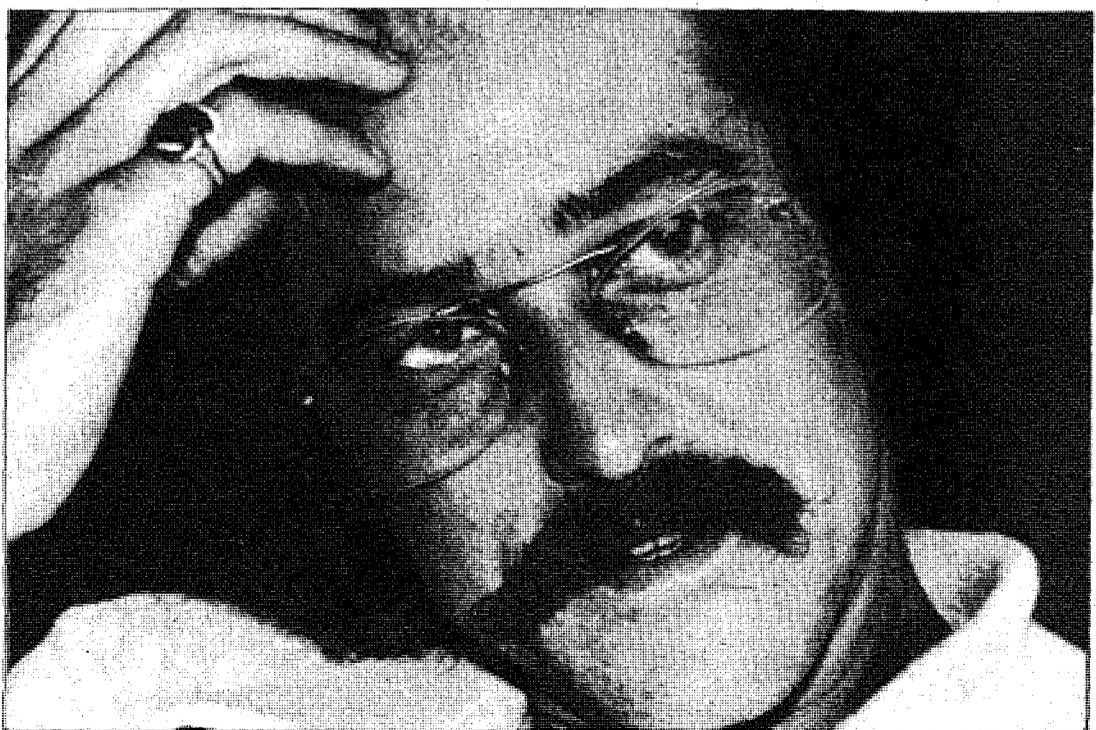
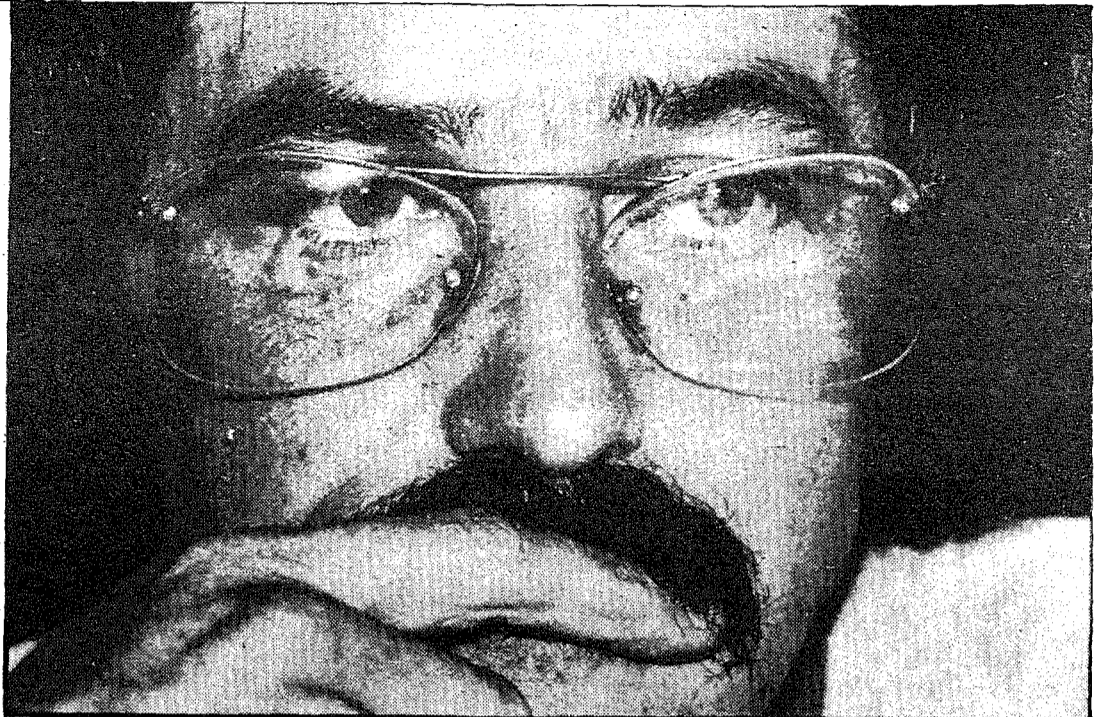
All in all a successful first year. But there have been disappointments, there are still problems to be solved.

The Gallery was turned down for a fine arts "mini grant" because of being under a year old - a Catch 22 situation considering that most galleries need the most help in surviving their first year of existence. There has also been a problem with staffing the Gallery with volunteers - people who will donate a few hours a week to just sitting in at the Gallery during operational hours. Another, more intangible, shortcoming has been, according to Fray, "not yet having achieved the comfortable and inviting atmosphere" he had envisioned. To date, hundreds of people have visited the Gallery, but it has yet to become an artistic meeting ground, a haven for stimulating interaction among area artists.

But it's not because of failure to try and Fray is optimistic about the future while maintaining a firm grasp on the reality of the situation.

"A lot of people," he stresses, "think this is my gallery but it's not at all. I can't stress enough that it's the public's gallery - I'm just the one who manages it for the time being. It takes a lot of energy to keep something like this going and we need more involvement, more volunteers to make it go."

As Fray sees it one of the biggest stumbling blocks to Gallery success is the fact that most of the members are employed full time and have little time left over for volunteer work. A major goal then, in the future, will be to tap the talents of the retired community on the Islands. "I don't understand why people limit their involvement," puzzles Fray. "Maybe we're just all too laid back here but what I envision is a co-op type of Gallery. You take a block of time and I'll take a block of time and that's the way we'll staff the place."



And undoubtedly it will all work out. The Gallery has begun its second year of operation with dreams and schemes and high hopes for success. A fund raising auction, supported by nearly every business on the Island and a multitude of artists, proved a great success and will help ease the ever present financial worries. Another grant application to the Florida Fine Arts Council stands a good chance of being approved and would help finance a full time director to orchestrate Gallery activities. Gallery members, along with students from the Sanibel Resources Center, are working on a historical photographic documentation of the Islands. Public support is growing and

visitors are returning again and again to view the changing exhibits. And Fray's vision continues with simple standards of success.

"If we can show good work," he believes, "we're a success. And if we can show somebody's work for the first time, give them an opening and help them with their work, then we're a success. And if people come in and really look at the prints, spend an hour upstairs and really enjoy the work, that's another success."

And failure? "That's when somebody comes in, travels the whole Gallery in 30 seconds and then writes 'marvelous' in the comment book."

We talk every week about where to find shells and about the different kinds that come ashore, but it's hard to imagine the crazy things people do with them when they get back home.

Everyone knows that shells have been used for money and for jewelry, but one trip to the Annual Sanibel Shell Fair and you'll come away scratching your head over creations of shells.

Okay, so you want to wrangle some idea out of the pile and design an original for yourself. So, what do you need first?

Practice shells are on the top of the list. If you can talk the old man into trodding down to one of the shell shops on Sanibel or Captiva Island and buying an inexpensive "shell drill", then you are off to a good start.

Some shells are very conveniently drilled for us by other shells, but not always in the right places. If you want to suspend shells, that is make a mobile for that corner of the condo where winds blow, then with a drill you can set holes so the works hang right. Shell drills are specially hardened to make an even hole, but practice first with a worn shell to get the process down before you start on your best junonia.

Actually, I like to see shells displayed under glass. That way some clod over for dinner doesn't put his full beer can on your tiny set of perfect angel wings. Or if you have someone in the house under three feet tall, with no teeth, but

Shelling tips ...

by Capt. Mike Fuery

a curious mind (and I'm not talking about your mother-in-law), then put those shells out of harm's way.

You can buy a coffee table with a glass top and platform under. That gives you a conversation piece and keeps your guests from pocketing some of your good stuff.

One of my favorite ways to have a flat type of shell displayed is in a common picture frame, with a black velvet backing. This works just right for lion's paws, baby's ears or other flat shells. You can pick a shell type, make a growth pattern from small to large and display it on a wall out of reach of little fingers.

After I saw a complete picture painted on a sand dollar, and another time a scene of a house painted on the inside of a small shell, I am convinced that there will never be a lack of creative things to do with your shells. That's part of this fascinating hobby.

Capt. Mike Fuery offers daily shelling trips to North Captiva and Cayo Costa Islands. Call 472-3459 for information).

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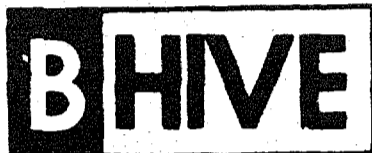
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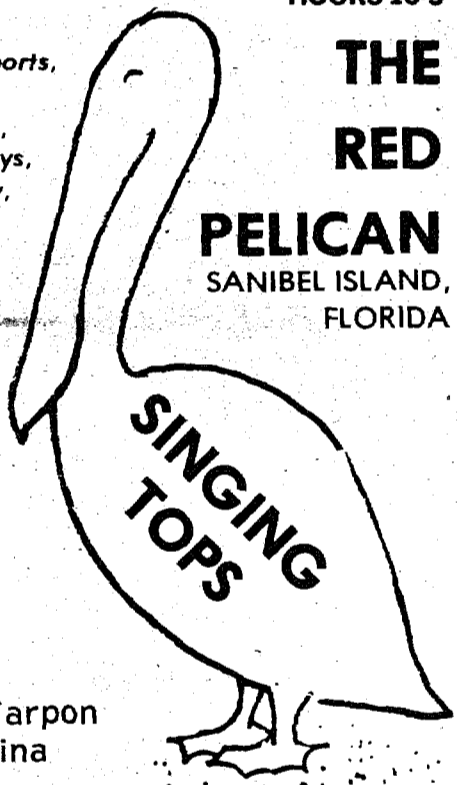
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Business and Real Estate

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Brehob's appointment was announced by Dennis C. O'Flannery, Director of Marketing for South Seas. According to O'Flannery, Brehob will be responsible for the development and implementation of group sales programs and services in the conference area.

Brehob has 13 years of hotel and convention experience in management and sales capacities with food, hospitality and convention facilities in the South and Midwest. He was formerly vice-president of Sundowner International Corporation, based in Chicago, Illinois, responsible for coordinating convention programs for corporations and associations.

New financial service available

Cash Management Account, a new financial service from Merrill Lynch, is now available in the Fort Myers area, according to Robert D. Thompson,

Resident Vice President in charge of the Fort Myers office of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Inc., the nation's largest securities company.

The new brokerage account integrates for the first time a variety of financial services into a single account. Merrill Lynch's Cash Management Account is primarily a brokerage account for investors to buy and sell securities. But it also features automatic investment in a money market fund and direct access to the cash redemption value of shares in the fund and to margin loans through the use of bank checks and VISA card. The City National Bank & Trust Company of Columbus, Ohio, provides banking services to Merrill Lynch Cash Management Account holders in the form of check and card issuance and processing.

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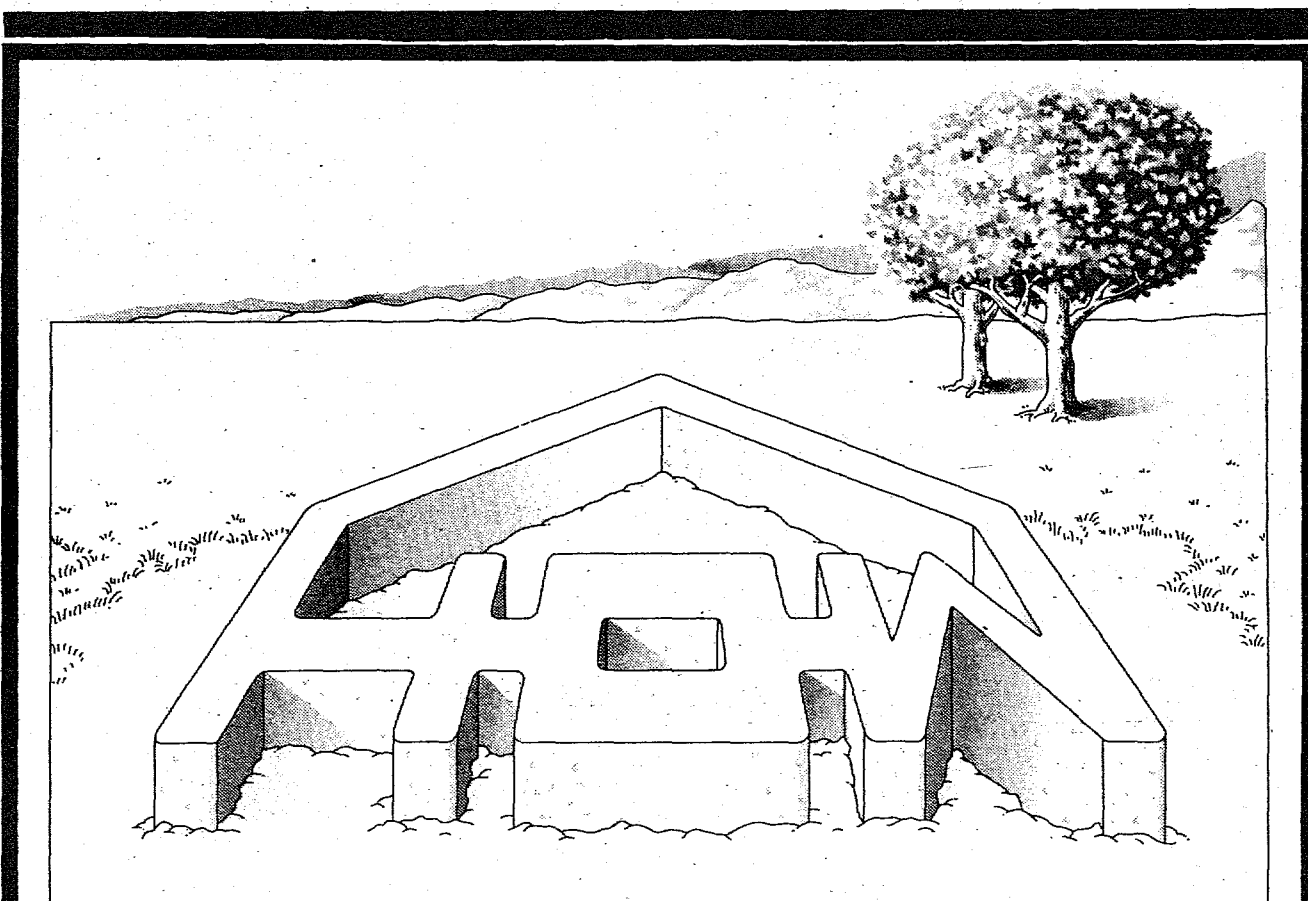
"Cash Management Account should appeal to a wide range of consumers and business people," Mr. Thompson predicted. "In terms of convenience alone, it will eliminate the many hours people spend keeping track of separate accounts."

EDITOR'S NOTE: Cash Management Account is a registered service mark owned by City National Bank of Columbus, Ohio.

Mariner announces associated property services appointment

The Mariner Group of Affiliated Companies has announced the appointments of John Mitchell and Larry Kenyon to management positions with Associated Property Services, Inc. (APS). The announcement was made by Mariner President Allen G. Ten Broek at the Company's corporate headquarters on Sanibel Island, Florida.

Mitchell is appointed Director of Property Management for APS, responsible for overall company management, commercial and residential accounts. Mitchell is a Certified Property Manager with over 15 years of experience in his profession, and was most recently with the 208 LaSalle Corporation in Chicago.



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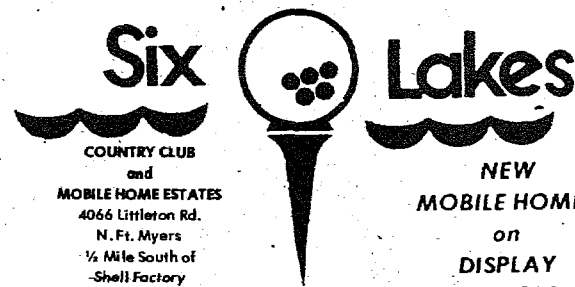
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permits & deeds

Twenty Building permits for construction valued at \$158,492 were issued by the City of Sanibel During the week ending January 18. Permits were issued to:

Nutmeg Village for restroom facilities at Nutmeg Village by Ray Martorelli for \$700;

William Guthrie for a storage area by Jeff Good for \$2,000;

Mariner Properties for a construction trailer at Casa Ybel for \$15;

Margaret Foskett for a spa at 4694 Rue Bayou by Riverbend Homes for \$2,500;

Charles Zuber for an addition at 2985 Island Inn Road by Comer and Moore Construction for \$7,600;

Margaret Foskett for a screen enclosure at 4694 Rue Bayou by Tim Pharr for \$2,300; D.E. Miller for a solar pool heater at 1254 Par View Drive by The Solar Connection for \$2,650;

John Nickens for a solar pool heater at 697 Birdie Point by The Solar Connection for \$2,460;

Carl Habenicht for a solar pool heater at 758 Sandollar Drive by The Solar Connection for \$2,460;

Robert Anderson for a solar pool heater at 1278 Par View Drive by The Solar Connection for \$2,460;

Dave Holtzman for a solar pool heater at Lindgren and East Gulf Drive by Solar Pool Heaters of Southwest Florida for \$2,500;

Christian Katz for remodeling at 4239 Gulf Pines Drive by David Herzog Construction for \$500;

Dave Holtzman for a solar pool heater at East Gulf Drive by Solar Pool Heaters of Southwest Florida for \$7,500;

Jerold Roth for a house in the Castaways subdivision by David Herzog Construction,

Inc. for \$20,690;

Robert Gibson for a house at 411 Lighthouse Way by the owner for \$44,730;

Elizabeth Lombardo for completion SFR in the Dunes subdivision, Kittiwake Circle, by Custom Builders for \$51,750;

Alexander Firsov for SFR completion in the Del Sega subdivision, Harbor Lane, for \$19,782;

Richard Dunn for an additional room in garage by the owner at 4670 Rue Bayou for \$400;

Girl Scouts Lee Lovetro, DeDe Schultz, Karie Stern, and Margy Juhle all grab for thin mint cookies. The Sanibel Cadette Troop 398 met on Friday to try unique recipes using Girl Scout cookies. The thin mints were smeared with peanut butter and

placed around a marshmallow to make microwave s'mores. The troop will soon be out selling their cookies around the Islands.

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by mark harmel



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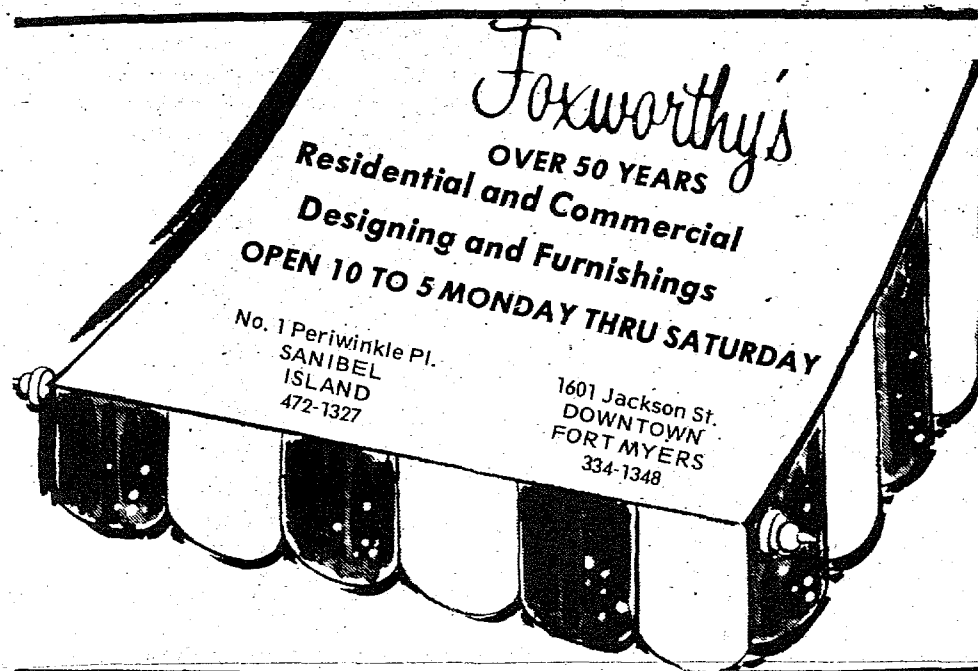
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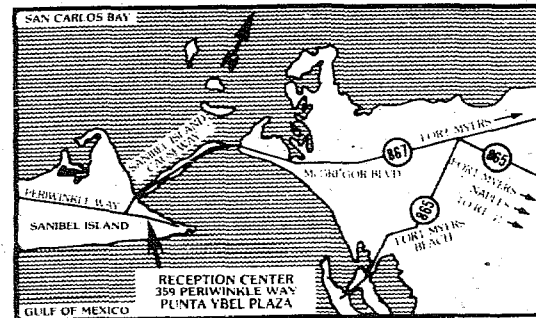
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The regular meeting of the Sanibel-Captiva Lions Club was held at Beachview Country Club on January 16 and enjoyed a sports-oriented talk by Sam Bailey.

Mr. Bailey reminisced about sports on the Island during his youth when the Pirate Playhouse was a two-room schoolhouse. They had the only four-man football team in existence and challenged another team but never played a game. They were known as the Santiva Sharks in 1937-38. The ball field was a cornfield and they cleared the baseball field with a borrowed grader in 1938. Sam attended boarding school in Ft. Myers and earned 12 letters in five sports. He was a student at the University of Georgia during World War II and, after being scouted by the professionals, he

received a letter of thanks from the Baltimore club for not showing up there.

His sports career has spanned 41 years with 25 of them at the University of Tampa. He assisted in the promotion of the American Bowl Game which was held for several years in Tampa and he is currently working on setting up an International Bowl Game between Canadian and American teams to be played in Canada. He is a team sports supporter and is interested in all areas of sports including ethics and morals. He said that sports, including football, are a rallying point for all schools.

The Lions club donated the necessary money to the Sanibel Fire Department for the purchase of a CPR training mannekin. Several letters of thanks, from various

organizations, for donations of Christmas trees were read by President Corace.

Twelve Lions indicated they would attend the regional meeting at Bartow on February 9 and 10, and plans are in progress for Sanibel to host the March 19 meeting of the local area clubs. A Ladies Nite is being planned for the latter part of February with definite information at the next meeting.

The next meeting will be at the Beachview Country Club on February 6 at 6:30 p.m.

by don cooperider

Olsen trial slated for March

The trial of Sanibel resident Robert James Olsen, who is charged with trafficking in cocaine and conspiracy to deliver drugs has been postponed until March 17. It had been scheduled for early January.

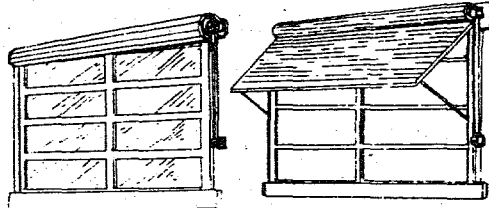
Olsen was arrested in Buckingham last summer when he allegedly arranged a drug buy for an undercover agent. Officers from the Sanibel Police department participated in the case.

If convicted, Olsen faces a mandatory 15-year jail term and \$250,000 fine.

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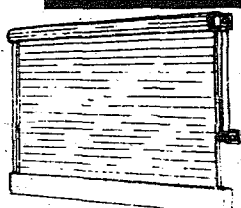
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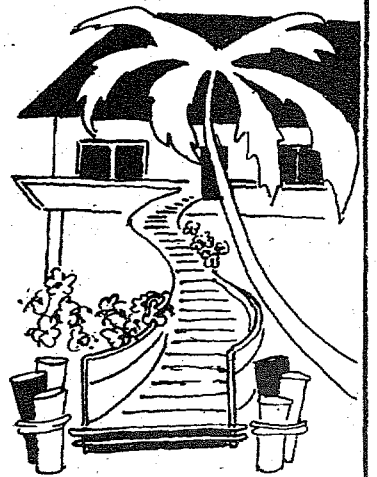
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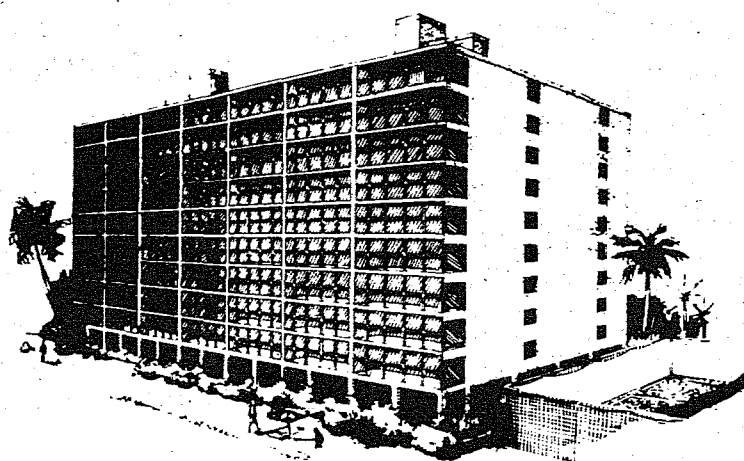
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The African violet originates from East Africa. True to these climates your African violet will like warm spots in your house. At least 75 degrees or better. As far as lighting goes, that good old north window, which I think the African violet made popular, is your best choice. A window facing east is sometimes just as good. On the islands, however, it may get a little too much light because often there is not enough outdoor vegetation directly around the window to provide proper

shade when it starts getting into late morning. Keep an eye out for this if your north windows are already occupied.

Artificial lighting works just as well. The only thing you have to know is the foot-candles and, generally speaking, the average fluorescent 40 watt bulb will give off about 400 foot-candles at 12 inches. This amount is about what your African violet likes to have and keeping this in mind, your lamps will have to be around 12 inches from the top of your plants to give off the proper foot-candles. It may be troublesome in the beginning to set up but once you do, you will enjoy some of the best violets you'd ever imagine. One way you can tell if your African violet is getting enough light is that the leaves will normally lay flat but when there is insufficient lighting, the leaves will start reaching upward.

Watering your African violet is one of the most misunderstood practices in the care of this plant. African violets have very fine fibrous roots that can become permanently damaged if allowed to dry out. This means you should keep your plant's soil barely moist at all times. I find

the best way to do this is by bottom watering. You simply place your violet in a saucer of water for about six hours a day and it will get the moisture that it has to have. You may top water your violet, but if you get any water on the leaves it will spot the leaf with which it came in contact.

This does not mean that you should never give your violet a shower. All plants, including the African violet, should have a regular trip to the kitchen sink and sprayed with the sprayer found on many sinks today. Just remember to use room temperature water or higher and you will never get any water spots on the leaves.

As far as humidity goes, a nice humidifying tray will do wonders for your plant. To make a humidifying tray, you simply take a plant coaster which you can pick up at your florists' and place a layer of rock in it. Fill this coaster up with water just to the point where it is nearly even with the top of the rocks. Then place your plant on the rocks. The evaporation of the water gives your African violet all the humidity it needs. Never mist any fuzzy leafed plant - always use a humidifying tray.

Feeding your African violet should be done on a monthly basis or sooner depending on what fertilizer you are using. Always follow the manufacturer's directions. Many times I will cut it in half if I feel it is a bit too much. I generally fertilize by top watering. If you bottom fertilize, the fertilizer will collect on the top soil and crystalize. This will definitely cause damage to the plant. If you notice this happening you can carefully top water the next few days, or the best thing to do would be to repot in fresh soil.

Happy growing!

By Don Rulle

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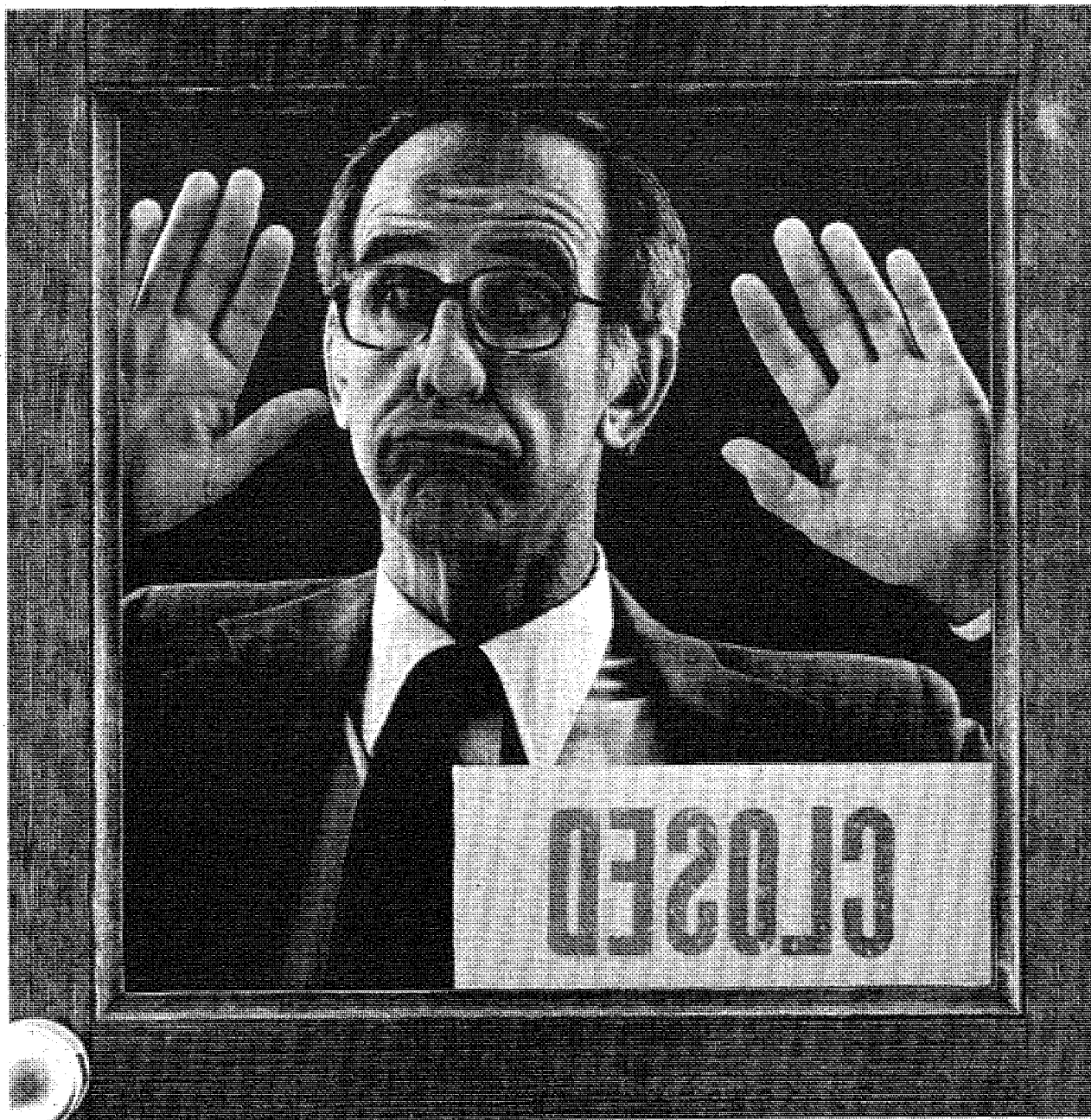
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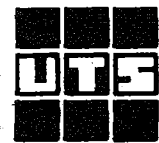
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1st Gallery auction a success

by mark harmel

Over 150 bidders turned up at the Community Center building last Saturday to support a fund raising auction sponsored by The Photographers' Gallery.

Antiques, objet d'arts, photographic prints, Island services and holiday weekends were some of the many bargains up for bid.

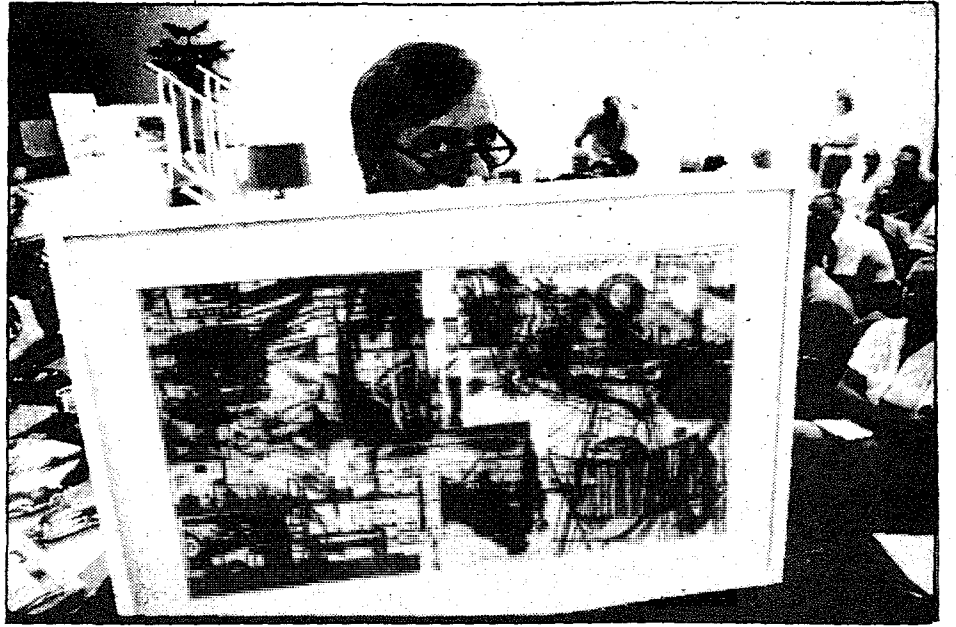
A week in the Bahamas for two (including air fare) donated by Captran Inc. and valued at \$908 left the auction block for the bargain price of \$450. The oldest known map of Sanibel was sold to the highest bidder for \$40 - the same price paid for a two-person hammock.

A signed and framed artist's proof of Robert Rauschenberg's historical Tropic magazine cover (December 30) went for \$650 to Sy Cohen of Farmington Hills, Michigan and Sanibel. The value of the

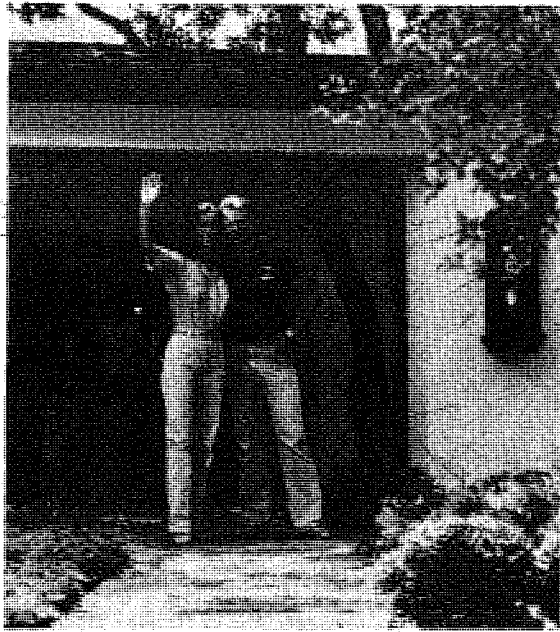
donated cover had been undetermined at the time of sale. Twenty similar signed editions have been donated to museums and another 80 were randomly distributed to Miami Herald subscribers. The cover, with a value similar to a Rauschenberg lithograph, made art history with its distribution both for the size of the press run (650,000) and for the process used to create it ("stat-art" designed by Tropic art director Leon Rosenblatt). The print purchased by Cohen was dated, signed, and bore the words "Special Proof, Sanibel, Fa."

After the auction Cohen said he had "sort of gotten carried away" - he had not attended the auction with the intention of purchasing the Rauschenberg, but he was "very excited about it."

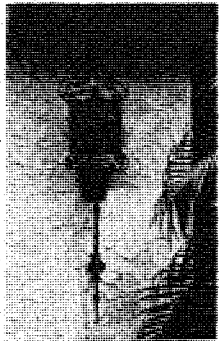
"It's very intriguing," he said later, "and our growing involvement with Sanibel



makes it even more exciting." Approximately \$4500 was raised to benefit the non-profit gallery.



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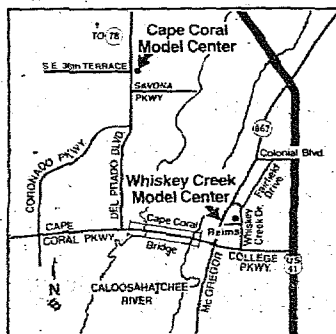
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by pat harmel

Marc Aune

Age: 28

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Roots: "Born in Eau Claire, Wisconsin but lived, for the most part, in Souix Falls, South Dakota."

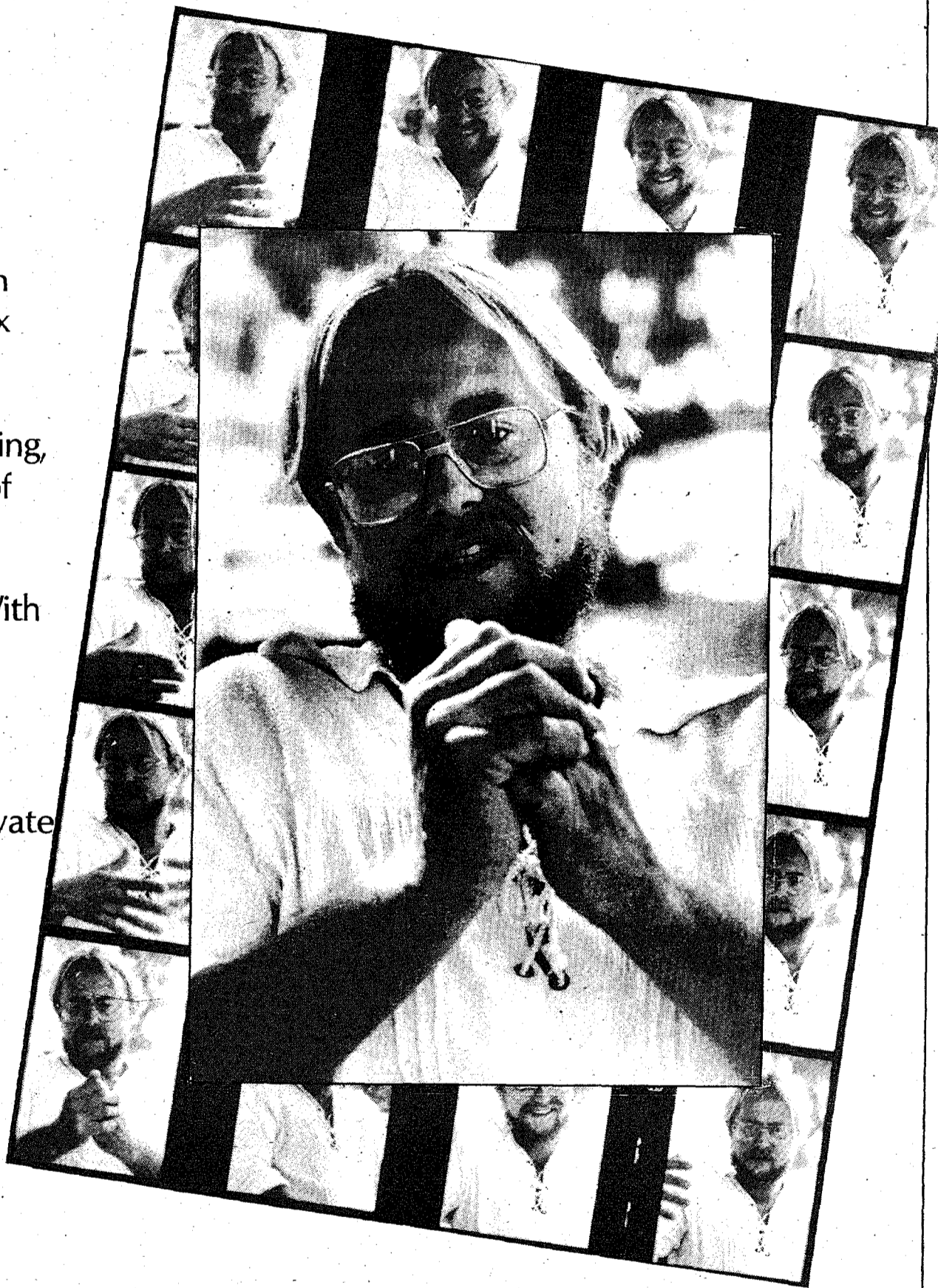
Pleasures: "Fishing, sailing, water skiing, anything outdoors, partying, and of course artwork."

Last Book Read: "Communicating With Dolphins"

Mentor: "Gaston Bachlard"

Wish: "That I had more time to cultivate good friendships."

Words of Wisdom: "Know what to chase and when to catch it."



photos by mark harmel

When Marc Aune was a little boy he knew exactly what he wanted to be when he grew up. His dream was not to be a fireman in a shiny red truck or an astronaut rocketing through outer space. What Marc Aune wanted to be more than anything else was something far more impalpable, more nebulous; what he wanted to be when he grew up was an artist.

"I thought that an artist was someone who made a lot of money," he laughingly recalls. "Now I know better. It's a full lifetime pastime that takes lots and lots of work."

As Art Director of Sanibel's Schoolhouse Gallery Marc has been able to further refine his definition of artist. "Anybody doing something well and expressing things about the world is an artist," he believes.

Since moving to Florida seven years ago Marc's own work has been placed "on the back burner." His involvement with the aesthetic world now, however, is total.

Moving to Fort Myers seven years ago after his wife (Kathy) secured a teaching job was a different story however. Like so many other immigrants Marc found

employment tenuous. It meant little to be a college graduate who considered himself an artist. So he worked for a golf course, worked as a swimming instructor, a construction worker and for one interesting eight month period supervised a Puerto Rican work crew at a mattress factory - a crew that spoke no English while he spoke no Spanish.

It was not until he approached Schoolhouse Gallery owner Fred Fox with some of his work that Marc found his niche in the local art community. The timing was right, the Art Director's position was open, and Marc made the move to Sanibel. And for the last three years he has been coordinating, framing and selecting the works for the popular gallery.

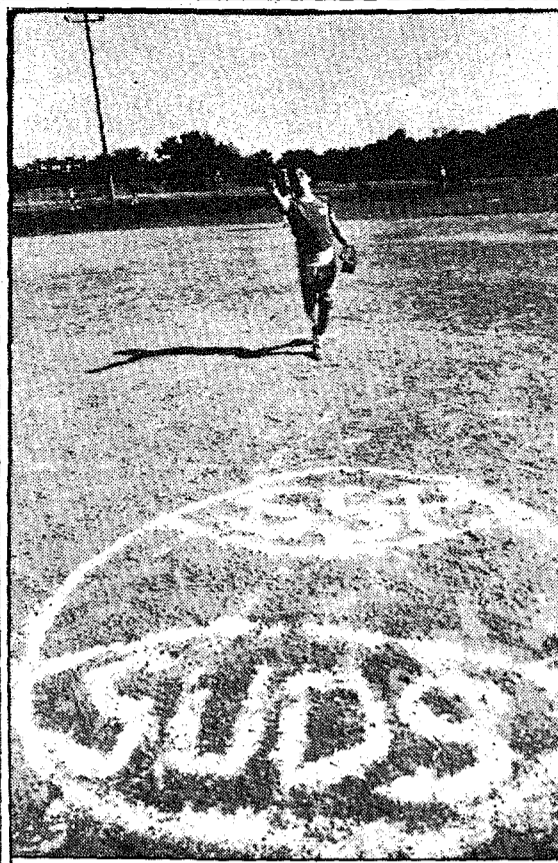
But in gaining full time employment one always pays the price of personal time, time which to an artist is all the more precious. The time-consuming sculpture and drawing that Marc loves to create has been sacrificed for the sake of economics but he still manages to keep his hand in, still manages to have at least one drawing in the works, even though he admits "My work doesn't fit into the Florida

environment. It's metaphysical, surreal work."

His work now is often therapeutic, a release valve. "almost a meditation," and he finds himself frequently "moving in different directions, attempting to express the inexpressible," surviving in his words "an experience in metaphysical frustration." Three months is the longest period he has ever gone without producing.

Despite his claim that "realism is not my forte" Marc does produce work (some of which can be viewed at the Gallery) influenced by his Sanibel environs. He has become an avid fisherman and birdwatcher since moving to the island he calls "paradise" and much of his commercial work reflects his affinity with nature.

Future plans are vague - "I have aspirations but they're not in any sequence" - but do include the dream of "a permanent home with a studio" where he might one day get down to the business of being "a full time artist." Will he stay on Sanibel forever? "Maybe half of forever," he smiles.



It was six months in the waiting. The heavies from Deetroit were looking for revenge.

In June the road team of the South Seas 86'ers went to the Motor City and shoved the Stroh's down the throats of the local softball power, Suds in the Park.

When the dust had cleared South Seas had won the 1st Suds-Seas Softball Classic.

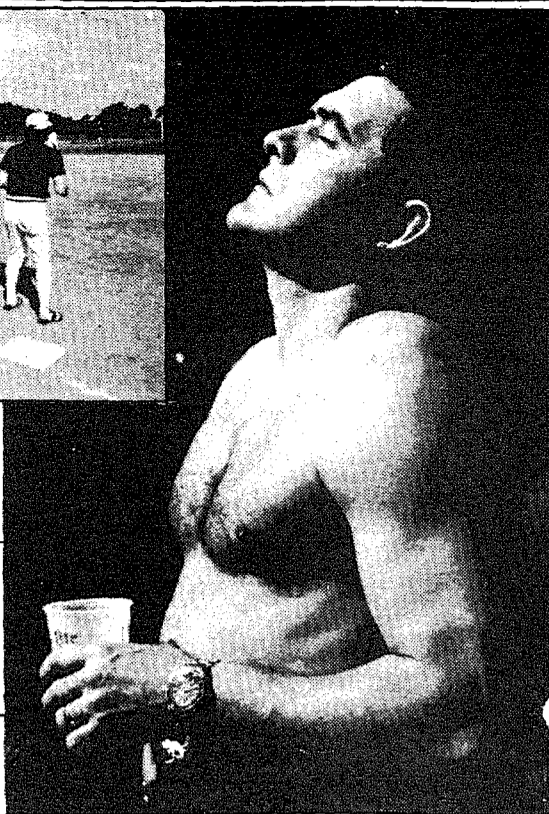
As the 86'ers were flying out of Detroit's Metro Airport a sudsy cry was heard above the screech of the jet, "We'll be back for our trophy!"

So, out of the cold, Leo Fahle brought his Suds to the Sanibel Elementary field looking for revenge.

The intensity of the Suds was too much for the 86'ers in the opening game played under the lights Friday. Suds in the Park out-hit South Seas 12-7.

But jet lag and beer chugging began to take its toll. The 86'ers squeezed by the two Saturday games 12-11, and 3-2. By Sunday the 86'ers were clearly the dominant team. The Suds were finished. They had lost their third game 6-1. South Seas manager, Tony Franchi attributed the victory to the "great team play" of the 86'ers.

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Island Sports

by mark harmel

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Dunes Racquet Club Ladder

Men's Ladder (Top Ten)

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2. Tom Fisher
3. Bob Backes
4. Allen Grasgreen
5. Jim Phaler
6. Don Bissell
7. Myton Ireland
8. Stan Johnson
9. Earle Fisher
10. Trump Bradley

Women's Ladder (Top Ten)

1. Gaye Johnson
2. Pam Phaler
3. Candy Mather
4. Linda Bjerke
5. Marge Peck
6. Wendy Bissell
7. Dolly Ireland
8. Ginny Bissell
9. Adele Hodgekinson
10. Jo Ann Fisher

Challenges

Marge Peck defeated Dorothy Andrews 6-0, 6-0
 Dolly Ireland defeated Ginny Bissell 6-2, 6-2
 Trump Bradley defeated George Crillman 6-0, 6-0

Division A Results

Casa Ybel 3, Lehigh Acres 1

Meyers, Pfahler 6-1, 6-1
 Muench, Thompson 6-2, 7-5
 Costanzo, Peck 4-6, 6-3, 2-6
 Greenbeg, Mather 6-1, 6-2

Division B Standings

Landings	34	3
YMCA 1	26	14
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Cypress Lake	25	15
FM Racquet Red	22	18
Cape Coral	24	20
Dunes	18	22
YMCA 2	14	26
Rangoon	11	33
Park Meadow	5	35

Division B Results

Dunes 0 - Landings 4

Ireland - Tetrault 3-6, 4-6
 Bissel - Andrews 2-6, 6-7
 Wadkorsky - Conte forfeit
 Wagner - Hodgekinson forfeit

Sanibel Tennis Ladders

Children's Ladder

1. Ross Bjerke
2. Mahlon Thompson
3. Joey Hammett
4. Billy Zeiss
5. Kit Toomey
6. Peter Epranian
7. Lolli Vartdal
8. Jim Toomey

Women's Ladder

1. Lou Anne Parker
2. Pam Thompson
3. Pam Pfahler
4. Marge Peck
5. June Muench
6. Dorothy Andrews
7. Wendy Bissel
8. Mary Ann Boleman
9. Linda McCarthy
10. Kathy Clapp

Men's Ladder

1. Ben Bjerke
2. Brian Newberry
3. Bob Thompson
4. Tom Fisher
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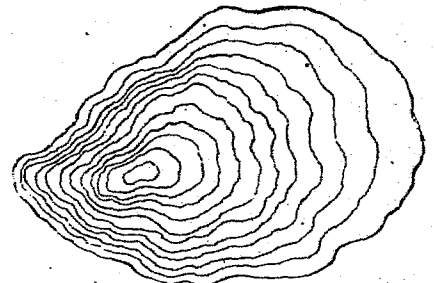


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Sports from page 21

The Men's Golf Association at the Dunes Country Club played a Two Best Balls tournament for threesomes on Wednesday. The team of A. Mainard, J. Minor, and H. McKee took first place. H. GLaeser, B. Jenkins, and W. Marrow finished second. Third place went to N. Davis, D. Wilhoit, and B. Kimmel.

Thursday at the Dunes a Two-Ball Scotch tournament using foursomes was held. The first place winners were Larry Kenyon and Betty Uhr. Jim Minor and Aspasia finished second. Third place was won by Bill Ayres and Doris Van Derbeck.

It was crowded at the top in the Beachview Men's Golf Association Saturday meeting. There were ties for first place in both the individual and team categories.

Two teams tied for first with a plus nine. One team consisted of Ken Preston, Clay Marsh, Ray Howland, and Bill Beynon. The other included Bob Robertson, Eben Joy, Homer Ristow, and Lee Gibson.

The second place finishers were Bill Estep, Carter Dewey, Rudy Mikulic, and John Forester finishing with a plus eight.

The best individual score of plus five was shared by Tram Sessions and Rudy Mikulic.

Bowling

Wednesday Mourners

	W	L
1. Captiva Island Realty	39½		28½
2. Century 21	39		29
3. Heir's Construction	38		30
4. Ron's Trailer Supply	38		30
5. Loggerheads	37		31
6. Crown Plumbing	37		31
7. The Open Gate	34		34
8. Mucky Duck	28		40
9. Casa del Mama	25½		42½
10. The Housekeeping Company	24		44

High Game

Helen Thomas	207
Barb Schultz	190

Golf

The big event of the day for the Beachview Woman's Golf Association on Monday, January 14, was Betty Siri getting an eagle on the number 6 hole, a par 5 hole.

The team event winners were:

First: Mary Jane Preston, Arlene Mercer, Ann Hamilton, Dorothy Ristow
Tying for second place were: Eileen Joy, Jean Laidlow, Bird Rosen, Marjorie Martonelli, Betty Puff, Jean Corace, Betty Siri, Syril Rubin.

	W	L
1. Alley Cats	45	27
2. High Hopes	43½	28½
3. Mole Holers	43	29
4. Turkey's	41	31
5. Odd Balls	39	33
6. Alley Opps	38	34
7. Dee's 104	33	39
8. FUBAR	33	39
9. C.B.'s	32	40
10. Nurds	30	42
11. The Aces	27½	44½
12. Guys and Dolls	27	45

High Game

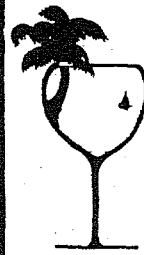
Dot Dabel	249
Bud Bernhard	240

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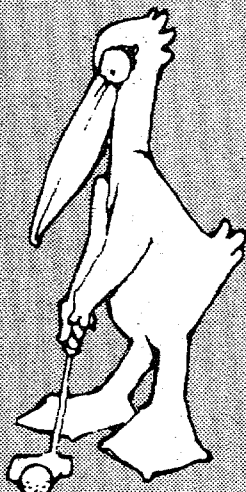
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The story of shells is sounded

by betsy nichols

Z"Mommy," a bespectacled youngster looked intelligently upward to ask his mother as he studied the ground along both sides of the Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Center. "Why are there so many shells?" If his curiosity about shells was not entirely quelled by his mother's answers, the program the boy and his mom were about to attend last Tuesday at the Center, was certain to further challenge his imagination.

For there, the waist-high young man, and dozens like him, along with a fair crowd of adult tourists, were to learn much more than the mere existence of shells. Dick Workman, director of the Conservation Center, demonstrated that all shells, like children, are not just to be seen, but also heard! The story of shells took on a new dimension of sound.

By simply removing the apex of large local conch shells (horse conchs), they, like many other species of shells are easily converted into bugle-like signalling devices used by man as early as 4,000 years ago to announce the beginning of special events or as a warning signal to be heard over long distances.

Later to be dubbed "Hot Lips Harry" by a member of the audience, Workman demonstrated that blowing into some shells with a buzzing action of the lips produces a sound similar to that of a

trombone. (The shells include large horse conchs, pink queen conchs, chank shells and Mediterranean tritons). The same technique applied to medium sized whelks and other shells produces a higher-pitched sound like a trumpet.

While demonstrating the technique, Workman cited a recent news article released by UPI from India on the birth of the world's second test tube baby who, at nine days old, was greeted upon arriving home by "the traditional Hindu welcome with conch shells."

By cupping his hand in the natural opening of the shells, Workman went on to show that with many shells some four or five notes can be achieved — enough to reproduce an amazingly well-done version of the "Ode to Joy" from Beethoven's Ninth Symphony and other readily identifiable like "Sentimental Journey" and "Oh Suzannah".

Whether or not Workman's nickname sticks, the sounds of the shells are sure to echo across the Islands as dozens of little "hot lips", members of Brownie troop 32, continued in his steps.

Should the brownies, all in second grade at Sanibel Elementary, decide to create a band using Sanibel shells as instruments, the sounds are not likely to be too harmonious. Workman explained that when two or more shells are played in unison,

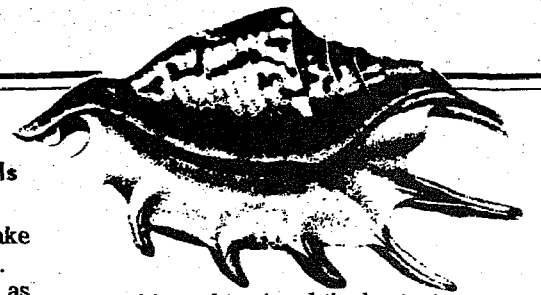
heavy overtones are produced that make their combined sound less than pleasant.

In tracing the history of using shells as bugles, Workman said it is believed that the practice originated in the Eastern Mediterranean, probably close to Crete. Shell trumpets are made by blowing in a shell with the tip broken off and have since been used on every continent with the possible exception of Australia.

The Mediterranean triton is thought to be the first. A total of 2,018 broken shells from each of which the apex had been removed, have been found in a neolithic cave in that area, indicating clearly that each of them was used as a trumpet.

Similar to the Mediterranean triton is the Strombus Gigus, found in the West Indies and the Caribbean. The name "triton" is derived from ancient mythology. According to the legend, Poseidon, the god of the sea, ordered his son, Triton, to blow the shell to signal creatures to rise out of the sea. Coins from Sicily used as early as 400 BC show Triton blowing the shell.

Customary uses of shell trumpets have included their use by Indians in connection with war dances accompanied by the pounding of drums and blowing on whelk shells. They have been used to signal arrivals from sea, the availability of fresh fish, an approaching enemy, a call to



worship and to signal the beginning of the new year.

In Borneo, a snail shell has been used to call water buffalo; in Greece, they were used as war horns; and in Japan, shells have even been used to transmit coded signals during times of war.

In cultures where shell blowing has been used regularly for specific occasions, it has been customary for one person to be designated as the shell blower. According to Workman, this person was often the town braggart, hence the origin of the familiar phrase, "blowing your own horn".

To make a horn from a shell, a screw driver (or similar instrument) may be used with a hammer to remove the pointed end of the shell and create a circular opening that can be adjusted to fit the size of the lips.

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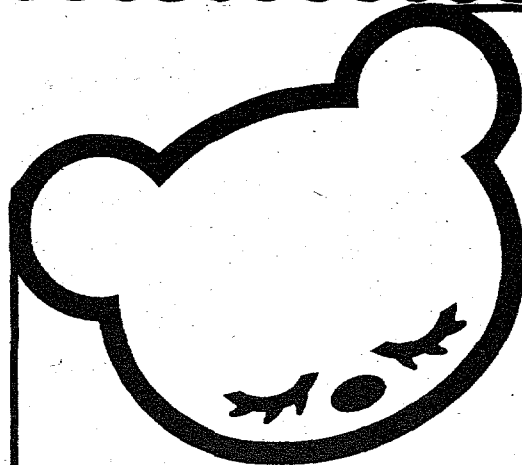
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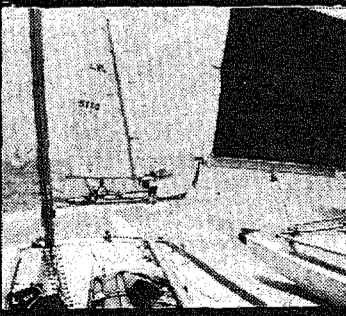
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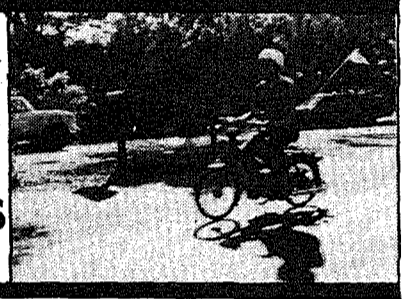
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Camping on the beach is prohibited and while everyone enjoys a beach fire, you'll have to get a permit to have one on a Sanibel public beach. The Fire Department on Palm Ridge Road will supply you with a fire permit for \$1.00. In addition, you'll be required to make a \$25.00 deposit, returnable the day after your beach party when the beach has been inspected for litter or debris. Make sure you clean the area thoroughly or you'll be out \$25.00! Condo owners or managers may submit a letter to the Fire Department, acknowledging that they will assume responsibility for clean up after a fire in front of their buildings. The \$25 deposit will be waived in those circumstances.

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Feeding alligators anywhere within the Sanibel city limits is not only illegal (violators of the law are subject to a fine of up to \$500, or up to 60 days in jail, or both.), but can be extremely dangerous. Alligators can run 45 m.p.h., so if you're close enough to feed an alligator, he's close enough to feed on you. An alligator fed for fun loses his natural fear of humans and becomes a potential threat to children and pets.

FISHING

While no license is required for salt water fishing, fishing in fresh water ponds or the Sanibel River requires a Florida fishing license, available at Bailey's General Store on Periwinkle Way. The fee is \$3.75.

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Snook	18 in.
Trout	12 in.

SHELLING

The City of Sanibel Resolution limiting the taking of shells to 2 live shells per person per species is one to be scrupulously obeyed. As a matter of fact, in order to preserve Sanibel's beautiful shelling beaches, most collectors refuse to take ANY live shells whatsoever.

SPEED LIMITS

The varying speed limits as one comes across the causeway may seem almost schizophrenic, but there is a very good reason for them. The stress and strain of traffic over the years has weakened the bridge supports (not to the point where there is any danger, fortunately) so in an effort to preserve the existing structure, the speed limits have been imposed.

They are to be taken seriously, for they are rigidly enforced by radar on a 24-hour a day basis by the Lee County Sheriff's Department. Observe them, please.

DOGGY DO'S... & DONT'S

If you're visiting Sanibel with the family Fido in tow, all the better. All family members can enjoy Southwest Florida sun and surf. The Chamber of Commerce can tell you what accommodations are available for families with pets. REMEMBER - wherever you are - CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR PET! The friendly reminder - "Leave nothing on the beach but footprints" - applies to dogs, too. There's no leash law on Sanibel, but of course an excitable or unruly animal is better off when controlled with a leash.

BICYCLE RULES

If you're not used to a lot of bicycle traffic, watch out for it on Sanibel. The extensive network of bike paths on the island is clearly marked along the edge of the road. Observe caution when driving near the bike path. A state law and a city ordinance combine to PROHIBIT PARKING OR DRIVING ON THE BIKE PATH. MOPEDS ARE NOT PERMITTED ON THE BIKE PATHS.

Planning on spending some time on a bike to enjoy the island sun and sights? Make sure your vehicle is equipped with a bike flag, horn, good brakes and a light for night riding. Under Florida law, bicycle riders have the same rights and responsibilities as motor vehicle drivers. DRIVE SAFELY.

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Featuring only fresh caught fish daily. Grouper, swordfish, sole, trout, scrod in season. Also prime ribs and steaks. Extensive wine list. Open 7 days, 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. Dress Casual, MC, AE, VISA.

Casa Del Mama O
1625 Periwinkle Way
472-1033

Italian-American cuisine. Spaghetti, meatballs, lasagna, ravioli. Take-out service. Open for breakfast and lunch 7 a.m. to 2 p.m., dinner 5 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Dress casual. MC, VISA.

Scotty's Pub +
1223 Periwinkle Way
472-1771

Featuring "Groaning Board" lunch daily 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sandwich makings, plus hot and cold buffet. Dinner 5 p.m. to 9 p.m., fresh fish, fresh Western beef, "Super Chef Specials" nightly. Rick Keeler entertains in the lounge Tuesday through Sunday, 8 p.m. to midnight. Monday Nights: Football and Marching Society, free hot dogs. Dress casual, MC, AE, VISA.

Jacklin's +
Ramada Inn
At the Golf on Tulipa
472-4123

Serving breakfast daily 7 a.m. to 12 noon, bagels, apple cinnamon buns and more. Lunch Noon to 2 p.m., salad bar, hot roast beef, hamburgers. Dinner 5 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., serving some entrees family style, salad bar, home made soups. Entertainment in the lounge Tuesday through Sunday, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Dress casual, MC, AM, VISA.

Cafe Orleans O
In The French Quarter, Periwinkle Way
472-5700

Featuring fresh shrimp and bouillabaisse. Open 5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Live piano music. Casual dress. No credit cards.

The "Letizias"
3313 West Gulf Drive
472-2177

Gourmet Northern Italian and French cuisine. All dinners include Neopolitan antipasto. Open 5 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Appropriate dress required. VISA.

The Nutmeg House
2761 West Gulf Drive
472-1141

Fresh veal and seafood specialties prepared to order. Open Tuesday through Sunday, 5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.; champagne brunch every Sunday 12 Noon to 2 p.m. Appropriate dress expected. MC, VISA.

The French Corner
Next to the Post Office
Tarpon Bay Road

French cuisine, reservations required. Serving dinner 6 p.m. to 10 p.m., closed Tuesdays. Casual dress. MC, VISA.

Duncan's Restaurant & Ice Cream Parlour
Periwinkle Place Shopping Center
Periwinkle Way
472-2525

Serving hamburgers, fish sandwiches, daily luncheon specials, large variety of flavors in ice cream. Open 11 a.m. for lunch, dinner and snacks 5:50 p.m. to 9 p.m. Dress casual. MC, VISA.

Lighthouse Restaurant O
362 Periwinkle Way
472-9976

Serving breakfast 7 a.m. to 2 p.m., waffles, pancakes, French toast. Lunch 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Chowder, soups, omelettes. Casual dress. No credit cards.

The Thistle Lodge at the Casa Ybel Beach & Racquet Club +
2255 Gulf Drive
472-3145

Enjoy Gulf-front dining in this new restaurant, an authentic reproduction of a late Victorian Sanibel mansion on the beach. International cuisine: Spanish, Polynesian, Oriental. Luncheon served from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Dinner 5:30 p.m. to 10 p.m., seatings at 5:30, 6 and 6:30 p.m. Family style Sunday brunch, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Entertainment nightly in the lounge, 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Appetizers and munchies until closing. Collared shirts required. MC, AE, VISA.

The Landlubber O
1619 Periwinkle Way
472-3723

Breakfast and lunch served from 7:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Closed Thursdays. Omelettes, pancakes, sandwiches, hamburgers, fishburgers. Dress casual. MC, VISA, AE. While there, climb the Landlubber Tower for one of the best views of the Island.

Harbor House O
1244 Periwinkle Way
472-1242

Fresh broiled seafood, Sanibel Specials (sauteed shrimp or scallops), fresh lobster daily. Dress casual. VISA, MC.

F & B Oyster House O
2163 Periwinkle Way
472-5276

Serving dinner only, 5 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., 7 days a week. Fresh raw oysters and five oyster entrees are the specialty of this seafood house which also features shore dinners and fresh fish. Dress is casual. MC, VISA.

Pate's +
1523 Periwinkle Way
472-3161

Lounge, with raw bar, and backgammon tables, opens 4 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Live entertainment Tuesday through Saturday, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Monday Night Football features Happy Hour prices starting at 4 p.m. 'til closing, with free hot dogs and peanuts during the game. Dinner is served from 5:30 to 10:30 p.m., featuring seafood, steaks and prime ribs. Casual dress. MC, VISA, AE.

Sundial
1256 Middle Gulf Drive
472-4151

Putting Pelican +
1100 Parview Dr.
(Beach View Golf Club)
472-4394
Specialties: Sandwiches, "Chip Slots" (Baked Potato Fried), salads served in glass potting bowls and Islander drinks. Open 7 days until 6 p.m. Breakfast served from 9 to 11 a.m.; Hot-Cold Lunches served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Casual dress. VISA, MC, AE.

And if you're in a hurry.....
Eat in or take out on Sanibel

Burger Emporium O
2353 Periwinkle Way
472-2500

Burgers, chili, hot dogs, frozen ice cream. Cold beer. Open 10:30 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. 7 days a week.

Island Pizza O
Sanibel Plaza
Periwinkle Way
472-1581

Pizza, subs, spaghetti. Beer and wine to go. Open 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. 7 days a week.

Joey's
1020 Periwinkle Way
472-5500

Serving breakfast 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.; open 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., 7 days a week. Hamburgers, hot dogs, hot ham & cheese sandwiches. Home-made chili, frostys.

Dairy Queen
1048 Periwinkle Way
472-1170

Open 11 a.m. to 8 p.m., 7 days a week for sandwiches and soft ice cream. Char-broiled burgers.

Buttonwood Bar-B-Q
Sanibel-Captiva Road
(next to the Santiva Mini-Mart)

Breakfast, Ribs, Sandwiches, home-made soups. Takeouts available. Open daily 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Take-Out Only

Bailey's General Store
Island Shopping Center
Periwinkle Way
472-1516

Fried chicken, hot cobblers, Salisbury steak, salads, daily specials. Open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

B-Hive
Periwinkle Way
472-1277

Crab, shrimp and lobster combo subs, sandwiches, home made coleslaw and potato salad. Open Monday through Thursday 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Huxter's Deli
Periwinkle Way
472-2151

Sandwiches, Bar-B-Q spareribs, roast beef, assorted salads and sandwich makings, Key Lime pie. Open 7 a.m. to 11 p.m., 7 days a week.

The Sub Shop
Across from the fire station
on Palm Ridge Road
472-5374

Large variety of subs made to your order. Open 10:30 p.m. to 11 p.m., 7 days a week.

Si Bon
Periwinkle Way
472-2806

French gourmet cuisine prepared to order. Most entrees include salad. Open 11:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., 7 days a week.

More Food

DINING ON CAPTIVA

The Bubble Room O
Sanibel-Captiva Road
472-5558

Continental cuisine prepared to order. Open Tuesday through Sunday, 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Boop's by the Bubble Room

Featuring country breakfasts, Mexican cuisine. Dress is casual in both restaurants. MC, VISA.

Chadwick's +
At South Seas Plantation
Sanibel-Captiva Road
472-3141

Award winning dining and entertainment. Selected as one of Florida's top 100 restaurants by Florida Trend Magazine. MC, VISA, AE.

'Tween Waters Inn +
Sanibel-Captiva Road
472-5161

Serving breakfast and lunch 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., closed Wednesdays. Dinner features fresh local fish, Veal Francaise, fresh cut meats, 6 to 9 p.m. All rolls and pastries are baked on the premises. Seafood buffet Fridays, 6 to 9:30 p.m. and Sunday Brunch, hot and cold buffet with fresh fruits from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Collared shirts and slacks required. MC, VISA.

The Mucky Duck O
Any Rosse Lane
(turn left off Sanibel-Captiva Road)
472-3434

Directly on the Gulf, with a screened-in porch for outdoor dining. This restaurant is open for lunch Monday through Friday, 12 Noon through 2:30 p.m. Hamburgers, fish and chips. Dinner is served Monday through Saturday, 6 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., featuring English meat pies, shrimp in beer batter. Its bar is open 12 Noon to 2 a.m. Monday through Saturday. Dress is casual. No credit cards are accepted.

EAT IN OR TAKE-OUT ON CAPTIVA

Something Special
Captiva Village Square
Sanibel-Captiva Road

Open Monday through Saturday, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., featuring gourmet sandwiches and salads prepared to order. Wine, beer and cheese. Dress is casual. No credit cards are accepted.

Timmy's Nook O
Sanibel-Captiva Road

Directly on Pine Island Sound, this restaurant operates its own fishing boat in the Gulf, supplying its own fresh fish, stone crab claws and lobsters in season. Hamburgers in a basket, fried clams, home made daily specials and home made pies. Docking available. Dress is very, very casual. Open 11 a.m. to 2 a.m. Lunch 11-5, dinner 5-10:30 p.m. No credit cards.

To Your Health

While Sanibel and Captiva have no hospitals, they are served 24 hours a day by a team of paramedics who are widely recognized for their competence. In the event of an emergency, they will call upon the Air Ambulance, which transports patients to the hospital of their choice in the Fort Myers area via helicopter.

The paramedics are based at the Fire Station, just off Periwinkle on Palm Ridge Road. Phone 472-1717 or 472-1414 or 936-3600.

GENERAL PRACTICE

Jean W. Gentry, M.D.
2218 Periwinkle Way
472-4188

Stephan S. Halabis, M.D., FACS
2426 Palm Ridge Road
472-3163

Stanley P. Wegryn, MD
4301 Sanibel-Captiva Road
472-4131

CHIROPRACTIC PHYSICIAN

Harry G. Kair, D.C., P.A.
1640 Periwinkle Way
472-1824

DENTISTS

Roger A. Dunphy, D.D.S.
and
William J. Shorack, D.D.S.
Bay Wind Plaza
472-2060

OPTOMETRIST

Robert G. LeSage, O.D.
Bay Wind Plaza
Palm Ridge Road
472-4204

VETERINARIANS

Drs. Paul and Phyllis Douglass, D.V.M.
1042 Cypress Lake Drive
Fort Myers
Animals can be seen on Sanibel Tuesdays and Fridays beginning at 1 p.m.
Arrangements should be made by calling 481-4746.

PHARMACIES

ISLAND APOTHECARY

Apothecary Center
Palm Ridge Road, opposite 3-Star
472-1519
Open Monday through Friday, 9 am to 5 pm, Saturday, 9 am to 2 pm.
24-hour emergency service: 472-2768

CORNER DRUGS

Island Shopping Center
Periwinkle Way
472-4149
Open Monday through Friday, 9 am to 5:30 pm, Saturday, 9 am to 5 pm, Sunday, 10 am to 4 pm. (No pharmacist on duty on weekends).

HOSPITALS

Lee Memorial
2776 Cleveland Avenue
Fort Myers
332-1111

Fort Myers Community Hospital
3785 Evans Avenue
Fort Myers
939-1147

Cape Coral Hospital
936 Del Prado Boulevard
Cape Coral
542-5115

Babysitters, Banks Information and Copies

BANKS

Bank of the Islands
1699 Periwinkle Way
472-4141

Hours:
Monday thru Thursday 9 am - 2 pm
Drive-In Window 8:30 am - 4 pm
Fridays 8:30 am - 6 pm
Closed Weekends

First Federal Savings & Loan
Corner Palm Ridge Road and Florence
472-1537

Monday thru Thursday 9 am - 4 pm
Fridays 9 am - 6 pm
Closed Weekends

BABY SITTERS:

Call the Chamber of Commerce at 472-1080 for the names of reliable island residents.

BABYSITTER REGISTER

Ms. Lou Lewis - 472-4151 (Daytime).
Karen Hughes - 472-4616 (Retired RN).
Antoinette Sassman - 472-5811, Anytime.
Marcie Ferriot - 472-4690, 472-4655, After School, Weekends.
Kathy Meyer - 472-3848, Summer - Anytime, School - Evenings & Weekends.
Ellen Hunt - 472-5573, Anytime.
Dina Frazetta - 472-1754, Fridays and Weekends.
Beth Ford - 472-1241, Weekday Afternoons.
ANYONE WISHING TO BE REGISTERED SHOULD CALL 472-5185.

IN PROVIDING THIS SERVICE, THE ISLANDER ASSUMES NO RESPONSIBILITY VIS-A-VIS THOSE WHO USE IT AS A SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY.

COPYING MACHINES

Sanibel Public Library
Intersection of Palm Ridge Road and Florence St.
Open 10 am to 4 pm, Monday through Saturday

Bank of the Islands
1699 Periwinkle Way

More Miscellany

LIBRARIES:

Sanibel Public Library, Palm Ridge Road, 472-2483.
Open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily, except Sundays and holidays.

WESTERN UNION:

Bailey's Store
Island Shopping Center
Monday through Saturday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Sundays 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

POST OFFICE:

Sanibel
A right turn off Periwinkle Way on Tarpon Bay Road.
Open 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Closed Saturday and Sunday, although there is mail delivery on Saturdays.

Captiva

On Captiva's main road.
Open 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Closed Saturday and Sunday, although there is mail delivery on Saturdays.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE VISITORS' INFORMATION SERVICE

Chamber of Commerce Building on Causeway Road
At the exit from the Causeway on Causeway Road
472-1080
Open Monday through Saturday, 10 am to 9 pm, Sundays, 10 am to 5 pm

PUBLIC REST ROOMS

Sanibel Fishing Pier
(at the Lighthouse end of the island)
Turner's Beach
Captiva
(at Blind Pass, between Sanibel and Captiva)

Clubs & Civic Groups

American Business Women's Association

Regular meeting the second Thursday of every month at 6:30 p.m. This dinner meeting is held at a different restaurant every month, so call Bette Park at 472-2946 for reservation and location.

Kiwanis

7:30 a.m. Wednesday at Scotty's Restaurant, Periwinkle Way.

City Council of Sanibel

Meetings held monthly on the first, third and fifth Tuesdays, 9 a.m. at MacKenzie Hall, located in the 3 Star complex at the intersection of Tarpon Bay Road and Palm Ridge Road.

Sanibel Planning Commission

Meetings held every other Monday, 9 a.m. at MacKenzie Hall (see above for location.)

Community Association of Sanibel

Meeting held the first Tuesday of every month at the Sanibel Community Center, Periwinkle Way, at 6:30 p.m.

Lions Club of Captiva and Sanibel.

Meetings held on the first and third Wednesdays of every month at the BEACH VIEW COUNTRY CLUB, 1100 PAR VIEW AVE., AT 6:30 P.M.

Orchid Society of Sanibel and Captiva

Meetings held on the third Wednesday of every month at the Captiva Community Center at 1:30 p.m.

Power Squadron of Sanibel and Captiva

Meetings are held on the second Wednesday of every month at the Sanibel Community Center at 7:30 p.m.

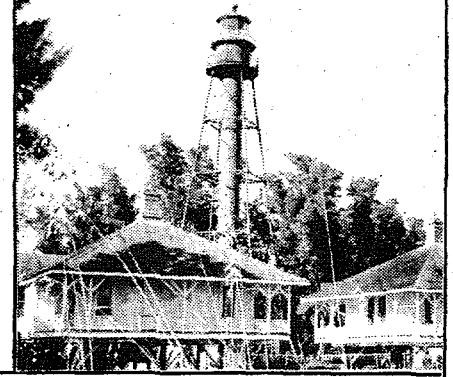
Shell Club of Sanibel and Captiva

Meetings are held the third Wednesday of every month at the Sanibel Community Center at 8 p.m.

Audubon Society

Meets every Thursday evening at 8 p.m. at the Sanibel Community Center.

Things To Do & See



Bingo

American Legion Post, Sanibel-Captiva Road every Thursday at 8 p.m. Cash prizes awarded.

Bridge

Sanibel Community Center, Periwinkle Way. Wednesdays commencing at 1 p.m. (Duplicate bridge Friday evenings commencing at 7:30. Call 472-1829 if you need a partner.)

Island Cinema

In the Island Shopping Center at the intersection of Periwinkle Way and Tarpon Bay Road.

Lighthouse

Located at the eastern tip of Sanibel, the Lighthouse is very close to the Sanibel Fishing Pier, which offers not only excellent fishing, but a lovely beach and an unexcelled view of San Carlos Bay.

Pirate's Playhouse

Periwinkle Way
472-2121

Theater-in-the-round. Performances every Saturday and Sunday evening at 8:15 p.m. Tickets are \$3.50 including tax and may be obtained at any time by stopping at the Playhouse. Season commences on December 22 with a performance of Brecht/Harte's "M'liss" by the Pirate Playhouse Repertory Company, a group of prominent Sanibel residents headed by theatrical couple Ruth and Philip Hunter. Adjacent to the Playhouse is the Ellie May Museum, containing Mrs. Hunter's original costumes from a long theatrical career, and her doll collection. A tour of the museum may be arranged by calling Mrs. Hunter at 472-2121.

Observation Towers

Bailey Tract of the J. N. "Ding" Darling Sanctuary
About a quarter mile down Tarpon Road after a left turn on Periwinkle.
Landlubber Restaurant, 1619 Periwinkle Way

Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation

Sanibel-Captiva Road
472-2329

Dedicated to the preservation of vegetation and wildlife on the islands, the Foundation offers many exhibits, plus nature tours. Admission for non-members is \$1 for adults and 50 cents for children. It is open Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Photographers' Gallery

1554 Periwinkle Way
Phone 472-5777
Exhibiting Fine photographs to the public.

School House Gallery

Tarpon Bay Road
phone 472-1193
Open 10 a.m. to 5
Featuring Art exhibits

Shopping

Sanibel is a veritable shopper's paradise. Tasteful boutiques and casual island shops join forces to present visitors with everything - and anything - a vacation shopper could hope for.

At the Lighthouse (Eastern) end of the island, Punta Ybel Plaza and The Sea Horse Shops are right across the street from each other, providing a variety of products that can cure your sweet tooth or tickle your shell finder's fancy. Need a good haircut or coiffure? You can get it in either of these shopping centers. Most businesses open at 10 a.m. and close at 5:30. This holds true for many island stores, although during the winter season, some are open evenings.

Tall Australian pines shade Periwinkle Way as the shopper travels west along this main thoroughfare. This stretch of road is truly a shopper's paradise! It's all here...the fast and not-so-fast eating spots, casual and elegant boutiques, hand-wrought jewelry, craft designs, shell shops and balms for health product fanatics.

Watch to your right and left as you drive or cycle along. Photographic supplies, bait and tackle, deli foods, fresh seafood and baked goods, knick-knacks and what-nots can all be found along the drive to the intersection of Periwinkle Way and Tarpon Bay Road. Along the way, shopping centers such as the Heart of the Islands, Periwinkle Place and Tahitian Garden offer a variety of island delights.

At the intersection, the Island Shopping Center features the island's only supermarket, dry cleaners and movie house.

A left on Tarpon Bay Road takes the visitor past Sanibel's original schoolhouse, which now holds original island water colors and woodcuts. Then on to West Gulf Drive and westward to an interesting little artisan's shop and gallery.

At the intersection of Periwinkle Way and Tarpon Bay Road, you may choose instead to turn right and follow the signs to the Tarpon Bay Marina, where you will find a cluster of quaint shops overlooking the back bay. Some antiques, what-nots and clever clothes can be found here, as well as a great seafood sandwich and soft drinks.

The spectacular ride to Captiva, with its lush foliage and enchanting view of the Gulf, is well worth a day's outing. Talented artists display their works in one roadside shop, while other feature some nifty gifts for Grandma to take home to little hands as a pleasant hodge-podge of remembrances from these barrier islands.

Whether for shopping, or merely browsing, island shops offer a surprising variety - from one-of-a-kind collectibles for the discerning shopper to post cards for the simple souvenir hunter and of course, for all, shells. Shell jewelry, shell lamps, just plain shells... the most beautiful shells in the world from the most beautiful shelling beaches in the world.

ISLAND CHURCHES

<p>ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS EPISCOPAL CHURCH The Rev. James D.B. Hubbs, Rector Larry Brunke, Organist-Choirmaster</p> <p>SUNDAY: Holy Eucharist, Rite 1 7:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist, or morning prayer and church school 9:30 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Holy Eucharist 9:00 a.m.</p> <p>ST. ISABEL'S CATHOLIC CHURCH Father Gerald Beauregard, Pastor Father Louis Reczek, Assistant Pastor</p> <p>Sunday Mass 8:30 and 10:00 a.m. Saturday Evening Mass 5:30 p.m. Daily Mass 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass preceding Holy Day 5:30 p.m. Holy Day Mass 10:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Confessions Before each Mass and at 3:30 p.m. Saturday</p> <p>COMMUNITY CHURCH The Rev. Bruce E. Milligan, Pastor</p> <p>Worship Services 9 and 11:15 a.m. Church School Classes 10:15 a.m. Youth Club, Grades 4-7 Wed. at 3:15 p.m.</p> <p>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Pastor, Jamie Stilson</p> <p>SUNDAY SERVICE: Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Services 7:00 p.m. WEDNESDAY EVENING: Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES Phone 472-4449</p> <p>Sundays 11:00 a.m. Wednesdays 8:00 p.m. Corner Gulf Drive and Palm Lake Drive</p>	<p>CAPTIVA CHAPEL-BY-THE-SEA Rev. Dr. James W. Kennedy</p> <p>Services 11 a.m.</p> <p>SANIBEL CONGREGATIONAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST Rev. Webb Howard 472-5290</p> <p>Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m. Community Association Building on Periwinkle Way</p> <p>JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER Of Lee County 915 SE 47th Terrace, Cape Coral, Fla. Rabbi: Samuel Silver, D.D. 549-1967</p> <p>Friday Evening 8:00 p.m. Saturday Service 10:00 a.m.</p> <p>GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH The Rev. Fr. Arthur Konfinos Cypress Lake Drive - 482-2099</p> <p>Orthos 9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.</p> <p>SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH Fort Myers - 2643 Second Street Fort Myers Shores - Highway 80, East of Fort Myers Pastor: Phillip A. Parker 936-0775</p> <p>Saturday Worship 11:00 a.m. Sabbath School 9:30 a.m. Evening Vespers One hour before Sunset - Saturday Prayer Meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.</p>
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THIS WEEK

Conservation Center programs

The Conservation Center, 3333 Sanibel-Captiva Rd., Sanibel, will be holding the following programs next week:

On Monday, January 22, from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., Dr. William Webb will be giving a lecture on "Island Yards as Wildlife Habitat."

A workshop will be held Tuesday, February 23, starting at 7 p.m. and lasting about 2 hours, entitled "Native Landscaping for Bayfront and Canal Banks."

Audubon slide show

The Sanibel-Captiva Audubon Society will present a colored slide show by Dr. Glen E. Woolfenden entitled "FLORIDA LIVING-SCRUB JAY STYLE." The program will be presented on Thursday evening, January 24, 1980, at 8 p.m. at the Sanibel Community Center.

Dr. Woolfenden is currently professor in the Department of Biology, at the University of South Florida, in Tampa. He has been very active in the American Ornithologist's Union, and the International Ornithological Committee. He received the Distinguished Teacher Award in 1978, and the Research Award in 1979. He has written some seventy scientific papers relating mostly to birds and birding activities.

The Florida Jay is a permanent resident of the middle section of the State and lives in pine-oak-palmetto scrub. It has been the subject of considerable study by Woolfenden at the Archbold Biological Station near Lake Placid. As one of the most outstanding authorities on this bird, Woolfenden's slide program should be most interesting and informative.

Tickets and information regarding the bus trip to "Highland Hammock State Park" will be available from Carolyn Russell at this meeting. Bus seating capacity is limited to thirty-one persons and reservations are required. Many of the tickets for this trip have already been reserved and this meeting will be the last opportunity to get tickets for this trip. This field trip leaves the Cinema Parking lot at 6 a.m. on Sunday, February 3, 1980.

Community Association classes

The Community Association, located on Periwinkle Way, Sanibel, will be sponsoring several classes during this and the coming months.

January 21 and 22, 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. - Bird Identification.
January 22, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. - Bridge
January 23, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. - Anthropology

Starting in February, three classes will be held in Basketry. The dates of these classes will be February 8, 15, and 22, and will last 5½ hours each. The class will start at 10 a.m. and end at 3:30 p.m.

February 7, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m., a class on Antiques will be held.

For further information, contact Carolyn Beebe, 472-2180.

Temple Beth-El cultural arts

You moved to Florida from New York, Minneapolis, or Chicago, a cultural center with a regular round of shows, concerts and plays. Things seem pretty quiet along the Gulf coast.

But a little taste of Broadway is coming - to Cape Coral, no less.

Temple Beth-El, as part of its new cultural arts program, will treat residents to a lively "Evening with Tevye," Saturday night, February 2. The performance features Jerry Jarrett, star of the hit Broadway musical "Fiddler on the Roof." Tickets are now on sale for the show, the first in a series.

Jarrett's evening of songs, stories, and dramatic readings includes a fascinating array of characterizations, drawn from Jewish folklore and literature, bringing together the past and the present in Jewish experience. Old and new themes weave in and out of a heart-warming and hilarious presentation, which has delighted discriminating and demanding audiences.

Jarrett appeared in "Fiddler on the Roof" on Broadway for over a year. The Brooklyn-born actor began his career as a comedian, then studied drama under such greats as Lee Strasberg. He has appeared in many Broadway shows, including "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes" with Carol Channing, "Guys and Dolls," "Kiss Me Kate" and "Stalag 17." His performance

China Today

A look at "Life in China Today" will be the topic of next week's speaker, Mrs. Helen Webb, who returned recently from a visit to China.

The Kiwanis meet every Wednesday morning at 7:30 a.m. at Scotty's Restaurant, Periwinkle Way.

Christian Science lecture

Everyone is invited to hear an inspiring Christian Science lecture on Sunday, Jan 27 at 3 p.m. at the Middle School on Terry Street in Bonita Springs. (One mile east of new U.S. 41)

as Tevye drew excellent reviews.

Curtain is at 8 p.m. in the Temple, 2721 Del Prado Parkway. Donation is \$8 per ticket, and orders are now being accepted by mail. Send checks, payable to Temple Beth-El Cultural Committee, to P.O. Box 972, Cape Coral, Fla. 33904. Preference will be given to Temple members until January 10, when tickets go on sale to the general public, according to Rabbi Solomon Agin.

League of Women Voters

The Sanibel Unit of the Lee County League of Women Voters is participating in the county-wide Voter Registration program on Friday, January 25 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Bailey's store. A successful registration was conducted on January 18 at the Bank of the Islands. For voter's service information, please call the unit chair, Dorothy Leslie, 472-1693.

The regular monthly meeting of the Sanibel unit held Monday, January 21 at the West Wind will feature a discussion on Island priorities with Paul Howe, Arthur Hunter, Louise Johnson, and other knowledgeable Islanders. Coffee hour at 9:30 a.m. precedes the 10:00 a.m. meeting with the public cordially invited to attend.

7th annual Doll Show

On Sunday, February 10, the Fort Myers' Doll Collectors Club will present its 7th annual doll show and sale from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Barnett Bank, 3210 Cleveland Ave. in Fort Myers.

Antique and contemporary dolls will be displayed in settings depicting this year's theme, "Playtime." Dolls will be engaged in games of "Cowboys and Indians," "Croquet," "Jacks and Balloons," "Rain Day Activities," and many others.

An added attraction in the 1980 show will be a display of "Pedlar Dolls" and their miniature wares in baskets and trays. The dolls in this display were all entered in a competitive contest for members of the club. The winning entrants will wear their colorful ribbons.

Dolls and doll-related items will be offered for sale on members' sale tables.

Club President is Jane Bopp (Mrs. Frank Bopp), of Cape Coral. Constance Adams (Mrs. Cuyler Adams), of Sanibel is Vice President and arrangements chairman of this show.

Proceeds will go to the crippled children's special services at Lee County Hospital.

Anglers Club

will hold open house

South West Anglers Club (SWAC) is hosting an open house Tuesday, January 22, 1980, at 7:30 p.m. at the Sanibel Community Association building.

Several island charter fishing guides will form a panel to answer questions on local fishing and members of South West Anglers Club will be available to demonstrate fishing techniques for both fresh and saltwater.

A Spinmaster rod and Ryobi reel combo will be raffled. Refreshments will be available.

All interested in fishing are cordially invited to attend and talk fishing with SWAC.

For further information, contact Fritz Stoppelbein - 472-2685.

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on barrier island property transactions, and prohibit claims of accelerated depreciation of barrier island properties.

Much of the recent development on Fort Myers Beach would have been sharply curtailed if the high level alternative had been adopted already.

For example, it appears that no federal money could have been used for the Matanzas Pass Bridge or the new sewer system. In fact, the Coast Guard could have denied permits for the new bridge to be built at all.



Reardon - Flesh

Ms. Lois Reardon and Mr. Alfred Flesh were united in marriage last Saturday night in a candlelight ceremony at St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church on Sanibel with Rev. James Hubbs officiating.

The bride wore a full length Quiano dress with chapel length train edged with Venice lace and a cap of matching lace and seed pearls with a fingertip veil.

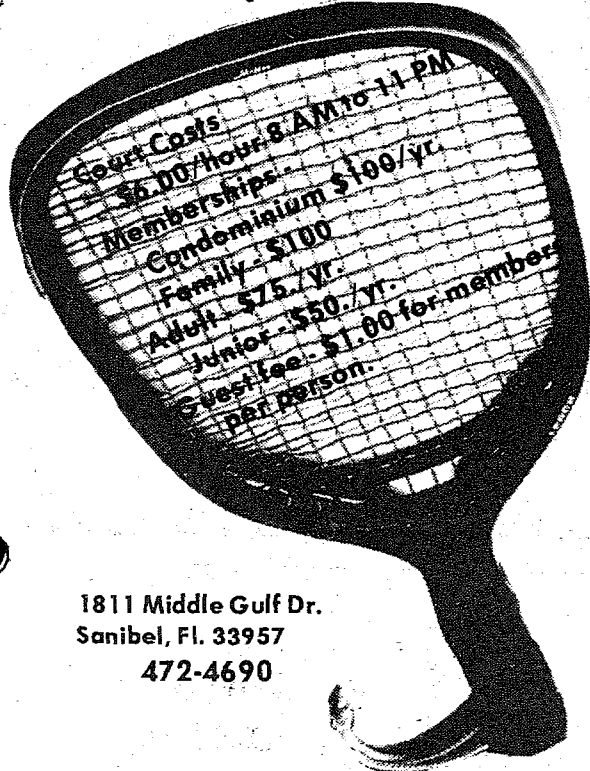
Ms. Wendy Wood, sister of the groom, was the Maid of Honor and wore a kelly green, accordian pleated chiffon evening length gown.

Harvey Brower of Long Lake, Minn. served as Best Man and Alexander Flesh, the groom's uncle, of Piqua, Ohio and William Mayor, also of Piqua, were the ushers.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Reardon of Piqua, Ohio. The groom's parents are Mrs. Britton Wood of Piqua, Ohio and Sanibel and Mr. Henry Flesh of Minneotoka, Minn.

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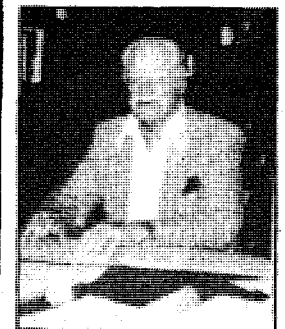
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"Busybody" at Pirate Playhouse

Hats off to the the fine company of players, Peggy O'Kelly Lickel, Kristine Choate, Dick Robeson, Robin Pickens, Lora Mainard, John Walsh and the Hunters who presented "Three on a Bench" to a sell-out crowd. Proceeds went to benefit Solve.

This week's performance, "Busybody" with Robert Tuttle, Jene Evans, Leslie and Jack Samler, Ty Symroski, Betty Derowitsch, and the Hunters will give two performances January 26 and 27. Curtain time 8:15 p.m.

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and spent two years in Zaire, Africa as a medic.

The lizard, which surpasses the length record in the Guinness Book of Records, is called a Salvadori Dragon. The huge reptile was discovered by the group in the swamps of the Gulf of Papua, according to expedition leader John Blaskford-Snell. A UPI story quotes Blaskford-Snell as saying that locals report that the lizard killed a man two years ago with its huge teeth and claws and ate him.

The Neumeisters last heard from their son before Christmas when he sent them a letter telling them about reconnoitering the Strickland River Valley. A three-week walk, interspersed with some chopper rides, told Neumesiter and the rest of the 5-man advance team that the river was floatable. He told his parents that they walked through several areas where no white man has been before. The Strickland itself had never been navigated before. He

likened the river, which he termed "silty", to the Salmon River in Idaho.

The purpose of the float, which ended in mid-December, was to count crocodiles. Since they can only be seen at night, the crocodile-counting party became nocturnal and operated from sunset until 1 a.m. daily.

According to a news release, the first crocodile was seen only yards from the scientific camp, a five-footer, which was the first of 845 sighted in the survey carried out for the United Nations Crocodile Project at Lake Murray. There was also a survey of botany and other animals which included an eyeless snake with pimples instead of scales, 34-foot sea-going crocodiles and turtles with webbed feet.

The float down in inflatable rafts and a 40-foot dugout canoe covered about 750 miles of river. The project members exercised their traditional right to name and classify all the rapids and these were recorded on a river chart later presented to the Papua, New Guinea authorities.

According to Bill Neumeister, the most exciting part of the trip was the white water river running in the Strickland Gorge. Neumeister has been an avid white water fan since he was a youngster. "As a teen-ager, Bill worked for the National Park service, the senior Neumeister said, "and that led into smoke-jumping, Bill's current occupation." Bill is stationed at Fort Wainwright, near Fairbanks, Alaska.

This will be the Neumesiters fourth winter on Sanibel. (They spend the summers at a lake cottage in Minnesota) Alvin Neumeister is retired from Sears and works as a nurse at Shell Pointe Pavillion. "I prepared for retirement," he said, adding that he graduated in nursing from Edison Community College in 1977. He also works three days a week as a nurse in Minnesota.

Although this part of the expedition is completed, the Neumeisters will still have to wait for awhile before they can hear it from Bill himself. "I plan to travel through New Guinea, Australia and New Zealand," he said in his last letter.

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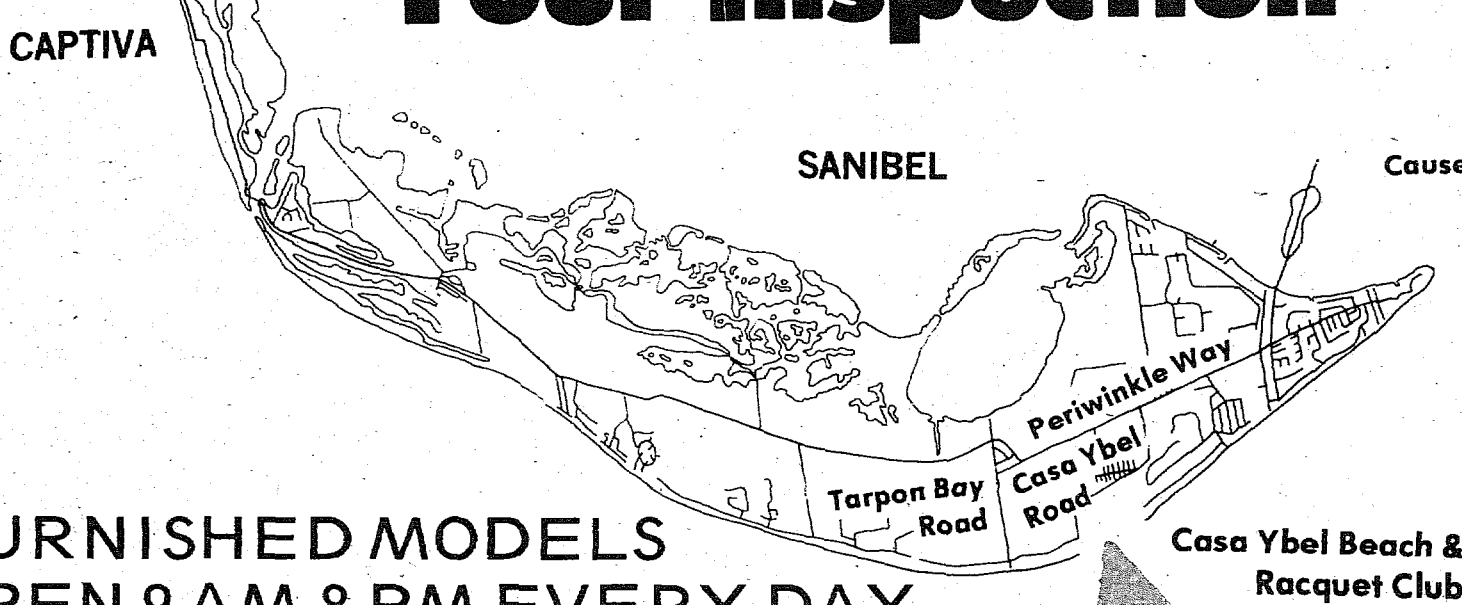
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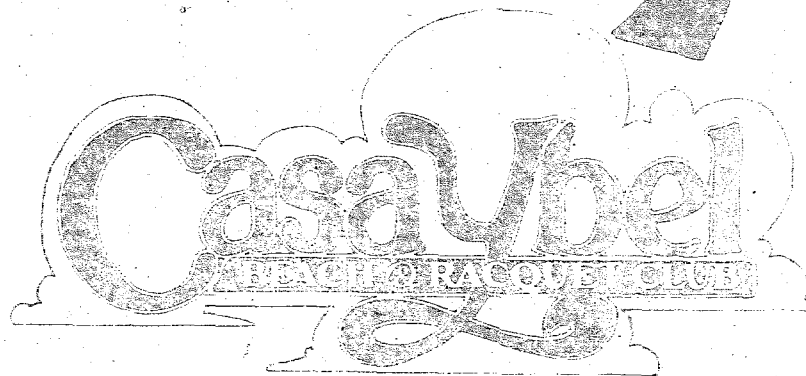
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