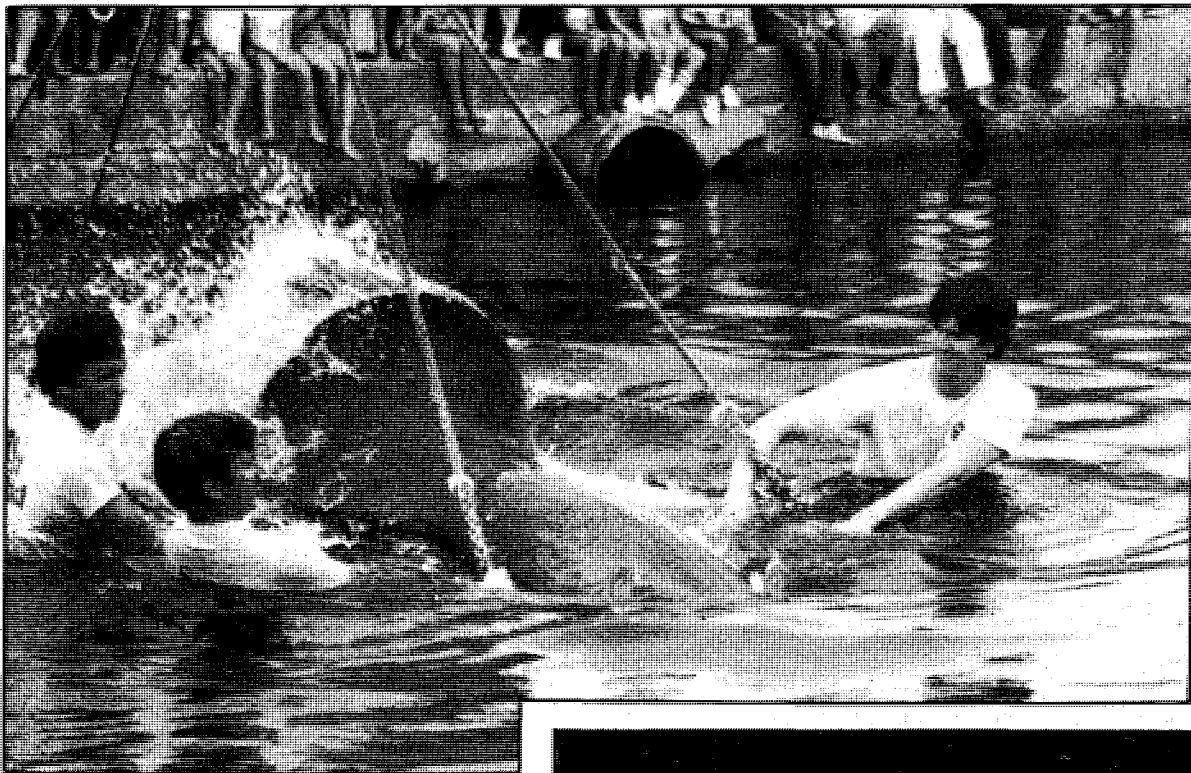


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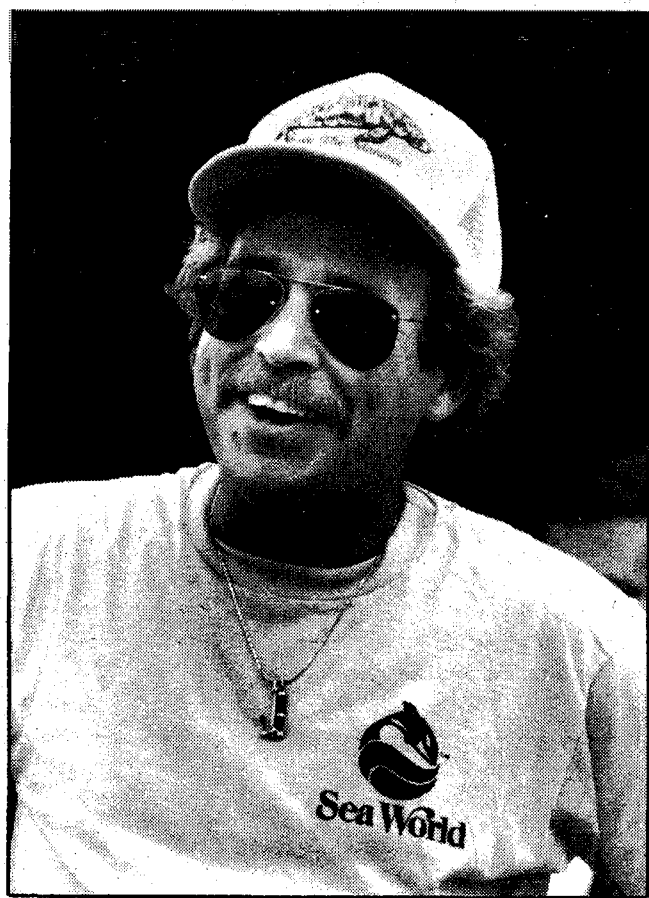
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'Sometimes I feel like an old manatee'

Two healthy manatees, one pulled from Sanibel waters in March and the other from San Carlos Bay, were released into the Caloosahatchee River last Friday to cheers of a crowd that included Florida Governor Bob Graham and singer-songwriter Jimmy Buffet. The manatees spent the spring being nursed back to health at Orlando's Sea World. Story and more photos by David Meardon, page 5A.



City officials express concern over new 869 as evacuation route

By Barbara Brundage

The opening of Summerlin Road (869) from Shell Point Village Road to San Carlos Boulevard last week has allayed some of the concerns of Sanibel officials about the availability of the new highway as an evacuation route while McGregor Boulevard is under construction.

Although the use of Summerlin Road alleviates the problems temporarily created by the Kelly Road detour, Sanibel officials are not convinced it is the most appropriate evacuation route for Sanibel residents to use in the long run.

McGregor Boulevard has been designated the official evacuation route from Sanibel to Cypress Lake High School, which is the designated shelter for residents of Sanibel and Captiva.

In early June when the abortive Hurricane Alberto continued page 21A

Caribe agrees to stop membership sales

By Barbara Brundage

The Caribe Beach Resort has agreed to cease and desist for 10 days from the sale of "daily use rights" of amenities at the gulf front time share facility.

Donald Hemke, a Tampa attorney representing Creekwood Investment Co., Inc., owner and operator of the Caribe resort, offered the agreement at a hearing before the city's Code Enforcement Board last Thursday.

During the 10-day period that ends on July 26, negotiations with the city of Sanibel will continue "diligently and with good faith to reach an amicable resolution of the disagreement," Hemke assured the board.

The Caribe's sale of beach club memberships that allow purchasers of a week or more advanced reservation to use the facility 365 days a year has been ruled by City Attorney Neal Bowen as a violation of Sanibel's Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

Use of the swimming pool, beach access and parking by persons not in residence at the motel is not a permitted use in the resort housing zone where the Caribe is located, Bowen said.

In addition, Bowen pointed out, such use in exchange for a continued page 20A

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Preparing the lighthouse cottages for new tenants



By David Meardon

Restoration of the two lighthouse keeper's cottages is under way as the city prepares the buildings for occupancy on Oct. 1 by yet-to-be-chosen city employees.

The U.S. Coast Guard, which is leasing the cottages and property to the city for 10 years in return for maintenance and security of the historic site, has pledged up to \$60,000 for renovations, \$10,000 of which will be used to install central heating and air conditioning in the attics. In addition, the ceilings will be dropped for increased efficiency of the units.

Members of the Historic Preservation Committee, who toured one of the cottages last week, questioned the necessity of dropping the ceilings and installing central air and heat, but they were pleased overall with the restoration work.

"We are grateful the building is being repaired and much of the original architecture is being restored," said committee Chairman Charlotte White.

"A lot of us don't think the air conditioning is 100 percent necessary, but you can't restore anything without putting in air conditioning because that's what people demand," said committee member Paul Howe.

"It's fine to realize that this is the way lighthouse keepers lived 100 years ago. But I don't think we can expect anyone to live here in this day and age under those same conditions," city building official George Blain, who is supervising the restoration work, said.

Committee member Jane Valtin was disappointed that the proportions of the rooms are being changed, and she said ceiling fans might serve the same purpose and cost less as well. "I grew up in Panama and we always had high ceilings," she said.

But Assistant City Manager Gary Price said high humidity is a problem. Moreover, from an exterior viewpoint, the cottages are being restored to their original appearance.

This is not the first time air conditioning has been installed in the lighthouse cottages.

Charles LeBuff, who lived with his family in the easterly cottage from 1958 to 1979, installed a window unit in 1968, when he patrolled the beaches at night for the U.S. Department of Fish and Wildlife and slept in the daytime.

"Unfortunately, modern people are used to the comfort (of air conditioning). I am too," LeBuff said.

While he said central air is "the best way to go," he warned that fuel bills would be costly unless the buildings are insulated. Summer squalls with whipping winds slice through the cottages, taking the inside cool air with them, he said.

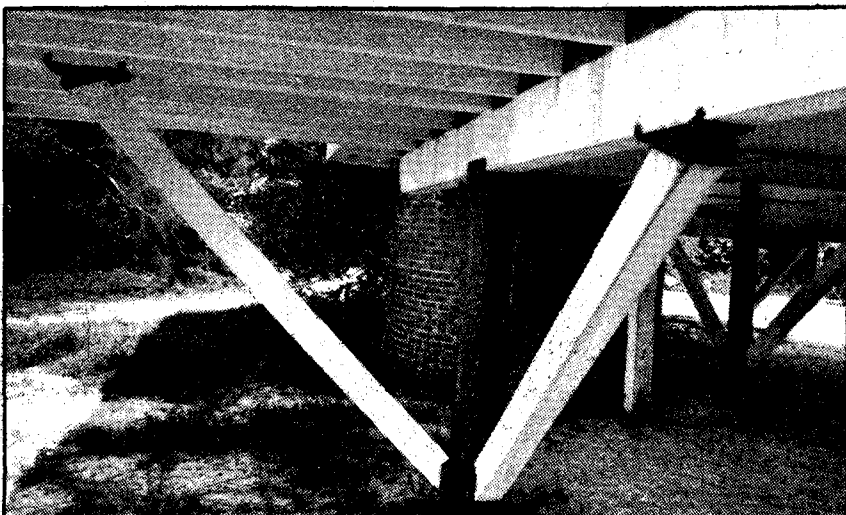
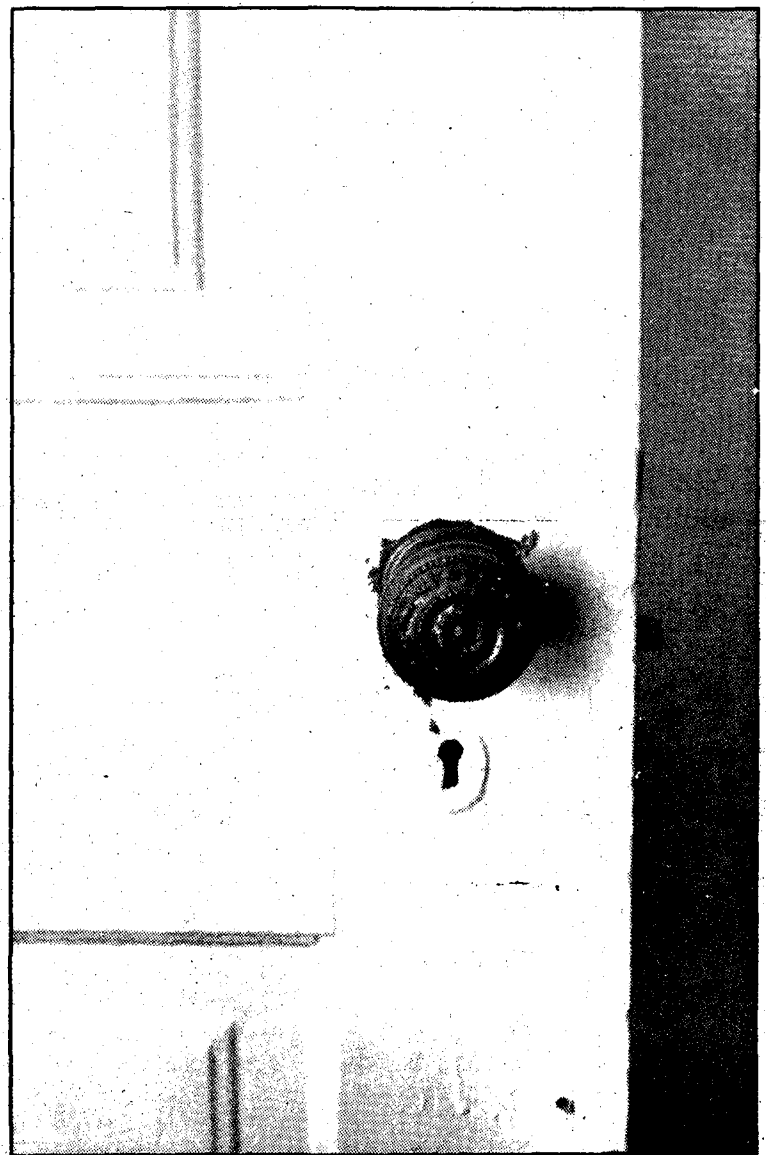
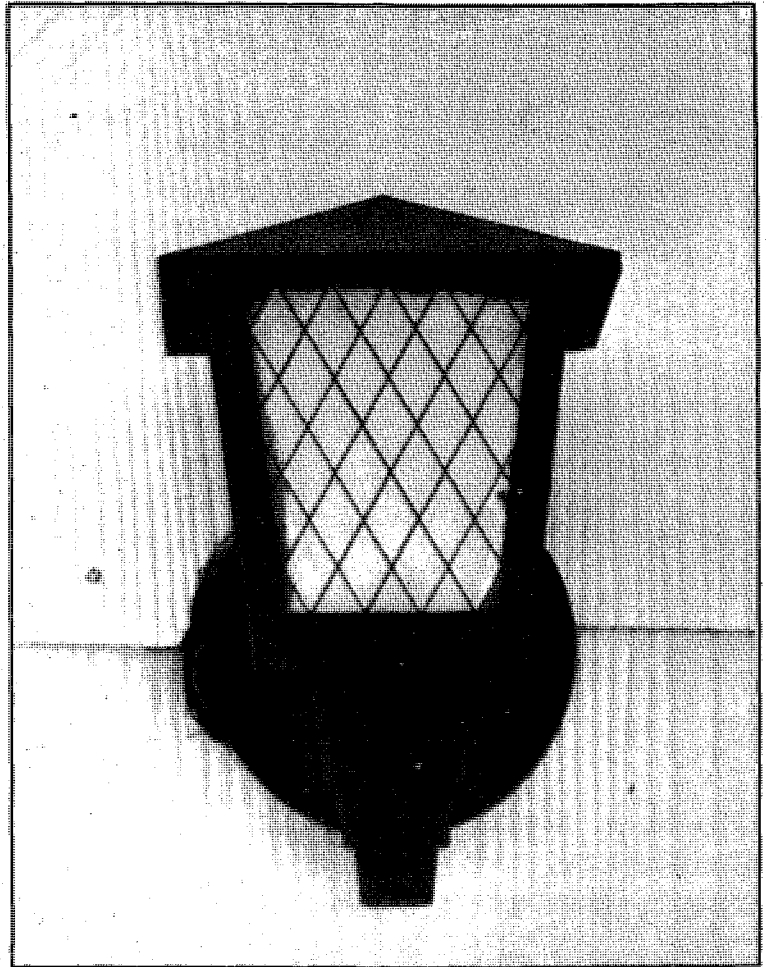
Several rooms in the cottages have been paneled with 1/8-inch thick plywood in the move to modernize over the years by LeBuff and the Department of Fish and Wildlife, which occupied the other cottage until March, when its headquarters were moved to the new J.N. "Ding" Darling Visitor Center.

The city has no plans to remove the plywood in favor of the pine walls because the restoration work involved would be too costly. The heavily worn pinewood floors will be tiled.

Other restoration plans include replacement of the stairways on the north side of each cottage, replacement of several rotting columns that support the structures, stripping and repainting windows and replacing the deteriorating slate roofs with fiberglass shingles (slate is virtually unobtainable, and the new shingles approximate the original roof in both texture and color).

The city will base its selection of tenants on a point system that favors city employees with the longest residence on the Island, who work on the Island, who presently rent rather than own, who have families and who have demonstrated their responsibility to the city.

To those who fit the bill will be given the responsibility of maintaining and securing the Sanibel Lighthouse and Keepers-Quarters.



Photos by David Meardon

Captran files for reorganization under bankruptcy laws

By Terry Murphy

Captran Resorts International filed for reorganization under federal bankruptcy laws last Friday, a decision Captran founder and Chairman Keith Trowbridge vows will not affect interval owners.

The move came after developers of a Bahamian resort reportedly made plans to seize Captran's assets following an unfavorable ruling by Lee County Circuit Court.

Court records indicate a jury awarded the developers of Club Baha in Freeport a \$1.218 million settlement. Also included in the settlement was \$500,000 in attorney fees.

The April ruling was the result of a lawsuit filed by the Bahamian developers in reference to a joint venture between the developers and Captran.

Trowbridge explained that liquidity problems placed his company in a position that made it incapable of posting bond.

"We had 10 days to come up with the \$1.7 million," he said. "We couldn't do it, so what they (Bahamian developers) wanted to do was come in and sell off all our units in a sheriff's auction until they got the \$1.7 million. That would be devastating in today's market."

The decision to declare reorganizational bankruptcy under Chapter 11 of the federal bankruptcy law halted the Bahamian's seizure of Captran's assets.

"This (Chapter 11) allows us to continue our business, but it's a means of protecting us from creditors while we reorganize," Trowbridge said. "This will have no affect

on the rentals, deeds or associations. It's merely a court fight with a major creditor."

Under Chapter 11 Captran has been permitted a grace period in which it can correct presently existing cash-flow problems. Trowbridge said although there is no time limit on the asset freeze he hopes to have the cash-flow problem alleviated within 30 days.

Near the end of this week, Trowbridge said, experts from the National Timesharing Council will be in Fort Myers to assist in the reorganization.

Trowbridge was quick to emphasize the financial stability of his company, pointing out the new bank accounts it is opening and the "business as usual" motto heard echoing through the College Parkway headquarters.

"This has been one of our best sale weeks," he said. "People who understand (organizational bankruptcy) know what is happening. This has nothing, nothing to do with the condo association or condo owner."

According to Trowbridge, the company's assets are in excess of \$10 million while its liabilities are an estimated \$1.5 million, not including the lawsuit.

It was six years ago that Trowbridge introduced his "vacation by the slice" concept on Sanibel. Today the company is involved in 36 resorts with approximately 700 units — in Florida, Canada, the Bahamas and the Caribbean.

Experts say much of the cash-flow problem Captran has experienced is the direct result of poor economic times, thus putting sales in a slump. In 1981, for

example, Captran reported \$35.2 million in sales. Seven months into the 1981-82 fiscal year the company reports a sales reduction of about 50 percent. Trowbridge explained, however, much of the slump is credited to the fact that his company doesn't have as many resorts under construction as last year.

Sponsorship of the Captran Resorts International Offshore Powerboat Race will also continue, Trowbridge said. Last year

the race cost Captran between \$50,000 and \$60,000 in promotions.

"I hope to be out of this before the boat race next year," he said. "The race is a business venture and I expect the courts to look at it like that."

Trowbridge said Captran is appealing the Lee County Circuit Court's April ruling regarding the Bahamian developers' dispute.

Here comes Charlie Brown!

The Island Youth Theatre this weekend will present three performances of *You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown* at the Sanibel Community Center.

Directed by Allan Smith, the play is double cast to allow for greater participation among Island youth. One cast will perform the first two evening shows, and the second cast will stage the Sunday matinee.

Accompanist Don Mercer, who has been involved in musical theatre productions for 20 years, called the young players "quite a remarkable group." Mercer was accompanist for an adult production of *Charlie Brown*, and he praised the young players for their patience and determination.

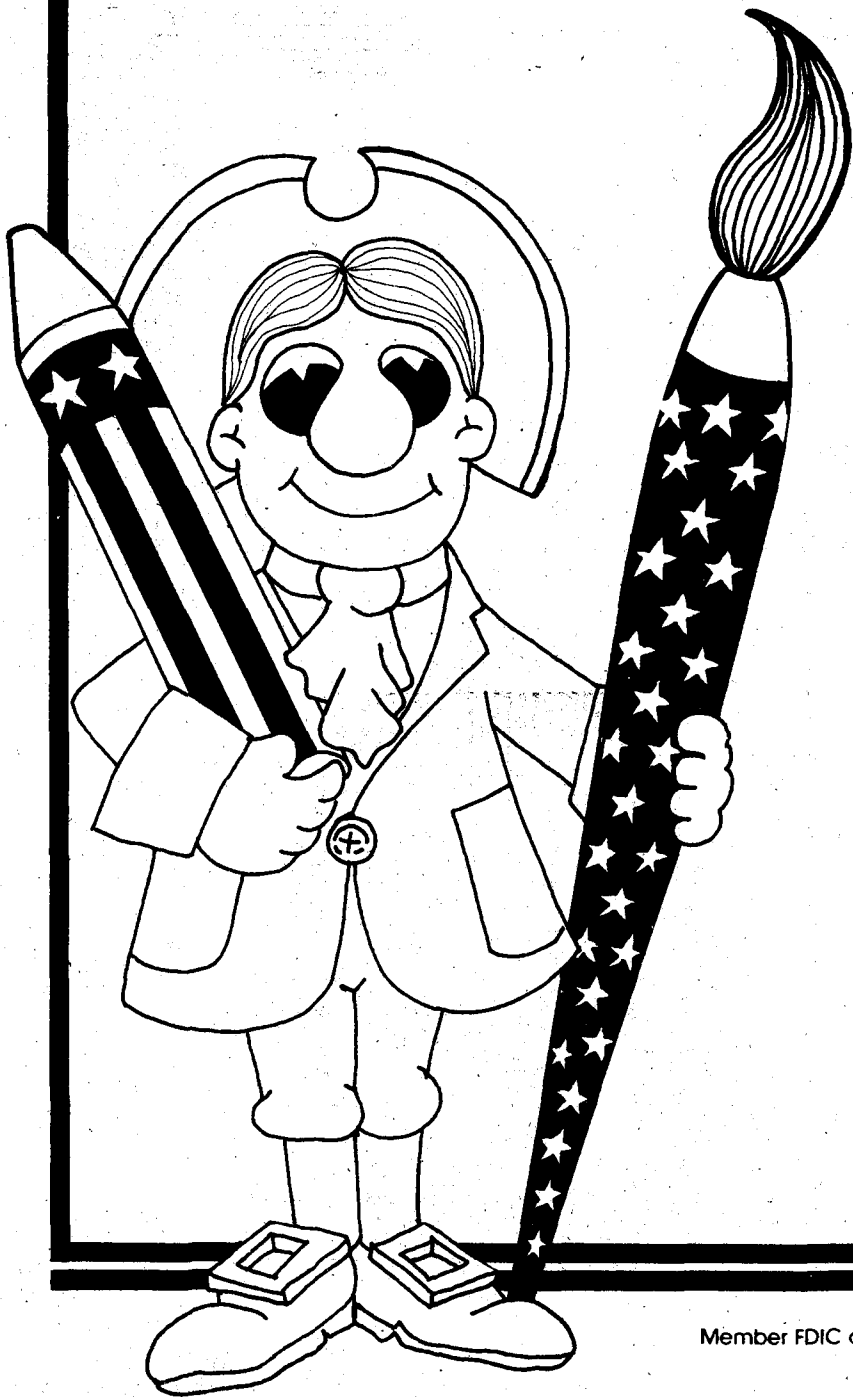
Sponsored by the Barrier Island Group for the Arts, curtain time is 8 p.m. July 23 and 24, and 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, July 25. Tickets are \$2 for adults, and \$1 for children.



Valerie Cope, left, confronts Welcome McNamara, right, as the aspiring actresses prepare for this week's performance of *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown*.

First Independence Art Contest

Ages 6-13



First Independence Bank will be celebrating its Grand Opening at 16780 San Carlos Boulevard during the week of July 27th, culminating with a fun-filled Independence Festival and Ribbon Cutting on Saturday, July 31st. We are inviting all children in Lee County, ages 6-13, to enter our First Independence Art Contest.

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Uses suggested for Bay Drive road, bridge

A copy of the following letter to the Sanibel City Council and Planning Department was given to *The Islander* for publication.

To the Sanibel City Council and Planning Department

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4. Bait fishing and net casting.
5. Canoe launching.
6. Bicycle touring turn-around.
7. Feet dangling in the water from the bridge and climbing into bay.
8. "Discover" unspoiled solitary opening into the bay.
9. Crabbing in season.
10. Study live shells in their native habitat.

Hazel Schuller
Sanibel

Campbell explains whole weir story

A copy of the following letter to City Manager Bernie Murphy from George Campbell on behalf of The Fund for Animals was given to *The Islander* for publication.

Dear Bernie,

There's been a lot of talk and action concerning fresh water levels in the interior of Sanibel as influenced by the management of the Beach Road weir and the fact that the Tarpon Bay weir is very deficient and old.

I understand some repairs, or at least "bandaging" at Tarpon Bay is taking, or has taken, place. I note in an article by Barbara Brundage in *The Islander*, July 13, that the council adopted a policy of "not opening the weirs when a hurricane threatens the island

except when the water exceeds the 2.5-foot level and flood conditions already exist." That certainly represents a great improvement over the June 3 "wise judgment" decision.

It is, however, only half the story. You cannot simply open the weirs when the fresh water exceeds 2.5 feet without including in your policy the firm commitment to close them when the tide exceeds that level.

If you would like a first-hand explanation of this simple physical principle, you have only to call.

Very truly yours,
George Campbell
Sanibel

Limerick questions 'vested right\$'

To The Editor
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Successful rehabilitation ends in release for manatees

By David Meardon

It was a gala affair complete with a musical celebrity, a political heavyweight, about 2,000 cheering spectators and scores of media as two recovered manatees, the real stars of the day, were set free in the Caloosahatchee River in Fort Myers last Friday.

With the aid of a towering crane, Moby and Hi, both about nine feet long and weighing 1,000 and 850 pounds respectively, were each lifted from a truck and lowered gently into the water, where they flipped their powerful tails as they slid into the water, back home again.

Folk-rock songwriter and musician Jimmy Buffett was on hand for the release along with Gov. Bob Graham, who introduced Buffett as someone who "sometimes feels like an old manatee."

The crowd cheered Buffett, while some joked that he was appearing with "Bob what's-his-name." But the biggest cheer was for the manatees, as Buffett and a barefoot Graham helped ease the two into the water.

"When the manatees kicked their tails, they were definitely ready to go home," said

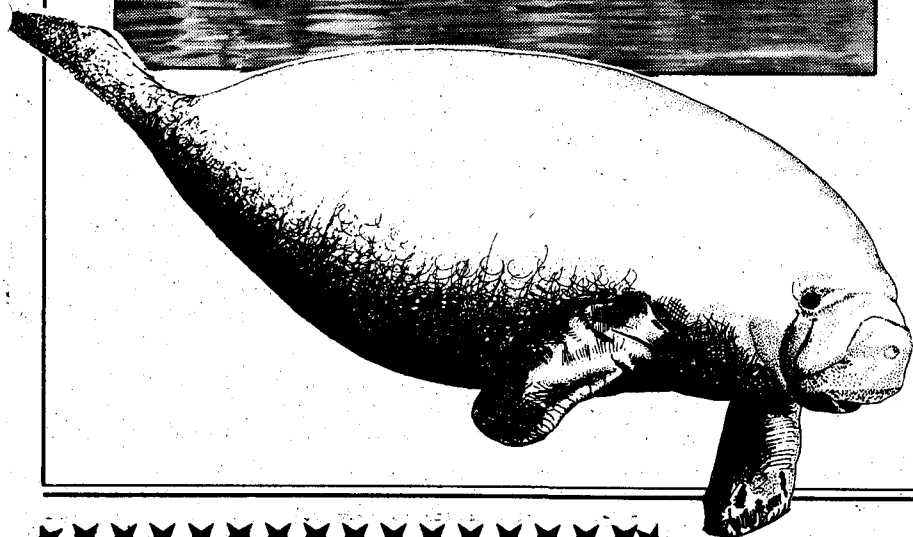
Buffett, who has raised more than \$41,000 for the benefit of the endangered mammals and heightened awareness of its plight.

Buffett said that in the last year boaters have become more sensitive to the playful, slow-moving manatee, which is often scarred by boat propellers. In fact, Hi was named for propeller marks that spelled out her name.

It was a happy ending for the once-ailing manatees, rescued from San Carlos Bay — one by the Sanibel Causeway — three months ago in the midst of a rash of manatee deaths that claimed 46 of the gentle mammals, 30 in the Fort Myers area alone.

Taken to Sea World near Orlando, the manatees underwent extensive testing. While red tide toxins are suspected in the manatee deaths, Sea World officials suspect Moby and Hi were the victims of isolated intestinal upset or virus. The lumbering creatures were placed with other rehabilitated manatees in Sea World's medical pool and fed a diet of romaine lettuce and specially grown wheat.

Their release brings to five the number of manatees successfully rehabilitated and returned to their native waters.



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MUNICIPAL RECORDS

By Barbara Brundage

Rutland house project has \$28,000 price tag

Although they were "surprised" at the \$28,625 price tag to relocate the historic Uncle Clarence Rutland home on the new City Hall property on Dunlop Road, the City Council agreed with the Historical Preservation Committee's assessment that the early Florida house is "worth preserving as a Sanibel settlers' museum."

City Manager Bernie Murphy said that in addition to \$17,500 for moving the house from its Periwinkle Way site the cost estimate includes: \$1,500 for the foundation that will utilize as many of the original piers as practicable; \$2,000 for connecting utilities (electric, telephone and cablevision); \$1,200 for rewiring; \$1,000 for cleaning and painting the roof; \$800 for reconnecting all plumbing fixtures with the exception of the hot water heater; \$2,000 for the septic tank

and drainfield; \$2,000 for interior painting; and \$2,400 for a fire sprinkler system.

The Historical Preservation Committee urges that the Rutland house be changed as little as possible and that the elevation of the house typical of construction at the turn of the century be maintained.

A specific amendment to permit its location below the current required base flood elevation of 12 feet above mean sea level is scheduled for a second reading before the council on Aug. 3. The amendment has been recommended for approval by the Planning Commission.

The committee also recommends that furnishings in at least two rooms in the house be typical of the period between 1900 and the mid-1920's and that contributions of furniture and other "collectibles" be

solicited from private citizens.

Other areas should be used to display Sanibel memorabilia such as the 1833 map of the Island, early photographs and scrapbooks and the "old post office" desk; artifacts from the Wightman Indian mound; and agricultural equipment and fishing gear that was in use on the Island during the first two decades of this century, the committee recommends.

Further, when the museum is organized a curator, who could be a volunteer or a part time employee, should be appointed and the facility should be open to the public three or four days a week with volunteers serving as guides.

A donation could be requested from visitors or a small fee charged.

The committee suggests that the

Vegetation Committee supervise planting a yard garden typical of the period using lime, guava, sapsodilla trees, sea grapes, surinam cherry and even a row of sprouted coconut palms behind the house following Uncle Clarence's original landscaping plan.

Committee Chairman Charlotte White recommends that the grave markers at the original Rutland site be left undisturbed and that Dick and Jerry Muench, the current owners, be urged to maintain a "nice little garden area around the monument."

She suggested that another marker be placed nearby designating the area as the "former site of the historic Clarence Rutland home."

City to consider county-owned Causeway land as site for boat ramp

The City Council has temporarily abandoned plans to construct a boat ramp on city-owned property on the east side of Causeway Road at the bay.

Instead the council has instructed City Manager Bernie Murphy to investigate the possibility of negotiating a 40-year lease of county-owned land on the Causeway islands as a site for the ramp.

The councilmen's change of heart stemmed from "numerous objections" to the bayshore site from residents of the neighborhood and from federal restraints on

the land that would prevent restricting use of the ramp to Island residents only.

Last April the council agreed that the site on the east side of Causeway Road was the most acceptable of the four available on the Island.

Under terms of the Federal Farm Administration loan with which the city purchased the Causeway land, discriminatory use of the property is prohibited.

And residents of the area fear that off-islanders' use of the ramp would create

dangerous traffic problems and would produce litter that would require constant maintenance by the city.

Ralph Woodring, an Islands native, suggested the best spot for a ramp is the "Causeway itself."

Two ramps, one on each side of the Causeway islands, would solve the problems of changing winds and tides that hamper launching, Woodring told the council.

Fritz Stoppelheim, Sanibel's representative on the Lee County Marine Advisory Committee, again reminded the council that funds to build the ramp are available from the boat license fees and added the facility could be constructed at no cost to Sanibel taxpayers.

Councilman Duane White said the city-owned Causeway property is "no place for a boat ramp" and added the perceived problems from off-islanders' use are only "the tip of the iceberg."

Signatures of 468 boat owners on a petition presented to the council last spring supported the boaters' contention that an additional launching site is needed on the Island.

To make the use of the county's Punta Rassa facility at the mainland end of the Causeway more palatable to Sanibel boaters it was suggested that the \$6 bridge toll for boat trailers should be reduced for Island residents only.

County Administrator Lavon Wisher has informed Murphy that should the city's project to construct a boat ramp in Sanibel on the eastside of Causeway Road fail, County Commissioner Mike Roeder has indicated he would be "receptive to a proposal to reduce the fee."

Commission approves restaurant development permit

A development permit to construct a 3,836-square-foot, 75-seat restaurant at Shell Harbor Inn was approved last week by a 5-0 vote of the Planning Commission.

Thirteen conditions recommended by the planning staff were attached to the commission's approval.

Despite objections from Attorney William Haverfield, representing owners John Armenia and Duke Schneider, the commission refused to allow the word "restaurant" to be added to the inn's amenities listed on a sign at the gulf front resort.

They also insisted that the restaurant cannot be advertised in any media except in the "context as an integral part of the resort complex."

Other restraints placed on the operation of the restaurant as a resort accessory use include its remaining under unified ownership; limiting the hours of operation from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m.; and prohibiting live entertainment without prior approval from the Planning Commission.

There are still a few minor details of the site plan to be worked out before a building permit can be issued, Planner Jean Nichols said Friday.

The plans for the restaurant submitted to the Planning Department show a raised structure with lobby, restrooms, storage area, kitchen and a 2,800-square-foot dining area that provides 54 square feet of space for each seat.

The design permits flexibility in seating arrangements, creating "moods for different meals," Ray Fenton, architect for the project, explained.

Several room definitions with additional service corridors will permit separation of diners, i.e., smokers from non-smokers and

families from couples, Fenton said.

In a position paper submitted to the City Council, Schneider said the Shell Harbor Group was satisfied to be able to "pull our development and building permits for a 3,836-square-foot restaurant to enable us to utilize our financing and finish construction to coincide with other renovations at the 71-unit Inn in time for the 1983 winter season."

"We recognize that limitation of 75 seats was imposed by the Planning Commission in adherence to certain planning principles," Schneider said. "We agree to accept this limitation but retain our rights to pursue other appeal processes based on the legal rights beyond the Planning Commission."

"This property has always been a high intensity, motel use," he pointed out, "The previous owner always stated and fought for his right to have a full service resort. The present owners want nothing more or less."

The Shell Harbor Group first applied for a 200-seat restaurant and offered to compromise at 150 seats -- the number required by the state to obtain a full service liquor license.

But both the Planning Commission and the council remained adamant in their position that 75 seats is appropriate for an accessory use restaurant designed to serve the needs of motel guests only.

The right to operate a restaurant at the site and serve alcoholic beverages with meals only is included in the court stipulated agreement negotiated in 1980 by former owner David Holtzman in an out-of-court settlement of his lawsuit against the city.

In that settlement Holtzman also was granted the right to build 29 additional motel units at Shell Harbor Inn.

These units are currently under construction as condominium apartments.

July ROGO allocations made

The July Rate of Growth allocation ended on a happy note with all 43 new applicants for single-family dwellings and 19 others who reapplied after losing their March allocations winning the right to begin construction of new homes on Sanibel within the next four months.

That action left the Planning Commission with 24 of the 86 dwelling units available in the July period to be parceled out among five multi-family projects.

Three of the five, Captran, Shorewood and Tanglewood, went away empty handed from the March allocation and under the phased development priority were each awarded four units off the top.

Under this ROGO procedure Ray Fenton's Ferry Landing duplex project was awarded one dwelling unit because the property had no beneficial use.

Frank Cassavells was given an additional unit for his Shorewood complex to solve a question of equity in a beneficial use determination that was raised during the March allocation process.

The up-front allocation will complete Ed Cassavells' eight-unit Tanglewood condominium complex.

To determine the recipients of 10 units remaining, the commission spent an hour and a half scoring four multi-family projects on criteria that included energy efficiency, amount of open space, vegetation and landscaping plans and the development's impact on the community.

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Coming up at City Hall

A list of upcoming City Council and Planning Commission meetings

Tuesday, July 20, MacKenzie Hall, 9 a.m. - Regular meeting of the City Council. The July Rate of Growth allocations by the Planning Commission will be reviewed. 10:30 a.m. - first reading of an ordinance providing for removal by the city of

melaleuca trees from unimproved land at no expense to the property owner. 1:50 p.m. - Second reading of an ordinance to permit a neighborhood shopping center at Sanibel Bayous subdivision. 3:30 p.m. - Annual review of the Beach Access Parking ordinance. 5:01 p.m. - First reading of an ordinance establishing a system for receiving and evaluating development projects and allocating permits to appear on the ballot at the special election on Nov. 21.

Monday, July 26, MacKenzie Hall, 9 a.m. - Regular meeting of the Planning Commission.

Thursday, Aug. 5, MacKenzie Hall, 1 p.m. - Regular meeting of the Vegetation Committee.

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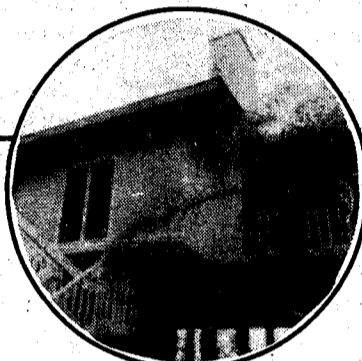
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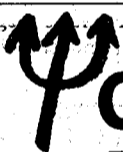
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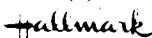


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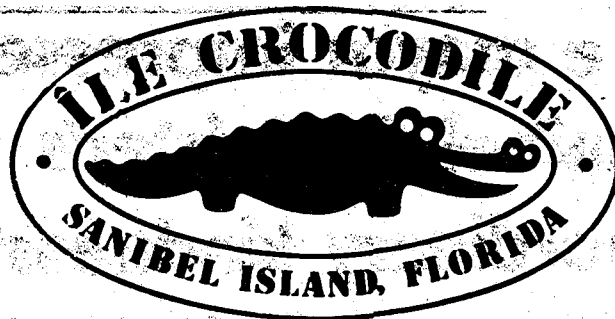
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Ocoee mayor impressed by Sanibel firefighter's 'extraordinary kindness'

By Barbara Brundage

The Sanibel Fire Department's "TV Fund" is \$100 richer, thanks to Mayor Cliff Freeman of Ocoee, Fla.

Freeman mailed the city a check for \$100 made out to the Sanibel Fire Control District in gratitude for extraordinary kindness shown him on Memorial Day by John Ondarcho, a Sanibel firefighter.

Ondarcho is mystified by Freeman's largess.

"I really can't remember doing anything unusual," Ondarcho, who has been with the Fire Department about three years, told The Islander.

"The only thing I can think of is loaning some of my own tools to a man who stopped by the station in the middle of the night. He was afraid his Cadillac was going to catch on

fire, and he needed a wrench to disconnect the car battery when he got back to where he was staying on Sanibel," Ondarcho said.

"I didn't want to loan out the department's tools to a stranger, so I gave him mine," the 34-year-old fireman said. "He returned them the next day," he added.

Fire Chief Fred Renz could shed no light on the mystery.

"We checked the log for Memorial Day and there was no record of a call during that period from anyone by that name," Renz said.

"But we are grateful to the mayor of Ocoee, and his donation has been added to a fund that provides some of the 'little extras' that make life more pleasant for firefighters while on duty that our budget doesn't cover," Renz said.

See today's City Council agenda

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CEPD chairman discourages alternate methods for erosion control

In a letter to the Captiva Erosion Prevention District, Commission Chairman Richard Butze last week discouraged alternate methods of erosion control proposed by the Alternate Methods Committee. The sandbag method of erosion control, he said, would be too costly.

Butze made his remarks at the monthly CEPD meeting.

After the July 22 hearing on the final establishment of an erosion control line, preparations will be made for reports on establishing an MSTU to fund a renourishment project. Project Engineer Dick Stevens will proceed with reports on levying the MSTU on an Island-wide basis or only on beach-front property owners.

After the reports are ready, a public hearing will be scheduled.

During "public comment" at the end of the meeting Dr. Lyman Wagers, a property owner on the Gold Coast, said he would eagerly support an MSTU for the beach renourishment.

It was pointed out that at least seven beach accesses would be required if the renourishment were funded through an MSTU, which would be subject to a number of government clauses.

Future CEPD meetings will begin at 9:30 a.m. instead of 10 a.m. on the first Monday of every month. The next meeting will be on Monday, Aug. 2, at the Captiva Civic Association.

Municipal Records

ROGO allocations made from page 6A

Mariner Properties' Tortuga Beach Club finished first with 166 points; Captran's Island Beach Club II and Ferry Landing tied for second with 153 points; and Shorewood scored 140 points.

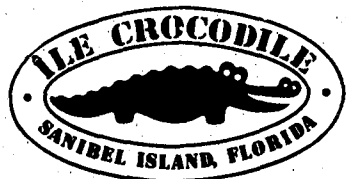
Commissioner Emily Barefield's motion to award top scorer Tortuga Beach the six units needed to complete another building in the complex and to award two units to Ferry Landing and one each to Captran and Shorewood squeaked through by a 3-2 vote.

Chairman Ann Winterbotham shared Commissioner Louise Johnson's view that

Captran, tied for second place with Ferry Landing, should also get two units.

But new Commissioner Harold Schuyler joined Commissioner Arthur Wycoff to support Barefield's motion, leaving Shorewood and Captran with one unit each. Commissioners Bill Hagerup and Larry Simon were not present.

So far this year 92 allocations have been made from the single-family reserve of 100 units and 37 from the multi-family reserve of 45 units. The Below Market Rate Housing reserve of 20 units has not been tapped.



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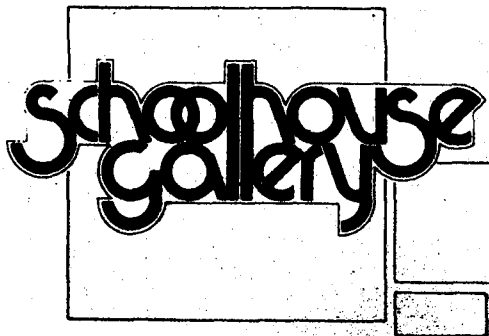
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ON THE WATER

By Captain Mike Fuery

On an Island never known for ordinary living, it stands to reason that one cannot get married in the usual way and feel right about the whole thing.

You see, it's hard to get a sunset inside a church, and what's a marriage vow without the cry of a gull in the background wondering from a distant piling why so many boats are anchored in the bay at the end of the day?

I don't get involved in boat weddings very often, about every five years or so, I guess it figures out to be. But on July 10, about half an hour before sunset, we gathered at the Tween Waters Marina docks for the wedding flotilla at leave.

I've never quite known what to wear to such gatherings, and having just come in from a full day of charter fishing, I inquired around the marina as to the proper attire. That is, should I call home and have wife Carol bring me a pair of long pants (if I still have any)?

Dockmaster Dale Manor was appalled. The groom was wearing shorts. And so was the bride. Why in tarnation would you want to wear long pants to a wedding? I had to agree after surveying the facts. There was one person, however, who did wear long pants.

Were there enough spirits on board? It was a five-minute trip to the quiet spot where the ceremony took place. Finally, with the bride and groom in matching shorts and Hawaiian shirts, Scott McPhee's sailboat pulled away with the wedding party, followed by our group of boats loaded



with well wishers.

Well, you never quite know what's going to happen in a boat wedding. The last one I went to, the guy driving the bride's party ran full aground in Pine Island Sound near South Seas. I had to pull the boat off before the ceremony could start. So I was prepared for about anything on July 10, but, fortunately, sailboat Shadowfax and party went along right on schedule. Scott anchored the boat and then all eyes went to the bride and groom.

Patricia Ann Dill was already at the bow, where the words would be spoken uniting her with Billy John Snearley. They have been Island residents for a few years. Pat works as a professional housekeeper and Billy is our assistant dockmaster at Tween Waters.

They came to Florida for the fishing and the water. It was only fitting that they should be married on a boat at sunset.

Scott had the two and their best man and lady on the bow of his boat, and with the rest of our little boats rafted along side he conducted the brief ceremony that made the two husband and wife.

Of course, right after tying the knot, there was much congratulations and celebrating from boat to boat. Two of our marina staff had to stay behind at the office until closing time, so using the radio, we kept them informed on the progress of the wedding procession.

Dale and his daughters hosted a reception at his seaside home near the marina. We all caught the last of the day down at the beach after a mad scamper from the boats.

So far, so good, right? Well, have you ever seen a wedding in which everything went right? You probably won't, either.

It seems Pat and Bill wanted to spend their honeymoon at the hotel on Cabbage Key. They talked about it for a year or so and made reservations for the night of the 10th.

When the two wandered into the Cabbage Key house later

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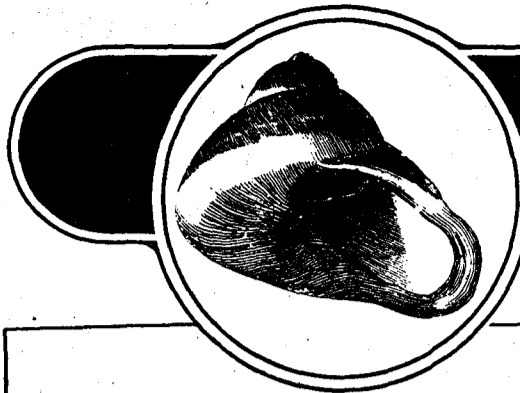
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SHELLING TIPS

By Captain Mike Fuery

We have two common shells on Sanibel and Captiva Islands that look so much alike you would expect them to be variations of the same family stock. Trouble is, they aren't. And as often as not, people interchange their names to add to the confusion.

The first we want to talk about is the horn shell. A big one would be an inch and a half long. They are a reddish brown color and have a sharp, pointed end that is thrust into the muddy bottom. The other end of the shell is open and has a roundish hole where the creature inside feeds from on the sand or mud flats.

The horn shell is in relatively good supply on both the beaches and on the inner tidal flats of Pine Island Sounds waters. The horn isn't the most gaudy of colors, but it's a good shell for collecting and there are lots of color variations that make looking for them in the shell lines interesting enough.

But along comes a similar sized shell we see very infrequently, the wentletrap. This miniature ice cream cone-shaped shell has the same general form as the horn shell, except the wentletrap has a much larger opening at its larger end.

I once had a lady return to the boat during a shelling trip

and announce that the wentletrap shelling was not only good, it was excellent. She had a whole handful to prove her point. You can guess what they were.

Well, the wentletrap isn't the only shell that gets into the problem. Along comes the horn shell's most frequently mistaken relative, the auger shell.

You who have a good collection of either the horn or auger shells, think back and I'll bet you can list several similar traits between the two.

They both have that long, skinny shell that is pointed at one end. They both live in muddy bottoms. Both are pretty much universally found on all beaches in fair numbers. Both reach about the same total size.

But the auger is the most prized of the two, especially if it is that pale purple color that sets it apart from all the others. The horn is a more rough textured shell, whereas the auger is smooth outside. Each has a type of rib design that runs down the outside of the shell.

I can find literally thousands of horns, from some so tiny I can hardly pick them up, to about an inch and a half. But with the more colorful augers, I've never once found a live one. I hardly ever find an auger on the bay side of the Islands. It's mostly on the upper islands, from Boca Grande

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The largest auger I've found was twice the size of a horn. I did some checking on the two and found some interesting things about them.

Starfish are one of the few predators of the augers. I've never been a particularly strong fan of any stars, but they do have unusual feeding habits, and apparently they do work over shallow sandy areas and feed upon augers. The auger in natural life lives in sand just below the sea floor.

Horns seem to die in large numbers for no explainable reason. That's why it's possible to pick up a hundred at times on certain beaches.

Both are good collector shells and easy for kids to find. There seems to be no appreciable loss to over collecting, so at least we have some shells still on the healthy list.

Good shelling this week, and keep watching for the horn and the auger.

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On the water continued

that night they were stopped at the door. Before Bill could say a word he was told the place was closed. They couldn't come in. Sorry, too late!

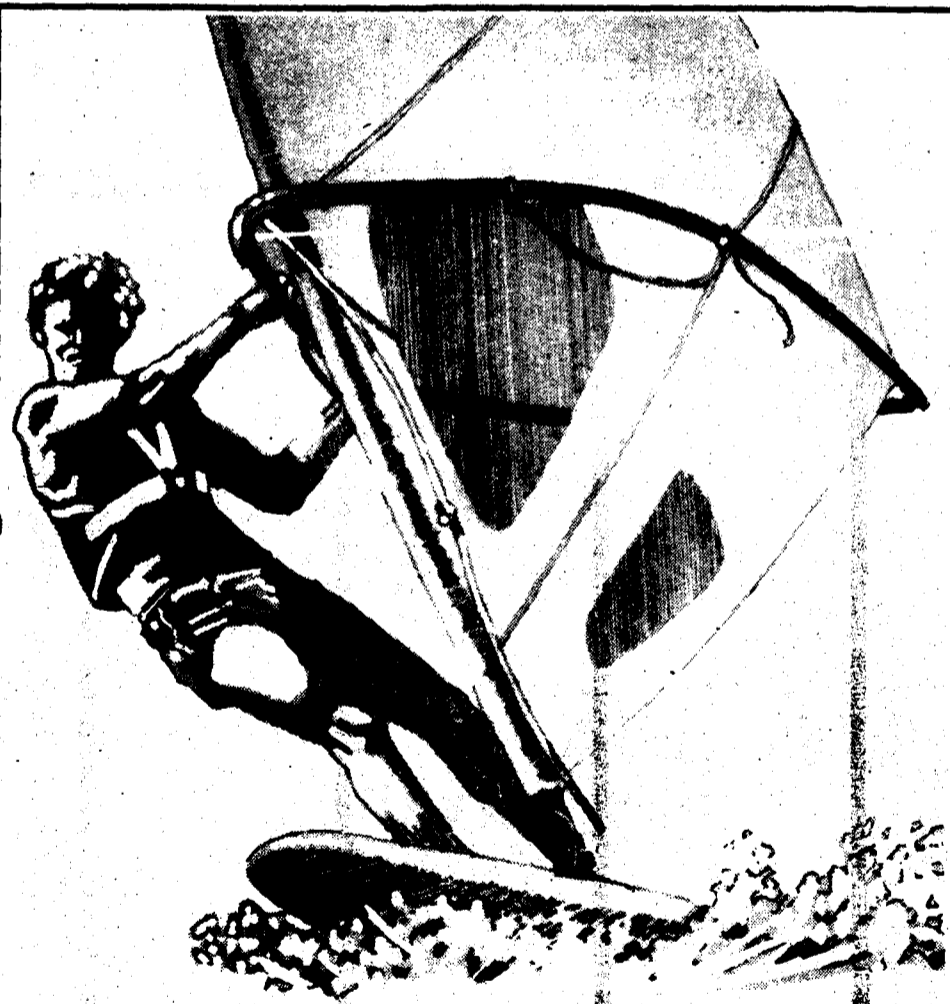
It seems the Cabbage Key staff thought the group was

coming in for a late night dinner or drinks. They forgot a wedding party was due at anytime.

Shakespeare said it best - "All's well that ends well," or something like that. Anyway, you never know what's going

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We haven't seen Pat or Billy since. The folks up at Cabbage Key are going to have to send them back to us one of these days.



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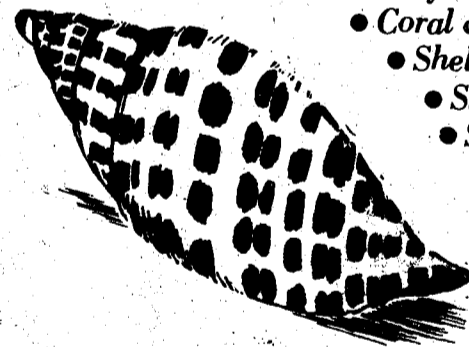
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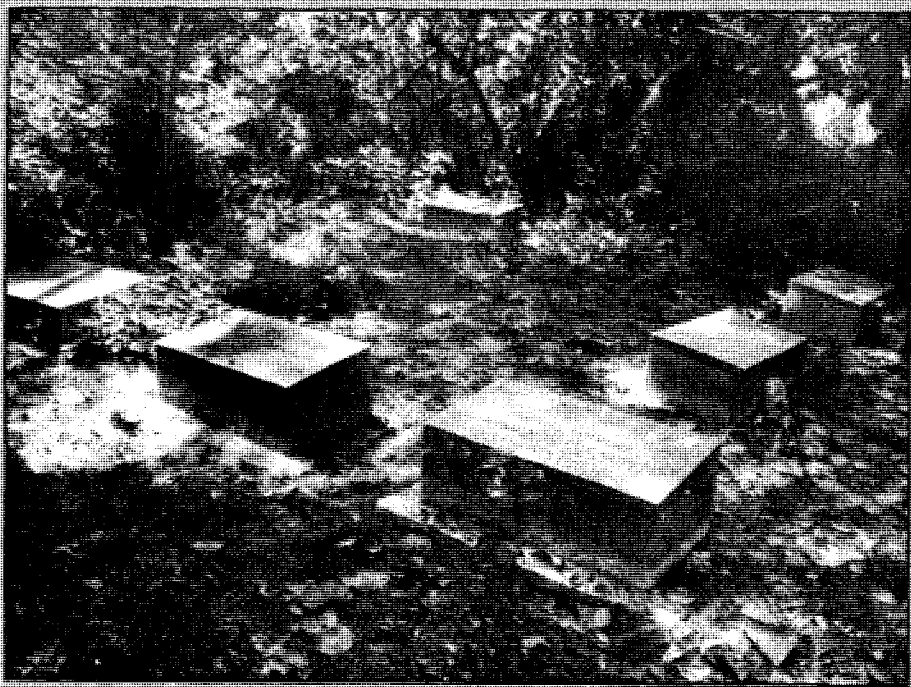
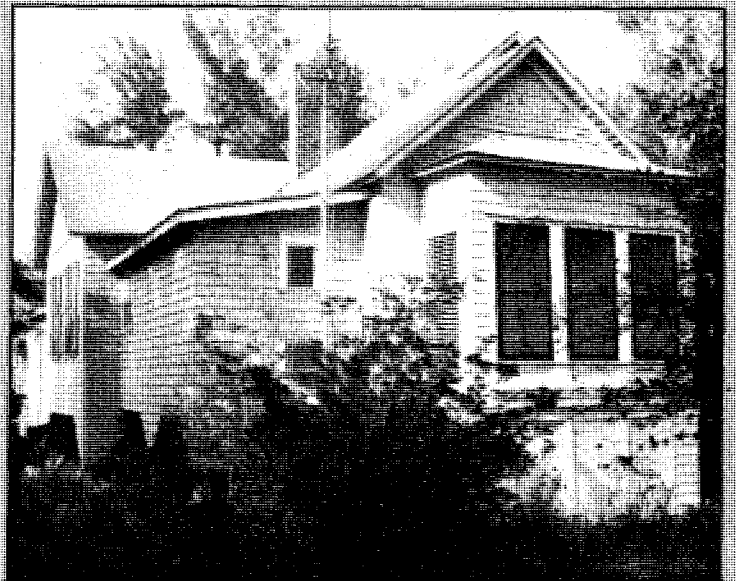
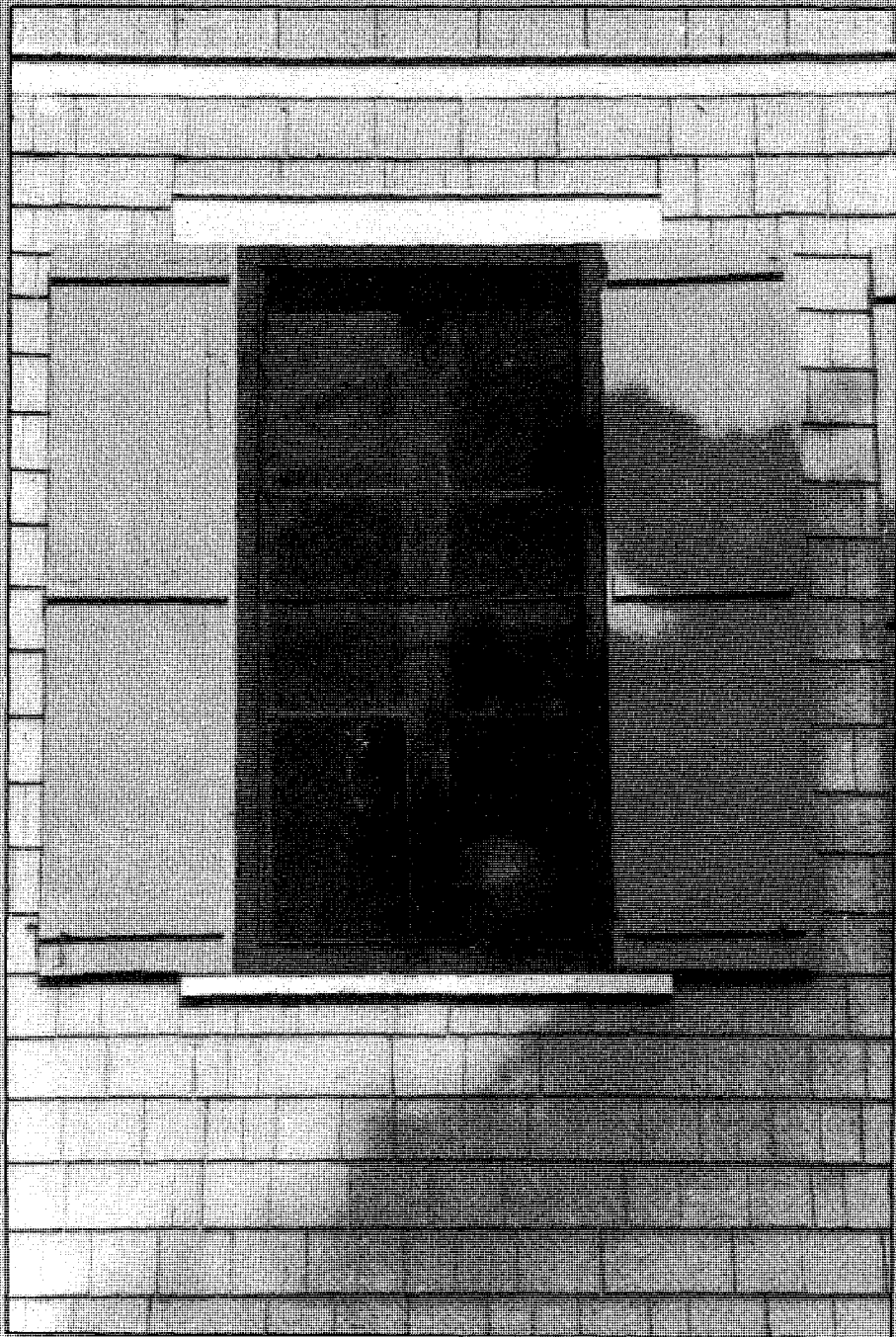
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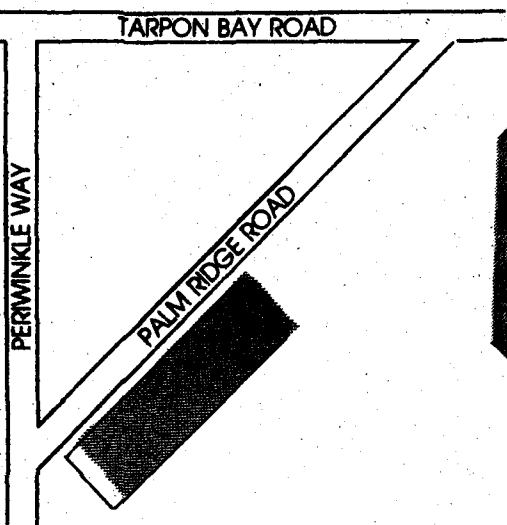
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Weekly Health Tip



From Len Kessler

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The house Gray ables



Story by Peggy Dailey

Photography by David Meardon

es, home of one of Sanibel's first families, is and closed to the public. But memories of amore Nutt (1835-1914) and her daughters Holt, Cordelia Nutt ("Miss Cordie") and ("Miss Letty") are still there, along with the es in the Gray Gables cemetery the kindness of the present owner of Gray Hamlett Jr., of Orrville, Ala., these pictures Hamlett also supplied information about the s Islander from old press clippings. ayer Dormer's book, The Sea Shell Islands, te a bit of material on the sisters, too, since the last sister, Laetitia, for many years woolteacher, died in 1945, there are few people ds who remember any of the family per-

ean Hayford was acquainted with the Nutts, er Welch. Possibly the person who remem- st is Miss Charlotta Matthews, former owner d Inn, Miss Charlotta, who was born in Sep- both Miss Letty and Miss Cordie as knew them the rest of their lives. es. lives revolved around the Confederate n the Civil War. nts, Laetitia Lafon Ashmore and LeRoy Nutt, r Kentucky. Laetitia was an intelligent, and pretty woman who was one of 15 children. l LeRoy Nutt, who was her cousin, in 1857 as 22.

quickly had three daughters, and then, in al War broke out, Laetitia recorded her war in a diary that was published as Courageous he E. A. Seemann Company of Miami in 1975. followed her husband into the war, taking her ters, all babes or toddlers, along. nd, who was later an attorney by profession, uisiana Calvary. He was captured in 1863 and time in several Union prison camps. The of time is unclear, as are several other cause of conflicting information. ed her husband and, with her daughters, r near him at the prison camps—also taking rs along. She constantly referred to him in her "writing" in a show of passion that was ard of in upper-class Southern ladies of that

to Dormer's book, with the war's end and the defeat Laetitia became very embittered north. Abraham Lincoln and the Union Army y were together responsible for ruining the therners. She clung to this view all her life. er over, the family moved to Shreveport, La., y practiced law and became a state senator. ill and died in 1882. o forget, the elder Laetitia left Louisiana with in-law, Ann Nutt, her daughters, and her

brother, Capt. James Ashmore, C.S.A., The came to Sanibel in 1888, when the island was still a pioneer settlement.

Laetitia built Gray Gables, a beautiful gray frame house off what is now West Gulf Drive. All those mentioned in this story are buried in the family cemetery there, along with Nels Holt, whom Nannie Nutt married late in life.

Of the three daughters, only Nannie married, Miss Letty and Miss Cordie had suitors, one an army officer from the north (at the elder Laetitia's disapproval) and the other a man below her in social station.

So Letty and Cordie became teachers and spinsters, and their mother became postmistress from 1889 to 1895. The mother and her daughters were active in social and civic affairs.

Perhaps their biggest accomplishment was organizing the Fort Myers chapter of The United Daughters of the Confederacy, which is called the Laetitia Ashmore Nutt Chapter.

There are two reports of the elder Laetitia's death, one that she died in 1914 when she was 79, the other that she died in 1918 when she was 83.

Her daughters Miss Letty and Miss Cordie continued to teach school. Cordie helped start Lee Memorial Hospital and became a director there.

The daughter of ardent Confederates also helped found the Jones-Walker Hospital for Negroes in Fort Myers.

Cordie also organized the Sanibel Civic Club, which evolved into the Community Association, and donated the land for the present Community Association Building.

Her home just west of the association building on Periwinkle Way is a green, wood frame, two-bedroom house. On the mailbox it says, "Cordie Nutt Cottage."

According to Dormer, Miss Letty was "quick and peppery" and remained interested in conservation and Sanibel affairs until the end of her long life in 1945.

The daughters' mother's late grandniece, Florence

Ashmore Martin, expressed delight at owning Gray Gables, which was said to be full of photos, scrapbooks, heirlooms and mementos of the Confederacy. Martin's son, however, now owns the house and said there was not much left there.

There have been attempts to have the house declared an historic site, but the present owner said he does not have any interest in doing that, at least for now.

Although little is known about the Nutt women, almost all the comments either written or spoken are invariably favorable and warm. ts, both those written down by people now dead, and comments from the few who still remember these women, are invariably favorable and warm. Dormer said Miss Letty was "quick and peppery" and remained interested in conservation and Sanibel affairs until the end of her long life in 1945.

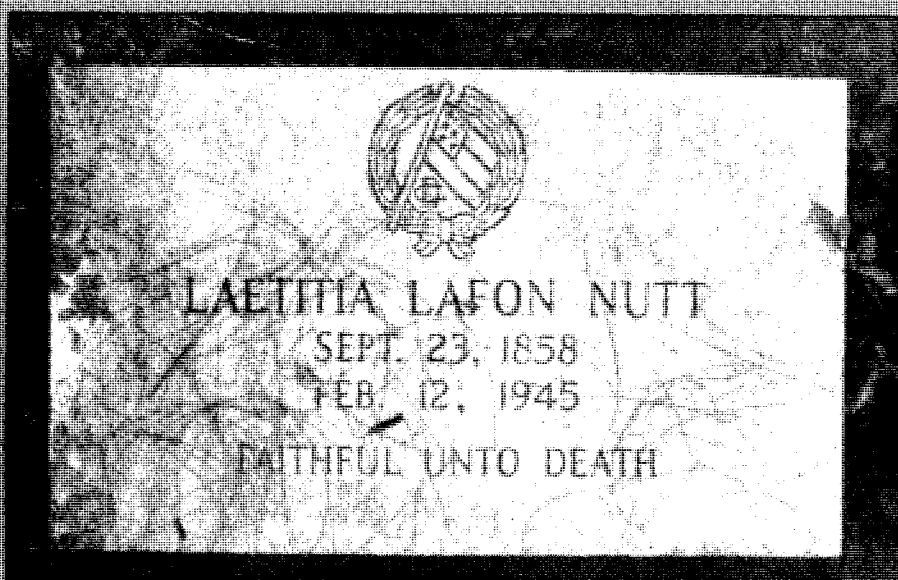
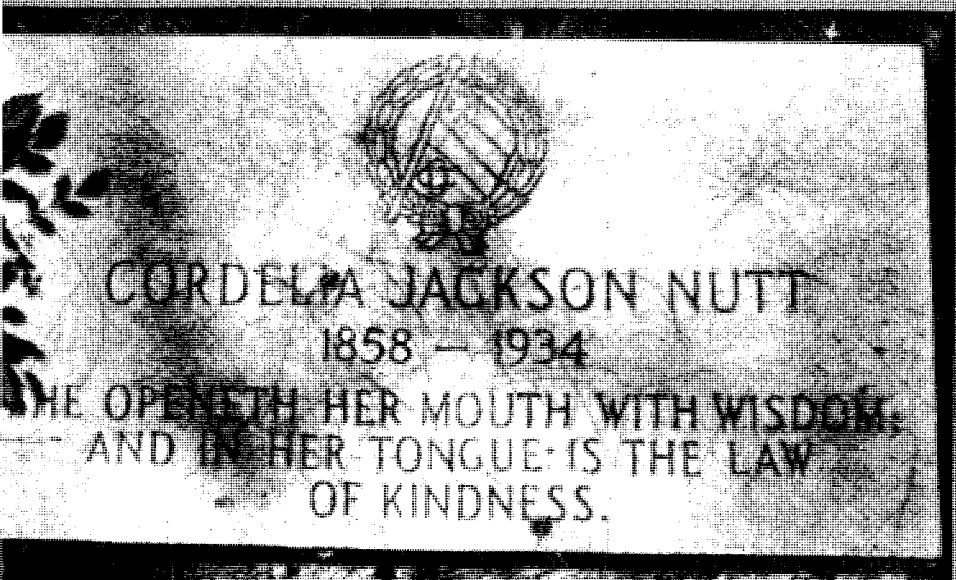
Matthews said both Miss Letty and Miss Cordie were "very nice" and "very intelligent." They were also devoutly religious.

"There were women, good Democratic women on Sanibel, like Miss Letty and Cordy Nutt, who just didn't think women should vote," Matthews explained. "They said that Paul said in the Bible women should stay home."

The mother, Laetitia, is described as being extremely strong, as indeed she must have been to live in a prison camp. Her daughters, for the most part, lived their lives as working women when working women were more the exception than the rule.

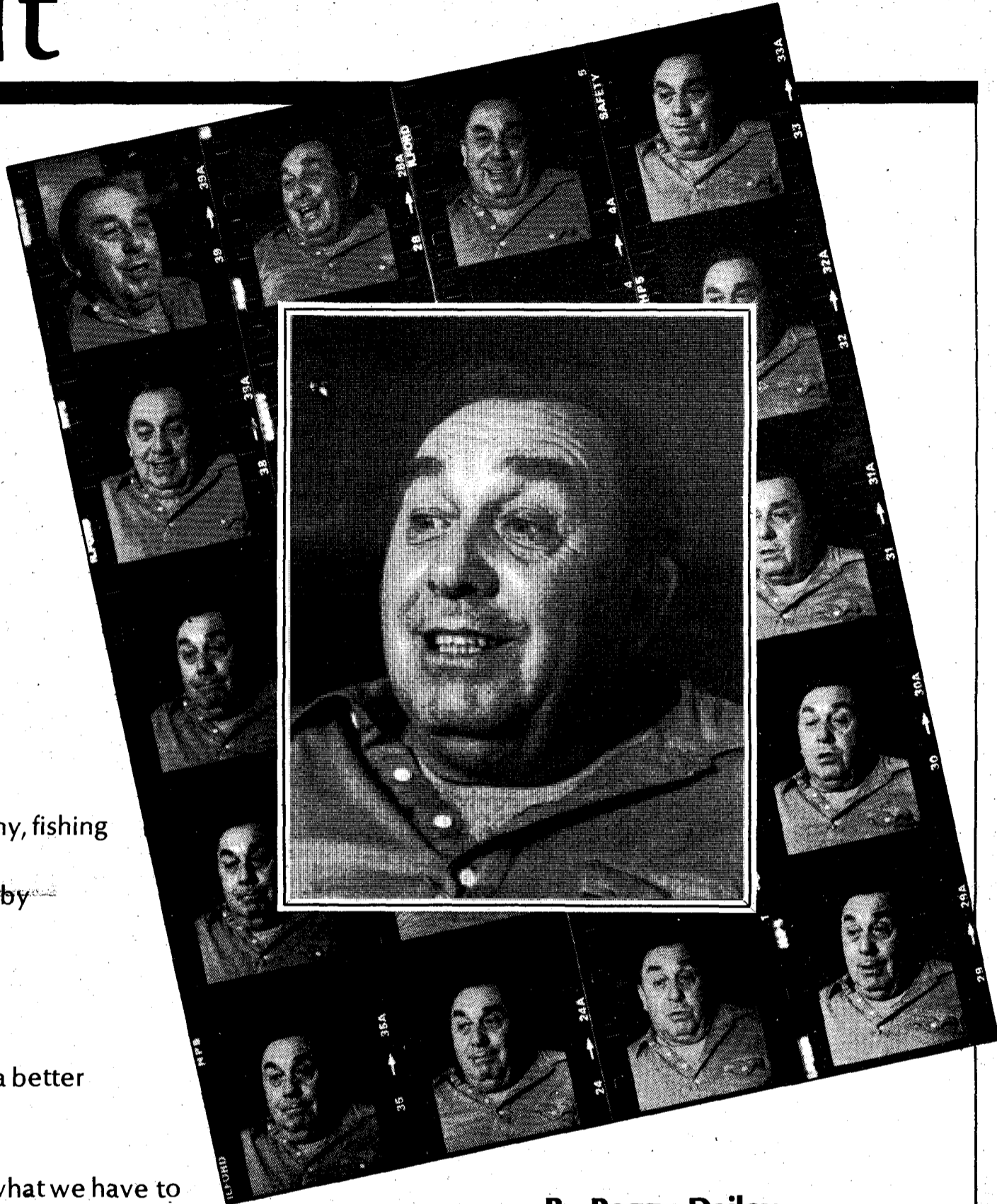
They helped Sanibel society get started. In them one is reminded of Margaret Mitchell's passage in Gone With The Wind about Scarlett's thoughts on the death of Melanie Hamilton Wilkes — "She was not seeing the passing of a woman but a legend, the self-effacing but steel-spined woman the South had left to go to war, and to whose proud and loving arms it had returned in defeat."

By all accounts, these interesting and charismatic women did much for Sanibel and should long be remembered.



Portrait

Ed Olling



Age: 60

Roots: Zion, Illinois

Pleasures: Stamp collecting, botany, fishing

Last Book Read: Money Practices by a "clever guy"

Mentor: My grandfather

Wish: "That I'll help the world be a better place to live."

Words of Wisdom: "Let us share what we have to spend before unto the depths we do descend."

**By Peggy Dailey
Photos by David Meardon**

Before he came to Sanibel, Ed Olling served as the new projects director at the Manned Spacecraft Center in Houston, Texas. He supervised parts of the Project Apollo, the last of the three-phased space program to put men on the moon.

In his capacity at the Houston Center, Olling, who has a doctorate in applied science, knew many interesting people, including John Glenn, now an Ohio senator and a presidential candidate for 1984.

He was also acquainted with Wernher Von Braun and the infinitely more famous hero of the sixties, President John F. Kennedy.

In fact, Olling knew Kennedy casually for many years after meeting him at a party in 1946 in Washington, D.C.

On Nov. 21, 1963, Olling remembers Kennedy visited him at the Manned Spacecraft Center in Houston. The president originally planned a short visit of about 10 minutes, Olling says. But JFK got to talking and stayed 20 minutes longer, throwing some of his aides into a spin because his schedule was very precise, Olling says.

The next day, in Dallas, Kennedy died of a gunshot wound in the brain.

"I think I was on the expressway, going to lunch when it came over the radio that the president had just been killed," Olling remembers. "I was taken aback, like everyone else. But I was taken aback especially since we had just sat chatting the day before."

Olling liked Kennedy as a president and approved of most

of his policies. He says he does not know whether all of the fables about his personal life are true. His real claim to greatness, in Olling's opinion, was that Kennedy was the father of the space program that eventually landed a man on the moon by 1969 and by that time had cost at least \$80 billion, a staggering sum in those days.

"We have learned so much for the price of that small amount," Olling maintains. "We have Telstar satellites."

"I don't care what Kennedy ate or loved or said," Olling says. "He got this country's technology off the ground and into the space age. He had a certain ability to -- I don't know what you'd call it -- inspire confidence."

"Nobody since has been able to give the American people (the feeling) that we can work things out. None of them have had that extra something they give to their work and in put their speeches."

Olling says Kennedy made people believe things would be all right. "I would have gladly followed him anywhere," he says, "just because of the Project Apollo and the space program."

Olling has been involved in the program all his working life. A native of Zion, Ill., and the oldest of eight children, he left there after high school and earned a bachelor's degree in engineering from Purdue University in Indiana. His father and grandfather owned a large construction business, but that was unappealing to Olling.

After Purdue he went to California, where he took a series of jobs (too many to list names, he says) with aircraft

builders. He worked first on planes, then on rockets and on the various methods of powering aircraft and arming them or fueling them, depending on their future use.

The methods and materials became more and more computerized, nuclear, atomic and sophisticated. By 1962 Olling was firmly ensconced in Houston.

After retirement in 1970, he came to Sanibel. Always interested in engineering and science, he offered his services to the Captiva Erosion Prevention District at once.

Because of this, a vacancy on the CEPD board and help from like-minded friends, he was appointed an erosion commissioner in mid-1981.

His life has been turbulent since then. Olling has intense differences of opinion with three of the commissioners, but he often agrees with fellow commissioner and maverick Peg Hofschneider.

"It has nothing to do with personality clashes," he says. "All have the right to their own opinions. But I am an engineer, and I know what will probably happen."

To sum it up, he says fortifying Captiva's eroding shoreline with sand is fine if the ballot to establish the necessary taxing unit to fund the project clearly written and understood by all voters. But before the sand should be placed on beaches, all preliminary alternate methods must be in place, he maintains.

Those methods include sandbagging, installing groins,

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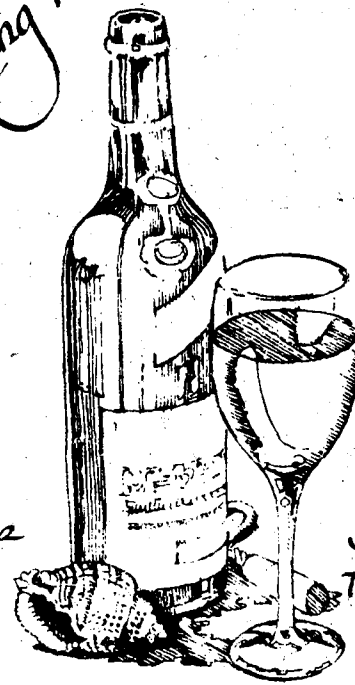
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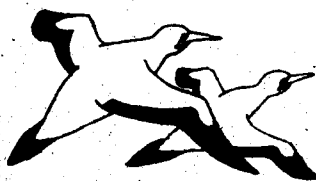
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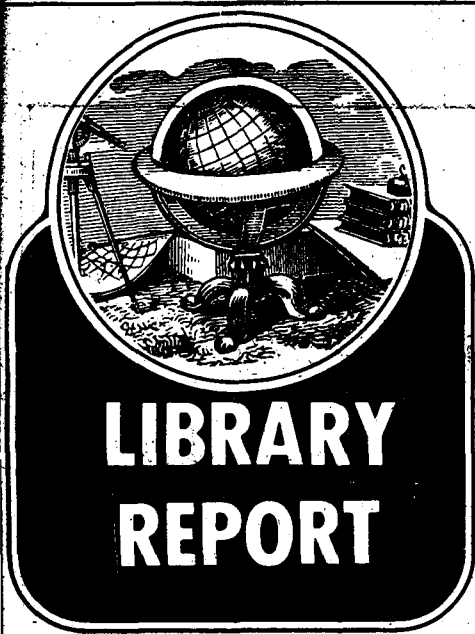
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LIBRARY REPORT

By Beth Manning

A Full Life by Helen Gahagan Douglas -- This autobiography certainly has an appropriate title. When Helen Gahagan dropped out of college, much to her father's dismay, to star in a Broadway production, she was an instant success, a rare phenomenon in the theatre world.

She received rave reviews from theatre critics, one of whom described her as "10 of the world's 12 most beautiful women."

Following her successes on Broadway, Gahagan toured Europe on the opera circuit, where she received high acclaim for her lovely soprano voice.

She returned to the United States when the stock market crashed and, in 1931, when she was 30, she married her co-star in the Broadway production of *Tonight or Never*, Melvyn Douglas.

The Douglasses moved to California so Melvyn could further his movie career. While Helen continued to work in the opera and the theatre, her interests soon turned to the plight of children of migrant workers.

Her philanthropic endeavors brought her to the attention of First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt, and she entered the political arena in 1944, when she ran for and won a Congressional seat. It was here where she first met Richard Nixon, a fellow representative from California whose voting record often clashed with Helen's.

One interesting vote was on a bill concerning the confidentiality of presidential files; Nixon voted in favor of forcing the president to surrender confidential files to Congress, while Helen opposed the bill.

The smear tactics used against Gahagan-Douglas in Nixon's 1950 race against her for the U.S. Senate have become infamous. Nixon's campaigners instilled the idea that she was a Communist in the minds of

California voters, and thus, she lost the election.

The events of Watergate brought Gahagan-Douglas back into public view as bumper stickers with "Don't blame me; I voted for Helen Gahagan Douglas" became popular. She, however, never became bitter, but rather continued her work for equal rights for women, civil rights for minorities and other humanitarian causes.

The story of her success as an actress, an opera singer, a wife, mother, politician and a humanitarian is extremely interesting. She did lead *A Full Life*.

The Head of Alvis by Lina Wertmuller -- The first novel by the Italian director of such film classics as *Seven Beauties* and *The Seduction of Mimi*. In keeping with the subject matter so popular in her films, Wertmuller's novel presents a humorous look at the wretched side of human nature and the conflict between good and evil.

Young American Jew Sammy meets young Italian Jew Alvis when his family visits Italy as World War is just beginning. Alvis has all the charm, talent, intelligence and physical attributes that Sammy lacks, and Sammy immediately develops an overwhelming jealousy.

When the families are put into a concentration camp, Alvis helps Sammy escape, thus saving his life and causing

Sammy's inferiority complex to soar. The two boys escape to America but are separated when Alvis returns to Italy after the war.

Sammy grows up to attain success as a writer of detective novels and feels secure in his life until, 40 years after their separation, he and Alvis are reunited. Alvis has not only been awarded the Nobel Prize for literature but also, through philanthropic and intellectual pursuits, has gained international prominence and admiration.

Sammy's old feelings of inferiority overpower him, and he becomes determined to destroy Alvis. When Alvis invites his "friend" to accompany him on a mission of international importance, Sammy sees his chance to kill Alvis. After studying the various murder plots in his novels he sets off with Alvis in anticipation of the opportunity to rid the world of this "too perfect" human.

Although some readers might not appreciate Wertmuller's unique sense of humor and her rather bawdy style, most will find her novel highly entertaining.

Summer hours at the Sanibel Library are from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. every day except Sunday and from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday.

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buying a small dredge for Captiva and building revetments, among other things. Otherwise, Olling says, the sand won't

Olling says South Seas Plantation's recent pristine intactness after the "No Name" storm of June 17-18 proves nothing.

The area from Turner Beach to the Post Office curve is more vulnerable and always hard hit, he says.

Some nourished beaches escape storm damage, he says, but Olling adds that some, like the one that was recently renourished at Cocoa Beach for \$15 million, can be wiped out in a single night of rough weather.

What makes him mad, he says, is the attitude of some of

the erosion commissioners and very pro-hydraulic-dredging-only property owners, some of who live on the Gold Coast. "They want this, they need this and they'll have it by legal means one way or the other," he says. "Captiva will have to put up the money.

"It's like trying to force a bone down a dog who's already eaten -- and is also ready to throw up if the bone is not removed.

"That's my opinion and I want it in the story," he concluded.

When he is not making pronouncements and remembering JFK, Olling, who is divorced and has three grown children in Texas, runs an antique shop in Fort Myers called

Pirate's Cove. He has paper antiques -- newspapers, autographs, cards, broadsheets, sheet music and postcards -- everything made of paper.

He also enjoys an enormous botanical garden with more than 10,000 rare plants from places like Brazil and Tanzania, and he reads science fiction novels, too.

He likes the Big Band music of the 1940's -- Miller, Dorsey and son, and is on the Executive Committee of the Democratic Party of Lee County.

"Remember," he says, "Science does not go back. Man has tried to make his life better since he got out of the cave and discovered dropping meat on ice made it last longer."

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POLICE BEAT

All information in the following reports was taken directly from Sanibel Police Department records.

Police investigated a report of a prowler on Coquina Drive on Saturday night, July 10. A woman had reported a prowler was

looking around the house next to hers with a flashlight. Police found nothing suspicious.

A Periwinkle Trailer Park guest reported the spare tire and hub cap from his pick-up truck were stolen from the park on Sunday morning, July 11. The man, who was from Long Island, N.Y., estimated valued of the hub cap and tire at \$207.

A Devon, Penn., resident was cited for driving a moped on the San-Cap Road bike path on Sunday morning, July 11.

The outdoor sign at Nave Plumbing on Periwinkle Way was reported vandalized on Monday evening, July 12. No estimated was available for the damage.

A Kansas City, Mo., resident reported \$85 in cash was stolen from a wallet inside a Song of the Sea resort unit on Monday evening, July 12. The cash was taken sometime between 4:15 and 5:15 p.m. There were no signs of forced entry to the unit.

The windshield on a 1981 Cadillac belonging to a Donax Street resident was reported smashed on Tuesday morning, July

13. The vandalism was done sometime between 10 p.m. July 12 and 5 a.m. July 13.

A resident of Sanibel Arms West reported noisy youths were throwing pool furniture into the swimming pool on Wednesday night, July 14. Police responded to the complaint and advised the youths to keep quiet.

Two purses and cash valued at \$454 were reported stolen from a locked car at the Lighthouse beach parking lot on Thursday afternoon, July 15.

The purses and money were taken sometime between 11:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. A sharp tool was used to open the drivers door.

Police looked for a yellow Chevrolet that reportedly drove through the toll plaza without stopping after the driver was instructed to sign a form in the office on Friday morning, July 16. Police did not find the car.

A Kew Gardens, N.Y., resident reported he lost his wallet with \$110 in cash somewhere on Sanibel on Friday morning, July 16.

No charges were filed in a partial accident at Bailey's on Tuesday morning, June 29. Linda Ploesser Durberg of Cemetery Road, Sanibel, struck a passenger car that belonged to Jody Lynn Welke on Sanibel Boulevard.

Police estimated there was \$500 damage to Durberg's 1980 Volvo and \$25 to Welke's 1973 Ford.

A Sanibel man refused medical treatment after he lost control of his motorcycle on Sandcastle Road on Sunday evening, July 11. Steven Benjamin Greenfield of 1 Sandcastle Road lost control of his 1973 Suzuki as he entered a curve. Police estimated there was \$300 damage to motorcycle.

No charges were filed in another motorcycle accident on Periwinkle Way on Lindgren Boulevard on Wednesday morning, July 7.

Earl Goff of 122 Fitzhugh St. was arrested on Periwinkle Way at an excessive rate of speed when he lost control. Police estimated there was \$100 damage to Goff's 1973 Kawasaki.

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as possible.

Butler is asking that such residents fill out the accompanying coupon and either deliver it or mail it to his attention at police headquarters above Mackenzie Hall on Palm Ridge Road. The mailing address is P.O. Box 438, Sanibel. Police personnel will subsequently contact the residents for more specific information.

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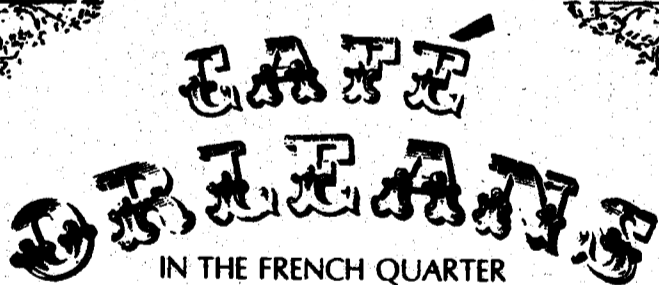
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consideration is a "commercial" use prohibited in the Gulf Beach and Gulf Beach Ridge ecological zones.

In late April Creekwood Investments Co., and Morton Rabkin, president of the Caribe Beach Resort, were cited by the city for these CLUP violations and given 10 days to comply or appear before the Code Enforcement Board.

The city twice granted Creekwood extensions of the deadline to give them time to work out a solution.

Late in May, Hemke, in a letter to City Manager Bernie Murphy, indicated the only solution acceptable to his clients was for the city to recognize the validity of the beach club memberships.

Rabkin had been at odds with the city since the City Council cracked down on the off-site solicitation of prospective customers for the time sharing complex. He had publicly accused city officials of trying to "put the Caribe out of business."

Rabkin called the CLUP violation citation "the final nail in our coffin" and suggested going to court as his last resort.

To avoid possible litigation or adversary proceedings before the Code Enforcement Board, Bowen said he negotiated with Hemke for some time to arrive at an agreeable solution.

"Though negotiations broke down at the 11th hour yesterday we are fairly close to a compromise," Bowen told the board Thursday.

Hemke agreed that, "We are very, very close to an agreement that will protect our mutual interests."

Bowen recommended continuing the hearing for two or three weeks to permit finalization of a complete interim agreement.

With four members present, the board voted unanimously to recess the hearing until 9:30 a.m. Thursday, July 29.

"If we are not able to reach an agreement by that date we'll let you know," Bowen promised Code Enforcement Board Chairman Buhl Burgoyne.

As the first business of the day the board heard sworn testimony from attorney Norman Hartman Jr. and voted to

dismiss his clients, the Beck Group, Inc., as one of defendants in the Caribe case by finding them not guilty of the CLUP violations.

Hartman said the Beck Group, owners of the Caribe Beach Resort property when the complex was cited for violating the land use plan, no longer has any connection in the resort.

Hartman explained that shortly after the Beck Group purchased the Caribe property in February 1981, it leased to Creekwood Investments with an option to purchase.

On June 2 Creekwood exercised its option to buy a new owner of the property, Hartman said.

"At no time did the Beck Group have control over motel operation," he added.

Board Attorney Richard Roosa advised the board since the Beck Group is no longer the owner it would be appropriate to dismiss them as violators.

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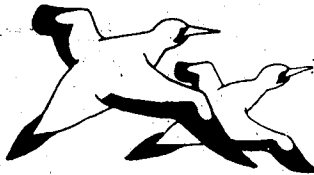
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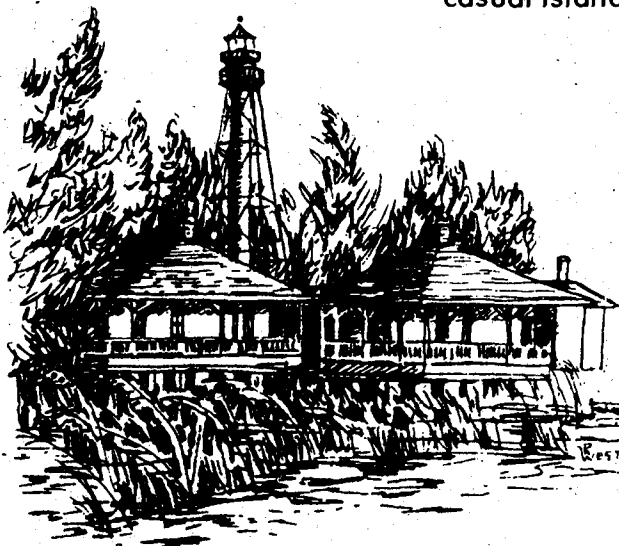
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Officials express concern over 869 as evacuation route

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threatened Sanibel, a portion of McGregor Boulevard was closed and traffic was rerouted via Kelly Road to San Carlos Boulevard.

When possible landfall of the storm was predicted north of Fort Myers, members of the city's Evacuation Preparedness and Emergency Relief Team (EPERT) contemplated the use of Summerlin Road for a "voluntary evacuation" rather than the Kelly Road detour.

But when the roads contractor, MacAsphalt, Inc., refused responsibility for use of the road without Lee County's assuming the liability, EPERT abandoned the plan.

"If clerical personnel by chance had not been in the office we would have been unaware of the last minute change," Vice Mayor Mike Klein, acting mayor during the Alberto crisis, complained later in a letter to County Commission Chairman Ernie Averill.

Sanibel Police Chief John Butler, head of the EPERT team, said among the problems uncovered during the

Alberto storm were the bottlenecks, compounded by traffic from Fort Myers Beach, that occurred at the intersection of Kelly Road and San Carlos Boulevard.

"That was not an official evacuation, but it underscored the need for an operational plan for traffic control in cooperation with Lee County sheriff's department," Butler said.

"The evacuation route is not properly signed," he added, "Making it confusing and hazardous to find the shelter on Cypress Lake Drive. If Summerlin Road is to be used it must be clearly marked as an evacuation route with traffic officers posted at intersections."

It would be disastrous if in the middle of a hurricane evacuation a motorist should turn right instead of left at San Carlos Boulevard and end up at Fort Myers Beach, the chief added.

Klein in his June 15 letter to Averill pointed out that in 1981 Sanibel's hurricane evacuation study examined the impact

of using Summerlin as an alternate route to McGregor Boulevard.

"The conclusion reached was that the best route for Sanibel-Captiva residents and the residents of the southern portion of the Iona evacuation zones is to proceed north on McGregor rather than use Summerlin Road," Klein wrote.

The expected residential development centered in the mile-wide corridor along Summerlin between McGregor and Gladiolus Drive will result in traffic volumes far in excess of the road's capacity, the Lee County planning staff predicted in a March 1982 report.

"In light of these facts," Klein concluded, "It would seem that in addition to the need for adequate land use control mechanisms there is also the need to re-examine whether it is not in the county's or Sanibel's best interests to have McGregor Boulevard open to through traffic for emergency access at Miner's Corner intersection during an evacuation."

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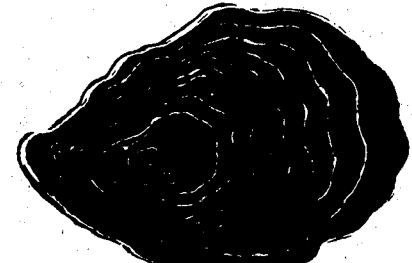
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JULY 20, 1982

AGENDA

9 a.m.

1. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance (White).
2. Approval of Minutes of June 8, 11 and 15, 1982.
3. Planning Commission Report.

4. City Attorney's Report.
5. City Manager's Report.

a. Report from Vegetation Committee on Melaleuca and Brazilian Pepper Control.

b. Recommendation re: letter of understanding with Cooper and Lybrand to conduct an examination of the Financial Statements for the year ending Sept. 30, 1982.

c. Discussion re: fee waiver policy (continued from June 15, 1982, meeting).

d. Report re: Phase I.

Tarpon Bay-Casa Ybel bike path (information).

e. Communication from County Administrator re: proposal for a reduced Causeway rate to Sanibel users of Punta Rassa Boat Ramp (information).

f. Recommendation re: Bids for Periwinkle Bridge Repairs.

g. Recommendation and review of proposed City Hall Land Site Plan.

h. Request for variance to Graphics Ordinance by Scotty's Village Shopping Center.

i. Request for variance to Graphics Ordinance by Executive Services, Inc.

6. Review of Rate of Growth Ordinance allocation by Planning Commission in July 1982.

10:30 a.m.

7. Public Hearing and First Reading of an ordinance declaring Melaleuca Quinquenervia to be a nuisance; providing for removal of Melaleuca from unimproved lands within the City of Sanibel at no expense to the property owner; providing for notification to the property owner; providing for notification to the property owner prior to entry upon and Melaleuca removal from real property.

8. Mayor and Councilmen's Reports.

RECESS FOR LUNCH

1:30 p.m.

9. Public Hearing and Second Reading of an Ordinance specifically Amending the Comprehensive Land Use Plan, Section 3.3.9: Commercial Yard Requirements, to permit construction of a Chain Link Fence that separates a parking lot from a Private Access Easement, beginning at the Gulf Drive Right-of-Way (A 60-foot encroachment into a required front yard) located at the Christian Science Church, 2950 Gulf Drive, in Section 34, Township 46 South, Range 22 East; as submitted by Jovan de Rocco for the Christian Science Church.

1:50 p.m.

11. Public Hearing and Second Reading of an Ordinance specifically amending the Comprehensive Lane Use Plan, Section 3.2.3: Permitted Uses Map, Part 2.5: Land Use, and Section 3.4.10: Filled land, to permit Commercial Use Designation for a site of approximately 1.5 acres to permit a neighborhood retail shopping center. The subject parcel is located at the Southwest Corner of the intersection of Sanibel-Captiva and Sanibel Bayous roads, in Section 13, Township 46 South, Range 21 East; as submitted by E.G. Konrad and Roy E. Bazire.

2:10 p.m.

12. Public Hearing and Second Reading of an Ordinance specifically amending the Comprehensive Land Use Plan, Section 3.3.2: Residential Yard Requirements, to permit the Construction of a Seawall on Lot K, Shell Harbor Subdivision (unrecorded), located on the East Side of Beach Road in Section 20, Township 46 South, Range 23 East; as submitted by Monica T. Bowman.

13. Public Hearing and Second Reading of an Ordinance specifically amending the Comprehensive Land Use Plan, Sections 3.3.1: Residential Densities and 3.2.2: Development intensity Map for an increase in Density to Permit Single Family Development of each of Four Contiguous parcels located on the South Side of Sanibel-Captiva Road in Section 11, Township 46 South, Range 21 East; as submitted by William W. Buckley.

14. Public Hearing and Second Reading of an Ordinance specifically amending the Comprehensive Land Use Plan, Sections 3.3.2: Residential Yard Requirements and 3.9.6: Development in the altered land zone to permit development of a deck addition to an existing single-family home on Lots 21, 22 and Part of Lot 20, Block C, Sanibel Isles Subdivision, Unit 1; as submitted by Edwin A.

Sweet, Jr.
2:30 p.m.

15. Public Hearing and Second Reading of an Ordinance specifically amending Comprehensive Land Use Plan Section 3.4.2: (Permitted Use) Gulf Beach Ecological Zone; Section 3.3.2: Residential Yard Requirements, to Permit construction of a fence along beach access easement approximately 35 feet seaward the Coastal Construction Setback (control) Line to approximately 40 feet from the Centerline West Gulf Drive, located at West Gulf Drive, in Section Township 46 South, Range East; as submitted by Winterbotham.

16. Public Hearing and Second Reading of an Ordinance specifically amending Comprehensive Land Use Plan Section 3.3.2: Residential Yard Requirements to Permit construction of a Fence Along East side of the Rabbit R right-of-way on a parcel of land located at the Northeast Corner of the Rabbit Road-Gulf D intersection in Section Township 46 South, Range East; as submitted by Over Motors Corporation.

17. Public Hearing and Second Reading of an Ordinance specifically amending
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3 p.m.
18. Public Hearing and First Reading of an Ordinance specifically amending the Comprehensive Land Use Plan, Section 3.2.3: permitted uses map and section 3.4.11 (5)

permitted uses to permit issuance of a development permit to change a parcel of land from residential to special use district in conformance with Section 3.3.5: (3) Commercial Districts and Section 3.3.8: conditional uses, to allow the continuing operation of the Wegrin Clinic in conformance with the Comprehensive Land Use Plan, and to Permit medically related retail sales in conjunction with the special use district. The clinic is located on a parcel of land in Government Lot 5, Section 20, Township 46 South, Range 22 East; as submitted by Stanley and Rosalind Wegrin.

3:10 p.m.
19. Public Hearing and First Reading of an Ordinance specifically amending the Comprehensive Land Use Plan, Section 3.3.6: Development intensity in commercial districts, Section 3.3.7: Coverage and clearance in Commercial districts, Section 3.3.10: screening and buffering for Commercial uses, Section 3.3.14: off-street parking for commercial and residential uses, and Section 3.9.3: (environmental performance standards) development in the mid-island ridge to develop a grocery convenience store and additional parking at the Sea

Horse Shop Complex in an existing building, on the Western Side of the property, located at 362 Periwinkle Way, in Section 21, Township 46 South, Range 23 East; as submitted by David C. Arnold, Trustee.
3:20 p.m.
20. Public Hearing and First Reading of an ordinance specifically amending the Comprehensive Land Use Plan, Section 3.3.2: Residential Yard Requirements to permit two encroachments in the setback from the centerline of the street at 1717 Venus Drive (Lot 35, unrecorded Water Shadows Subdivision located in Section 18, Township 46 South, Range 23

East); as submitted by John and Barbara Hill.
3:30 p.m.

21. Review of Parking Ordinance (No. 81-10).
22. Public Comments and Inquiries.

RECESS

5:01 p.m.

23. Public Hearing and First Reading of an Ordinance establishing a system for receiving and evaluating development projects and allocating development permits; providing for review by Council; all pursuant to an initiative ordinance adopted by

the Sanibel Electorate at the Nov. 21, 1978, Special Election calling for a managed system of growth; providing for inclusion into the Code of Ordinances.

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grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas of Sanibel's Island Garage and Island Gifts; aunt and uncle, Sharon and Jim Thomas; and a cousin, Jennifer Elizabeth Thomas, all of Sanibel. Mr. and Mrs. W. Beerman are the proud grandparents in Cincinnati, Ohio.

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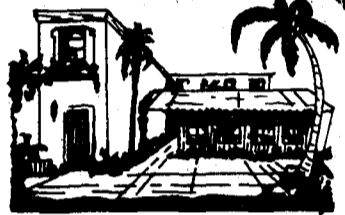
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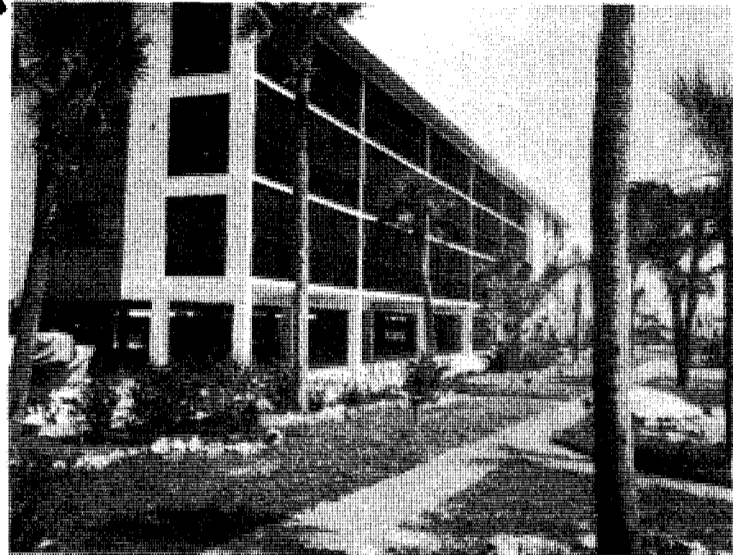


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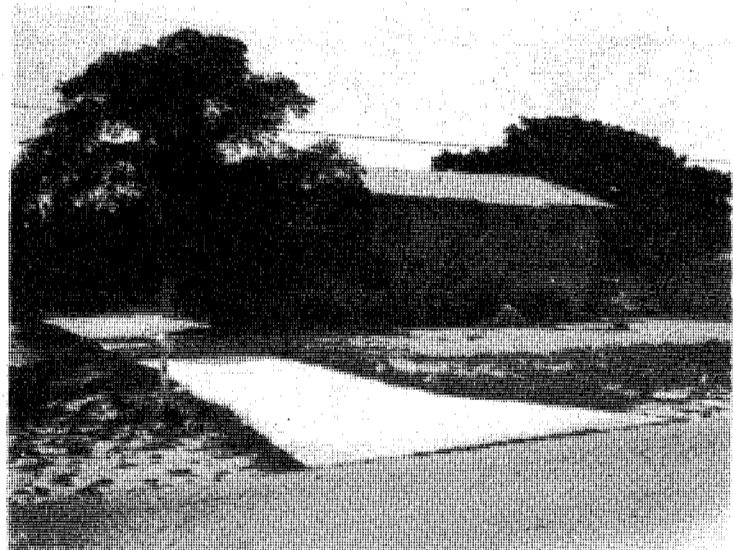
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Fun In The Sun Maybe Yes, Maybe No

By George Campbell

Illustrated by Ann Winterbotham

This is the time of year when scantily- (or even un-) clad people lie about our beaches and pool decks soaking up solar energy -- or, to put it another way, "getting a tan." It seems that one must not return from a Sanibel vacation without one.

Funny thing is, in most parts of the world over the last century or so, dark-skinned people were exploited and often placed on lower rungs of the social ladder than light-skinned Europeans.

So over all that time, there developed an envious, sometimes antagonistic, situation among some well-tanned peoples in relation to light-skinned ones.

In British India, some dark-skinned southerners of Dravidian extraction such as the Tamils became more English than the Englishmen in language, style of dress and manner. They even spoke of taking annual leave "at home" -- in England. Just imagine, a place they had never been and which certainly was not "home"! Colonialism dies slowly -- some Indians still talk in that stilted, artificial way.

So over centuries and decades, while dark people tried by manner, habit and speech to become lighter, naturally light-skinned European types have evolved an equally ridiculous cultural ambition that today, in the late 20th Century, is likely to cause real health trouble in the form of Epidermal cancer -- and a lot of it.

Almost gone is what I call the "Scarlett O'Hara Syndrome." You will recall that lovely lady was usually either under a parasol, a bonnet, an oak tree or Clark Gable. She and her contemporaries never exposed themselves to the sun. We have to agree that her attitude toward the sun was a heck of a lot more sensible than our present-day one.

There is a lovely young lady, Natalie, visting here from Ohio, who is a rare devotee of the Scarlett O'Hara Syndrome. She and her family are, I might mention, exceptions to the condition known hereabouts as the Ohio Complication. They are keenly intelligent and it's a pleasure to have them on Sanibel since they provide lively conversation on many subjects with a style that would be the envy of a Churchill or an Amory.

(In passing, however, I might mention that for those local residents who are troubled with the Ohio Complication, I am offering a seminar. It will be in early August, thus providing ample time to absorb all of the suggested remedies for effective response to the Ohio Complication before the winter stampede. This seminar is called:

The Ohop Complication How to Deal with the Natives Without Trauma

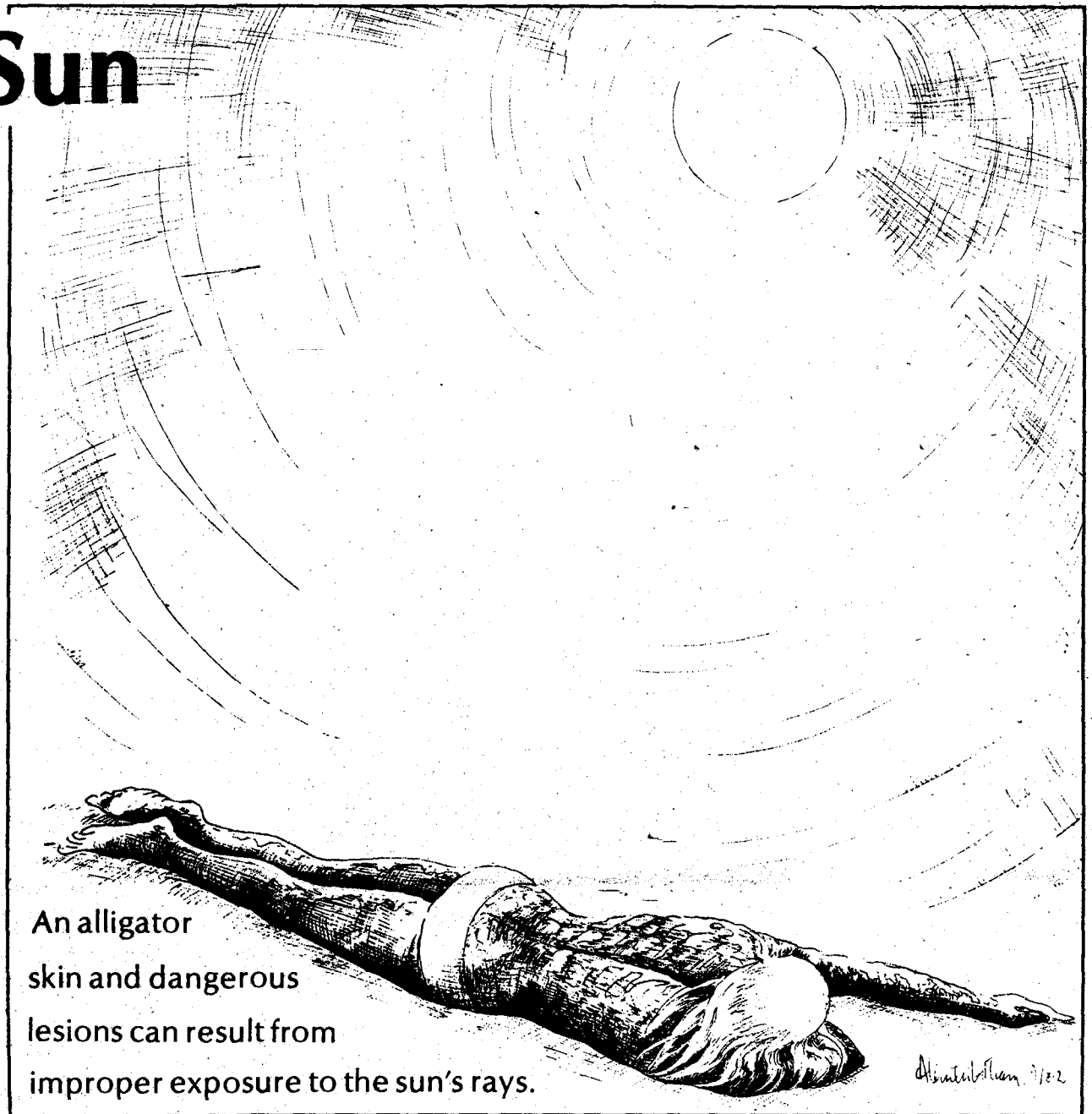
Living specimens of all major problem forms will be featured. This seminar is filling up fast, but there are still a few openings so if you are interested, register promptly).

To return to the main thrust of this article, sensible Natalie will return home without the seed of future trouble -- exposure to the sun's rays that, for many others, will result two decades down the road in serious cutaneous problems: pre-cancerous, flat or slightly-raised, reddish, flaking, sometimes sore skin patches known as solar keratoses.

Untreated, 25 percent of these turn into real cancers -- squamous cell and basal cell carcinomas. Though not in a class with many serious and often terminal internal cancers, they are nonetheless to be taken seriously, avoided when possible and treated when they do appear with chemotherapy, surgery or cryotherapy (freezing with liquid nitrogen).

Almost a 100 percent cure is achieved with proper treatment. Without treatment they can seriously damage adjacent issue and sometimes, though rarely, spread to other parts of the body.

Pre-cancerous solar keratoses may not take so long to form in the future if those scientists are correct who postulate that the protective Ozone Layer in our atmosphere



is being destroyed by aerosol propellant and refrigeration gasses being carelessly released in immense quantities daily.

It is cumbersome to carry compressed air if you are a refrigerator or air conditioning serviceman. After all, you do have to carry compressed freon. So instead of blowing out stuck pipes and tubes to free them of obstructions by using harmless air, most servicemen simply clear the pipes with freon, releasing this alien substance into the atmosphere.

"Does such pollution damage the Ozone Layer?" we ask. They answer, "The solution to pollution is dilution." Who knows? I suggest that it may be a dangerous practice.

Twenty years ago, when I was wandering around in the

During the next decade 5,000,000 men and women in the United States will learn that they have skin cancer. . . . 90% of those cancers will appear on the face and other exposed parts of the body. Hundreds of thousands will be disfigured through the total or partial loss of noses . . . eyes . . . lips . . . ears . . . 50,000 will die of the disease or its complications.

I am indebted to the Skin Cancer Foundation, 475 Park Ave. Southland of New York City and to Dr. Charles Ebey for the information included in these boxes.

sun in places like Brazil and India, the concept of delayed development of solar keratoses from exposure to solar radiation was, if already suspected, not very widely disseminated. Accordingly, I and millions of my contemporaries did not worry about exposure to solar radiation.

To the contrary, millions of us sought a "healthy" tan, sometimes with reasonable success, sometimes with the eventual development of skin like that of an alligator.

Thus my contemporaries (I'm old!) -- millions of us -- continue to develop these solar keratoses, legacies of past sun exposure.

Young people really ought to take advantage of modern medical technology and avoid planting today that keratosis "seed" of tomorrow.

Fully expecting to live to be a hundred, I can tell you that I am avoiding the exposure that could result in new lesions when I'm 90 or 95.

One of the very best ways to protect the skin from threatening rays of the sun is only available to about half of us -- growing a full beard and extra-long hair. This is one of the most effective ways to protect one's head and neck (especially ears and face), according to Dr. Charles Eby, a Fort Myers specialist in this field.

Long-sleeved shirts are also desirable protection. They are also very hot and uncomfortable in this climate, but you make a choice -- discomfort today or lesions tomorrow.

Of course there is PABA, paraminobenzoic acid, which through some chemical magic blocks the solar rays that plant the "seeds" of keratoses.

You can get all grades of sun lotion; any that contain PABA are good and will work. One that has a sun protection factor of 15 is best. Young people (and old ones, too) who expect to hang around for a few decades really should get acquainted with PABA. It is great stuff. And for those sweet young things who are unwilling to look into the distant future and are not particularly concerned about skin cancer, remember this: PABA lotions will help prevent wrinkles -- your skin will look younger longer!

But let's say you already have a few dozen pre-cancerous actinic (solar) keratoses. There are a few neat chemotherapeutic agents available. One of the best is the chemical fluorouracil. Well, not really so neat. Actually it's rather messy. You rub it on your lesions a couple of times a day for a few weeks and the lesions -- most of them -- go away after first becoming red and scaly and sore. But most of them do go away, leaving not even detectable scars.

Fluorouracil is categorized as an anti-metabolite.

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Refuge thanks eagle walk participants

By Larry Narcisse, manager
J.N. "Ding" Darling Refuge

On Wednesday, June 30, in cooperation with the Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation, the J.N. "Ding" Darling Wildlife Refuge sponsored one of a series of Eagle Walks being conducted by the Florida Conservation Foundation throughout the state.

We would like to thank anyone who participated in the walk, which proved to be most successful. The participants walked eight miles starting at the J.N. "Ding"

Darling Visitor Center, through the Wildlife Drive and back along the bike path to the starting point. Doris Mager of the Florida Conservation Foundation was on hand with her two eagles and presented an interesting talk and demonstration.

We had approximately 20 participants who raised more than \$400. A special thanks to the following organizations: Bailey's General Store, Captiva Memorial Library and the Bradford House Restaurant, all of which donated either money, supplies or equipment.

Seventh in film series documents manatees plight

The seventh installment of the J.N. "Ding" Darling Wildlife Refuge summer film series is *Silent Sirens: Manatees in Peril*. The film will be shown every afternoon this week in the refuge Visitor Center auditorium.

The 30-minute film documents the plight of the Florida manatee and outlines state and federal programs that are conducted to help

save this mammal from extinction.

The film should be of special interest to local residents because manatees are found in area waters year around.

The film will be shown at 2 p.m. every afternoon this week. Admission is free. The Visitor Center is at the entrance to the refuge Wildlife Drive off Sanibel-Captiva Road.

Fun in the sun

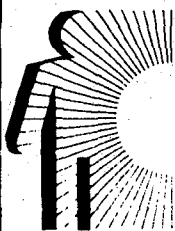
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Through a complicated physiological process, it prevents the synthesis of DNA and inhibits RNA, both of which are essential to cell division and growth as we all know since "Genetic Code" and "Double Helix" became household words. Fluorouracil promotes unbalanced growth and death of cells. Since keratosis are fast-growing cells, it kills them sooner than it disturbs slower-growing normal cells.

Those few lesions that do not disappear after fluorouracil treatment can be removed surgically or by cryotherapy. And you won't get skin cancer -- at least not from your 20-year-old sun exposure. Of course you have to keep after them because new lesions will develop each year from past unprotected sun exposure. Even if you took up photography and lived in a darkroom, you could still get solar lesions from old exposure.

But smart young Natalie won't have to worry about keratosis, PABA or fluorouracil when she returns home to Ohio, for Natalie is devoted to the Scarlett O'Hara Syndrome and stays out of the sun. I'm glad she won't have any trouble, because some of my best friends are Ohioans.

Note: I acknowledge with much appreciation the cooperation of Dr. Charles Eby, a leading dermatologist of Fort Myers, for reading this manuscript and checking it for scientific accuracy.



THE EARLY WARNING SIGNS OF SKIN CANCER.

Skin cancer is not always self-evident. The malignancy begins in the uppermost layer of the skin and grows both vertically and horizontally, sending out roots that are known as silent extensions because they are not directly visible. Therefore, any change in the skin should be a sign that an abnormality is present.

Basal Cell and Squamous Cell Carcinoma

- A new growth appears.
- An old growth begins to change character in any of the following ways:

Color
Turns brown or red

Size
Grows larger

Surface
Crusts, scabs, erodes, or bleeds

Symptoms
May itch or hurt

Malignant Melanoma

- A new tan, brown or black blemish appears.
- An old mole or "beauty mark" begins to change character in any of the following ways:

Color
Gets darker or variable in color

Size
Gets larger or irregular in outline

Surface
Roughens, scales, erodes, or bleeds

Symptoms
Itches or hurts

Only an examination by your physician or dermatologist can positively identify the abnormality as cancer or pre-cancer. If not detected in time, a carcinoma that might have been easily treated, can result in terrible physical and psychological damage.

Still uncommon, deadly malignant melanoma, not mentioned in the article, is on the increase.

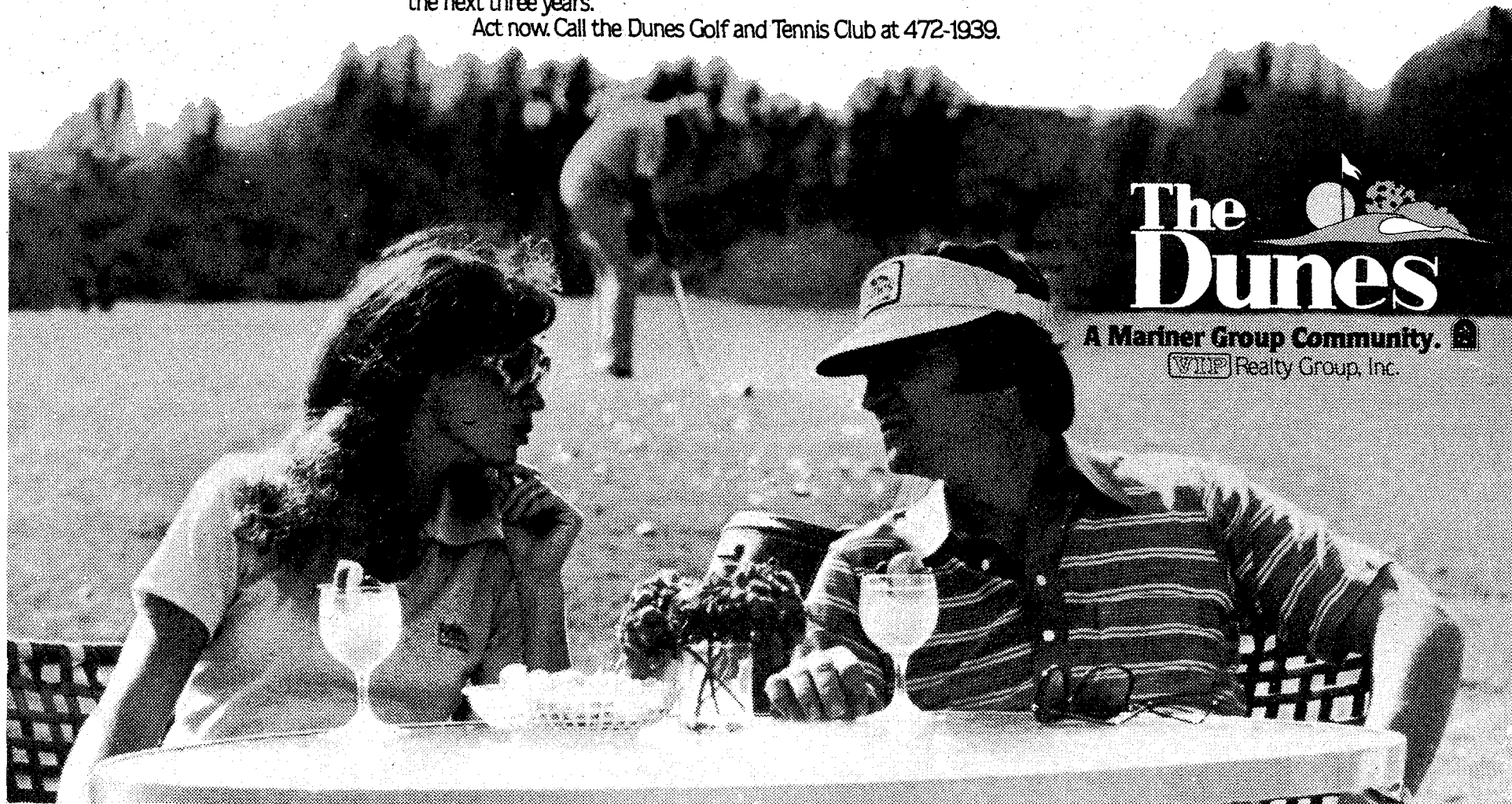
There is evidence that white-collar weekend sun worshippers are more susceptible than week-long blue

collar outdoor workers. Perhaps some protective mechanism develops after long, regular sun exposure.

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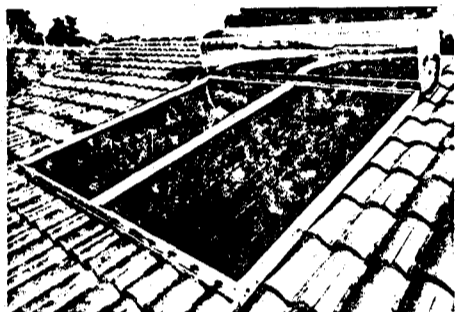
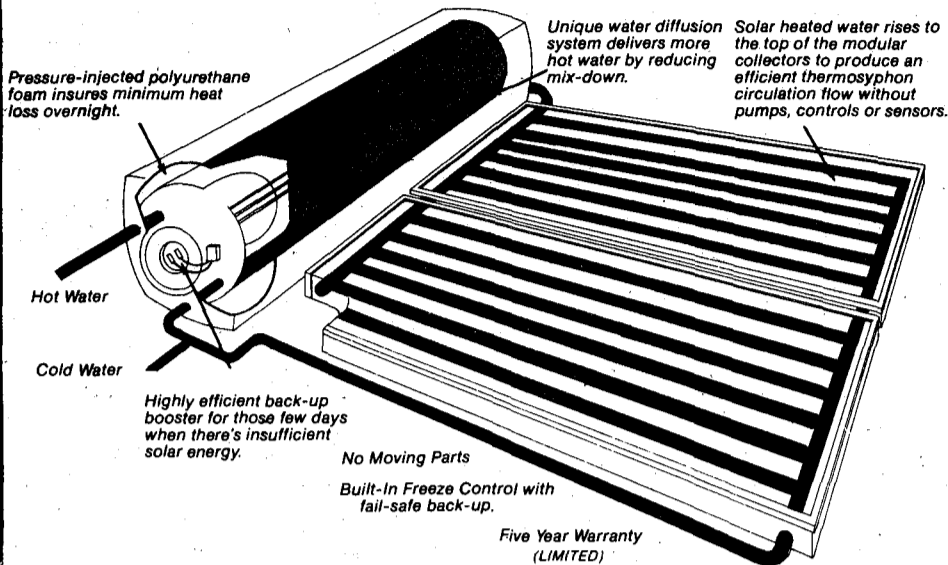
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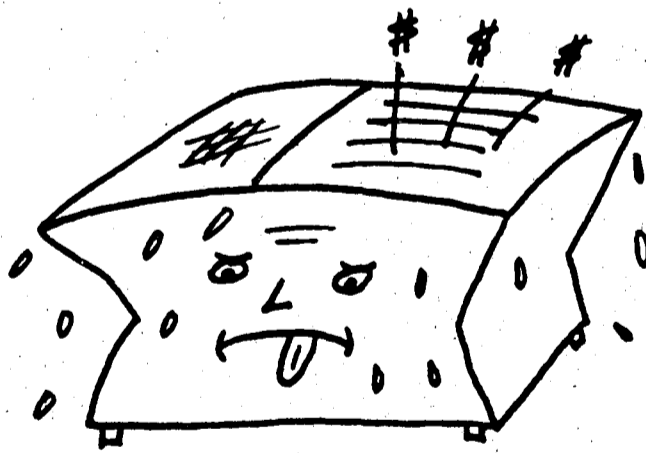


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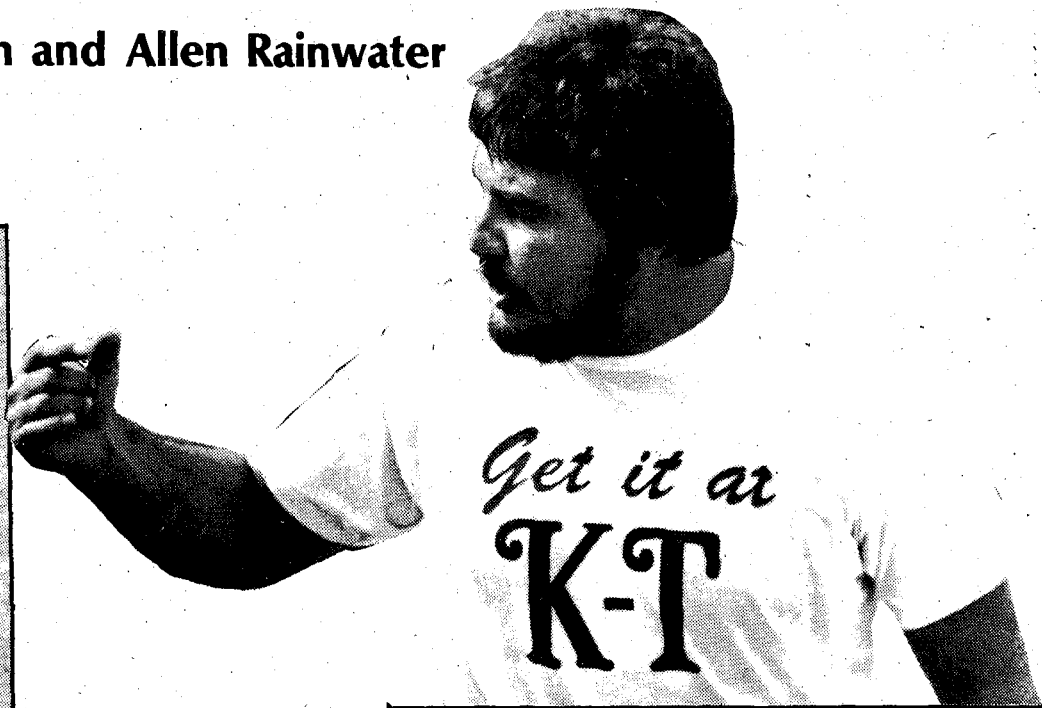
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ISLANDER SPORTS

ESI + USSSA = 216 home runs!

Photos by David Meardon and Allen Rainwater



Roger Tabor, in his capacity as commissioner of the West Coast District, Florida Branch, of the USSSA brought nine of the state's best softball teams to Sanibel for a Class A-Open double elimination tournament. At right, Roger presents the first place trophy to the coach of Tampa's Copher Brothers, the only undefeated team and a sure bet for the state championship.

Copher Brothers beat Miami Shores' Attaway 21-18 in game number four and Cocoa's Stottler-Stag 31-29 in game number nine during Saturday's action.

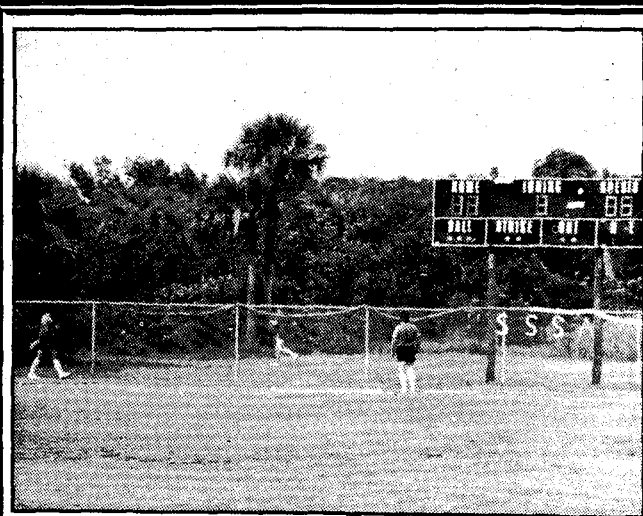
On Sunday, Copher won over Vero Beach's Ace Auto 15-11 (game number 13) before wipping Stottler-Stag 27-9 in the finals.

The hometown team, K & T Sports Merchants of Fort Myers - the team Tabor as well as fellow Islanders Chuck and Curt Nave and Andy Kern play for - finished in third place.



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TALKIN' SPORTS

By Allen Rainwater

You'll see them around the Island for the next few days - necks strained, eyes still bulging in disbelief. And you'll probably wonder why these normally agile, erect citizens look as though they've stared too long at the stars or suffered a mild case of whiplash.

Truth is, they attended the Class A-Open USSSA (United States Slowpitch Softball Association) Tournament sponsored by Executive Services, Inc., over the weekend.

What's that got to do with strained necks?

Home runs, that's what. Lots of them, too.

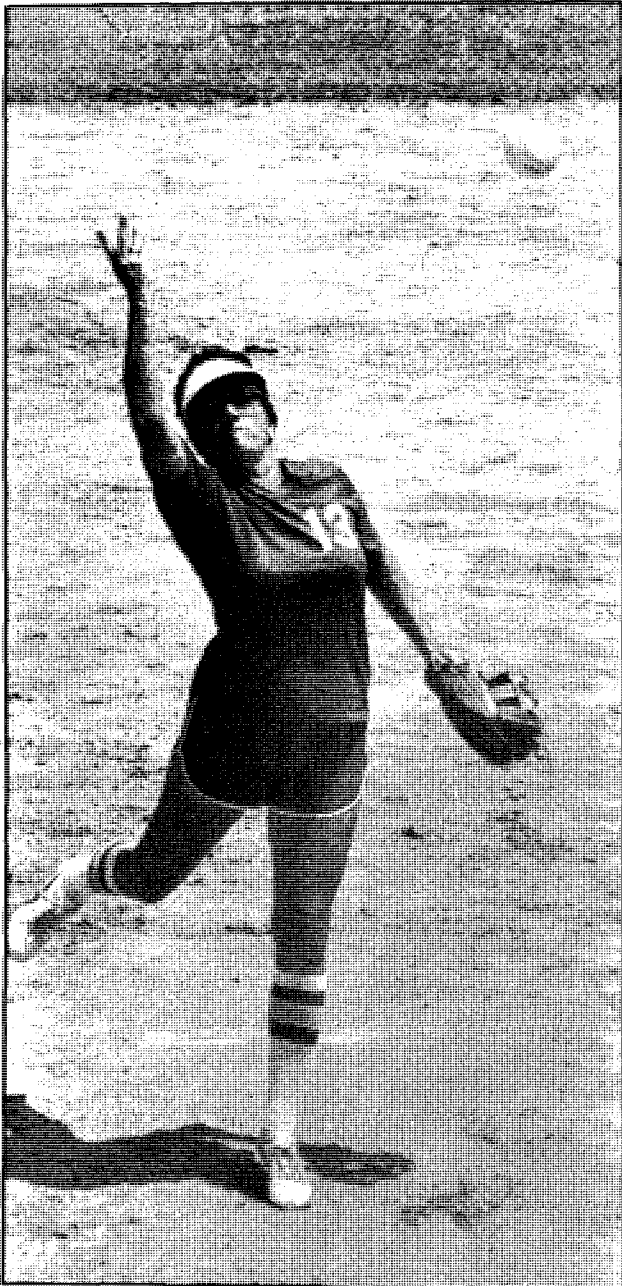
Last year, during a similar tournament known as the West Wind Inn Invitational, 10 of the finest softball teams in the state assembled on Sanibel and played 19 games before a winner was crowned. In the process, these powerhouse teams stroked 128 home runs!

Big deal.

This year's version fielded nine teams, and it took only 16 games for Tampa's Copher Brothers to emerge on top, undefeated, and headed for an almost sure State Championship. And only a measly 216 home runs were hit.

216 home runs!

You'll see them around the Island for the next few days - necks strained, eyes still



The rain and the ESI-sponsored USSSA softball tournament kept the Men's Division off the fields most of the week. Mariner beat Santiva-Islanders, McT's won over Sundial 16-5, and in the surprise game Tuesday night 50+ and - beat Island Pizza 11-10.

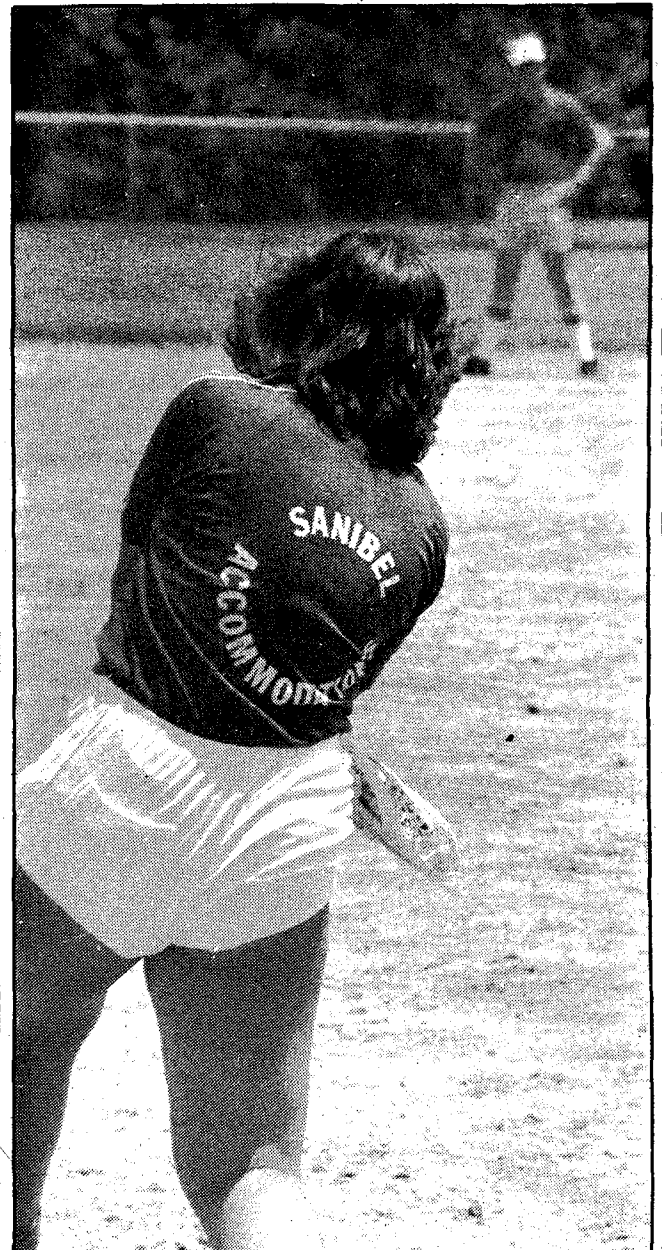
Sunday the ladies hit the field and dodged the home runs from the USSSA tournament long enough for Sanibel Accommodations to beat Baileys 22-2, while the Periwinkle Players came back to win over Timbers.

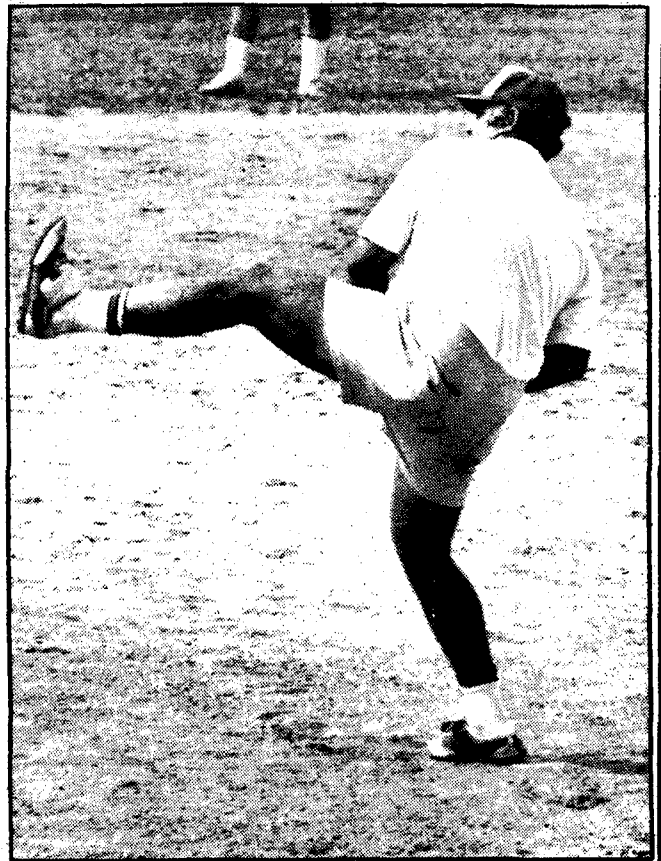
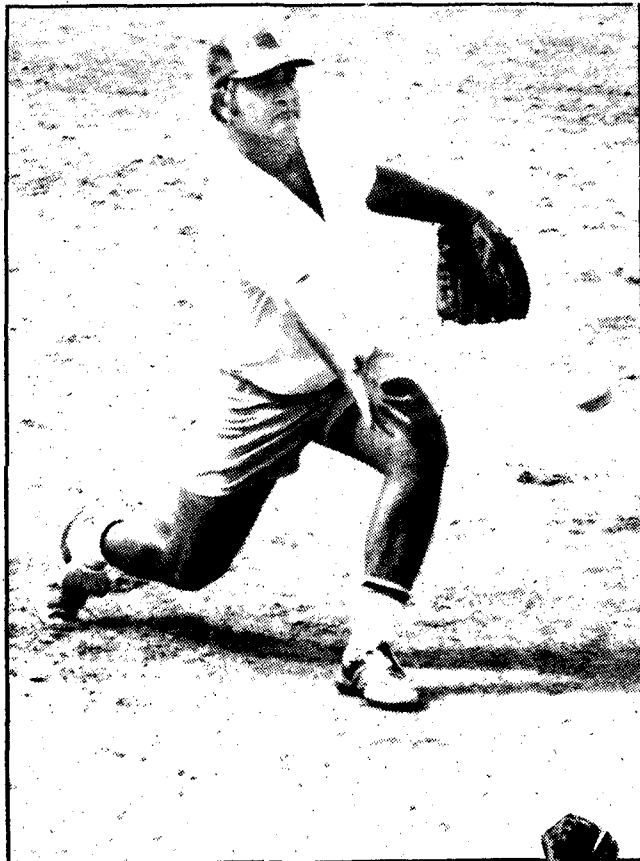
Pictured on this page are some of the ladies who comprise our Women's Division, which is enjoying a rebirth after its sad demise last season.



Softball Highlights

Photos by Allen Rainwater





Above, Billy Livings shows his varied pitching techniques. Livings plays for Ace Auto (last year's West Wind Inn Invitational winners) and coaches the defending state football champs, the Vero Beach Indians.

Far right, Curt Nave powers a long ball deep over the left field fence. Right, Roger Tabor awaits the thumbs up signal from the umpire.



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Softball Men's Division

Standings

| Men's Division | Won | Lost |
|-------------------|-----|------|
| Naumann | 4 | 0 |
| West Wind | 4 | 0 |
| Island Pizza | 3 | 2 |
| 50+ and- | 3 | 2 |
| Mariner | 2 | 2 |
| Sundial | 0 | 3 |
| McT's | 2 | 4 |
| Santiva Islanders | 0 | 5 |

This week's games...

Tuesday July 20

6:30 p.m. - Santiva Islanders vs. West Wind
7:45 p.m. - Sundial vs. Island Pizza
9:00 p.m. - 50+ and - vs. Naumann

Thursday, July 22

6:30 p.m. - McT's vs. Mariner
7:45 p.m. - Sundial vs. Santiva Islanders
9:00 p.m. - Island Pizza vs. Mariner

Sunday, July 25

2:00 p.m. - Naumann vs. McT's
3:15 p.m. - 50+ and - vs. West Wind

Women's Division

| Women's Division | Won | Lost |
|--------------------------|-----|------|
| Periwinkle Place Players | 2 | 0 |
| Sanibel Accomodations | 1 | 1 |
| Timbers | 1 | 1 |
| Baileys | 0 | 1 |

This week's games...

Sunday, July 25

2:30 p.m. - Periwinkle Place Players vs. Sanibel Accomodations
4:00 p.m. - Baileys vs. Timbers

SWAT Champions

The Sanibel Water Attack Team captured third place in the Red-level Championships of the Greater Lee County YMCA on Saturday.

Congratulations, SWAT!

Results are as follows:

Age 6 and under

Suzie Santamaria: sixth, freestyle; fifth, backstroke; second, breast stroke.

Kristin Armenia: seventh, freestyle; sixth, backstroke; seventh, breast stroke.

Jenny Davis: seventh, backstroke; third, breast stroke.

Andy Weaver: third, freestyle; fifth, backstroke; second, breast stroke; seventh, butterfly.

Patrick Bailey: first, freestyle; first, backstroke; third, breast stroke.

Chet Nave: fourth, freestyle.

Age 8 and under

Amy Leanos: second, freestyle; second, breast stroke; first, butterfly.

Abby Dorang: third, breast stroke.

Julie Worth: third, freestyle; third, backstroke.

Valerie Cope: seventh, backstroke; fourth, breast stroke.

Mary Kay Shanklin: eighth, breast stroke.

Zach Fischer: second, freestyle; third, backstroke;

first, breast stroke; second, butterfly.

Rio Grainick: sixth, freestyle; first, backstroke; first, butterfly.

J.J. Colter: fifth, freestyle; seventh, backstroke; third, breast stroke.

Jesse Barber: eighth, breast stroke; eighth, butterfly.

Joey Armenia: third, butterfly.

Age 10 and under

Ozzie Fischer: fourth, freestyle; fifth, backstroke; second, breast stroke; fifth, butterfly.

Age 11-12

Kim Knorr: sixth, backstroke; seventh, butterfly.

Joy Cramer: eighth, backstroke; third, butterfly.

Age 10 and under Relay

Amy Leanos, Zach Fischer, Ozzie Fischer and Julie Worth finished third. Kelly Bailey, J.J. Colter, Patrick Bailey and Rio Grainick finished eighth.

Age 11-12 Relay

Joy Cramer, Kim Knorr, Jeff Worth and Tim Bush finished sixth.

July 23,24,25

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August 20,21,22

Sunshine Games

Venice L.C. Invitational

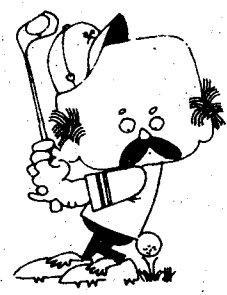
County Level II Championships

Charlotte Invitational

Cape Coral Team Meet

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Gulf Coast Championships



Island golf

Bruce Henderson finished at plus-three to win the Beachview Golf Club Men's Association Tournament play on July 13.

Tied for second place at plus-two were Jeff Dean and Dick Gibson.

In the tournament held July 17 Bob Sagers and Ray McKernen tied for first place at plus-four. Henderson, with a plus-three, finished in second.

Islander Sports Quiz

Well, we couldn't fool Roger Tabor and Rosemarie Best this week. This dynamic trivia duo must be stopped!

Roger and Rosemarie both knew that the Harlem Globetrotters was the answer we were looking for. Congratulations to both.

Now, try this on for size:

Babe Ruth swung a 44-ounce baseball bat that was made by Hillerich and Bradsby of Louisville, Ky. (Louisville Slugger). Now, for 10 points, what was the name of this awesome bat?

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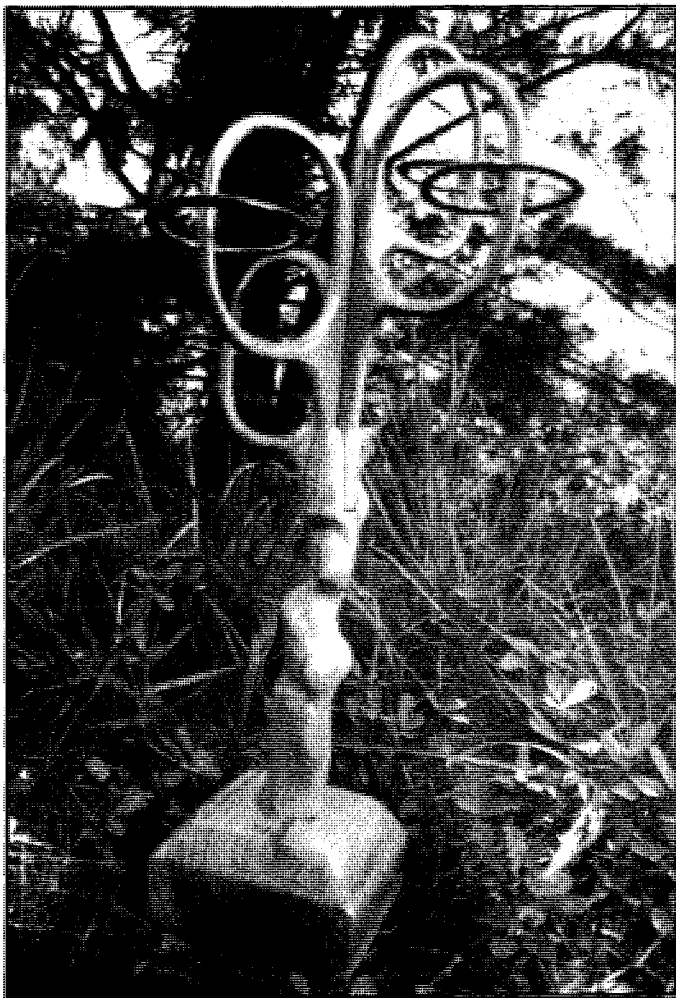
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Sculptor wants work to grace new City Hall

David Fogolini believes the city, with its plans for a new City Hall, has created an artistic opportunity for him.

The opportunity lies in the open courtyard space that will be created by the new municipal complex. The art is an 18-foot free-form cypress sculpture Fogolini hopes will occupy that space along with other works of art that would make the space aesthetically pleasing.

Fogolini presented a small model of the wood sculpture entitled "Balancio Sanibelensis" and plans for its execution to council members recently.

"There's nothing new about art in public places," Fogolini said. He believes it is an idea whose time has come -- and it is only a matter of time before it catches on in Southwest Florida.

"If you're a creative person, Southwest Florida is wide open to you," he said.

The council made no commitment on the proposal; instead, councilman Fred Valtin called for the formation of a Fine Arts Advisory Committee to deal with selecting

and financing works of art. Any interested artists or art enthusiasts should contact City Hall.

Fogolini's proposed sculpture is symbolic of the delicate and often precarious balance between man and nature. "Balancio Sanibelensis" is a Latin-Italian name meaning "a balance unique to Sanibel."

"Sanibel is a very unique island in that it has four ecozones, while most barrier islands have only three," said Fogolini. The island's lakes and ponds make up this fourth zone. Each zone -- water, tideland, wetland, and upland -- is represented in Fogolini's sculpture by four oval rings that rise off the base. A "floating" circle around each ring represents man's delicate balance with nature, while the base, an abstract figurine, symbolizes mother nature.

The finished work would be 18 feet high, rising from a base of 14 inches, with an overall width of 12 feet.

Fogolini, a carpenter and woodworker by trade and an aspiring artist, hopes to finance the work, if approved, by private donations.

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Lions, Kiwanis Clubs sponsor Bloodmobile Drive today

The Sanibel-Captiva Lions Club and the Sanibel-Captiva Kiwanis Club are co-sponsoring a Lee Memorial Hospital Bloodmobile Drive today, Tuesday, July 20, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in front of the Bank of the Islands main office on Periwinkle Way.

The community is invited to participate and give the gift of life. For more information call 334-5333 or any member of the Lions or Kiwanis clubs on Sanibel or Captiva.

Sanibel Fire Control schedules CPR classes

The Sanibel Fire Control District announces classes in CPR (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation). Those interested in taking this life saving procedure should call the Sanibel Fire Department, 472-5525.

The class usually meets for two sessions and takes approximately eight hours to complete. A \$5 donation is requested, which includes the cost of a text booklet. Group inquiries are welcome.

Island Youth Theatre presents Charlie Brown musical

Charlie Brown, Snoopy and the gang are coming to Sanibel!

The Island Youth Theatre will present the fun-filled musical, *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown*, on July 23, 24, 25 at the Community Center.

Tickets are now on sale for the production and can be purchased (\$2 for adult; \$1 for children) at the Art Fac Gallery, the B-Hive,

the Island Reporter office, MacIntosh Book Shop, the Photographers' Gallery, the Schoolhouse Gallery and the Tree House Gift Shop on Captiva.

The play is directed by Allan Smith and produced by Eugenia Loughney.

The cast includes: Charlie Brown, Eric Rizzo and Chris Stone; Snoopy, Tiffany Slay and Julie Worth; Lucy, Tara Friedlund and

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Mark those dates on your calendar and come young and old to join the fun!

Island Youth Theatre is sponsored by the Barrier Group for the Arts.

Group for the Arts cancels meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Barrier Island Group for the Arts scheduled for July 26 has been cancelled. The next monthly meeting will be held on Monday, Aug. 30., at the Sanibel Public Library.

Opera fans organize F.O.T.O.

What is F.O.T.O.?

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4-H Club conducts babysitting workshop July 21, 22

A two-day babysitting workshop to instruct children from 12-18 in first aid, child CPR, safety, child care, nutrition, recreational activities and business management will be offered by the Lee County 4-H Club on Wednesday and Thursday, July 21-22, at the County Extension office at Terry Park in Fort Myers.

Registrants will be awarded a certificate at the close of the workshop sessions, which begin at 9:30 a.m. For more information call 335-2421.

Weavings exhibit continues at ECC

An exhibit of traditional and contemporary weavings at Edison Community College will continue through July 24 in Gallery E at the college.

Filaments of the Imagination incorporates a multitude of techniques including plaiting, twining, knotting, felting and crocheting through repeating elements, perpendicular grid construction and more recent techniques.

The exhibit is from the University of Hawaii-Art Museum Association.

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Lee County Coalition for Peace seeks bilateral nuclear weapons freeze

Concerned about the escalation of the arms race and the threat of nuclear war, a group of Lee County citizens has formed the Lee County Coalition for Peace with the immediate aim of promoting the national campaign for a bilateral nuclear weapons freeze.

The first action at the coalition's organizational meeting this spring was to unanimously support the nuclear freeze petitions and resolutions that are currently circulating throughout the nation. The petitions read:

"To improve national and international

security, the United States and the Soviet Union should stop the nuclear arms race. Specifically, they should adopt a mutual freeze on the testing, production and deployment of nuclear weapons and of missiles and nuclear aircraft designed primarily to deliver nuclear weapons. This is an essential, verifiable first step toward lessening the risk of nuclear war and reducing the nuclear arsenals."

The local coalition will encourage area individuals, groups and churches to sign the petitions and send them to President Ronald Reagan and to the Congress.

The group also plans to support present local programs of peace education already in effect and to initiate new activities in cooperation with other civic groups.

Sanibel residents who are founding members of the group include: Brigid Bock, Helene Edmonds, Mary Emerson, Minnie Fleischl, Fran Levy, Vera Moretti, Helen Moe and Hilda Rush.

The coalition invites all persons who are concerned about nuclear war to join future meetings. For more information call 549-1039.

Nuclear freeze petitions available

Petitions for a bilateral, verifiable nuclear freeze are available for signing on Sanibel at Lads and Lassies children's store, MacIntosh Book Store and the Unpressured Cooker.

Co-chairmen needed for 1983 Sanibel Shell Show

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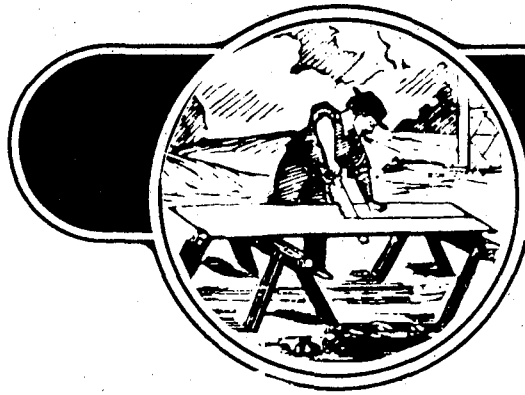
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 Model home under final stages of completion. Owner will finance up to \$50,000 INTEREST FREE subject to buyer obtaining mortgage, or cash down payment, for balance of purchase price. Three bedroom, two bath split floor plan near San Carlos Bay on quiet graded road. Asking \$149,500. Wyman Atkins Realty, Reg. Real Estate Broker, P. O. Box 533, 2400 Palm Ridge Road, Sanibel, FL 33957, (813) 472-2194. (TFN)

SANIBEL BARGAIN
 Save \$1000 off current price at Caribe Beach Resort Time-Share. Choice of weeks 18-23 and 40-49 (one week per year). Beautiful setting on Sanibel beach. Transferable charter memberships includes year-round use of immunities - ideal for locals - VHI exchange program for other resorts. Sell for \$4,000, call collect (404) 923-6899 after six. (7-21)
Lost and Found
FOUND Aluminum deck box floating in Shell Harbor canal. Call 472-4361. (TFN)
 Found a young male red cat (on Cardium St.). This cat does have a collar (brown leather). The very friendly cat does not want to leave its new found friends. PLEASE CALL 472-4544 between 10 and 5. (TFN)

The Island Almanac

Total Island Information



Things to do and see

OBSERVATION TOWER

The Bailey Tract of the J.N. "Ding" Darling Sanctuary One-fourth mile down Tarpon Bay Road after a left turn off Periwinkle Way.

SANIBEL-CAPTIVA CONSERVATION FOUNDATION

Dedicated to the preservation of vegetation and wildlife on the islands. The foundation offers many exhibits and nature tours. Admission for non-members is 50 cents for children and \$1 for adults.

Open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Friday. Self-guided tours are offered.

LIGHTHOUSE

At the eastern tip of Sanibel, the historic Lighthouse is close to the Sanibel fishing pier, which offers not only excellent fishing but a lovely beach and an unexcelled view of San Carlos Bay.

TURTLE PATROLS

Caretta Research, Inc. 472-3177

Participate in the nightly sea turtle patrols on Sanibel's loggerhead turtle nesting beach. Scheduled in the summer only, May 15-Aug. 1. Call for details.



Nature guides

George Campbell 472-2180

Offering two natural history field trips -- one by land and one by sea. The land trip is on Thursday through the summer and takes guests through Sanibel's wildlife habitats. The four-hour trip costs \$10 per person.

The aquatic field trip to Cabbage Key and Cayo Costa is by special arrangement in the summer and includes breakfast at Cabbage Key, a walk across Cayo Costa and a visit to an embryonic barrier island. Specific dates for the winter trips will be announced in this section of *The Islander*.

Charles LeBuff Caretta Research, Inc. 472-3177

An introduction to Sanibel's beach. Beach walks led by Charles LeBuff on Saturday and Sunday mornings.

Learn about Sanibel's history, beach dynamics, shelling and interesting marine life.

Call for further information and reservations.

Proceeds go toward sea turtle conservation on the islands.

Capt. Dick Frieman 472-1315

Offering nature adventures since 1970 to North Captiva and Cayo Costa, with lunch at Cabbage Key. Departure time is 9:30 a.m., return at 3:30 p.m. Call for reservations and further information.

Griffing Bancroft 472-1447

Offering bird tours of the islands commencing at dawn. The tours start at the Island Cinema in the Island Shopping Center and last approximately three hours. \$10 per person, with a minimum of three people.

For further information, reservations and exact times, call the MacIntosh Book Store at the above number.

Capt. R. Batholomew 472-5277

Offering aquatic nature tours through the waterways of Sanibel, Captiva, upper Captiva and Cayo Costa with lunch at Cabbage Key.

Participants may also go for nature walks on barrier island if they choose. Participants have a choice aboard either a 34-foot cruiser or a 24-foot open fisherman with high freeboard.

Call for reservations and further details.

Mark "Bird" Westall 472-5218

Offering a choice of canoe trips on the Sanibel River, through the Wildlife Refuge or to Buck Key. Trips last approximately 2 1/2 to 3 hours. \$20 per person. Inquire about discounts when calling the above number for reservations and information.



Beach accesses

Off-islanders with restricted parking stickers can find beach access at Bailey Road, Beach Road, Nerita Street, Donax Street, Fulger Street, Turner Beach, the Algiers property and the Causeway.

Unrestricted parking with no sticker is permitted for everyone at Bowman's Beach off Sanibel-Captiva Road, at the Sanibel Lighthouse and Fishing Pier at the eastern tip of the island, at the Gulf end of Tarpon Bay Road and at the Trost property on Tarpon Bay Road.

Island residents with residential parking stickers can

park on West Gulf Drive west of Rabbit Road, the bay and Gulf sides of Buttonwood Lane, the bay and Gulf sides of Seagrave Lane, Colony Walkway, Bay Drive, Dixie Beach Boulevard and Henderson at Castaways Lane.

On Captiva, public beach access can be found at Turner Beach or further north just past the entrance to South Seas Plantation.

STATE LAW PROHIBITS NUDE SUNBATHING ON ALL FLORIDA BEACHES. VIOLATORS WILL BE PROSECUTED.

Marinas

Tarpon Bay Marina
At the north end of Tarpon Bay Road (472-1323)
Open seven days a week 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Capt. Randy White and Capt. Dave for fishing, shelling and sightseeing guides. Marked canoe trail. Bait-tackle-gear. Tackle for rent. Boat rentals -- 14'-18' fishing skiffs. Fresh seafood available.

Twin Palms Marina
Sanibel-Captiva Road, Captiva (472-5800)

Open seven days.
Capts. Butch Cottrill and Arrel Doane for fishing, shelling and sightseeing guides. Bait-tackle-gear. Tackle for rent. Boat rentals -- 15' 15 hp skiffs and 15' 35 hp skiffs.

Boat House Division of Southwind, Inc.
Boat rentals at Sanibel Marina (472-2531)

Open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., seven days a week.
Power -- 15'-19' (55-115 hp) USCG equipped, bimini top.
Sail - Sunfish 17'-21' day sailor sloops with engines to a 34' charter sloop with Capt. Fred Comlossy.

South Seas Plantation Marina
Captiva (472-5111)

Open to the public 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. seven days a week.
Harbor Master Don Starr, Capts. Doug Fischer, Baughn Holloway, Chic Kenredy for fishing, shelling and sightseeing guides.
Charter sailboat with Capt.

Don Prohaska available. Call for appointment.

Boat rentals -- power, Boston whalers. Sailboat rentals plus offshore sailing school.

Sanibel Marina
North Yachtsman Drive, Sanibel (472-2723)

Open seven days a week 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Capts. Ted Cole and Bill Gartrell for fishing, shelling and sightseeing guides. Call for appointment.
Bait, tackle gear. Light tackle for rent. Launching ramp. Dockage.

Blind Pass Marina
Sanibel-Captiva Road (472-1334)

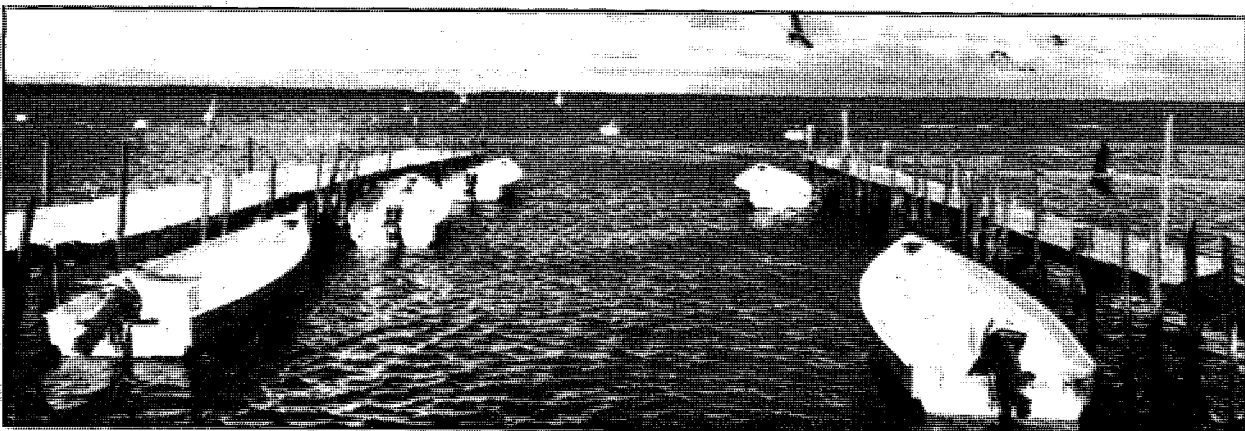
Open 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. daily, Sundays 7:30 a.m. to noon.

Bait, tackle, gear. Tackle for rent.
Boat rentals -- 16', 6 hp fishing skiffs.

'Tween Waters Marina
Sanibel-Captiva Road, Captiva (472-5161)

Open 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. seven days a week.

Dock Master Larry Gill, Capts. Mike Fuery, Duke Sells, Jerry Way, Larry Gann for fishing, shelling and sightseeing guides. Bait-tackle-gear. Tackle for rent. Boat rentals -- 15' 25 hp open skiffs.



Rentals of all kinds

AUTOMOBILES

Avis Rent-a-Car
3 Star Grocery
472-4040
Intersection of Tarpon Bay and Palm Ridge roads. Open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., seven days.

Dollar Rent-a-Car
South Seas Plantation, Captiva
472-5111, ext. 3314
Open 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. seven days. Call to make arrangements.

Hertz Rent-a-Car
Sanibel Standard
1015 Periwinkle Way
472-1468
Open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday. Closed Sundays.

BOATING AND FISHING EQUIPMENT

Listed under Marinas or Bait, Tackle, Gear



BICYCLES-MOPEDS

Island Moped
1470 Periwinkle Way
472-5248
Open 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. seven days. Rentals and repairs of bicycles and mopeds.

Bike Barn
Periwinkle Way and Main Street (opposite the 7-11)
No phone
Bicycle rentals, sales and service.

Bike Route
2330 Palm Ridge Road
472-1955
Bicycle rentals, sales and repairs. Open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. six days. Closed Sundays.

South Seas Plantation Captiva
472-5111
Bicycle rentals. Open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. seven days.

WINDSURFERS

Windsurfing of Sanibel
Behind the Oyster Shell on Periwinkle Way
472-0123
Windsurfing rentals, sales, instruction and accessories.

Sundial
1246 Middle Gulf Drive
472-4151
Sailboats, catamarans, windsurfers, bicycles. Hourly and half-day rental rates.

Courts and courses

TENNIS

Sanibel Elementary School
Sanibel-Captiva Road
472-1617 (public courts)
Lighted evenings until 10 p.m. No charge.

The Dunes Country Club
949 Sandcastle Road
472-3522 (semi-private)
Full racquet facilities. Open daylight to dusk.
\$5 per hour, per court. Call for court time. Lessons available.

Sundial Beach and Tennis Resort
1256 Middle Gulf Drive
472-4151
Open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Full tennis facilities with 13 courts (laykold and har-tru). Ball machine.
Lighted evenings available. Call for reservations. Lessons available.

GOLF

The Dunes Country Club
949 Sandcastle Road
472-2535 (semi-private)
Open daylight to dusk. Call for starting time. Public welcome.
Green fees: \$7 for nine holes, \$12 for 18 holes.
Electric carts: \$7 for nine holes, \$10 for 18 holes.

Beachview Golf Course
Par View Drive off Middle Gulf Drive
472-2626 (semi-private)
Open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Reservations required. Public welcome.
Green fees: \$7.50 for nine holes, \$14 for 18 holes.
Electric carts: \$6 for nine holes, \$12 for 18 holes.



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 one another, 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 p.m. This is true for many island stores, although some are open

evenings during the winter season.

Tall Australian Pines shade Periwinkle Way and 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 Gardens offer a variety of island delights.

Palm Ridge Road, the Periwinkle Way turn-off to Captiva, offers several shopping centers featuring everything from imports to gift shops for the discriminating shopper, plants and shells, a sandwich shop, ice cream parlors, pizza parlor, boutique shop and the Island Apothecary pharmacy.

At the Tarpon Bay-Periwinkle Way Intersection, the island Shopping Center features the island's only supermarket and movie house.

A left on Tarpon Bay Road takes the visitor past Sanibel's original schoolhouse, which now holds original island watercolors and woodcuts.

Then on to West Gulf Drive and westward to an interesting little artisan 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, shells and shellcrafts, 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 others 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 postcards 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.



Capt. R. Bartholomew - 472-5277

Capt. Dave Case - 472-2798

Capt. Ted Cole - Sanibel Marina, 472-2723

Capt. Fred Comlossy - Southwinds, Inc. Sailing Charters, 472-2531

Capt. Joe Costanzo - 472-1206

Capt. Dave - Tarpon Bay Marina, 472-1323

Capt. Arrel Doane - Twin Palms Marina, 472-3332

Capt. Doug Fisher - South Seas Plantation Marina, Captiva, 472-5111 or 472-2332

Capt. Mike Fuery - Tween Waters Marina, Captiva, 472-5161 or 472-3459

George Kennedy - South Seas Plantation, 472-4087

Capt. Mike McMillan - Sail charters for two, Twin Palms Marina, 472-5800

Capt. Joe Bechtold - Captiva, 472-1461

Capt. Scott McPhee - Shadowfax sail charters on Captiva, special rates, overnights and weekends, 472-0907.



Galleries

Limited Edition, American Craft Gallery, 30 Periwinkle Place, (472-6800)
Open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Saturday.

The Captiva Gallery, at the Treehouse Gift Shop on SW Captiva Drive across from South Seas Plantation (472-1850)
Featuring the works of local artists in watercolors, oils, acrylics and pastels, lost wax sculpture, wood carvings, stoneware and pottery, basketry and weaving.

The Rooftop Gallery, Periwinkle Way next to the Lighthouse Restaurant
Open seven days a week from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Unusual creations by local artists featured in stained glass, sculpture, carvings, watercolors and oils.

ArtFac Gallery, 1628 Periwinkle Way (472-3307)
Open Monday-Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Exhibiting original art, photographs and craftwork.

LaBelle Gallery, 1473-A Periwinkle Way (472-4461)
Original oil paintings, watercolors, metal and wood sculptures. A unique gift gallery features Bisque sculptures of limited editions and Daum Crystal. Hours, Tuesday-Sunday, 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and 5:30 to 10 p.m.

A Touch of Sanibel Pottery, 1524 Periwinkle Way (472-4330)
Open Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Featuring hand thrown Sanibel stoneware and porcelain.

Artisan Shop, Nutmeg Village, 2807 West Gulf Drive (472-2176)
Open Monday-Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Featuring Florida artists and craftsmen. Exclusively American-made designer gifts and paintings.

The Photographer's Gallery, 1554 Periwinkle Way (472-5777)
Open Tuesday-Saturday from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Exhibiting fine photographs to the public.

Schoolhouse Gallery, Tarpon Bay Road (472-1193)
Representing 90 living American artists. Original paintings and limited edition fine prints. Monday-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed Sunday.



Churches

St. Isabel's Catholic Church
Father Gerard Beauregard
Pastor
Father Louis Reczek
Assistant Pastor
3559 Sanibel-Captiva Road
472-2763

Sunday Mass: 8:30, 10 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 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.
Confessions before each Mass and at 3:30 p.m. Saturday.

Christian Science Society
2950 West Gulf Drive
472-4449

Services
Sunday: 11 a.m.
Wednesday: 8 p.m.

First Baptist Church
Pastor Jamie Stilson
Sanibel-Captiva Road
472-1018

Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship: 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.

Sanibel Congregational United Church of Christ
The Rev. Richard Stein
Minister
472-0497 472-3492

Sunday Worship at 11 a.m. at St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church, Periwinkle Way.

Greek Orthodox Church
The Rev. Fr. Arthur Kontinos
Cypress Lake Drive
Fort Myers
482-2099

Orthos: 9:30 a.m.
Divine Liturgy: 10 a.m.

Captiva-Chapel-By-The-Sea
The Rev. James W. Kennedy
472-1646

No services until November

Temple Beth-El
Rabbi Solomon Agin
2721 Del Prado Boulevard
Cape Coral
574-5115

Sunday: Children's Religious School, 9:30 a.m.
Friday Evening: 8 p.m.



Fishing, shelling, sailing, charters

Government



Sanibel City Council
Meetings held on the first and third Tuesday of every month at 9 a.m. at MacKenzie Hall in the 3-Star Grocery complex at the intersection of Tarpon Bay and Palm Ridge roads.

Sanibel Fire Control District
Commission meetings held the second Tuesday of every month at 1 p.m. at the Fire House on Palm Ridge Road.

Sanibel City Planning Commission
Meetings held on the second and fourth Monday of every month at 9 a.m. at MacKenzie Hall in the 3-Star Grocery complex at the intersection of Tarpon Bay and Palm Ridge roads.

Captiva Fire Control District
Commission meetings held the second Tuesday of every month at 8:30 a.m. at the Fire House on Captiva Road and Wightman Lane SW.

Captiva Erosion Prevention District
Meets the first Monday of each month at 10 a.m. at the Captiva Community Center.



Kiwanis
Meets every Wednesday at 7:30 a.m. at Scotty's restaurant, Periwinkle Way.

Community Association of Sanibel
Dinner meetings held at 6:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month from October through June at the association hall on Periwinkle Way.

For information call the office Monday through Friday, 472-2155, from 10 a.m. until noon.

Committee of Neighborhood Associations, Inc. (CONA)
Meetings held at 10 a.m. on the second Thursday of each month at 1027 Kings Crown Drive. No meetings in July or August. For more information call 472-1316.

Beginning Water Color Classes
Holding indoor-outdoor classes (limited to 10) on Tuesdays from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. \$8 per lesson (monthly rates also available). Sanford Birdsey, instructor, member of American Society of Marine Artists. Call 472-5567.

American Business Women's Association
Meets the second Thursday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at the Dunes County Club. Betty Thompson, hospitality chairman, 472-1506. Please make reservation in advance.

Community Housing and Resources, Inc.
Meetings held on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Sanibel Library, Palm Ridge Road. For more information, call Desiree Frederick, 472-4365.

Sanibel-Captiva Road Runners
For running partners, 10K races, meetings, etc. Call Jay Hoover 472-9753.

Sanibel-Captiva Rotary Club
Meets every Friday at 7:45 a.m. at the Sundial on Middle Gulf Drive. All visiting Rotarians, guests and interested individuals are welcome to attend.

Duplicate Bridge
Resumes in November at the Community Association Center every Thursday at 1:30 p.m. and Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Sanibel-Captiva Lions Club
Meetings held on the first and third Wednesdays of every month at 6:30 p.m. at the Sanibel Community Association building on Periwinkle Way.

Sanibel-Captiva Chamber of Commerce
Board of directors meets the second Monday of each month at 8 p.m. at the Chamber of Commerce building on Causeway Road.

Captiva Civic Association
Board of governors meeting on the first and third Tuesday of each month at 10 a.m. at the Captiva Community Center.

Alcoholics Anonymous
Closed discussion meeting at 8 p.m. Tuesdays at St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church on Periwinkle Way. Open discussion at the church at 8 p.m. Fridays. No smoking group, step meeting at 8 p.m. Sundays at the church. For more information call 472-4886.

Clubs and organizations

Bridge for Fun
Bridge players will have an opportunity for competition every Wednesday from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Sanibel Community Association Building on Periwinkle Way. Party bridge and all are welcome. No partner necessary. For further information call 472-2360.

Power Squadron of Sanibel and Captiva
Meetings on the second Wednesday of every month at the Sanibel Community Center at 7:30 p.m.

Sanibel-Captiva Boy Scouts Troop 88
Meets every Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Sanibel Elementary School. Visiting Scouts are welcome. Call Ron Sebald, 472-4141 days.

Sanibel-Captiva Shell Club
No meetings until Oct. 18. During the season the club meets on the third Monday of every month at 8 p.m. at the Sanibel Community Association. Board meetings during the season are held on the Thursday preceding the Monday monthly meeting. Membership chairman is Al ZuHone, 472-2615. Membership is \$6 for individuals, \$10 for couples.

Coconut Co-op
Meets on the fourth Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. at the Conservation Center on Sanibel-Captiva Road. The public is invited to attend. For further information contact Mary Jo Gault at 472-1447.

Audubon Society
Meets at 8 p.m. every Thursday from January-April at the Sanibel Community Center on Periwinkle Way.

Sanibel-Captiva Orchid Society
Meetings resume in October on the fourth Wednesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. in Sanibel Community Center. Visitors are welcome to attend and bring orchids for questions and discussion.

Alanon
Meets Tuesdays at 8 p.m. at St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church on Periwinkle Way.

Sanibel-Captiva Chess Club
Meets every Sunday at St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church at 2 p.m. All those interested please call Glen Woods after 6 p.m., 472-3688.

Sanibel-Captiva Art League
Holding outdoor painting workshops from 9 a.m. until noon Thursday. Call 472-5494 for location.

Sanibel-Captiva American Legion
Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at the Legion Hall on Sanibel-Captiva Road. Call 472-9979.

South West Anglers Club
Meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Moose Hall on Parkmeadows Drive off U.S. 41 in Fort Myers. Admission is free and visitors are welcome. Call 472-2685 for information.

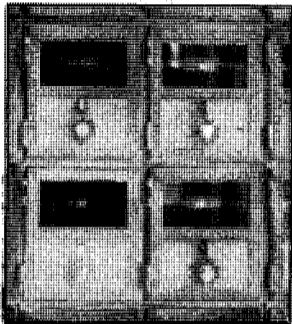
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American Legion Post Sanibel-Captiva Road. Every Thursday at 8 p.m. Cash prizes are awarded.

Sanibel Swim Team
For further information call Dick Noon at 472-2313.

Barrier Island Group of the Arts (BIG Arts)
An organization founded to build a cultural community on the Islands. All members and prospective members are urged to attend the meetings on the last Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Sanibel Library. For more information call Jim Levy, 472-3526.

Post offices

Sanibel - Turn right off Periwinkle Way onto Tarpon Bay Road. Open 8:30 a.m. until 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Closed Saturday and Sunday, although there is mail delivery on Saturday.



Captiva - Corner of Captiva Road and Wiles Drive. Open 7:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Closed Saturday and Sunday, although there is mail delivery on Saturday.

Western Union
Key's General Store - Island Shopping Center, Periwinkle Way and Tarpon Bay Road.

Monday through Saturday from 8:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. Sunday from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m.

To your health

While the Islands have no hospital, both Sanibel and Captiva are served 24 hours a day by a team of paramedics who are widely recognized for their competence.

In the event of an emergency, the medics will call the Air Four Ambulance, which transports patients via helicopter to the hospital of their choice in the Fort Myers area.

The paramedics are based at the Fire Station just off Periwinkle Way on Palm Ridge Road. Phone 472-1717, 472-1414 or 472-6600.

GENERAL PRACTICE

Jean W. Gentry, M.D., P.A.
2250 Periwinkle Way
472-4188

Wegryn Medical Center
Stanley P. Wegryn, M.D., FACS
4301 Sanibel-Captiva Road
Open 24 hours
472-4131

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

James A. Moseley, M.D.
Pelican Place
2440 Palm Ridge Road
472-6249
Hospital admitting privileges

VETERINARIANS

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

PHARMACIES

Island Apothecary
Apothecary Center
2460 Palm Ridge Road
(opposite the 3-Star Grocery)
472-1519
Open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. Saturday from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m.
24-hour emergency service, 472-2768.

Corner Drugs
Island Shopping Center
Periwinkle Way and Tarpon Bay Road
472-4149
Open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. Saturday from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Sunday from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. No pharmacist on duty on weekends.

DENTISTS

Roger A. Dunphy, D.D.S.
William J. Shorack, D.D.S.
Bay Wind Plaza
2402 Palm Ridge Road
472-2060
481-7493, Fort Myers

James M. Bell, D.D.S.
Sanibel Plaza,
1630 G Periwinkle Way
472-6333
For Emergency - 472-6500

MEDICINE & SURGERY

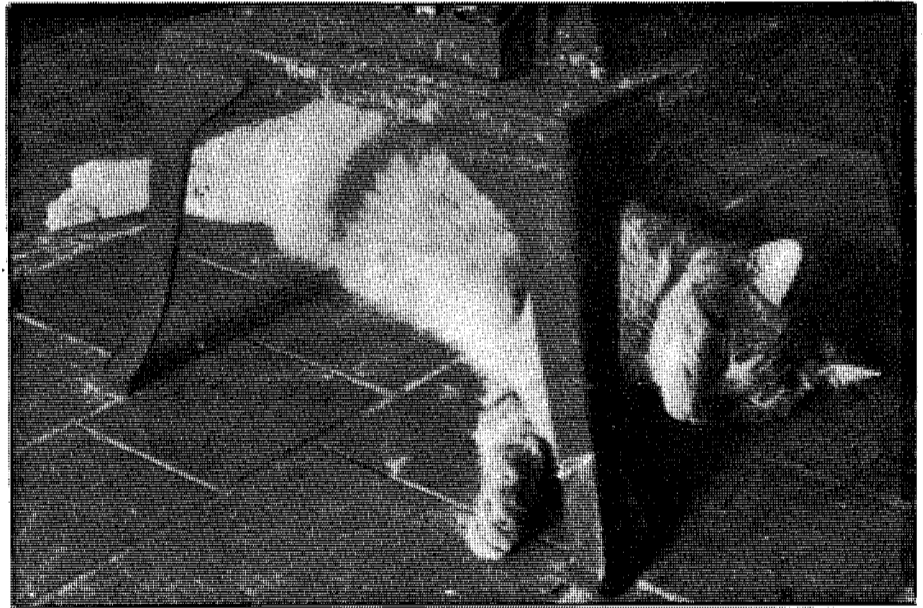
John Collucci, D.O.
Island Medical Clinic
2400 Palm Ridge Plaza
472-5974

OPTOMETRIST

Robert G. LeSage, O.D.
Bay Wind Plaza
2402 Palm Ridge Road
472-4204

CHIROPRACTIC PHYSICIAN

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



Service with a smile

Island Exxon
2435 Periwinkle Way
472-2012
Open 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., Monday through Saturday. Service garage open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. seven days.

Sanibel Standard
1015 Periwinkle
472-2125
Open 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. seven days. 24-hour road service and complete auto repair.

Sanibel Tune-Up and Service Station
1015 Periwinkle Way
472-1878
Open 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekends. Certified licensed mechanics.

3-Star
Intersection of Tarpon Bay and Palm Ridge roads
472-5400
Open Monday through Friday 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday and Sunday 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Diesel fuel available.

Island Garage
1609 Periwinkle Way
472-4318
Open Monday through Saturday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. 24-hour wrecker service. American and foreign car repair. AAA.

Bike Route
2330 Palm Ridge Road
472-1955
Open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Saturday. Closed Sunday. A full service bike shop.

South Seas Plantation Captiva
472-5111, ext. 3384
At the entrance to South Seas Plantation on the left side of the road just before the security guard station.
Open seven days from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Closed for lunch from noon to 12:30 p.m.

TAXICABS

Sanibel Taxicab Company
472-2870
Local service available from 6 a.m. to 11 p.m. All flights are met at the airport. Special arrangements for transportation to and from the airport at other hours can be made.



Spirits

R & B Liquors
Next to Huxters, 1205 Periwinkle Way (472-3333)
Liquor, beer, wine, mixes, cigarettes. Open Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sundays from noon to 7 p.m.

The Grog Shop
Near Bailey's General Store in the Island Shopping Center, Periwinkle Way (472-1682)
Liquor, beer, wine, mixes. Open Monday through Saturday 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sundays from noon to 6 p.m.

The General Store at South Seas Plantation
Next to Chadwick's, Captiva (472-5111, extension 3307)
Liquor, imported and domestic wines and beers. Open seven days from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.



Good things to know

Help!

Emergency Numbers

Fire: 936-3600
 Police: 472-3111
 Sheriff: 332-3456
 Ambulance: 936-3600
 Paramedics: 472-1717, 472-1414
 Island Apothecary: 472-2768
 (24-hour emergency service)
 CROW: 472-3644
 Care and Rehabilitation of
 Wildlife - emergency care for
 injured Island wildlife.

Non-Emergency Numbers
 Fire: 472-5525
 Police: 472-3111

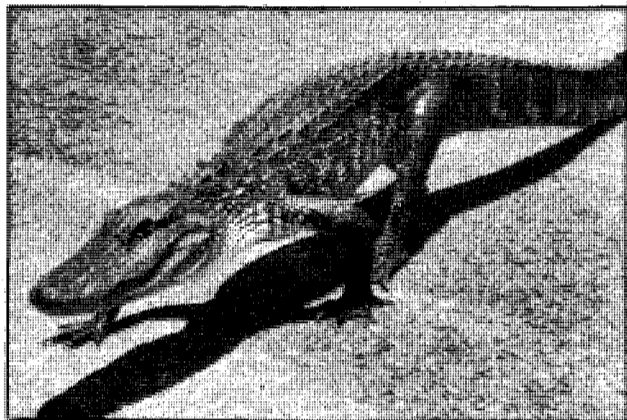
DISASTER ALERT

Radio Station WRCC, 103.9 FM,
 broadcasts details of any
 emergency such as hurricane
 alert or any other disastrous
 occurrence that might affect
 Sanibel or Captiva.

LIBRARIES

Sanibel Public Library
 At the intersection of Palm
 Ridge Road and Florence
 Streets.
 472-2483
 Open 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., daily
 except Sunday. Wednesday
 from 7-9 p.m. for the summer.

Captiva Memorial Library
 Chapin and Wiles, Captiva
 472-2133
 Open Tuesdays, Thursdays
 and Fridays from 9 a.m. to 5
 p.m. Wednesdays from 9 a.m. to
 7 p.m. Saturdays from 9 a.m. to
 1 p.m.



GATORS

Feeding alligators anywhere
 within the Sanibel city limits is
 not only illegal, but can be ex-
 tremely dangerous.

Alligators can run up to 45
 mph, so if you are close enough
 to feed an alligator, he is close
 enough to bite you. An alligator
 fed for fun loses his natural fear
 of humans and becomes a
 potential threat to children and
 pets.

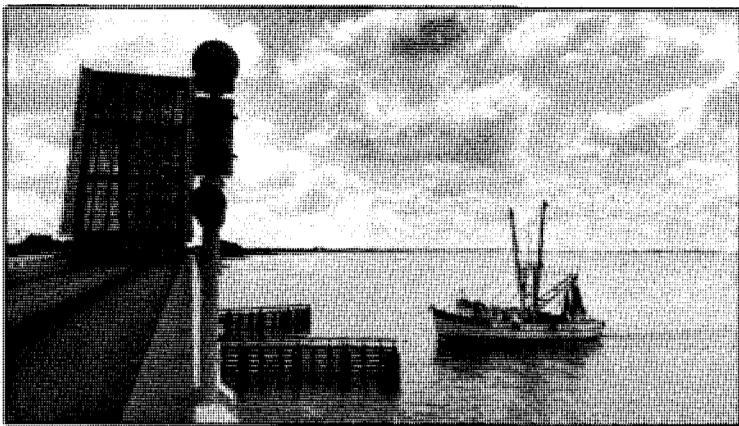
Dogs should never be per-
 mitted to run free on Sanibel.

**CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
 VISITOR'S INFORMATION
 SERVICE**

Sanibel-Captiva Chamber of
 Commerce
 Just off the Causeway on
 Causeway Road
 472-1080
 Open Monday through
 Saturday from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.,
 Sundays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

SHELLING

The city's resolution limiting
 the taking of live shells to two
 live shells per species per
 person 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.



DOGGY DO'S AND DON'TS

If you are 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 ac-
 commodations are available for
 families with pets.

Remember: Wherever you
 are, clean up after your pet!
 "Leave nothing on the beach but
 footprints" applies to dogs, too.

There's no leash law on
 Sanibel, but of course an ex-
 citable or unruly animal is
 better off when controlled with a
 leash.

PUBLIC REST ROOMS

Sanibel Fishing Pier
 At the Lighthouse end of the
 Island.
Turner Beach
 At Blind Pass between Sanibel
 and Captiva.
Causeway
 Between the drawbridge and
 Sanibel.
Chamber of Commerce office
 Just off the Causeway on the
 Sanibel side.

BANKING

Bank of the Islands
 1699 Periwinkle Way
 472-4141
 Hours: Monday through
 Thursday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
 Drive-in window, 8:30 a.m. to 4
 p.m. Friday from 9 a.m. to 2
 p.m. and 4 to 6 p.m. Drive-in
 window, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 Closed weekends.

**Bank of the Islands Branch
 Office**
 Island Shopping Center
 2449 Periwinkle Way
 472-5173
 Hours: Monday through
 Thursday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 Friday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
 Closed weekends.

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Neighborly help for Islanders
 in need of transportation,
 regular phone checks and
 assorted non-emergency neigh-
 borly services. Call 472-0404, 24
 hours a day.

**WARNING! SAFEGUARD
 YOUR VALUABLES**

In order to protect your
 valuable possessions from theft,
 it is recommended that you take
 them to a bank or hotel vault for
 safekeeping. Do NOT leave
 them in your room or car.



CAMPING, BEACH FIRES

Camping on the beach is
 prohibited, as are open beach
 fires.

An exemption to the beach fire
 ordinance is a fire in an ap-
 proved cooking container (not to
 exceed 48x24x12 inches deep)
 with an extruded metal grill for

non-commercial food
 preparation. This type of con-
 tainer will be allowed on the
 beach without a permit.

After you have had your beach
 party, please assume the
 responsibility for cleaning up
 any debris or litter in your area.

FISHING

While no license is required
 for saltwater fishing, fishing in
 freshwater ponds or the Sanibel
 River requires a Florida fishing
 license.

Licenses are available at
 Bailey's General Store on
 Periwinkle Way. The fee is \$6.50
 for residents and \$10.50 for non-
 residents.

Minimum Legal Lengths
 Blue Fish 10 inches

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| Flounder | 11 inches |
| Grouper | 12 inches |
| Mackerel | 12 inches |
| Mullet | 12 inches |
| Pompano | 10 inches |
| Red Fish | 12 inches |
| Snook | 18 inches |
| Trout | 12 inches |

Snook fishing is outlawed from
 June 30-Aug. 1.



SPEED LIMITS

There is very good reason for
 the varying speed limits (20-30
 mph) along the Causeway. The
 slower speeds preserve the
 bridge supports from strain and
 stress.

This speed limit is strictly
 enforced with radar on a 24-hour
 basis by both the Sanibel Police
 Department and the Lee County
 Sheriff's Department.

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Sheriff _____ 332-3456

Ambulance _____
 936-3600



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HOMES

SAFETY HARBOR CLUB MODEL HOME Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 full baths, set in lush tropical surroundings overlooking Safety harbor and Pine Island Sound. Extra features: dockage, beach access, pool, tennis and clubhouse. \$229,500 including carpets and appliances. Furniture package available. Leaseback of \$2500.00 per month for 12 months.

The most beautiful home built to date on an exclusive private island. Large 3 BR, 2 B, with westerly view. Completely furnished. You have to see this one to believe it. Ask about amenities. \$398,500, large assumable mortgage.

Bay Front—Panoramic view of Gulf and Pine Island Sound. Located on north tip of Island, fully furnished and ready for occupancy. Owner financing \$140,000.

On an exclusive private island — 1 beautiful bay front unit, 2 BR, 2 B. Westerly view. \$184,900 furnished. Large assumable mortgage.



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HOMESITES

Interior—One lot south of airstrip—400' from beach \$17,500.

Gulf View—A great buy. Owner financing. \$45,000.

Gulf Front—160' x 200'. Deeded dockage included. Owner financing. \$194,900.

Gulf Front—Half-acre estate directly on Gulf with beautiful palms and sea grape. Excellent financing. \$79,900.

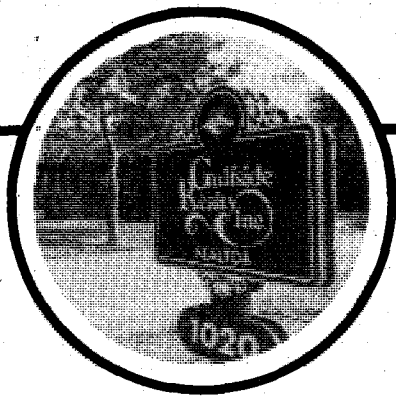
Water To Water—Breathtaking views. Approx. 1/4-acre, 100' on both Pine Island Sound and Safety Harbor. Large dock for deep-draft boats, single family home or duplex. Owner financing. Excellent terms. \$150,000.

Evenings 472-3308
or 472-3946

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CONDOMINIUMS

BEAUTIFUL GULF VIEW CONDO located at Kings Crown - 3 bedroom, 2 bath - furnished like a model. \$295,000.

FLOAT IN THE POOL AND ENJOY THE VIEW - when you buy this one bedroom, gulf front unit at ocean's reach for only \$132,500.

PRIVACY PRIVACY - And it's a condominium-top floor, end unit with just ocean and sand to look at. Two bedroom, 2 bath, decorator furnished. All this and it's only \$199,900.

DIRECT GULF FRONT - large 2 bedroom, 2 bath, end unit. Located at Sanddollar only \$240,000.

ATTENTION BOATERS - 2 bedroom, end unit, directly on canal, only \$92,000. Owner says, "Lets talk terms!"

WALK TO BOWMANS BEACH A 2 bedroom, 2 bath tastefully furnished unit with fireplace and screened porch. Walk to Bowmans Beach. \$133,000.

GULFVIEW Loggerhead Cay. A 2 bedroom, 2 bath, fully furnished unit on third floor. Only \$165,000.

NEW 2 BEDROOM 2 BATH located on the Gulf, Newly furnished \$195,000.

PRIVACY PLUS - 3 bedroom, 2 bath, custom built home, above ground pool and many extras, \$125,000.00.

DIRECT GULF-FRONT Oceans reach, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, fully furnished. \$195,000.

SANDLEFOOT - Top Floor, end unit, Fantastic Gulf View, 2 bedroom and a bath. \$169,500.

LOTS

CANAL FRONTAGE High double lot - 5 minutes from bay. \$58,000.

SAILBOAT LOVERS - Double size lot located in a beautiful area. Direct access to Gulf, no bridges. \$130,000.

LARGE CORNER LOT in Sanibel Estates. Only \$42,000.

WOODED LOT - Located on a tropical lagoon. Only \$24,500.

LOCATED ON A LAKE - large lot with lush vegetation. \$41,900.

WE HAVE MANY LOTS IN GUMBO LIMBO at affordable prices. Located on the lake, excellent terms.

HOMES

POOL HOME WITH BEACH ACCESS - 3 bedroom, 2 bath, sauna, Jacuzzi, 2 car garage. All for only \$140,000.- Excellent Terms.

BUILDERS HOME - 3 bedroom 2 bath, loaded with extras and in excellent condition. Located in the Dunes. \$149,000.

AFFORDABLE FAMILY HOME - Located on Island Inn Road - This CBS 2 bedroom, 2 bath home is priced at only \$99,500.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

SANIBEL DRESS SHOP - Business only \$35,000. Includes inventory.

FRESH SEAFOOD MARKET - Plus bait and fishing gear. Great going business. \$75,000 plus inventory.

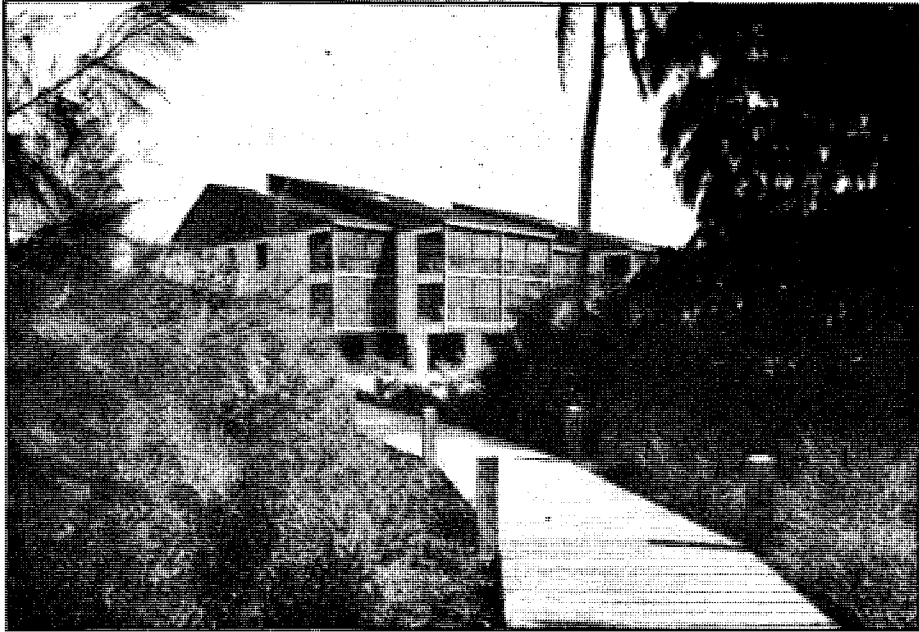
WE CAN BUILD A HOUSE ON YOUR LOT: 2 bedroom, 1 bath, piling for only \$48,900, complete. price. Call for details.

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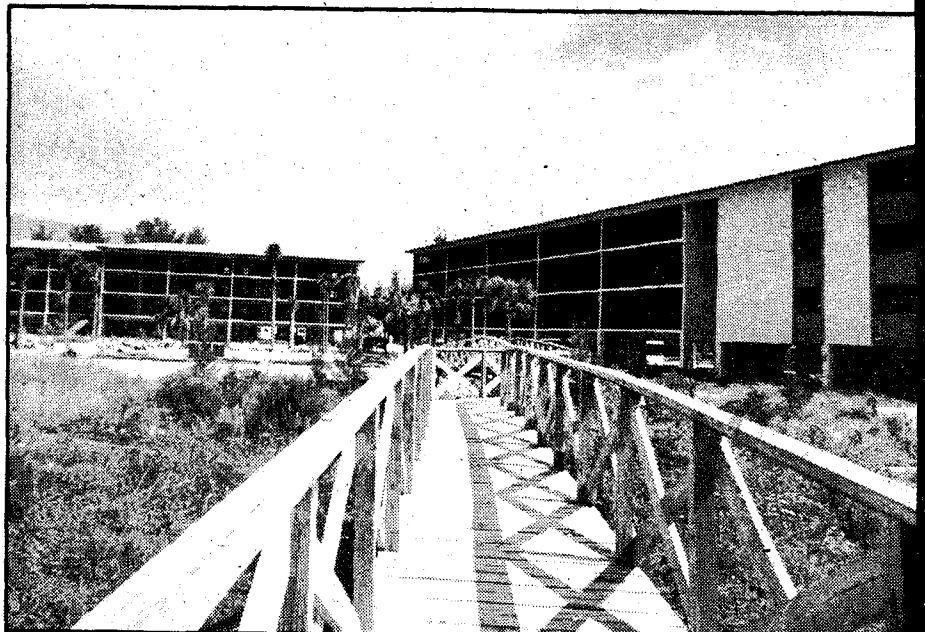
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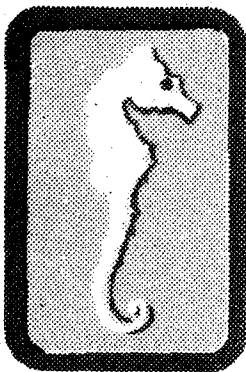
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1 bedroom, 1 bath, first floor. \$175,000
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SAND POINTE is one of Sanibel's newer projects completed last Fall. These units have 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, and direct views of the Gulf beach and pool. Both are completely furnished.

1st floor (above parking), corner location. \$210,000
 3rd floor, attractively decorated \$189,900

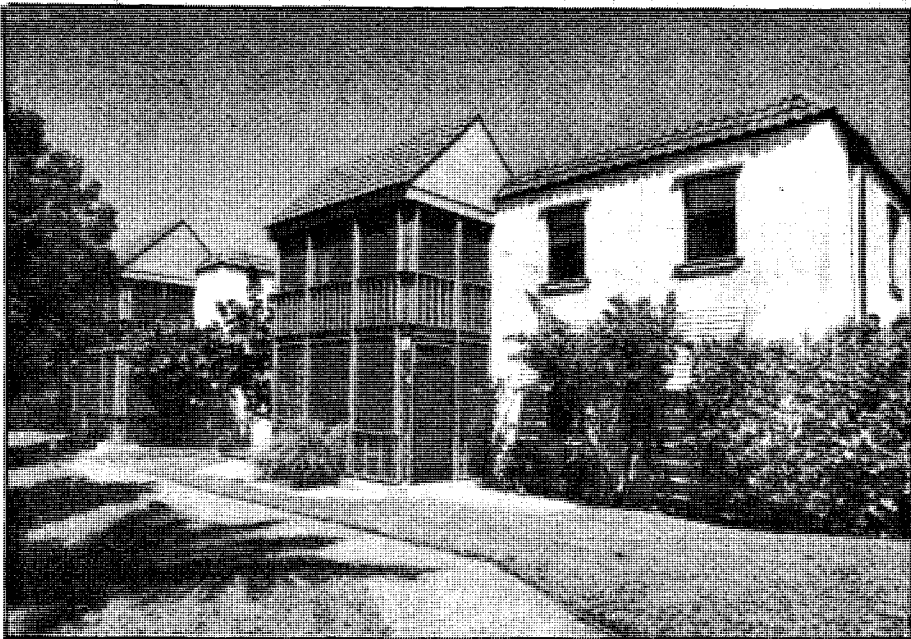


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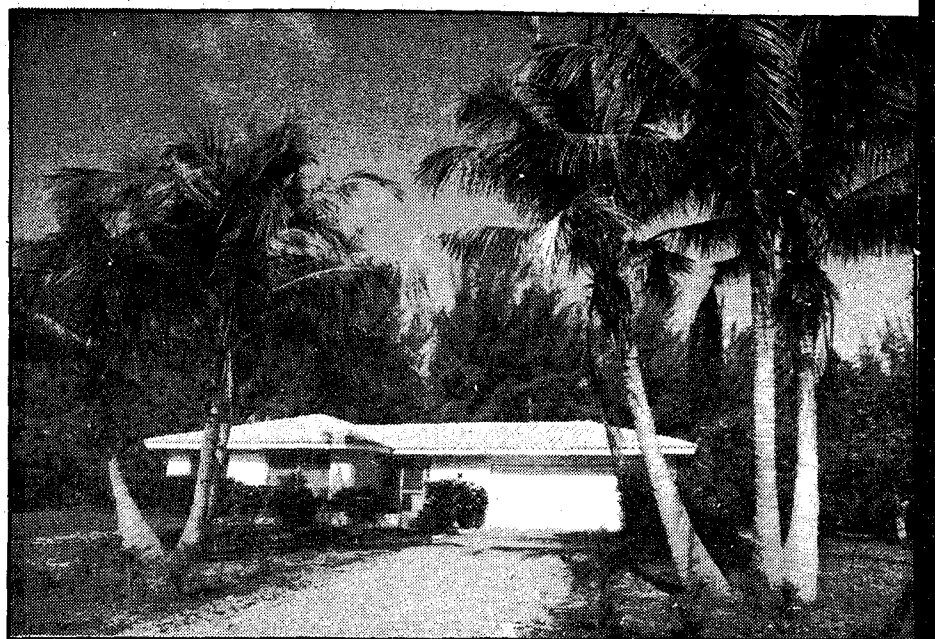


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TRADEWINDS HOME - 2 bedroom, 2 bath 'Michigan' home with enclosed swimming pool. Well maintained and just a stone's throw from the Gulf beach in this west Sanibel Subdivision. Private Gulf easement for residents. Numerous fruit-bearing trees and palms. Let us show you this fine home which is being offered at \$180,000 unfurnished.

LOTS...LOTS...LOTS

Gulf Ridge 1 acre plus amenities. \$120,000
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