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Cape Coral man swept away, drowned in Blind Pass current

By Cindy Chalmers

A Cape Coral man drowned off Captiva's shoreline last week after he was caught in the current at Blind Pass late Wednesday afternoon.

The search for Phil Iwankovitsch, 26, was hampered by darkness and by heavy rain on Thursday. His body washed up on the beach near Tween Waters Inn on Thursday afternoon.

Iwankovitsch and two friends were body surfing in the waves on Wednesday when he was overcome by the current. One of his friends, 21-year-old Bruce Jennings of Cape Coral, tried in vain to save Iwankovitsch as he struggled approximately 450 yards from shore.

The current was too strong, however, and Iwankovitsch panicked and was unable to hang on to Jennings.

The water at Blind Pass is relatively shallow, but the undertow has been dangerously strong since the No Name Storm ripped through the Islands in June and opened the pass, which had been closed for several years.

Iwankovitsch was employed by B & P Electric of Cape Coral and was planning to open an office on Sanibel.

Thursday night brings candidates to Sanibel

By Cindy Chalmers

Twelve of 14 political hopefuls for the Lee County Commission will be on stage at the Sanibel Community Association this Thursday to face Sanibel and Captiva voters.

The evening is sponsored by the Community Committee for Candidates Night to familiarize Islanders with the issues and people at the forefront of the county-wide election this year.

The CCCN has confirmed participation in the forum from 12 of the 14 candidates for the two seats that are open on the County Commission. Only Roger Henderson and Bill Fussell will not attend. Henderson is vying for the Republican nomination for the District 2 seat; Fussell is a Democratic candidate for the District 4 seat.

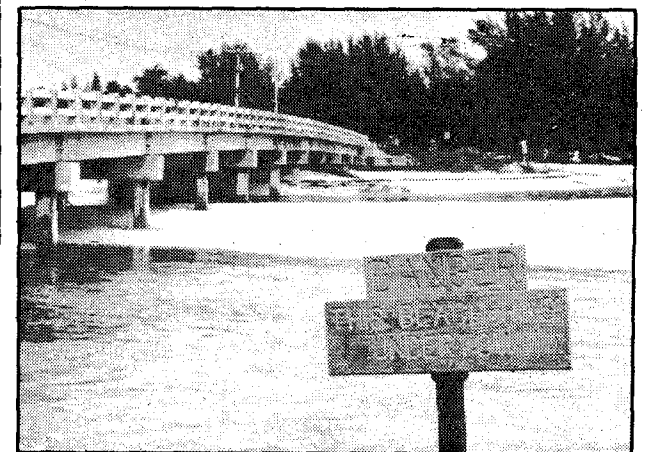
The non-partisan evening Thursday at the Community Association will afford the 12 participants five minutes to respond to a question about land use planning in Lee County. The candidates will also field questions from the audience if time permits.

CCCN Chairman Henry Shelton urges all Sanibel and Captiva voters to attend the forum and meet the candidates. Even though neither of the commission seats open this election represents the Islands, the new commissioners will vote on issues that affect Sanibel and Captiva, he explained. The commissioners are elected at large throughout the county, Shelton added, and Islanders should make knowledgeable choices at the polls.

The CCCN plans subsequent candidates nights on Thursday, Oct. 21, for state-wide candidates and on Thursday, Oct. 28, for Sanibel City Council candidates. All of the forums will be non-partisan and will begin at 7:30 p.m. at the Sanibel Community Association. Admission will be free.

CCCN is made up of several Island organizations, including the Committee of the Islands, the American Legion, Barrier Island Group for the Arts, the Chamber of Commerce, the Sanibel Community Association, the Sanibel-Captiva Rotary and Kiwanis clubs, Sanibel Republicans, Sanibel-Captiva Democrats and the local chapter of the American Business Women's Association.

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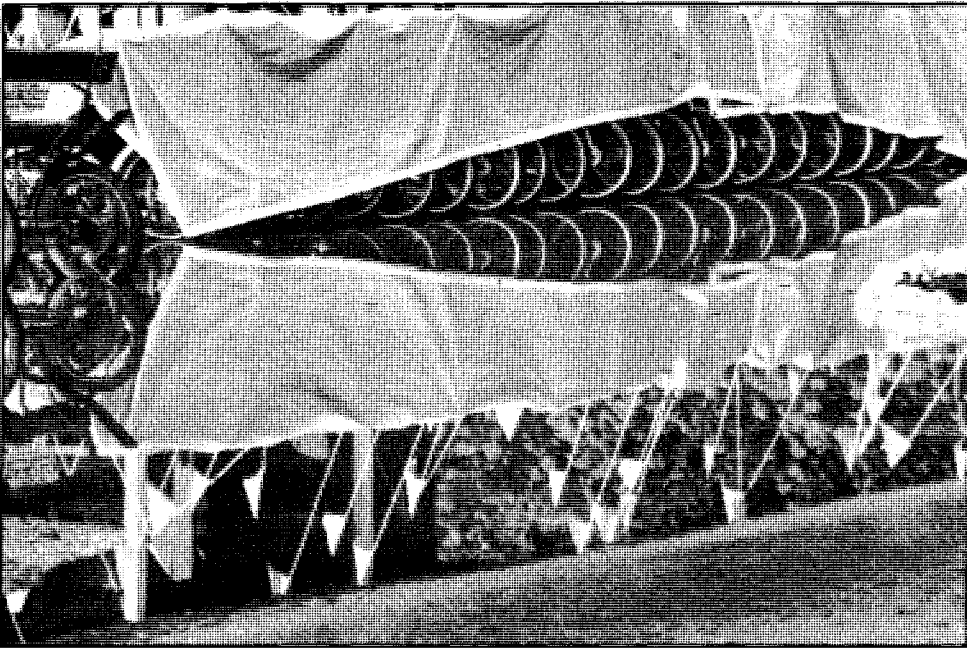
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Alert radios available now through Sanibel Police

By Cindy Chalmers

Specially adapted alert radios that will keep Islanders advised of emergency situations are available now through the Sanibel Police Department.

Twenty radios are already placed around Sanibel in Neighborhood Watch leaders' and EPERT notification captains' homes. So far the system has worked without a hitch and has received an enthusiastic response from the recipients, Off. Jack Primm said this week.

"I haven't had one negative comment about the radios," Primm, who is coordinating the radio network, said. He issued radios to 16 Neighborhood Watch leaders

two weeks ago. Since then two tests have been run and two actual alerts have been issued over the frequency.

Primm said the Police Department issued a weather advisory over the radios last Thursday giving details of flooding on Island streets because of heavy rains that day. The department also used the radios to advise Islanders of a power outage last week.

Adapted with special crystals, the radios monitor only the Sanibel police frequency that broadcasts weather alerts and other local emergencies. They run on either batteries or electricity and are equipped with a siren that sounds when important information is about to be broadcast.

Primm said he hopes to issue a radio to every home and business on Sanibel. Captivans are also more than welcome to purchase the radios. He added, however, that some locations on Captiva might experience difficulty receiving the signal.

The radio program was initiated to facilitate the fast relay of up-to-date information in hurricane situations. But Primm said he hopes the radios will eventually be used to advise Island residents and businesses of all types of emergencies.

"The possibilities are wide," he said. "We're just going to have to see how people take to it."

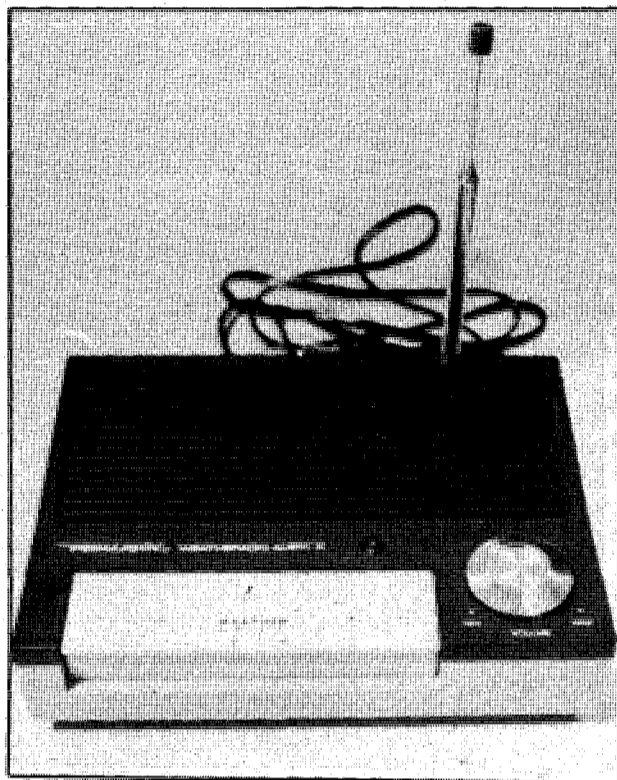
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Primm said he plans to wait until the department receives 100 order forms before he places an order with Radio Shack for the radios.

He emphasized that the city is not in the business of selling the alert radios and is taking no responsibility or the functioning of the radios. "We are just coordinating the effort," he said, adding that the radios carry the regular 90-day Radio Shack guarantee.



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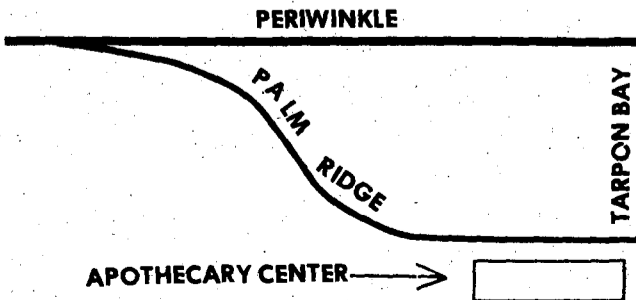
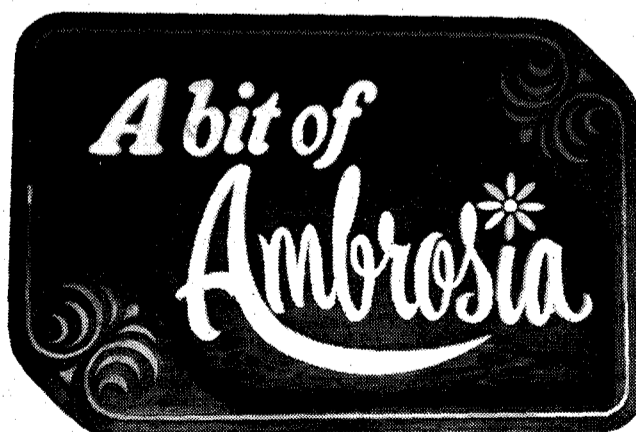
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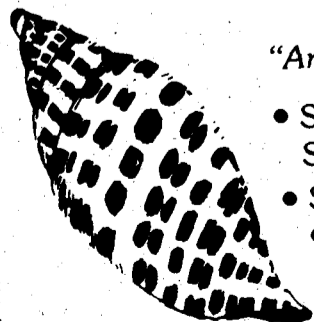
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QUOTE—UNQUOTE

Governor's office thanks Howe for erosion control line thoughts

A copy of the following letter to Paul Howe from the governor's office was given to The Islander for publication.

Dear Mr. Howe

Governor Graham asked me to respond to your letter of July 30 concerning the establishment of an erosion control line on Captiva Island.

The Governor and Cabinet have not yet reached the hearing officer's recommendation on a control line; however, public hearings are to receive testimony from all sides, so it was proper for the hearing officer to receive all types of testimony and leave the record open for presentation of views. Receiving the testimony does not change

the policy. The policy of the Governor and Cabinet has been clearly established to do as you recommend, that is, set the erosion control line at the line of mean high water before the beach restoration. This ensures that public expenditures will benefit the public and keeps state sand in state ownership.

Thank you very much for your thoughtful letter. It will be useful in the review of the hearing officers' recommendation when it arrives. If you have further information or I may assist you further, please let me know.

Jere Moore, Jr.
Special assistant,
Cabinet Affairs

Resident applauds CCCN

To the Editor
The Islander

Efforts of a cooperating group of civic-minded Island organizations to sponsor a series of candidates' nights prior to the November election for the benefit of Sanibel and Captiva voters are to be applauded.

These sessions where political office seekers must face the spotlight of voter scrutiny and voter inquiry merit the widest possible support.

This is particularly true of the first meeting on Aug. 26 when candidates for the Lee County Commission will be present. Although the commission seat representing Sanibel and Captiva will not be contested in this election, the two commissioners whom voters will select can have a vital effect on the well-being of the Islands.

Unless the County Commission is made up of people who are concerned about over-development, about the sensitive nature of our environment and about the welfare of all Lee County residents, we on Sanibel and Captiva will suffer.

Already our safe evacuation route in case of a hurricane is threatened by too much development between the Causeway and Miners Corner. So, too, is the sanctity and serenity of our beaches. We must have an understanding and supportive County Commission.

That's way it is so important for every local voter to face the candidates and make his or her rational choice for the right candidate.

George Tenney
Sanibel

Captivans support request for outside vote tabulation

To the Editor
The Islander

We are writing rather belatedly (illness and other factors) in support of Catherine Schultz's letter that appeared in your issue of June 15, 1982 under the headline "Captiva requests outside vote tabulation."

Our basic question is whatever happened to the right of free speech and the right of the people to know. Mrs. Schultz has raised a perfectly reasonable point, but has nevertheless been severely criticized for her

forthrightness. So have several other Islanders who have had the courage to voice their well-intentioned thoughts in various CEPD meetings and have simply been turned off with the statement they are "out of order."

The answer is, I think, that there is no right of free speech on Captiva anymore, and many Islanders, including ourselves, live in fear of retribution — one way or another.

We have been Island residents for many

years, and it is quite shocking to realize how our liberties are being eroded.

John Henderson, MD, FACS, FAAP
Betty Jane Henderson
Captiva

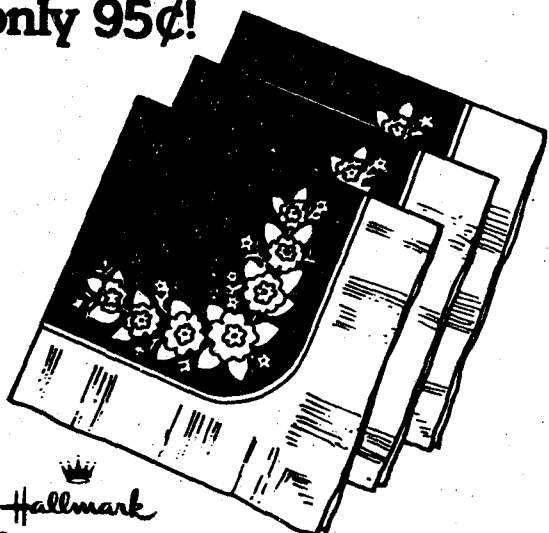
P.S. Without making this letter too long we did wish to compliment your reporter on an accurate factual report — so much so we understand she not only got "chewed out," but the commissioners were summarily forbade to talk to any reporter without permission!

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Candidates night deserves support

The efforts of the Community Committee for Candidates Night should be wholeheartedly supported by a large turn-out at the first candidates forum this Thursday evening.

Participating in the forum will be 12 of the 14 candidates for two seats on the Lee County Commission. Neither of the two seats is the district that represents Sanibel and Captiva, but that does not lessen the importance of Islanders' attendance at the forum.

Every registered voter in Lee County is eligible to and by all means should vote for the candidates of his choice to fill the two commission seats.

The two who are elected to the commission, even though they will represent East Lee County and parts of Fort Myers, will also vote on every issue before the commission for the next four

years. That means they will have an important part in the outcome of issues that directly affect Sanibel and Captiva.

Only three votes are needed on the five-member commission for approval or denial of any measure. Therefore, the two new commissioners plus one could be the necessary block or the extra votes to ensure action for the good of the Islands.

The Community Committee for Candidates Night deserves support for its efforts to ensure that Sanibel and Captiva voters have every opportunity to make informed, knowledgeable choices at the polls this election year.

Be at the Sanibel Community Association at 7:30 this Thursday evening to hear the candidates' views on land use planning in Lee County. Do your part before you go to the polls so you will make informed choices on Election Day.

Allen Rainwater

It couldn't happen here

It had been a good trip, their first to Europe. And though the two American women left Paris exhausted, they looked forward to the last leg of their journey across the interior of France to Geneva, then south to the Cote d'Azur, The Gold Coast.

In Paris, Nancy, a single, 33-year old electronics engineer from the Silicon Valley in California, met a young Parisian named Claude who bought her Pernod and danced wildly. It was Claude who suggested the ladies spend a day on the Iles de Lérins.

"Ah...And I know a place there where you can sun au naturel," he offered.

Nancy cringed, more at the suggestive smile on Claude's lips than in the suggestion itself.

"And with such a figure elegant you must surely..." Stopping in mid-sentence Claude made an improper advance, but the American lady was not having any of that and walked away without looking back.

But the vivid impressions Claude left of the lovely

Mediterranean island stuck with her, and after touring Nice and Cannes she told her companion Arlene about the Iles de Lérins.

Arlene, a 32-year old divorcee who owned an art gallery in San Francisco and who regularly sunbathed au naturel, thought it a marvelous idea. She was intrigued with the thought of exposing her skin - all of it - to the wind, sand, sun and sea on an island in the Mediterranean. It was a romantic notion she found hard to resist.

And so the two Americans took the ferry to the Isle de Lérins, which turned out to be everything and much more than they expected. The natifs were friendly, though the American women felt they charged too much for their services. Especially for rooms. Why, they had not paid 200 francs for a room in Paris or Nice, and these islanders were asking 400!

Arlene, who spoke a little French, tried to laugh it off. "C'est la vie," she said.

Then they were unpacked, rushing to the shore. Nancy

saw the deserted stretch of beach to the northwest. It was as Claude had described it: "C'est magnifique!"

The two american ladies were soon au naturel.

What they were not aware of though was a recent local gouvernement decision to plant plain clothes gendarmes on this particular stretch of beach, which had been a source of complaint for some islanders who, though apparently shocked at the sight of nakedness, routinely sought out those who were not.

Nancy and Arlene soon found themselves dressed and handcuffed inside the poste de police. There they were informed that they would be taken to Toulon to appear before the juge.

"Is this the procedure natural for les naturels?" Arlene, trying to contain her laughter, asked the juge.

But he failed to appreciate the humor and fined the two American women 200 francs each for indecent exposure.

Quote - Unquote

Police leave fine impression on Island resident

A copy of the following letter to Sanibel Police Chief John Butler was given to The Islander for publication.

Dear Chief:

On Wednesday evening, Aug. 11, I asked Patrolman Rick Kennedy if I could ride with him for a few hours. It was a most interesting and rewarding experience!

You are aware of the incident involving four juveniles that evening. I would like to

tell you that the actions of the Sanibel Police Department personnel, from the first call we received concerning the juveniles until they were apprehended and transported to the station were as professional as any I have witnessed.

I am a layman, but after 20 years in the Air Force and having experienced my share of in-flight emergencies and combat, I believe I can appreciate when a difficult and

unusual situation is managed properly. The radio communications, the coordination, the apprehension were all skillfully and thoroughly handled and made a most favorable impression on me.

I feel Sgt. Betty Weir and Kennedy and Patrolman John Slater are to be commended for their actions. Additionally, I was impressed by Kennedy's rapport with the numerous individuals he had contact with

earlier that evening. He could not help but leave an excellent impression of the SPD.

John, the experience was one that many people should have and unfortunately will never get.

Thanks,
Jack Middlebrook
Sanibel

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MUNICIPAL RECORDS

By Barbara Brundage

County official outlines plans for Bowman's Beach

Lee County expects to budget \$87,000 in the next fiscal year for the operation and maintenance of the county park at Sanibel's Bowman's Beach, Pam Brangaccio of the county's Office of Budget and Management told the City Council last week.

An estimated \$30,000 of the cost is proposed to be financed by a per-person user's fee that is tentatively set by county commissioners at 75 cents for adults and 40 cents for children.

The remaining \$57,000 will come from the county's share of Causeway surplus funds, Brangaccio said.

Brangaccio appeared at last week's council meeting with Bill Hammond, director of Lee County Division of Community Services, who apologized for the county's failure to inform Sanibel officials of the outcome of a 2½-hour hearing of the proposed 1982-83 Parks and Recreation Department budget at which long range plans for the park were discussed.

Under the terms of Sanibel's interlocal agreement to participate with the county in a \$100,000 improvement program at Bowman's Beach, the commissioners had promised to submit fee schedules and other operational plans for the park to the council for approval before final adoption.

The suggested fees are half what the county charges for admission to Carl Johnson Park near Bonita Beach, and the yearly income estimate is based on a projected use by 42,000 persons, Brangaccio said.

The operational expenses includes salaries of four full time employees working 10-hour days with two persons on duty at all times, she said.

Whether the users fee will be instituted at Bowman's Beach park hinges on solving the problem of the ownership of the old bridge, Hammond said.

The county was once involved in a lawsuit with Blind Pass condominium owners concerning jurisdiction of the bridge built by the complex's developer.

Brangaccio said she is researching the outcome of that litigation.

Fees will be collected at the new access to the beach from the parking lot. Beach access is provided by the recently completed bridge and walkover.

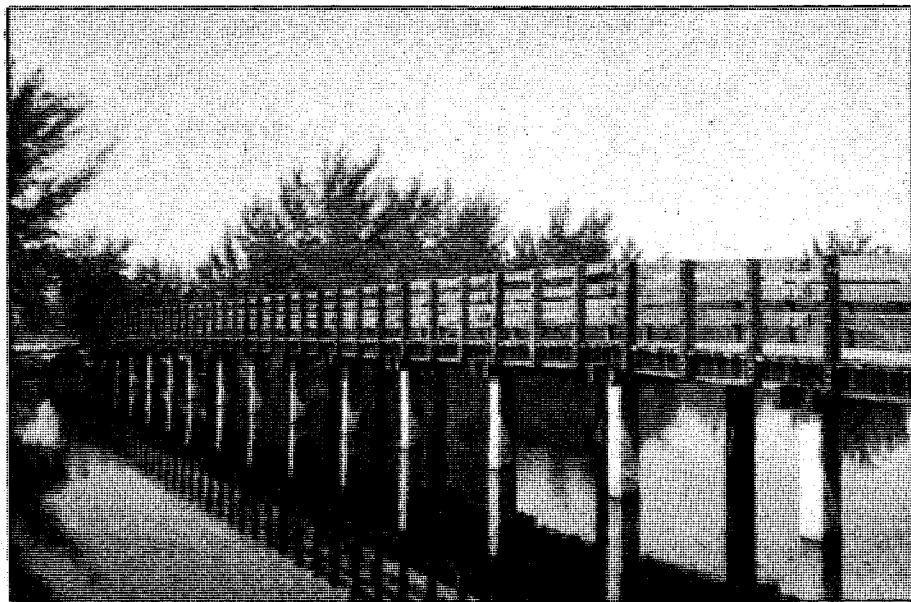
"We need to control the old bridge in order to prevent beachgoers from using it to circumvent the ticket booth," Hammond said.

This could be done by fencing off the old structure, he added.

A "perk test" is needed to begin construction of restrooms on the site that will complete Phase I of the improvement program, he said.

Councilman Fred Valtin called the county's estimate of yearly use that averages out to 115 persons per day "very low."

"This is a very popular beach, and I'm sure will draw many more persons than that," he said, adding that income from the users fee could be much higher than \$30,000.



A lone jogger, right, makes his way across the new bridge at Bowman's Beach, above. A spokeswoman for the Lee County budget department spoke to Sanibel officials last week about the county's plans for the park. Photos by David Meardon.



Mayor Porter Goss suggested that a "free beach and free park" might be a better idea with the operation completely subsidized from the Causeway surplus.

"Some Sanibel residents may be mad at the county's taking away their beach," he added.

Hammond emphasized that the proposed charges are "very tentative."

"First let's get the bathrooms built and then we can talk about the long term development of the park," Hammond said.

The council was relieved to hear Hammond say he does not favor "much development" at the park.

"We can do without trams and picnic

tables," Goss agreed.

But Hammond stressed the beach does need supervision to keep littering and garbage under control.

City accepts bids for City Hall

The city of Sanibel is advertising for bids for construction of the new \$1.5 million City Hall complex.

Acting City Manager Gary Price told the City Council last week bids will be opened on Tuesday, Sept. 14, and will be submitted to the council for approval at the regular meeting Sept. 21.

Target date for completion of the project is Sept. 30, 1983, when leases for space currently occupied by city offices at Periwinkle Place expire.

Shell Harbor owners declare intention to sue Sanibel

The city attorney's office is gearing up for yet another lawsuit.

Shell Harbor Inn has declared its intention to appeal in court the city's action limiting the capacity of the inn's new restaurant to 75 seats.

City Attorney Neal Bowen told the City Council last week that attorneys representing the gulf front resort had notified him that a lawsuit will be filed.

Although notice has not yet been served, Bowen has been authorized by the council to defend the city in suit. He has been delegated informally accept the complaint for all defendants, which presumably will include members of the City Council and Planning Commission.

City files strong objection to development on evacuation route

The city of Sanibel has filed a strong objection to the development of a 742-unit townhouse and condominium complex on an 160-acre tract on Shell Point Boulevard near a key intersection of the city's evacuation route.

The proposed project would add more than an hour to the time needed to evacuate the Island in the event of an hurricane, city planners estimate.

The protest, strongly endorsed by the City Council, was lodged by Acting City Manager Gary Price in a letter to Lee County Zoning Board Chairman Charles Ross.

The project dubbed Palm Acres has a proposed density of 4.89 units per acre, which violates the precedent established by the Florida Supreme Court upholding density of two units per acre on low-lying, environmentally sensitive land adjacent to estuaries, Price pointed out.

The 569 condominiums ranging up to 12 stories high and the 166 townhouses proposed for the project could set more undesirable precedents in the area with respect to further dredge and fill activities, height limitations, availability of remaining road capacity and the character of the development in the county's coastal zone, Price noted.

The council requested the Zoning Board to consider these factors in making its decision when it hears the case this week.

Council decides against parking hours at new park

To accommodate early beach walkers and late night fishermen, no regular parking hours will be imposed at the new city park at the former site of the Algiers, the City Council decided last week.

Overnight parking, as everywhere on the Island, will be prohibited.

"This is a public park, and it is too restrictive to limit parking there to daylight hours," Councilman Francis Bailey said.

"If this more liberal policy proves to be a problem, we can change it," Mayor Porter Goss pointed out.

However, at the Periwinkle roadside park a two-hour limit on parking will be enforced when an amendment to the city's parking ordinance is adopted on Sept. 7.

The council also agreed to change the "residential" designation of the park at the bay end of Dixie Beach Boulevard and open parking there to holders of "restricted" parking permits.

Acting City Manager Gary Price said there have been no objections to the change from neighborhood residents.

"As a matter of fact during the year the parking has been limited to residents only we have received several requests from part time residents to relax the restriction," Goss added.

The \$50 fine now imposed by the city for parking violations will be reduced to \$35 when the ordinance goes into effect Sept. 7.

Coming up at City Hall

A list of upcoming City Council and Planning Commission meetings

Monday, Sept. 13, MacKenzie Hall, 6:55 p.m. - City Council meeting as the Board of Governors of the Shell Harbor Canal Maintenance District for the first public hearing of the district's 1982-83 proposed tentative \$315,000 budget. 7 p.m. - Special meeting of the City Council for the first public hearing of the city's 1982-83 proposed tentative budget of \$2.46 million and the proposed millage rate of 2.565.

Tuesday, Sept. 14, MacKenzie Hall, 7 p.m. - Continuation of the public hearing and second reading of the revised Rate of Growth Ordinance, recommended by the Planning Commission.

Tuesday, Sept. 7, MacKenzie Hall, 9 a.m. - Regular meeting of the City Council.

Municipal Records

Windsurfing sign ruled okay for Periwinkle Way location

Only City Councilman Francis Bailey agreed with Code Enforcement Officer Dick Baker's assessment that a 2x9-foot sign Windsurfing of Sanibel wants to mount at its new location in the Photographers Gallery is "too bill boardy."

The three other councilmen present last Tuesday voted to permit owner Peter Sanger to use the sign featuring a red sail designed by Island artist Peter Smith.

Baker said he could not approve the design because it violates the section of the Graphics ordinance that requires a sign to "harmonize with the building and neighborhood and be in character with the Island."

Smith said he discarded his first idea to make the sign the shape of a sail in favor of a rectangular one compatible with two others in the neighborhood.

Both Smith and Larry Jones, who will install the sign, said Baker's fears that the sign might obstruct the view of drivers

turning onto Periwinkle from Palm Avenue are unfounded.

The councilmen assured Baker that he was "perfectly right and only doing his job" to bring the matter to their attention.

"It's a judgmental call," Mayor Porter Goss conceded.

Goss, who voted with Councilmen Fred Valtin and Mike Klein to permit the sign, said he would file a conflict of interest because his teen-age son is employed by Sanger, a personal friend.

In other action involving signs, the council declared a first reading on an ordinance amending the Graphics ordinance that will set standards for signs permitted for accessory uses to resort housing.

The ordinance, scheduled for second reading on Sept. 7, prohibits these signs from being visible from any right-of-way, street or highway, public beach or waterway.

Council adopts Charlotte Harbor plan

The City Council adopted the Charlotte Harbor Resources Management Plan as a new section of Sanibel's Comprehensive Land Use Plan by a 4-0 vote last week after Councilman Fred Valtin was persuaded that Sanibel should set an example for other regional governmental agencies.

Valtin said he had no objections to adopting the plan as guidelines, but he had serious reservations about "the very broad, general language being included in the land use plan, which is laboriously detailed."

"We have CLUP and the Rate of Growth ordinance that gives us all the protection we need against undesirable development both in quantity and quality," he maintained.

But to adopt the plan only as guidelines would not satisfy the state mandate that requires municipalities to incorporate the document in their comprehensive land use plans, Planning Director Bruce Rogers pointed out.

"By following that mandate we encourage others to be responsible," Rogers added.

"Goals of the Charlotte Harbor Plan are consistent with and reinforce our land use plan," Rogers said. "Vagueness of language and fear of what may happen in the future is no substantive reason for not adopting it," he told Valtin.

"What we have at stake in making the plan work goes far beyond our own community," Goss said.

Councilman Mike Klein stressed that Sanibel has more to lose than anyone else if Charlotte Harbor water is fouled by sewage.

"Located as we are downstream this Island could be bathed in polluted water unless we work to prevent it," he said.

Councilman Francis Bailey said he shared some of Valtin's concerns, but in the end he joined Valtin to make the vote to adopt the Charlotte Harbor plan as a part of CLUP unanimous.

Councilman Duane White was not present for the 5:01 hearing of the general amendment last Tuesday.

City wants assurance about Rutland house

Like the "man from Missouri," the City Council wants to be shown that Sanibel would benefit from placing the historic Uncle Clarence Rutland home on the National Register of Historic Places.

Until someone comes up with a good, strong reason, the council agreed to table action on the Historical Preservation Committee's recommendation.

Application for a building to be placed on the National Register must be approved by

the owner, Acting City Manager Gary Price told the council last week.

"Basically designation in the National Register provides limited federal protection for projects using federal funds," Price explained. "If no federal funds are requested there is no obligation on the owner."

"However, when federal funds are requested there is an additional review process required to mitigate any impact the

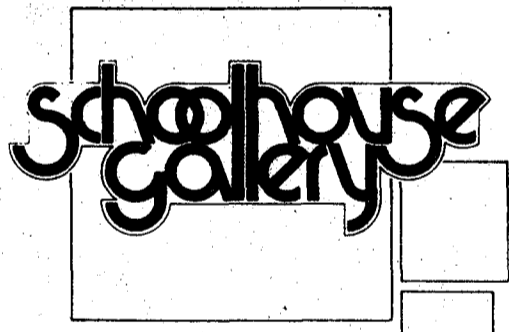
proposed project might have on the building," he added.

In addition the use of federal funds to restore the Rutland home might affect the whole new City Hall site, he said. "In the procedure any projects in the immediate vicinity are reviewed to determine their effect on the historic place."

Currently there are no federal funds available from the National Register, he added.

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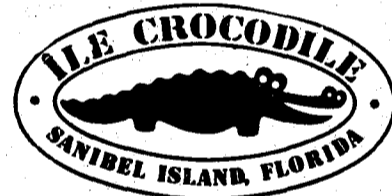
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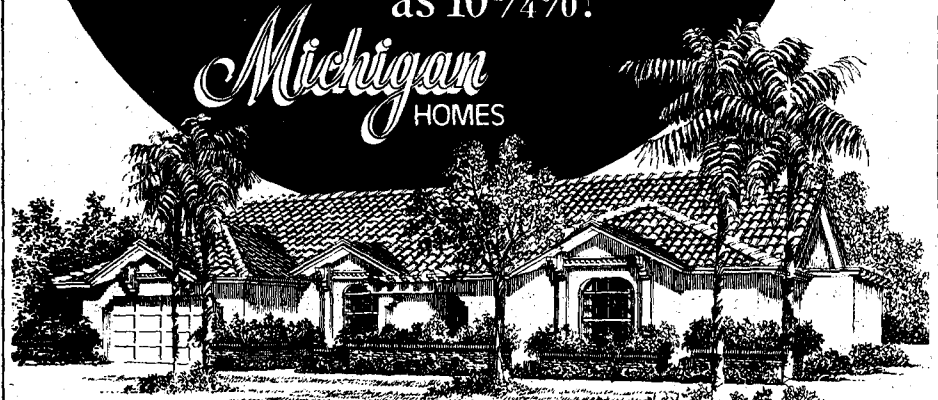
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ON THE WATER

By Captain Mike Fuery

A couple of times a year someone asks me about freshwater fishing on Sanibel Island. Sounds funny that fisherman would want to look for sweet water fish on a Island surrounded by saltwater, but strangely enough there is some of this fishing available here.

If you could see Sanibel Island from the air you would be surprised at how much of the Island is consumed by freshwater lakes or canals. There is even what some call the "Sanibel River," which is more of a series of connecting drainage systems than a true river, but still does wind its way through much of the Island.

These inland lakes and drainage systems are alive with wildlife, especially alligators, and that's one reason I don't emphasize freshwater fishing on the Island very much. The other reason is that trying to find public access to these freshwater systems is difficult because much of the better lakes or streams are bordered by private lands. I'm sure you would be looking at a trespassing charge should you park and wander around someone else's property in search of fish.

Still, some of these open freshwater systems do border the Sanibel-Captiva Road, and I've seen people with freshwater

bait work the water.

What can you expect to catch? I'm not sure to what extent the variety might reach. I've got one friend who has caught bass and perch. There might be shellcracker or bream.

That water is certainly not heavily fished, but many of the people who do fish the freshwater use cane poles and fish from the banks of the "river."

A canoe would be a great help in working this wandering system of water, but there are several large, freshwater lakes on the Island that can be fished from the banks. Again, keep an eye out for gators in the grass along the edge.

Actually, physical harm is not so much of a problem with the alligators, but on occasion they will chase and take lures. You are just wasting your time to have a gator take your lure -- most likely you will lose the lure, anyway, and in the process harm the alligator, which is illegal. If an alligator comes after your bait, pull up and leave or wait for it to go on its way.

Remember that you must have a license to freshwater fish. For residents of Florida, the cost is \$6.50. A combination fishing and hunting license is \$17.50. If you get what the state calls a "Series AB" license, you can fish for 12 months

from the date of purchase.

If you are an out-of-state visitor, you can get an annual fishing license for \$10.50, a 14-day continuous license for \$7.50 or a five-day continuous license for \$5.50.

If you are a Florida resident over the age of 65 or under the age of 15, you don't need a license at all.

You can use light spinning tackle for your freshwater efforts and also rely on any of the standard baits you might have had when you fished up north. The imitation worms in either purple or black still seem to be the most reliable lures.

I can't think of any tackle shops that carry freshwater live bait on Sanibel, but some of the fishing tackle shops off the Island offer worms, crickets and other baits.

I'll bet you would be surprised to learn how many Sanibel residents live on freshwater canals, lakes and waterways, all of which have good potential for yielding freshwater fish.

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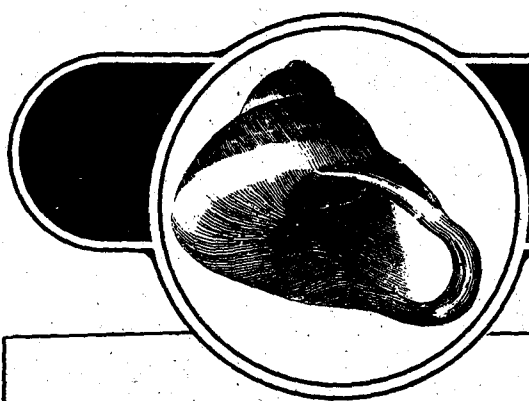
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SHELLING TIPS

By Captain Mike Fuery

One aspect of shelling that I find many people are curious about is how shells feed as they live in the shallow waters along the Florida coast.

This came up recently on one of my shelling charters when a young boy brought a live, large green starfish to the boat for a closer examination of this interesting creature.

We rarely take any live shells, but all are interesting to examine. This particular starfish had a tiny center body and legs about six inches long. In the center of the body I could see a coquina shell.

The starfish was actually opening its mouth so wide that not only one, but four other coquina clams were inside. These coquina clams are those colorful little shells you see buried in the sand right at water's edge.

This starfish had apparently found a colony of these clams and was eating them as fast as possible. As we watched, the starfish started to bring out the clams and release them one at a time.

It was a good lesson in survival. The starfish and other sea creatures will give up on a meal if it would mean their

death. The natural instincts of the starfish told it to drop the coquina dinner and prepare to survive instead.

In a very general way, the shell world is made up of two types of feeders. One group, the bivalves includes clams and other two-sided shells, is sift feeders that pull water into their shells and exhale it after tiny bits of food are withdrawn.

The other group of shells you see around these Island waters is the univalves, and they generally seek out the first type of shells and live off them.

Most of the larger more valued shells like the left-handed lightning whelk and the horse conch and tulip live off the clams. These shells have a single shell covering their bodies, unlike the bivalves, which have two shells.

One of the most interesting shells found on the Islands and one with a lovely name is the natica. The natica is part of the moon snail family. Some of the other well-known shells in this group are the shark's eye and the baby's ear. This group has the ability to hunt down and kill a host shells.

They do this by boring a hole in the host shell and

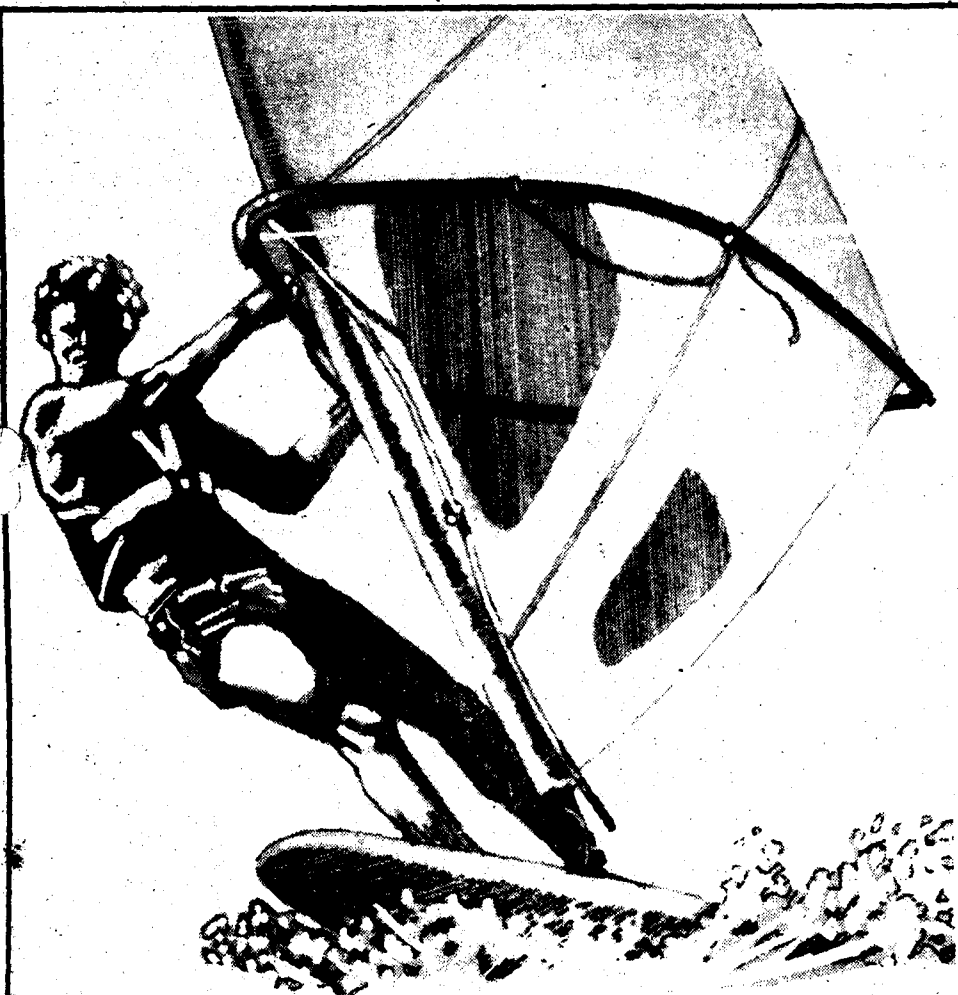
removing the meat through it. I've even found shark's eyes with these holes, so apparently they will feed on each other if need be.

The large whelks and conchs like to look for those huge clams that are often found on mud flats in Pine Island Sound. Some of these clams are the size of a man's fist, and I've come upon big conchs with complete clams right inside their muscles. That's how they open the clams -- the muscle comes out of the whelk of conch and surrounds the prey, then with a system of water pressure and secretions, the clam is opened and the meat removed.

The same principle applies on the ocean floor. The large feed off the smaller, and so on down the food chain.

Good shelling this week, and if you should find a shell with a tiny, perfectly round hole in it, you most likely have found one that a moon snail has feasted upon.

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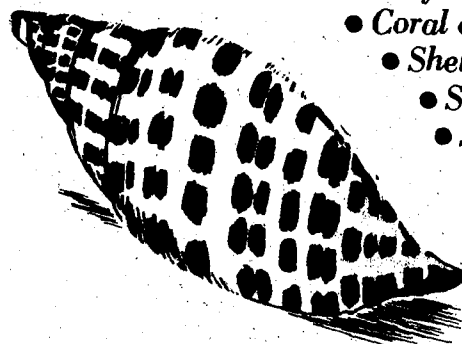
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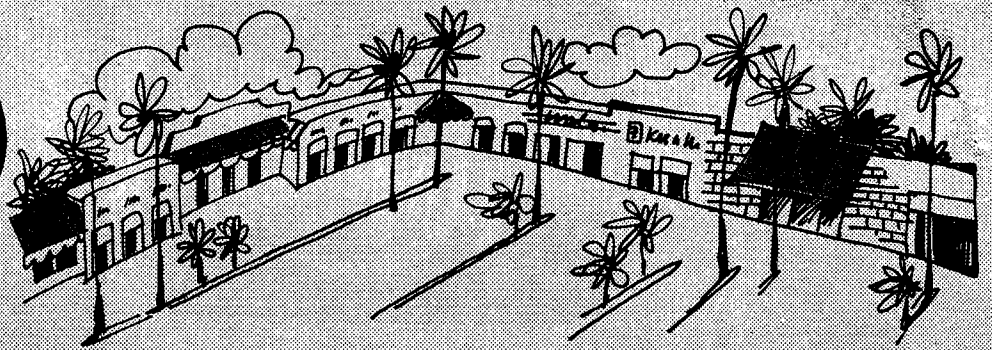
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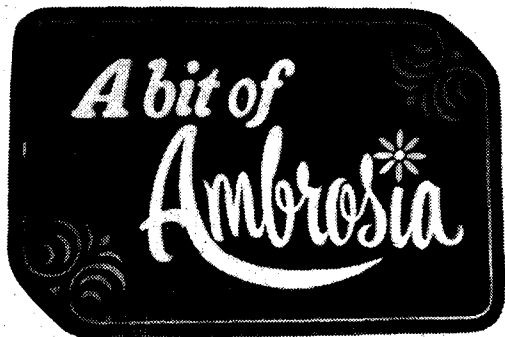
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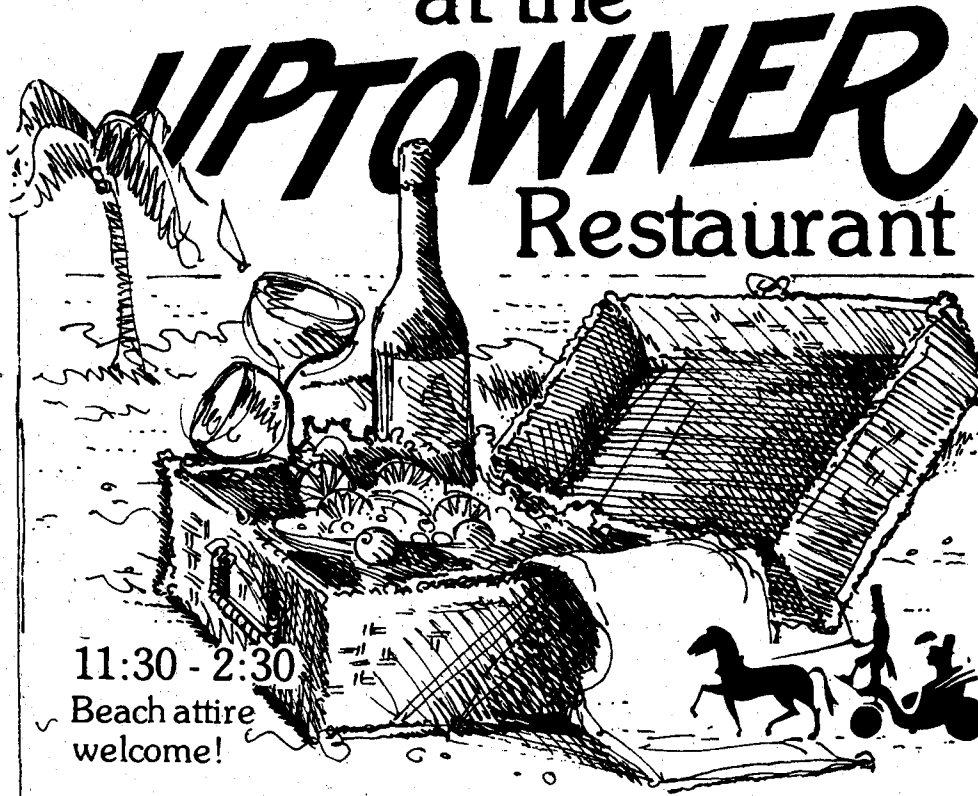
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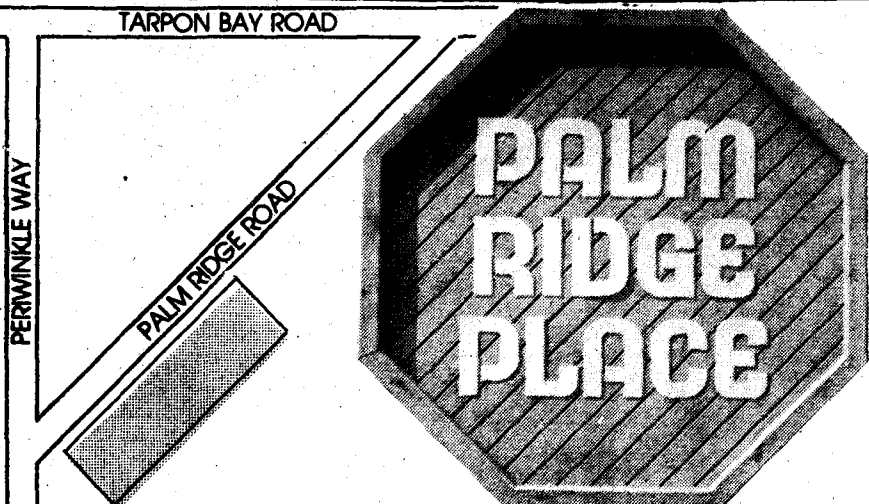


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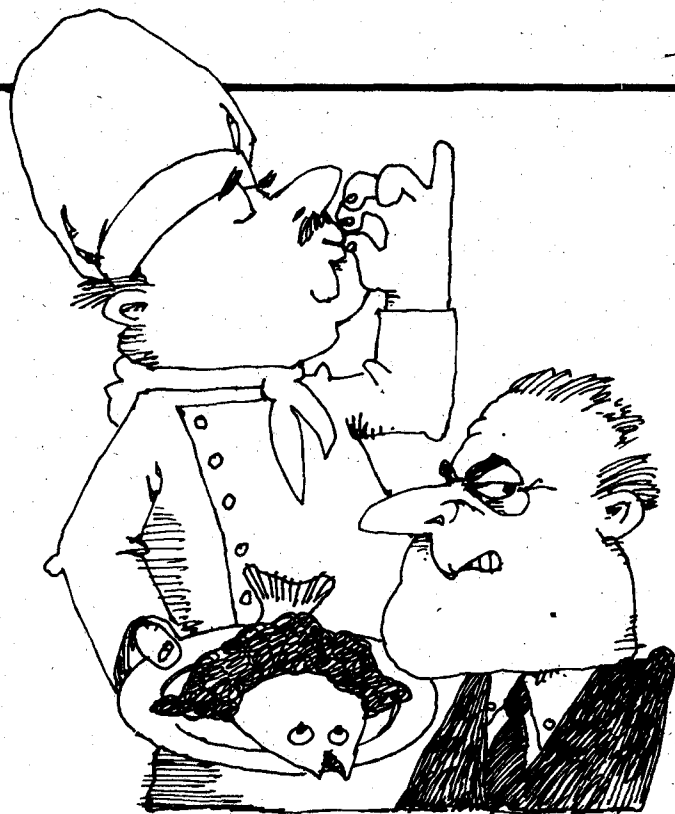
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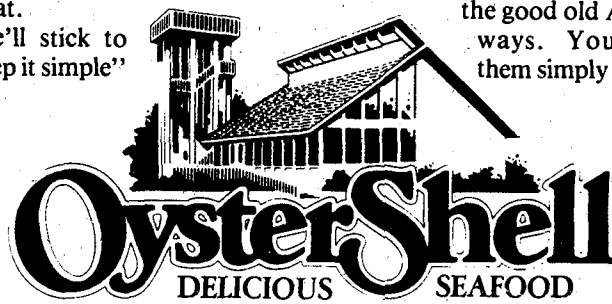
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Mentor: "Even as a child I didn't like that idea. It is not necessary to have a hero; what you must have is your own ideas."

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Gertrud Kuhn is half of a remarkable couple. The Jewish woman and her Gentile husband of almost 50 years, Paul, have a life of living and loving and learning that started in Berlin around the time Hitler came to power.

They met three years before Hitler's rise while both were studying to become master book binders in Berlin. They married in 1933, 14 days before Hitler outlawed Jewish-Gentile unions. Three years later they fled Germany for Capetown, South Africa, and lived there for 27 years.

Fear of war when the national government came to South Africa forced the Kuhns and their two children to leave that country, where Gertrud says they wanted to stay forever.

They moved to Boston and then to Maine before starting their search for a southern clime that eventually ended on Sanibel in 1968.

"Our friends told us there would be nothing for us in Florida," Gertrud remembers. "But we decided we would find that out ourselves.

"We visited every city and every island from Clearwater south," she adds. But they could not find a city in which they could make their home and their art studio-gallery under the same roof. They ended up in Fort Myers, the point they had decided would be the farthest south in their search. A visit to a shell shop and Gertrud's interest in a particular shell lead them to Sanibel, where the shopkeeper said the shell had come from.

"That was the end of it -- or perhaps the beginning," she says about their first visit to the Island. "We fell in love."

The Kuhns moved to Sanibel and opened Two K's art

studio and gallery in what is now the Three Crafty Ladies on Periwinkle Way. Two K's, which carried only the Kuhns' work and a few things from their daughter and her husband, closed in 1976, when Paul was 76 years old and felt he wanted to "slow down." He hasn't. Nor has Gertrud.

Their home behind the gallery bursts with the Kuhns' own art work and crafts from weaving to soft sculpture and jewelry to pottery and paintings. Outside is a lush garden filled with robust plants coaxed by the Kuhn's green thumbs.

During the day Gertrud writes short stories; at night she embroiders her own designs on pillows that will grace their one-of-a-kind bed that Paul designed and built.

Gertrud has always been artistically inclined. She was sick as a young girl and spent several months in bed when she was 9 years old. To entertain herself she made tiny thimble bags from bright silk threads her grandfather gave her.

"Everyone got a tiny bag," she says. "My mother, my cousins, my aunts -- everyone except me. I didn't think to keep one for myself."

Even though the odds were tremendously against them when they fell in love and married, as partners in virtually everything Gertrud and Paul have proved themselves stronger than any tribulations that could befall them.

"We have had good times and hard times," Gertrud says. "But we have always managed," she adds as though the possibility that they wouldn't manage never existed.

While in South Africa they made their living binding books

and making lampshades and leather handbags or whatever they could sell. For three weeks Gertrud worked in a factory, but Paul took her away when she became ill with bronchitis. Those were the only three weeks in Gertrud's life that she ever worked for other people, she says.

Always a collector, Gertrud says she couldn't collect material things in South Africa. So she started a collection of smiles, her own and those of other people.

She has collections of antique lace, family heirlooms and tiny silver thimbles. But her most prized collection is the one of smiles. "You can't have a more beautiful collection," she says. "I can make anyone smile -- anyone can do it given enough time."

Perhaps Gertrud's iron will to make the best of whatever life deals is captured in her original poetry and explained in this particular verse:

He is wise
Who long remembers
What is good
Yet forgets evil
quickly

Does she miss her native Germany? "Oh, yes," Gertrud says softly. "But we couldn't go back there to live."

After 27 years in South Africa the Kuhns returned to Germany for the first time. Everything had changed, Gertrud says. "We found the people there very unreceptive to strangers. They didn't want to make friends. Here is so easy to make friends.

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Municipal Records

F&B Oyster plans lawsuit over request for commercial zoning

The city's denial of the F & B Oyster Co.'s bid for a change to commercial zoning "leaves my client so badly damaged he really has to go to court," Attorney Art Knudsen told the city council last week.

The seafood restaurant, a lawfully existing commercial use in a residential zone, under the new commercial regulations cannot expand or change its use and after Jan. 1, 1990, cannot rebuild if more than 50 percent destroyed, Knudsen pointed out.

"The old lawfully existing use was not nearly as restrictive. It allowed expansion," he said. "The new regulations put them much more behind the eight-ball," he added.

The attorney represented the owners of the Periwinkle Way property, Carbro, Inc., a Kirkpatrick family corporation, and was

accompanied by a court reporter at his appearance before the council last Tuesday.

He was seeking commercial zoning for the property and asked the council to include it in the commercial node that ends with the Periwinkle Place Shopping Center 250 feet to the east.

The Community Association in the Institution district would be a perfect buffer between the F & B property and residential zoned land to the west, Knudsen argued.

"There would be a good and sizeable gap of residential before the next commercial node that includes Bailey's Shopping Center," he added.

But the council stood firm in its stance that to do so would create "strip zoning" along Periwinkle Way. As an alternative the

council suggested extending the trigger date for F & B's zoning reversion to July 1, 2007.

"That gives them 25 years, sufficient time to amortize their investment," Councilman Fred Valtin suggested.

But Knudsen said the Kirkpatrick family had turned down the offer. "Time alone won't solve the problem," he said.

Valtin proposed to deny the change to commercial zoning and in addition grant an extension of the trigger date for reversion to 2007 even though the applicant found it unacceptable.

"It will be giving the green light to the owners of other lawfully existing commercial use property to come in for an extension to 2007," Councilman Mike Klein-objectioned. "I see no reason for an extension. I'd rather

deny the zoning."

"I still hope the applicant will find this solution preferable to the uncertainty of a court case," Valtin explained, adding, "It would be preferable to a court deciding for us that everything west of the Periwinkle Place shopping center should be commercial."

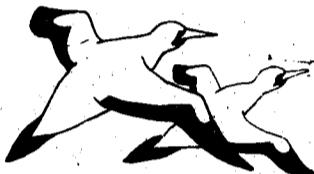
His motion to follow this route died when Councilman Francis Bailey withdrew his second.

Valtin was the only dissenter when Klein's motion to flatly deny the rezoning request passed by a 3-1 vote with Councilman Duane White absent.

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Priscilla Murphy Realty addition allowed at existing elevation

To the obvious relief of Realtor Stan Johnson, city councilmen last week confirmed they never intended a 600-square-foot addition to the Priscilla Murphy Realty office on Causeway Road to be built at an elevation other than that of the existing building.

Johnson told the council last week he was astounded when he was informed by the Planning Department that the new addition to the one-story wooden building must be constructed at the 12-foot base flood level.

In addition to turning the building into a monstrosity, the cost of construction would be increased at least 30 percent, Johnson said his architect estimated.

He asked the council to clarify "what was meant" when the addition was approved in connection with a specific amendment that extended to 2007 the trigger date for the reversion of the lawfully existing commercial property to residential use if it is more than 50 percent destroyed.

"It would look ridiculous," Councilman Fred Valtin agreed, adding, "It never occurred to me that this small addition would be built at any other level."

Planning Director Bruce Rogers explained that because of an 1977 remodeling

the new addition would put the building "over the threshold of the 50 percent improvement allowed."

"I had no other recourse than to rule it would have to comply with the flood regulations of the Comprehensive Land Use Plan and be constructed at the 12-foot elevation or flood proofed," he explained.

One other option open to Johnson is to file a specific amendment for exemption from the flood regulations, Rogers said.

Johnson was reluctant to follow that route because of the time involved (three to four months) that would delay completion of the addition beyond the winter season.

"We need the space badly," Johnson said, "We're bursting at the seams."

"It's ridiculous and a slavish adherent to protocol for him to go on another amendment," Mayor Porter Goss commented.

"I see nothing wrong in the council's interpreting its previous position," Valtin said.

His motion stating that the council's intent was that the 600-square-foot addition would be constructed at the same elevation as the existing building passed by a 4-0 vote.

Councilman Duane White was absent.

Change order includes two intersection realignments

The City Council last week approved a change order to permit the inclusion of the Palm Ridge Road-Periwinkle Way intersection realignment project in Couch Construction's contract to modify the Tarpon Bay Road-Periwinkle Way intersection.

Acting City Manager Gary Price told the council Couch's estimate of \$25,705 might be reduced to be in line with an earlier projected \$22,000 as the cost of converting the intersection to a conventional T.

Eckerd's Drug company, as a condition of approval of a development permit for a store on Palm Ridge Road, has agreed to contribute \$10,000 to the city for the project.

The new alignment might not unplug the traffic bottleneck created in the past by backup of cars waiting to turn left on Periwinkle Way, but it should help and will improve the safety at the intersection, the city's engineer, Rocky Van Guilder, said.

With the projected development of the Palm Ridge area as the center of Sanibel's commercial development, traffic problems will increase, the council agreed.

Mayor Porter Goss suggested now is time to consider imposing a fee on developments that impact the traffic pattern and requiring them to share the cost of traffic control.

"It's new growth that's causing the problem," he said.



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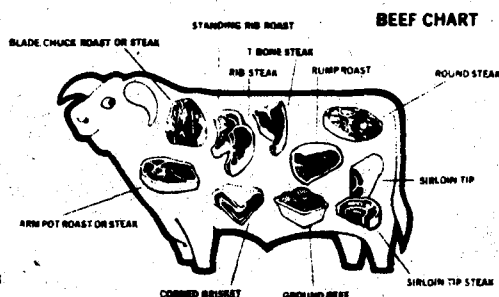


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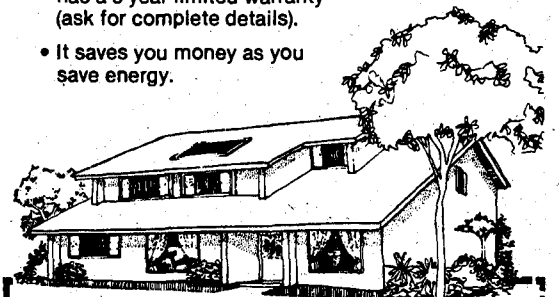
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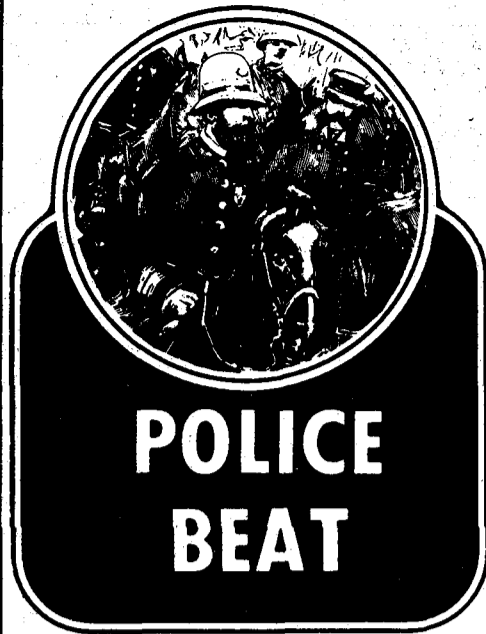
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POLICE BEAT

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

A resident of the Nutmeg Village reported a grey cover for her Lincoln Continental was stolen on Friday morning, Aug. 13. The cover was valued at \$200.

An Ann Arbor, Mich., woman reported two boys approximately 8 and 15 years old grabbed her on the beach in front of the West Wind Inn on Friday afternoon, Aug. 13. The

older of the two boys allegedly pulled the woman's bathing suit down. Both boys ran away when the woman screamed. Police did not locate the boys on the beach.

An 18-year-old Sanibel man was arrested for possession of alcohol by a minor on Friday night, Aug. 13. Police on regular patrol observed Patrick Eugene Carse of 941 Pectin Court leave the 7-11 store with a six-pack of beer. He put the beer in a car with three juveniles.

Carse admitted to buying the beer. He was taken to the Lee County Jail. The three juveniles were released to the custody of their parents.

An anchor valued at \$60-80 was reported missing from a boat at the Sanibel Marina on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 14.

The stop sign at the intersection of Nerita Street and East Gulf Drive was reported missing on Saturday evening, Aug. 14.

A purse and cash valued at \$160 were reported stolen from an unlocked car at the Lighthouse parking lot on Saturday evening, Aug. 14. The purse and cash belonged to a Harrison, Ohio, resident.

Seventy dollars in cash was stolen from a locked van parked at Bowman's Beach on Saturday evening, Aug. 14. The money was taken between 4-7 p.m. The rear screen window was torn for entry to the van.

Police were unable to locate a woman who was reportedly soliciting for Captran near the Tarpon Bay Road public access on Sunday morning, Aug. 15.

A Captiva man was arrested for driving while intoxicated on Sunday night, Aug. 15, after police followed him and watched him cross the center line and leave the shoulder of San-Cap Road.

Robert Bradley of Tween Water's Marina failed the field sobriety test. He was charged with driving while intoxicated and with driving without headlights.

A Sanibel man was arrested for driving while intoxicated early Monday morning, Aug. 16, after police saw him make a sharp turn and cut off another car on Periwinkle Way near Scotty's Pub.

Clarence Mackey of 50 Periwinkle Way was charged with driving while intoxicated and with driving on the wrong side of the road.

A set of disappearing stairs that are used to gain access to attics was reported stolen from a construction site on Joewood Lane on Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 17. The stairs were still packed in a cardboard box and were valued at \$75.

Jewelry and cash valued at \$1,217 were reported stolen from a room at the Shell Harbor Inn on Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 17.

The Baltimore, Md., guests told police they were on the beach between 1:30 and 3:10 p.m. When they returned to their room they found it ransacked.

Police answered a report of a body lying beside the road near Pelicans Roost on Tuesday night, Aug. 17, and found a "very intoxicated" Beech Grove, Ind., man. The Rev. William Fisher was taken to the home of some friends for the night.

Fishing gear valued at \$208 was reported missing from a dock behind a Limpet Drive home on Wednesday evening, Aug. 18. The residents told police they had left the gear on the dock around 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 17.

The red and white Garcia rod and reel were valued at \$200, and a fishing knife in a red plastic case was valued at \$8.

A Sanibel man was arrested and charged with trespassing at Scotty's Pub on Thursday morning, Aug. 19, after he refused to leave the bar upon the manager's request.

Edward Patrick Collins of 805 East Gulf Drive was arrested and taken to the Lee County Jail. He had allegedly been fighting with another patron in the bar.

The safe at the Dunes Country Club clubhouse was reported stolen early Thursday morning, Aug. 19. Inside the safe was \$1,107 in cash and \$693 in checks. The safe itself was valued at \$400. Police are continuing their investigation.

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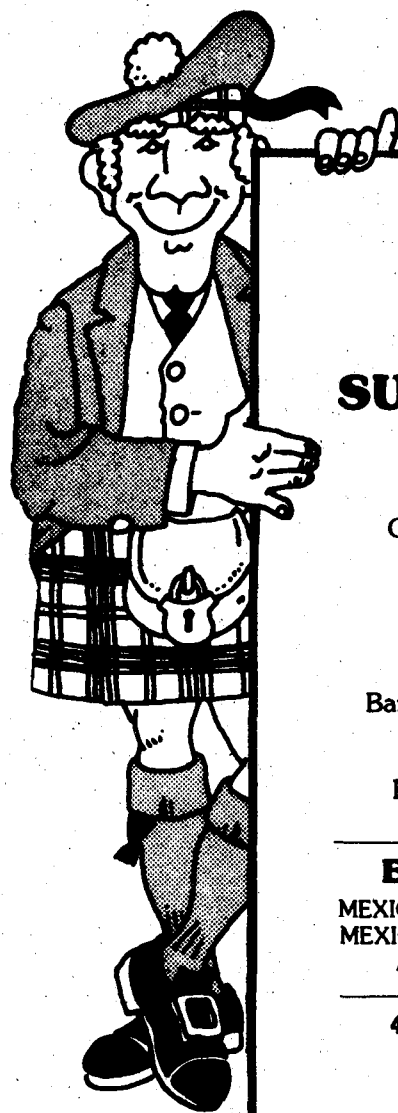
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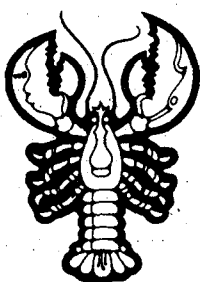
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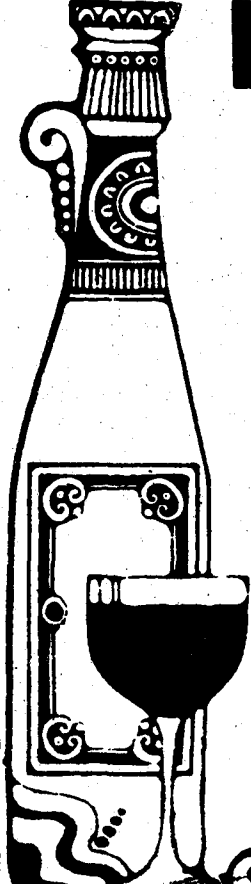
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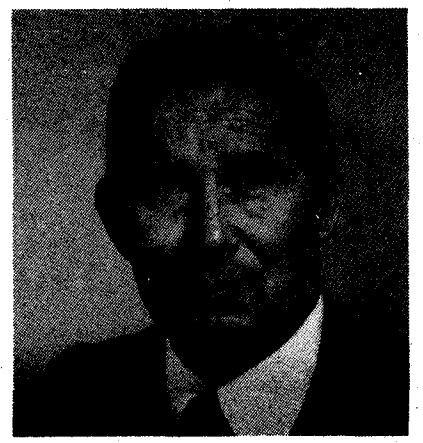
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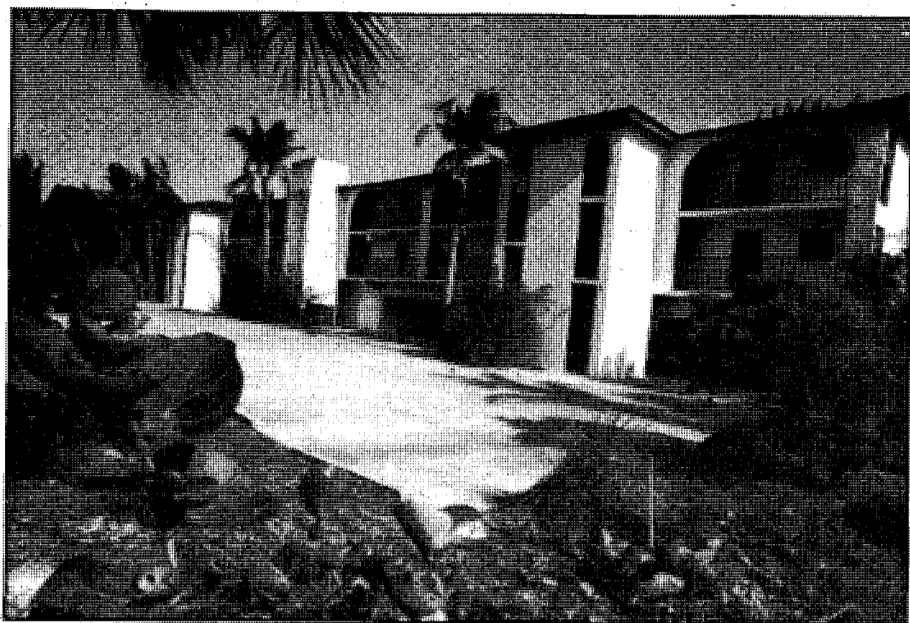
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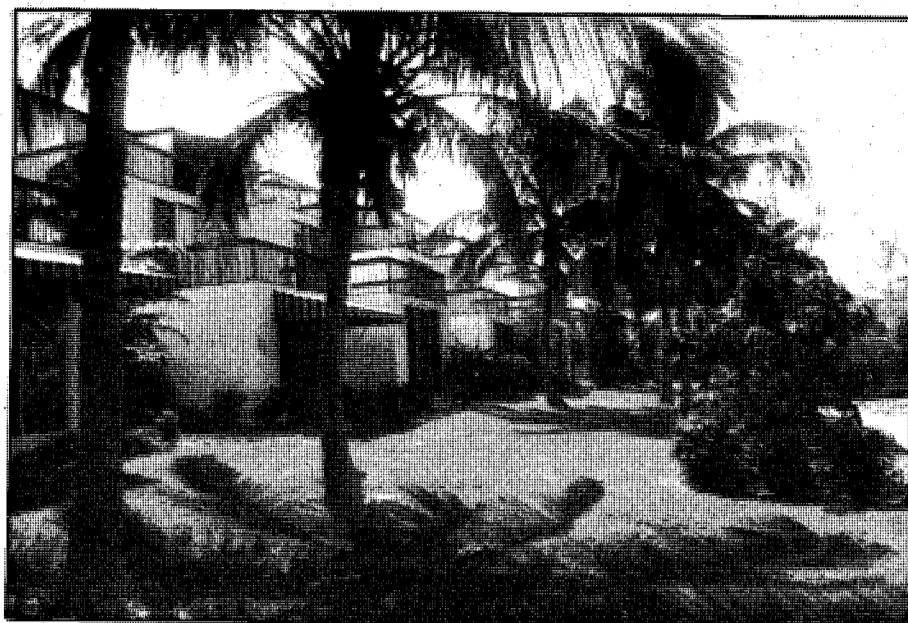
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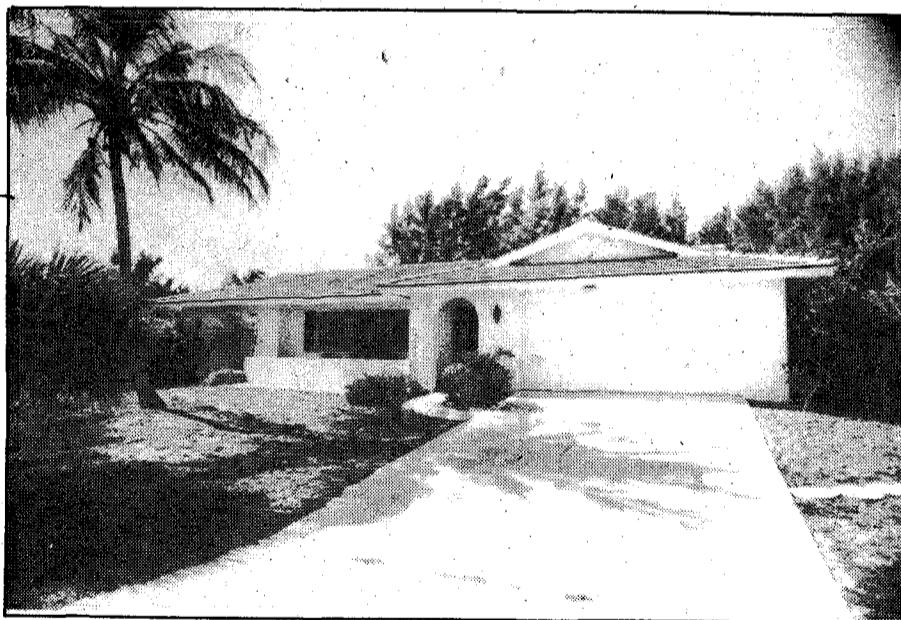


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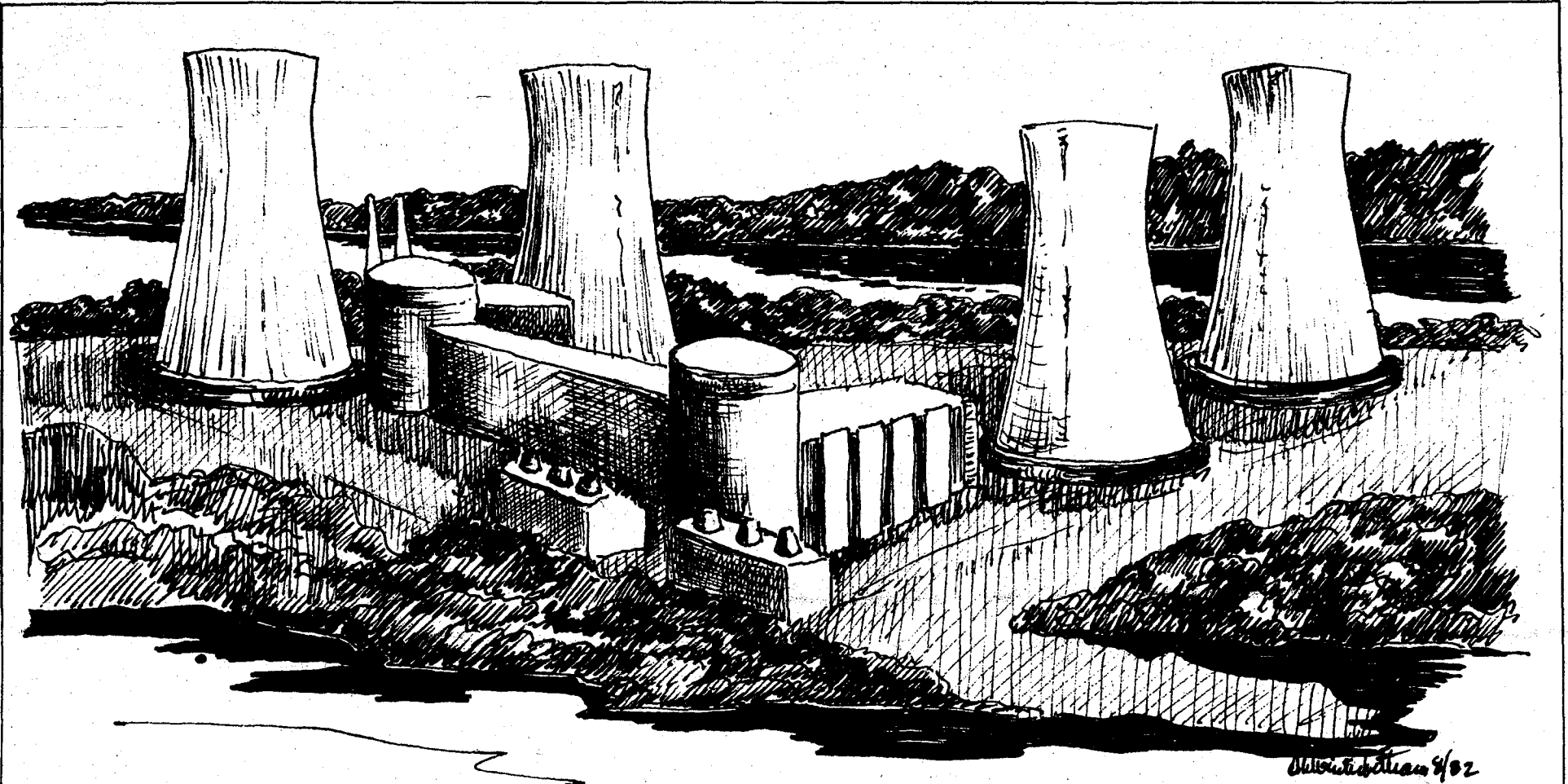
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UNIT 2 Containment building, the one where the near (?) meltdown took place lies on the left side of the picture — between the two cooling towers. UNIT 1, where no problems exist except licensing problems, is on the right.

By George Campbell

Illustrated by Ann Winterbotham

For one who comes from Florida where "attractions" cost lots of dollars to visit, it was kind of pleasant to be able to visit Three Mile Island for free. Well, not really for free if you consider the price we may all pay for TMI's clean-up and deadly serious lessons.

On a recent Sunday we drove out from Maryland to the left bank of the Susquehanna, where a bright, intelligent but apprehensive and scared young lady served us brunch with conversation in a small-town roadside restaurant.

Yes, she and her neighbors were fearful of TMI's Unit 2 Containment Building's possible future leaks. Hadn't we seen all the For Sale signs around town?

"Sure, you can see it," she said. "Just drive to the river, turn right and there is TMI. It's still a free country — go take a look if you want."

On approaching the wooded river bank, we turned downriver a few yards and found ourselves in a hostile, tense neighborhood of beautiful Grosse Pointe-type waterfront homes. Residents were bravely but sourly carrying on. One could-be-attractive lady wasn't, however. She worked in her garden and gave us filthy looks. We hadn't yet seen the sign reading, "TMI Viewers Go Away!" We went away.

Many pleasure craft bobbed about in the channel separating TMI and the mainland. Some people we talked to were friendly and happy-go-lucky about the whole mess. Unintelligently unconcerned. Of course TMI t-shirts were available. Key chains, too.

There, looming high above TMI, were the two cooling towers for each unit, four in all — gigantic structures that dwarfed the two containment buildings. One, Unit 2, is crippled and full of radioactive materials. The other, Unit 1, is intact and ready to go — except the authorities (wisely?) won't license it.

A very impressive sight — but too distant. How could we get closer? Well, the answer proved easy. Like a hundred million Americans before us, we discovered the Pennsylvania Turnpike.

We got on at the left bank of the Susquehanna and, one exit later, got out on the right bank. A few miles on un-complicated roads and there we were at the bridge over the Susquehanna leading to TMI and the actual site of one of the most dreaded and important nuclear accidents since Einstein wrote his famous equation.

We were stopped by a young girl, a summer intern, I think, hardly older than a Girl Scout. She directed us a mile down the road to the TMI Visitors Center.

I wondered what that little girl would do if a terrorist convoy of explosive-laden trucks showed up. Could TMI be penetrated? Could Unit 2 Containment Building be opened up? If so, would nearby Washington and Baltimore have to be evacuated? Would the Phillies finish their season?

I don't know, but the place did not seem all that well protected. (Later, however, on our return to visit the island, we were met by an armed guard who may well have been the first link in an effective protective network).

At the Visitors Center we were cordially received along with a busload of other visitors, given lots of literature on how cheap, how safe, how necessary the nukes are to our society.

One piece called "Nuclear Energy is Safest" was written for the *Philadelphia Enquirer* on Feb. 24, 1982. Nick Thimmesch wrote about 15 inches of column, the thrust of which can be reduced to a few words: a hundred thousand people have been killed in coal mines in this century and only one nuke worker died — because of a fall, not radiation.

Certainly coal mining is a dangerous, unhealthy business. So is coal burning. But the potential for disaster is much greater for nuclear than for coal or other energy sources. One uncontained meltdown could spell mega-

disaster.

Further, says Thimmesch, it cost 2.3 cents to produce a kilowatt hour by nuclear, 2.5 cents by coal, and 5.4 cents by oil (1980 figures). Yes, but what about the eternal cost of storing nuclear waste forever? And what about the gigantic costs of clean-up after an accident?

It seems to me that with nuclear energy in trouble, coal and shale in trouble — acid rain, black lung, mining disasters, petroleum running out and the best and biggest offshore rig tipping over in a North Sea storm — we should actively seek every avenue of alternate energy sources and not cancel out the Energy Department and halt all alternate energy research. Brasil will soon utilize alcohol produced from sugar cane for most of its energy. Thimmesch better rethink his "Nuclear Energy is Safest" article.

Another piece of literature was "The Moral Implications of Energy" published by *The Monthly Review of Christian Thought*. Amongst a lot of arguments for nuclear energy contained in the booklet can be found this morsel: "Sure, for a few centuries our wastes from nuclear power will be very much more radioactive than their surroundings, but after some thousand years they will have decayed to a level comparable to natural radioactive ore bodies..."

Yes, but — assuming the nuclear industry continues and expands, there will be new and greater quantities of wastes added during each of those thousand years, making a never-ending, ever-increasing problem that present generations will bequeath to future generations.

This article, written by William Grosvenor Pollard, who is both a physicist and an Episcopal priest, further states that mankind has had to wait 2500 years since Genesis was written to achieve the mandate, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it." He further says, "Man has been fruitful and multiplied — and by the end of the century

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REFUGE REPORT

By Delano Pierce, manager
J.N. "Ding" Darling Wildlife Refuge

One of the most gratifying elements of administering the J.N. "Ding" Darling Refuge and its satellite refuges is witnessing the willingness of people to help us do a better job.

I have worked at a number of refuges but have never seen nor have I ever heard of anything approaching the generosity of local people in donating time, talent and money to refuge programs.

Mark "Bird" Westall has spent many days over the past two or three years doing osprey research on the refuge and in the vicinity. He has supplied us with a large quantity of valuable data and management recommendations that we could never have obtained under present funding and staffing conditions.

Joe McMurtry and Paul Brundage have donated a great deal of time manning our reception desk and have answered hundreds of questions from visitors asking about all aspects of the Island and the refuge. In addition, Joe has given freely of his time and expertise in helping us with our landscaping plans.

As a primary mover and shaker of the Refuge Advisory Committee, Dr. K.C. Emerson has not only done a considerable job in organizing and chairing this helpful committee but has purchased plants for the Visitor Center contact station landscaping, has been instrumental in obtaining other donations, has provided us with specimens for future exhibits and, I suspect, has helped us in a number of ways that we may not even know about.

Helen Webb, chairwoman of the Visitor

Center Station Landscaping Sub-committee, has spent a considerable amount of time organizing and guiding this portion of the Refuge Advisory Committee.

Dee Slinkard, on behalf of herself and the Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation, has donated her time and expertise in helping with landscaping plans and obtaining plants at below market rates.

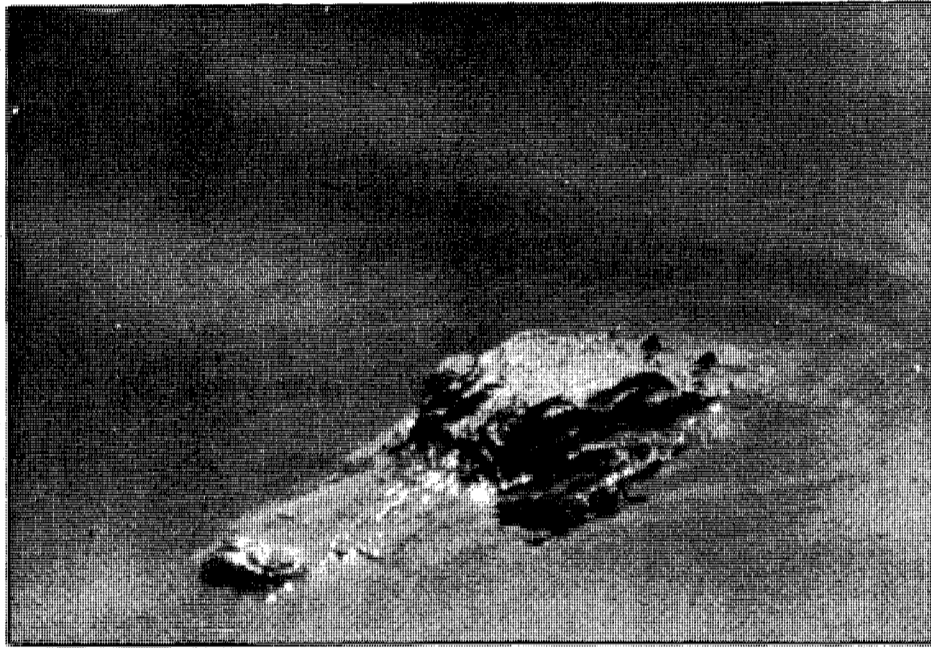
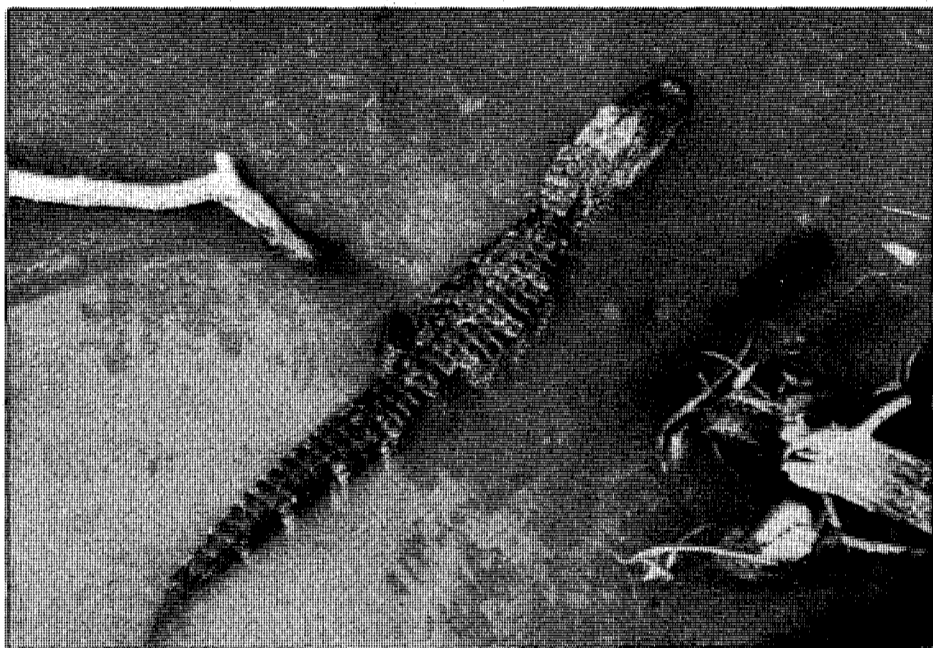
Charley and Ann Krausse, representing the Florida League of Anglers, collected in the neighborhood of \$200 from FLA members for purchasing plants for the Visitor Center Station. Charley has also been very helpful in assisting us with compiling a list of reference books for the refuge.

The interest and enthusiasm indicated by the above people, other members of the Refuge Advisory Committee and other citizens has played no small part in the

refuge being able to obtain \$2,000 of hard-to-come-by budget increases to be used for additional landscaping.

Two more volunteer employees of the refuge have not yet been able to do any actual work for the refuge, but we expect to use the contribution of their time in the near future. One is Paul Nichols, a professional photographer who has volunteered his time and equipment to help us update and improve the refuge slide files. The other, Tony Nugteren, is a graduate in marine biology who has volunteered to help us if we need work done on weekends.

This is only a partial list of people to whom the refuge owes special thanks. To avoid the risk of taking up too much space in the newspaper, we will continue the list in future Refuge Reports.



Three Mile Island continued

he will have just about filled the earth. Man is rapidly approaching the limits of both his fruitfulness and his dominion."

Pollard states that man has learned to "tap the universal energy source" (nuclear energy), and that this can be a curse (weaponry) or a blessing (power) that will affect all living things and the entire earth.

He argues that "the genie is out of the bottle" and can't be put back. This seems, unfortunately, to be so. Man has developed the "curse" side of nukes to a great and potentially terminal sophistication. Pollard argues that the "blessing" (power) side needs to catch up. Well maybe, but don't forget that spent fuel can be reprocessed into material needed to produce the "curse."

At the Visitors Center we viewed a neat 20-minute color film saying how the TMI accident happened and how it could never happen again because of all the new precautions and things they have done, like re-training the personnel, installing better valves, etc. The lovely narrator in the film was clear and concise and spoke with positive authority. I didn't believe her.

Then it was time to visit the observation deck where the two units and their massive cooling towers could be clearly seen. A dark mark on Unit 2 was identified as the site where the radioactivity had leaked out from the now-famous defective valve.

Then it was downstairs to the bus, passing a smiling picture of the company president whose demeanor seemed to say that he had not a care in the world. We all piled into the bus for the short trip to the actual site of the accident on TMI.

"Badge 558" was a forty-ish, stern-visaged, discourteous woman of angry mien who obviously did not like her job of "explaining" the TMI accident to her flock of visitors. Especially, Badge 558 didn't like me. I asked too many questions. Often the questions I asked had already been answered, but the public address system didn't work -- or Badge 558 didn't know how to make it work. As a result, what came out was unintelligible mush which always

required clarification.

We passed Unit 1 Containment Building -- the unharmed one -- and were told that it is completely separated from Unit 2. This was hard to believe because there was -- clearly visible -- a service building connecting the two containment buildings.

Then we drove around three sides of the Unit 2 Containment Building. Badge 558 pointed out that the "XQXXYZZ" door was closed. After repeated requests for an explanation she, in exasperation, shouted "MISSILE door!" No further explanation. Maybe it is made strong enough to withstand a missile? An Exocet maybe? Who knows? Badge 558 didn't explain.

She told us that clean-up was in the hands of the Bechtel Corporation and would cost \$1.5 billion. Later, back with her peers, she denied saying \$1.5 billion. After a confab among them, they came up with, variously, \$1 billion and \$1.034 billion. It's amazing how half a billion doesn't matter anymore. Probably Badge 558 will prove to be correct at \$1.5 billion what with cost overruns everywhere rampant these days.

On July 27 the Senate Environment and Public Works Committee, on a 10-6 vote, sent a proposal to the full Senate for consideration. This bill would require all the nation's utility customers to pay part of the clean-up cost at the crippled Unit 2 TMI plant! Does it make any sense that Florida power users -- or those in Alaska, Hawaii or Chicago -- should pay for an accident in Pennsylvania? I don't think so. This is the place where a \$100,000 fine was recently levied against the owners of TMI for allowing five operators to cheat on nuclear licensing examinations!

I mention only in passing that Bechtel is doing the clean-up job. I'm not one to worry about Habib's Bechtel connection, nor Schultz's possible Arab tilt. Even Caspar Weinberger is from the Bechtel family of companies.

I have admired the efficiency of Bechtel for many years, ever since a long-ago flight to Seoul with the elder Bechtel (during which we discussed everything from Asian affairs to Amerindians) and later attendance at a seminar in Seoul

which he largely dominated and which resulted in some measure, at least, in the successful industrial development of South Korea.

We visited an immense cooling tower. Actually we went inside it. Water trickles down peripheral baffles, evaporating and cooling. It rests in the relatively shallow pool at the bottom and, by convection, dues to the XX++Y&? shape of the gigantic structure, heat is lost through the updraft. After repeated questions, Badge 558 finally made herself clear -- hyperbolic shape. (See drawing).

Badge 558 was not the least civil when asked about the press reports extant during the last two weeks of July -- that the TV camera lowered into the Containment Building of Unit 2 produced inconclusive pictures, but that the problem is now believed to be more serious than earlier thought -- maybe even a meltdown had occurred.

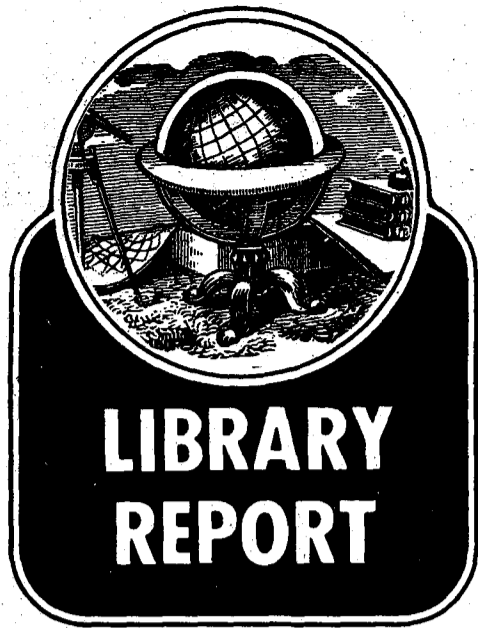
She virtually shouted that the news stories were not true -- lies really -- and no further discussion was encouraged at that point.

The TMI management is obviously spending a lot to try to educate the public to its point of view. What a pity that TMI management can't find a civil, intelligent, clear speaker to replace Badge 558. I've known Intourist Guides of much higher caliber.

The whole experience was disturbing. I felt cheated. We had been served an unintelligible mish-mash of distorted, biased information.

We had gone there with open minds to learn -- to try to understand the values and threats of nuclear power. After all, we who live here on Sanibel are only about 150 miles away from Turkey Point and the same from Crystal River nuclear plants. And there is talk of building the biggest plant of all at Arcadia. So our concern and interest were relevant. A pity that the visit was a failure.

Maybe we will have better luck on the next venture. In a few weeks we plan to have a look at what's going on at Love Canal.



LIBRARY REPORT

By Beth Manning, librarian
Sanibel Public Library

Our many patrons who enjoy reading detective stories will be happy to hear that the library received 13 brand new mysteries last week.

One gem is the popular Ursula Curtiss's latest, *Dog in the Manger*. Wealthy Charlotte Ivy's relatives, unaware that their elderly aunt has purchased a hearing aid, let insulting, critical remarks flow freely. This causes Charlotte to change her will in favor of her dog, Roger, and Roger's appointed

guardian, Charlotte's dowdy distant cousin, Hattie.

A nice income is guaranteed to Hattie for Roger's lifetime, and funds are set aside for investigation should Roger meet with an untimely death. This clause brings some comfort to Hattie, whose concern for Roger grows, first when Roger escapes from his run and later when he comes down with a sudden ailment.

Fortunately, there is a good 24-hour emergency animal clinic in Hattie's small town. But the clinic is having problems of its own. Young Deborah Kingsley, a serious veterinary student and part-time worker at the clinic, was murdered during the night shift when she went to answer the door to greet a customer.

When notified of her co-worker's sad fate, Belinda Grace, who left the clinic shortly before the murder, has reason to believe the shots were meant for her (she left Boston to work at the clinic in order to escape the attentions of a deranged suitor who cannot accept Belinda's lack of interest in him).

Convinced that she was the intended victim, Belinda sets out to help Lt. Hallam solve the crime. Hallam believes the murder was done by a psychopathic dog owner who was dissatisfied with the clinic.

Belinda's suspenseful search leads her to one of Charlotte Ivy's nephews and eventually to Hattie and Roger. This short, fast-moving tale with its tidy solution will en-

ertain most mystery fans and should particularly appeal to dog fanciers.

The ever-popular English village is the setting for Elizabeth Lemarchand's *Troubled Waters*, which brings back her popular detectives from Scotland Yard, Tom Pollard and Gregory Toye.

The Saint's Day for the little town of Woodcombe had been quite eventful by noon. First, several football fans were arrested before dawn following a drunken spree that resulted in the tearing down of fishing signs and the breaking of windows.

Then the morning saw Mr. Kenway-Potter, the Lord of Woodcombe Manor, win a lawsuit filed against him by Leonard Bolling, who claimed that the Manor's fishing parties were too noisy.

The talk was buzzing at the Green Man Pub, and young American Edward Tuke was thoroughly enjoying this sampling of local color; his interest continued when old Mrs. Rawlings, the area folklore expert, told him about "Old Grim," the huge stone erected in the Bronze Age and so named because it supposedly took on the face of the Devil.

Tuke, who had come to Woodcombe to have his ancestry traced, decided to visit the site of Old Grim after his meeting with the local geneologist; on his return to town he met with a fatal accident because the warning signs concerning a broken bridge had been removed.

At first the football fans were blamed for

the misplaced signs, but further investigation following some anonymous letters proved this untrue.

The case was reopened with another murder soon to follow and a previous one brought back for reinvestigation. Detectives Pollard and Toye were called in to solve one of their most baffling cases.

Those who wish to capture the flavor of the English countryside will enjoy Lemarchand's descriptions of the setting and her strange assortment of characters who make up the list of suspects.

Other mysteries received this week include: *Skeletons in the Closet* by Elizabeth Linington (a.k.a. Del Shannon); *Uncoffin'd Clay* by Gladys Mitchell; *The Chrysanthemum Chair* by James Melville; *Ask the Cards a Question* by Marcia Muller; *Pel and the Faceless Corpse* by Mark Begden; *A Rush on the Ultimate* by H.R.F. Keating; *Resume for Murder* by Claire McCormick; *The Power of Nothingness* by Alexandra David-Neel; *A Piece of the Silence* by Jack Livingston; *Spence at Marlby Manor* by Michael Allen; and *End Game* by Michael Gilbert.

There should be something to suit the tastes of every mystery fan.

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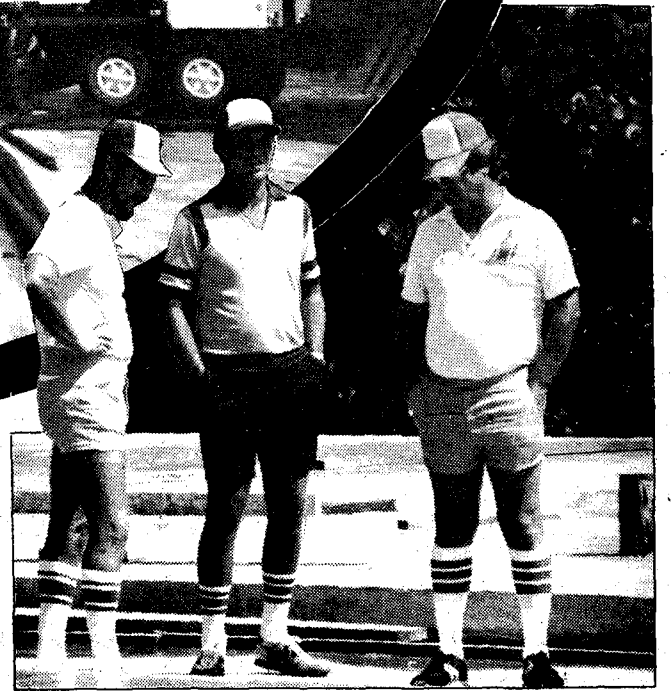


ISLANDER SPORTS

History in the making



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It's the sounds of history in the making: cranes lifting, concrete pouring, sledge hammers pounding and men working hard in the hot sun.

But these sounds soon will be replaced by more pleasant sounds such as basketballs thumping and gymnasts rolling and tumbling to the cheers of spectators.

It is both the end and the beginning that you hear around the municipal swimming pool these days - the end of the construction phase of the Sanibel Recreation Complex Gymnasium, and the beginning of the future of Island sports.

But there is yet another beginning. One in which you can play a major role.

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What with the wonder and spectacle 20-ton slabs of concrete measuring 20' x 24' being raised virtually overnight, it's perhaps predictable that we could lose sight of the need to pay for all these beginnings and ends.

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TALKIN' SPORTS

By Allen Rainwater

You see, one true theme that rings out clear in all Island sports is the financial support sports have always received. The community built the swimming pool; so must it build the gym.

And who is this community? It is us, any and all who can see fit to invest tax deductible dollars for a futures commodity whose profit potential is immeasurable,

especially when the profit pays dividends in the form of the athletic development of Island youth.

We've got potential Olympian swimmers this very instant whose futures are all the better since we built the pool. Let's focus some of that same future preparedness on the sports - and potential Olympians - our very own gymnasium will afford us.

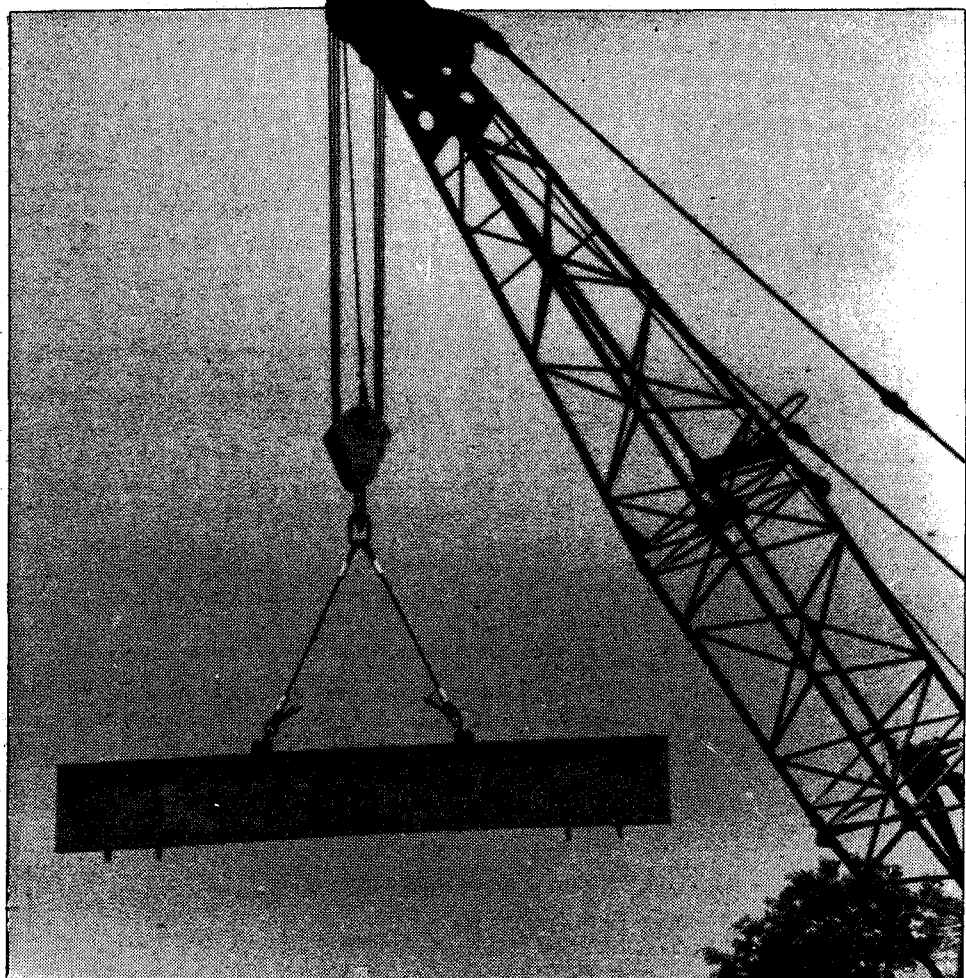
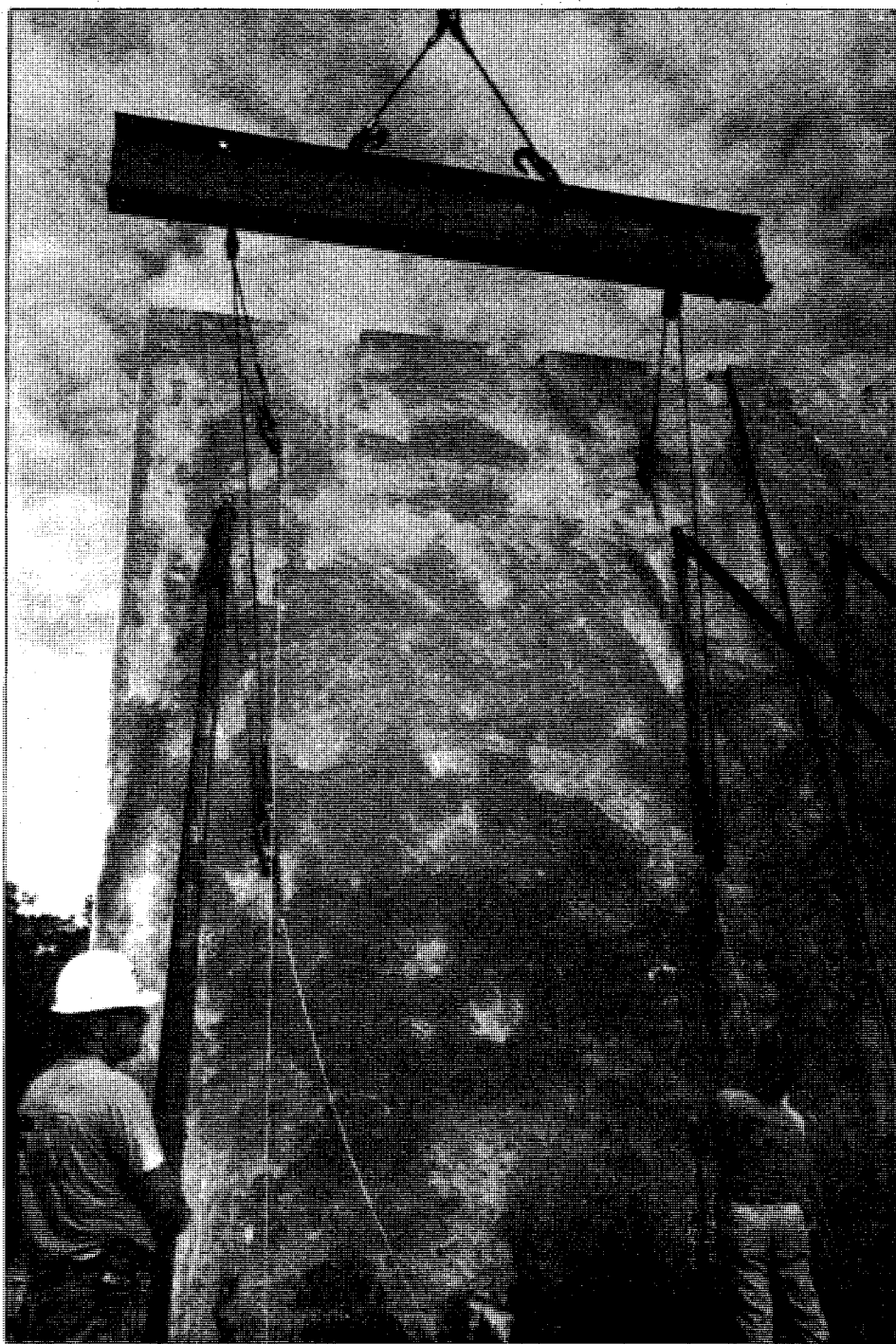
The final link, if you will, in this community effort is the City of Sanibel's pledge to match dollar contributions to the futures we address.

They're ready now. So must we be.

What we need to do is raise a considerable amount of money, and to this effect let it be known that on Oct. 1 the second phase of this financial project will officially begin.

But why wait? Thanks to a dedicated group of guarantors, the gym should be functional within a month. You have simply to send your tax deductible check made out to Sanibel Recreation Complex to the Bank of the Islands - and you become a small but essential part of the future.

Can you hear it?



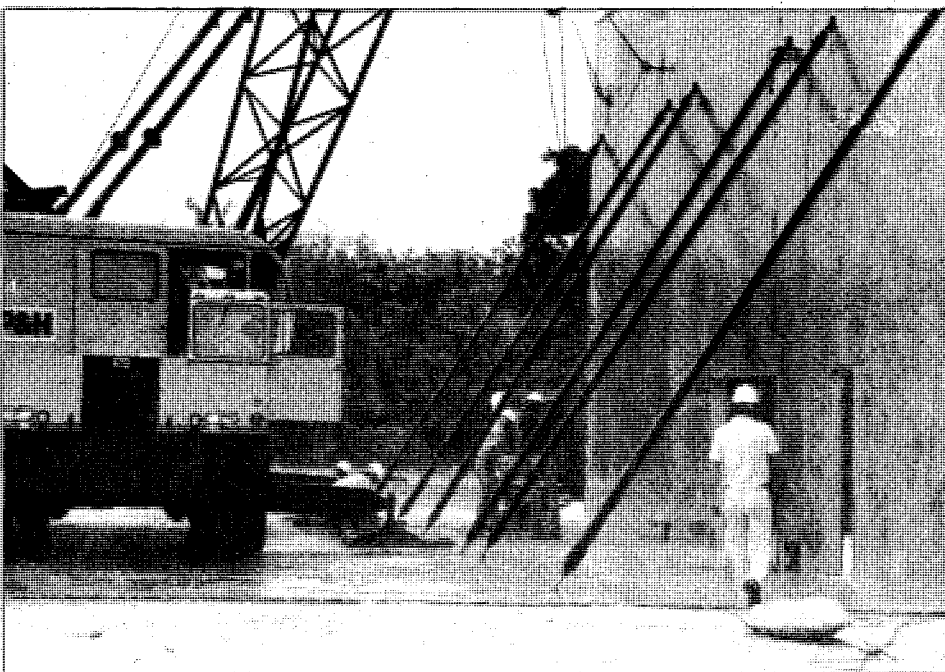
Extra! Extra! Gulf Coast Finals

Greater Lee County Y (GLCY), of which our very own Sanibel Water Attack Team is a member, scored an astounding first place victory in the Gulf Coast Qualifier held in Naples over the weekend.

SWAT members was not available, but SWAT coach Dick Noon said, "We won by the biggest point spread I've ever seen."

Read how Sanibel swimmers fared in the seasons big event in next week's Islander Sports.

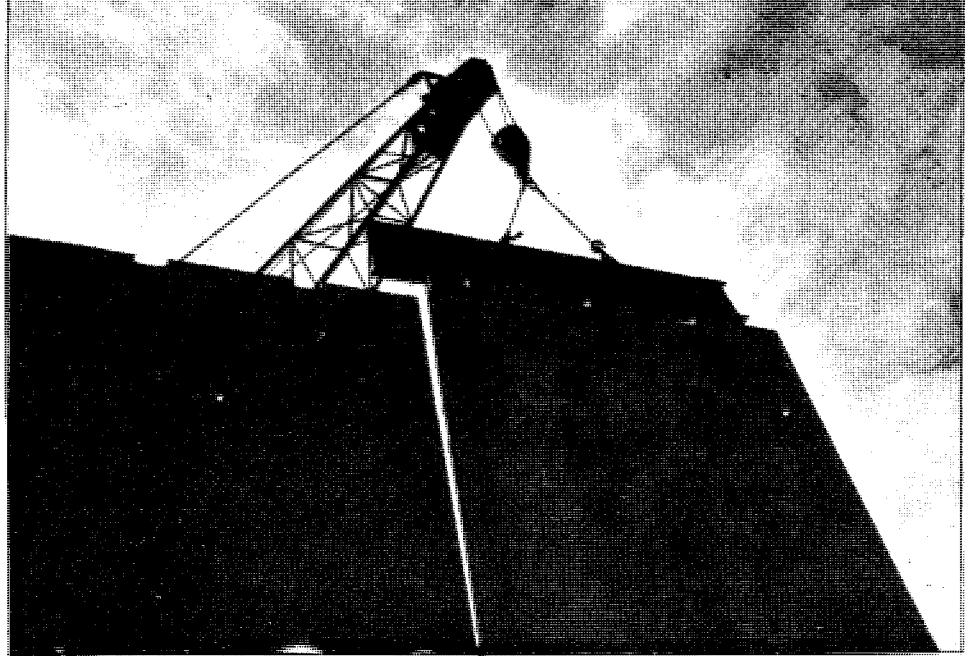
At press time the individual scores for



These are a few of the sights associated with the sounds of history in the making that Islanders have heard of late around the municipal swimming pool.

Many are thoroughly impressed with Finger Construction and the firm's rapid delivery of standing walls. And it won't be long now -- the gymnasium should be complete within the month.

You can help the cause by sending your tax deductible check made out to the Sanibel Recreation Complex to the Bank of the Islands. These walls must be paid for!



Photography
by David Meardon

Island softball

Women's standings

Women's Division	Won	Lost
Periwinkle Place Players	7	1
Sanibel Accommodations	4	3
Timbers	4	3
Baileys	0	6



Men's standings

Men's Division	Won	Lost
West Wind	13	1
Naumann	11	2
Mariner	7	6
Island Pizza	9	5
McT's	6	9
Sundial	1	11
Santiva Islanders	0	13

This week's games

Men

Tuesday, Aug. 24
 6:30 p.m. -- McT's vs. Naumann
 7:45 p.m. -- Santiva Islanders vs. Sundial

Thursday, Aug. 26
 6:30 p.m. -- Island Pizza vs. Mariner
 7:45 p.m. -- McT's vs. West Wind

Sunday, Aug. 29
 2:00 p.m. -- Naumann vs. Island Pizza
 3:15 p.m. -- Sundial vs. Mariner

Women

Sunday, Aug. 29
 2:30 p.m. -- Bailey's vs. Sanibel Accommodations
 4 p.m. -- Timbers vs. Periwinkle Place Players

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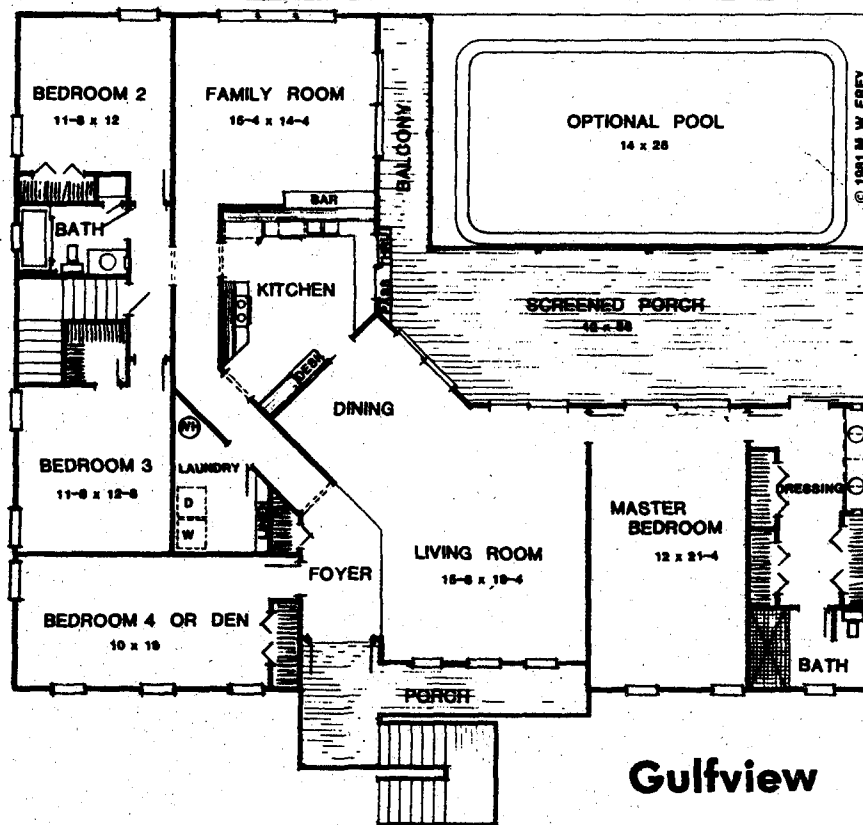


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Island golf

Beachview men

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Islander Sports quiz

Congratulations to 12-year old Scotch Peloso, Bette Lithgow, Matt Asen and St. Louis resident Elmer Smith for their correct answers to last week's Sports Quiz.

All four big winners correctly identified Brazilian soccer star Edson do Nascimento as Pele.

Now try this one:

What is the height (in feet) of the crossbar on a football goal post? (Hint: It is the same height as the rim in basketball).

Call The Islander, 472-5185, with your answer. If you're correct we'll print your name in next week's edition.

Good luck!



Sanibel's Mike Bradley carried away the bulk of the hardware at Sunday's Ninth Annual Southwest Florida Junior Golf Association Awards Banquet at the Cape Coral Country Club. Bradley, who recently placed second in the prestigious PGA Junior Championship at Palm Beach Gardens, won the Joe Reilly Memorial Trophy for the lowest average score (72.6), the Ken Joy Honorary Trophy for winning the final tournament of the SWFJGA circuit, and the Boys' Championship Flight Trophy.



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From Len Kessler

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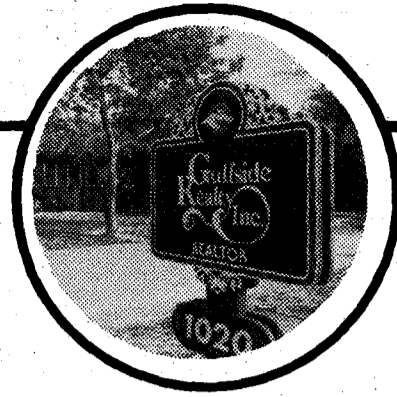
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Lions hear county road engineer at regular meeting

By D.E. Cooperrider

The regular meeting of the Sanibel-Captiva Lions Club was held at the Sanibel Community Association on Aug. 18. Past President Bill Hatcher talked about Lionism and reminded members that October is membership month. Applications should be turned in as soon as possible.

President John Wilcox noted that the Southwest Florida Lions will meet at Cape Coral High School on Aug. 29 to plan and work on projects for the coming year.

Mike Carroll, superintendent of roads for Lee County, spoke on the county's road program and problem areas in the system.

He reported that the greatest problems are in financing. This has been shown in the need for non-ad valorem tax revenues (sales tax) as ordinary revenues should not be committed to this.

Carroll said Summerlin Road (869) should be completed by the end of this year. Roads leading to McGregor Boulevard will be reworked during 1983.

The county is concerned about evacuation in emergency situations with the two main problem areas being Weavers Corner in North Fort Myers and the College Parkway-McGregor Boulevard intersection, Carroll said.

The Cape Coral Bridge is in the planning stages of widening with an overpass at College and McGregor. Carroll said the County Commission feels state highways are a state responsibility. While Anderson Avenue in Fort Myers needs improvement, there is no state money available now, he explained. The question of the Cape Coral Bridge and the wishes of the people will be placed on the November ballot for a vote of the people affected.

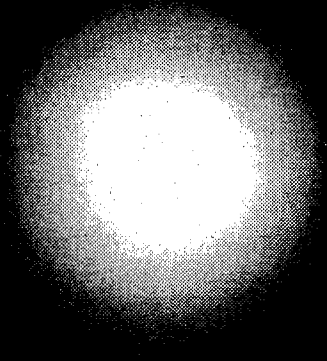
A bond issue is now under consideration for the reclassification of the roads and should cover a five-year period. If the voters vote this funding some other

method will have to be approved or the road system will really go down the drain.

There were questions on the mangroves and right-of-way from Shell Point Road to the toll booth and a suggestion of "stand-by" ferries in case a hurricane washes out the Causeway or bridges. Carroll said he would take that suggestions back to his department for discussion.

The next meeting of the Sanibel-Captiva Lions Club will be at the Community Association Building on Sept. 1.

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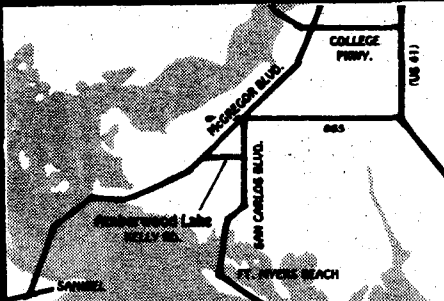


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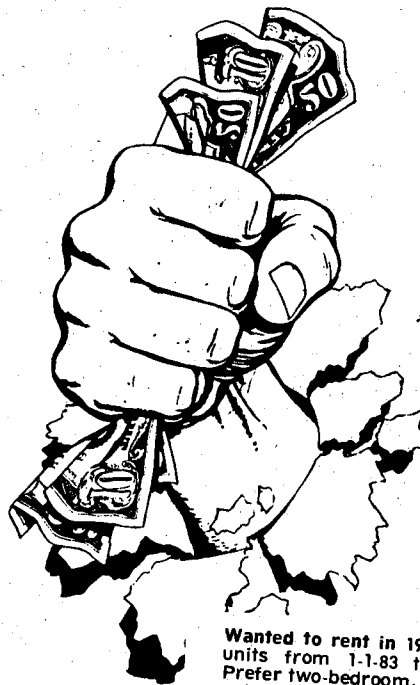
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COMING ATTRACTIONS

Plans made for Chili Festival at the Dunes

The first Suncoast Chili Festival will be held at The Dunes Country Club on Sunday, Sept. 12 from noon until 6 p.m.

Sponsored by the Sanibel-Captiva Kiwanis Club, the festival will follow the style of other Dunes events featuring entertainment, food and drink in the relaxed tropical setting.

Individuals attending the Suncoast Chili Festival will enjoy nonstop bluegrass music and tacos, chili dogs, margaritas and several kinds of chili and beer.

A highlight of the festival will be the District Chili Cook-Off Championship. The cook-off will begin at noon and will end with the selection of a Chili Head to represent the Suncoast in the State Chili Cook-Off in October. The state winner will go on to compete in international competition in California for a \$40,000 grand prize later this year.

For information about the cook-off call John Friedlund, 472-1537.

There will be a \$1 admission to the festival at the Dunes.

BIG Arts reminds craftsmen to prepare early for festival

Sanibel and Captiva craftsmen and craftswomen should begin preparation early for the Annual BIG Arts Craft Festival.

This year, as usual, the festival will take place under the big top at the Sanibel Community Association on the Saturday

after Thanksgiving, Nov. 27.

This year's co-chairpersons are Don Hays and Barbara Hill. Space is limited for this year's show, so make your reservations now.

Fire Department offers classes in CPR

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.

Intermediate, advanced workshops scheduled

The Lee County Dance Council announces a Young Professionals Dance Workshop planned for Aug. 28-29 at Studio Bochette in Fort Myers.

Intermediate and advanced classes in ballet, point, jazz, tap and modern dance

will be held from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 28, and from 9 a.m. to noon on Sunday, Aug. 29. A junior master ballet class for 10-13-year-olds will be held from 1:15 to 3 p.m. both days.

Registration will be \$8 per master class, \$15 for the half days and \$25 for full days. Priority will be given to those registering for the full day and a half.

For more information call 334-3274, 939-2080 or 939-2787.

Orchestra try-outs

Auditions for the Southwest Florida Symphony Orchestra and Chorus Association 1982-83 season will be held on Thursday and Friday, Sept. 2 and 3, beginning at 7 p.m. at the symphony office in downtown Fort Myers.

All interested persons should contact the office, 334-3256, during the week to arrange an audition time. All instrumentalists are eligible for auditions and can be placed on a reserve list and used as the need occurs.

Dance auditions

The Lee County Dance Council will hold auditions for the full-length production of "Coppelia" on Saturday, Sept. 4.

Auditions will begin at 9 a.m. in the dance council studio, 2265 Peck St., Fort Myers.

The ballet will be presented on Dec. 18 in Fort Myers.

NOW plans walk for equality

The Fort Myers chapter of the National Organization for Women invites all supporters of equality to the 10th Birthday Celebration and Annual Walkathon for Equality on Saturday, Aug. 28, at the Unitarian-Universalist Church in Fort Myers.

To commemorate the 10th birthday of the local chapter and the 63rd anniversary of the ratification of the 19th Amendment securing women's right to vote, everyone is invited to participate in this year's walkathon.

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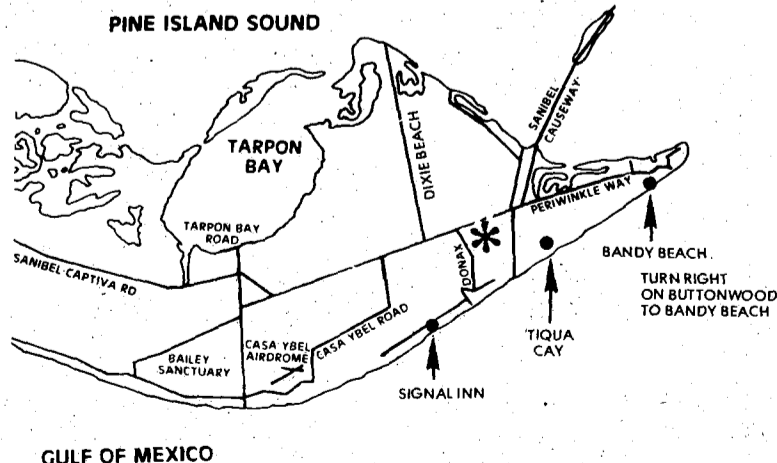
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Captivan John Oster awarded by shore and beach association

Captivan John Oster Jr. received the Florida Shore and Beach Preservation Association's Private Citizen Award for his contribution to the cause of beach preservation in Florida. The announcement was made last week.

The award will be presented to Oster at the association's 26th annual meeting Sept. 29 at South Seas Plantation on Captiva.

Association representatives cited Oster's work with the Captiva Erosion Prevention District and the Florida Shore and Beach Preservation Association as leading factors in his selection for the award.

His leadership and contributions to erosion control date back to the formation of Beach Aid, the precursor of the CEPD. In 1971 he was appointed to an advisory board as a liaison between the Captiva Civic Association and the CEPD. He was elected commissioner to the CEPD in 1978 and served in that capacity until earlier this year.

The Florida Shore and Beach Preservation Association was formed in 1957 and was instrumental in persuading the Florida Legislature to establish the state's first erosion control program that year.

Furcht named general manager at Sundial

The Sundial Beach and Tennis Resort last week announced the appointment of Michael Furcht as general manager.

Furcht comes to Sundial from the Bahama Princess, an 800-room resort in Freeport, Bahamas, where he was general manager. He also served on the team that opened Marco Beach Hotel on Marco Island.

He spent 11 years with the Hotel Corporation of America (currently Sonesta Hotels) and was assigned to their properties

in Boston, Mass., Annapolis, Md., Nassau, Bahamas; and Munich, Germany.

During eight years with Playboy Hotels he was general manager of that corporation's hotels in Chicago, Great Gorge, N.J., and Ochos Rios, Jamaica.

A native of Haifa, Israel, Furcht attended schools in that country and later specialized in hotel management at Boston University, Boston, Mass.

He and his wife, Brooke, live on Sanibel.

South Seas receives award for beach improvement project

South Seas Plantation received the first National Association of Counties Good Neighbor Award last week at the Lee County Commission regular meeting. The award was for the plantation's privately funded beach improvement project completed last fall.

Accepting the award were Allen Ten Broek, president of the Mariner Group, developer of South Seas, and Lee County Commissioner Harry Rodda, who submitted the South Seas nomination.

The award was initially presented to County Administrator Lavon Wisher and renourishment Project Director Dick Stevens at the NACO annual convention in July.

The entire funding for the beach renourishment project was provided by South Seas Plantation property owners for the first privately funded project of its type in the United States.

The \$3.6 million project replenished sand lost to erosion over the past 50 years, of-

fering protection of property during winter storms and hurricanes while enhancing recreational use of the beach.

By use of a hydraulic pipeline that stretched approximately 2,000 feet offshore and carried sand and shell dredged from the bottom of the Gulf of Mexico, about 10,000 feet of shoreline was built up and widened along South Seas' two miles of beach.

The Good Neighbor Award program is an annual recognition campaign sponsored by NACO to highlight outstanding cooperation

between public and private sectors.

The award was designed to express appreciation for corporations, local businesses, labor and related groups that help counties provide public service and to highlight outstanding programs so they can be repeated in other parts of the country.

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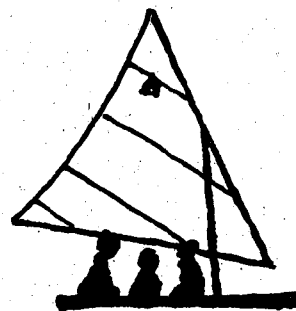
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SANIBEL-CAPTIVA CONSERVATION FOUNDATION
Sanibel-Captiva Road (472-2329)
Dedicated to the preservation of vegetation and wildlife on the islands. The foundation offers many exhibits and nature tours. Admission for non-members is 50 cents for children 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
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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.
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Griffing Bancroft
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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. Bartholomew
472-5277

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

Participants may also enjoy nature walks on barrier islands 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.

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

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

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

Dockmaster Dale Manor. Capts. Mike Fuery, Duke Sells, Jerry Way, Larry Gann for fishing, shelling and sightseeing trips.

Bait, tackle, gear. Tackle for rent. Boat rentals -- 15', 25 hp.

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 Comlosy.

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 Kennedy 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.

Capt. 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.

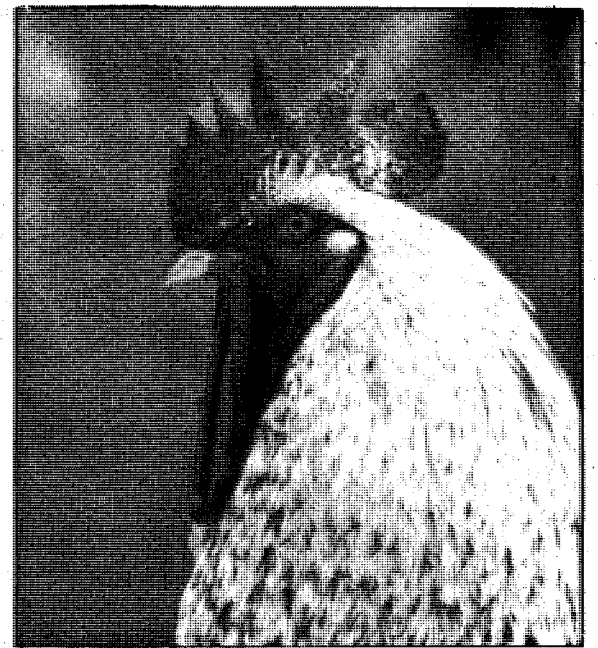
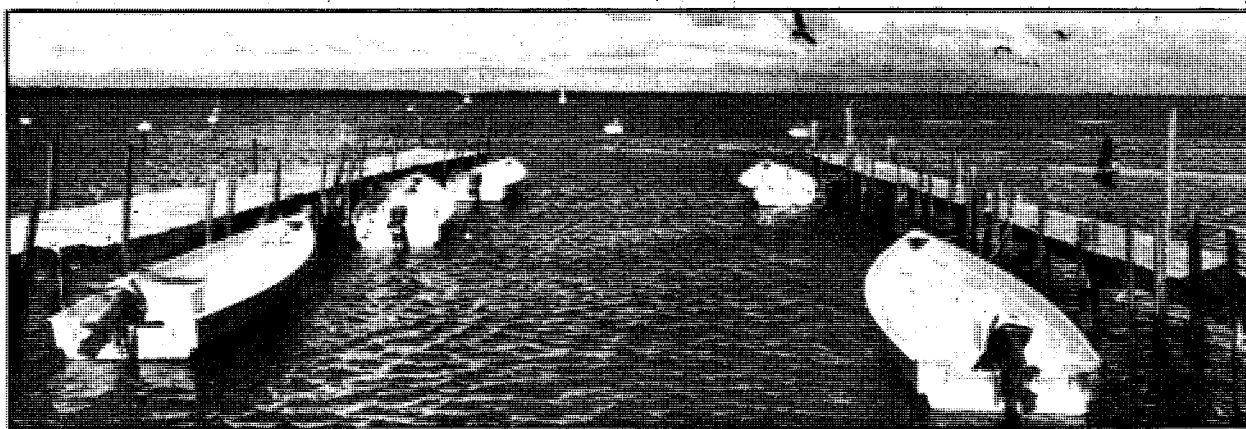
Bait, tackle, gear. Tackle for rent.

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

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472-4040
Intersection of Tarpon Bay and Palm Ridge roads. Open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., seven days.

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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 holds 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.

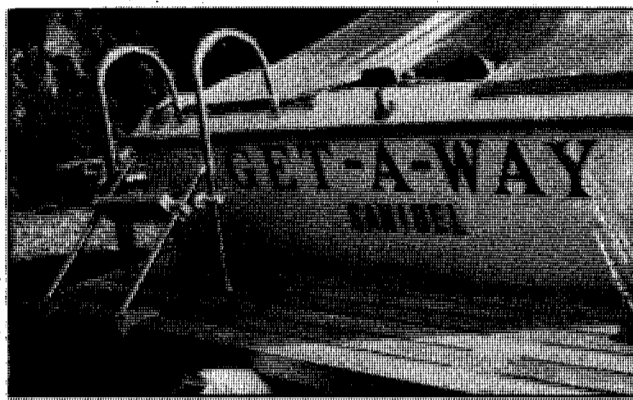
A left on Tarpon Bay Road takes the visitor past Sanibel's original schoolhouse, which now holds original island water-colors and woodcuts.

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. 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

Fishing, shelling, sailing, charters



Bait, tackle, gear

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

The Bait Box
1037 Periwinkle Way
472-1618
Also tackle rentals.

The Reel Eel
Sanibel Center Building
Periwinkle Way and Casa Ybel Road
472-2674
Charter Capt. R. Stewart South.
Also snorkeling equipment and beachwear. Fresh seafood available. Beer and wine.



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.

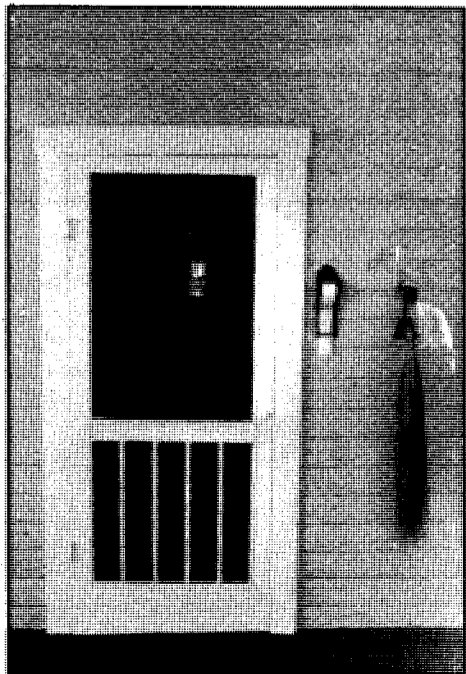
LaBelle Gallery, 1473-A Periwinkle Way (472-4461)
Original oil paintings, watercolors, metal and wood sculptures. A unique gift gallery features Bisque sculptures of limited editions and Daum Crystal. Hours, Tuesday-Sunday, 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and 5:30 to 10 p.m.

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. Open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. except Sunday and Wednesday.



Churches

St. Isabel's Catholic Church
Father Gerard Beauregard
Pastor
Father Louis Reczek
Assistant Pastor
3539 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 Stillson
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 472-3692

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.

St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church
The Rev. James D.S. Hubbs
Rector
Periwinkle Way
472-2173
472-3356 (Annex)

Sunday: Holy Eucharist, Rite 1, 7:30 a.m.
Holy Eucharist (morning prayer and church school), 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday: Holy Eucharist, 9 a.m.
Thursday: Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m.

Sanibel Community Church
The Rev. Bruce E. Milligan
Pastor
1740 Periwinkle Way
472-2684

Sunday Worship Service 10 a.m. Nursery available during services. Friendship hour follows the service.
Church School for grades 1-3 meets at 10:15 a.m.

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.

Post offices

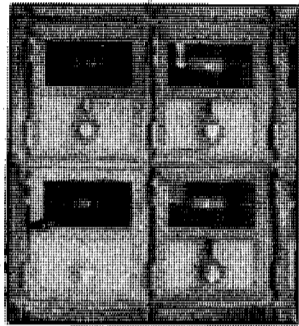
Sanibel - Turn right off Periwinkle Way onto Tarpon Bay Road.

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Captiva - Corner of Captiva Road and Wiles Drive.

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Wynion Union
Wynion'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.



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.

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American Business Women's Association
Meets the second Thursday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at the Dunes Country 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
Executive Board meeting will be held Aug. 11 beginning at 9 a.m. at the Dunes Country Club. Regular luncheon meetings will be held on the second Wednesday of each month at the country club.

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.

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.

Murex 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.

American Business Women's Association
Meets the second Thursday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at the Dunes Country Club. Barbara Boulton, hospitality chairman, 472-1039. Please make reservations in advance.

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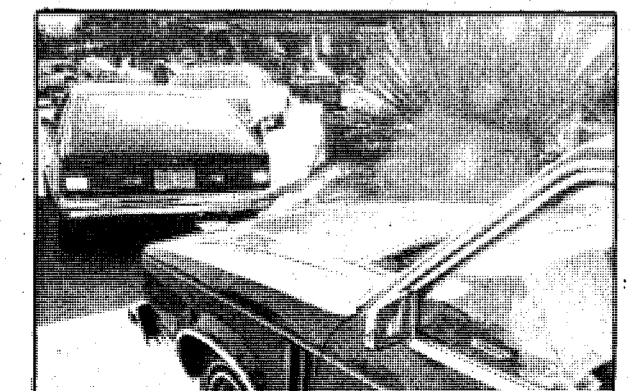
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The Grog Shop
Near Bailey's General Store in the Island Shopping Center, Periwinkle Way (472-1682)
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The General Store at South Seas Plantation
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Good things to know

Help!

Emergency Numbers

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

Non-emergency phone 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 Street -- 472-2483.
 Open 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. daily except Sunday. Wednesday from 7 to 9 p.m. for the summer.
 The library will be closed for inventory and vacation from Sept. 19 to Oct. 3.
Chapin and Wiles, Captiva
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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

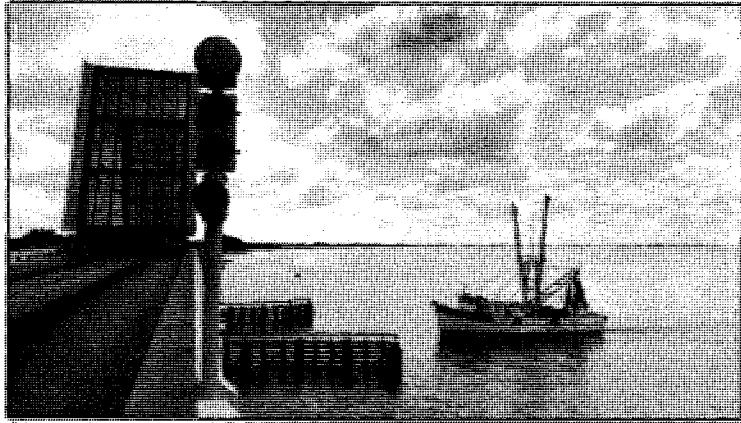
The city's resolution limiting the taking of live shells to two live shells per species per person is one to be scrupulously obeyed. As a matter of fact, in order to preserve Sanibel's beautiful shelling beaches, most collectors refuse to take any live shells whatsoever.

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Neighborhood help for Islanders in need of transportation, regular phone checks and assorted non-emergency neighborhood 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.



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 accommodations 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 excitable or unruly animal is better off when controlled with a leash.

BICYCLING

If you aren't used to a lot of bicycle traffic, watch out on Sanibel. The extensive network of bike paths on the island is clearly marked along the edge of the road. Observe caution when driving near the bike path. A state law and city ordinance combine to prohibit parking or driving on the bike path. Mopeds are not permitted on the bike paths. If you plan to spend some time on a bike to enjoy the Island sun and sights, make sure your vehicle is equipped with a bike flag, horn, good brakes and a light for night riding. Under Florida law, bicycle riders have the same rights and responsibilities as motor vehicle drivers. Drive safely!

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Turner Beach
 At Blind Pass between Sanibel and Captiva.
Causeway
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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.

First Federal Savings and Loan
 Corner of Palm Ridge Road and Florence
 472-1537
 Hours: Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Closed weekends.

Gulf Coast First National Bank
 Sanibel-Captiva Road and Andy Rosse Lane
 Captiva
 472-6666
 Hours: Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Closed weekends.



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 approved cooking container (not to exceed 48x24x12 inches deep) with an extruded metal grill for

non-commercial food preparation. This type of container 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.

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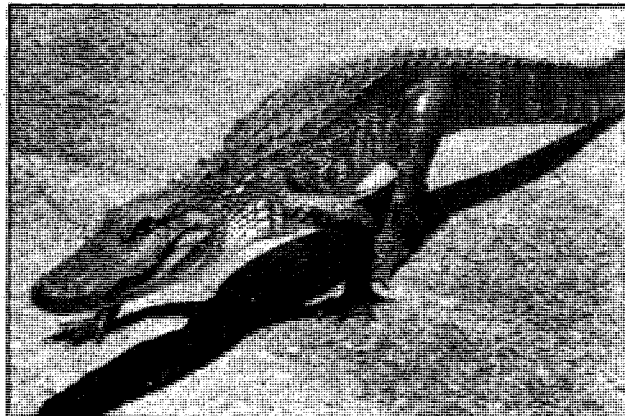
While no license is required for saltwater fishing, fishing in freshwater ponds or the Sanibel River requires a Florida fishing license. Licenses are available at Bailey's General Store on Periwinkle Way. The fee is \$6.50 for residents and \$10.50 for non-residents. Minimum Legal Lengths Blue Fish 10 inches

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 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.



GATORS

Feeding alligators anywhere within the Sanibel city limits is not only illegal, but can be extremely 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 permitted to run free on Sanibel.

Fence them, walk them on a leash or, if you must free your dog for a walk, keep him under voice control. Never tie your dog in an unfenced backyard. For help with a nuisance alligator, call the following representatives of the Southwest Florida Alligator Association. They are licensed and have permits to legally handle gators: George Campbell, 472-2825; Steve Phillips, 472-2329; Mark Westfall, 472-5128.

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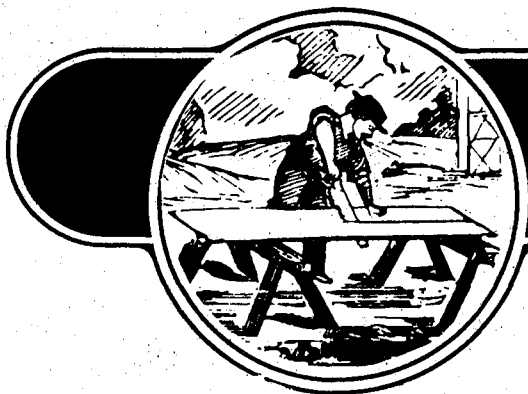
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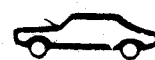
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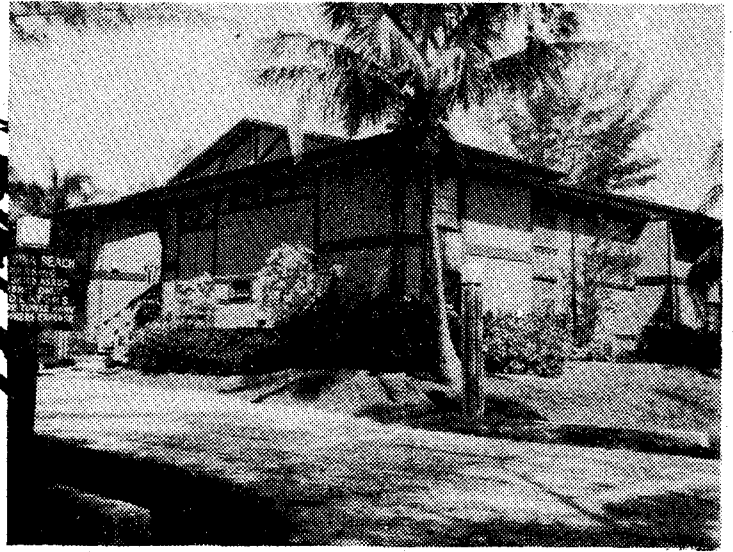
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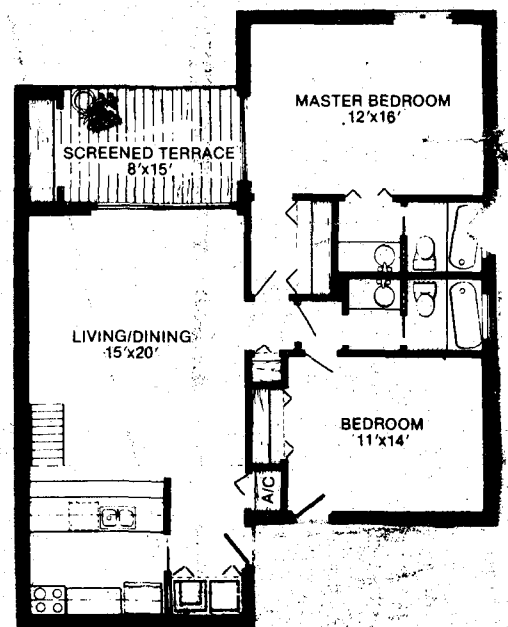
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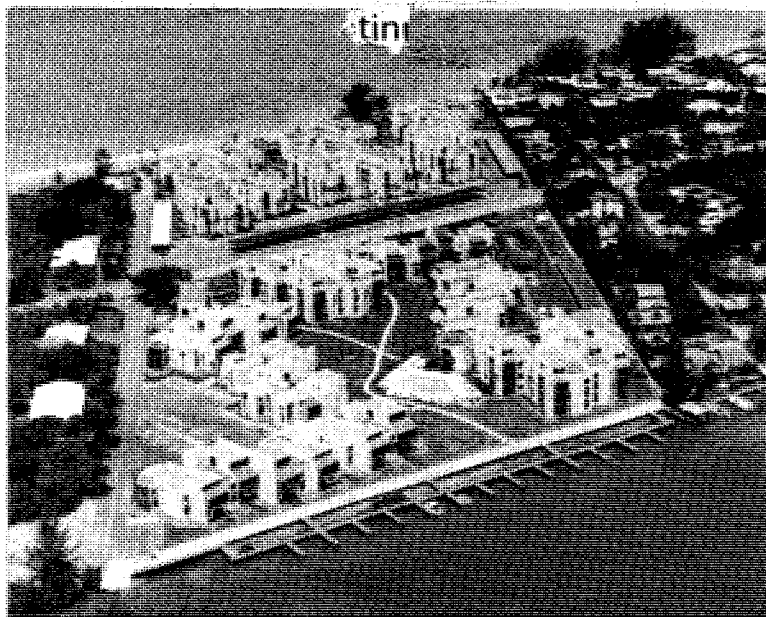
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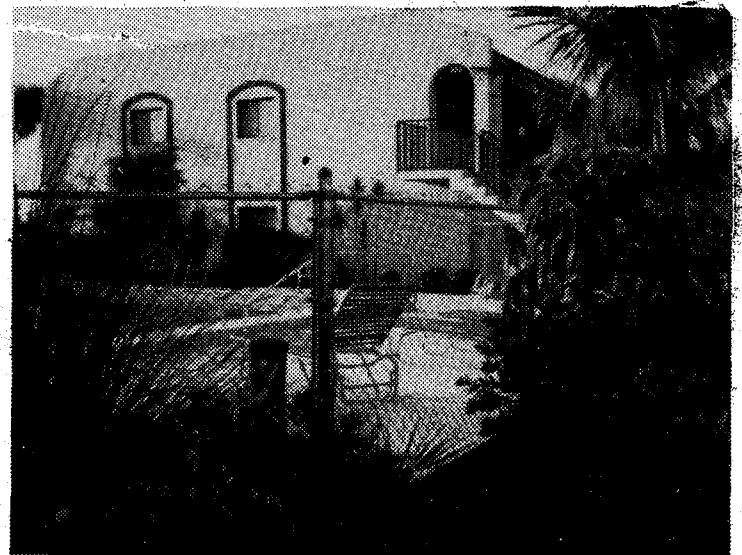
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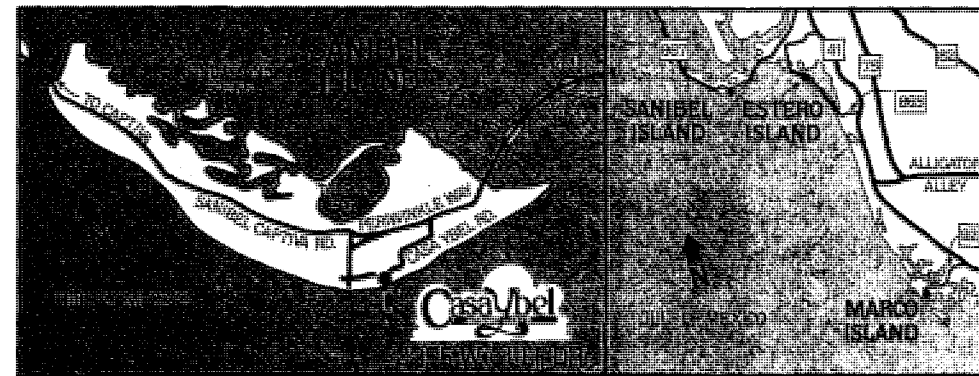
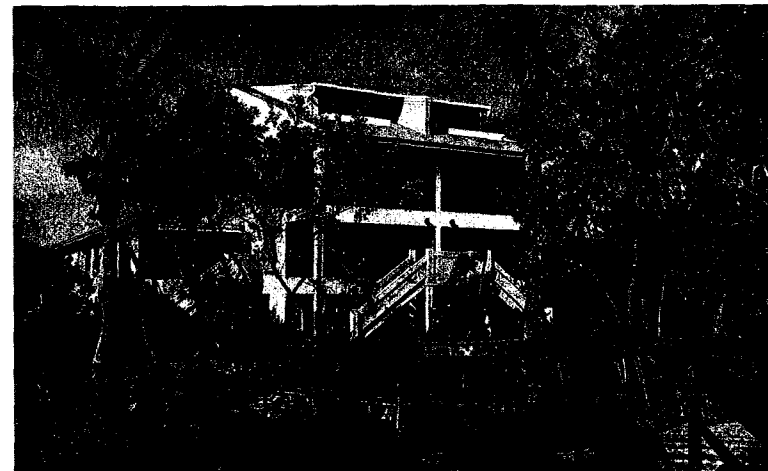
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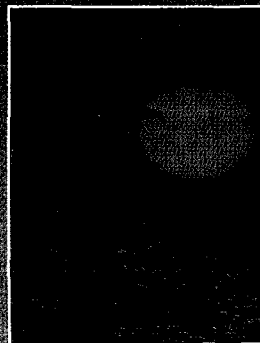
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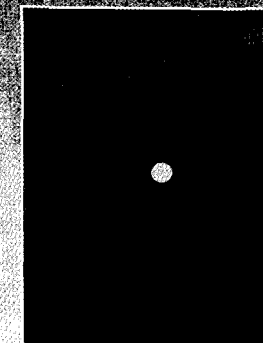
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