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Aug. 30	86	73	t
Aug. 31	94	72	t
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Sept. 5	87	67	0.2

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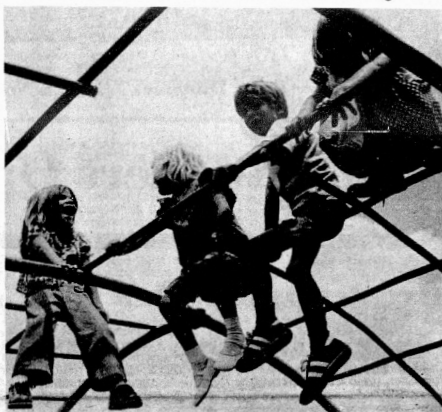
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Wheeeee! Sliding Into School Days



Recess Is Fun

Cheron Page proves first grade can be fun on the Hopewell School playground as she tries out one of the slides. Meanwhile, Robbie, Kim, Jeff and Rene have found a perch atop a modern version of monkey bars. No doubt about it, recess is the best part of a school day. *Snaphoto by Bruce Henderson*

HGH, Walker Both Denied

BY GEORGE DUNCAN

The state office of Community Medical Facilities has turned down applications from both Walker Memorial Hospital and Highlands General Hospital for additional beds.

Walker had asked to establish a satellite hospital in Lake Placid, while Highlands General had requested permission for a 32-bed addition.

"For the time being the staff and I are not approving the applications," said Art Forehand, the administrator and the state agency.

Forehand said the occupancy rates in both hospitals did not justify increasing the number of beds now.

"The utilization of the existing facilities did not show the need for any additional facilities at this time," said Forehand.

Forehand said the fact that neither facility needed extra beds at this time was the major factor in the denial of the applications.

"I also used my staff report, all the facts and figures available, the distances of driving time and other data. But the less than complete utilization of facilities was the major factor," he said.

The denial by the state will mean both hospitals will have to wait a year until they can reapply for the additional beds.

The only exception to a year's wait, according to Forehand, is if there is "sufficient change to warrant acceptance", of another application.

The local advisory council recom-

mented 25-6 that the Lake Placid extension approved. However the regional advisory council narrowly approved the 32 bed addition for Highlands General and voted against the Lake Placid addition by Walker Memorial.

"It's seldom we deny them (the recommendations). Most of the time over 90 percent of the recommendations go through. However, in this case, we do not feel it's time to approve something," Forehand said.

John McClelland, administrator of Walker Memorial, said he expected the denial.

"I sort of expected it. There's not much to say. It's disappointing for the people in Lake Placid. There are still going to have to drive 15 to 25 miles to a hospital," he said.

Brian Bogert, the administrator of Highlands General, said "We knew both our plans and Walker's would be carefully reviewed...however I'm not sure we weren't looking at different guidelines than the state."

Bogert said he thought there might have been some confusion in the "immediate" need for 50 beds. He said he thought the state plan called for an additional 50 beds in the five-year period from 1977-82.

"We may have been looking at different guidelines," he said. "But the project review was fair."

Bogert said HGH would probably consider reapplying for the addition of beds as soon as it could, but a definite decision could not yet be made.

Mediator Enters Teacher Dispute

BY BRUCE HENDERSON

A federal mediator will bring teacher and school board negotiators together next Tuesday in an attempt to bridge what teachers say is a seven percent gap between the pay raise they have requested and the school board's last offer.

The gap amounts to over \$300,000, according to classroom Teachers Association negotiator Chet Brojek, a teacher at Avon Park High School.

A 12 percent salary hike was the teachers' original request — 12 percent above the automatic raise given yearly for experience within the system. Brojek

said the teachers' group had offered to lower that demand to 10 percent.

The school board's last offer before negotiations broke down last month was five percent, including the yearly experience increment, a sum which would amount to "three percent or less" after deducting the increment, according to Brojek.

Base pay for new teachers in the Highlands County system is \$8,800, which increases to a maximum of \$13,400 for teachers with a bachelor's degree who have been here long enough.

The average salary earned by Highlands County teachers is \$11,700,

according to county budget figures.

Under the school board's offer, the starting salary would increase to about \$9,000, with the maximum increasing to about \$13,700, Brojek said.

The teachers' requested raise would increase the base salary to \$9,600, he said, with the maximum increasing to about \$14,700.

Brojek commented the teachers' request was not out of line with surrounding counties, using an offer made by the Polk County School Board but turned down by teachers as an example.

The Polk County proposal would have

raised the salary scale there to a base of \$9,400 and a maximum of about \$14,500.

"If our board had offered that kind of salary, we might have been in the mood to give it serious consideration," he said.

Even though salary increases are up for negotiation, Brojek said, teachers here are working under the terms of a two-year contract which still has a year to go. Only wages are subject to discussion this year, he explained, although the school board also opened up the subject of working hours and lunch periods.

He said the board and union have

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Hospital Budget Tops \$4.7 Million

The fiscal 1978-79 budget for Highlands General Hospital is close to \$4.7 million but revenues generated by the hospital will allow HGH to net a \$48,394 gain during the coming year.

If all goes well and according to budget, hospital trustees are quick to point out.

Hospital revenues for the year will total \$4,746,800, over \$48,000 what expenditures are expected to run.

Approximately 20 percent of the expenditures are for administrative

services. Administration, personnel, purchasing, nursing service administration and the business office totals \$97,210.

Patient care is the highest expenditure for HGH with over \$2.8 million being devoted to the needs and services of patients.

Routine and ancillary services account for the \$5.9 million in revenue but, of that total almost \$1.3 million is lost due to bad debts and medicare adjustments.

Medicare adjustments account for \$861,000 which must be deducted from revenue while the provisions for bad debts account for another \$373,000. The rest of the \$1.3 million lost is due to charity write offs, and contractual adjustments for medical.

Routine services are basically room rates, including the pediatrics ward and the Intensive Care Unit while Ancillary services are therapeutic and diagnostic services performed for the patient.

The bulk of the rest of the operating revenue, amounting \$108,000, comes from the cafeteria (\$31,200) and the recovery of bad debts (\$44,000).

The largest single expenditure under patient care is the M & S Nursing & Pediatrics costs which run approximately \$944,000. Dietary costs are approximately \$328,000, operating room costs run just over \$321,000 while maintenance expenses run approximately \$297,000.



NEW CHAMBER OF Commerce Directors, Charles Collins (left) and Virgil McInvalne (right) glance over the

"out of state" guest book with Anna Belle Worden, executive manager of the local chamber office. *Snaphoto by Lew Miller*

New Chamber Of Commerce Directors Picked

It was announced by Anna Belle Worden, Executive Manager of the local Chamber of Commerce that Charlie Collins and Virgil McInvalne were recently appointed to serve on the Avon Park Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, to fill vacancies on the board.

Charlie Collins is the General Manager of Wards Nursery, Inc. and has

been active in civic and church work for a number of years.

Virgil McInvalne a hometown boy associated with Rich's Hardware is the youngest Director ever to be elected or appointed on the Chamber Board. He has served on the Chamber Merchants Committee and was a "Spark Plug" on the Sidewalk Sales Days.

40% Expected To Vote In County Tuesday

While statewide estimates place the final vote total at 30 to 35 percent of the registered voters in the state, County Supervisor of Elections Jimmy Whitehouse hopes for a 40 percent turnout in Highlands County.

Whitehouse notes the turnout in this county has usually been larger than the statewide turnout.

In this election voters have a wide variety of both state and local candidates to choose from, with the gubernatorial election heading the list and the ballot sheet.

Nine Democrats and two Republicans are vying for the nomination of their respective parties. However, even with 11 candidates in all, the election hasn't generated much excitement.

In the Democratic field, the front runners are Attorney General Robert Shevin, former Secretary of State Bruce Snodgrass, State Senator Bob Graham and Lt. Gov. Jim Williams.

Shevin is being conceded one top spot in the Democratic primary but there is certain to be a runoff with one of the other three top contenders.

All cabinet positions are up for election this year with only two incumbents, Controller Gerald Lewis and Insurance Commissioner Bill Gunter, running for re-election. Both are thought to be strong enough to retain their posts.

Commissioner of Agriculture Doyle Conner is also up for re-election but has no opposition.

Locally, the retirement of Senator Tom Galien leaves Highlands County with a chance to pick his successor, Democratic Pat Neal of Manatee County is running as is Andy Jackson of this county.

The various races for state representatives vary depending on which part of the county a resident is living in.

County-wide, incumbent county commissioner "Buddy" Wise faces a challenge from Bill Driggers. Both men live in Lake Placid. In the District 4 county commission race Norman "Jug" Heston, an eight year incumbent, faces the challenge of Oscar Laye. Heston is from Sebring while Laye is from Avon Park.

Only one school board race is being contested, with Mrs. Marguerite Skipper,

Robert Fitzgerald, Selvin McGahee and Robert Hjort campaigning for the spot.

Precincts in the county are; precinct one, Winter Guest Club in Avon Park; precinct two, county building on South Lake Avenue in Avon Park; precinct three, county building in front of motor vehicle inspection station on truck route in Avon Park; precinct four, Shrine Club on State Road 17 north of Sebring; precinct five, Sebring Hills Clubhouse; precinct six, mobile unit located at Triangle Restaurant; precinct seven, Teen building on corner of Kenilworth and Roseland; precinct eight, Sebring

Tourist Club; precinct nine, Teen building on Highlands Avenue, Sebring; precinct ten, American Legion building on North Pine Street, Sebring; precinct eleven, old city hall in Desota City; precinct 12, school house on U.S. 90 in Florida; precinct 13, Creek building in Lake Placid; precinct 14, county building in Venus; precinct 15, Agri-Civic center U.S. 27 south; precinct 16, Avon Park Lakes Clubhouse; precinct 17, Jaycee building on state road 17; precinct 18, mobile unit at Kissimmee River Fishing Resort; precinct 19, Sun and Lakes Country Club in Lake Placid.

Viewpoint/Commentary

Edward Carter, Publisher - Lewis Miller, Editor

Right Decision Made In Hospital Hassle

The decision the state Office of Community Medical Services to delay any decisions regarding the disposition of extra hospital beds in Highlands County is very likely the best decision which could have come out of Tallahassee.

The procession of events leading to the decision is now well known.

There were two different applications which began the race to Tallahassee from Highlands County.

First, Walker Memorial Hospital filed an application asking for permission to begin building a satellite facility in Lake Placid which would serve residents in the south end of the county.

Highlands General Hospital also filed a petition asking for a 32-bed addition to the Sebring located facility.

At the local advisory committee meeting, the vote was 25-0 to approve the Walker Memorial petition. The vote was 14-1 against the Highlands General Hospital application.

At the regional level, a sub-committee of the South Central Florida Health Services Council reviewed both applications and came out firmly for Highlands General. They also came out firmly against good logic.

Although the members of the sub-committee might have had solid and valid reasons for voting against the Lake Placid satellite, no one could have discerned such solid thinking by the statements of the subcommittee members.

Two reasons gave by subcommittee members for favoring the 32-bed addition at Sebring were a non-existent federal guideline and an outright denial, in spite of several population projections, of the steady growth of residents in the southern part of the county.

Besides the Twilight Zone thinking of some of the regional committee's members, there were two other problems which hampered both projects.

It was unfortunate that two hospitals in the same county had to vie for the same 50 beds. This is a type of situation which easily leads to ill feelings and bitterness on both sides.

Second, the voting tallies of both local and regional members which, perhaps could not be avoided, made the projects sound like they were part of a football game instead of a health project correlated to the needs of Highlands County citizens.

A scorer may be needed in baseball or football but such an activity trivializes the vital importance of hospital care and needs.

Finally, the full regional committee gave its blessing, by one vote, to the Highlands General Hospital project and rejected the Lake Placid satellite, also by one vote.

At the time the Sun had several major reservations about the wisdom of the regional council's decision.

The council decided to give Highlands General another 32 beds when the staff report showed the average occupancy rate at the Sebring hospital was only 72 percent.

Even in peak months the highest the

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occupancy rate ran was 90 percent. So even in the one month it was at its highest occupancy rate, Highlands General still had eight free beds.

Officials of Highlands General have disputed the figures in the report. However, Staff Director Dan Edgar, who prepared both the report on Highlands General and the report on Walker Memorial has constantly backed his figures.

We also found Edgar's conclusion on cost-analysis squarely at odds with the regional council's recommendation. It was Edgar's contention, and the Sun agrees, that the least costly, most effective method of providing health care services to citizens of the south county area will be the Lake Placid addition.

Another factor is Highlands General is a tax-supported hospital while Walker Memorial is privately owned. In no instance should good and efficient health care to patients be threatened but if a privately owned institution can provide such care, the Sun's inclination is to go with private industry rather than a tax-supported institution.

However in viewing past history the state has rarely overturned or denied a regional recommendation. Even so, when the 32-bed addition was recommended the Sun advised the state to, at the very least, hold back and study the project further.

There were simply too many questions which remained unanswered.

Apparently Administrator Art Forehand of the Community Medical Services agreed that, at this time, the project did not warrant an approval.

This gives all parties time to reconsider. All things considered, it was probably the best decision Tallahassee would hand down.

Although bureaucrats are being verbally battered these days, this time they deserve a laurel.



Nice Fight, Dummies . . . Now No One Gets It!!!

Our Readers Opinions

Driggers Is Best Man For Commissioner

Dear Editor:

Highlands County is fortunate to have a lifetime resident running for County Commissioner in District 4. Bill Driggers has a genuine interest in Highlands County. After speaking with him, personally, I feel that he has an honest deep-rooted desire to better Highlands County.

He seems to be committed to stopping over-taxation and government waste. His ideas on improving government in Highlands County are sound and should be noted by residents of Highlands County.

It seems ironic to me that in order to cut budget requests and keep spending down by government, it takes an election year and a candidate who has the courage to stand up and criticize over-taxation and spending by our government.

I would like to commend Mr. Bill Driggers of Highlands County running for County Commissioner, District 4 in his apparently successful efforts of already cutting back government spending even before he is elected. I say this because of the cuts in the proposed 78-79 budget requests for Highlands

County after Mr. Driggers brought this topic to the public's attention.

It's a relief to me to have a man with courage to stand up and speak loud and clear about the hindrance increases in taxes and spending by government.

It's good to know that all of Highlands County can vote for Bill Driggers because I believe he will stand up on all the important issues and represent all of the county in an honest and fair way.

I believe he will voice the concerns and beliefs of all the county because he seems to be a "man that listens."

Perry W. Carter

Avon Park Not Helped By County

Dear Editor:

Since Sept. 12 is election day, let's talk politics. I believe the races of most interest to Avon Park voters are the commissioners for District No. 2 and the school board race for District No. 3.

In the last two years the county commissioners have not spent one dime in Avon Park out of the road and bridge fund. Last year on their list of projects to be done was the widening and resurfacing of West Pleasant Street. Someone took this project off the list, no one seems to know who. Some think it got lost in the reworking of the Sebring Race track.

Also last year one of our Avon Park teachers had some equipment to break down, that would cost about \$200 to repair. Each time a request was made for the repairs to be made, the same answer was given, no money. At the same time \$20,000 was being spent in Sebring for a swimming pool. Now the Avon Park voters may have a chance to get some changes made.

The choice for commissioners in District No. 2 is Bill Laye and Norman "Jug" Heston. We may not know what Bill Laye will do for us but we do know what Jug did for us.

The race for school board District No. 3 is more or less between Marguerit

Skipper of Sebring and Robert Fitzgerald of Lake Placid. Sebring now has two school board members so if Mrs. Skipper is elected they will have three and Lake Placid none. To elect Mrs. Skipper and re-elect Heston will not help our situation in the least.

I asked one of our public officials why Avon Park always came up on the short end of the stick and he told me no one running for public office ever took Avon Park seriously. That they all knew Avon Park wouldn't stick together on anything. Let's fool them this time and vote for Bill Laye and Bob Fitzgerald. Even if we lose, it can't help but help.

Name withheld on request

Inflation Takes Big Bite

Inflation is taking a big bite out of the county budget, according to figures comparing Highlands County expenditures for materials and supplies during the past two years.

Money spent for such day-to-day necessities as motor oil and scotch tape is worth less, as much as 60 percent less, the figures show.

Prices increases during the past year varied from under four percent in the case of ready mix concrete, to 190.0 percent for six foot aluminum culverts and 195.5 percent for tube packing gaskets used to repair the brake machines at the county's motor vehicle inspection station.

Many items increased in price more than 10 percent. Three-by-five inch index cards, for example, cost 17 cents during the 1976-77 budget year, but rose to 32 cents in 1977-78, an increase of 88.2 percent.

Scotch tape rose in price from 57 cents a roll to \$1 per roll, a 75.4 percent increase, the figures show, while ordinary motor oil increased 44.2 percent, from 34 cents a quart to 50 cents a quart.

Only three items on the list of 72 materials most frequently purchased by the county dropped in price. Those were gasoline and diesel fuel, which decreased due to a decision by the county to negotiate a price rather than put a contract out for bid, and trash can liners which fell in cost 16 percent.

Other items which rose in price in-

clude: letter - size clipboards, 79.5 percent; correction fluid, 19.6 percent; stamp pad ink, 33.3 percent; letter-size file folders, 41.8 percent; eight - foot fluorescent light tubes, 60.9 percent; floor wax, 11 percent; liquid soap, nine percent; and paper cups, 21.4 percent.

Sheriff Loses One Officer

Highlands County Sheriff's Department lost a top officer this week, but Sheriff Joe Sheppard says department operations are not upset.

"We have a beautiful department and everything is working well."

Major Richard McLeod, who submitted a resignation effective Sunday, Sept. 3, came here from Charlotte County to become a key officer when Sheriff Sheppard took office in January 1977.

Sheppard said McLeod was very popular in Charlotte County and some people from there had contacted him about returning to run for office.

However, Sheppard does not know whether his former staff man has any political ambitions.

The sheriff has not named a replacement for McLeod and does not appear in any hurry to do so. He said veteran officer Capt. Charles Snelgrove is handling some of the duties which might have fallen to McLeod.

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Rocking The Boat

By George Duncan



Campaign Slogans

We are winding up the first stage of campaigning for both state and local offices. After seeing all the campaign slogans, particularly those of state candidates, I find them all rather banal. I would like to see some slogans which have a little candor and freshness in them. So I'm proposing my own.

ELECT A CROOK TO THE LEGISLATURE!

When you vote for Jim Crook, you know exactly what you're getting.

-Higher taxes.

-More ripoffs.

-Special interests running your government.

-Bribery, payoffs, extortion.

The other candidates promise "honesty in government." Crook promises nothing, but he's honest enough to tell it like it is.

Vote Crook-You deserve the worst!

Or, perhaps, something like this.

Are you tired of the legislature giving you the shaft? Do it to them. Send Frank Shaft to Tallahassee!

Are you sick and tired of legislators wasting your time and money in Tallahassee? Voting themselves pay raises while voting to raise your taxes? Sick of them getting all those astroturf "Good Government" awards when they're selling out the taxpayer to special interests? Good. Shaft will tell it like it is! He bows to stand on the floor of the legislature and:

-Tell other members of the state senate they are a bunch of adleheaded nincompoops who couldn't make it through the first grade.

-Introduce a bill which will make legislators pay YOU for sending THEM to Tallahassee.

-Urge a constitutional amendment be passed which will resume the state house and senate to the Green Valley Sanitarium for the Terminally Senile.

-Constantly chew gum and pop bubble while other members are trying to make speeches.

Are you tired of the legislators kicking you around. Have Shaft kick them around and see how they like it!

Or perhaps something like this: Send Greed to the State House!

Frank Greed asks for your vote, and if that doesn't help, he'll pay for it, to put him in Tallahassee. No one will notice a little more Greed up there.

Don't worry about your representative selling out to special interests groups. Greed has sold out long ago! Greed makes these simple promises.

-No silly talk about commitments. He will violate every one of them in the way.

Worry about ideals getting in the way. Come through with cold, hard cash and Greed will come through for you.

-Anytime there's a controversial issue up for a vote, Greed will go with the biggest fund raiser. No secret deals. His vote will be auctioned off publicly! So all parties and interest groups may bid for his support.

Boat Ramp Feud Eased

The feud between boat ramp users at Arbuckle Road and adjacent property owner R. H. Batts came before the county commission again Tuesday, but a standoff was approved so that a set of rules can be offered next week.

A majority of the commissioners on hand - Cecil Skipper was absent - indicated however, they will oppose further restrictions on hours and other uses of the facility.

"That boat ramp has been there 50 years and we have more regulations now than sportsmen can contend with," noted Commissioners Norman Heston, C.J. Wise and Robert Skipper.

"In fact," Skipper said heatedly, "I asked before and now ask again that a cable and post restricting people from parking on county-owned right of way be removed immediately."

Attorney James Kelly, representing Batts, had sought a place on the agenda to ask that parking be restricted and hours of use be held to 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. because his client, Batts, was disturbed in the wee hours of the morning by

airboats using a grassed area to remount trailers.

Batts, who constructed his home adjacent to the ramp a few years ago, said he was not asking that the ramp be closed, but that he not be bothered by excess noise and inability to have access to his property by illegally parked boat trailers.

Commissioners said if they placed additional signs, an entire half acre of land would be reverted to Batts' use instead of taxpayers.

Ernest Green said he had an altercation with Batts Saturday afternoon when he attempted to launch his boat at the county-owned ramp and was tempted to "call the sheriff on him."

Kelly said his client regretted the "emotional history" of ramp use problems and offered to revise his suggested restrictions and come back.

Commissioner Carl Arant said he thought "no one was going to be 100 percent satisfied with any plan" but hoped a court confrontation could be avoided if possible.

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Major Parties Strong In County

The two major political parties — Democratic and Republican — claim the allegiance of 98.5 percent of Highlands County voters. The rest are scattered through seven parties, and 205 voters eschew all labels, even independent, preferring to be listed as "no party."

The American Independent party, once the stronghold of George Wallace and backed by many local voters, now has one registered adherent, in Precinct 15.

In Precinct 11 one voter is a member of the Negro Peace and Freedom party. Two voters — one each in Precincts 10 and 11 — are registered Conservatives.

Four voters are Liberals; seven are members of the American party. In addition to the 205 voters who list "no party" there are 494 who are registered as Independents.

Supervisor of Elections Jimmy Whitehouse reports his office handled many changes of party affiliation this summer. However, the county electorate

continues in its traditional Democratic majority. Of the county's 20,400 registered voters, 14,085 are in the majority party. Republican strength has been growing and the GOP now has 5,601 or 27.5 percent of the voters.

Only 1,521 of the county's black residents are registered to vote. Of these 96.7 percent are Democrats.

Black voters are concentrated in three precincts. Of these Precinct 2, at Avon Park, is easily the largest with 672 black voters. The same precinct has 1,102 white voters. In Precinct 9, which votes at the Teen Building in Sebring, 323 of the precinct's 324 voters are black.

Precinct 6, voting at the Triangle Restaurant, north of Sebring, is the only other precinct with more than 100 black voters. It has 115 black voters out of 302 registrants.

The Lake Placid precinct (13) which votes at the Crest Building is the largest in the county. With 2,905 voters it has more than 14 percent of the county's

total. Only one other precinct has over 2,000 voters. Precinct 5, Sebring Hills area, has 2,580. The same precinct is the GOP stronghold with 970 Republicans.

Registration by precincts is as follows:

Precinct 1	1,568
Precinct 2	1,775
Precinct 3	438
Precinct 4	598
Precinct 5	2,580
Precinct 6	302
Precinct 7	623
Precinct 8	1,209
Precinct 9	324
Precinct 10	1,908
Precinct 11	1,568
Precinct 12	481
Precinct 13	2,905
Precinct 14	137
Precinct 15	1,725
Precinct 16	671
Precinct 17	300
Precinct 18	1,060



Chet Brojek

Teachers

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essentially agreed upon the 7½-hour day worked last year, they still are at odds over the request by teachers for a duty-free half-hour lunch period.

Now, elementary school teachers are required to attend their students through the lunch period unless they can find someone to cover for them.

Brojek said the teachers' association would like non-instruction personnel assigned to supervise lunch periods so teachers could have a lunch period to themselves.

Should mediator Margaret Rose fail in her attempt to bring the two sides to an

agreement, Brojek said, the issues will be decided in arbitration, although the decision of the arbitration board will not be binding on the teachers or school board.

However, the teachers' negotiators said he doubts the contract dispute will go that far.

"I don't think it will come to that because I think the board can come up with more than they've offered, and we can come down a little," Brojek said. "I think this will be settled on the level of mediation."

The teachers' association represents 340 of the 411 teachers in the public school system, Brojek said. The terms of the contract, however, cover all teachers.

County Rejects Buying Plot

County commissioners reluctantly rejected an offer to purchase a six-acre, oak-studded plot on the Kissimmee river as a county park, because the price tag was too high at Tuesday's regular meeting.

James O. Crump, owner of the tract, said he could not take less than \$45,000 for the picturesque area through a county obtained appraisal said the tract was only worth \$21,000. Crump and his attorney, James Livingston, said the public "should have it", but that lots of 75

by 100 feet had been selling on the river nearby for \$6,000 each and an offer of \$50,000 was pending for a subdivision.

Commissioner Norman (Jug) Heston said it was probably the "prettiest and most desirable" park space in the county, but that he couldn't justify the price to the taxpayers as compared with the appraisal.

Commission Chairman C. J. (Buddy) Wise echoed Heston's comments noting, "We don't have nearly enough such recreation areas in the county now and

we could surely use this one, but not at more than double the appraisal."

In other action Tuesday, the commission:

— Approved a variance in subdivision regulations for Reuben Ramer's property near Airport Road, eliminating the need for a preliminary plat and drainage plan since it fronts on an existing paved county road.

— Okayed a one-time canal maintenance spray, via aircraft, for a 300-foot canal in Franksville Replat; and a 200-foot No. Six canal in Placid Lakes.

Retrospectively approved not more than 25 loads of clay for the new Lake Placid High School physical education area.

— Agreed to spend \$400 improving pavement on Old SR 8 from Nicholas Acres subdivision to Hicoria Road.

— Set a 25 mile per hour speed limit on Sunset Road in Sebring Shores because of road conditions. There is currently no posted limits on the cut through the golf course to Fairmont Drive.

— Agreed to endorse a takeover of the Jack Creek and Peach Road flood control structures for maintenance by Southwest Florida Water Management District from South Florida Water Management District.

Avon Park

Jail Closes

The closing of the last small jail in the county — the Avon Park city jail — is not expected to create any special problems for the county jail which falls heir to the city prisoners.

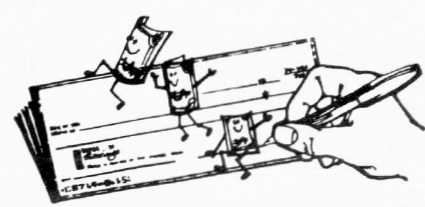
The Avon Park jail officially closed at midnight Aug. 31. For several years it has held a relatively small number of suspects accused of petty crimes. It did not meet state standards for jails and the Avon Park City Council chose to transfer all prisoners to the county jail rather than renovate the old facilities.

For many years all suspects accused of serious crimes have been held at the county jail. Between the official closing on the Avon Park jail at midnight last Thursday and Tuesday afternoon (Sept. 5) only two city prisoners had been booked into the county jail.

Lt. Jim Brannan of Highlands County Sheriff's Department is cautious about predicting whether that rate of occupancy will continue — such things tend to "run in seasons" he observed. Suspects will still be able to bond out or be released on their own recognizance from Avon Park police headquarters, Lt. Brannan pointed out.

For the prisoners actually jailed, having everyone under one roof can simplify the first appearance hearing procedures, Lt. Brannan said. Cost of keeping a person in jail is by state officials' estimates, now about \$13 per day.

Lt. Brannan said it would have been helpful to know about the additional work for the county jail at the time the sheriff's budget was being prepared. However, he does not anticipate that the budget will suffer major dislocation.



A Checking Account Is Best

You've probably read a lot about electronic funds transfer, a system that distributes dollars through electronic impulses. Well, Americans aren't buying it in droves.

The old-fashioned checking account is still the best way to pay a bill. You get an immediate receipt and good evidence to back up your tax deductions. A cancelled check confirms the payment to a store, a doctor or the power company. And each month we send you a summary of every transaction.

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Tuesday - Beef and gravy on rice, greens, corn bread, one-half banana, milk.
Wednesday - Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, O.J. bar, rolls, milk.
Thursday - Hamburger on bun, lettuce, tomato, pickles, corn, apple, milk.
Friday - Beans and ham, vegetable, corn bread, pink appleauce, milk.

MIDDLE SCHOOLS

Monday - Sept. 11-15
Monday - Soup, Joe, tomato salad, corn, cinnamon twist, milk.
Tuesday - Roast beef with gravy, rice, squash, green pepper, slaw, cream pie, roll, milk.
Wednesday - Cuban sandwich, vegetable soup, lettuce, tomato, and chili chips, fruit cup, oatmeal cookie, milk.
Thursday - Fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, carrot, raisin salad, green peas, apple sauce cake, roll, milk.
Friday - Ravioli with meat sauce, green beans, fruit salad, assorted desserts, French bread, milk.

HIGH SCHOOLS

Monday - Sept. 11-15
Monday - Chicken and noodles

or grilled cheese with chips, green peas, tossed salad, spiced appleauce, rolls, milk.

Tuesday - Sept. 12-16
Tuesday - Pig in blanket, extra one 20 cents, ham salad sandwich, vegetable soup-crackers, cole slaw, strawberry cake with topping, milk.

Wednesday - Sept. 13-17
Wednesday - Turkey shortcake or Bar B Q pork on bun, mashed potatoes-gravy, broccoli, cranberry sauce and relish tray, banana pudding, milk.
Thursday - Pizza or taco - extra one 20 cents, corn, chef's salad, fruit cup, milk.

Friday - Sept. 14-18
Friday - Hamburger on bun or chili dog, french onions, French fries-catsup, lettuce, tomatoes and chili chips, peach cobbler, milk.

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PEOPLE and EVENTS

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by *Betty Amburn*
Society Editor



Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gossett

Gossett's To Celebrate 40th Wedding Anniversary

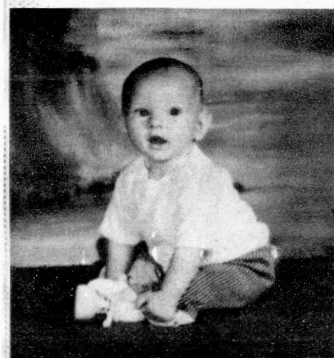
Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gossett of Oak Island Road will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary on Saturday, Sept. 9, at their home, and the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Judith and Roland Evans.

to Avon Park two years ago from Ft. Lauderdale. They ran the Isis Shores Motel for a year before moving to the son-in-law and daughters acreage outside of Avon Park.

The Gossett's will be joined

by their two sons and families; James of Ft. Lauderdale and Bill of West Palm Beach, and their daughter and family, in celebrating this joyous occasion. Also helping them celebrate will be many friends and relatives.

Douglas Polk Celebrates First Birthday



Douglas H. Polk, Jr.

Douglas H. Polk, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas H. Polk, Sr. of Avon Park, celebrated his first birthday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L.A. LaFlam of 711 Palmteet Street.

Among the guest at the party were Mr. and Mrs. LaFlam, Evelyn Martin, Kara and Kevin Howard, Rose Loucks, and Jennifer Ruggiero. A Mickey Mouse cake and punch was served to all those attending the festive occasion. . . A good time was had by all.

A Boy For The Colsons

Mr. and Mrs. Gary W. Colson are proud to announce the birth of a son, Christopher Wayne born at Lake Shore Hospital of Lake City weighing 8 lbs. 9 oz. and was 19 inches long.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B.J. Carter of Avon Park and the Maternal great grandmother is Mrs. Cora B. Hamrick also of Avon Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe V. Aldora of Cross Creek are the paternal grandparents and the paternal great grandmother is Mrs. Tom Gilson.

Local Couple To Wed Sept. 10

Joyce Renee' Clenney and John W. Eason, III will wed Sunday, Sept. 10, at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Avon Park, with the Rev. Aden Childress officiating the ceremony. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeril R. Clenney and the prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Eason, Jr., both of Avon Park.

Nuptial music will begin at 2:30 p.m., provided by Mr. Jerrold Perkins, and Mrs. Suzanne Arant.

A reception will immediately follow the wedding ceremony in the church's social hall. No invitations have been mailed in-town, and all friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding ceremony and reception.

A nursery will be provided.



Cradle Roll

Mr. and Mrs. David Richard Jones of Sebring announce the birth of a daughter, Christina Marie, born August 27, at Walker Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 lbs. 8 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Boney of Avon Park announce the birth of a son, James Robert, born August 29, at Walker Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 lbs. 9 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arthur Lee of Sebring announce the birth of a son, Jared Walker, born August 30, at Walker Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 lbs. 5 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. David Oliver Standford of Wauchula announce the birth of a daughter, Felisha Doreen, born August 31, at Walker Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 lbs. 5 1/2 oz.

Founders Circle To Meet Sept. 14

The Founders Garden Circle Club of Avon Park will hold their first meeting of the 1978-79 season on Thursday, Sept. 14, at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Lou Grose, 56 N. Highlands Avenue.

The speaker for their first meeting will be Mrs. Katherine Calloway, who will present a Program on "Herbs and Spices." Katherine and her husband, Zig Calloway, have been owners of the Jacaranda Hotel here in Avon Park for seventeen years. Before coming to Avon Park, the Calloways resided in Covington, Ga.

Katherine, a food specialist, manages the restaurant for the hotel. She does all of the menu

planning and purchasing of foods. Her presentation on "Herbs and Spices" should be especially informative and interesting because of her experience in the field of food preparation. The Founders Garden Club is very proud that Katherine is also a member of this group.

Lou Grose, president of Founders Circle, urges all members to attend this first meeting. There are new projects to be discussed for the coming season and many fine programs are planned. Lou is enthusiastic about the plans for the coming year and says "Welcome back" to all members.

Sharon Forston-Thomas Parnell Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Forston, Sr., Seminole, Florida, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sharon Kay, to Army Spec. 4 Thomas Wendell Parnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calip M. Parnell, Sr., Avon Park.

Sharon is attending Dixie-Hollins High School in Seminole, where she is a member of the D.E.C.A. Club and D.H.H.S. Color Guard.

Wendell attended Avon Park High School and received his diploma through Washington Community College. He is presently serving a tour of duty in Ruseselsheim, Germany with the U.S. Army's 78th Transportation Company.

Wedding plans will be made upon his return to the States next year.



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Goodson Wins "Glamour Girl" Pageant For 5-6 Year Olds

Tesha Goodson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Goodson of Avon Park, was chosen as queen in the "Glamour Girl" beauty pageant, held at the Sebring Civic Center on August 26, in the 5-6 year old division.

To be chosen for this award, the contestants were each interviewed individually by the pageant's executive director, Mrs. Olga Knight and then judged by the three judges on their poise and posture, as well as being well groomed and neat in appearance.

Little Tesha also won first place in modeling the sportswear division and swimwear competition. For these achievements, she was awarded trophies. For being named the queen she received a crown and trophy.

From this event, Miss Goodson will go to the Ramada Inn in Tampa on Feb. 25-26, 1979 to compete in the state Glamour Girl pageant, and if perhaps she wins this one, she will go on to the nationals to be held in Orlando.

Congratulations, Tesha Goodson.

City Library Re-opens

The Avon Park City Library re-opens on Saturday beginning September 9. The library will be open every Saturday from 9:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. Use your library on Saturdays to keep it open!

The lowering of the American flag at a public building is not an unusual event — except when it happens at midnight, Highlands County Sheriff's Deputy Bobby Lee was on routine patrol in the area around Walker Memorial Hospital the night of Aug. 31.

When he made a check at 11:45 p.m. the hospital area seemed quiet, but 45 minutes later the flag ropes were lying at the base of the flag pole and the American flag was gone. Lee said the ropes had been cut.

Avon Park Winter Guest Club News

By Hileen Kall
Shuffleboard

On August 26, with four courts at play the winners of three games were Anna Manosoff, Kellie Larrew and Ernie Thomas. Wednesday, Aug. 30 with four courts at play the three game winners were Frank Mills and Kellie Larrew.

WELCOME HOME

Robert and Martha McBeth have returned after three weeks visiting and celebrating in Upper Sandusky, Ohio. Three sisters and two brothers of Martha and their families and friends helped them celebrate their 57th. Wedding Anniversary. This was a very pleasant time to be with old friends and family and the McBeths report a good time by all.

Earl Dunavent journeyed to Muncie, Ind., to attend the 50th wedding anniversary of his brother Bryce. Then there was a Dunavent family reunion held at Earl's sister's home. Here there were some 90 members of the Dunavent family at which Earl had the honor of being the oldest member. There was a pot luck dinner served in the beautiful garden. From there on to Benton Harbor, Mich., where a visit was made at the home of the Snyders, Lawrence and Phyllis. Here Earl says he had a big thrill sitting on the beach at Benton Harbor and watching a gorgeous sunset over Lake Michigan. On his way north a stop was made at Leesburg, Ind., to make a short visit with Florence Dunavent who has visited our club several times.

Hallie and Alton Wetmore left Avon Park June 14. They spent several days with a daughter, Anita and family.

Then on to son Frank's near Kent, Ohio. The week of the 28th., they visited with Jean and Jake Turflier in Milford, Penn. Here they enjoyed seeing their craft shop and also their relatives whom they met

in Avon Park. Hallie says "Every time we went in northern Ohio people were doing articles on local history and as Alton was the oldest resident of these parts, he was interviewed often on the Ohio-Erie Canal "Characters" of the Canal zone of Peninsula and about his grandfather, who owned a canal boat, and also incidents in the lives of the Wetmore ancestors who were

some of the first settlers of Stowe, Ohio, where we lived before coming to Avon Park. We also spent three weeks at Lakeside, Ohio during the State and National Tournament. (Shuffleboard) The Turfliers came for the tournament and Jake and Alton won 2nd place in the Ohio State Doubles. We visited the Ohio Arts and Crafts Festival at Cambridge with Cleon and Darline Wells and

Bill and Fanny Hatch. We also went to the Michigan-Ohio Avon Park picnic at Palmyra, Michigan. The only way we could see our son Cliff's family in St. Paul, Minn., was to fly there so we did. The next day by special arrangement a small group of Royal Arch Masons presented Alton his 50 year pin. Two of our college grandsons came to Avon Park with us, each driving a car,

theirs and ours. They will visit us a week and then return to Kent State College."

New York News

Estelle writes that Walter was in the hospital three weeks following an operation and now is using a walker to help him. He hopes to be on his own shortly and looks forward to their return to Avon Park early this fall and hopes to be able to enjoy the club shuffling.

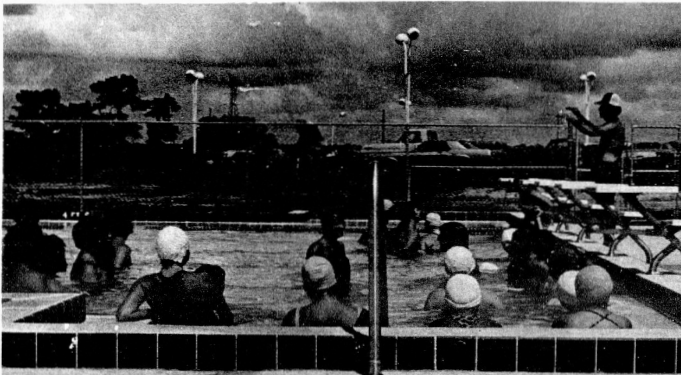
Estelle says that they had a family BEE and Walt supervised the making of sourkraut which the men made in the garage. Then made away with 12 quarts of Millgroves' famous clam chowder which they made and sell each year. Also had hot dogs and salads that were furnished by the girls. Irene Swyers is enjoying life in Castle, New York. The Swyers all want to send greetings to

the club members and say that Walter is doing just fine.

Hospital Report

As of to-day Aug. 30, we have the news that Harry Gibson has had an operation and is doing nicely in Walker Memorial Hospital.

Friends of Merrill Wilmont will be saddened to learn that he died at the home of his niece at Riverside, Calif. on Sept. 1.



THE NEW South Florida Junior College swimming pool gets off to good use with the start of the fall quarter as

swim coach Dunning Terrell demonstrates a swimming stroke with his arms to a co-ed class. Sunphoto by Lew Miller.

SFJC Pool Water Now Filtered

With most of the bugs worked out of the pool circulation system, students at South Florida Junior College are apparently enjoying swimming classes in clean filtered water. Formerly swimming classes were held in Lake Denton.

The Olympic size pool with diving boards, for competition, was bid at \$14,000 but will cost approximately \$150,000 when extras are included, such as equipment building, pumps, metering equipment, chain link fence, etc. The physical education building serves as a shower and bath house, thus eliminating that expense, stated Dr. William C. Stallard, president.

With six day classes and three night classes using the pool it was reported that students were generally pleased as it has added increased value to the junior college physical education program. Classes are open to

anyone over 16 years of age. With no real shallow water the pool is 4' deep on one side, ranging to 13 feet deep in the diving area, thus no children will be allowed in the pool.

Completion of the pool has been delayed because doors for

the equipment rooms have not been received. Over the Labor Day weekend technicians have been adjusting the metering system to control the addition of chlorine to the pool water. Excessive chlorine had been causing students eyes to burn during swimming classes.

They pumping system has the capacity to circulate and filter the pool water every three hours. Part of the general regulations are that swimmers with hair below the ears must wear bathing caps and this includes men. While the wearing of cutoffs would

wreck the pool's filtering system.

Life guards will be at the pool during swimming sessions. At his meetings with swimming classes one of Coach Dunning Terrell's first admonitions was "NO HORSEPLAY". Signs will be placed at the pool to emphasize the point.

Patricia A. Furnival, ACSW, has been director of the Clinic since it first opened in 1975. Tri-County is a non-profit corporation which receives state and county funds and provides services in Polk and Hardee Counties as well as Highlands.

Sept 11 Is Deadline For ACT Tests

Deciding what to do after high school is important. Important to YOU, your parents, your teachers and counselors, the college you choose (if you decide on college), your future employers, and other people who will share your life. If you are one of the many students thinking about attending college, The American College Testing (ACT) Program may be able to help.

About one million college-bound high school students take the ACT Assessment (commonly known as the ACT Test) each year. The ACT Assessment instrument consists of a student information section, four standardized exams, and an interest inventory (a unique feature of ACT which relates a student's interests to a map of college majors and the world of work).

Whether you are almost sure about a specific college or are still looking over the whole range of post-high school alternatives, the ACT Assessment can give much of the information needed to make a good decision. The ACT Student Profile Report contains organized information about educational planning and an "Information About Colleges" section which lists fifteen facts relevant to admission and enrollment at each of the colleges selected by the student. With this information, students can also forecast possible academic success on various campuses.

The ACT Assessment is administered on five national test dates each year. The registration deadline for the October 21 test date is Friday,

September 11. Registration forms can be obtained from your local high school guidance office, college or university.

Agriculture Employers Reminded Of Minimum Wage Requirements

Some employers of agricultural workers are apparently unaware of minimum wage requirements, according to the U.S. Department of Labor.

"This year for the first time," says James E. Patching, regional administrator for employment standards, Atlanta, "agricultural workers covered by the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA) must be paid the same minimum wage — \$2.65 per hour — as other categories of covered workers."

In order to be covered by the FLSA, an agricultural employee must work for an employer who must work more than 500 man - days of agricultural labor in any calendar quarter

of the preceding calendar year. Additional information is available from the U.S. Department of Labor's Wage and Hour Division, which has area offices in Fort Lauderdale, Tampa, Jacksonville, Miami and Orlando.

Oliver Completes Training

Charles K. Oliver Jr., son of retired Air Force Master Sgt. and Mrs. Charles K. Oliver, 706 Ruth Street, Avon Park, completed cadet basic training at the U.S. Military Academy, West Point, N.Y.

Formerly called "New Cadet Barracks," it is an intense eight weeks in which new cadets learn the demanding standards of military courtesy, personal appearance, and physical fitness expected of a cadet.

A 1978 graduate of Avon Park High School, Cadet Oliver received a Presidential appointment to the academy.

C.B. Club

Sponsors Break

The Avon Park CB Club was set up at the National Guard Armory on South U.S. Highway 27 during the Labor Day weekend, for a coffee break for all motorist traveling during this time.

The club working in shifts served hot coffee and orange juice to weary travelers throughout the weekend.

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The Avon Park City Council proposes to pass an Ordinance increasing the fees for garbage collection

ORDINANCE NO. 636

AN ORDINANCE CHANGING GARBAGE RATES IN THE CITY OF AVON PARK, FLORIDA

A Public Hearing on this proposed ordinance will be held in the Council Room, City Hall, Monday, September 11, 1978 at 7:30 P.M. A copy of the proposed ordinance is available during the business hours at the city hall for inspection. All those desiring to make written or verbal comments for or against the proposed ordinance will be considered.

August 31, 1978

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September Declared

National Guard Recruitment Month

September is National Guard recruitment month in Avon Park according to a proclamation signed by Mayor Marshall Davis last week. The local unit, Battery B, 2nd Battalion, 115th Field Artillery was cited for bringing many honors to the area.

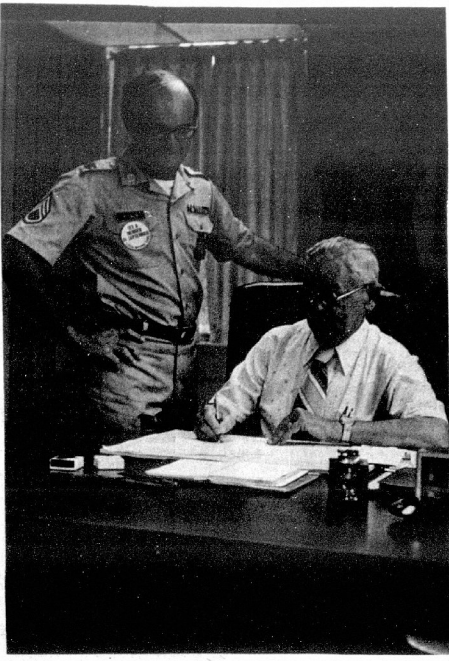
Because of the long and glorious record of service to our nation and as an important unit of our military strength, all eligible persons should seriously consider the service they can render their local community and nation by joining the local Artillery Battery. They were also urged to investigate the many benefits they would enjoy as members of the team.

Wearing a button "Get a member in September", SSG Benjamin C. Hilton explained that Battery B with a strength of 90 men wanted 10 to 20 more men between the ages of 17 and 41. The authorized strength of the Battalion was 530 men.

At present there are about 30 men from Avon Park in the local Battery, about 30 from the Sebring area with the other men coming from the Hardee County area, Ft. Meade and Frostproof areas.

Training sessions of the National Guard are one weekend a month with a two weeks summer camp at Ft. Stewart, Ga. Training is conducted at classrooms at the Armory on U.S. 27 S, while field training for the artillery unit, is held five to six times a year at the Avon Park Bombing Range.

Hilton is six year Marine Corps veteran joined the National Guard in 1970. As an administrative supply technician he serves full time at the Armory. The Battalion Commander is Capt. Thomas K. Simmons of Winter Haven, with Jerry B. Childress of Avon Park as first sergeant.



MAJOR MARSHALL DAVIS signs a proclamation designating September, 1976 as National Guard Recruitment month in Avon Park urging eligible persons to consider joining the local guard unit with SSG Benjamin C. Hilton watching. Sunphoto by Lew Miller.

Lt. Governor Plans To Assure Water Supplies

Lt. Governor Jim Williams today called for thoughtful planning to assure Floridians adequate water supplies "for affordable human consumption" in future decades.

"There are few if any areas in South Florida which haven't been subject to severe water restrictions during drought periods," Williams told the Florida Chapter of the American Institute of Planners meeting here.

"People bemoan the lack of adequate water supplies to keep their lawns green."

"Unless we start now to prepare for the millions of people still to come the complaints will not be about brown lawns but about insufficient water for affordable human consumption," Williams said.

Williams, noting his political advisers have counseled him not to talk about "doomsday issues" like adequate water, said that candidates should not avoid unpleasant issues. "We invite doomsday only by avoiding the problem, not confronting it."

Williams said 80 percent of Florida's population of some nine million lives within 11 miles of the coast and that the bulk of five million new residents expected by the turn of the century are also expected to settle in the coastal zones.

He predicted costly and bitterly divisive regional disputes about the control and cost of water will wrack the state unless sensible planning is brought to bear on the water problem.

Noting that most of Florida's water resources are located in the lightly populated and non-industrial inland areas of the state, Williams said the citizens in those areas will probably join together at some point to maintain control of their water supplies, which are vital to existing agricultural interests and future development potential of the inland areas.

Williams chose the example of an orange grove in Lake County to make his point.

"Oranges require water, as does every living thing," said Williams.

"If you are faced with the possibility of reduced water supply for your oranges so that somebody in Coral Gables can wash his car you might want to have some say about just who has the first draft on that water," Williams said.

Williams acknowledged there is no easy solution to the future water crises in Florida.

"It's not pleasant to remind you today that there are serious problems in Florida's future that will have to be faced squarely by the next Governor of Florida."

"But I am confident that Floridians don't want a governor who thinks nothing but pleasant thoughts and tells citizens only pleasant hopes. Florida needs a governor who understands its problems."

Juveniles Charged With Burglary

Two juveniles were adjudicated delinquent in a session of juvenile court Aug. 28. The two youths were placed on probation, ordered to study a criminal law booklet and to attend group counseling sessions.

The youths were charged with burglary. One of them was ordered to make a \$4 restitution.

For two youths probation was formally terminated. Supervision was terminated in one dependency case. In another dependency case custody of the child was returned to the mother but Children and Youth Services is to supervise the home.

Real Estate Transfers

Lake Placid Holding Company to David C. and Janice K. Taylor, lot 1, block 23, Placid Lakes, section 2, \$15,000.

Lake Placid Holding Company to Russell, Melvin Southern and Aretta White Southern, lots 4 and 17, block 49, Placid Lakes, section 19, \$14,000.

Lake Placid Holding Company to James R. and Richard Jr. and Anne M. Richard, lots 9 and 10, block 43, Placid Lakes, section 19, \$14,000.

Lake Placid Holding Company to Gerald C. Reem and Josephine T. Reem, lots 6 and 15, block 53, Placid Lakes, section 19, \$14,000.

Lake Placid Holding Company to Arnold S. Lerner, lot 7, block 85, Placid Lakes, section 19, \$27,000.

Lake Placid Holding Company to Eugene A. and Dolores L. Feldmeier, lot 9, block 227, Placid Lakes, section 20, \$19,200.

Lake Placid Holding Company to James R. and Richard Jr. and Anne M. Richard, lots 9 and 10, block 43, Placid Lakes, section 19, \$14,000.

Lake Placid Holding Company to William C. Chubb, lot 1, block 98, Placid Lakes, section 19, \$15,000.

Britt To Represent County On Planning Board

Robert Britt, Avon Park City councilman, will replace J. D. Watson, Lake Placid Mayor, as a representative of Highlands County on the Central Florida Regional Planning Board, county commissioners agreed Tuesday. Watson was unable to attend many out of county meetings, said Carl Arant, commission representative.

The board also agreed Tuesday to pay \$11 a month for maintenance of a traffic light at the George Blvd. entrance to the Highlands County Agricultural Center.

The board agreed seeking a vehicle for the new Sun 'n Lake of Lake Placid Volunteer Fire Department.

A budget transfer of \$475 was approved for upgrading directional signs to polling places, at the request of Jimmy Whitehouse, Supervisor of Elections. New state rules call for larger letters.

Enlarging the paved parking

space at the National Guard Armory was approved but to be scheduled "as convenient," commissioners agreed.

Real Estate Transfers

First State Bank of Miami personal representative of the estate of Jules Zappulla, to Robert L. and Pearl Bussey, the south 1/4 of lot 23, block C, Serenity subdivision, \$18,000.

Gulf Homes, Inc. to Florence B. Bell, lot 54, block 26, Sun 'n Lake Estates of Sebring, unit 2, \$44,500.

Rafter T Realty, Inc. and National Builders Services, Inc. to Jeanne Isabelle Prince Mitchell, parcel on Lakeside Drive, \$12,000.

William S. and Diane Crunkleton to Kathryn King Liley, lots 5 and 6, block 17, Avon Park Lakes, unit 1, Red Hill Farms addition, \$21,500.

Gordon and Grace Marie Cooper to Ellison B. and Janice W. Taylor, lots 1 and 2, block 25, section C, Sylvan Shores, \$34,000.

Ron W. and Ruth R. Sprague to A. Howard and Elissa Spencer, lot 14, block 25, Sun 'n Lake Estates of Sebring, unit 2, \$32,100.

Fred L. and Betty J. Morris to Arnold and Pauline Hutchins, lots 3 and 4, block 1, Smoak Brothers addition, \$22,000.

Obituaries

Jerry "June" Reeves age 60, of Sun Ray Homes, died Sunday morning at the Walker Memorial Hospital following a sudden illness. Born in Robinson County, N.C., June had been a resident of the Frostproof area for the past year coming from Avon Park.

He was a retired mechanic for the Ben Hill Griffin Concentrate Plant. He was a member of the Hillcrest Church of God in Sebring.

June is survived by his wife Lorene Reeves, three daughters, Betty Jean Hubbard, Avon Park, Bonnie Lou Mullens, Avon Park, Burle Chvanon, Avon Park, three stepdaughters Barbara Torbit, Bayanette, Ala., Edith Die, Bell Glade and Evelyn Graham, Frostproof, three sons, Joe, Roy and Willie Ray Revels all of Avon Park. One brother, James Revels, Rowland, N.C. three sisters, Nola Chavis, Avon Park; Thelma Driggers, Rowland, N.C.; Clara Mae Durrance, Avon Park. He also leaves 13 grand-children and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Thursday (today) afternoon at 3 p.m., at the Hickory Hill Baptist Church in Rowland N.C. with Rev. John Chavis officiating. Visitation was held from 2 p.m. till 9 p.m. Monday, Sept. 4, and 9 a.m., till 5 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 5, at the Stephenson - Nelson - Smith Funeral Home.

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The civil suit entered here last week is the latest in a series of court actions all related to construction of the new high school at Lake Placid.

Lake Placid High School Problems Go On

Highlands County School Board's troubles over Lake Placid's new high school building seem to go on and on. The general contractor for the construction of the school has filed a civil damage suit in which he seeks to recover almost \$300,000 in fees and in addition, punitive damages.

The suit brought by K. D. Hedin Construction named the school board, architect Eoghan Kelley and his insurance company (Continental Casualty Co.) as co-defendants.

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SHERIFF JOE SHEPPARD is seen proudly presenting the Charter for the Junior Deputy Explorer Post No. 891 of Avon Park to Post President, Major Steve Geen. Looking on is Inv. Monica Sauls, Post Advisor and Committee Chairman of the three county post and Walt Saul, Regional Explorer Rep. for the Gulf Ridge Council, Boy Scouts of America.

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Rec Department Lists Fall-Winter Schedule Hours

Some of the upcoming programs

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Tourney, an annual event for the benefit of the Girl's Villa complex in Bartow, was originally scheduled for 54

Look for more information on these and other programs in the Avon Park Sun. Call the Rec. Dept. at 453-6881 for dates and times.

Barben Win Classic

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Members of the boys Red Devil squad include: team captains Alan Portis and Jerry McKenzie, Mark Myers, David Rhodes (a transfer from Manatee High), Jody Johnston, Jeff Henly, Bill Barben, Sam Finch, Jacques Thomas, Doug Finch, Slade Ward, Bill Porter, Jeff Heckard, Steve Brown, Ken Jackson, and several freshmen who are just starting.

Archery Hunting Season Opens Saturday Sept. 9

Hunters may contact the nearest office of the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission for additional information on archery season rules along with

The Striders will co-sponsor the third annual 100 mile marathon on the Mall run by the Avon Park High School Cross Country team next Saturday September 16. The annual marathon classic helps raise funds for the Red Devil cross country program.



Co-captains Al Portis (left) and Jerry McKenzie

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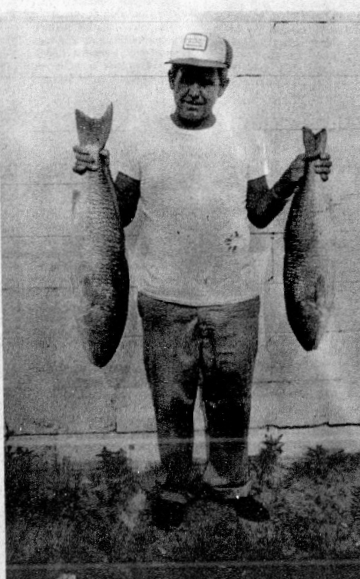
AVON PARK HIGH School Cross-Country runners regularly get in their daily running by using many of the streets in and around the city. From the left; David Rhodes, Cross-Country Coach Chet Brojek and Jeff Hanly head up the hill past Lake Verona. Sunphoto by Lew Miller.

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THESE BIG Redfish, one 21½, the other 14½ pounds, were caught by Wilbur Johns of Avon Park. Johns used paufis as bait while fishing from bridge at Boca Grande Sunday.

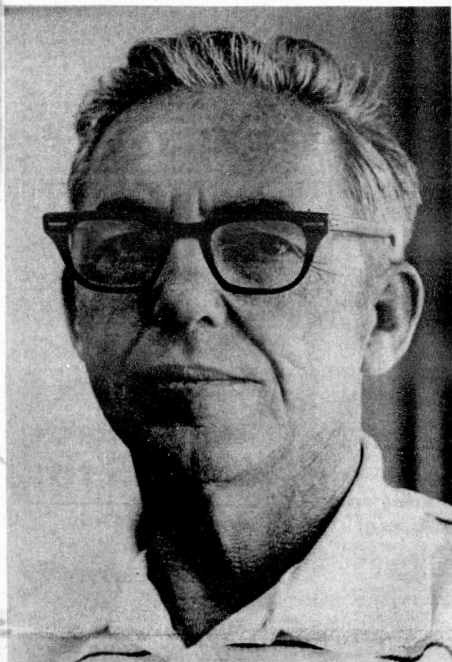
Edgar McDaniel, 712 W. Oak Lane, struggled with this fella for about 15 minutes before hauling him in on Lake Letta. "He sure put up a good fight," McDaniel said. Using shiners, he snagged this 5½-pound bass on 12 pound test line. Sunphoto by Bruce Anderson.



Election '78 PROFILE

Four Candidates In Democratic Primary County Commission Races

Laye, Heston Both Promise Government Efficiency



Oscar F. Laye

Oscar "Bill" Laye believes his experience as a businessman could help bring more efficiency to the operation of county government. Laye is seeking the District 2 county commission seat held by Norman "Jug" Heston.

"I think that we've got to get down to more businesslike practices when it comes to the county's business," Laye said in an interview last week. "That's exactly why I'm running."

The gas station owner and cattleman, however, refused to criticize the performance of his opponent, who is seeking his third term, except to say two terms should be enough for any public official to serve.

Laye has operated Laye's Standard gas station at the corner of U.S. 27 and W. Main Street in Avon Park since 1958. In addition, he operates a cattle ranch on Arbuckle Rd. and he is a member of the Highlands County Cattlemen's Association.

A net worth of close to half a million dollars is shown for Laye in a financial disclosure statement filed with the state. His primary source of income was shown to the service station, at \$28,256 last year. Another \$9,000 was gained from the sale of cattle.

He said taxes and government efficiency are the most important issues facing voters.

California's Proposition 13, which drastically cut property tax levies in that state "is making people stand up and look at government spending," Laye said.

"But if the people want services, they've got to pay," he added. "If the people want to cut taxes, they've got to sacrifice services."

He said, however, some improvement could be made locally by eliminating

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Norman Heston

Voters are most concerned with taxes and inflation, according to Norman "Jug" Heston, who is seeking a third term as District 2 county commissioner.

"Of course, we can't do much about inflation at the local level, but we can try to hold the line on taxes," the Sebring businessman said.

Prices increases for materials, supplies and services which are out of the control of county government, coupled with increased demands for services brought about by population growth are the most difficult problems facing the commission when it's time to adopt a budget, Heston said.

"As long as people are demanding services, we can't cut them, and as long as this county is growing like it is, we can't cut taxes," he said.

The two-term commissioner said the present commission has done a good job of keeping down the county tax levy, although he said there are areas where county government efficiency can be improved.

One area in which the county recently saved "several thousand dollars," Heston said, is in workmen's compensation insurance. The money was saved in premiums, he said, when the county commission adopted a self-insurance plan.

Heston also said the present commission is working on improving employee efficiency by eliminating abuses such as the misuse of sick leave.

"The majority of the county's employees are very good employees," he said "but there are a few who aren't, and those are the ones we try to weed out."

Thirty-four years as a businessman was cited by Heston as an asset in serving on the commission and overseeing the expenditure of taxpayers' money.

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Taxes Chief Campaign Issue With Driggers, Wise

Bill Driggers

"Fairness and honesty for all the people in Highlands County," is the campaign slogan for Bill Driggers, challenger for the county commission seat now held by C.J. "Buddy" Wise.

The slogan is not innovative or flashy but Driggers' campaign style is not flashy or flamboyant either. He comes across as a soft-spoken, solid businessman.

"I think I could make an improvement in the county government and do more for the people in the area. There is waste in tax funds, funds which could be placed for better use and to help everyone in the county," Driggers said.

Although Driggers says there is some waste and inefficiency in county government, he does not specify, at least for the record, exactly where the waste and inefficiency is.

However he does place some of the blame on the "administration" of the county and he states when he talks of inefficiency it should not be taken to mean he would fire any county employee. He wouldn't, he says.

"I want the county to progress. We need to do more with less and do more for the county without more money being spent."

Driggers claims because of the complexities involved in the taxation process, many citizens are not aware of how much of a tax bite they are receiving from the county.

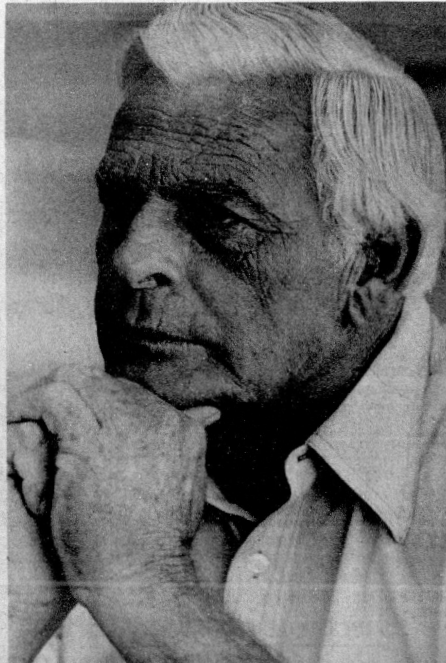
"The average person may not understand just how the millage system works. When your property is reassessed, it will cost you more in dollars and cents. So, when you say you have held the line at five mills, you haven't really held the line on taxes," he said.

"I want to see the county progress but want to hold taxes down and waste down. I feel like we can do it," he said.

Driggers who, like Wise, is a resident of Lake Placid claims the incumbent did not represent the southern end of the county as well as he should have, particularly when Lake Placid was attempting to obtain a satellite hospital.

(The request was denied and the regional planning council gave its approval to a 32-bed addition for Highlands General Hospital.)

"The hospital made them all sick. He (Wise) wasn't for it or against it. Anything I say I'm for I speak for. He didn't speak up for our end of the county



or he'd have gone all out for the people," Driggers said.

This is one reason Driggers claims his strongest support in the county will come from the Lake Placid area, with Avon Park next and Sebring third.

However, he hastens to add he will be a commissioner for all the county residents.

"I will do as much for the northern part of the county and the people there as

I will for any of the citizens."

Although admitting an incumbent has an advantage in an election, Driggers says he is also well-known because he grew up in Highlands County and has lived in Avon Park as well as Lake Placid.

He also says his door-to-door campaign in the county has yielded him a great deal of support from county residents.

C.J. Wise

A veteran of six years on the county commission C.J. "Buddy" Wise admits taxes are on everyone's mind but says the present commission is doing the best it can to fight inflation and keep taxes down.

"The present county commission is a good as anyone could have. All commissioners are good men, all individuals, who will fight for something they believe to be right," he said.

Noting there is another race for the county commission, Wise states he doesn't want his statements misunderstood.

"I'm not endorsing anyone but myself," he quipped.

Admitting that taxes were on the minds of most citizens, Wise believes the present county government have performed well in keeping the budget under control.

"How do you control inflation? How do you control it when, say, a typewriter costs \$600 this year and \$900 next year, but you need that typewriter."

"The county budget this year is not up as much as the inflation figure," says Wise.

Anytime you have a system run by men, whether it's a government or business, there will be some inequities, Wise said, but, even so, "I pay taxes also and I think we have a pretty good tax structure in Highlands County."

The only way to deal with inflation and the increasing need for services is "good management, close scrutiny of the budget and the stretching of the dollar," according to Wise.

The incumbent commissioner sees the greatest problems in the county as growth and the related problems it will bring and the increased needs which have to be served, while holding the line on tax rates.

"In the very near future we will also have to install sewers in the unincorporated areas of the county," notes Wise.

Two other major causes of concern in the future will be the crime rate and the costs of indigents.

"We will attempt to solve the problems without having any increases in taxes. Hopefully we'll have some light industry move into the county which will provide jobs and increase our tax base," he said.

Why is he running for another term



with all the problems facing the commission?

"That's a hard question to answer. While I have been on the board I have been a full-time commissioner. That time has been the most interesting and the most frustrating experience in my life.

"I guess once you are in government, you never feel like you have finished the job. You feel like you need a little bit more time."

Wise admits a "couple of small groups" are against him but does say, cautiously, he expects to win in the Sept. 12, primary. Even with the general discontent about taxes.

"I can't believe thinking people would arbitrarily vote a good man out of office just because they feel negative about a situation or individual.

If they really think about the two candidates, I'll win," he said.

Four Point School Program Outlined By Mrs. Skipper

At an informal gathering Marguerite S. Skipper exchanged viewpoints with a number of local residents at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Duhm, Monday evening.

Marguerite Skipper, a democratic candidate for the Highlands County School Board District 3, espouses a 4-point program of discipline, efficient utilization of tax money, proper education and quality leadership in the Highlands County School System.

Born in Vidalia, Ga. Mrs. Skipper was brought to Bartow, when one year old by her parents. She attended the Bartow public schools. Married to Raab Skipper, she has lived in Highlands County for 31 years, on the range, 13 miles south of Sebring.

The Skippers have three children, John, who has taught school for eight

years at Lake Placid; Van a junior at the University of South Florida, Tampa and Allen attending Medical School at the University of South Florida.

In running for the Highlands County School Board District 3 seat, Mrs. Skipper said she has always been concerned with the schools as a member of the Lay Advisory board, with PTA and other organizations. She has always wanted to do something and now has the time to do it. This is the first time she has run for an elective office.

One of her concerns is the feeling of discontent of people who take their children out of the public school and place them in private schools. Another concern is the lack of discipline in the classrooms, a fact she said was also reported by her teacher son, John.

On the matter of taxes Mrs. Skipper



feels that there are adequate funds to operate the school system and that taxpayers have as much as they can shoulder. On the other hand if local schools get too many outside or state funds there are strings attached. The same applies to Federal grant tax dollars.

The school budget is complicated, she continued, and needs to be simplified so that it can be understood by more people.

A point particular emphasized was her concern to have parents take a more

active part in the school system for today's children will someday direct the future of this country. To her parents' neglect their children by not taking part in PTA, Lay Advisory or other groups working with the schools. And children are not here very long as children, she added.

On her campaign progress, Marguerite Skipper reported that the response has been good from the people she has been able to see. Her big regret was not being able to see everyone in the county.

To her each person is important, from Venus north to the county line, as she wanted to hear people's concerns. As an optimist she believes that by working together, the school board and the people, that we can get the most for the tax dollar.

MARGUERITE SKIPPER (right) candidate for Highlands County School Board, District 3, was guest of honor at an informal gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Duhm (left) Monday night. Snapshot by Lew Miller.

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Laye

some waste, although he refused to comment on specific areas.

"If you do it more efficiently, you get more for your tax dollars," he said.

Laye and his wife Sybil have three

children, Nancy Seibold, who lives in Tampa, and two sons, Donald and Ronald, who are partners with their father in the service station. The Layes attend Avon Park's First United Methodist Church.

Heston

Heston owns Central Builders, with outlets in Sebring and Lake Placid, and is director of the Barnett Bank of Highlands County. He also is a member of the Florida Cattlemen's Association.

In addition to serving on the county commission for eight years, Heston served on the Sebring City Council for six years, three of which he was council

president. He also has served on the South Florida Junior College board for five years.

His financial disclosure statement filed with the state listed a net worth of \$306,014, with an income of \$32,000 last year from Central Builders.

One project Heston said he would like to see advanced if re-elected is the

construction of boat ramps throughout the county. There are 33 ramps in the county now, most of them completed during his two terms, he said.

"When I got on the commission eight years ago, we had nothing for recreation, and every year since then we've added something," Heston commented.

He said the county will have a full-

time maintenance man assigned to the boat ramp facilities beginning next year.

Another thing Heston would like to see the commission concentrate on is road building, which he said is now "way behind."

Heston and his wife Betty have 10 children and attend St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Sebring.

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Vincent F. Coleman to Bernard T. and Irene M. Myers, lot 1009, Sebring Hills, \$29,900.
Heien Mae Urquhart to David R. and Clotilda A. Dunwoode, lot 12 and the S½ of lot 11, block 85, sixth addition to the town of Sebring, \$24,000.

George and Beverly H. Summerrail to Alton G. and Vera Mae Ellis, block No. 1, Bear Hollow Acres, \$18,000.
Kenneth R. and Judith P. Heiring to Florence L. Nelson, lots 10004, 10005 and the southwest 22 feet of lot 10006, unit no. 31, Avon Park Lakes, \$16,500.

Roy D. and Mary V. Taylor to Donald R. and Barbara A. Johnson, lots 8 and 9, block 1, amended and revised plat of Del-Mar-Va Heights subdivision, section 15, township 33 south, range 28 east, \$13,500.

Roy D. and Mary V. Taylor to Alfred Robert and Karen V. Massman, lots 10 and 11, block 1, amended and revised plat of Del-

Mar-Va Heights subdivision, section 15, township 33 south, range 28 east, \$13,500.

Thilford A. and Ida Mae Pohlman to James A. and Frances V. Jamison, lot 14, Pohlman Acres, \$12,000.

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Pearl Rubin to Walter A. and Lois A. Orman, Richard G. and Joyce W. Orman, lot 17, block 1, section A, Sylvia Shores Estates, \$45,000.

Lake Placid Holding Company to Harry E. Halden III and Helen R. Halden, lots 22 and 23, block 283, Placid Lakes, section 20, \$20,000.

Lake Placid Holding Company to Dr. Karin Hettmann, lots 7 and 8, block 67, Placid Lakes, section 19, \$14,000.

Robert A. and Nancy Banazek to John E. Milloway and Voss C. Milloway, 829 acres at Sunset Beach subdivision, \$25,000.

John L. and Lois J. Kell to Sylvia A. Licari, lot 15, Tropic Homes subdivision, Avon Park, \$19,000.

John A. and Beverly C. Rowe to G. Thomas and Doris H. Dustin, lot 1 of Bullard subdivision, \$20,000.

Carle Enterprises, Inc. to Russell L. and Louise Hoover, lot 29, block 5, of Erin Park, \$29,000.

Glen R. and Leatha M. Nees to C. D. and Maude A. Payne, a portion of lots 13 and 14, block 1017, and a closed street, Tia Juana Villa,

together with a mobile home, \$19,500.

James M. and Kathleen A. Rimer to Edgar and Edna A. McDaniel, lot 3, Oak Lane subdivision, section 15, township 33 south, range 28 east, \$28,000.

George E. and Mildred M. Tiesot to Darryl and Julia Storts, lot 4, Lake Anoka Mobile Estates, \$19,000.

Elsie F. Berman to Wilfred, and Mary Dean Pownall, lot 22, block 285, Lake Sebring, \$32,500.

County Gets High Marks For Waste Disposal

The county got high marks again from the Department of Environmental Regulation for its solid waste management sites — but this time from a female environmental specialist.

Notable was Roxanne R. Dow's letter to Carl Cool, assistant county engineer, read Tuesday by Commissioner Norman Heston to fellow commissioners.

"The Highlands County sites — Avon Park transfer station; Lake Placid transfer station; Avon Park building debris site and DeSoto City central landfill — are found to be in excellent condition," she noted.

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- City Council Sebring. (6 yrs.)
- President (3 yrs.)
- Scholarship Recognition, Inc.
- South Florida Junior College Charter Board Member (5 yrs.)
- Chairman Emergency Medical Service Advisory Council.
- Chairman Highlands County Volunteer Fire Committee.
- Member Tri County Mental Health Board.

Wife Campaigns For Williams

Lt. Gov. Jim Williams, the "central Florida candidate," is running for the state's top spot without gimmicks and without compromising his principles, according to his wife Lou Williams.

In a campaign swing through Avon Park, Mrs. Williams agreed her husband did not have a high-key campaign but replaced catchy slogans with strong, campaign stands.

"He is not for casino gambling and has taken the strongest stand against it. He is the one candidate who said he would veto any legislative attempt bring casino gambling in the state. Shevin waffles a good bit," she said.

Just as Williams would not back down on his anti-gambling stand to appease Miami-based voters, he would not back down on his support of the Equal Rights Amendment to please north Florida voters, Mrs. Williams said.

"Jim simply cannot, not be for 'Equal Rights for everybody,'" she said.

The ERA was not a matter of women's liberation, but of economics, particularly when women were denied loans and economic security under present laws.

If a woman dies, there is no problem when the husband inherits all joint property. However, wives face a more difficult time if their husband dies, she said.



Williams' senate district was heavily against the ERA but "accepted it as one of Jim's peculiarities," said Mrs. Williams.

Another one of Williams' peculiarities was his opposition to the cross Florida barge canal which, if completed, would have benefited the Ocala area, which is where Williams' home is.

Williams also stood alone when he abstained from a senate vote which complimented President Richard Nixon for ending the Vietnam War.

In the only abstaining vote, Williams declared he could not compliment a man who had

allowed the war to go on for so long.

"Win, lose or draw, he has not compromised his principles," Mrs. Williams said.

Respect for Williams' integrity and intelligence was the main reason Governor Reubin Askew picked the Ocala state senator to be his Lt. Gov. candidate in the 1974 election.

What has hindered Williams in his election effort is his lowkey personality, what the Miami Herald called low "personal force."

Yet without such a personality he would not have established a reputation for being a conciliator, Mrs. Williams claims.

"In the senate his last year, he was on three conference committees (committees made up of members from both the house and senate). He chaired three of those committees."

"He's been very level-headed all of his life and is totally unflappable," Mrs. Williams said.

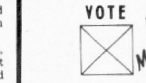
Although there will be some last minute television ads, there will not be many because Williams said he was "not going to sink three generations of my family's sweat to get into a \$50,000 a year job. I'm not going to do that."

Mrs. Williams also had high praise for Senator Betty Castor, who is running with Williams. Senator Castor is well liked and respected in the legislature, Mrs. Williams said.

Re-Elect GENE READY

*State Representative
District 51 - Democrat*

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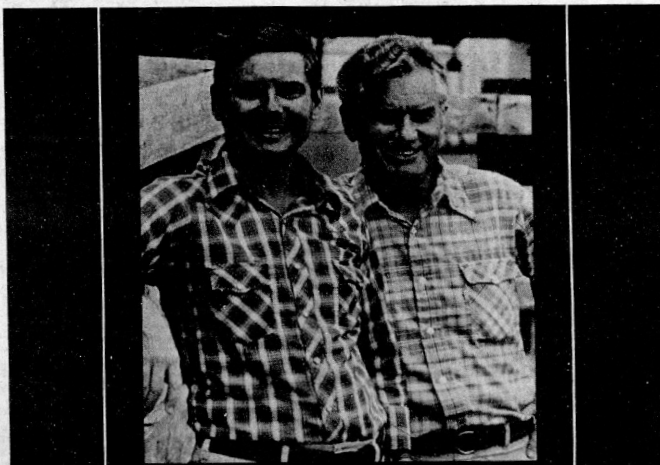
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The only regret that I have is that I have not been able to see each and every one but I do and I will appreciate each and every vote.



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Tanzler Defends Jacksonville's Finances

Democratic gubernatorial candidate Hans Tanzler, Mayor of Jacksonville, today lightly brushed aside charges by one of his opponents, Lt. Gov. Jim Williams, that Tanzler is giving the voters of Florida a false impression of Jacksonville's financial position.

Tanzler branded Williams' charges as "a grunt from a man being kicked by his own mule, the mule in this case being his own sorry record in

using his influence as Lt. Gov. to stop the runaway growth of state government during his four years in office."

Answering charges that he has ignored the problems of Jacksonville's city employee retirement fund Tanzler said, "unfunded liabilities in large cities and states is very common. My administration inherited a large liability in connection with Jacksonville's pension fund but our nationally recognized certified public

accountants (Touche Ross) have given us the most favorable opinion that a CPA firm can give, and that opinion is that we are in compliance with the provisions of Opinion 8 of the National Accounting Principles Board."

Tanzler added "One of the reasons I want to go to Tallahassee is to get the state's pension fund in as good shape as I have developed the pension funds of Jacksonville."

Tanzler said that last year

the City of Jacksonville was upgraded in the bond market and the state of the pension fund had a lot to do with it. The mayor said that Moody's rated the city's general obligation bonds and revenue bonds as A-1 while Standard and Poors rated them AA and A.

"And while we're on the subject of unfunded liabilities in connection with pensions funds, Mr. Williams might point out the fact that the State of Florida has an unfunded pension liability of \$3.3 billion dollars and he certainly doesn't seem worried about that," Tanzler said.

The Mayor pointed out that for Williams to compare Jacksonville's financial position with that of New York City is "naïve or uninformed, I don't know which. Jacksonville has never had any problems selling bonds and we have a AA rating which is next to the highest. The nation's bonding houses have completely suspended New York City's rating and the federal government had to give a 1.5 billion guarantee for them to even sell bonds."

Tanzler boasted that Jacksonville has a most favorable opinion from its

independent CPA firm. In the last fiscal year 76-77 "they gave us the most favorable opinion on the city's financial statement that a CPA can give, a completely unqualified opinion."

Saying that Williams should "get an ax handle and take his staff out behind the woods" for misinforming him about Jacksonville tax structure, Tanzler pointed out that the combined city and county tax rate prior to the consolidation of city and county governments was 40.74 and that millage has dropped from the consolidated city and county to 19.27 which

is a decrease of over 50 percent. "Furthermore, the tax millage has decreased every year since consolidation except last year (1977) when there was an increase of 4 tenths of a mill. Even before and after the slight increase, Jacksonville still has the lowest millage of any major city in the State of Florida and the lowest millage of the top 30 cities in the nation," the Mayor said.

"I don't understand the obscure implication by Mr. Williams that general revenues from the Jacksonville Electric

Authority are 40 percent as large as our entire property tax rolls. If Mr. Williams knew anything at all about municipal government he would understand that the Jacksonville Electric Authority's contribution is roughly the equivalent they would pay in

taxes if they were not owned by the city. Other cities which do not own their utility companies receive taxes (franchise or ad valorem) from them. The amount the Jacksonville Electric Authority contributes to the city's general fund is simply in lieu of taxes."



Re-Elect Gene Ready YOUR State Representative District 51 Democrat

- Runner-Up Most Promising Freshman Legislator
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- Chairman - Personnel And Collective Bargaining
- Member - Retirement, Personnel And Collective Bargaining; Tourism And Economic Development
- Jaycee Good Government Award - 1978

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Pay Increase For Recreation Director

A routine budget approval by Avon Park City Council was more than just routine to Recreation Director Dennis Guenther who picked up an approximately \$1,500 raise but not before councilmen

haggled over Guenther's salary and his responsibilities. Councilman David Barefield suggested the raise for Guenther. Barefield said that,

when he was going over the budget, he realized the recreation director was not paid equally with other city department heads.

"We have assistant department heads who work less and are not in charge of nearly as much and are paid more. We need to take a look at this," said Barefield. City Clerk Malcolm Crews

said there were three different pay levels for department heads. Guenther was in the highest pay.

Barefield pointed out Guenther was making \$30 lower than some assistant department heads. However Councilmen Robert Britt and Kelley Phillips objected to the raise, questioning Guenther's hours and responsibilities.

Britt said he didn't think Guenther's position should entitle him to the proposed higher pay.

"The recreational director's job was 'mostly activities', according to Britt. 'I don't believe he puts in as many hours as other department heads,' Britt said. 'In regards to real responsibilities, I don't think his is as great as others,' Councilman Kelley Phillips said. 'Not like the water department or the street department.'"

However, Barefield continued to argue the present pay scale was unfair. "He's certainly is worth more than a grade seven (one of the city's pay scales). There are people working in offices, who don't have nearly the responsibility, but are making more money," Barefield told councilmen.

Phillips argued that in-

creases Guenther's salary would lower the city's \$11,000 contingency fund, which he said needed to be increased, not decreased.

Councilman Henry Dennis also seemed to be antagonistic to the suggestion, telling Barefield the matter wasn't on the agenda so should not be discussed.

"The budget is on the agenda," said Barefield. "This is part of salaries, not the budget," Dennis said.

"I was under the impression salaries were included in the budget," Barefield replied.

After Barefield pointed out there may be some carry over funds in the budget which could be used to beef up the next year's contingency fund, Britt suggested upping Guenther's ranking several pay grades. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

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Sen. Tom Gallen Heading Renick Campaign

Senator Tom Gallen, District No. 24, is serving as campaign manager in his district for State Senator Richard "Dick" Renick, who is seeking the democratic nomination for Florida's Secretary of State. Senator Tom Gallen, who has

served in the legislature since 1968, represents Manatee, Hardee, DeSoto, Highlands, Okeechobee and Glades Counties. His address in Bradenton is 701 11th Street West, (813) 746-4121.

Candidates To Visit Winter Haven Mall Saturday

On September 9, 1978, the Candidates will gather at Winter Haven Mall from 12 noon until 5 p.m.

Candidates Day program provides everyone with an opportunity to meet with the candidates and to discuss with them their platforms on a one to one basis. Many of the candidates will be at the Mall

in person with several others who will have representatives to meet with the public and pass out literature.

For you "once during election opportunity" to meet your candidates for state and local government, be sure to attend this event, Saturday, September 9, from 12 until 6 p.m. at Winter Haven Mall.

Rodeo Association Holds First Meeting Tonight

The Avon Park Rodeo Association held its first meeting last week, and will meet again Thursday (today) Sept. 7, at 8 p.m. in the Florida Power Lounge. The purpose of this meeting is to plan for the coming events ahead.

Officers elected to serve for the 1978-79 year were Bob Frier, President, Danny McClelland, vice-president;

and Karen McClelland secretary-treasurer. Also four board members were selected they are: Sam Elder and Kermit Cobb adult members and the youth board members are Keith Cobb and Steve O'Berry.

Anyone interested in any aspect of the rodeo are encouraged to be at the meeting, today, at 8 p.m. at the Florida Power Lounge.

Notice Of Election

Election to select 3 City Councilmen for the

City Of Avon Park will be held

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1978

Qualifying for these offices begins Tuesday,

September 5th and ends at 5:00 P-M

Friday, November 3rd.

Registration is now open for the City Election

Registration closes Friday,

October 20th at 5:00 P-M

Malcolm K. Crews, City Clerk

Re-Elect

C. J. "Buddy" Wise

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Dist. 4 Democrat

Vote Sept. 12th.

ABOUT THE MAN

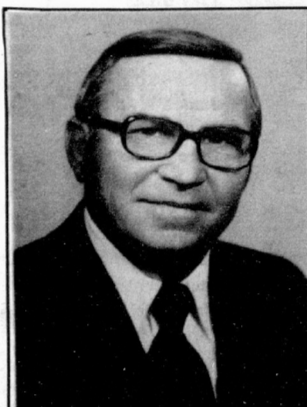
Education - Graduate of Sebring High School, Attended the Univ. of Florida.

Experience - County Commissioner 6 years, Currently serving second term as Chairman.

Community Service - Buddy and his wife are active members of the First Baptist Church of Lake Placid. He's a member of V.F.W., American Legion, D.A.V., Chamber of Commerce, Bass Busters, Rotary International of Lake Placid and Farm Bureau.

Has, in the past, been very active in the Lake Placid Athletic Assn., Sheriff's rescue Unit.

Buddy is associated with "Ole" Timer Realty in Lake Placid, and is also a Barber.



ABOUT THE ISSUES

Facts - When Buddy Wise took office 6 years ago, the tax millage was 5.15, the current 1978-79 millage is 5.88, an increase of only 14.2 percent in 6 years.

Fact - This is less than 2.5% per year.

Taxes - The County Commissioners, did not raise the millage this year. It is the same as last year!

Hospital - Buddy tried, and will keep trying to get a Hospital for Lake Placid!

Crime - I believe that law enforcement must have the funds necessary to rid our county of crime!

Buddy Wise is opposed to - Casino Gambling, Gun Control, Any type of new taxes, any kind of government growth

Keep C. J. "Buddy" Wise
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He Will Make A Difference In County Government !

Pol. Adv. by C. J. Wise, Treasurer

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IF IT'S NO ON

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Organized Crime

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HELP WANTED: apply in person Buell Rice Cabinet Co. 1108 Wagon Ave. Sebring.

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PART TIME help, cash register experience preferred. Call Freddie King Avon Park 453-7850.

WANTED: EXPERIENCED welder. Apply at Lake Placid Welding (off Lake Montfort Drive) Lake Placid.

BAR MAID and package store clerk. Must be available all shifts. Apply Super Liquors, Lake Placid.

Experienced electrician or electronics technician, references required. Good benefits, apply in person, Palmer Electric 453-7850.

POSITION: Library Assistant. South Fla. Junior College. Qualifying test will be given on 5 p.m. September 26 in Typing Lab. Appointments for interviews only by applicants starting at desired level. Contact Miss Sebring, Director of Library Services, after September 27. We are "An equal opportunity employer."

Insurance secretary wanted. In person helpful but not necessary. John Morris, 704 Highway 27 North, 527C.

12 Work Wanted

WILL DO housecleaning by day or week. Experienced. References available upon request. 385-6308 Sebring.

Painting and papering. For estimate call Delbert Wemple 453-3716. 517P

4 Special Notices

1 Card of Thanks

We want to thank everyone for the many gifts of food, flowers and kind, help to help us thru our times of sorrow at the death of our mother, The family of Bertha Rhymes.

THANK YOU TO DR. SANGUILY & HIS STAFF, HIGHLANDS GENERAL HOSPITAL 1ST FLOOR NURSES, PINK LADIES, ALL PHONE CALLS, FLOWERS & FOOD I RECEIVED FROM MY MANY FRIENDS WHILE I WAS IN THE HOSPITAL.

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2 Lost and Found

FOUND: SET of keys in Lake Josephine vicinity. 655-0275 Sebring.

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REFLEXOLOGY TREATMENTS (foot massage) Mrs. Gertschold, 465-4470, 142 Grove Street, Lake Placid.

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4 Special Notices

AFTER THIS DATE I will no longer be responsible for any debts incurred by anyone other than myself. John Monte.

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10 Good Things to Eat

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11 Help Wanted

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20 Livestock & Supplies

400 CHICKENS FOR sale including equipment. Must see female small. evenings 452-2073. Avon Park.

21 Pets & Supplies

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REGISTERED AKC American Shetland puppies. Two males, one female small. Inmate. Can leave mother Sept. 11th, six weeks, snow white, 375, 385-1908. Sebring.

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Lively Living by Betty Amburn Society Editor

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Olsen Demonstrates Art Of Fly Tying

Art Olsen, became interested in the art of tying flies in 1932 when a friend of his whose job had been terminated due to the banks closing, began this art as a means of support for his family. And, he was an expert, tying flies for famous people such as, Henry Ford and Calvin Coolidge to name a few stated Art. Together, he and I would spend a couple nights a week learning the different facets of tying flies, focusing on feathers and all the different patterns used for bass, trout, and other types of fish he added.

Together we formed the Oak Park Sportsman Club in Illinois and later I formed and was the first president of the Maywood Sportsman Club of Illinois which today is the largest sports club in the state, with a closed membership of 450 members, he stated.

Art retired from his successful office supply business in 1967 at the age of 51, and he and his wife Esther, traveled to all points of the world, fishing, sightseeing, playing golf, and mining for gemstones. "For seven years we traveled and looked for Utopia," said Art.

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They tour ed Africa and visited a native tribe that ate only meat and drank blood. The Olsens traveled to Australia and saw the lush greenlands of New Zealand, fished in waters off the Baja, mined for gems in Brazil and toured the pro golf circuit.

While in Africa the Olsens purchased a banjo made from a turtle shell and

handcrafted by the natives. During their worldwide travels, they looked for different and unusual items as souvenirs Art stated. And, in Australia we mined for the black opal in 120 degrees of heat, he added. He continued by stating that all their precious minerals are still in the rough, and proudly displays their collection.

In Africa the Olsens

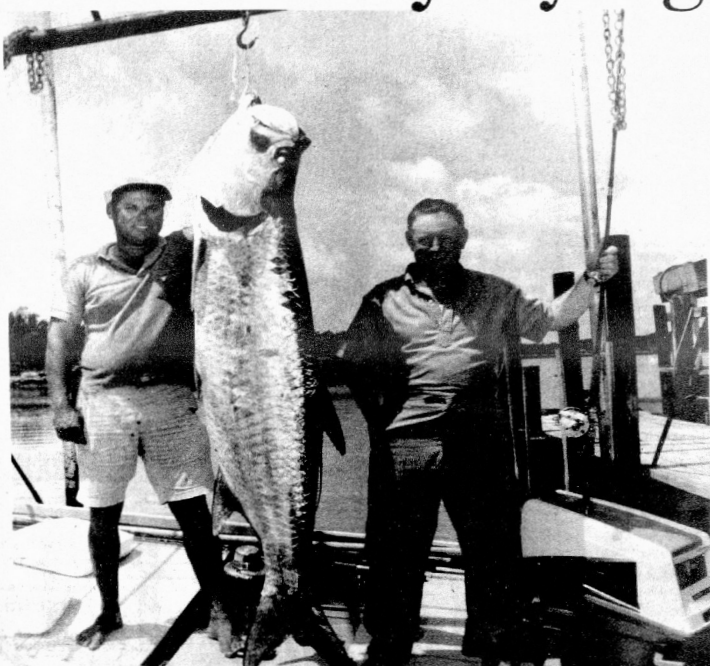
purchased a turtle shell banjo.

The Olsens finally decided to settle down and chose a modest home in Sebring Hills to be their retirement hideaway. Here they have an acre and half of land which has been left for the preservation of nature. In 1973, Kathy Askew of the Sebring News wrote an article about the Olsens and the shrub jays that would fly to them and feed from their hands. This past year they had a haven for families of cardinals, shrub jays, woodpeckers, quail, and many other varieties of our feathered friends.

Art uses feathers from game roosters as well as pheasants and peacock for his flies.

For a demonstration in the art of fly tying, Art made a bumble bee. First he selected a No. 7 hook, and secured it in place using a small vise, next he chose a silk thread and secured it on the hook using a special knot; he then added alternating layers of bright yellow and black chenille to resemble the body of the bee and for the wing effect, he chose a red hackle feather, stripped away the down, and with a special clamp began wrapping the feather around the edge of the eye of the hook and after securing it tightly with a silk thread coated with bees wax and resin, he sealed the thread with a waterproof glue.

When asked about the different items needed to make a fly, Art brought out his many feather pieces such as hackle feathers from fighting game cocks, golden pheasant, and peacock were among just a few. He also uses buck (deer) and rabbit tails for some of his flies.



ART AND HIS guide Cecil Keith, with a 146 pound, 6 foot 6 inch Tarpon that he

caught off the coast of the Fla. Keyes Field and Stream. for which he received recognition from

Art informed this reporter that the best hooks are made in England while Spain has the better quality of cork bobs.

"The best hooks come from England while Spain has the better quality of cork bobs," said Art.

When asked which fly he preferred for his own use his answer was the cork bobs and feathers, but then too it all depended upon the type of fish and the time and day and etc., which type he would use.

Art went on to say that fish were cold blooded animals and stayed within their strata of water that was most comfortable to their bodies, for example, when its hot they can be found on the bottom and when its cold they will be closer to the surface of the water.

He also makes rubber flies for fishing in the early part of the year.

Art also makes rubber flies using cork, rubber, and feathers. These he uses at the start of the year just when the water begins to warm up, and they fly resembles little wiggles called nymphs.

During their many travels and fishing trips Art has won trophies and recognition for his abilities. In 1960 he received an award from Field and Stream magazine for a 146 pound, 6 ft. 6 in. Tarpon, he caught off the coast of the Fla. Keyes at Islamorada.

Although he didn't reveal the exact location of all his favorite fishing spots, Art did say that Lakes Josephine and Jackson were two good locations.

Even though fishing happens to be one of his favorite pastimes, Art is also an avid golfer. "I am on the course about 4-5 times a week, he said, adding that he's there as often as he can. And Esther is a golfer at heart, scoring in the low 100's. In 1976 Art formed and is the president of a club known as the "Highlands Seniors Golf Association," which is a non-profit organization for senior citizens who love to play golf. He is also very involved with the Sebring Lions Club. And, when he has some spare time, he enjoys playing the banjo. Last year he entertained with the "Sing-a long" at the Lions Club St. Patrick Day activity.

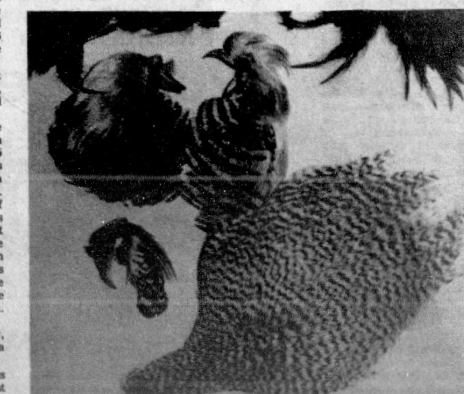
The Olsens have one daughter, Joy, and three grandchildren, Jill, Cynthia and Pamela.

Art also stated that during the years he has tied flies for his own enjoyment and use, he has taught boy scouts the art so they could get their badge for this activity.

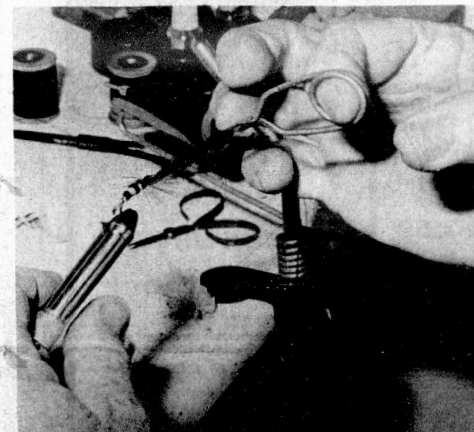


ART PROUDLY SHOWS the banjo he purchased from a native tribe in Africa.

Notice that the base of the banjo is made from a turtle shell.



SOME OF THE different feathers that Art uses to make his flies. The hackle from the fighting game cock, and pheasant is among the few shown.



IN THE PHOTO ABOVE Art demonstrates how he takes a feather and turns it around the fly body, at the edge of the hooks eye to make the spiral feather look.

At the age of 68 his hands were a little shaky but the expertise was still evident.



HERE ART IS shown with his fishing cap and jacket with flies attached, he is

ready to throw that rod into a nice cool lake and catch some fish.



THE MAP ABOVE shows the many different places the Olsens have visited

during their years of traveling. Fishing, hunting and exploring the many coun-

tries of this universe.

South Florida Junior College In Review.....

Evening Air Conditioning-Refrigeration Class At SFJC

The Vocational, Technical and Adult Education Division of South Florida Junior College is offering an evening class in Air Conditioning and Refrigeration during the fall semester. This class will meet from 7-10 p.m. on Tuesdays beginning Sept. 12.

The class is designed to train persons in preparing for or reviewing skills used by Air Conditioning and Refrigeration technicians. Students may register at the Admissions Office daily from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., or on the first night of class.

Further information may be obtained from SFJC or by calling 453-6661, extension 123 or 119, in Avon Park.

Adult Education Division of South Florida Junior College. One class will meet at Sebring High School on Monday evenings from 7 - 10 p.m. beginning Sept. 11. Mrs. Ellen Smith will be the instructor. The other class will be held at the new Lake Placid High

School on Wednesday evenings from 7 - 10 beginning September 13. Mrs. Donna Nichols will be the instructor.

Anyone interested in enrolling may register at the SFJC Admission Office or at the first class meeting.

Registration fee is \$12.50 and students must furnish their own materials.

Persons desiring further information should contact the Vocational Guidance Office at SFJC or call 453-6661, extension 119, in Avon Park.

Adult High School Classes

South Florida Junior College will be offering classes that a person may take and earn adult high school credits. These classes will be offered on campus, at Sebring Middle School and at Lake Placid High

School. Classes include English, Mathematics and Social Studies along with courses in business education, courses in Bookkeeping, Office Machines, Typing, Shorthand and vocational classes in Nurse Assistant, Auto Body Repair, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration and Sewing.

Adult high school classes will meet one night each week from 7 to 10 p.m. beginning the week of Sept. 11.

For additional information, call 453-6661, extension 119 or 123, in Avon Park.

Vocational Classes At SFJC

Donald H. Farrens, Dean of the Vocational, Technical and Adult Education Division of South Florida Junior College, has announced that interested persons may still register for daytime vocational classes at SFJC. These classes include Auto Mechanics, Auto Body

Repairs, Air Conditioning, Child Care, Electric Tractor and Diesel. Students may take these classes either six hours per week or six hours per through Friday are all designed

Evening Auto Body Class At SFJC

An evening class in Auto Body Repairs has been scheduled by the Vocational, Technical and Adult Education Division of South Florida Junior College during the fall semester. This course is to assist persons in preparing for or reviewing their skills in the auto body repair industry. Participants will be learning to use appropriate hand tools as well as learning body repair, fiberglassing, sanding and painting.

The class will meet from 7 - 10 p.m. on Wednesdays beginning Sept. 13. Persons may register at the Admissions Office at SFJC or on the first night of class.

Additional information may be obtained from the VTAE Office at the college or by calling 453-6661, extension 119 or 123, in Avon Park.

Emergency Medical Technician Class At SFJC

The Vocational, Technical and Adult Education Division of South Florida Junior College will offer an Emergency Medical Technician Program during the fall semester. This class is approved by the Florida Board of Health and Rehabilitative Services and is open to all qualified persons interested in becoming an E.M.T.

The class meets on campus on Monday and Wednesday evenings from 7 - 10 p.m. beginning Sept. 11. Students will also be required to attend two weekend seminars. The cost of the course is \$30, plus textbooks.

Persons desiring further information may contact Gene Statler at SFJC or call 453-6661, extension 119, in Avon Park.

Adult Business Education Classes To Be Offered in Highlands County

The Vocational, Technical and Adult Education Division of South Florida Junior College, in cooperation with the Highlands County School Board, will be offering a number of business education classes for adults during the Fall Semester. These classes will be offered on the SFJC campus and at Lake Placid High School.

Typing, Office Machines, Bookkeeping and Legal Secretarial Procedures will be held on campus. Bookkeeping will meet on Monday evenings, Legal Secretarial Procedures on Tuesday evenings, Office Machines on Wednesday evenings and Typing I and II on Thursday evenings. Typing I and II will be offered at Lake Placid High School on Tuesday evenings. All classes meet from 7 to 10 p.m., and begin the week of September 11.

Interested persons may register at the college on Sept. 6 from 7 to 9 p.m. or at Lake Placid Middle School Library on Sept. 7 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. or at any of the class locations on the evening that the class begins.

Any person desiring further information about the adult business education classes should contact Gene Statler at SFJC or call 453-6661, extension 119, in Avon Park.

Clothing Production Classes for Adults

Two clothing production classes will be offered in Highlands County during the fall semester by the Vocational, Technical and



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extension 119, in Avon Park. **Nursing Assistant Classes to be offered By College** South Florida Junior College will sponsor two Nursing Assistant Classes during the Fall semester of 1978. These classes will serve Highlands

and Hardee County residents. The Highlands County class will be held on the campus of SFJC and will utilize Highlands General and Walker Memorial Hospital plus other selected sites and clinical experiences. It will be taught by Martha Scott.

The Hardee County class will meet at the Hardee County Hospital and in the classroom for cooperative Health Education at Hardee County High School and will be taught by Barbara Hennis and Diane Tinsley on a team basis. Both classes are scheduled

for Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Persons may register for either class at the college on Sept. 6 from 7 to 9 a.m. Persons living in Hardee County may register at the first class on Sept. 12 at Hardee Memorial Hospital. Cost of the course is \$25 plus textbooks.

Any person desiring further information may call the vocational guidance office of SFJC at 453-6661 Ext. 137.

"INVITATION TO BID"
The Board of County Commissioners, Highlands County, Sebring, Florida, will receive sealed bids for the County Purchasing Department, 504 South Commerce Avenue, Sebring, Florida 33870 FOR:
1. 1979 - Cab & Chassis trucks

Cab & Chassis will be replacement units for the Highlands County Emergency Medical Service. All bids must be mailed or delivered on or before the Highlands County Purchasing Department no later than 2:00 P.M. Monday, September 25, 1978, at which time bids will be opened in the commissioners' conference room. All bids must be sealed and marked, "Bid on Cab & Chassis." The "Official Bid Form" must be used and completed in submitting bids. Complete specifications may be obtained from the county purchasing department. The board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or any parts thereof.
(C. J. "BUDDY" WISE, CHAIRMAN BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, Aug. 30, Sept. 6, 1978)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION
Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners, Highlands County, will hold a Public Auction at the Road & Bridge Complex, U.S. 27 South, Sebring, Fla. 33870, Saturday, September 16, 1978, starting at 9:30 A.M. The following list of Vehicles and Miscellaneous Equipment will be sold for cash to the highest and best bidder. All items will be on display for inspection at the Road & Bridge Complex, Friday, September 15, 1978, between the hours of 7:30 A.M. and 3:00 P.M. Items must be removed from premises no later than 4:00 P.M. Saturday, September 16, 1978. Copies of the Auction list can be obtained at the County Purchasing Department, 504 S. Commerce Ave., Sebring, Fla. and the Road & Bridge Complex, U.S. 27 South, Sebring, Fla.
Property Number AC-7: Item Desk, 1 pedestal, 4 drawer metal. AC-15: Pick-up truck, 1971 Dodge, 8 cyl.
BC-197: Shampooer & Floor Polisher, w/brush & pad attachments, Sears.
CAE-40: Typewriter, Royal, Manual, 21" carriage.
CAF-44: Roller File Cabinet, 36"x14", 15 shelves, metal.
CAL-26: Adding Machine, Victor, CD-184: Radio, Johnson, w/2 crystals.
CD-187: Radio, Johnson, w/2 crystals.
CD-177: Pick-up Truck, 1962 Dodge, 5 ton.
CD-200: Monitor, Model HL-44A, CD-210: Transmitter, w/antenna, power supply, cabinet.
CD-235: Truck, 1967 GMC, 8 cyl. CD-241: Car, 1970 Ford, 4 door Sedan, 8 cyl.
CD-246: Electric Hoist.
CEFA-1: Typewriter, Royal, electric, Model 680.
CL-4: Adding Machine, Victor, CL-4: Adding Machine, Victor, CL-81: Typewriter, IBM, Executive, Electric.
CL-124: Typewriter, IBM, Electric, 24" carriage.
CL-147: Calculator, Olympia, Model RA-10-AB.
CL-284: Cabinet, Document File, sectional, 34 drawers, 1 section, 75"x30"x14 1/2", metal.
CL-303: Book Rack, Criminal Index Book Rack, Sage.
CL-354: Adding Machine, Victor Premier, 10 key, 10-11 Column total.
CL-383: Calculator, Olympia, Model RA-10-AB.
CL-386: Calculator, Citizen, All purpose, 10 key.
RD-173: Typewriter, IBM, electric, 15" carriage.
JH-4: Nurse, Fridge, Delco, Model RDG-38N.
JH-16: Refrigerator, Frigidaire, Model FPCD-1472N.
JH-25: Television, Zenith Compaq, 11-8 Typewriter, Royal, Manual, Portable w/carrying case.
PA-31: Adding Machine, Burroughs, 10 key, electric, Model 2794.
PA-46: Adding Machine, Burroughs, 10 key, 7 column, elect. RB-14: Dump Truck, 1966 Ford, 3 ton w/V8 engine.
RD-100: Pick-Up Truck, 1968 Dodge, 4 wheel drive, 5 ton.
RB-111: Pick-Up Truck, 1969 International, 15 ton w/V8.
RB-120: Pick-Up Truck, 1971 Dodge V8.
RB-141: Car, 1968 Ford, Custom, 4 door Sedan.
RB-306: Chair, Executive, swivel, wood.
RB-404: Water Cooler, Westinghouse.
RB-408: Rolatape, Model 415.
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RB-458: Jack, 4 ton Hydraulic Floor Jack, Walker.
RB-477: Water Cooler, General Electric.
RB-488: Grassy On, Babcock.
RB-494: Wrench, Impact, Pneumatic, 1/2" square.
RB-504: Grassy On, Pneumatic, Warner, on rollers, Pneumatic.
RB-511: Battery Tester, 6 RAC, 300.
RB-522: Sander, 7" Disc, Model 18.
RB-546: Fan, Circulation fan on a stand.
RB-549: Pump, gasoline hand pump w/stand.
RB-558: Sabre Saw, Stanley, Model 76A.
RB-597: Come-A-Long Winch, 3 ton capacity, American Power Pull.
RB-598: Come-A-Long Winch, 3 ton capacity, American Power Pull.
RB-658: Wrench, 15" Impact wrench.
SR-181: Map Frame, 24x36 w/ glass cover.
SR-182: Map Frame, 24x36 w/ glass cover.
TA-87: Chair, Steelmaster, swivel, warm.
TA-72: Typewriter, Royal, manual, 15" carriage.
TA-77: Typewriter, Royal, manual, 18" carriage.
TA-106: Calculator, Marchant, Model RAIX, 50441.
TA-123: Adding Machine, Underwood-Sundstrand, 10 key, 10 column total, electric.
TA-127: Tape Recorder, w/boom microphone, w/foot pedal, Model FC-306.
TA-128: Calculator, Victor, 10 key.
TA-176: Calculator, "SCM" Marchant, electric, Model 110.
TA-191: Calculator, "SCM" Marchant, electric, Model 110.
TA-268: Calculator, Texas Instruments, Model TI-411.
WD-37: Typewriter, Royal, Model 44, 18" carriage.
Miscellaneous Radio Parts, Used (Grader Blades).
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(C. J. "BUDDY" WISE, Chairman Board of County Commissioners, Highlands County, Sept. 6, 1978)

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MARTI DRIZA SAYS goodbye to her new friends at Hillcrest Nursing Home as she returns home to Muskegon, Mich. and to college.

Marti Brought Sunshine To Hillcrest Patients

Marti Driza of Muskegon, Mich., daughter of Albin and Nellie Driza recently came to Avon Park to visit her 53 year old grandmother, Mrs. Ann Driza. While here Marti visited Hillcrest Nursing Home each morning to visit with the people and play cards with and sometimes help them with their exercises.

When asked about why she chose to spend her vacation helping out at the Nursing Home Marti answered, "I

enjoy being with the people, and I especially love playing cards with Mrs. Lottie Bagget, one of the patients at the nursing home. Marti graduated from high school in 1975 and is a senior at Grand Rapids Valley State College, majoring in Physical Therapy. The patients at Hillcrest send a fond farewell to this student that has crossed their pathway and brought a little sunshine into their lives. Good Luck Marti with whatever you do.

Howey Students Get New Books

When Howey Academy opens its 23rd Fall semester September 10, students at the Central Florida educational college preparatory school will study new and updated books and materials as result of the Summer working of a continuing textbook selection committee.

Acting on instructions from the Board of Trustees, the 4-man one woman committee has recommended materials to meet the high standards set by the Board to equip the child for career or higher educational work.

"The committee has done a fine job. Their sifting was not

made easier by published book written at very low levels of learning and comprehension. One 12th grade history book, for example, frankly stated it was written at 5th grade comprehension and learning levels," said Dr. Edwin Sadler, executive administrator-counselor.

DeLaney Heights

By Mrs. Charles F. Marshall
After omitting the July and August birthday luncheons the residents of DeLaney Heights will again resume this monthly meeting at the Club House on September 13, at 12 noon. Each person is asked to please bring your own table service and a covered dish to pass and join them for an enjoyable luncheon and fellowship.

Joseph Taking Part In "Computex 2-78"

Navy Machinist's Mate Firearm Apprentice Matthew M. Joseph, son of Paul S. Joseph of Avon Park, is currently participating in exercise "Computex 2-78" in the Pacific Ocean.

He is assigned to the frigate USS Harold E. Holt, homeported in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

Exercise participants number 15 ships and approximately 4,500 personnel of the U.S. Third Fleet, plus units from the Japanese Maritime Self-Defense Force. A Squadron of Naval Reserve destroyers from the West Coast also is involved.

"Computex 2-78" is designed to improve the individual combat readiness of each ship involved by stressing all phases of naval operations, including antisubmarine, surface and airwarfare.

Vice Admiral Samuel L. Gravelly Jr., USN, commander of the U.S. Third Fleet, is overall director of operations. The major at-sea commander is Captain M. B. Briscoe, USN, commander of Destroyer Squadron 35, based at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

Joseph joined the Navy in April 1977.

If you have gone to great lengths to teach your children to be honest at all times, you are to be commended. However, the most convincing lesson is the example of your own behavior. Do they dry their hands on towels embroidered with the names of famous hotels, which you took for "souvenirs"? Do they overhear Dad bragging about the way he cheated on his income tax return, or watch Mom displaying an item the cashier forgot to ring up, which she has no intention of paying for? All these things combine to make a mockery of the lesson you tried to teach your children. What the whole family needs are some good sessions at the Church of your choice, which will remind each generation that honesty, like perfection, does not come in degrees.

"He that is faithful in that which is least is faithful also in much; and he that is unjust in the least is unjust also in much."
—Luke 16:10

An honest man's noblest work of God.
—Alexander Pope



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Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.
Youth Meeting 6:00 P.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.

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Minister V. J. Ragsdale
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
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Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
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Pastor: Elder Thomas J. Brown
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:30 A.M.
Tuesday Prayer Service 7:30 P.M.
Thursday Missionary 7:30 P.M.
Youth Program—Sunday 5:30 P.M.
Sunday Night Service 6:30 P.M.

Walker Memorial Seventh-day Adventist Church
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Jr. Academy Gymnasium
Pastor: R.E. DuBoise
Phone 453-7686

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Worship Hour 10:40 A.M.
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Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Training Union 6:30 P.M.
Evening Worship 7:45 P.M.
Mid-week Service—Wednesdays 6:30 P.M.
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BEULAH BAPTIST CHURCH
1019 S. Delaney
Pastor: Rev. Columbus L. Carter
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Thursday Prayer Meeting 7:00 P.M.
Youth Program: Fourth Sunday 11:00 A.M.
Home Mission: Fourth Sunday 6:00 P.M.
Bible Study: First and Second Sunday 5:00 P.M.
Teachers Meeting Tuesday 7:00 P.M.

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Rev. Arnold Smith, Pastor
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Wednesday evening 7:30 P.M.
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200 South Forest Avenue
Minister Bob Barker
Sunday Services:
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Evening Worship 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 P.M.

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Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday Service 7:00 P.M.

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Pastor: R. L. O'Quinn

1000 Thomas Street, Avon Park, Fla.
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Training Union 6:00 P.M.

Prayer Meeting—Wednesday 7:30 P.M.
Choir Practice—Wednesday 8:30 P.M.
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112 South Central Ave.
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Sunday School 8:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Young People 9:45 A.M.

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Evangelistic Service 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday Mid-week Prayer and Bible Study 7:30 P.M.

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(Associate Reformed Synod)
215 East Circle Street
Pastor: W. O. Ragsdale

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
(Nursery Every Sunday)

Wednesday Night Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Rehearsal 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday (Nursery provided)

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Woman's Society

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222 Castle Street
Pastor: Rev. J. B. Fields
Sunday School 8:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Women's Missionary Council—
Wednesday 4:00 P.M.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Corner Avon Blvd. and Highlands
Avon Park Lakes

Sunday Service 10:00 A.M.
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Reading Room, Friday 1:30-3 P.M.

FLORIDA AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor: Rev. Edwin Tharpe
Phone: 453-3539

Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Training Union 6:30 P.M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.
Mid-week Prayer Service 7:30 P.M.
Nursery Open All Services

OUR LADY OF GRACE
CATHOLIC CHURCH
Father George Fraser
E. Main St. — Phone 453-4757

Wed. and Sat. Mass 7:30 P.M.
Weekdays 8:00 A.M.
Sunday Masses 8:30 and 10:30 A.M.
Confessions Saturday 7:00 to 7:30 P.M.

Religious Instruction:
Graders: Sunday 9:30 A.M.
High School Students Wed. 7:30 P.M.

RESURRECTION LUTHERAN CHURCH
Lutheran Church in America
Corner Main St. and Highlands Ave.
Rev. Elmer G. Gregg, Minister

Divine Services 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 8:45 a.m.
Visitors Always Welcome

ST. JOHN BAPTIST CHURCH
Rainbow Park
Pastor: Rev. Arthur Ausley

Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Senior Choir Rehearsal—Monday 7:30 P.M.
Youth Program—Sunday 5:15 P.M.

THE CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER
EPISCOPAL
E. Pleasant at Varona Sts.

Fr. Wm. C. Harris, Rector in Charge.
Sunday Services
Eucharist 8:00 A.M.
Church School 9:00 A.M.
Family Service 10:00 A.M.
Wednesday Eucharist 9:30 A.M.

ST. MARK MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor: Rev. J. W. Daugherty

Sunday School 9:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Baptist Training Union 5:00 P.M.
Choir No. 1—Tuesday 7:00 P.M.
Choir No. 2—Monday 8:00 P.M.

Prayer Meeting—Thursday 7:00 P.M.
Usher Board No. 1—Monday 8:00 P.M.
Usher Board No. 2—Friday 4:30 P.M.

Trustee Day—First Sunday
Mission Day—Third Sunday

Public Invited

To Kindred

Spirit Musical

There will be a Freedom Assembly on the 21st thru the 23rd of September. Featured will be the music ministry of kindred Spirit, a contemporary christian music group. In addition, a Scriptural message will be taught by Paul Womble, an associate minister with the Christian Retreat in Bradenton. People from all churches are invited to join in these non-denominational meetings, designed to promote freedom for all.

The series of meetings will be held Thursday through Saturday, Sept. 21-23, at 7:30 p.m. at Freedom Assembly Church, S. Anoka At Center Street, two blocks east of Eckers at the end of Morrill St.

Everyone regardless of church affiliation is encouraged to attend these meetings.

Episcopal

Women To Hold

First Meeting

The Episcopal Church Women of Avon Park, will meet for their regular monthly meeting Wednesday, Sept. 13 in the Parish House of the Church of the Redeemer, after mid-week communion.

After a short "coffee" the business meeting will start at 10:30 a.m. Details of the program are not complete as of this writing, but it is sure to be enjoyable.

This is the first meeting after summer recess. Here's hoping a good number of members will attend to get the program off to a good start.

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23 East Main - Jacaranda Hotel

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**Anti-
Perspirant**
12-oz. can
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Mouthwash**
36-oz. bot.
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**Tooth
Paste**
7-oz. tube
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200  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Peeled & Deveined
Singleton Shrimp**
20-oz. pkg.
1. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

200  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**7-Oz. Tube Or
11-Oz. Lotion Shampoo
Head & Shoulders**
2. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

200  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Bufferin
Tablets**
165-ct. bot.
3. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

200  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Regular Or With Iron
Flintstone Vitamins**
60-ct. bot.
4. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

200  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Vitalis Liquid
Hair Groom**
12-oz. bot.
5. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Saffola
Margarine**
1-lb. ctn.
6. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Marzetti French, Creamy Italian,
1000 Island Or Blue Cheese
Yogurt Dressings**
12-oz. jar
7. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Kraft's Plain
Cheez Whiz**
1-lb. jar
8. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Stouffer's French, Chocolate Chip,
Cheese Or Blueberry
Crumb Cakes**
reg. pkg.
9. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Chef Pierre Lemon, Chocolate
Coconut Or Key Lime
Ice Box Pies**
reg. pkg.
10. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**ANY FROZEN
"BUTONI" PRODUCTS**
reg. pkg.
11. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Vick's Sinex
Nasal Spray**
15 cc size
12. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Liquid
Pepto Bismol**
4-oz. bot.
13. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Soft
Cosmetic Puffs**
260-ct. bag
14. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**BAND-AID Brand
Plastic Or Sheer Strips
Adhesive Bandages**
Any Package
15. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Extra-Gentle, Regular
Or Oily
Agree Shampoo**
8-oz. bot.
16. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Regular, Oily Or
Extra-Body
Agree Creme Rinse**
(Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**40c Off Label
Super II
Schick Blades**
9-oz. pkg.
18. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Wella Flex
Hair Net**
8-oz. can
19. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**16-Ct. Or 30-Ct.
Regular, Super Or
Super Plus
O. B. Tampons**
(Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Vaseline Herb, Ex-Strength
Or Regular
Hand Lotion**
10-oz. bot.
21. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Vaseline
Petroleum Jelly**
3 3/4-oz. jar
22. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Reach
Tooth Brush**
each for
23. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Fasteeth
Denture Adhesive**
2-oz. size
24. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Geritol
Tablets**
14-Ct. Or 40-Ct. Size
(Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Regular Tylenol
Tablets**
100-ct. bot.
26. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Mennen's
Baby Lotion**
4-oz. size
27. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**20c Off Label
Aim
Toothpaste**
8.2-oz. tube
28. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Oral Antiseptic
Listerine
Mouth Wash**
12-oz. bot.
29. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Unscented, Ultimate
Or Ex-Hold
Adorn Hair Spray**
9-oz. can
30. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Flex "Non Aero"
Hair Spray**
13-oz. can
31. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Noxzema
Skin Cream**
10-oz. jar
32. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Wisconsin Cheese Bar
Individually-Wrapped
Processed Cheese Food
Sliced American 3-lb. pkg.**
45. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Kraft's Natural Sharp or
New York Extra Sharp
Cheddar Cheese**
16-oz. bar
46. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

50  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Alchem Spot &
Stain Remover**
16-oz. size
47. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

50  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Mazola
Diet Margarine**
1-lb. twin-pk.
39. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

50  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**American
Rice Fries**
10-oz. pkg.
40. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Johnson
Toddler Diapers**
12-ct. pkg.
33. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Georgia
Peanuts**
11-oz. can
34. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Carefree
Panty Shield**
30-ct. pkg.
35. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Maxi Or Mini
Stay Free Pads**
30-ct. pkg.
36. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Mazola
No-Stick**
9-oz. can
37. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

100  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Charcoal
Plus**
6-lb. bag
38. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

50  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Sani
Flush**
34-oz. size
42. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

50  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Windex
Refill**
32-oz. size
43. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

50  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
**Spring, Lemon, Rose
Or Pine
Glade Solid**
6-oz. size
41. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)

50  **EXTRA**
WITH THIS COUPON AND PURCHASE OF
Dixie Cup
9-Oz. Refills
40-ct. pkg.
44. (Expires Wed., Sept. 13, 1978)