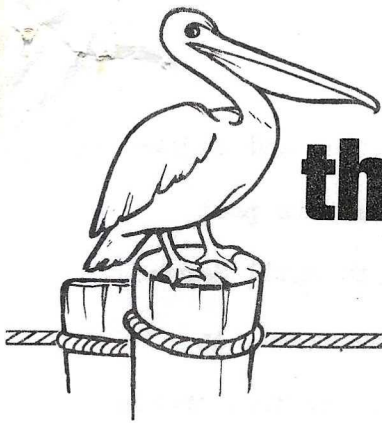


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JUST ABOUT EVERYONE IS BACK NOW -  
SEE ANYONE YOU RECOGNIZE?

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!!

We are having a little party in the Recreation Hall the evening of November 22nd from 5:30 'til 9:30. All Gulf to Bay residents are cordially invited to attend.

It will be a casual get together with a bill of fare of soda, coffee, beer, wine & firewater with light snacks.

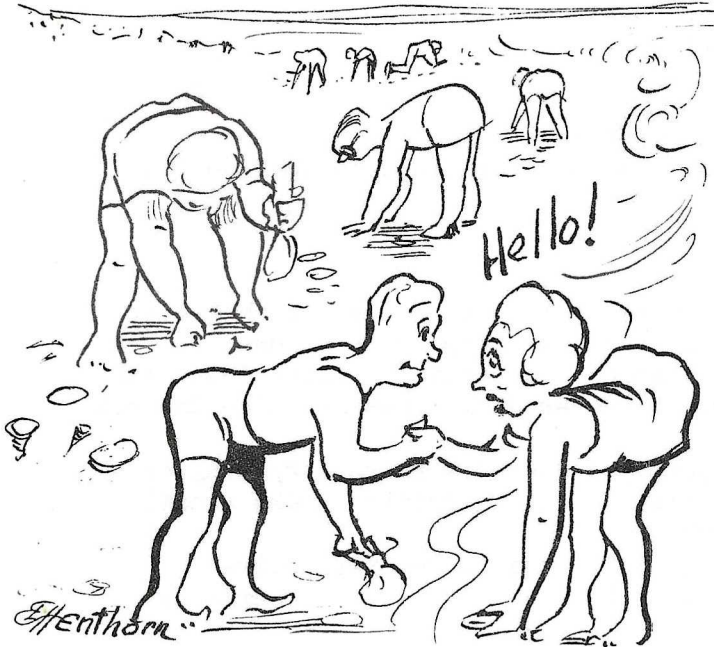
Bring along your dancing shoes and sing-a-long voices and enjoy the music of Mr. Whitegloves.

Please join us - we think you'll have a good time.

Warren & Jean

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I went to the doctor, told him I had shingles. He tried to sell me aluminum siding.



## DIJE STREET - Clara Bessinger

There is very little news on Dije St. as most folks are just arriving. The Browns, Robinsons and the Palermos are busy getting settled. Roxanne broke her ankle and had it in a cast most of the summer.

Doris Slaybough whose son, Loren, is here for a few days and daughter, Loreen, will be here Saturday.

George Hale is looking much better, he shuffles one or two games a day. The therapist comes to the park and gives him treatments on his arm.

Jay Hubbard says he's had a rough summer, hospital stay and all, but reports he's much better now.

Jim Spears is feeling a little better but can't get out and about.

Hulda says Emil Lion died in June. His wife is still in a rest home but is feeling a little better.

The Marshes are wonderful as usual. Clara Bessinger is with them again this year. Jean McLaren was a visitor at the Marshes Wednesday.

We are very sorry to hear of the passing of Helen Rolph September 28th. Clarence will be here for a while. We are hoping he will stay on in the park. His son, John, spent a few days here recently.

Hank Mastie is enjoying his CB much more now that he has the new tower.

The neighbors really enjoy Lorraine Ide's playing and singing. Organ music really puts us in the mood!

## ESTADA STREET - Emma Graber

How about that Pileated Woodpecker that's driving Dottie Hall up the wall - pecking away at her favorite palm tree? Don't stick your head out the window, Dottie - ed. note

Dick and Marge Hamilton: No news, just enjoying their walk around the park every day.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McDoneld will be guests of the Oestreichs for a week, preparing for the big cruise next week. Glad to know Marguerite's eye problem is settling down after a little complication.

Jeanette Blanchard can't get around too well any more. It would be nice if she had some visitors or cards. Emma and Gordon Graber are glad to be back in the park. Good to see everybody here again.

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When you see an old lady at a spinning wheel today it usually is in Las Vegas or Atlantic City.

BAYO STREET - Mabel Gaudette

Rose Quinette's sister, Marie Genest, from Ludlow, Mass., was visiting and enjoying the Gulf for the past two weeks.

Bernice Theiss was visiting with her family in Ohio for four months this past summer. She said it is nice to be back.

Our street will miss the Henthorns who go back to Ohio November 19th until March. Happy snowfall!

Terry and Vin Phaneuf went to visit friends, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Beauregard, in St. Petersburg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bovee enjoyed a trip to visit her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Earl, in Ft. Lauderdale this past summer.

Margaret Sizelove's sister, husband and son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young, from Springfield, Ill., drove down with them. They enjoyed our park and the beach then flew home this past week.

Grace Henning was visited by her grandson, wife and 2 great grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ferguson, from Ft. Myers.

The Cliffords had a death in the family and had to leave our park. We will miss them.

Helen Graveline is coming along slowly. She had a very painful trip down and had to be left off at the hospital, This is her address now:

Venice Nursing Pavilion N.  
437 Nokomis Ave.  
Venice, Fla. 33495

We all miss Helen and hope she will be with us here soon.

Ernestine Graveline from Indian Orchard, Mass., is here for about another month. She is in Helen's trailer; she came down with us.

GREETINGS FROM AURA STREET - Betty Baker

Ethel Cross arrived later than usual with her son, Bill. Ethel feels much better now after surgery this summer. Thanksgiving time she expects company from home.

Anne Cady had daughters, Susan and Lee & her husband Jim Cattanio, drive down with her. They helped Anne get settled for the winter. Daughter Jill & husband Mike Chernik are coming for a visit.

Edna & Peanuts are still busy people. They just put down new green carpeting on their porch plus a coat of white paint on their mobile home. Everything looks great!

Russ Quinn came in from Kentucky. Welcome back!

Mrs. Johnson is still busy feeding the animals. It's good to see her active!

Marge Stocum and friend, Ellie Walton, drove down from New York. They certainly enjoy the beach!

Millie Cohoon is looking great and out visiting people!

The people on Aura Street must give Jean & Warren many thanks for trimming the overgrown bushes. Now our street seems like a boulevard. My, how our managers work to beautify the whole park!

Betty Baker arrived Sept. 26th in good old Florida. She is busy painting and fixing up. Sue, her daughter, comes down from Tampa and helps so much.

Iced tea was served on the beach Wednesday by Cal Thatcher. What a lovely and welcome surprise to us thirsty swimmers.

CIELO STREET - Joan Stunzig

"Gee! It's great to be back in Gulf to Bay." These are the sentiments of all of us here on Cielo St.

Bud and Ruth Hicks are going to spend the whole winter for the first time! Leona is back in the cottage and George Byron keeps us all agog with his finery as he leaves for work each day.

Cora Tyson is suffering with a bad back, so stop in and say, "Hello!"

McElroys are here; at least Phyllis is around (Tom is mostly under, on or in his boat)

Kalaghers are delayed so they can attend their grandson's wedding and Don & Virginia Reppenhagen are back in the swing of things. (Virginia reports that Don's books balance. We weren't at all concerned, Don) Norm & Millie Durst should be finished unpacking the motor home by Saturday and then, "Watch Out Fish!!"

Georgia and Angie are not here yet but the Finellis are and look as good as ever. A welcome sight to this reporter's eyes!

Janey Wiley's still running back and forth to the P.O. but once in a while you can pin her down for a short conversation. Stevensons arrived but Bill has a cracked wing. Knowing Bill, it won't ground him for long. Barbara Richardson arrived over the weekend and was on the beach in 10 minutes.

Dave and Leah Hart are as busy as ever. We have a new resident at 322. Welcome to the flock, Phyllis Crosby! Stunzigs are holding court down at the bay side, but Joan is always on the beach. Paul can be found shuffling, mostly.

As we said before, "Gee! It's great here at Gulf to Bay!"

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License plate on the car of a retired drill sergeant - HUP 234

One day in school Billy was asked to paraphrase the sentence, "He was bent on seeing her." Billy wrote, "The sight of her doubled him up."

At the reading of a will - "Being of sound mind, I spent all my money before I died."

GOLFO STREET - Dortha Swickard

Dottie Kerber's back on Golfo St. after a good summer in Michigan.

Kate & Paul Kerber and Rita Roof are planning on having Thanksgiving with us.

Gene and Mahlon Hallett will be a little late due to Mahlon's health problem.

Mahlon likes our 70+ degree temperatures rather than the 40's at home.

Welcome to our new neighbors, Cam & Cal Thatcher of Findlay, who are getting settled in their mobile home at 8 Golfo St. where Helena & Sam Moody spent so many winters. Helena's now living in Massachusetts. Cam & Cal are fortunate enough to be having their son & family with them for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Eleanor & Noble Paul had a wonderful summer, meeting their families from Penn. & Michigan for a family get-together and vacationing along the eastern seacoast. WOW!!

Audrey & George Jacobson and Ken Elsner of Dayton are here in 5 Golfo St., home for a couple weeks. Audrey, George & Ken and relatives from Port Charlotte are going back north for the holidays, returning after the first of the year.

Dorothy & Floyd Crankshaw came in over a week ago from Muskegon long enough for Dorothy to work in her flowers & get their mobile home washed. Floyd's busy painting his boat.

Helen & Charlie Verrill aren't here yet, but they will be pleased with the new addition they had installed. Bet they are visiting family on the way down.

Norma & Jean Croteau won't come in until later - February or March?

Bill & Dortha Swickard came in Friday & Bill has been busy since arriving.

Nettie Arnholt has been the only one living on our street all summer. Glad she's been here; she's a busy gal!

CIELO CT.

Maurice & Theresa are with us for a few months enjoying our warm weather.

We're sorry about Jack May's too early death and hope Mary can be with us later.

Fred and Loretta Brandemill have not yet arrived. (May be in today)

George Uto, working hard planting lots of grass, on his knees, bending low, or sitting on his ~~as~~ pail.

Matt & Lola Yakes breezed in for the winter at #24 Cielo Ct.

WELCOME ALL  
by Hampden F. Tener

Welcome all ! Most welcome  
Back here to Gulf-to-Bay !  
It's like that first day back in school  
To greet you all to-day.

Of a hundred thousand places  
To enjoy this Florida sun,  
We're glad to see you right back here  
For yet another winter's fun.

Of the many things that make a place  
Stands one that's like a bandaged thumb--  
--Those smiles that shine when people say,  
"Hello to you - to you welcome !"

THANKSGIVING DINNER MENU

V-8 Juice

Turkey & Dressing

Mashed & Sweet Potatoes

Mixed Vegetables, Cranberry Sauce

Pickles & Olives - Rolls & Butter

Pumpkin Pie with Whipped Cream

Tea & Coffee

COUNCIL MEMBERS  
for '83 - '84

President	Marge Stocum
Vice-President	Paul Stunzig
Treasurer	Don Reppenhagen
Secretary	Helen Bleck
Members:	Charles Verrill Robert Knapp

THANKSGIVING DINNER  
COMMITTEE

Jay & Jenny Hubbard  
Dorothy & Vaughn Nighswander  
Vince & Terry Phaneuf  
Art & Marguerite Oestreich  
Bill Swickard  
Marge Stocum

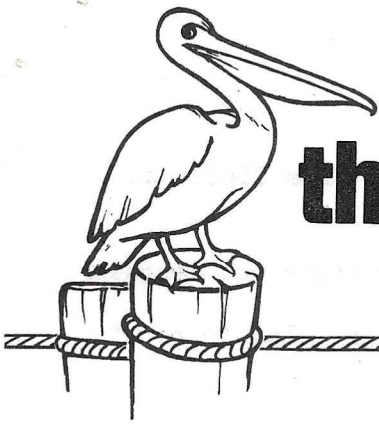
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Marge, our new President, says,  
"Thanks for the large turnout for  
cleaning the Hall." Now all is  
spic and span.

The Treasurer's report to date is  
posted in the Hall.

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HEAR YE !! HEAR YE !!

CHRISTMAS PARTY!

Wednesday, December 21st

Recreation Hall 7:30 to 12:00

Music by:

VICKI and the KEYS

Refreshments & Christmas Cheer

All Gulf to Bay Residents and  
Guests are Cordially Invited!!

Jean & Warren

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We know you all enjoyed the Christmas tree lighting at the dock. What a pleasant surprise when some of our residents and guests sang carols in Dutch, German, Rumanian and French. A hearty "Thank you" to all who organized it and you who participated.

by Hampden F. Tener



## CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

The twinkling, flashing, colored lights of Christmas  
Line our streets that reach from gulf to bay.  
For weeks they've brightened up our tropic nights  
And evenings of this happy holiday.

They fill with equal joy the hearts of guests,  
Who've come to visit from so far away---  
--Now visit us who're old, but long ago  
Escaped the north and came down south to play.

Each day more people work to decorate  
By adding strings of colored, flashing lights,  
So that their street is certain to delight  
The strollers of these balmy Christmas nights.

And lure the singers of gay Christmas songs,  
To add joyous sounds to our cheerful sights---  
--Join merry music with the sparkle-bright  
Of twinkling, flashing strings of Christmas lights.

## DECEMBER COMMITTEE \* \* Phyllis & Bob Knapp, chairmen

Paul & Joan Stunzig, Ruth & Bud Hickes, Dorothy & Jim Manley, Phyllis Crosby, LaVern Sumner. Alternates - June & Jim Simpson.

### Tree Trimming Party

Saturday December 17th, 7:00 p.m. We would like everyone to bring a decoration to hang on the park tree in the hall. It will be all lit up and waiting for you to finish it.

There will be eggnog punch and goodies served and a sing-along to round out the festivities. We have new song books and Ralph Palermo will lead in his usual high fashion, accompanied on the piano by Lorraine Ide.

If you want to bring along a grab-bag gift, men will bring a man's gift, and ladies will bring a lady's gift. (Not to exceed \$2.00) This is optional but we think it will add to the evening's pleasure.

Above all, come, sing, enjoy and have FUN! FUN! FUN!

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### DECEMBER 25th CHRISTMAS DINNER

3:00 p.m.

Your salad course and wine will be ready for you any time after 3:00 p.m. The invocation will be given by Bernice Theiss. Now it is time for our main course:

Roast Turkey            Giblet gravy            Mashed potatoes  
Old fashioned dressing    Michigan squash  
Cranberry relish        Rolls & butter        Coffee or Tea

Home made chocolate layer cake from your Gulf to Bay kitchen !!!

TICKETS will be on sale December 15th and 16th from 10:00 AM to 12:00 Noon

PRICE \$4.50 each. Absolutely no tickets sold after above dates.

Please bring your table service including salad plate to the hall between 2:00 PM and 4:00 PM on December 24th

MERRY CHRISTMAS from your December Committee ! !

CIELO STREET - Joan Stunzig

Because this reporter is caught up in the Christmas rush the news from Cielo St. is a little sketchy.

Frank Finnelli says, "There is nothing new but cold weather".

The Hicks are busy working on the December committee and getting ready for daughter, Sharon, and family who will arrive on December 26th.

Phyllis Crosby will be staying on with us through March and is very glad to be at Gulf to Bay. We are happy to have her with us.

Flora Cross greeted me quite graciously but had no news.

Has anyone seen George Byrem?

Tom McElroy, complaining about the fish not biting. But Fred Kalagher queried, "Why is everyone catching fish but Tom and Brownie?"

Caught Don Reppenhagen busy trimming his Christmas tree.

Millie and Norm Durst informed us that the kids are coming in from Ohio this year. (formerly from North Carolina) You remember their grandson led the carnival parade last year with his saxophone. Grandpa left his trumpet at home. Sister from Kings Point will be in this weekend.

Glad to see that Georgie and Angie are back and hard at work on the beautiful garden they always have each year.

Cora Tyson, down at the Hall holding craft courses with Clara, Bernice, Emma, Virginia and Mabel. There are some beautiful creations. Why don't you stop in some Friday morning and admire the beautiful handiwork by our home-grown artists?

Irene Stevenson was doing her Christmas cards when I stopped in. Daughter, Pat, is gone now but Dad was sure glad to have her around while Mom was cruising.

We're all glad to see Dave Hart back home from the hospital.

The Stunzigs are expecting their good friends, Joe and Joan Napoli, the day after Christmas. We love them dearly and are looking forward to showing them all the wonderful things here in Gulf to Bay.

Mother: "Wilbur, are you spitting in the fish bowl?"

Wilbur: "Not yet, Mom. But I'm coming closer and closer."

NEWS FROM AURA by Betty Baker

Welcome to our street, Lee Taylor. Lee occupies the first lot and has the Airstream trailer. Lee is well acquainted with this area as he used to stay at Biff's.

Donna and John Darling were late getting down but it's good to see them.

Ann Cady is busy getting shells ready to take back to her daughter in Connecticut. On December 14th Ann leaves for a month's visit with her family.

George and Anna Galat are back. What a pleasant surprise to hear them sing at the Christmas tree lighting! The Galats are very happy with their first grandchild. She is six months old and named, "Crystal".

The old knitting needles are working overtime at Ethel Cross' place. She just finished a beautiful green sweater and a white shirt for her great grand-daughter.

Peanuts and Edna are always busy working around the park. Peanuts certainly can dream up witty remarks. It's never dull when he's around.

The big news at Betty Baker's is the trip to Reno on December 21st to visit her son, Bob, and family who just moved there June 1st. Sue is going too.

The trailer next door is quiet as Russ Quinn went back to Kentucky for a visit.

Lu Rogers is busy helping people in the park so it's hard to find her at home.

Mrs. Johnson is doing quite well. I saw her walking past my place.

My, how Marge Stocum can peddle that bike! We should have a 3-wheeler bike race to see who can peddle the fastest. My bet is on Marge.

Wally and Mae Dearborn are quite settled in their new home.

This street survived the storm on December 11th with only minor things to clean up. Some of the RV trailers really rocked in the wind. (ed. note - if it was the wind)

High heels were invented by a woman who had been kissed on the forehead too often.

CIELO COURT - Loretta Brandemill

Not much to report from the shortest street in the park.

We're happy to welcome our new family now in the big cottage. Their names are, Bette and Donald Leiting.

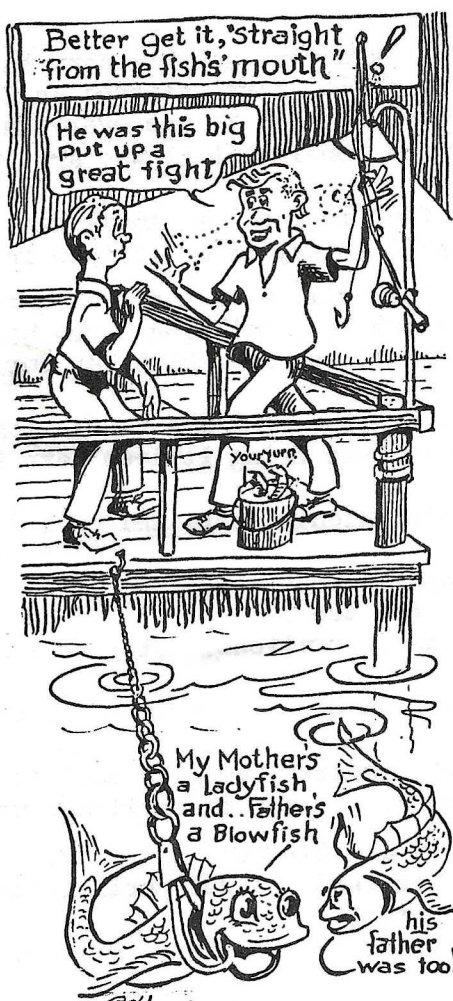
Matt and Lola Yakes are buzzing around getting all their Christmas decorations in place. They are expecting their son and daughter-in-law from Grand Rapids, Michigan soon after Christmas.

George Uto had nothing to say except his grass shoots are doing very well. So, George, it was worth all that time you spent sitting on your milk crate, if that's what it was you were sitting on.

Theresa and Maurice are safe and sound after quite a rough trip to Quebec. Best of luck to both of them.

Fred and Loretta are still trying to get caught up. Fred is feeling much better. (Good to see Fred buzzing around again)

Saw Matt Yakes sprawled out in a chair, hose in hand, throwing water over his new grass. Oh, boy! What a way to water a lawn!



It is with regret we note the passing of Maurice de Carufel, our former manager. We offer our sincere sympathy to Theresa and the family. Your prayers would be appreciated.

CARNIVAL! CARNIVAL! CARNIVAL! CARNIVAL! CARNIVAL!

With all the Christmas activity this season, we take time to remind you of the Carnival, January 1st, New Year's Day.

COSTUME PARADE starting at 10 AM at the Hall. Prizes will be awarded for best, funniest, or most original costumes.

ALL DAY IN THE HALL

Craft table                      Flea Market Items

Raffles of special items

Games of Chance - Money Wheel - Poker Table

Harry Ide will be in charge of the kitchen. There will be plenty of goodies here to appease your appetite; plan on having your lunch here.

BRING MONEY

Items are needed for the craft and flea market tables and may be left on Marge Stocum's back porch at 112 Aura St.

\*\* Marge belatedly thanks Lu Rogers and Roxanne Palermo for the Thanksgiving Dinner decorations.

GOLFO STREET - Dortha Swickard

So many from our street are going to be up north for the holidays! Audrey and George Jacobson to Dayton, Lucille and Ralph Tracy to Orlando. Gene and Mahlon Hallett, due to his illness, will be at their home in the Poconos, Norma and Gene Croteau in Massachusetts, Helen and Charlie Verrill with their family in Ohio.

Cam and Cal Thatcher's son and family had a ball; the one little grand-daughter found a very large shark's tooth. She'll be proud to show it to her friends back in Arkansas.

Rita Roof's son, Dr. Roger Roof and wife accompanied her when she came down to the park. A few days here- then they returned home. Both enjoyed our beach. Rita's grandson, Brad, a student at the University of Gainesville, spent a short time with them.

Dottie Kerber's son is soon to come down to spend some time with her.

Eleanor and Noble Paul are looking forward to their son and family coming.

They are going to the Keys as the son is an avid scuba diver.

Kate, Paul and Dottie Kerber, Rita Roof, Cam & Cal, Dottie & Floyd, Nellie Arnholt and Bill and Dortha will stay to celebrate Christmas with all our friends.

A specialist is a doctor whose patients are expected to confine their ailments to office hours.

Visitor (at asylum): "Do you have to keep the women inmates separated from the men?"

Attendant: "Sure. The people here ain't as crazy as you think."

ESTADA STREET - Emma Graber

Dot and Jim Manley are going to Houston for Xmas Holidays.

Dropped in at Les and Fay Downings for news. Birthday party for Lee Taylor of Aura St. and Katie Mastie in progress. Les and Fay are expecting their three daughters and grandchildren - 14 in all - for Christmas. Sure will be a full house.

Art and Marguerite will be leaving Dec. 24 for Mexico for the holidays.

Emma and Gordon Graber spent three enjoyable days at Key West.

Jeanette Blanchard is still confined at Fawcett Memorial Hospital. Hope to see her back soon.

Ever notice when you reach a certain age, everything you have seems to wear out, spread out, or fall out.

Economy size means large in soap, and small in automobiles.

A small boy was brought to the doctor's office because of a scalp wound. He had been crying and was anxious all the while the doctor treated his injury. As he neared the end of his task, the boy broke into tears again and asked, "Now what are you going to do?" "We're all through except for the dressing," the doctor said. "Anything," sobbed the patient, "except Roquefort."

BAYO STREET - Mabel Gaudette

We welcome Helen Graveline back to our street; she had a hard time getting here but she made it. Her nephew and wife Henry Graveline from West Springfield, Mass. stopped in to say hello. She still has open house on her patio every day and she is glad to see everyone.

Little Alice is in 7th heaven waiting for her daughter and son-in-law Al who are on their way down. They will be with us until April.

LaVern Sumner from Muskegan, Mich. is here with us for four months. We thank him for bringing that beautiful Christmas tree that is in the hall all the way from Michigan in his bathtub.

Mark and Ruth Daugherty are back after a nice summer. They will miss their daughter and son-in-law who was with us for a few months last year. They are busy building a new home.

Isabelle and Al Ward are expecting Mrs. Marie Lehman from Allen Park, Michigan for a few weeks visit.

Terry and Vin Phaneuf have gone home to Chicopee, Mass. for the holidays to be with their family. Vin, after you use your snow shovel for snow at home bring it down here for the beach sand.

The Bovee's had a nice visit from their grandson and wife, Richie Benya and cute 2 year old. They are from Ft. Meyers.

The Sizeloves are expecting their two daughters, Shirley Peterson and Rita Chaffy and their two daughters. They will enjoy our Christmas Holidays for ten days.

Bernice Theiss is busy making all her beautiful Christmas decorations. Stop in and see them. It is well worth the time.

Jim and Gladys Thorne from Midland, Pa. are with us for five months. Welcome to our street.

Sophia Szopski had her brother-in-law from Chicago. Gus Schultz has gone back to snow.

Bob and Mickey Rumph have gone north to Lambertville, Mich. to spend the holidays with family and friends. They wish everyone in Gulf to Bay a Happy and Blessed Christmas.

The Weavers are clamming again now that the "Red Tide" has left. Carol participated in the St. Petersburg Boat Show representing Venice Marine Center.

Marie Damar and daughter Jeanne from Montreal are here visiting her sister Rose Ouimette and are enjoying our beach.

Bob and Ruth Arnholt had a pleasant surprise when their daughter Amy from West Palm came for a couple of days, and they enjoyed the good shrimp she brought.

Florence and Mike Turk had her brother Eric Gustafson from Paducah, Ky. visiting for for a few days.

Fran Wadlegger keeps busy working on his boat. Hurry up Fran and go fishing.

The Knapps are happy to be down here as their trip was not nice; snow, ice, rain and even tornados following them. We are glad to have them here safe.

DIJE STREET - Clara Bessinger

George and Ann Hale are planning to go to daughter Barb Crandon's for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Stoll from Chelsea, Mich. were guests of Jay and Jenny Hubbard. They enjoyed the Dinner Theatre in Sarasota while here.

Clarence Rohlfswill be visiting his brothers in Bradenton for Christmas.

Ruth and Hazel had their niece and her son, Marie and Rob Gordon from Saratoga Springs, N.Y. as guests for a week. Rob caught some beautiful fish off the dock.

The Robinsons visited Estelle Albert of Punta Gorda last week. Expect son Jim and Marilyn for a visit after Christmas.

Brownie and Allison have changed plans; are not going to Nashville, Tenn. for Xmas. It's too cold there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Marsh expect daughter Farol and husband for Christmas holidays.

Clara Bessinger will be spending Christmas with daughter Barb and family in Daytona.

Katie Mastie is leaving for Michigan to have Christmas with her children.

Lorraine and Harry Ide and Barbara Richardson enjoyed a week of tennis at Bradenton. Lots of work and sore muscles.

Ralph and Roxanne Palermo and Harry and Loraine Ide will be celebrating New Year's Eve with Madelaine and Joe Gervais at their home. Madelaine is Roxanne's sister. Roxanne says their daughter Barbara Kuhn will be down Jan. 2nd for two weeks.

Allison keeps busy with her Cambodian students and the tutoring program. Meanwhile Brownie keeps adjusting the tilt on the captain's hat he inherited when George Hale passed on the shuffle responsibility. Goerge is a hard act to follow. We're glad to see him sharpening up his skills again. Nice going, George

When you use the word "monster", be careful. We won't know whether you mean the sewage treatment plant of Hank's C.B. Antenna!

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Dancing at Venice Community Center every Thursday evening 8-11 PM. Singles or doubles. If you like ballroom dancing talk to Joan S., Shirley D., or Marguerite O. ----- B.Y.O.B.  
JOKES - by Mabel Gaudette

Marriage is the only union that can't be organized even though both parties think like management.

A speeding motorist was stopped by a police officer. "I'm a good friend of the Mayor" pleaded the speeder. "That's great," said the officer as he wrote the ticket, "Now he will know I'm on the job."

The oldster was bragging about his clean living habits. "I've never smoked, drank or chased women & tomorrow I'll celebrate my 80th birthday." His curious companion asked, "How?"

ARTICLES OF GOVERNANCE FOR  
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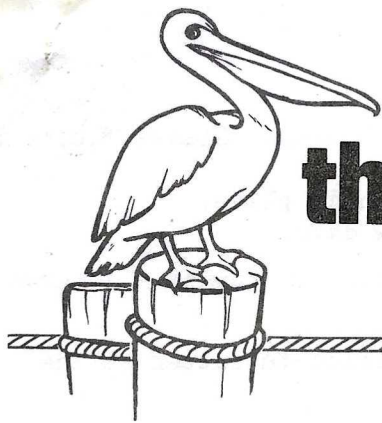
1. The purpose of the Council is to provide for the entertainment of the residents of the park.
2. A council of six shall be elected by the park residents for governance of the association. It will be necessary to elect only four members each year, two of whom will serve two years and two of whom will serve one year. A nominating committee of four members-at-large shall be appointed by the Council to select candidates for the two year and the one year terms. A slate of not less than four candidates shall be nominated for two year terms and a slate of not less than four candidates shall be selected for one year terms. An appropriate ballot shall be prepared and posted one week prior to the election to be held on the third Saturday of March. The two candidates having the highest number of votes in the two year category and the two candidates having the highest number of votes in the one year category, plus the two carry-over Council members shall constitute the new Council. The Council shall meet a minimum of once a month, or as often as necessary, time and place to be determined by the President. In case of a vacancy occurring on the Council, the remaining members shall appoint a new member to fill the unexpired term.
3. The following officers each of whom shall serve a one year term will be elected by the Council:

President	Treasurer	Member-At-Large
Vice-President	Secretary	Member-At-Large

The Council shall be responsible for all events in the park, subject to the approval of the management. The Treasurer shall submit all bills and monthly reports to the Council for approval.

4. Each Council member shall serve as monthly chairperson for all social events of an entire month and shall select his own committee not to exceed ten persons including the chairperson. Free dinners are to be provided for the committee of ten.

5. The ticket seller is to notify the chairman of the number of tickets sold not less than forty-eight hours prior to any dinner. No tickets shall be sold over that number. Any variance of the above shall be handled at the discretion of the dinner chairperson. The chairperson shall post on the board in the recreation hall his committee members.
6. Management shall be advised beforehand of any and all activities to be planned in and for the park.
7. A twenty dollar (\$20.00) death benefit check shall be given to the family of any person who dies and who is listed as a twelve month renter in the park.
8. A ten dollar (\$10.00) offering (floral or otherwise) shall be sent to any resident of the park who is sick in any hospital for a duration of three days or longer while in residence at Gulf-To-Bay Park. This is limited to one donation in any year per person.



# the Listening Post

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## JANUARY COMMITTEE - 1984

Fred & Loretta Brandemill, Chairpersons  
Cal & Cam Thatcher  
Noble & Eleanor Paul  
Mary May  
Doris Boudrice  
Don & Virginia Reppenhagen

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CROSS ROAD DINNER - Jan 22, 1984 - 1 PM

Roast Beef and Roast Pork  
Mashed Potatoes and Gravy  
Home made Apple Sauce  
Ribbon Salad, Rutabaga, Peas & Carrots  
Home made Biscuits and Butter  
Home made Pies, Coffee and Tea

Bring your table service to Hall between  
2:00 and 4:00 PM, January 21, 1984

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CHICKEN & BISCUIT LUNCH - Jan. 28, 12 NOON

Dessert - Coffee and Tea  
\$1.25 Donation - No Ticket Sale  
Bring your own fork and/or spoon  
No Credit Cards Accepted.

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What did you give your mother-in-law  
for Christmas?

Not a darn thing. She didn't use what  
I gave her last year.

What was that?  
A cemetary Plot.

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BAYO STREET - Mabel Gaudette

Isabelle and Al Ward had their neighbor, Joseph Cheek, as a guest.

Terry and Vin Phaneuf are still shoveling snow in Mass. We expect them back the 22nd.

The Bovees spent the holiday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wright of  
Nokomis; also friends from Happy Valley, Labrador.

Bernice Theiss has been keeping busy with hobby work.

Marie and Fran Wadlegger were at Daytona Beach visiting their sister and niece.

Sophia Szopski has been entertaining her sister-in-law and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Piechota  
from Chicago.

LaVerne Sumner keeps busy at the shuffle boards.

The Rumphs are still in Michigan wherethey went to spend the holidays with family.

Eileen and Ralph Holman visited her brother and family in Ft. Myers recently.

Ruth and Bob Arnholt spent the holidays in West Palm Beach and enjoyed their two weeks.  
Bob is real happy with the 10 lb. red fish he caught the other day. Can't blame him.

The Weavers, Jack and Carol spent the Christmas holiday in Ft. Lauderdale with their  
families. It was frosty there too.

Mabel Gaudette enjoyed the delicious dinner in the hall and spent the evening in Venice  
with her brother-in-law and wife, their three sons from Chicago and daughter.

Florence and George Finette spent Christmas with George's brother and wife in Lakeland.  
Their niece from Ontario was also there. They spent several days with Florence's cousin and  
her husband in St. Petersburg also.

The Sizeloves had their two daughters and two granddaughters from Springfield, Ill. visiting  
for ten days over the holidays.

Kenneth Elsner from Dayton, Ohio, is with us now. Welcome to our Park.

Helen Graveline is holding court on her patio afternoons like old times. Stay well, Helen.

Alice Flebotte and her daughter, Doris and husband, Al visited friends in Largo and  
St. Pete. They also enjoyed the Circus.

## COUNCIL REPORT

A check to Meals on Wheels for \$78.75. A result  
of TIPS collected at the Nov. dinner (\$40.50) &  
the Dec. dinner (38.25).

Also a check was sent to the American Cancer  
Society for \$200.00 in memory of Maurice DeCarufel.  
This was the proceeds of a collection taken up by  
our people in the Park. My thanks to all the  
volunteers.

Marge Stocum, Pres.

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## CARNIVAL REPORT - Dec. 31, 1983

Clock Raffle -	\$68.25
Certificate Raffle -	86.50
(Less \$25.00)	
Your Choice Raffle -	87.00
Wheel Game -	62.05
Poker Game -	94.30
Misc. Table -	270.75
Donations -	87.00
Kitchen -	
Receipts \$240.10	
Expenses 146.99	
Profit -	93.11
TOTAL NET PROFIT	\$848.96

Don Reppenhagen, Treas.

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Ruth and Mark Daugherty enjoyed a holiday dinner with friends.

The Thornes had guests from Ohioville, Ken and Marilyn, and Marcie Sanner. Gladys Thorne is a good poet and Jim did the picture of the trailer. Lots of talent here.

Mike and Florence Turk had a real good New Years Eve good-time at their place.

Rose Ouimette had her niece, Jullitte Larne from Montreal for a few days.

Jokes from Mabel: Anyone who can swallow an aspirin tablet at a drinking fountain deserves to get well.

Did you hear about the cannibal who was expelled from school? He tried to butter up the teacher.

#### DIJE STREET - Clara Bessinger

Hulda and Chauncy Robinson's son and wife, Jim and Marilyn, visited for a week after the Holidays; they were glad to get away from the frozen North for a little while.

Theresa Miller says she's happy to have her son and wife back in the Park.

Katey Mastie went home for Christmas Dec. 13. Her son Dennis and friend Carol Robinson brought her home and visited here for a week. Katey wants to thank everyone for being so nice to Hank while she was gone.

Doris Slaybough entertained some students from Korea over the Holidays. She said she gave them an American Christmas and they enjoyed it very much.

Vaughn and Dorothy Nighswander says son Alton and wife, Darlene visited over Holidays also and helped to celebrate their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

Roxanne's daughter, Barbara Kuhn from Mass. is visiting. Harry Ide is having a birthday and Roxanne is having a dinner for him. The guests will include Lorraine (of course), Barb Richardson, Joe and Jerrie Krok, Madeline and Joe Gervais, Eve and Art Doiron and of course Ralph.

The big news at the Marsh home is Mabel's birthday; she will be 92 on the 22nd of January. Wishing you many more years, Mabel. Daughter and husband George were guests over the Holidays.

Jay and Jenny took an escorted tour to Jupiter to the Bert Reynolds Theatre; also took the Paddle Boat tour of famous homes. Very enjoyable.

Charley and Shirley Deierlein drove to their daughter's in Washington, D.C. for the holidays. They came back early so as not to miss the Carnival. (-5° in Wash. had nothing to do with it.)

#### AURA STREET - Betty Baker

Ethel Cross had company from Middlefield, Ohio. They had a wonderful time talking and going out for lunch. Ethel's grandson is coming to see her on Jan. 19th.

The Mintons had Edna's aunt from Bradenton for Christmas dinner. Peanuts goes out fishing quite often.

Lu Rogers is taking it easy after a slight stroke. Lu's son William paid her a surprise visit

Marge Stocum had company, the Schaffers from Tamoka Lake, N.Y. Gramp Schaffer is an old friend of Bill Swickerd's. They used to be neighbors years ago.

Donna Darling was busy raking up. All the leaves fell from the big tree by Ann's trailer.

George Galat also helps to keep the yards tidy.

On Friday the 13th Betty Baker expects her son David and daughter Sue down for the day. This will be Dave's first visit here. The trip to Reno was great but oh! so nice to get home again where it is warmer.

#### GOLFO STREET - Dotty Kerber

Dotty Kerber had Karl and Carolyn Kerber from Thousand Oaks, Calif. here Dec. 25 thru Dec. 31.

Kate and Paul Kerber have been sticking close to home recently. Maybe the weather?

The Thatchers are looking forward to a visit from Cam's sister and brother-in-law, from New Carlisle, Ohio in mid February.

Rita Roof had grandson Brad and wife, both students at University of Florida, Gainesville, as weekend guests.

Pat Waters, granddaughter of Floyd and Dorothy Crankshaw, from Bloomington, Indiana, attends college, but was able to be here Dec. 24-29 of December. Her first time in Florida.

Helen and Charles Verrill spent a great Christmas in Ohio with our daughter and family. Everyone knows how cold it was there. However, Charlie left on the 27th, took 4 days to get to Englewood, lucky Helen flew to Florida in 5 hours and was met at the airport in Sarasota. Since then they've been busy fixing the new addition.

George Jacobson and Ken Elsner came in last week from their home in Dayton, Ohio. Audrey, George's wife, will soon come down.

Gene and Mahlon Hallett are still at their home in East Stroudsburg, Pa., both hoping with Mahlon improving they can come down to spend part of the winter with us. We surely miss them.

Eleanor and Noble Paul and their son, wife and grandchildren took their motor home and boat and all spent the Christmas Holidays at Key West - fishing, swimming and snorkeling and scuba diving. What a great Holiday!

Bill and Dortha Swickard had as guests Eloise and Alvern Krahill from Tiffin, Ohio who are spending a little time in Florida in their motor home.

A. F. and Laura C. Rice of Wood River, Illinois are spending a few days with us. They are going on to Ft. Myers to visit for some time.

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My Aunt Josie and her boyfriend joined a nudist colony. After a while they broke up because they were seeing too much of each other.

If you don't think the younger generation is creative, just watch a teenager build a sandwich!

When all is said and nothing is done, the committee meeting is over.

OUR TRAILER HOME

by Gladys Thorne

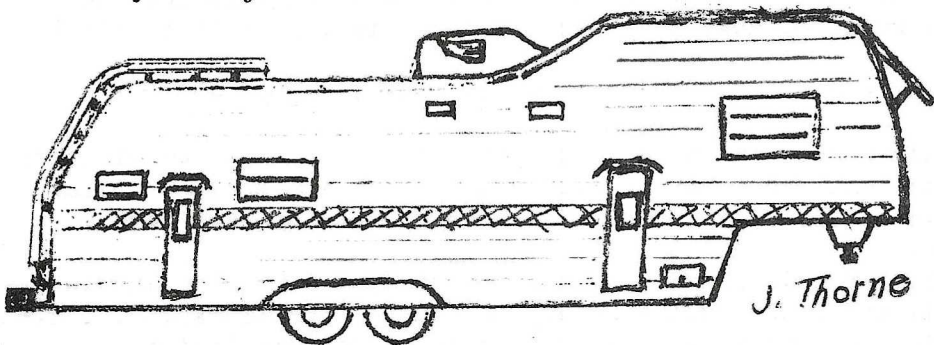
We're happy here in Florida  
In our trailer by the bay.  
We bought it while we were up North  
In our native state, Pa.

We towed it all the way down here  
To spend this winter season,  
Away from snow and icy roads--  
--Who knows a better reason?

Here, we walk the beach each morning,  
Or shuffle a game or so,  
And get to know our neighbors;  
While Pa. is shovelling snow.

I love this friendly little park,  
Called simply, Gulf-To-Bay,  
Where we can do just as we wish  
In our own subtile way.

I'd like to spend my winters here  
In the winters yet to come,  
But go back North in summertime  
To my Pennsylvania home.



THE ROSEY GLOW

By Hampden F. Tener

The sun has set each day it's dawned  
And has done so since the dawn of time;  
But we go out each night we can  
Where we can watch, when it is time.

We're not too far from open sea,  
'Though palms and trees are in between,  
There's always space where we can see  
The total glow--or so it seems.

Each one seems better than the rest;  
No two are ever quite the same.  
Who claims, for sure, which is the best?  
For none have ever had a name.

Our windows face the south and west;  
We know when it is time to go.  
We always say, "This night's the best",  
When "after-set"'s, a rosey glow.

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The law of Highway Biology: The first  
bug to hit a clean windshield lands  
directly in front of your eyes.

Mother: "How did you enjoy your visit  
to the zoo with your father, honey?"  
Sonny: "It was great, Mom! One animal  
paid \$50 across the board."

For every man of 65 there are three  
available women. The trouble is, by  
that time it's too late. At my age  
I would be happy to have a close en-  
counter of any kind.

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CIELO STREET - Joan Stunzig

Welcome back George and Dolores Hommel. Take it easy George, you don't have to do everything the first week.

The Hicks are relaxing after a busy holiday. Children are all gone and Charlie is grateful he no longer has to step over sneakers and bodies on the floor.

It's been nice to see Dave Hart around on his bike again with Leah bustling up and down the street and bemoaning the tree with the big leaves.

Leona Stokes will be leaving at the end of the month, perhaps to stay with son in Lake Placid before finally braving the cold North.

On the other side of the coin we welcome back June and Jim Simpson. They arrived in time to have Christmas with us and do their usual hard work for Carnival.

Also among new arrivals are Bob and Rita Boulanger in the trailer next to the Shuffle Court. They are busy trying to settle in but informed me that they were a mere 5 hours ahead of that winter storm that hit the East Coast and their native state of Conn.

Has anyone seen George Byrem?

Couldn't find Cora on my first two trips down the street but finally cornered her after a lively session of the new "Kitchen Band". She is back to her old tricks what with crafts and her swinging Grandma chariot. (Look out!)

Tom McElory said he caught a total of 21 sheepshead in his last three times out so I guess the fish are back in town. Frankie Finelli confirmed it. By the way did you know that except for a short lunch break Tom Mc. worked that poker table for the entire Carnival! Great job, Tom!

As for the Kalaghers, Irene is still crocheting. (An ther Afgan even prettier than the one for Carnival.) But Fred says he holds her yam for her. Tough work, Fred!

Reppenhagens had no news except to keep us posted on January Dinner (the 22nd).

Irene Stevenson has a birthday next week. Does anyone know the real date? She won't tell.

Millie and Norm Durst are breathing a bit easier since all their company left. What a great family. Those grandchildren sure don't mind letting all us Grandmas get in a few hugs and kisses. They do our hearts good.

Couldn't find Barbara Richardson or Jane Wiley but from quick peeks out the window they were seen driving by the corner. (Who was that who said I was nosey? Just curious, really.) If you think that being a reporter doesn't have it's advantages just try it sometime. In addition to the many cups of coffee, I also gleaned some fruit from the Dursts and a coquina necklace from Dorrie Finnelli. She was very industriously making a new design. I love mine!

Jack and Fran Smith are now settled into the back apartment. We were really pleased that Jack brought his ukelele along. He plucks a mean tune on it and has some original compositions he just loves to play and sing. Wait till you hear them!

CIELO STREET (Cont'd)

The Stunzigs friends Joe and Joan Napoli have left for home but not before they asked us to extend their thanks to everyone who made their stay such a pleasure. They managed to purchase some property here in Englewood (thanks to Hazel Phillips) and except for the weather enjoyed our Gulf-to-Bay tremendously. Just wish they were able to retire now so they could come down here and have fun the way we do. The Oestreich's extended them the courtesy of their home and sent them on their way loaded down with shells and sharksteeth. Thanks to Art and Marguerite from the four of us.

By the way, if you haven't tried it yet, come on down next Tuesday afternoon and do some line dancing with us. We have a large group who are getting better every week. Good exercise and great fun.

ESTADA STREET - Emma Graber

Dot Hall had family Christmas Day at her home. Dottie quotes: "Nine of us at the table. It was a happy day and no one grumbled about the cold, and I am thankful they all arrived home safely via car and plane."

Dot and Jim Manley are happy to be back home in the Park after their trip to Texas.

Dick and Marge Hamilton had visitors from Bradenton, Doris and Vic Garrettson.

Mary Kay O'Donnell and son Jim arrived Dec. 29 via day and a half at Epcot. James came the easy way - United Air Lines.

Emma and Gordon Graber were visited by Emma's son Scott Suchan and his friend Lynette Rhodes from Buffalo, N.Y.

Helen Bleck finally arrived. About time!

Art and Marguerite Oestreich enjoyed spending Christmas in Mexico. Marguerite is mending from Laser Eye Surgery last Friday. Art received news that his brother is in a Detroit hospital suffering from a heart attack.

Jeanette Blanchard is still at the Englewood Nursing Home. Would really enjoy having visitors.

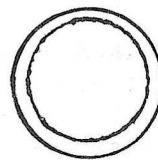
Val and Mary Zamfir enjoyed the Holidays with the nice people from the Park, and had visitors from Canada - Inge and Dimi Petrescu from Hamilton. Mary's sister Elisabeth and brother-in-law Peter arrived safe in Florida. They live at the Tiki condo. She brought lots of news from home and some home made cookies from Mom.

Les and Fay Downing had lots of family around for the Christmas Holidays. Their 3 daughters, 3 son-in-laws and 6 grandchildren - Linda and John Cowan - Jeremy and Jason from Clarkston, Mich. - Dianne and Howard Schroeder - John and Kellie from Milan, Mich - and Anita and Jim Lister, Jamey and Jessica from Stockbridge, Mich. "Never a dull moment." They all went to "W.D.W." except Grandpa Les who stayed home to rest up.

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REFLECTIONS ON A RAINY DAY  
By Phyllis Crosby

FOR YOU



I walked the beach this gray and gloomy day  
And let the windswept spray wash my blues away.  
The birds on legs of thread with knots for knees  
Scapered busily knifing spearlike bills to  
catch their prey.  
Oh! Count your blessings as numerous as they  
And thank the Lord for clouds and rain  
That revives the land again.  
The sun, the sea, the sky all as grey  
As I are one but some their rediance will return  
And worshippers will crowd the shore and resume  
their rites of sunburn.

This is A Round Tuit. It is for all the things you're going to do when you get "Around To It."

"Why don't you play golf with Herb anymore?" asked the wife one morning. "Well," sniffed the husband. "Would you play with a cad who puts down the wrong score and moves the ball when he thinks you're not looking?" "Certainly not!" replied the stunned woman. "Well, Herb won't either," said the husband.

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CIELO COURT - Lorette Brandemill

Carl and Alice Jackson arrived Sunday after a perfect trip down. But they are still looking for the sun. (Maybe they lost it on their way down!)

Don and Betty Leiting from the big cottage have only to report they are working every day so haven't had too much time to enjoy. Betty is from Kalamazoo, Mich. and Don from Niles, Mich. They have been in Florida two years.

Matt and Lola Yakes are quite lonesome after their son and daughter-in-law (Eugene and Edna) left but more to come. Their son Delbert and daughter-in-law Anna May will be down this next week for a few weeks and then the return of Eugene and Edna after their mission in Haiti.

George Uto reports son George was very impressed with our super Park. He returned home to Cape Cod, Mass. after his two week vacation.

Vivian Roberts and Chet Benner are from Temperance, Mich. and are planning to stay until May. Vivian hasn't been feeling her best since they arrived. Cheer up Vivian, better days are coming.

Nothing new from Fred and Loretta, just busy and chilly like everyone else.

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You knew that most of our residents came from 24 households in Michigan. Now you know the rest of the story: Ohio 14; Mass. 13; Fla. 10; Penna. 7; Conn. 7; N.Y. 8; Ill. 3; Canada 3; Ind. 2; and 1 each from Wisc.; Iowa; Maine; Ky.; and Vermont. End of the story.

## AUPA

101 TAYLOR, Lee W.  
 102 Darling, John & Donna  
 103 Cady Arthur & Anne  
 104 GALAT, George & Ana  
 105 CROSS, Ethel  
 106 MINTON, Peanut & Edna  
 107 BAKER, Betty  
 108 QUINN, Russell  
 109 ROGERS, Lu  
 110 HIER, Richard and Shirley  
 111 JOHNSON, Bertha  
 112 STOCUM, Marjorie  
 113 COHOON, Millie  
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## BAYO

201 WARD, Allen & Isabelle  
 202 PHANEUF, Vincent & Theresa  
 203 HENTHORN, Emerson & Dorothy  
 204 BOVEE, Dick & Caresta  
 205  
 206 THEISS, Bernice  
 207 WADLEGGER, Francis & Marie  
 208 SZOPSKI, Sophie  
 209 KNAPP, Bob & Phyllis  
 210 SUMNER, LaVern  
 211 RUMPH, Robert & Mary Lou  
 212 HOLMAN, Ralph & Eileen  
 213 ARNHOLT, Bob & Ruth

214 WEAVER Jack & Carol  
 215 GAUDETTE, Mabel  
 216 FINNETT, George & Florence  
 217 SIZELOVE, Chester & Margaret  
 218 EISNER, Kenneth & Evelyn  
 219 GRAVELINE, Helen  
 220 FLEBOTTE, Alice  
 221 HENNING, Grace  
 222  
 223 DAUGHERTY, Mark & Ruth  
 224 THORNE, Jim & Gladys  
 225 TURK, Mike & Florence  
 226 OUMETTE, Rose

## CIELO STREET

301 MANUTIS, Georgia-ARVANT, Angie  
 302 DURST, Norman & Mildred  
 303 REPPENHAGEN, Don & Virginia  
 304 KALAGHER, Fred & Irene  
 305 McELROY, Tom & Phyllis  
 306 TYSON, Cora  
 307 BYREM, George  
 308# STOKES, Leona  
 309 HICKS, Charles & Ruth  
 310 HOMMEL, George & Dolores  
 311 Boulanger, Robert & Rita

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 313 TENER, Hampton & Virginia  
 315 WILEY, Jane  
 316 STEVENSON, Bill & Irene  
 318  
 319 RICHARDSON, Barbara  
 320 SIMPSON, Jim & June  
 321 HART, Dave & Leah  
 322 CRCSBY, Phyllis  
 323 STUNZIG, Paul & Joan

## DIJE

401 TONEY, Elizabeth  
 402 Belky, Hazel  
 403 SALMON, Ruth, PHILLIPS, Hazel  
 404 TRECHA, Frank & Grace  
 405 PALERMO, Ralph & Roxane  
 406 ROBINSON, Chauncey & Hulda  
 407 BROWN, Clayton & Allison  
 408 IDE, Harry & Loraine  
 409 SLAYBAUGH, Doris  
 410 DEIERLEIN, Charles & Shirley  
 411 RYAN, Shirley & POWERS, Grady  
 412 SEEAR, Mae  
 413 HULL, Eugene & Beatrice  
 414 MILLER, Theresa  
 415 HUBBARD, Jay & Jennie  
 416 ROHLFS, Clarence  
 417 MARSH, Harry & Mabel  
 418 MASTIE, Henry & Kathy  
 419 HALE, George & Anne  
 420 NIGSWANDER, Vaughn & Dorothy

## ESTADA

501 ZAMPHIR, Val & Mary  
 502 HALL, Dottie  
 502A MANLEY, James & Dot  
 503 HAMILTON, Dick & Marge  
 504 NELSON, Orion & Ruth  
 505 DOWNING, Leslie & Fay  
 506 GRABER, Gordon & Emma  
 507 BLECK, Helen  
 508 OESTREICH, Arthur & Marguerite  
 509 BLANCHARD, Jeannette

## GOLFO

1 ARNHOLT, Nettie  
 2 VERRILL, Charles & Helen  
 3 CRANKSHAW, Floyd & Dottie  
 4 SWICKARD, Bill & Dortha  
 5 JACOBSON, George & Audry  
 6 TRACY, Ralph & Lucille  
 7 PAUL, Noble & Eleanor  
 8 THATCHER, Calvin & Cam  
 9 KERBER, Paul & Kate

10 CROTEAU, Gene & Norma  
 11 HALLETT, Mahlon & Jean  
 12 ROOF, Rita  
 13 MARSHALL, Nicholas & Betty  
 14 KERBER, Dottie

## CIELO COURT

20 BENNER, Chet & ROBERTS, Vivian  
 21B BRANDEMILL, Fred & Loretta  
 21A MAY, Mary  
 22 GRANT, Andy & Audrey  
 23 UTO, George & Louise  
 24 YAKES, Matt & Lola  
 25 JACKSON, Carl & Alice  
 26 LEITING, Don & Betty

## APARTMENTS

"A" FINELLI, Frank & Doris  
 "B" SMITH, Jack & Fran



BAYO STREET

by Mabel Gaudette

Peg and Al Martin visited the Daughertys last month. They are from Zephyrhills, Fla. Ruth and Peg were teaching pals for over 20 years in Penna.

Jim Thorne had bad news. When his brother and wife were on their way for a two month vacation in Englewood, they had an accident in Texas and the wife was killed. Our sympathy from us all to Jim and his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Babineau from Indian Orchard, Mass. visited Alice Flebotte and Doris and Al Boulrice.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sizelove from Kokoma, Ind. visited Chester and Margaret Sizelove for a few days. While they were here they all went to the dog races in Bonita Springs. Needless to say they came home with lighter purses.

George and Florence Finnett had friends visiting them; the Millers and the Barrons from Hasting and Oshawa, Ontario.

Helen Graveline's two cousins from Lowell, Mass., the Bergeron sisters visited her.

The Knapps visited his aunt in St. Petersburg for a few days.

Rose Ouimette visited her brother, Edward Bousquet in Bonita Springs for a few days.

Carl and Irene Brown from Wells, Maine are here for their 4th year enjoying our February weather. As they said they don't have to shovel.

Mabel Gaudette has her long time friend and neighbor from Chicopee, Mass. for a few days, Jennie Gosselin; they lived in our park at one time for 5 years. Anyone who remembers Jennie drop in and say "HI!"

The Henthorns will be back Sunday. Welcome back to your southern home, Dot and Henny.

I would like to say a big "Thank You," to everyone that came to "Grandma" Nettie Arnholt on the occasion of her 90th birthday party. As you can see she really had a good time. I'm sorry if I missed anyone on such a short notice. Thanks again - Ruth Arnholt

Neighbor: Have you got a bottle opener?

Parent: Yes, but he's away at college.

1st Boy: "My father has a picture of George Washington".

2nd Boy: "That's nothing. My father has Adam's apple".

CIELO COURT

by Loretta Brandemill

Vivian Roberts - back in Tampa General Hospital - is expected to return home the first of the week. Cheer up Vivian, you'll have a warm vacation yet.

Who are all the good looking women at Mary May's? Why, they are her mother Josephine Schmitt, sisters, Shirley Lavoie and Judy Perry. Looking good Mary!

Matt Yakes reports if the weather gets too warm (and it's time) you can blame Eugene and Edna, son and daughter-in-law of Matt and Lola Yakes. They have recently returned from the warm Island of Haiti, where they were doing missionary work, in building a church with the natives.

Don and Betty Leiting have nothing to say except they love their house on the Gulf and are enjoying every minute.

Alice and Carl Jackons are expecting Alice's sister and brother-in-law, Mary and Milo Keltner the first of the month.

Fred and Loretta are enjoying Bob and Phil Lytle from Chelsea, Michigan. We also want to thank our Committee and everyone who helped us during January - a lot of time and hard work. Thank you, so much.

ESTADA STREET

by Emma Graber

Mary and Val Zamphir are going to Miami to attend the Consecration of New Romanian Orthodox Church Building on Sun. Feb. 12th and to visit friends in Hollywood, Key Biscayne, Coral Gables, Palm Beach, Melbourne, St. Cloud, Lakeland and back home to Gulf to Bay Park.

Nora McCully, a former winter resident of Gulf to Bay is visiting Dot Hall. She is happy renewing friendships and doubly happy to be away from the ice and snow.

Our prayers are with Mary Kay and Jim O'Donnell. Jim was admitted to Port Charlotte Hospital Friday night to intensive care. Mary Kay's sister-in-law is also visiting from Ohio.

ESTADA STREET (Cont'd.)

Les and Fay Downing had guests from Deerfield, Mich., Orvie and Bobbi Ann Reau and Bernard and Bernita Reau.

Emma and Gordon Graber expecting friends to visit on Monday from Angola, N.Y. Gordon's sister Marion will fly in from Buffalo next Sat. Feb. 25th.

Helen Bleck arrived back in the Park the middle of January. Her grandson Ron D'Amico drove down with her and spent a few days before flying back to cold Conn. She's had visits from the Krolls of Bonita Springs. The Hintz of Wallingford, Conn. and Ann Kanpp and friends of Meriden, Conn.

We would like to extend our sympathy to Art and Marguerite Oestreich. Art's brother passed away in Detroit, Mich.

Glad to hear Jeanette Blanchard is back in her home again. Her nephew and his wife are caring for her.

I'm on two diets. I can't get enough to eat on one.

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VALENTINE DAY PARK HONOREES PARTY

IN RESPONSE

We're here to entertain you,  
And help you celebrate  
Your fifty years of married life  
With drums, horns and spicy cake.

We're now retired these many years.  
Know all about those years of gold.  
How nice, to have the youngsters here  
Honoring us-- now that we're old.

We hope you'll sing along with us,  
Those bouncy tunes of days of yore,  
And stomp, and yell, and clap, and buzz,  
For we're prepared to play you more.

We're glad we're here to hear these songs.  
We thank you for this grand welcome;  
Because, like you, our days grow long  
Unless we find therein --- some fun.

It's wonderful that you're all here  
To let us honor you this way.  
We've hoped for this, one whole year.  
Your being here-- has made our day.

Hampden F. Tener

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DIJE STREET

by Clara Bessinger

Guests at the Harry Marsh home for Mabel's birthday were: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Van Derlaan, Mr. and Mrs. George Van Derlaan, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Van Derlaan. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Popjoy were callers at the Marsh home.

Clarence Rolph visited his brothers at Sarasota. Had a birthday dinner with them; he was also honored at the card party with a birthday cake.

Preliminary plans for next fall's cruise, Dec. 1 - Dec. 8, going to Yucatan in Mexico as well as Key West, Fla. are under way. See Loraine for details.

Doris Slaybough is feeling much better after being under the weather for a while.

Hank Mastie is sporting a Captain Cap, so I'm sure the ship will be along soon.

The Chauncey Robinsons are enjoying the company of several couples from their home town of Monticello, Iowa, that are vacationing between Venice and Englewood. A Monticello picnic is planned for Thurs. An expected attendance of between 35 to 40 will be enjoyed. The Robinsons also are looking forward to a visit from their son Charles from Arvada, Colo. later this month.

Sign in a music shcp: Gone Chopin, Bach in a Minuet.

GOLFO STREET

by Dortha Swickard

Kate and Paul Kerber recently returned from a four day trip to Eleuthera, Bahamas to visit Paul's brother, August, who is building a winter home near Govenors Harbour in Eleuthra.

Ella Mitchell of Dayton is visiting George and Aurdrey Jacobson, while her husband is in Japan on business. Haven't seen much of them as they are sightseeing from Ft. Myers to ???

Mary and Jim Buck (Cam's sister) of New Carlisle, Ohio are arriving for a ten day stay with Cal and Cam Thatcher on the 11th.

Norman Patter of Calillac, Mich. was a recent house guest of Rita Roof. Also grandson, Brad and wife Lori were down from Gainesville to attend the circus.

By the time our paper is printed, Lucille and Ralph Tracy will be back in their home in Orlando. They found fishing and shrimping have not been too good.

COLFO STREET (Cont'd.)

Mrs. Irene Chalifaux, Oxford, Mass., Mrs. Rose Klagher, N. Oxford, Mass. and Mrs. Claire Marino of Worcester, Mass. arrived Thursday evening to spend two weeks in Norma and Jean Croteau's mobile home. They will come March 1st, Norma and Jean, that is.

Gene Hallett sends word that Mahlon is very ill in the hospital. We hope and pray he soon will be better.

An old sugar daddy can make chinchillas run up'n down a girl's spine.

AURA STREET

by Betty Baker

Glennis and Peter Moody visited her parents the John Darlings.

Ethel Cross led the Kitchen Band at the Valentine Party in the hall on Feb. 12. It was a fun time and people seemed to enjoy the band. Seems Ethel has had some former experience with this type of entertainment.

Lee Taylor returned to Michigan to attend the funeral of a good friend. He also had to be at a bank meeting.

It's good to see Ann Cady back from her visit north. Art returned with her. He is getting acquainted with people and enjoying the shuffling.

Betty Baker was nicely surprised when a friend from Ft. Wayne dropped in Sunday afternoon just as she was leaving to play in the band for the Valentine Party. She and another friend came along to the party and certainly had a good time.

Welcome to Aura Street Bob and Mickey Rumpf. They bought Russ Quinn's place.

Richard and Shirley Hire are down again for a vacation. Glad to see you again.

Marge Stocum has been a busy lady getting ready for the band playing at the party. We hope your toes have time to heal with all the activities.

Think about this: To handle yourself, use your head; to handle others, use your heart.

CIELO STREET

by Joan Stunzig

George Hommel says he and Dolores manage to stay busy all the time. He has his boat running now and is hoping for good fishing. He's found some beautiful Conches and is just waiting for nice weather.

Charlie and Ruth Hicks had one of their favorite grandsons visit for a week or so. Charlie had a birthday Feb. 11<sup>th</sup>; still 39 and going strong.

Phyliss Crosbie keeping busy with her new computer and with the bad weather is perfectly content to stay inside. She'll be out on the shuffle courts again when the sun shines steady.

Bob and Dorothy Connors are with us again and we wish them two nice months of warmth and sunshine. They left a freezing Buffalo, N.Y. for our balmy breezes. Both are having a birthday with week. Also had their 45th anniversary Jan. 18th. Congratulations Y'all.

Dave and Leah Hart. Dave is feeling better and spirits high. Leah says his appetite is humongus. Leah's brother visited from No. Carolina recently and enjoyed their hospitality.

Jim and June Simpson went to Key West over the weekend and enjoyed themselves. June says now that Jim has a boat and is shuffling and golfing and chasing girls - she can't ever find him anymore. Cora's feeling better and her bird Valentine has his birthday on U-NO-WEN!

John & Corrine Powelson are staying at 318 Cielo for a month. They're the couple with the little red scooter. They learned Euchre here-also play bridge, shuffle-fish and all. Winconsin is home.

Caught Don Reppenhagen writing a check for the new Bingo cards and the New Balls.

Bill Stevenson's brother will be visiting this month. He and Irene will be having more company soon

Norm Durst & Millie visited her sister in Sun City. They all went to the Big Fair together. They're having visitors in March - the Andersons from Va. with whom they toured Europe last year.

Fred & Irene Kallagher have relatives visiting over at Norma & Gene's trailer. Her sister Claire & her sister-in-law Irene. We wish them all a happy two weeks.

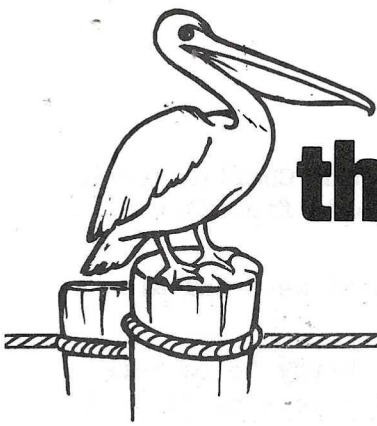
Phyliss & Tom McElroy are having their son come down for a few weeks. Tom's been very busy with rugs. - Shampooing at home & laying new green carpet in his boat. He should go into business. Doesn't help the fishing any but at poker he's great. A real winner.

It takes a whole page to tell about the Stunzigs. So just say they are busy and having fun.

THAT'S ALL

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## ELECTION COMMITTEE

A Nominating Committee of four members has been appointed as required by the Articles of Governance of Gulf to Bay Recreation Association to select candidates for election to the '84-'85 Council.

Members include:

- Ruth Salmon
- Jay Hubbard
- Vaughn Nighswander
- Gene Hull

The Nominating Committee will select a slate of not less than four candidates for two year terms and not less than four candidates for one year terms. Two from each category will be elected by the residents in the general election scheduled for March 31st. The ballot will be posted no later than March 24. If you are interested in running for election to Council, place your name or the name of someone you would like to suggest in the box labeled "Candidate Suggestions" located on the piano in the Rec. Hall. All nominees must agree to serve before being listed as a candidate for office. The suggestion box will be removed March 17. Two members on the present Council have another year to serve having been elected for two year terms; they are: Paul Stunzig - Robert Knapp Annual Election March 31 - Polls open 10 AM - 2 PM.

Marge Stocum, Pres.

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About those new valances in the Rec. Hall. I want to thank all the girls involved especially Dottie Manley and Millie Durst for doing such a neat job getting them made and put up on the windows before the American Dinner. Lots of compliments from the folks in the Park.

Marge

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## OUR KITCHEN BAND - Hampden F. Tener

Now, something new has been added  
To please our voices and our hand.  
Every Thursday in the morning  
We practice with our Kitchen Band.

Lorraine and Ethel pick the tunes;  
Will play and lead us all, along;  
With washboards, pans, and loud kazoos  
We sing and play the old, old songs.

A dozen songs will fill the air  
For an hour before we are through  
With a "God Bless America";

Our grand finale--- our adieu.

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## MARCH COMMITTEE

- Paul and Joan Stunzig, Chairpersons
- Bob and Phyllis Knapp
- Bob and Mickey Rumph
- Jim and Gladys Thorne
- Ruth Salmon
- Katie Mastie
- Dot Connors

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## ST. PATRICK'S DINNER DANCE

Saturday, March 17, 5:00 PM  
\$4.50

### Menu

- Fruit Cup
- Corned Beef and Cabbage
- Boiled Potato, Carrots
- Coffee                      Jello                      Tea

### Dance

Vicky and the Keys, 8:30 - 12:00  
Dancing, games, sing-a-long and have a beer or B.Y.O.B.

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## SATURDAY, MARCH 24                      12 Noon

Soup Saturday - Bring a bowl, cup & spoon  
Soup 50¢                      Coffee and tea served

"Meet the Candidates" - Come on down whether or not you are having soup. We will serve you coffee or tea and let everyone get acquainted with the people who are running for office for next year.

Committee wishes to thank everyone for the wonderful turnout at Turkey Pie Lunch and the Pancake Breakfast.

YOU and your once more for  
Old times sake *Glixere*

BY "HENNY" HENTHORN AND FLORENCE FINNETT



GOLFO STREET

by Dortha Swickard

Trinity Armstrong from Long Island recently visited her grandparents, Helen and Charlie Verrill. The Verrills have also been visiting Charlie's sister in Lehigh Acres. Friends from Harwich, Earl and Ruth Harris, spent the day recently with the Verrills.

Kate and Paul Kerber had Paul's brother and wife from Fenton, Mich. visit last week and also brother, August, from Detroit.

Betty and Nick Marshall-better late than never-finally arrived to Pad #13. happy to be here and a great hello to our old and new friends. They had a good summer and are looking forward to a better winter and spring.

Mary Simpson of Kalamazoo is a house guest of Rita Roof. Mary had spent six years in Afghanistan as a Peace Corp nurse!

Gene and Norma Croteau arrive Friday to be with us for several weeks.

Audrey Jacobson will soon arrive to be with us again.

Gene Hallett writes that Mahlon is in a nursing home, very, very ill. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Why does Cam Thatcher have to find her own date for the St. Patty's Dance?

CIELO STREET

by Joan Stunzig

We welcome back Rita and Bob Boulanger from their trip our West. They had a wonderful time and got acquainted with new granddaughter in Arizona. Only trouble they had happened in Tampa on the way home - lost a hubcap.

George Hommell very industrious with his shells. George does a beautiful job on those large shells. He makes lamps from them, among other things. George with his new leaf blower and Ruth with her new broom, have kept lower Cielo St. looking neat and clean. Thanks! Charley D. let's the wind take care of his leaves!

Ruth Hicks is the proud owner of one of George's lamps. Hubby claims he was instrumental in the construction but we have not had any confirmation from George.

Dot Connors is home from the hospital and mending. Says she is feeling fine. Bob left for New York this week but friend Doris is here to spend the rest of the month with Dot.

There is a rumor on the street that Cora Tyson has a heavy date for the St. Pat's Dance. Come on, Cora, let us all in on it.

McElroy's family has gone back north but really enjoyed their stay. They were sure busy while they were here and such a beautiful family.

Kalaghers were busy too with their company. I know because Fred barely heckled me at all on the way down to exercise class each morning.

Virginia Reppenhagen busy arranging the ladies lunch for later in the month. Watch the bulletin board for details.

Norm and Millie Durst were seen cleaning up the trailer after last week's wind storm.

Spring must really be here. Angie and Georgia were seen sunning on the beach.

Jack and Fran Smith will be leaving at the end of the month. Safe trip home and we'll see you next winter.

Have you seen the new shuffler? Well, Frankie Finelli has been pushing a mean stick down there and Dorrie can be seen cheering him on from the sidelines.

Jinx Tener feeling much better. Missed her at exercises and especially on the beach but she is again out for her evening strolls.

Bill and Irene Stevenson entertaining Bill's brother this week. They went out for shells on the flats and from what I hear had a productive day.

Barbara Richardson had her grandsons down for a few days and then took them camping in St. Pete at Fort De Sota Park. She said it was quite an experience. Now what do you suppose she meant by that?

June and Jim Simpson still bopping around, usually with June looking for Jim. How's that golf game coming along?

Phyllis Crosby has come out from under that computer. She can usually be found at the "Courts" or on the beach.

Joan and Paul Stunzig are the proud owners of a mobile home. They have purchased Jeanette Blanchard's on Estada St. While we love our neighbors here on Cielo we look forward to becoming Estada residents next year. We are very excited and happy to be a little more than transients here at Gulf to Bay.

"Remember the cheese you sold me yesterday?" the customer asked. "Yes," the grocer said. "It came from Switzerland." "Did you say it was imported, or deported?"

AURA STREET

by Betty Baker

Anne and Art Gady went to Sarasota to see a baseball game. Art plans on going to more games.  
 Ethel Cross certainly can knit. She made lovely sweaters and baby dresses for the great-grand-children. On Thursday mornings you can find Ethel in the Hall busy leading the Kitchen Band.  
 Mickey and Bob Rumpf had their daughter, Deborah, down for a week to enjoy the sun. She will be back soon with her family. Mickey is busy wallpapering.  
 Sue Baker was down last week to visit her mother.  
 The whole street is rather quiet and just waiting for good beach weather.  
 "Sex in the sixties is great, but it improves of you pull over to the side of the road."-J.Carson  
 Pushing fifty is not exercise enough.  
 She's the salt of the earth, but I can't say much for her shaker.

ESTADA STREET

by Emma Graber

Val and Mary Zamfir will be leaving the Park April 1st. They will miss everyone, but are looking forward to returning early next Fall. Val says they will miss the Euchre Games.  
 Jim and Dot Manley expecting company all the way from Vermont this week.  
 Mary Kay O'Donnell's side kick from Ohio will spend a few days here before going on to Ft. Myers.  
 It's all smiles at the Downings; Les and Fay have a new grandson and "heir." Son Bob and wife Bonnie have a baby boy - Charles Robert - born Feb. 22nd. Hope to see them in Florida soon.  
 Michigan visitors of the Downings, Masties, and Taylors were the Bernard Clarks - Oliver Craigs and Carl Schneiders.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lamon of Appleton, Wisc. were visitors at the Oestreichs last week. Ed is Marguerite's brother.  
 Everyone on Estada will miss Jeanette Blanchard when she leaves the Park on Tuesday. Will have her new address in Oklahoma at a later date.

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A DIETER'S PRAYER

Lord, grant me the strength that I may not fall  
 Into the clutches of cholesterol,  
 At polyunsaturates, I'll never mutter,  
 For the road to hell is paved with butter.  
 And cake is cursed and cream is awful  
 And Satan is hiding in every waffle.  
 Beelzebub is a chocolate drop  
 And Lucifer is a lollipop.  
 Teach me the evils of hollandaise,  
 Of pasta and gobs of mayonnaise,  
 And crisp fried chicken from the South--  
 Lord, if you love me, shut my mouth.  
 Stolen by Joan Stunzig from Readers Digest,  
 and it wasn't even her magazine!

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With so much controversy over imports, the magazine Industry Week decided to count the cars owned by the White House Staff. The result was almost half - 233 out of 493 - were Japanese products. Any wonder why Detroit is a depressed area?

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CIELO COURT

by Mary May

Alice and Carl Jackson continue to enjoy their Ohio company, Mary and Milo Keltner. Playing golf and eating out is the order of the day. They do hope to do more sightseeing.  
 Lola and Matt Yakes are expecting their granddaughter and husband, Sue and Perry Kraker, from Allendale, Mich. They arrive March 9 for one week.  
 Mary May is trying a new philosophy, "Don't worry about it because its not going to be All right anyway."  
 Audry and Andy Grant have gone back to Mass. after a short stay, but will return in April.  
 Loretta and Fred Brandemill have been busy working this season. Better get out of Fred's way when you see him with the lawn mower - he can be seen halfway down the block - love you, Fred!  
 Vivian Roberts is still having her winter vacation travelling back and forth to Tampa General.  
 George Uto is just sitting back and watching his grass grow. Have you noticed how nice & green it is?

WANDERING

by De Roma

Saw George Uto in Venice, dancing up a storm.  
 Charlie Hicks got a warning for going too slow on 41 in Venice.  
 Saw Hank take the boat out in the Bay, but it never came back. Sunk or what?  
 Saw the gorgeous job Bob Arnholt did on Betty's \$3.75 bike.  
 Cal's Brother John had such a good time in the Park, he would like to thank everyone.  
 We saw him at a dance doing the "Chicken Dance" If his students could see him. Wow.  
 "What do you do with yourself?" we're asked.  
 "Well". ---  
 30 attend Line Dance lessons Tuesday.  
 60 go to Bingo Monday and Friday.  
 48 play Euchre on Thursday.  
 16 play Bridge on Tuesday.  
 8 men play poker on Wednesday.  
 16 go dancing in Venice on Thursday.  
 20 shuffle in the Tournament. Millions shuffle all during the week.  
 100+ go to our Dinners once a month.  
 Those who don't shuffle go to the beach.  
 34 people play in the Kitchen Band.  
 Plus? Bible Study, Crafts, Fishing, Exercise

## SHUFFLE NEWS

Brownie wishes to thank all the members of the Shuffle Team who have been so faithful and cooperative throughout the season making it possible to maintain a good level of enthusiasm and sportsmanship.

Special thanks to the willing crew always on deck for sweeping, mopping and waxing, all those never-ending jobs so essential to court maintenance. Also, a grateful wave of the cap to George Hommel who arrived with his electric blower in time for the annual battle with the leaves.

Our team standing drifted up and down as we faced our various apponents; but we ended the season in eighth place in a league of ten teams which is one notch better than last year's rank of next to the bottom. This gives us a goal for '85 when we aim to move another rung or two up the ladder.

The annual Shuffleboard Banquet will be held on Saturday, March 31st at 5:00 PM at the Lemon Bay Isles Clubhouse. A roast beef dinner will be served. Tickets are available from Clayton Brown for \$5.50 per person. Get yours soon. All welcome--sponsors, neighbors and cheerleaders. Join the fun.

The Thursday Shuffle Frolics continue to draw a good turnout of players and boosters. The new shufflers are making good progress and everyone seems to be enjoying the fun. Come on down! The league matches may be over but the season is just shaping up. Remember, we have sticks to loan. Give it a try!

## BAYO STREET

by Mabel Gaudette

The Kanpps had a busy fortnight. The Bielinskis and the Lingrens and also the Woods from Muskegon, Mich. visited them; needless to say a good time was had by all.

Leverne Sumner had a busy few days entertaining the Rosses from his home town, Muskegon, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Klinger from Ft. Wayne, Ind. are with us for an indefinite stay and liking our Park. Welcome!

The Holmans went up to Hudson, Fla. to visit a long time buddy of Ralph's who lives in Columbia, Calif. They enjoyed their day's reunion.

The Thorne's daughter, Kathy and two sons, Eric and Jason, from Midland, Pa. are enjoying our Park and Grandma and Grandpa are enjoying them. The Thornes also spent the weekend with Jim's brother, George, at Eagle Lake, Fla. George is adjusting to the loss of his wife in the accident on their way here.

Helen Graveline is enjoying her walks to the beach and the Bay. Keep it up, Helen.

The Bob Arnholts went to West Palm Beach to celebrate their daughter Amy's birthday. Now they are expecting a visit from their No. 3 daughter, Pat and son, Chris.

Rose Ouimette had a visit from her brother Ed Bousquet from Bonita Springs. His neighbor visited her sister-in-law at the Castaways.

The Daughertys entertained their neighbors from New Castle, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Loukeil.

The DeMosses visited Plant City for the strawberry festival. They will be with us for the month of March.

Mr. and Mrs. Armand Benoit from Wilbraham, Mass. stopped in to say "Hi!" to Alice Flebotte.

Doris and Al Boulrice are busy with the plans for their new home which will be built in July.

Marie Wadlegger's sister from St. Pete visited them; Yvette and Gene Beauregard. They also are old camping buddies of the Phaneufs.

The Sizeloves sister-in-law Mary Jane Corcoran and her friend Angie from Detroit are both enjoying their first Florida visit.

Florence Finette's brother and cousin from Innerkip, Ont. are in the Park for March.

Ellis Martan and son Adam from Cincinnati, Ohio were guests of the Henthornes for a few days. They enjoyed a dip in the Gulf. (tourist!)

Vin and Tarry Phaneu are looking forward to a visit from their daughter Jackie Newlin of Springfield, Mass. Last week their son and wife, Bob and Carolyn and children Aaron and Sarah from Newport, R.I. spent some time here. They were staying at her parents' home in Sarasota, retired Col. Ken Temple from So. Dakota.

Carol and Jack Weaver visited Ft. Lauderdale last weekend for the 17th birthday of Jack's daughter Wendy. It also was Carol's mother's 76th birthday. In addition Carol received a second Pen Pal letter from England.

Mary Beth, John and Angela Gervasi of Wyandotte, Mich. They are the granddaughter and husband and great granddaughter of Isabelle and Al Wary. They split a ten day vacation between the Wards and the other grandparents, Steven and Mary Horvath of Grove City. Isabelle and Al also enjoyed showing their friends, Lester and Ann Smith of White Cloud, Mich. this part of Florida.

Our sympathy to Caresta Bovee on the loss of her brother Max Tamp of Waverly, N.Y. and her sister Vivian Bailey of Towanda, Pa. The loss was one day apart. Caresta's daughter "Sling" took her mother to Ft. Lauderdale to be with her other sister, to console each other.

Mother to son. "I want you to put on a new pair of socks every day". By Friday he couldn't put on his shoes.

Here lies Lester Moore. Four slugs from a 44.---- No les no more.

DIJE STREET

Ruth Salmon

Lots of news from Dije Street this month. Shirley Ryan is recovering nicely from a serious illness. We're all rooting for you, Shirley.

Elizabeth Toney has had a busy winter enjoying the company of her nephew Bob.

As for Hazel Belky, her grand-daughter Betsy from Wyandotte, Mich. was chosen as an entrant in a pageant to compete for the title of "Miss Michigan". That's enough to make any of us grandmothers swell with pride. Hazel is now planning on a visit from her daughter and son-in-law in June and just may join them on their trip back to Michigan for a visit.

Mae Spear has had a long, tedious recovery from her broken wrist. It still is a problem but Mae is back enjoying Park activities, especially Bingo. Bravo, Mae!

Bea and Gene Hull said, "no news" but I just happen to know that Gene was very busy digging beautiful shells out of Lemon Bay, cleaning them up and giving them to friends. The two of them enjoyed the strawberry festival at Plant City.

Frank and Grace Tresha continue to walk miles every day on the beach and Frank has made many sales this winter of his adorable shell animal creations.

Ruth and her sister Hazel just returned from three fun days over at Boynton Beach with friends. They're glad to be back home, however.

Clarence Rohlf entertained friends, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dixon, son Dirk, his wife and their two sons from Akron, Mich. They really liked our Park.

Jenny and Jay Hubbard were surprised by visits from William Finsch of Ypsilante, Mich., Ralph and Reatha Parker and Ed and Connie VanOver of Chelsea, Mich. Bill and Marion Witchello of Gulliver, Mich. also stopped in. Those Hubbards are very popular people.

As for Teresa Miller, she's keeping busy winning at Bingo. Keep it up, Teresa.

Ralph and Roxanne are expecting Roxie's sister, Fleurette, from Southbridge, Mass. to arrive this month for a visit with them. She is now in Orlando so Ralph and Roxie will pick her up there.

Hulda and Chan Robinson had a wonderful reunion in Venice with friends from their home town in Iowa. They also enjoyed their son Charles' visit here. He hails from Arvada, Colorado.

No, neighbors, Brownie hasn't bought a new van. That vehicle belongs to a favorite nephew, Bob Haines, who will soon be heading north to his contracting business. How does it feel, Brownie, to be able to relax after all those shuffleboard league games?

Mable and Harry Marsh have had lots of guests as usual, including Harry and Alsa Marsh from New York; Mildred, Bessie and Rena Marsh from Sarasota. All these were cousins of Harry's. Rumors are floating around the Park that Clara Bessinger's new home on Bayo Street is rapidly becoming a cute, little doll house. We believe this, knowing Clara's artistic abilities. Congratulations, Clara!

Katie and Hank Mastie will miss their dear friends, Elsie and Ed Holda from Dearborn Heights, Mich. and Ellen and David Kahn from Waterford, Mich. who have been renting nearby and are leaving for home on March 15th. Never mind, Katie and Hank, you'll soon be busy when your children and grandchildren arrive. Watch out Dije Street, here comes that little charmer Zack. He'll liven up our street.

Lorraine and Harry Ide made a short trip home and were delighted to return to Gulf to Bay. They are now entertaining their friend, Nelly, from Mass. Lorraine is a busy little bee as usual and Harry too, with his repairs around their lovely mobile home. Lorraine reports 46 people have signed up for next year's cruise but there is still time for others to have discount reservations. See Lorraine soon, everyone.

Anne and George Hale have been busy too. Their daughter Barbara Crandon, hubby George and grand-daughter Tammi from Ocala were with them for a weekend. Also their niece, Dot Vanturas, husband Peter and son Peter from Conn. were here for two days. George is feeling lots better and can be found playing shuffleboard in the afternoon. That Anne looks like a winner, too.

Doris Slaybaugh is entering a China Show in Punta Gorda this Saturday, March 10th from 10 AM to 7 PM. She will exhibit a 112 piece set of her magnificent dishes. Another blue ribbon for you, Doris.

Dorothy and Vaughn Nighswander enjoyed a week's visit with their son Allen and his wife Mary Jane from Tinnin, Ohio. They also went to the Strawberry Festival at Plant City with Bea and Gene Hull and friends Virginia and Ray De Mass.

That's all folks from your Dije Street reporter, Ruth Salemon.

Three people gathered at the casket of a friend. The first said "In my culture it is said that if one places a little money in the casket, it will ease the departed's journey. He then placed ten dollars in the coffin. The second man did the same. The third man wrote a check for \$30.00 and took out the two tens.

One foggy night the captain of a ship saw what he thought were the lights of another ship. He sent this message. "Change your course 10 degrees to the north. The reply came back. "change yours 10 degrees to the south. The captain answered. "I am a captain, change your course". The reply: I am a seaman first class, change yours!" The captain, furious signaled: "I am a battleship change course 10 degrees north!" The reply: I am a lighthouse. "Change your course 10 degrees to the south".



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Wednesday	April 11th	12 P.M.	<u>STRAWBERRY SHORTCAKE</u>	\$ 1.50
	Coffee or Tea		Bring bowl, cup and spoon	

EASTER DINNER

Sunday April 22nd 1:00 P.M.

Juice

Ham, Scalloped Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables  
Coleslaw - Raisin Applesauce - Deviled Eggs  
Apple Pie and Ice Cream - Coffee or Tea

Ticket Sales April 12 & 13

Bring Table Service to Hall April 21, 2-4 PM

April Committee:

Helen Bleck - Council Member  
Allison & Clayton Brown, Chrsprs.  
Roxanne & Ralph Palermo  
Norma & Gene Croteau  
Rita & Bob Boulanger  
Fay Downing  
Bill Stevenson

G'BYE, Y'ALL

Our season here is winding down;  
The weather's turning piping hot.  
Let's polish off our tropic tans;  
Let's give it all one more shot.

We really ought to sing one song  
Where we can see those happy smiles  
On all our friends who helped to make  
This closing season so worthwhile.

But then, I guess it's so and true,  
That seasons made by me and thee,  
All pleasures I have given you;  
You gave them all right back---to me.

Hampden F. Tener

Congratulations to new Officers! Rec. Council

Charlie Verrill-	Two Year Term
Gladys Thorne-	" " "
George Hommel-	One Year Term
Art Oestreich-	" " "

As you all know, plans have been made to form a corporation of Gulf To Bay Mobile Home owners. This step is being taken to insure that if the park is sold, the new corporation will have the right of first refusal.

Officers, pro tem of the Corporation, to serve until a future general meeting shall be held, are

President	-	Art Oestreich
Vice President	-	Tom McElroy
Treasurer	-	Les Downing
Secretary	-	Allison Brown

In addition, four more Mobile Home owners were added to the above named officers to form an executive committee. They are as follows:

Vaughn Nighswander  
Harry Ide  
Paul Stunzig  
Hank Mastie

Articles of incorporation were discussed by the Board of Directors on Wednesday morning and a copy of such articles will be sent to Tallahassee for appropriate action. A modest filing fee is required.

In order to provide some initial working capital, all mobile home owners are to be contacted for a ten dollar donation (\$10.00).

Shubert had a horse named Sara, He drove her to the big Parade, and all the time the band was playing Shubert's Sara neighed!

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My new car has bucket seats. Really comfortable if your bucket ain't too big!

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Cross an octopus with a bale of hay and you get a broom with eight handles!

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BAYO STREET

By Mabel Gaudette

George and Florence Finnett had their daughter and three friends visiting from Oshawa, Ont., their niece and husband and daughter from Peterbouro, Ont., their nephew and wife and family from Markdale, Ont. and counsins from St. Petersburg. It certainly was a busy month.

Chester and Margaret Sizelove's grandson, wife and 8 mo. daughter are flying down the 20th and will drive her grandparents on the 26th back to their home in Springfield, Ill.

Ernestine Ethier is back with her sister-in-law Helen Graveline after spending the last 4 months on the East Coast visiting her brother and niece. She will fly home May 3 to Indian Orchard, Mass

Grace Henning has gone back north to Detroit, Mich. She will spend the summer at her home in Grayline, Mich.

George Thorne from Eagle Lake, Fla. is spending a few days with his brother Jim. (Likes our Park)

Rose Ouimette is in Bonita Springs, Fla. visiting her brother, Ed. Bonsquet. They will drive back to Chicopee, Mass. together the last of April.

Zachary and T. J. Taylor from Buffalo area, N.Y. visited their grandparents Ruth and Bob Arnholt.

Ralph Holman's brother and wife Margaret and Dick from St. Clair Shores, Mich. were in our park, visiting. On their way back home Ralph and Eileen plan a trip to San Diego, Calif. to visit relatives. Nice trip.

Sophia Szopski is on her way home to Marquette, Wis. On her way she will take her brother-in-law Ed Piechota and wife back to Chicago, Ill.

Fran Wadlegger's sister Mary Emirzian from Daytona Beach was here for a few days; she enjoyed the park and the people.

Marie Lee Musan and her daughter visited her mother and father Phyliss and Bob Knapp, also Susan Care friend of the granddaughter, all from Muskegon, Mich. They are expecting their grandson Dacie Lynn for a couple weeks too, also from Muskegon, Mich.

Bernice Theiss had a nice visit from her grandson, wife and three children, Don and Dorothy La Chappelle from Melbourne, Fla.

Arlene and Gus Simka from Allen Park, Mich. stopped to visit their neighbors, Isabelle & Al Ward, who of course are also from Mich.

Doris and Al Boulrice and Doris' mother Alice Flebotte went to Ft. Myers to visit an old classmate, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lamothe of El Paso, Texas, who were there on a motorcade. They also had visitors here from Willawick, Ohio, Joe and Betty Nally.

That's a sharp looking car you have. How many miles do you get per gallon? Six, my son gets the other twenty!

#### CIELO STREET

by Paul Stunzig

Bob and Rita Boulanger had his brother and sister-in-law visit for a week from Conn. They all had a great time with the fantastic weather.

George and Dolores Hommel had his very close friend staying for a few days. Their daughter and son-in-law with the two kids are staying at the Castaways for another week or two.

Ruth and Charlie Hicks are heading for home in Pa. They said this was one of their best years in the Park-funwise.

Phyliss Crosbie still keeping busy with her computer and shuffling.

Cora Tyson had her daughter and husband down from Battle Creek. Also her nephew Richard Johnson and wife from Athens, Mich. He's the sax player we all enjoyed so much. Cora's bird Valentine is still in good health.

Jane Wiley took her brother-in-law Don McConnoughy back to Tampa after his week's stay.

Bill and Irene Stephenson had their daughter and granddaughter down for the second time this year. Guess they really love Gulf to Bay. Bill's son, wife and two other grandchildren will be down for Easter week. Irene's Shell Factory is really busy these days turning out Professional Quality Products.

Bill and Helen Bottenfield really enjoying their stay with us. They'll be leaving for Cape Kenned to see the April 6 space shot but only for a few days. Just recently they visited relatives in Zephyrhills and Tarpon Springs. They really keep on the move.

Tom McElroy says he and Brownie got some beautiful sheepshead. Says he hopes its the beginning of a trend.

Don+Virginia Reppenhagen had his brother and wife down from Detroit for a few days.

Angie and Georgia's sister Penny will be coming in April 6. Then they'll all go home together in May.

Jack Smith went into Venice Hospital for an overnite stay-last minute checkup before leaving for home Thursday morning. He and Fran will be back with us in January.

Florence Finnett's brother Bill Kell and Isabelle really enjoying their stay and are sorry to be leaving next week. He sure was a nice musical talent and we all enjoyed his Guitar playing. Bill says it's foolish to go around collecting news when all you have to do is hang around the laundry room for  $\frac{1}{2}$  hr. and you'll know everything that's going on in the Park.

Ham and Jinx Tener had a guest Josephine Cully. Ham's teaching her to shuffle. Naturally she loves the Park.

A man walked into a shoe repair shop and said, " I found this ticket for shoes I brought in in 1981. Do you still have them?" The Shoemaker looked and said, "They'll be ready Thursday."

A certain lady who shall remain nameless but whose initials are H.B., was seen walking home from a ladies luncheon at the Knapps with her pants all wet. Were the jokes really that good? --

De Roma

ESTADA STREET

by Emma Graber

Jim and Dot Manley have friends Ruth and Dick Tripp visiting from Brattleboro, Vermont. They are also expecting their son and family the 16th of April.

Dick and Marge Hamilton were visited by their friends Mr. and Mrs. Clark Carey from Lima, Ohio; Rhea Runyan from Sarasota, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Garrettson from Lima, Ohio.

Mary Kay O'Donnell has been admitted to St. Joseph Hospital in Port Charlotte. She will be scheduled for surgery on Monday if it is necessary. Daughter Kathy is here with her father. We all hope the best for Mary Kay.

Les and Fay Downing's grandson "Charley" and his Mom and Dad have returned to Michigan after a two week's visit in Florida. Things are really quiet around the Downing household

Gordon and Emma Graber will be returning to Hamburg, N.Y. on April 14th. They will miss everyone at Gulf to Bay Park, but will look forward to returning in the Fall.

Helen Bleck had the Krolls from Bonita Springs visiting her over the weekend, enjoying the beach and the friendliness in the Park.

Art and Marguerite were visited by John and Betty Lamon of Three Lakes, Wisconsin and Ethel and Howard McDonald of DeLand, Fla.-members of Marguerite's family. After a day in which to get straightened up, Jean and Les Fay of Bloomington, Ind. spent several days and agreed that Gulf to Bay is a great place to live.

We welcome Paul and Joan Stunzig to Estada Street and look forward to having them as our neighbors in the Fall.

He who hesitates gets bumped from the rear!

To err is human...to forget is against company policy.

AURA STREET

by Betty Baker

On our street we have had two snowbirds leave for the cold north. John and Donna Darling left for Maine and had storms all the way home.

Wednesday Lee Taylor left for home in Michigan. He was towing his new big boat. Lee plans to fish in Lake Michigan this summer.

Anna and George Galat were very surprised by a visit from Bob and Lina Slemko and their son and daughter-in-law from Hamilton, Ont. They stay in St. Pete but couldn't resist visiting here for a short time. Anna and George will leave April 14 for Canada. They hope to see us all next fall.

Ethel Cross was busy stocking the pantry. She had her grandson Jim Cross and his children Jimmie and Jennifer. They all just had a great time and enjoyed the beach. They also had Matt, Rumpf's grandson to play with.

The Mintons were busy with company. Edna's two brothers and sister were here from Pontiac, Mich.

Lu Rogers is feeling good. She said she felt more like her old self which is good news. Lu had her granddaughter Sarah and Bob Werner and four children here last week for overnight.

Stopped by to see Millie Cohoon. She had her son and friend for a visit. Also visiting was her oldest son and wife, also her daughter Ardith Bennett. Then from Avon Park Millie's sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Brandt. Quite a busy house for a while.

Bob and Mickey Rumpf had their daughter Debbie and family for a visit.

As we go to press Sue Baker will be visiting for the weekend.

The Art Cadys had a couple of parties before Art left. On Tuesday, April 3 Art drove back to Waterbury, Conn. He had bad storms all the way. Did anyone notice the "Bigfoot" prints by Art's garden alongside of the patio? On Monday Anne expects her daughter Sue and Harry for a three-weeks visit. They will drive Anne home for the summer.

Overheard in a doctor's waiting room: "I'm at a stage of life where I'm not quite sure what kind of insurance to take out-major medical or minor miracle."

What this country needs is family trees that produce more lumber and fewer nuts.

DIJE STREET

by Hulda Robinson

Harry and Lorraine are anxiously awaiting the arrival on April 12th of their seven year old granddaughter, Michelle. She will join them for the trip north in their motor home with a stop at Orlando on the way.

Therese Miller had a toe operation and was lucky to have her son and daughter-in-law here. Also, happy to have her grandchildren and great grandchildren here for a visit. The squirrels and crows are out of their dinner! The plum tree is gone.

Did you ever notice how the older you get the younger you feel? Well, me neither!

The Hubbards celebrated Jennie's brother, Billie's birthday March 25 at Adami's and Fred's at Gerace's April 1st. They also went to Lakeland to watch the Tigers play ball. They stayed three days and saw two games. Mr. and Mrs. John Kuzma from Dundee, Mich. stopped for a visit Mon.

DIJE STREET (cont'd.)

Ruth and Hazel at 403 Dije have been enjoying the company of Hazel's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Phillips of Saratoga Springs, N.Y., who are staying in Englewood.

From the Palermo's casualty list: Left over from the Happy Hour - #1 - small tupper ware bowl. Will the owner please call for it before going north. #2 - Lost one chair with green and white colored webbing, which was no doubt taken in mistake for one that we have with all green webbing. Also one tablespoon. This and the above happened at the Beach Party. So once again will the owners call at 405 Dije St. for adjustments at NO CHARGE. Roxanne's sister from Mass. will be her guest for two weeks.

The biggest news at the Brown's is there's fish for supper. Allison has been accusing Brownie and Tom of not baiting their lines so that their sun bathing wouldn't be disturbed! However, Brownie latched onto a big sheepshead and not to be outdone, Tom matched the catch. So, the fellows are saying that the jinx is broken now and fish will be on the table like the old days.

Now that the League shuffle season is finished maybe the guys will get some of those little jobs finished--like putting the last coat of paint on the air conditioner. Guess where this reporter picked up that little hint!

Not much news from the Robinsons except they will be leaving for Iowa via North Carolina April 18. Also received a call from grandson Joe that he will be among the 16 torch bearers for the Olympics. You can be sure that if he runs anywhere near us that we will be there watching him. He lives in Des Moines, Iowa. A special thanks should go to Brownie for being captain of the Shuffleboard team. Sorry we didn't do better for him but we weren't on the bottom anyway.

The Mastie household has been jumping for the past couple of weeks. Daughter Barbara, husband Tony and Zachary came from Tecumseh, Mich. and brought along Tony's sister and family Mary Jo, Mike and Blair Griewahn. Dennis Mastie and friend Nancy have also been here for a few days; He's gone home and will be back the 13th until after Easter. Son Ron and family will be coming the 14th for a week. Wonder what Peanuts is doing at all our back doors these days? Ha!

GOLFO STREET

by Dortha Swickard

Helen and Charlie Verrill spent a few days in the Everglades last week.

Dorothy and Floyd Crankshaw had their daughter and son-in-law, Helen and Marry Waters, of Muskegon as guests for a few days.

Rita Roof had as guest a great nephew, Dave Cleveland of Kalamazoo for a few days. Gladys Garrison of Kalamazoo is with Rita now.

Audrey and George Jacobson have George's sister, Dorothey Rasmussen of Lake Geneva, Wisc. with them - she has enjoyed the beach and shelling. Her husband, Walter, will come to take her home.

Dot Kerber's granddaughter visited from Port Huron, Mich. She attends Michigan State U.

Noble and Eleanor Paul are looking forward to their grandson coming from Philadelphia on the 18th.

Cal Thatcher is still up north taking care of business, but will be back to spend some time before driving back home with Cam the end of April.

Last news from Gene Hallett, Mahlon is some improved. That's good news.

Patty and Gary Coleman from Chicopee, Mass. are enjoying the Park. They are visiting Patty's mother and father, Jean and Norma Croteau.

CIELO COURT

By Mary May

All was too quiet on Cielo Ct.; all our company was gone so we decided to do something special together. We chartered a boat, all 15 of us. It was a beautiful day...we ate, fished & relaxed. The ladies out did themselves with good food. Lola and Loretta baked their famous gooseberry pie. George, Don and Alice grilled steaks while Fred toasted marshmallows for us all. We caught 1500 lbs. of grouper with Matt taking top honors catching the largest at 77½ lbs., Vivian and Mary catching the first and most. A good time was had by all.

Now, if you believe any of this, we would like to sell you some swamp land we bought while on this trip.

(My son had a trip very similar to this. His psychiatrist says he'll be able to go home in two or three years. Ed.)

The boat was sinking. The skipper called out, "Anyone know how to parry?" "I do," answered one. "Okay, you pray, the rest put on life jackets - we're short one."

I would swallow my pride but I hate junk food.

Beware of those who say they're on your side...So's appendicitis.

Marguerite to Shirley: "Did you wake up grumpy this morning?" "No, I let Charley sleep a little longer."

One out of 4 people in this country is mentally imbalanced. Think of your three closest friends. If they seem okay, then you're the one. - Ann Landers

A meeting of the new Council took place Thursday, April 5th at 10 A.M.

Your new officers and month of dinner and entertainment:

Paul Stunzig	President	February
Bob Knapp	Vice President	January
Charles Verrill	Treasurer	March
Art Oestreich	Secretary	November
George Hommel	Member at Large	April
Gladys Thorne	Member at Large	December

A filtered drinking fountain will be installed during the summer in the Rec. Hall.

The Managers have agreed to install the fountain and the cost will be split 50/50 with the Council.

### Hugs

It's wondrous what a hug can do.  
 A hug can cheer you when you're blue.  
 A hug can say, "I love you so,"  
 Or Gee, I hate to see you go.  
 A hug is welcome back again,  
 And, Great to see! Where've you been?  
 A hug can sooth a small child's pain  
 And bring a rainbow after rain.  
 The Hug! There's no doubt about it.  
 We scarcely could survive without it!

A hug delights and warms and charms.  
 It must be why God gave us arms.  
 Hugs are great for mothers and fathers,  
 Sweet for sisters, swell for brothers.  
 And chances are your favorite aunts.  
 Love them more than potted plants.  
 Kittens crave them. Puppies love them.  
 Heads of State are not above them.  
 A hug can break the language barrier  
 And make your travels so much merrier.  
 No need to fret about your store of them.  
 The more you give the more there is of them.  
 So stretch those arms without delay  
 And give someone a HUG today!!!

Dean Walley

Submitted by Roxanne Palermo

We hope you have enjoyed this little paper during the year. It's purpose is only to entertain and amuse you. If we have succeeded it is because of the cooperation of a lot of people, such as :

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| Loretta Brandemill,         | Mary May        | Emma Graber                 | Dortha Swickard |
| Clara Bessinger             | Hulda Robinson  | Ruth Salmon                 |                 |
| Joan and Paul Stunzig       | Mabel Gaudette  | George and Florence Finnett |                 |
| Don and Verginia Repenhagen | Betty Baker     | Marge Stocum                |                 |
| Cam and Cal Thatcher        | Roxanne Palermo | Jim and Gladys Thorne       |                 |
| Ham Tenner                  | Henny Henthorne | Phyllis Crosby              |                 |
| and Jean and warren Crowley |                 |                             |                 |

If we forgot anyone, sorry. Just want you to know we enjoyed doing the paper ( if you leave out Shirley"s cussing every time she hit the wrong key.)  
God willing, We'll see Y'all in the Fall.

Charlie and Shirley Deierlein

### THOUGHT OF THE YEAR - "BEES"

This is the story of the Little Bee  
 Whose sex is very hard to see  
 You cannot tell a He from a She  
 But she can tell and so can he  
 The Little Bee is never still  
 She has no time to take the Pill  
 So that is why in times like these  
 There are so many Sons of Bees !!

(Stolen from Short Stop Printing by Virginia Reppenhagen)