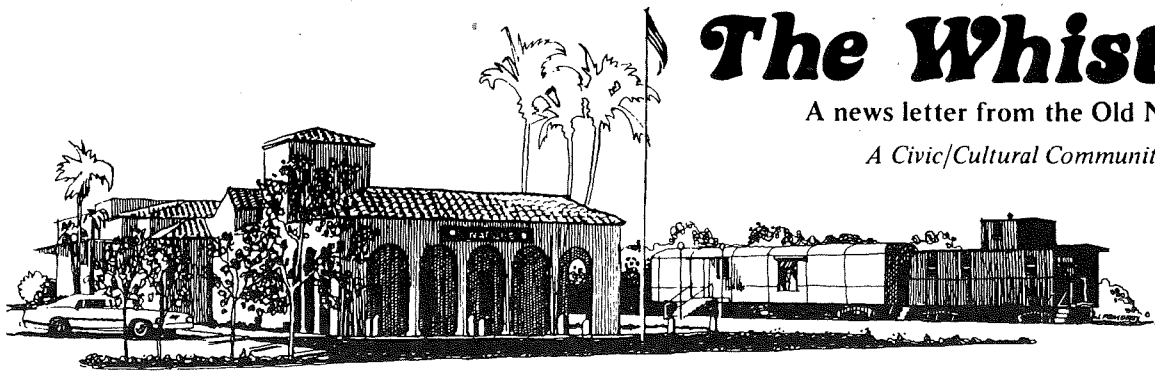




The Whistlestop

A news letter from the Old Naples Depot

A Civic/Cultural Community Center

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

While there are many events worth mentioning going on at the Depot in December, I want to take this opportunity to let you know that we now own a Kimball Spinnet Piano thanks to Shirley Johnson & Company as well as those who attended the performance.

If the talent show here was any indication of what to expect at "Christmas Eve at the Depot," be sure to attend the event and bring your friends!

George R. Wallace 3rd, President



RENEWAL OF MEMBERSHIP IN SOUTHWEST HERITAGE, INC.

At this time of the year it is gratifying to reflect on a very successful season for Southwest Heritage and the Naples Depot. The renovation and restoration of our historical landmark has been extensive, and a growing number of organizations has elected to utilize the Depot for their various civic, cultural, artistic and educational programs.

It will soon be time for the renewal of our membership. We urge each and every one of our members to continue their stewardship of the Depot by renewing their membership in Southwest Heritage. It is only through the financial support of our members that we are able to provide these worthwhile and well-received activities to Neapolitans and our neighbors.

We appreciate our members support. We look forward to maintaining our full membership and expanding our rolls by the addition of new members. Please join us in a new year of programming, and take a moment to ask your friends to join you in their support of The Depot.

For your convenience, a renewal form is on inside page.

Paul Dohl

CHRISTMAS EVE AT THE DEPOT

Part of the magic of this coming Christmas Eve will be a wonderful musical at the Depot at 5 p.m., December 24th.

Once again the public is invited to enjoy this traditional event. Entertainment is the principle factor of the evening, and even though the program presentation is free, those who wish may contribute to a worthy charity, The Naples Welfare Association, Inc., that Southwest Heritage is sponsoring during the Christmas time.

The GIVING TREE will be on the Depot lawn for all to see and enjoy. Foods and monies may be left there a week in advance of the actual Christmas Day.

Shirley Johnson has programmed a larger than ever musical fare for this Seventh Annual Christmas Eve program. This is the fifth year she has directed and produced this traditional community event. This Neapolitan is a versatile business woman, actress, singer, artist, dancer and jewelry designer. She contacts the most talented musicians and they, free of cost to the organizations sponsoring, give professional renderings of their talents.

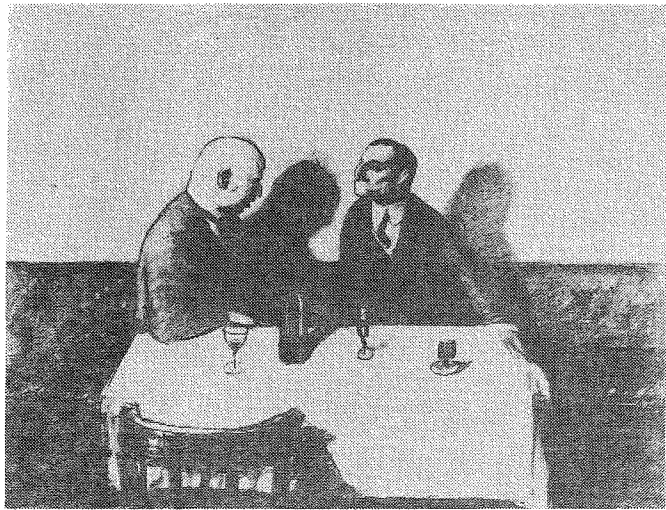
There is magic in any Christmas Eve and Shirley adds stars to the galaxy. Don't miss coming. Memories are made of beautiful events such as this!

Jane Lee



Shirley Johnson

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Pictured above "In the Restaurant, 1913" by V. Guy Pene DuBois artist.

FRIENDS OF ART EXHIBIT IN BRADLEY GALLERY

The 1986 Opening Show for Friends of Art will be "GENRE SCENES" works on paper from the Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Gardens. Circulated by the Smithsonian Traveling Exhibition Service, works include prints and watercolors dating from a Bonnard in 1899 through the 1970's.

Olga Hirshhorn-Dudley will speak to the members of Friends of Art at the opening night reception.

Exhibit open to the public January 4 to January 28. Bradley Gallery hours are Monday-Friday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Admission is free.

END OF THE LINE STORE

The End of the Line Store may just have that something special you need for yourself, or a gift for someone! We are loaded with goodies for the holidays. Don't miss out on them! The store is open Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Spaces are still available for the Ramble to be held on Sunday, February 9, 1986. Call 262-1167. Proceeds from this event go toward keeping our historical Depot beautiful.

Elsie Carr



GULF COAST ORGAN CLUB

The Gulf Coast Organ Club will have its annual Christmas Banquet at the Depot on Tuesday, December 10.

A social hour at 6 p.m. will be followed by dinner at 7 p.m. Open to members and guests. Reservations must be made. Call Mrs. Brumm at 775-2558.

AN EXCITING MUSICAL EVENT

Dennis Awe, internationally famous organist, will appear in a special concert featuring the Technics Organ, on Wednesday, December 4 at 7 p.m.

Mr. Awe is a born showman, and will treat his audience to an enormous potpourri of show tunes, light concert music, contemporary hits and old-time favorites. For twelve years Mr. Awe was a church organist in New York City, and later was the musical director and conductor for the Paris Touring Company that produced such Broadway shows as "King and I," "Sound of Music," and "The Music Man." He has appeared on "The Today Show," and has performed at several of the leading hotels in Las Vegas.

The program is sponsored by the Kreisel Piano and Organ company. There is no charge for admission but tickets must be obtained. Call 261-1818.

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

A very special holiday program is being planned by the League of Women Voters of Collier County for their meeting at the Depot on Monday, December 16.

This is a luncheon meeting, open to the public. Luncheon (\$5) will be served at noon, preceded by a social hour at 11:30 a.m. Those unable to be present at the luncheon are welcome to attend the meeting which follows at no charge.

Those planning to attend the luncheon MUST make reservations. Call the Hospitality Chairwoman, Jane King 775-1257 or the League office at 263-4656 no later than Saturday, December 14.



GULF COAST SAILING CLUB

The Gulf Coast Sailing Club will meet on Wednesday, December 11 at 7:30 p.m. There will be either a guest speaker or a movie. The public, particularly those interested in sailing, are welcome.

IKEBANA INTERNATIONAL

The local chapter of Ikebana International will meet at the Depot on Wednesday, December 4 at 9 a.m. Mrs. John Grover, SOGETU teacher, will be the principle speaker, and her lecture and demonstration will be on MORAMANA.

Mrs. Donald Else, Mrs. Alex Bappie and Mrs. William Walker, Jr. are the hostesses, Mrs. Philip Francoeur the flower arranger.

For members and guests only.



WHISTLESTOP CALENDAR FOR DECEMBER 1985 (as of November 22, 1985)



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Florida Cosmetologists Assn.-eve.	2 N. GARDEN CLUB Members Meeting aft. Private Party Club Car-aft.	3 Mary Kay Cosmetics morn. Friends of Art Coffee morn. Dale Carnegie eve.	4 E. F. Hutton-morn. Friends of Art Board Meeting-morn. Ikebana International morn. Kreisel Piano & Organ Co. Concert-eve.	5 Hydro-Solar Co.-aft. Morgan Keegan-eve. N. ORCHID SOCIETY eve.	6 Southwest Heritage, Inc. Executive Meeting-morn. N. ART ASSN. Board Meeting morn. Police Athletic League Dance-eve.	7 Mary Kay Cosmetics morn. Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship-eve.
8 Collier County Bar Assn.-aft.	9 N. GARDEN CLUB Horticulture Workshops morn. & aft. Naples Council on World Affairs-eve. Kim Anderson-eve.	10 Palmer Communications All Day Mary Kay Cosmetics All Day Dale Carnegie-eve. Gulf Coast Organ Club eve.	11 Friends of Art Meeting-morn. Gulf Coast Sailing Club-eve. Private Party-eve.	12 NSDAR-aft. Arthritis Foundation Dinner-eve. Collier County Stamp Club-eve.	13 McGrath Financial Seminar-All Day	14 McGrath Fin. Sem. All Day New Hope Ministries Church Sale-morn. Gulf Coast Sailing Club-eve.
15 McGrath Fin. Sem. All Day Nancy Andrews Dance Group-eve. Private Party-eve.	16 McGrath Fin. Sem. All Day League of Women Voters-aft.	17 McGrath Fin. Sem. All Day Mary Kay Cosmetics All Day Ranney Chapter Amer. Hibiscus Soc. eve. Dale Carnegie-eve.	18 E. F. Hutton-morn. Boca Ciega Village-eve.	19 Triple A Explorers Club-aft.	20 YMCA-eve.	21 Hi-Twelve Club #436-aft.
22 Private Party-eve.	23 Women's Aglow-eve.	24 CHRISTMAS EVE AT THE DEPOT 5 p.m. (Southwest Heritage Inc.)	25 MERRY CHRISTMAS from SOUTHWEST HERITAGE, INC.	26	27	28
29	30 N. GARDEN CLUB Board Meeting-morn.	31				

**NSDAR PRESENTS
OUR COUNTRY'S MUSICAL GOLD**

Looking into our past to capture its musical moments is like looking into a treasure chest according to Mrs. Lester Coleman. She has done a great deal of research in getting ready for the program being presented by the Big Cypress Chapter of NSDAR on Thursday, December 12 at 1:30 p.m.

A historical narration of the songs that have become a part of our heritage will be the feature of this program that will also include songs sung by guest soloists Joanne Duxstad and "Doc" Thomas. Mrs. Coleman will play medleys of songs that could be part of a "sing-along" involving everyone. Starting with our first treasure "Old Hundredth" the narration will cover songs from the 1600's to the 1900's. Closing the program will be a medley of Christmas songs.

Mrs. Thomas W. Teetor is Chairman for the program. visiting NSDAR members, prospective members and guests are invited to attend.



NAPLES GARDEN CLUB

On Monday, December 2 the Naples Garden Club meeting features a program entitled "Holiday Happenings." Open to members and guests the meeting is scheduled at the Depot for 2 p.m.

The Luncheon/Fashion Show at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel is on Wednesday, December 4; social hour at 11:30 a.m., luncheon served at 12:30 p.m.

Monday, December 9 there will be two workshops for members only. "Creative Design Workshop" from 9:30-12 noon and "Decorative Design Workshop" from 12:30-3:30 p.m.

WOMEN'S AGLOW

A Christmas Celebration featuring lots of music and two surprise speakers is the program planned for the December 23rd meeting of women's Aglow, a fellowship of Christian women of all denominations.

This is a dinner meeting scheduled for 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$7.50. Reservations must be made by Saturday, December 22., Please call either 455-7228, 775-5420 or 774-7217.

Open to the public. All women are invited to attend.

NAPLES COUNCIL ON WORLD AFFAIRS

James Tierney, Executive Director of the Fund for Peace, will be the featured speaker at the December meeting of the Naples Council on World Affairs. Mr. Tierney will discuss the involvement of private individuals in the peace process.

The meeting will be held on Monday, December 9 at 7:30 p.m. The public is welcome.



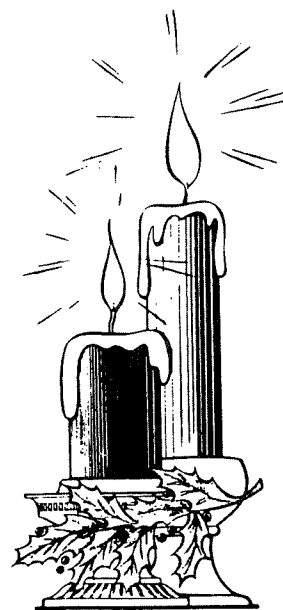
NAPLES ORCHID SOCIETY

The monthly meeting of the Naples Orchid Society will take place on Thursday, December 5 at 7:30 p.m.

Jill Sidran of Sidran Orchids in Miami, will give a talk, with slides on Intergeneric Vandacious Hybrids.

Members are reminded to bring their best flowering orchids for the plant competition.

Open to the public.



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MEMBERSHIPS

If you have not renewed your membership for 1986, please do so. Regular membership for one year is still \$15. Family Memberships are \$25, Sponsor Memberships are \$50, sustaining Memberships are \$100, Patron Memberships are \$250, and Life Memberships \$1,000. To conform to the calendar year all memberships run to January 1987 and yearly thence.

I/we will be glad to subscribe to _____ Life Memberships at \$1,000 each to be paid as follows _____ in the name of _____

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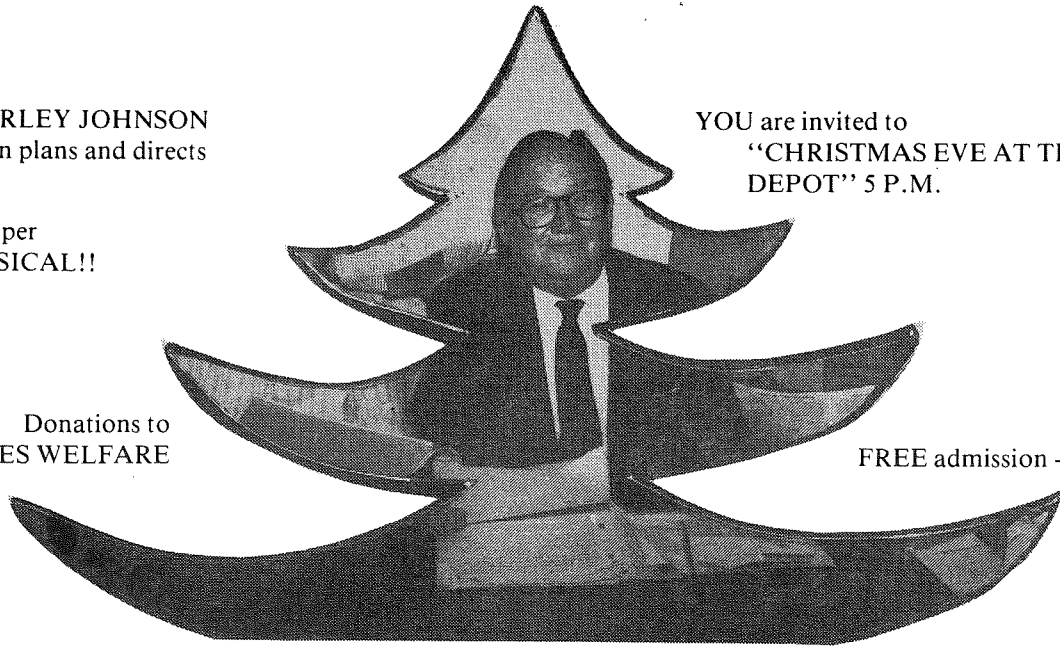
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GEORGE WALLACE 3rd
Southwest Heritage Inc.
President

AUTHOR OF "HEALING" TO SPEAK AT DEPOT

Dr. Francis MacNutt, author of "Healing," and President of Christian Healing Ministries, Inc. in Clearwater, will be the guest speaker at the December meeting of the Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship International.

Dr. MacNutt's topic will be "Inner Healing," and he will describe how healing of the spirit is the basis for all physical and mental healing.

The meeting will take place on Saturday, December 7. A buffet dinner will be served at 6:15 p.m. The cost is \$8 per person (tax and gratuity included). For reservations please call Dr. Larry Hammond at 261-4637 or 261-4499.

ARTHRITIS PUBLIC FORUM TO BE HELD AT THE NAPLES DEPOT

A public forum on arthritis will be held at the Naples Depot, on Saturday, January 4th at 10 a.m.

Guest speakers and their topics include Dr. Ma. Sher, pediatric rheumatologist of Seminole, Florida "Juvenile Arthritis;" local rheumatologist, Dr. Allen Weiss "Overview of Arthritis;" Patricia Phillips, R.P.T. "Physical Therapy as it Pertains to the Arthritic." A question and answer session will follow the presentations.

The forum is open to all interested persons and there will be no charge to attend. However, seating is limited. For more information on the program, or the work of the Arthritis Foundation please call the Greater Naples Center at 263-7544.



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