

Yarbrough Forms New Corporation

JACKSONVILLE — Former Florida Sheriffs Bureau Director E. Ed Yarbrough announced the opening of his new private investigating agency and security guard service under the name of Yarbrough Corporation.

His office is located at 312 West Monroe Street, Suite 500, Jacksonville; and his telephone number is 353-6235, Area Code 904. His residence address is 3738 Wayland St., Jacksonville.

Prior to his tour of duty as Director of the Sheriffs Bureau which ended in October, 1967, Yarbrough served as Sheriff of Baker County.

He was originally elected Sheriff in 1956 and was serving his third four-year term when he resigned to head up the Sheriffs Bureau.

In 1961 he was elected Chairman of the Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch Board of Trustees. He also served as a member of the Florida Sheriffs Association's Board of Directors; and as a member of the Florida Sheriffs Bureau's Administrative Board.

Robbers Use Radar

ORLANDO—What's new in the robbery business?

According to the Orlando Star's "Police Beat" reporter Art Allen, an armed robbery case solved by Sheriff Dave Starr's Department was like something out of the movies.

He said these particular holdup men had "quick change" auto license plates, makeup putty, false mustaches and even radar.

The radar unit emitted a sharp "beep beep" when a patrol car two-way radio was in operation in the vicinity—the closer the patrol car, the louder the "beep beep."

Quick Action

ORLANDO—Orange County Deputy Sheriff Frank Ugorek was praised in the ORLANDO STAR for his alert and quick action in a robbery case.

Police Beat Reporter Art Allen said Deputy Ugorek, traveling alone, spotted a car and two suspects wanted in a robbery that had happened just minutes earlier.

He corralled one man and shot at another who ran off through the woods.

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AFTER THE CIRCUS A GESTURE OF GRATITUDE

LIVE OAK — Suwannee County Sheriff Duke McCallister (right) presents a lifetime honorary membership in the Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch Builders' Club to the Live Oak Shrine Club, represented by Lavoye Boggus. This was in grateful recognition of the generous support the Shriners have given to the Ranch, including tickets and transportation to take Ranchers to the Shrine Circus, in Jacksonville. (Photo by Colonial Photography, Live Oak.)



Belated Regrets

TARPON SPRINGS — Two holdup men who apparently didn't know what a good shot their victim was are regretting their mistake—in the after life.

According to reports from the Pinellas County Sheriff's Department, the two ex-convicts, identified as Curtis Malphus and Norman J. Greaux, both of Tampa, held up Mark Frassrand's liquor store, bound Frassrand and started to make a getaway by car.

Frassrand, a 33-year-old Korean War veteran, got loose, grabbed his carbine, pumped 12 shots at the fleeing car and killed the two men.

A third man fled from the car after it came to a halt and a suspect was later arrested.

At Last — A Sewer System for Boys Ranch

At long last the Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch is going to get a much-needed sewer system.

The Executive Committee of the Ranch Board of Trustees on December 15 awarded the sewer construction job to Soloman Construction Co., of Quincy, on a low bid of \$42,841.

The system will be built according to plans prepared by Glenn Engineering Co., of Tallahassee, and will replace septic tanks which have been inadequate for several years.

Lack of funds delayed the sewer system for many months—primarily due to the fact that donors giving large sums of money to the Ranch preferred to see their dollars going into buildings above the ground rather than an unseen and unglamorous network of piping.

A recent bequest from a will "with no strings attached" gave the trustees approximately half of the total funds needed, and they have faith that the balance will be forthcoming from one of the many benefactors when the time comes to put it on the line.

Sad Day for Hippies

FT. LAUDERDALE—Hippies wept when Broward County Sheriff Allen B. Michell ordered his special squad to burn up \$1500 worth of confiscated drugs and narcotics in the county incinerator.

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DEPUTY CITED FOR BRAVERY

PORT ST. JOE—City Public Safety Commissioner Tom Coldewey (left), representing the Port St. Joe City Commission, presents a citation to Gulf County Deputy Sheriff Herschel T. Dean, Jr., commending him for "bravery in the face of a . . . dangerous situation." The citation passed by the City Commission on December 5, 1967, praised Deputy Dean for pursuit and apprehension of David Edward Barlow, who was wanted in connection with the slaying of Apalachicola Police Officer Fred Earl Babb. "Your alert actions," the citation said, "and immediate response to the call for help from the Apalachicola Police Authorities is most commendable and indicates your unhesitating willingness to enforce the laws you are sworn to uphold as well as to protect the lives and property of the Citizens of Port St. Joe. Your apparent disregard for personal safety and demonstration of bravery in this critical situation are readily recognizable."

Junior Deputies Well Supported

MONTICELLO — Educators, public officials and civic clubs are giving enthusiastic support to Sheriff Don Watson's new Junior Deputy Sheriff League.

Organized as a school activity for sixth graders, the Junior Deputy League meets once a month and has a membership of 185 youngsters.

Its primary purpose is to encourage respect for law enforcement by giving students a better understanding of the lawman's job and the important role law enforcement plays in our Democratic society.

Sheriff Watson said he is attempting to give his Junior Deputies a broad concept of all levels of law enforcement by bringing to the monthly meetings speakers from city, county, state and federal agencies. Speakers will include officers from the State Beverage Department, Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement, Florida Highway Patrol and the FBI.

The Jefferson County School Board gave the Sheriff a helping hand by approving Junior Deputy meetings as a school activity.

The Kiwanis Club and the Lions Club in Monticello have also assisted him by providing funds to purchase badges, identification cards and other supplies.

And Aspirin too

What's in those brief cases and attache cases carried by deputy sheriffs . . .
... tape recorders? no
... wire tapping equipment? no
... death ray guns? no
... hidden camera? no
... super lightweight machine gun? no

Better give up. You've been seeing too many spy movies.

The unvarnished, unglamorized truth is—if you open a deputy sheriff's brief case, you're likely to find it jammed with paper work.

Things like accident reports, drowning reports, investigation reports, juvenile-parent waivers (to insure that parents will bring a delinquent child to court on a specified date), flashlight batteries, court summonses, traffic tickets and . . . (by all means) a bottle of aspirin.

Years ago when there was less paper work and a deputy used the same car every day, the various forms were usually carried in the glove compartment or on a clip board on the front seat.

Today deputies travel in pairs, use different cars and the paper work goes into attache cases.

Why Not Write A Rancher In The Service?

If you have some time on your hands, and you would like to make someone happy, why not write to one of our Ranchers in the armed service? Like all servicemen they like to get letters from home, so if you have some news of Florida that you think one of these young men might like to hear about, sit down and jot off a note to him. He might not be able to answer it, but you can be assured that he will welcome it and his morale will certainly be boosted by it. Here are the names of the boys with their current addresses:

Dennis W. Beagling
FA B 31-75-82
A Division
U.S.S. Bryce Canyon (AD36)
Fleet Post Office
San Francisco, California 96601

Pfc. Glen Christopher (Chris)
RA 12-882-187
A BTRY 2/320 ARTY, 1st BDC
101st ABN Division
A.P.O.
San Francisco, California 96347

Michael W. Cowin ATR 3 (Bill)
B304606
VD-8 Drone
Fleet Post Office
New York, New York 09551

L/Cpl. M. H. Edwards (Mike)
2308638
HQ. CO., H. & S. Bn.
Parris Island, South Carolina

L/Cpl. C. W. Edwards 2300393
Marine Corps Air Sta.
Beaufort, S. C.

Pvt. Bradford Hudson
2118706
SDES Crash Crew
MCAS, Cherry Point, N. C.

Sgt. Robert Malone
RA 14953623
101st ABN 1st Bde 2nd Bn.
327 Inf.
A.P.O.
San Francisco, California 93647

RD/2 James Shaw
U.S.S. Lindenwald (LSO-6)
Fleet Post Office
New York, New York 09501

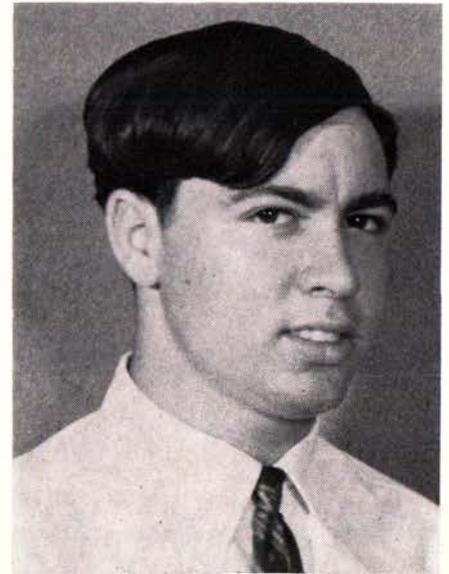
Pvt. Larry Stacey
RA 11945828
363 Trans. Co.
A.P.O.
San Francisco, California 96491

Pvt. Gordon C. Swisher
RA 12888171
40th Co., 4th Stu. Bn. ABN
Ft. Benning, Georgia 31905

Pvt. Dennis Thompson
RA 12887011
Co. B, 3rd Bn., Stu. Bde.
USA SESS
Ft. Gordon, Georgia

A 2/C Jerry T. Willard
AF 12881771
CMR, Box 869
Forbes Air Force Base, Kansas 66620

Lloyd deGerald (Air Force)
904 E. Champaign
Rantoul, Ill. 61866



EDITOR OF RANCH NEWSPAPER
LIVE OAK—Albert Williams is the new editor of the Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch monthly newspaper, RANCH DOIN'S, which highlights happenings around the Ranch; and he has done a fine job getting out his first issue.

BUILDERS CLUB ROSTER GROWS

The following persons, organizations and business firms have been added to the roster of the Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch Builders Club in recognition of donations to the Ranch valued at \$100 or more.

Mr. Elroy L. Decker, Jacksonville.
Plant City Steel Co., Plant City.
The Happy Dolphin Inn, St. Petersburg.
Old Denmark, Madeira Beach.
High Noon Club of Clearwater, Inc., Largo.
Mr. F. N. Gundrum, Jr., Clearwater.
Mr. G. E. Permenter, Clearwater.
Mr. A. C. Bissell, Randolph, New York.
Mr. James R. Hudnall, Orlando.
Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Daugharty, DeLand.
Mr. Harvey T. Reid, Ft. Lauderdale.
Ladies Auxiliary of the Pompano Beach Fire Dept., Pompano Beach.
Mr. Mavnard M. Boring, Bradenton.
Mr. David S. Nicol, Longboat.
Mr. J. M. Miller, Bonita Springs.
Mr. Marvin T. Carter, Cocoa.
Mr. William Benitt, Penney Farms.
Mr. Frank T. Faulkner, Madeira Beach.
Mr. Jack Hatcher, Naples.

7,000 Books for Boys

LIVE OAK — The Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch Memorial Library is fast becoming a book lover's paradise. There are now 7,000 books on the library shelves; 3,000 of which were generously donated by the Carnegie Library in Bradenton.

Magazine subscriptions now number 52 and newspaper subscriptions include THE SUWANNEE DEMOCRAT, THE FLORIDA TIMES-UNION (Jacksonville), THE TAMPA TRIBUNE, THE BRADFORD COUNTY TELEGRAPH and THE TALLAHASSEE DEMOCRAT.



ST. JOHN'S COUNTY SHERIFF'S PATROL SUPPORTS BOYS RANCH

ST. AUGUSTINE—Sheriff L. O. Davis (right) accepts a contribution of \$150 from St. John's County Sheriff's Patrol for the Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch. The check was presented to the sheriff by Ed Ponce, president of the patrol. (Photo by Phillip Whitley, St. Augustine.)



ABOVE — Speakers at the "halfway house" lease signing ceremony included (from left to right) State Senator Mallory Horne, of Tallahassee; State Superintendent of Public Instruction Floyd T. Christian, who is chairman of the State Cabinet subcommittee directly responsible for the State Division of Youth Services; and Dr. Miley Miers, State Representative from Tallahassee.

AT RIGHT—The Florida Sheriffs Association was represented by the group pictured in front of the "halfway house" facilities. From left to right are Taylor County Sheriff Maurice Linton, Perry; Gadsden County Sheriff Otho Edwards, Quincy; Florida Sheriffs Association Attorney John A. Madigan Jr., Tallahassee; Suwannee County Sheriff Duke McCallister, Live Oak; Pinellas County Sheriff Don Genung, Clearwater; and Leon County Sheriff Bill Joyce, Tallahassee.



They Were Barefoot — From Head to Toe

BY CAROL WEBER
Reprinted from the Miami Herald,
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FORT LAUDERDALE — Alexander the Great and friends were cooling it in the Broward County jail Thursday after proving their "love cult" outdid the barefoot hippie movement.

These folks were barefoot all over.

Together they were walking in the all-together along one of Broward's northwest streets when they were politely pinched by the sheriff's men.

"We warned them yesterday they'd better stay in the house if they were going to dress like that," Sheriff Allen B. Mitchell said Thursday.

As he spoke, the three unadorned souls remained unadorned on the chilly bunks of jail cells.

"They refuse to put clothes on . . . even objected when we covered them with blankets to bring them in," Michell said. "There's nothing we can do if they won't wear clothes but keep them there."

What happens when they report to court to answer charges of indecent exposure?

"Well the judge will either have to decide to come up here, or we'll have to cover them up, to take them down there," the bewildered Michell said.

He was still trying to find out who the three naked Negroes were.

"The two women call him the prophet," Michell said. "It's also rumored he calls himself Alexander the Great or Jamaica Sam. I don't know who they are yet. One woman seems to be his wife, the other a follower."

It's hard to check for identification with no pockets to check.

"But at least we don't have to worry about their valuables," the sheriff quipped.

Two chubby women and the chubby, bearded man were picked up walking at 2853 N.W. 15 Ct., sheriff's deputies report.

The unusual sight prompted instant bedlam around the courthouse as extra matrons were called out to meet the patrol car and shield the two Eves from courthouse glances.

"You see," said the sheriff, "they don't believe in clothes at all." He suspects they have a following of nude believers.

But the following will have to wait for Alexander the Great. He and his companions have been booked as John and Jane Does on charges of indecent exposure and are held under \$250 bond.

"Wow, some excitement," someone said to the booking desk sergeant.

"Just routine," he mumbled, rather bored. "Just routine."



CHARLOTTE COUNTY SHERIFF

PUNTA GORDA — The new Charlotte County Sheriff is John Preston (Jack) Bent. He was appointed in 1967 to fill the unexpired term of Sheriff Richard Stickley. At the time of his appointment he was an Investigator for the Florida Forest Service. Prior to that he was with the Florida Highway Patrol for five years and a deputy with the Sarasota County Sheriff's Department for three years. He also served in the United States Air Force from 1955 to 1959. He is a member of the Port Charlotte Methodist Church and the following organizations: Masons, Kiwanis Club, Elks Club, and Florida Sheriffs Association. He was born in Peterborough, New Hampshire, February 13, 1937. He is married and has one son. His wife's name is Carol. He was educated in the public schools of Milton, Massachusetts. Further education includes: Special law enforcement training at the Florida Highway Patrol Training School; and the Florida Law Enforcement Academy, in Tallahassee; and F.B.I. Training Sessions.

IT WAS MUCH TOO LARGE FOR A RED RIBBON



WEST PALM BEACH—Donations come to the Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch in all shapes and sizes, but few as large as this \$3,500 bulldozer donated by J. W. Mize, of West Palm Beach. It had been in storage and Mr. Mize cleaned, repainted and reconditioned it before personally delivering it to the Ranch. The pictures show Palm Beach County Sheriff William Heidtman thanking Mr. Mize for his generous gift; and Mr. Mize at the controls teaching Ranchers how to become bulldozer jockeys.



Prisoners Have Someone to Tell Their Troubles to

BRADENTON — Prisoners in the Manatee County Jail have someone to tell their troubles to—a “Chaplain’s Corps” organized by Sheriff Richard (Dick) Weitzenfeld as part of a “Prisoner Welfare Plan.”

Four men and one woman with long experience in dealing with emotional, moral and spiritual problems were accepted by the Sheriff as the first volunteers for the new organiza-

tion; and were assigned to work with prisoners under a rigid code of ethics and strict rules of procedure.

Sheriff Weitzenfeld told the volunteers they must perform their duties on a non-denominational basis; they must be faithful, week in, week out, in their visits to the jail; and they must be on call day or night for emergency situations.

He added that they would be ex-

pected to take an interest in the rehabilitation of prisoners after they are released from the jail.

The volunteer chaplains are Miss Edith Sherada, who spent 39 years in Bolivia with the South American Indian Mission; The Rev. William Martin, Pastor of the Oneco Community Baptist Church; Tom Cronin, “Sonny” Haag and “Bud” Taylor.

One of their first moves after the Sheriff put them to work was to supply good literature to prisoners from their personal libraries. Sheriff Weitzenfeld said this was a forerunner of his plans to provide a “bookmobile” which will increase the number and variety of books available to prisoners.

The Chaplain’s Corps has also sponsored a series of Bible Study courses provided and graded by the Source of Light Mission School, local affiliate of an international missionary agency based at Madison, Ga.

Further religious training is provided through services which the local Christian Businessmen’s Committee holds in the jail each Sunday afternoon after visiting hours.

“Our program of moral uplift and spiritual welfare has already produced real results,” Sheriff Weitzenfeld said.

“It has had a stabilizing effect on the behavior patterns of those who participate and has encouraged a more wholesome attitude generally,” he said.

“In some prisoners,” he added, “it has produced a changed outlook on life.”



FIRST \$1,000 CONTRIBUTION FOR GIRLS VILLA

MADEIRA BEACH—The Sunshine State Women’s Chamber of Commerce is going great guns with its drive to raise \$50,000 to start a Girls Villa, which will be a home for needy and worthy girls similar to the Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch. This picture shows Judge Martin Roess (left) making the first \$1,000 donation to the project. It was accepted by (from left) Miss Mary K. Joy, Mrs. Charles Joy, Sheriff Don Genung and Mrs. Shirley Maduro, representing the Chamber group. Girls Villa is endorsed by the Florida Sheriffs Association and is actively supported by Sheriff Genung.

EGLIN FIREMEN CONTRIBUTE TO RANCH PROJECT

EGLIN AIR FORCE BASE —The firemen at Hurlburt Auxiliary Field No. 9, Eglin Air Force Base, are doing their bit to help complete the new fire station at the Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch. As evidence, here’s a picture of the Fire Department making a contribution of \$88 to the Boys Ranch. Fire Chief J. C. Carter (at right in white cap) presented the check to Deputy Sheriff George Vilardi, representing Okaloosa County Sheriff Ray Wilson and the Boys Ranch. The Florida State Firemen’s Association raised funds to build the Ranch fire station and further contributions are needed to complete it.



THE SHERIFF’S STAR

Prescription for a Successful Jail Medical Program

CLEARWATER — According to Sheriff Don Genung, a successful jail medical program must be based on cooperation and assistance from all the medical and health resources of the community: Health Department, Medical Society, Public and Private Hospitals, and Clinics.

He said the Pinellas County Jail's medical program is closely tied in with the Public Health Program of the community and County Health Officers have helped in setting up standards for the jail's medical and health services and in planning for full use of other resources.

"It has always been our contention," he said, "that the preservation of health and the prompt treatment of disease and illness is a basic right of every person detained in jail; therefore, it has been our primary interest to maintain a full-time Registered Nurse on the Pinellas County Sheriff's payroll in order to treat prisoners when they are sick.

"The medical service here in our jail is handled by a physician paid for by the County Commission. The doctor can be depended upon to come promptly when called, and in addition to responding to calls for the treatment of prisoners who are ill, the physician visits the jail on regular days to examine prisoners. However, the preliminary medical inspection to detect any illness or injury requiring immediate attention is done by our trained Registered Nurse, who is employed by the Sheriff's Department and on call 24 hours a day. Illness is no respecter of vacation, time of day, weekends, or other human needs and pleasures."

Control of Medical Supplies

"All medical supplies, surgical instruments and drugs are kept in a locked cabinet and *NO ONE* but the Doctor, Nurse, or Captain is permitted to have access to such storage or to handle or to have in their possession any such items.

"Medicine is dispensed only upon a doctor's order. In prescribing medication, the rule that it must be given to an inmate, one dose at a time, is enforced. The officer must see to it that the medicine is actually swallowed in his presence, this includes aspirins.

"Hypodermic injections are only given by the Doctor or Nurse. By enforcing the rule, it is possible to avoid many risks; including permitting glass or plastic bottles and tubes to

remain in the possession of prisoners. A narcotic log is kept, and also an abuse log covering 155 medications.

Medical Records

"An individual medical record is kept for each prisoner, showing his condition at time of admission, any illness or injury occurring during confinement and any medical treatment provided.

"A report of injury of an inmate is also filled out. This form is returned completed to the Duty Sergeant who must also sign it and then it is kept on file in the Captain's Office.

For those receiving treatment, such as daily medications we have a special card and it is kept in a cardex file, telling the time of medication and dosage. The individual that gives it must initial the card.

Daily Sick Call

"The Dispensary is set up where routine, medical services can be furnished. Diagnosis, examination and

treatment are done by the nurse and the jail physician.

"Daily sick call by the nurse is held between the hours of 9:00-11:00 A.M. and then again in the afternoon from 2:00-3:30. Prisoners are brought up from the floors and turned over to the fifth floor officer. The southeast corner room of the fifth floor, which is equipped with benches, is used for inmates brought to that floor for medical attention. Sick call hours are necessary, leaving some time for emergencies due to either illness or injury. All those booked in with medication, or while being booked in claiming a physical or mental disability, must be seen by the nurse.

"Emergency after hours is the real problem. To determine whether or not there is an emergency that justifies calling the nurse, an officer uses his own judgment and common sense, reports to the Duty Sergeant, who in turn should check the inmate and make the final decision before calling the nurse.



43 BICYCLES GOING . . . GOING . . . GONE

TAMPA—Deputy Sheriff Ray Abreau put 43 assorted bicycles, a refrigerator, a stove, a water heater, hub caps, lawn mowers, bedding and other items "on the block" when the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Department held an auction of recovered and confiscated items. The proceeds were turned over to the school fund.

WANTED PERSONS

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Sandra Miller

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White female; date of birth 11-18-43. 5 feet tall. Black hair (usually worn short), green eyes. Subject turned in Illinois Driver's Lic. M 460 785-439 28 and obtained Fla. Driver's Lic. H 830 334. Registered at motel in Daytona Beach, Florida with a white male as Mr. and Mrs. Jim Slade, 722 N. Neil Street, Champaign, Illinois. Accompanied by a second white male, called "Charlie." Also accompanied by two children. Subjects were traveling in light blue '61 Chevrolet station wagon, bearing Illinois License, number unknown. Warrants issued, charge worthless checks. If apprehended notify Constable Fender, Daytona Beach, Florida; or the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement, Tallahassee, Florida.



**Sherman Wolfe
Poizner**

Alias Norman Lewis GREEN. White male; date of birth 10-4-32. 6 feet tall; weighs 185-195 pounds. Dark brown hair, brown eyes, usually wears glasses. Subject is wanted in connection with the theft of \$2000 worth of jewelry & \$1000 in cash from a hotel in West Palm Beach, Fla. Subject was employed in Florida as a bellboy and is a parolee from the State of California on charges of breaking & entering. His prior address was listed as 911 - 2nd St., Santa Monica, Calif. Reportedly has abnormal strength & considered dangerous. Possibly is in Florida seeking hotel employment. Warrant issued, charge grand larceny & unlawful flight to avoid prosecution. If apprehended notify the Police Department, West Palm Beach, Florida; or the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement, Tallahassee, Florida.



Donald C. Burch

White male; date of birth 8-13-37. 6 feet tall; weighs 170 pounds. Brown hair, hazel eyes, usually wears glasses. Social Security #227-44-9294. May be accompanied by David B. HILL: White male, approximately the same physical description as Burch. May have mustache. Warrants issued for DONALD BURCH only, charge worthless check. Occupation has been as motel clerk. Warrants also outstanding at Clearwater Police Dept. on worthless check charge. If apprehended notify Constable Schleich, Sarasota, Florida; or the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement, Tallahassee, Florida.



Curtis Melvin

White male; date of birth 4-27-32. 5 feet, 11 inches tall; weighs 165 pounds. Brown hair, blue eyes. FBI #354 111 B. Subject arrested 1-26-66 on charge of murder; convicted and placed in Florida State Prison, Raiford, Florida. Subject was returned 12-1-66 on motion to mitigate sentence. Escaped and arrested by Moore Haven, Florida, Sheriff's Office 11-17-67. Escape was made from the Sheriff's Office 12-13-67. If apprehended notify State Road Camp, Citrus Center; or the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement, Tallahassee, Florida.



Thel Jack Green

White male; date of birth 6-15-26. 5 feet, 8 inches tall; weighs 165 pounds. Brown hair, blue eyes. FBI #4 972 911. Last known address was in Micanopy, Fla. Warrant issued, charge robbery. If apprehended notify Sheriff Crevasse, Gainesville, Florida; or the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement.



William Paul Koch

White male; date of birth 9-11-29. 5 feet, 11 inches tall; weighs 190 pounds. Brown hair, blue eyes. FBI #877 392 C. Subject has allegedly written checks on the Barnett First National Bank of Jacksonville, Florida, on the account of a Jacksonville attorney. Subject is wanted for three counts of worthless checks in Volusia County, Fla. Warrants issued. If apprehended notify Constable Altes, Daytona Beach, Florida; or the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement, Tallahassee, Florida.



Leroy Proffitt

Aliases—CLINE, Alfred Eugene; PROFFITT, Floyd Allen. White male; date of birth 3-21-46. Weighs 130 pounds. Brown hair, brown eyes. Believed to be working around horse tracks, possibly in Ocala or Boca Raton areas. Warrants issued, charge forgery. If apprehended notify Martin County Sheriff Roy Baker, Stuart, Florida; or the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement, Tallahassee, Florida.



Michael Dary

White male; date of birth 9-12-44. 5 feet, 10" tall; weighs 172 pounds. Brown hair & eyes. Home is in Jacksonville, Fla. Subject arrested 6-29-66 on charge of robbery & placed in the Duval County Jail until 8-4-66, at which time he was released on bond. Returned from bond on 10-13-66 & transferred to Florida State Prison, Raiford, Fla. Escape was made 12-12-67. If apprehended notify State Road Prison Camp, Lake City, Florida; or the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement, Tallahassee, Florida.



**William Dewey
Skinner**

Alias—SKINNER, Billy. White male; date of birth 12-27-47. 5 feet, 8½ inches tall; weighs 145 pounds. Brown hair, blue eyes. FBI #167 638. Federal warrants issued, charge larceny of auto & grand larceny. If apprehended notify Sheriff Crevasse, Gainesville, Florida; or the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement, Tallahassee, Florida.

MISSING PERSONS

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Margaret Gill Jackson

White female, date of birth 3-27-47. Weighs 145-150 pounds and has brown eyes. Hair naturally brown but has also been bleached blonde in past. Occasionally wears glasses, few freckles on nose. Occupations: Nurses' Aide, Waitress & Domestic Worker. Subject was enroute to visit husband who was coming home on leave from Korea. Last seen on departure from Bartow, Florida, 12-2-67. Destination—Boonesville, Miss. Subject reportedly called Tupelo, Miss. to have



Normore Frances Brown

Colored female, age 15. 5 feet, 8 inches tall; weighs 130 pounds. Black hair, small scar on neck below collar line. Last seen in Palatka, Florida on 11-3-67. If located contact Sheriff Pellicer, Palatka, Florida; or the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement, Tallahassee, Florida.



Christine Newsom Fowler

White female, Age 16. 5 feet, 6 inches tall; weighs 130 pounds. Blond hair, blue eyes, light complexion, cut scar in palm of right hand. Subject has been missing since 12-2-67 from Lake Placid, Florida. If subject is located contact the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement in Tallahassee, Florida.



Brian H. Clarey

White male, age 17, 5 feet, 10 inches tall; weighs 165 pounds. Brown hair, blue eyes (cast in left eye), medium complexion. Subject has not been seen or heard from since 11-4-67. If located contact the Police Department, Wethersfield, Connecticut; or the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement, Tallahassee, Florida.



Barry G. Floreth

White male, age 16, 5 feet, 8 inches tall; weighs 140 pounds. Brown hair, blue eyes. Subject was last seen 10-1-67. Home address: 5200 Stratemeyer Dr., Orlando, Florida. If subject is located contact Sheriff Starr, Orlando, Florida; or the Florida Bureau of Law Enforcement, Tallahassee, Florida.



Coincidence Helped To Solve This Case

NAPLES—When the Collier County Sheriff's Department confiscated a stolen swamp buggy with no identification numbers and the owners couldn't be located, Sheriff Doug Hendry made preparations to sell it at auction.

Before it went "on the block," however, a deputy sheriff decided to inspect it one more time and found a 1963 copy of the Lakeland Ledger wedged in a spot that had been previously overlooked.

Since Lakeland is in Polk County this prompted a letter from the Collier County Sheriffs Office to Polk County Sheriff Monroe Brannen with pictures and a description of the unclaimed buggy.

Mrs. Herbert Duff, the secretary who opened the Collier County letter, looked at the photos and decided the buggy was one that her husband, a deputy sheriff, had built some years earlier.

She showed the photos to her husband and he immediately called Lakeland Mayor Dick Day because he knew a swamp buggy owned by the Mayor and his hunting buddies had been stolen almost a year earlier.

At the first opportunity Mayor Day went to Collier County to reclaim the buggy.

...and Now You Can "Dial a Sheriff"

TITUSVILLE—You can dial most anything on your telephone these days—the correct time, if your clock stops; the current temperature, if your fuel oil supply is low; a prayer, if you're guilt-ridden; or a steadying voice, if you're about to commit suicide.

In this moonport suburb, you can also "dial a sheriff."

It works this way: you dial a certain number and a recorded voice at Sheriff Leigh Wilson's office gives you the latest news about the widely varied activities of the Sheriff and his deputies.

The new service was actually established by Sheriff Wilson on a 'round the clock basis to assist news reporters in keeping up with the Sheriff's Department.

But, who knows, "dial a Sheriff" could catch on nation-wide as the newest rage in the realm of one-finger electronics.

How comforting it would be to dial a number and hear the recorded authoritative voice of your Sheriff telling you: "All is well—go back to sleep."

MOONSHINERS PLEASE NOTE —

“B-MAN” IS CHAMPION MARKSMAN

TALLAHASSEE—There's some tall shootin' goin' on down at the State Beverage Department; and Director Don Meiklejohn has a shelf full of trophies plus a champion marksman to prove it. The champ is Beverage Agent Gary Peach, of West Palm Beach, (pictured at right) who broke a national record during the National Midwinter Police Combat Matches in Miami, last month, according to a Beverage Department announcement. “B-Man” Peach fired a score of 240 with 22 X's in the first match, using a police revolver. (An X is scored by hitting a small tie-breaking circle within the bullseye, and as can be seen on the target in the picture, only two of Peach's shots strayed outside this circle.) This 12-shot/25-second match requires a fast draw and rapid reloading, simulating the actual conditions an officer might encounter in a gun fight. The previous record was 240 and 20 X's, the Beverage Department said, adding that Agent Peach also won the top overall award at the matches. The Beverage Department's shooters brought home a total of 20 trophies and the Pistol Team also won the first four-man award.

Members of the pistol team in addition to Peach are David Traer, Miami; Bill Vanderpool, Tallahassee; Ronnie Williams, Miami; W. Dykes, Marianna; and (alternate) Bob Young, West Palm Beach.

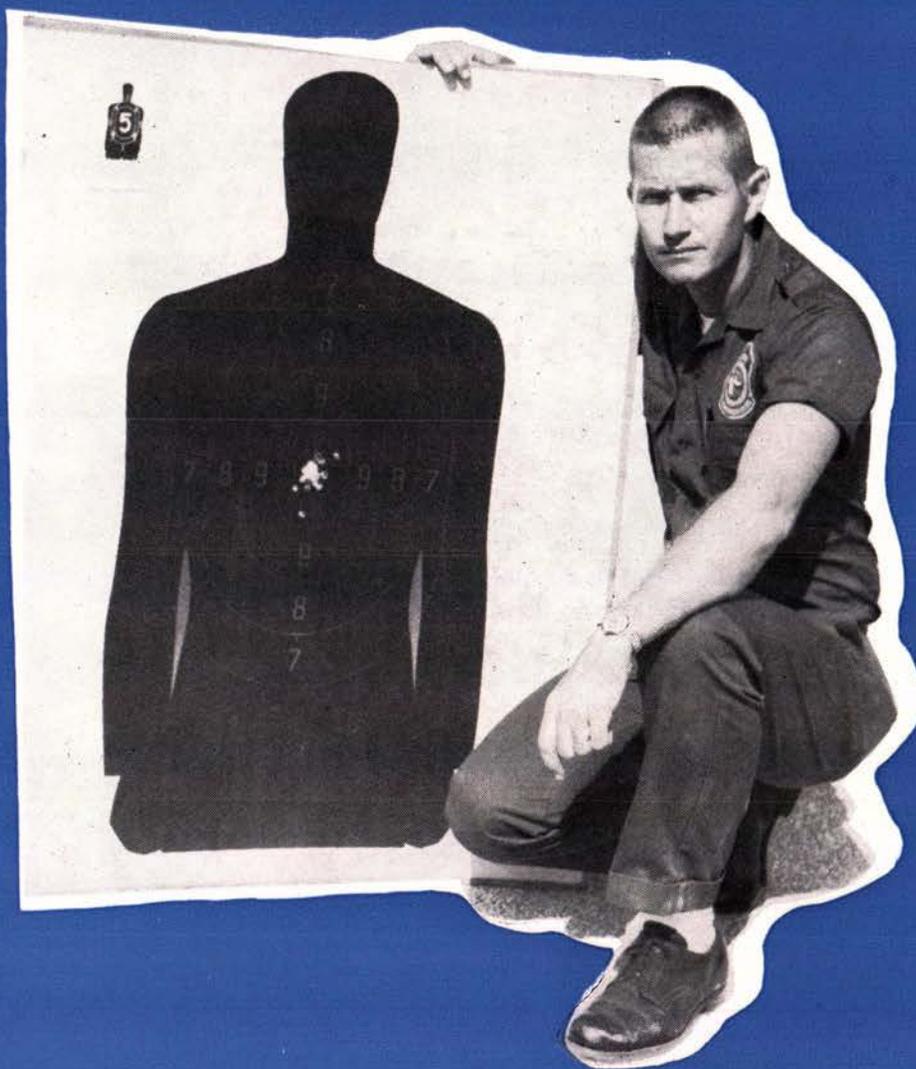


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