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In the year passed we all have had our trials and tribulations, some more than others, but let us all hold out the hope that the year ahead will bring us much more joy, and may we all share a more abundant life by our involvement in the things that help us share it with each other.

J.H.M.

## THE PORT CARLOS CHRISTMAS PARTY

When Doris throws a party, she really does it brown

As Hostess-with-the-Mostest, she's earned fame and renown

The 'Combo' in the corner had an enticing beat

Which even put some life in our mismated feet.

Doris and her family and some efficient friends

Served delicious food and sodas, in all the favorite blends

While sprightly dressed old codgers forgot their aches and pains

And gaily danced around with the pretty, youthful, 'Janes'

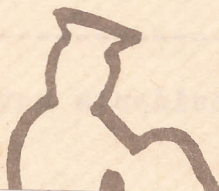
'Twas an evening to be remembered- that party in the 'Hall'

And we want to say to Doris- "WE REALLY HAD A BALL!"

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Christmas season this year was brought home to us with a little feeling as Fred Casadei decorated his boat the Pamela II with colored lights and then boarded the boat with friends and they cruised the canal back bay singing carols and spreading Christmas cheer to us by water. We had some Christmas decorations this year that were better than anything we had before lights this year than last year due to the lifting the blackout. Mrs. Helen Purdy and Mrs. White of Norfolk Pine with sea shells and Ray installed the light a typical Florida Xmas Tree.

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Dates to remember Lee County Fair - Jan 26th. 197. Donna Sims and Jannet Simons will man a ceramic table 29th., from 5 to 9 P.M.

Also remember the Agent of Light that will be on month

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Don't forget Jan 21st., we are going to have a get together. We be privileged to see slides of the Caribbean and South Pacific. The are to bring something to snack on and the men their favorite Elixir mix. (B.Y.O.B.) This is not a party but a friendly get-together to see interesting slides and to have fun.

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Blood pressure as usual the last Friday of the Month. (31st.). Be sure to come out and let our Angel of Mercy, Donna Sims, check your blood pressure and keep you in good health.

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Our Association meeting will be held at 7:30 P.M. on Jan. 27th., and our social chairwoman has some plans for the meeting and the installation.

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#### Chuckle for to-day

No two people are alike - and both of them are glad of it.

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We understand that Pete and Wilma Smith will still be with us at No. 1 Galleon way as they decided not to sell their home.

The Wares moved in at 70 Cortez, The Darbys at 71, and the Keisers at 72. Also the Curns at 129 Cortez.

On Blackbeard the Schiesls at 113, and the Damerows at 117.

On Spanish Main the Trouts at 134.

Many thanks to Mary Ahrenholtz for bringing our list of residents up to date for us.

We welcome Dr. Lou and his wife Ann back with us. The Williamsons live at 31 Doubloon.

Clara De Carlo is quite happy these days as she has her Mother and Father with her for the winter.

Hats off to Stan Shellgren of Galleon Way for being chosen the man of the year for fifty years in business as a painting contractor in St. Paul, Minnesota.

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Quite a number of our residents have had the "flu" - lets hope it leaves us soon for parts unknown.