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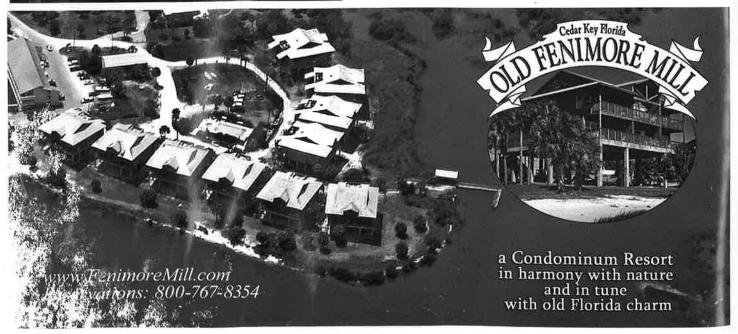
Learn about the ecology of the estuary, ancient Indian sites and shell mounds.

Watch regal bald eagles, frigate birds, ospreys, pelicans soar and dive overhead, while dolphins splash in the Gulf of Mexico

Wonder at wildlife in all its forms.

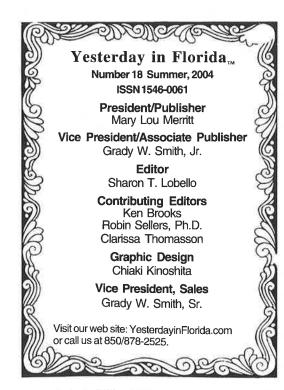
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A town of less than 1,000 residents, Cedar Key is a great place to watch the kites soar, enjoy seafood and fish off the dock.



The best game ever played

A classic American story about hard work and big business started with Henry Badcock.

The girls grow up 20

The college offered a protective environment at first, but the students soon clamored for more freedom.

The home run that changed history 30

With one swing of the bat in 1919 Babe Ruth changed the course of American sports history.

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