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'Grandfather' Attendance Plan OK'd

By JANE WELBORN
Reflector Staff Writer

The Pitt County Board of Education, with a split vote of 8 to 7, has approved an attendance line plan including an "unlimited" grandfather clause.

The decision, coming on a deciding vote by board Chairman Mark Owens, prompted cheers from the county residents in attendance at Monday's meeting.

The approved plan includes a grandfather clause allowing all children in a family (including yet unborn children) the opportunity to attend the schools they are currently attending. With slight exceptions, the adopted plan includes the short-term and long-term recommendations previously proposed by the school administration.

City and county battle lines were drawn during public hearings to

discuss the attendance lines for the merged Pitt County schools. The residents in the D.H. Conley attendance area (Winterville schools) pushed for the grandfathering of their students as set forth in a 1984 position paper on conditions of the merger of the Pitt County and Greenville city schools. The city residents, concerned with racial balance to prevent the Greenville schools from becoming inner-city in nature, countered that allowing the students to continue attending the same schools would not improve racial balance.

The approved grandfather policy states, "Parents of current students and future children of families currently residing in reassigned attendance areas will be allowed to continue to enroll all their children in the current attendance area as long as they desire to do so, subject to annual reviews to determine adherence to

legal requirements and federal regulations."

According to the policy, parents must notify the school system in writing of their choice of schools. The deadline will be April 15 in 1986-1987 and April 1 in subsequent years. All children in a family must be enrolled in the same attendance area and all children attending school outside their attendance area must provide their own transportation to and from school. The decision to surrender the grandfather assignments would be irreversible upon failure to enroll a child in the designated school.

"If annual adjustments to the grandfathering provision, by school, are required to assure adherence to legal requirements or federal regulations," the policy states, "then grandfathering shall be denied on the basis of postmarked date of receipt of annual applications by parents/stu-

dents and consideration of grade level and number of years a student has been enrolled in the school."

Before the board voted on the issue, Superintendent Eddie West said, "A culmination of all the characteristics of each issue previously faced by the board during this year, insecurity on the part of constituents caused by a lack of total understanding or lack of a total commitment to consolidation, and a general tendency by all parties to protect previous turfs are now reflected in discussions related to redistricting."

"Public input received has demonstrated distinct boundaries of opinion regarding black-white issues with varying degrees of importance placed on racial balance, a residual city versus county protectiveness and distrust of one for the other, and obviously, personal feelings of individuals reflecting an understandable

but an emotionally charged desire by parents to have children attend the school of their choice and convenience," West said.

"Change is never brought about easily. It is always difficult to implement changes that satisfy everyone," he said. "But changes are necessary to be progressive and successful only when the objective is clearly defined. The utmost objective in making a decision relative to attendance lines must clearly be what is in the best interest for all students in Pitt County schools collectively."

West said the approved proposal "represents a progressive, planned and orderly approach to meeting the criteria established to effectuate attendance line changes and is offered in response to board directives and public comment."

He added, "It is an objective representation of both short-term and

long-term needs that also reflect an accommodation of as many points of view as possible and feasible."

Except for the addition of an unlimited grandfather clause, the proposals were little changed from the first time they were presented in February.

The approved plan sends the students in the Greenfield Terrace area to Belvoir School for grades kindergarten through five, Wellcome Middle School for grades six and seven, and then to E.B. Aycock Junior High School and J.H. Rose High School. Another change calls for students in Cambridge and Singletree subdivisions to attend Elmhurst, South Greenville and the secondary Greenville schools.

All other attendance line and organizational pattern recommenda-

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City Council Seeks County Input For Land Use Plan

By DON REUTER
Reflector Staff Writer

The Greenville City Council has agreed to ask Pitt County Commissioners and the city's Planning and Zoning Commission to review a draft proposal creating a Land Use Planning Committee.

The committee would allow for comprehensive studies of long-range development issues while monitoring the growth of the East Carolina Medical Park, city officials said. The panel was originally recommended by the Medical District Land Use Study Committee in 1985.

The council agreed at a workshop Monday to seek county and planning commission input.

"One thing I would like to do is capitalize on the mistakes of the past, and certainly include the County Commissioners in the discussion before we get too far," Council members Ed Carter said at the meeting.

"You know we ran into this situation with the other study committee on that area. They (County Commissioners) essentially felt left out, and I think it is appropriate for us to include them in. We ought to capitalize on our mistakes and get them involved on the ground floor along with Planning and Zoning and come up with a document that involves mutual cooperation."

The proposed panel is a modification of the Medical District Land Use Study Committee's recommendation, according to City Attorney Mac McCarley, who drafted the ordinance after discussions with the City Council on Jan. 22.

The Medical District Land Use Study Committee recommended an "on-going body to monitor the implications of proposals to develop the Medical Park area," McCarley said. "That would be included among several other charges."

City Manager Gail Meeks said the

proposed board's responsibilities would extend beyond the medical district.

"Planning and Zoning seems to be inundated with just day-to-day routine work, and they do not have a great deal of time to spend on long-range planning," Ms. Meeks said.

"To some degree this would almost be a second planning and zoning commission, but its primary target would be long-range planning. It would be accountable to the Planning and Zoning Commission but appointed by the City Council and the County Commissioners."

Council member Inez Fridley agreed county input was necessary, but reminded the council of the proposed committee's functions.

"I think very early on we need to let the County Commissioners see this," Ms. Fridley said. "I think it is important though to make the

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Babbitt Enters '88 Race

By DONALD M. ROTHBERG
AP Political Writer

MANCHESTER, N.H. (AP) — Former Gov. Bruce Babbitt of Arizona today entered the race for the 1988 Democratic presidential nomination with a pledge to "never again trade anything of value for a hostage" even if it costs the lives of some of those held.

Speaking at the site of what was once the world's largest textile plant, Babbitt said President Reagan has conducted "government by Tele-Prompter in which words and deeds have lost all logical connection."

He added, "For years we've heard courageous words about terrorists — from a president who sends them missiles for ransom and then pleads amnesia when he's called into account...."

"For years we've heard patriotic words — from an administration that compares the Nicaraguan Contras to our own founding fathers, and then sets up sultans and Saudis and Swiss bankers to fund them behind our backs."

"And that is a mockery." The loudest and most prolonged applause from the audience of about 200 Babbitt supporters came when the former governor condemned "amateurs in charge of the White House."

He said, "America does not have to leave arms merchants in charge of our diplomacy, terrorists in charge of our security, soldiers of fortune in charge of our Central American desk, Japanese traders in charge of our markets, embezzlers in charge of Wall Street, bigots in charge of our social agenda, pollsters in charge of our politics, and amateurs in charge of the White House."

The 48-year-old former governor chose the state that holds the first presidential primary as the site for his entry into the race. The location for the speech, the Amoskeag Company millyard, once was the site of a textile plant that employed 17,000 people.

Babbitt began his day with an interview on ABC-TV's "Good Morning America." He told an interviewer, "I intend to make some waves," by taking positions that would separate him from his rivals.

Among the proposals Babbitt put forth was taxing Social Security benefits for wealthier Americans.



OH, WELL — Eleven-year-old Joel Fickling tried his hand at driving under warmer conditions Monday afternoon on Beaumont Street. He was doing well until he ran over his foot but quickly recovered and continued his speedy route down the street. The warm weather Monday contrasted sharply with the wind-driven snow and rain early today. (Reflector Photo by Cliff Hollis)

House To Vote On Speed Limit

WASHINGTON (AP) — House negotiators today agreed to let the full House vote on whether to allow states to raise their speed limits to 65 miles per hour, removing a major obstacle to passage of a multibillion-dollar highway and mass transit aid bill.

The move was announced by Rep. James Howard, D-N.J., chairman of the House Public Works and Transportation Committee, who vowed to

fight the higher speed limit measure, which he said would come to a floor vote March 18.

"I do not want to be part of any legislation that results in killing people on the highways," Howard said in explaining his continuing opposition to increasing the speed limit above 55 miles per hour. "I do, however, believe that it is fair to allow the House to vote on the Senate proposal in a straight up-or-down vote."

Morehead Winner Named

Cate Shappley of Greenville, a student at the North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics in Durham, has been named a recipient of a Morehead Scholarship to begin study at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill this fall.

She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ben G. Shappley of Greenville. She was one of 60 high school students from the nation to receive the award.

"I am interested in a career in research in molecular biology, especially the fields of genetic engineering and immunology," Miss Shappley said. "I plan to major in biology, with a possible second major in physics."

Miss Shappley is a National Merit finalist, White House Presidential Scholar semifinalist and a finalist for the President's Scholarship at Georgia Tech University.

She serves as a dorm adviser at NCSM. She is a member of the girls soccer team and manages the boys soccer team at the school.

While a student at J.H. Rose High School in Greenville, she was a cheerleader and a member of the girls soccer team. She was vice

president of the sophomore class. She attended the Hugh O'Brien Leadership Conference and participated in the state mathematics contest.

During the summer, she has assisted with the Tot Lot day camp of the Greenville Recreation and Parks Department. She was a Bible School teacher and assisted with the Book Garden at the First Presbyterian Church, Greenville.

Her hobbies are bicycling and soccer.

Selection of the Morehead Scholars followed a screening process that began last fall and ended in Chapel Hill March 3. Recipients were determined by their merit and achievement, not financial need. Other considerations included leadership and service, character, academic standing and motivation.

The awards, which provide all-expense-paid undergraduate education at UNC, are valued at more than \$30,000 for North Carolina students for four years of study.

The award also provides scholars with eight- to 12-week summer internships each year. These internships give students practical experi-

ence to supplement classroom activities through independent travel-study abroad, outdoor leadership schools and training opportunities in governmental agencies and major corporations.

Finalist for the award not chosen as recipients received four-year North Carolina Merit Tuition Awards. Local Merit Tuition Award winners were Scott Davis and Bella Kang, both students at J.H. Rose High School, and Christy Garrison, a student at the N.C. School of Science and Math, all of Greenville.



CATE SHAPPLEY

The Weather



Forecast

Cloudy, windy and cold tonight. Low in upper 20s. Northeast winds at 15 to 25 mph. High Wednesday near 40.

Looking Ahead

Partly cloudy Thursday through Saturday. Highs near 50. Lows near 30.

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Explosion Shakes Soviet Center

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — An explosion shook the Soviet cultural center in the capital of Laos while Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze was visiting the city, Western diplomatic sources said today.

An official of the Soviet Embassy in the capital, Vientiane, said the blast occurred at 6 a.m. Monday but refused to give his name or answer any other questions.

The Western sources, who spoke on

condition of anonymity, quoted unconfirmed reports as saying one Laotian guard was killed and another injured in the explosion.

"There was a blast in front of the Soviet cultural center, apparently a bomb," one source said. "You can suppose it was linked to Shevardnadze's visit, but who knows?"

The Western sources said there was little damage to the center and that they did not know if anyone

claimed responsibility for the explosion.

No other details were available. An official of Laos' Foreign Ministry in Vientiane, reached by telephone from Bangkok, said he had no information on the explosion.

The Communist government of Laos faces opposition from a number of resistance groups, but they are not regarded as serious security threats.

It was not clear where Shevardnadze was in Vientiane at the time of

the explosion. The Soviet minister arrived in Vientiane on Sunday, held talks with Laotian Foreign Minister Phou Sipaseuth on Monday morning and left the country today, the official Laotian media said.

The official radio of Cambodia said Shevardnadze arrived there this morning. Shevardnadze is scheduled to visit Vietnam on Wednesday to wind up his first tour of the Soviet allies of Communist Indochina.

In The Area

Rain-Sleet Fell

The combination of rain and sleet this morning in Pitt County may make spring-like temperatures of last week seem like a dream. The Greenville Utilities Commission recorded the temperature at 33 degrees earlier today with a Tar River level at 15.4 feet above sea level. Precipitation recorded from 7 a.m. Monday to 7 a.m. today was one-half inch.

Thefts Reported

Greenville police said four thefts were reported to the department Monday. Officer D.R. Wyrick said two buckets of drywall joint compound were taken from Daniel's Drywall and Paint at 618 S. Pitt St. in a break-in reported at 7:50 a.m., while Officer J.M. Jones said a battery was taken from the Greenville Housing Authority shop at 601 Skinner St. in a break-in reported at 8:09 a.m. Jones said a small refrigerator was taken from a second floor guest room at the Best Value Motor Lodge at 2725 S. Memorial Drive in an incident reported at 9:54 a.m. He said the property was later recovered. Officer M.A. Jordan said a bicycle was taken from South Greenville School on Howell Street in an incident reported at 5:15 p.m.

Larceny Charges

Steven Rodney Bobbins, 22, of 210 Ash St. was arrested by police Monday on two counts of larceny and one count of filing a false report. Detective D.R. Best said the false report charge resulted from an incident on Feb. 27 when Bobbins reported a break-in at 211 N. Oak St. Best said Bobbins reported that a golf bag and clubs, a cassette player and a gold necklace — with a combined value of more than \$3,000 — had been taken. Bobbins was a resident of the Oak Street apartment at the time. The larceny charges, Best said, were in connection with the theft of \$375 worth of plants from the Sheraton Greenville on Greenville Boulevard and \$225 worth of plants from 1706 S. Elm St. that occurred over the past several weeks.

Blood Discovered

Pitt County deputies dragged a pond Monday after a hunter discovered blood on the banks of the small body of water near the California community in northwest Pitt County, Sheriff Ralph Tyson said today. The blood was discovered Sunday near the pond, located on a dirt road between Joyner's Crossroads and Fountain, according to Tyson. He said an analysis of the stains at Pitt County Memorial Hospital could not determine if it was human blood. Tyson said the investigation is continuing.

Nutrition Seminar

Dr. Steven I. Cohen, in cooperation with Nutrition Concepts Inc., will present a sports nutrition seminar March 24 at 7 p.m. at the Greenville Family Chiropractic Center, 3100 Memorial Drive. The seminar will include discussions on nutritional alternatives to anabolic steroids, dietary factors as they affect stamina, environmental factors as they affect nutrition, and stress and other physiological demands.

Plant Closing

CARY, N.C. (AP) — AMP Inc., an electrical components plant, announced Monday it would close its 25-year-old Cary plant next month in a move that will put 200 workers out of jobs. Officials said they decided to close the plant because the Harrisburg, Pa.-based company had excess manufacturing capacity for some of its products, including those made at the Cary plant.

Robbery Count

Jimmy Riley Heath Jr., 22, of B28 Glendale Court was arrested on a robbery charge by Greenville police Monday. Detective J.E. Nichols said the charge resulted from a March 1 incident in which Heath allegedly took \$160 in cash from a Kinston man on Dickinson Avenue after the man stopped to give Heath a ride.

Review Board Meets

The Greenville Subdivision Review Board will meet on Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the first floor conference room of the Community Building, located at the corner of Fifth and Greene streets.

Parents' Workshop

Parents of premature infants and chronically ill or developmentally disabled children can learn about support from other parents during a workshop in Greenville Thursday. The workshop will be held in Room 2E92 of the Brody Medical Sciences Building on Moye Boulevard. Registration will begin at 9 a.m. and the program will last from 9:30 a.m. to noon. The program is funded by a grant from the N.C. Council on Developmental Disabilities and is being coordinated through the Area Health Education Centers Program of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill School of Medicine.

Networking of parent-to-parent resources will be discussed. To preregister, call Dorothy Cansler, 800-852-0042.

Ground-Breaking Set

Mount Moriah Holiness Church, 202 S. Main St., Farmville, will hold a ground-breaking ceremony at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Anderson Avenue site of its proposed church building. At 3 p.m. Sunday, a service will be conducted at Bell's Chapel Holiness Church by the congregation of Mount Moriah Church.

National Conference

The North Carolina Genealogical Society will host the National Genealogical Society's 1987 conference May 13-16 in Raleigh. The four-day conference, expected to draw over 1,500 participants from throughout the United States, will be held at the Raleigh Civic Center with the Radisson Plaza serving as the conference hotel. The theme will be "North Carolina, Where It All Began." Programs will focus on primary source material in Virginia, the Carolinas and Tennessee. Brochures containing details and registration forms may be obtained by writing to the NGS Conference, 4527 17th St., North, Arlington, Va., 22207-2363.

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Scholarship Winner

Patricia Lindsey of Greenville recently received a \$100 Phi Upsilon Omicron Scholarship at East Carolina University. She is a senior in the ECU School of Home Economics concentrating in housing.

Certification Session

The Greenville Recreation and Parks Department is hosting an aerobics and fitness instructor's national certification workshop on April 4 at the Greenville Aquatics and Fitness Center. Potential and current aerobics instructors will learn basic physiology, injury prevention, teaching techniques, and routines for six different programs, including low impact and free-style aerobics. There is a written exam. Professional experience is necessary. A reference manual, aerobics audio tape, and certificate are included. Space is limited. For registration, call toll-free (24 hours) 1-800-237-6242.

Principals' Reception

Judith Budacz and Leslie McCarty, co-principals at Wahl-Coates School, recently held a principals' reception for the semester honor roll students at Wahl-Coates. The 36 students making all As and their parents attended the reception. Each student was presented with a badge and a merit billfold.

La Leche Meeting

The family and the breastfed baby will be discussed at a La Leche League Meeting Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. The group is open to pregnant women, nursing mothers or other women interested in breastfeeding. Babies are welcomed with their mothers, a spokesman said. Books are available for check out on the subjects of breastfeeding, pregnancy, childbirth, parenting and child care. For more information, contact Jane Spicer at 758-7763.

Census Survey

The Census Bureau of the U.S. Department of Commerce will collect data on employment, income and poverty from area residents Monday through March 21. Information obtained will be used in development of a March release on national employment and unemployment trends and by various agencies to study the changing structure of American families, mobility of the nation's population and family income and poverty.

Students named to the dean's list at Pitt Community College earned a grade point average of 3.5 to 4.0. Those earning a place on the honor roll received grades of 3.5 to 4.0. The following local students were named to the honor roll at Pitt Community College for the winter quarter:

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Board Conducts White Hearing

The North Carolina Board of Medical Examiners has completed the first session of a hearing to determine if Greenville ophthalmologist Dr. Steven M. White acted improperly and allowed auxiliary personnel to take too active a role in patient care within his practice and in his referrals. The hearing was held Friday through Sunday in Greenville, and was then recessed until May. Four witnesses were questioned. They were Dr. David Walker, an Aberdeen ophthalmologist who is a former employee of the White Clinic; Linda Jo Haislip, a nurse formerly employed by the White Clinic; Dr. Shahane Taylor, a Greensboro op-

PTA Fund-Raiser

The Ayden Middle School Parent-Teacher Association will sponsor the annual parent-teacher basketball game Thursday at 7 p.m. in the Ayden Middle School gymnasium. The event is one of the two main fund-raising events for the PTA this year. The next school PTA meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. March 17 in the school cafeteria.

Concerned Citizens

Pitt County Concerned Citizens For Justice will meet today at 7:30 p.m. at Norcott Funeral Home, Dickinson Avenue. Reports from the attorney and actions taken by various boards and commissions will be discussed. For more information, call 355-7437.

Precinct Meeting

A meeting of Greenville's 5th Precinct will be held at the American Legion Building on Andrews Street at 8 p.m. Wednesday. Officers will be elected and delegates to the county convention will be chosen.

Gospel Sing Set

The Falkland Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor a gospel sing Saturday night at the Falkland Elementary School near Bruce. Light supper will be available at a snack bar that will open at 6 p.m. The singing will start at 7 p.m. Music groups from five area churches will be on the program.

Ayden Board OKs Payment For Roof

By **CHERIE EVANS**
 Reflector Staff Writer

AYDEN — The Ayden Board of Commissioners granted about \$500, half the amount needed, to repair the roof on a home redeveloped in the Community Development Block Grant during its monthly meeting Monday night.

The board said the balance of about \$500 should be paid by the contractor who redeveloped the house, Home Care Construction Co. of Grifton. If Home Care does not agree to pay half the estimated \$1,000 needed to repair the house, the board agreed to retain the contractor's \$1,000 warranty for recall problems on the house and use it to hire another contractor for the repairs.

Redevelopment on the Ernest Cannon home on Turnage Street began in May, said David Drymon, director of Community Projects. The roof above the dining room "is a flat, shed-like roof," which was marginally adjusted by Home Care in an effort to eliminate a leak problem, but it began leaking in November.

Home Care returned to the house twice to put tar on it, Drymon said, but the roof continues to leak. As a result, sheetrock in the dining room also has been damaged by the leakage.

"I have had two or three calls on Home Care for leaking roofs," Drymon said. "Rehab (rehabilitation) work is very low on (its) list of priorities."

In other matters, the board accepted a bid of \$179,273 from Layne Atlantic on the construction of a new

town well, and it adopted a flood ordinance for the town.

Taxes of \$435 were released from Lynburg Plaza and Associates, and \$29 was added to the levy by Jefferson Motors.

A resolution was adopted to allow Town Clerk Ralph Ford to investigate a petition to annex Carmichael's Trailer Park. Ford will determine if those in the 47 trailers of the park signing the petition are property owners.

The board adopted the Housing Authority budget with \$307,000 in total receipts and \$379,590 in operating expenditures, leaving a deficit of about \$72,000 to be provided by grants from the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

A \$718 account writeoff also was granted to the authority.

Ford was appointed to serve as the Ayden representative on the City of Greenville Citizen Advisory Committee regarding the franchise of Greenville Cable Television, and Commissioner Carl Speight was appointed to the Tree Board.

Mitch Keel was appointed alternate commissioner to ElectiCities, while re-elected officers of the fire department were approved: Jeff Tripp, chief; Jimmy Wingate, assistant chief, and Ed Skinner, secretary-treasurer.

Sewer line construction on New Circle Drive will begin in early April, said Town Manager Donald Russell. There will be a courtesy public hearing for residents of this area March 26 to provide a map and a copy of specifications for construction and to answer any questions.

PCC Cites Winter Honor Students

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Campaign

CHARLOTTE (AP) — Television evangelist Pat Robertson has not officially declared his presidential candidacy for 1988, but he plans to campaign in North Carolina this month.

Carl Horn, a Charlotte attorney and Robertson's North Carolina campaign director, said Robertson will attend a reception in Greensboro on March 16, followed by a luncheon in Winston-Salem.

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BLUEBIRD HOUSE SOURCE?
 I was pleased to see the item on martin houses in yesterday's Hotline column. I have a related question: Where can I get a bluebird house? I saw a bluebird in my yard this spring. It was the first one I've ever in my life seen. I am so excited! I want to attract some to live here. J.W.

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Court Extends Ban On TWA Takeover

By RICK GLADSTONE
AP Business Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — USAir Group Inc., fighting to elude the takeover grasp of Trans World Airlines, has reached an agreement to buy Piedmont Aviation Inc. for \$1.59 billion and is challenging TWA's purchase of USAir stock.

The USAir-Piedmont agreement announced Monday represents one of the last remaining possible marriages among big independent airlines in the rapidly consolidating business.

Under the agreement, USAir will pay \$69 in cash for each of Piedmont's 23.1 million shares outstanding, sweetened over two earlier offers of cash and securities. Their merger would form the nation's seventh largest airline, with about 7 percent of the market.

"We believe that the combination of these two carriers will create a strong airline which will be able to compete effectively against the industry giants," both airlines said in a joint statement.

At the same time in Pittsburgh, USAir's major hub,

U.S. District Judge Maurice Cohill issued a temporary restraining order preventing TWA Chairman Carl C. Icahn from acquiring additional USAir shares. Today, Cohill extended the order before hearing testimony on the matter March 3.

Icahn, who has offered to buy USAir for \$1.65 billion, said Friday that TWA owned 15 percent of USAir's common stock and would possibly seek more. But under federal rules for airline mergers, an acquiring airline can hold only a maximum 10 percent of an acquired airline until a merger is formally approved.

USAir won the restraining order in a suit alleging "Icahn and TWA committed willful violations of several federal laws and made misleading statements to government agencies, to USAir Group shareholders, and to the public."

USAir Chairman Edwin I. Colodny, who attended brief proceedings before Cohill, told reporters today, "However he rules, USAir is in this thing to win."

Airline analysts said USAir's rapid moves to thwart

Icahn's takeover effort appeared to be headed for success.

"It seems that USAir definitely has Piedmont," said Andrew Geller, who follows the airlines for Provident National Bank in Philadelphia. "It looks like TWA is sort of out in the cold on this one."

John Diffendal, who follows the airlines for the Nashville, Tenn., investment firm J.C. Bradford & Co., said: "USAir realized it had to take action or it would be gobbled up. At this stage it looks like USAir has enough of a lead so that TWA might not be able to effectively intervene."

USAir and Piedmont had verged on a merger pact March 4 when USAir received the offer from Icahn, a wealthy financier renowned for his adventurous takeover forays. USAir called the offer a shoddy attempt to wreck the Piedmont deal.

The developments in the three-way takeover scrambling Monday were reflected on Wall Street, where USAir stock tumbled \$3.37 1/2 a share to \$47.75; Piedmont fell 62 1/2

cents a share to \$67.62 1/2; and TWA plunged \$2.50 a share to \$28.

Piedmont and USAir have long been considered potential takeover targets because of their consistent profitability and impressive growth. Business travelers make heavy use of both airlines, which operate primarily in the East. USAir also is acquiring Pacific Southwest Airlines, which serves the West.

A marriage of Piedmont and USAir would come against a background of rapid consolidation in the deregulated airline industry, in which size has become crucial to profitability.

Over the past year Texas Air Corp., owner of Continental, has purchased People Express and Eastern, making it the biggest airline operator; Northwest has acquired Republic; Delta has acquired Western and TWA has acquired Ozark.

TWA still suffers from a weak domestic system, and Icahn has said it needs to absorb another carrier to remain competitive. But analysts expressed doubt that he could acquire a combined Piedmont-USAir.

Warehouse Cache Produces Host Of Lost Songs

By BILL STIEG
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — An inventory of music found stashed in a warehouse has revealed unpublished songs by George Gershwin, Jerome Kern, Richard Rodgers and others, some handwritten by the composers, a musicologist said today.

"It's like finding a Stephen Foster song, or a Walt Whitman poem," said Robert Kimball, who oversaw the inventory.

Among the manuscripts identified in the Warner Bros. warehouse in Secaucus, N.J., were Kern's handwritten copies of "Ol' Man River" and "Can't Help Lovin' Dat Man," said Kimball.

"A discovery of this dimension is just unbelievable, unique in American music, or world music for that matter," said H. Wiley Hitchcock, founding director of the Institute for Studies in American Music at Brooklyn College and co-editor of the New Grove Dictionary of American Music.

The 80 cartons were discovered in 1982, but remained largely uninventoryed. They were soon moved to a vault in Manhattan. Since 1985, a team of music theater scholars led by Kimball has pored over the material.

Kimball said the project was delayed three years while Warner Bros. sorted through legal claims to the material.

The company also wanted the material "to be examined, in a calm, dispassionate, scholarly way," he said, adding that a complete cataloguing is two years from completion.

"Manuscripts turn up from time to time, but this was surprising, considering the magnitude and importance of this find," said Kimball, who is editing the National Institute for Music Theater's "Catalogue of the American Musical."

A 178-page inventory lists about 70 Gershwin songs that had been forgotten over the years, as well as missing original scores and parts to his musicals "Primrose," "Tip-Toes," and "Pardon My English," Kimball said.

"There were 90 manuscripts in Gershwin's hand, some known songs and some unknown songs," he said.

More than 175 unpublished Kern songs and a half-hour of music dropped from "Show Boat" after previews also were discovered.

"The first envelope I opened, which had 'Cole Porter' written on it, had songs I'd never heard of — and I'm a Cole Porter scholar and biographer," said Kimball. "I sat there quite stunned. As we went on, we were more and more stunned."

Besides the 30 Cole Porter manuscripts, there were songs by such noted composers as Vincent Youmans, Victor Herbert, Sigmund Romberg and Rudolf Friml, he said.

The Kern material was especially cherished by the historians, Kimball said. "All of a sudden we have a lot of Kern's manuscripts, which until now were as scarce as hen's teeth," Hitchcock said. "Lots of dark closets suddenly opened."

The cartons contained manuscripts in the handwriting of the composer, various arrangements, piano-vocal scores, orchestra scores and individual orchestra parts.

Kimball said that early in the century, music houses would publish only a few of the songs "people are most likely to dance to" from Broadway shows, leaving the rest to languish and eventually become lost.

With the advent of sound films in the 1920s, Warner Bros. bought several music publishing houses, acquiring the material that was shunted from various offices and warehouses before ending up in Secaucus, he said.

Some of the music has been returned to the composers' estates, he said. One claim against Warner Bros. is by Kern's daughter, Betty Kern Miller, who is trying to obtain her father's music so it can be donated to the Library of Congress, Kimball said.

Attorneys for both sides are discussing how to handle it, he said. "To collectors, these obviously have commercial value," Kimball said. "To scholars who are concerned about preservation of music, they are as valuable as the great art songs of Mozart and Schubert."

"Musical theater is one of this country's most significant contributions to culture of the 20th century. The work of these composers is revered the world over."

The cataloging of the material was funded by the National Endowment for the Arts and the American Express Company, Kimball said.

Syrian Troops Raid American University

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Syrian troops raided the American University of Beirut today and rounded up 15 student representatives of Moslem and leftist militias, police said.

They said helmeted Syrian commandos staged the five-hour search-and-arrest raid beginning at midnight Monday.

The arrests were made at the six-story dormitory for male students on the west Beirut campus.

Among those arrested were student representatives of Justice Minister Nabih Berri's Shiite Moslem Amal militia and Druse warlord Walid Jumblatt's Progressive Socialist Party, police said.

"The dorms are full of weapons," said one American University of Beirut professor. The professor, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said he did not know whether any weapons were seized by the Syrians.

Those arrested were linked with political parties on campus. Many Lebanese political parties are connected to militias, as are some politically active students.

The university has been plagued by assassinations and kidnappings of its American faculty as well as harassment of students and teachers.

A witness, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the Syrian commandos entered the campus, arrested the students, "put them in a truck and drove away."

Classes were held today at the university despite the raid, an administration official said. The official, who also spoke on condition of anonymity, refused to comment on the actions of the Syrians.

Syria moved about 7,500 troops and 100 tanks into west Beirut on Feb. 22 to quell week-long militia battles that killed 300 people and wounded 1,300.

The Syrians have since closed 75 militia offices in Moslem west Beirut, killed 38 militiamen and confiscated many weapons.

The Syrian deployment was requested by five Moslem Lebanese leaders including Prime Minister Rashid Karami and House Speaker Hussein Husseini.

Syria, the main power broker in Lebanon, maintains 25,000 troops in eastern and northern provinces under a 1976 Arab League mandate.

Government, wholesale/retail and manufacturing each account for 25 percent of total employment in Pitt County.

CIA Says Many Of Its Operations Actually Began With Jimmy Carter

By JACK NELSON
L.A. Times-Washington Post News Service

WASHINGTON — CIA officials, chafing under suggestions that covert activities have lurched out of control during the Reagan administration, say more than half of all the secret operations now under way actually began with President Jimmy Carter.

And, these officials contend, the Iran-contra scandal — one of the most controversial covert actions of recent years — developed because the White House National Security Council initiated the affair and bypassed CIA safeguards, not because the intelligence agency itself was out of control.

"You know everybody gets up on their high horse about this administration kind of going berserk on covert actions," said one CIA official who defended the agency against what he and other sources see as unfair and potentially damaging at-

tacks in the wake of the Iran-contra affair.

More than half of all active findings — written presidential authorizations for covert activities — were "assigned in the last administration," said the official, who spoke on condition that he not be named.

In fact, Deputy CIA Director Robert M. Gates was prepared to make that point in testimony to the Senate Intelligence Committee until he decided to withdraw as Reagan's nominee to succeed William J. Casey as CIA director, the sources said. Gates withdrew rather than face a protracted confirmation fight that he said might damage the CIA.

Carter's CIA director, Stansfield Turner, branded the assertion that more than half of current covert actions were approved by Carter as "balderdash."

The Reagan administration, Turner said, has vastly increased the number of serious covert actions. He pointed out that Congress requires

the CIA to obtain presidential findings before providing information to foreign intelligence officers, no matter how innocuous the activity might be.

"So there's always on the books a substantial number of rather inconsequential findings," Turner said. "I can think of only one or two consequential findings from the Carter days that would still be on the books. The idea that the Reagan administration has not vastly multiplied the consequential — but in my opinion ill-advised — findings is totally misleading."

Turner said all Carter-approved covert actions would meet the test President Reagan laid down in his address to the nation last week. Reagan said he had directed that future covert activities support clear policy objectives and comply with American values, so that "if Americans saw it on the front page of their newspaper, they'd say, 'That makes sense.'"

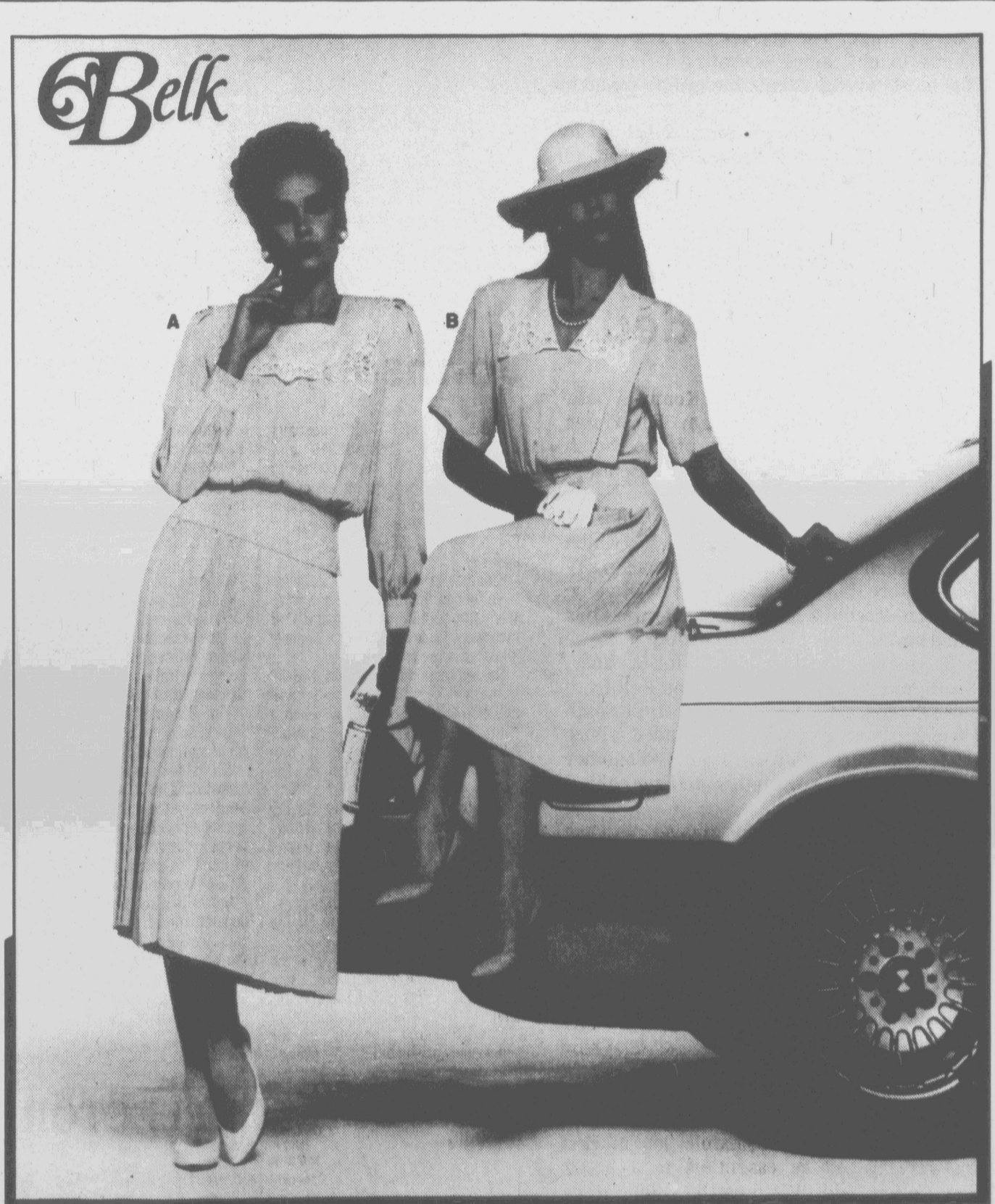
The same cannot be said, Turner

added, of the covert activities at the heart of the sale of weapons to Iran and the diversion of profits to the Nicaraguan contra rebels.

The current CIA official interviewed by the Los Angeles Times, while declining to disclose how many covert projects are under way, said the agency is "keeping busy" with them. Only "a handful" of covert actions initiated by Carter have been discontinued, he said.

The CIA, he said, is going all-out to cooperate with Lawrence Walsh, the court-appointed independent counsel who is investigating the Iran-contra affair for possible criminality.

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Editorials

Constructive Study

A Federal Aviation Administration investigation into the nation's air ambulance services must be conducted constructively in order to benefit hospitals that operate those services.

It should be welcomed by institutions as a positive step toward improving the dismal safety record that has plagued this life-saving industry. In the case of Pitt County Memorial Hospital, which lost its EastCare crew in a tragic January crash, an FAA study would be particularly relevant.

The investigation should be pertinent, however, and based on facts backed by carefully scrutinized data. It would be easy, but unfair, at this point, to criticize the air ambulance industry as flawed. The concept is one that worked for the military in Korea and Vietnam and merits support in civilian applications because of its life-preserving potential. Therefore, any investigation should focus on how this important tool of emergency medicine can continue and improve its record.

There is great value in an investigation that carefully examines how air ambulance services are operated and staffed, how equipment is maintained and what factors unique to air ambulance flight affect performance. These aspects of emergency air transport are the ones that should be scrutinized by the FAA.

After this information has been analyzed, the FAA should offer positive suggestions to hospitals with helicopters, not blanket criticism on past performance.

If the facts suggest pilot fatigue is a factor in crashes, as preliminary research suggests, the FAA should step in with guidelines to eliminate over-flying. If chronic equipment failure is a trend, the organization should set maintenance standards.

The study should also be conducted with the knowledge that the air ambulance business is inherently risky. As the FAA scrutinizes deaths from helicopter crashes, it should keep in the mind the thousands of lives saved by air transport. In the case of EastCare, that record was impressive — 856 successful flights.

The growth of the air ambulance business suggests that FAA guidelines are feasible while the industry is in its fledgling stage. The service is a self-policing one, to some extent, since operating a helicopter without the most careful attention to safety would inevitably lead to tragedy.

The timing is correct, however, for a study that positively suggests improvement and sets standards for operation of air ambulance services.

Challenge Eluded

Governor Martha Lane Collins of Kentucky and former Mississippi Governor William F. Winter recently addressed a joint session of the North Carolina General Assembly on goals for the South to attain by 1992.

The goals were result of a special study conducted for the Southern Growth Policies Board (which Winter heads). Much of what the speakers had to say has been said before, but their message was of value because it consolidated the best concepts of what has to be done and how to achieve desired results.

Tar Heel lawmakers were reminded, for instance, that the South had rivals from abroad as well from other regions in the U.S. Needs of the rural South drew much of the focus and Winter reminded failure to act quickly could "relegate our region to another generation of missed opportunities and unrealized goals".

Winter cautioned the South must travel the road united.

The need was underlined for providing a "competitive" education for all Southern students in order to increase the region's capacity for generating and using technology to implement new economic development strategies.

Mrs. Collins advised the South must identify and develop leaders who can motivate its people and establish a structure to continue progress. She saw the essence of needed leadership as not a defense of the status quo, but a willingness to push beyond what is convenient and what is necessary.

Top quality schools and a flexible job market repeatedly were raised as essentials to a better future. Gov. Collins said "We must be willing to do what is necessary to recruit and keep the best teachers. We must be willing to do what is necessary to ensure our students stay in school and learn while they are there ... (and) to help agricultural and manufacturing workers move into new lines of work with new skills".

The South cannot prosper if a significant number of its people lag behind, trapped in ignorance, poverty and disease. That is, really, the heart of a message we've all heard on scores of occasions. Meeting the challenge has somehow eluded too many of our people.

Are Women Ready To Fight Like Nancy?

— Cody Shearer —

WASHINGTON — Presidential denials notwithstanding, Nancy Reagan has assumed a position of power in the White House. Having out-muscled former chief of staff Donald Reagan, the first lady has set her sights on restoring her husband's still shaky executive clout. Now that we have our first female co-president since Edith Wilson — and a much more visible one this time — aren't we ready for women to participate in real-life combat?

Sens. William Proxmire (D-Wis.) and William Cohen (R-Maine) recently reintroduced a bill on Capitol Hill that would permit military women to serve in combat support units, although not in outright combat positions. "Women and men who have chosen to devote their lives to serving their country," says Cohen, "deserve their nation's commitment to remove barriers to equal-opportunity consideration."

Since the 1853 Crimean War, in which Florence Nightingale won fame, women have served the military with distinction. During World War II, units like the Women's Army Corps (WACs) and Women's Air Force Service Pilots (WASPs) operated vital supply lines. Women have been non-combat regulars in the military since 1948.

But until the late 1960s, fewer than 1 percent of military personnel were

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female. Today, women account for one in 10 of our 2.2 million fighting force. And they are better soldiers: Women in the military score higher on standardized tests and are promoted faster than their male service mates. A shrinking pool of high school graduates is encouraging the armed forces to recruit lower-skilled men, while turning increasingly to talented women.

Most of the service branches have intelligently responded to this trend by opening positions previously closed to females because of potential combat danger. Last year, for example, the Army loosened restrictions on more than 10,000 such jobs, and the Air Force reclassified 1,645. Ninety-five percent of Air Force positions are now open to women, and women were part of the support team for last year's air raid on Libya.

But there is one stubborn force. The Navy, under Secretary John Lehman Jr., has, in Proxmire's words, "tried to pull the wool over our eyes" in its effort to keep women in their place.

Once, there was a fleet of ships called the Mobile Logistics Support Force. In 1979, the Senate asked the Navy to let women serve in this force. By some coincidence, as of last November, that fleet is renamed the Combat Logistics Force. No female is allowed. And last year Defense Secretary Casper Weinberger had to reprimand the Navy for trying to halt recruitment of women until 1991.

Why the resistance? The Navy blames Congress for (what else?) not supplying enough money to adequately man vessels, and says it won't place women in such a situation. Sen. Proxmire called the assertion "patently false." The Navy could immediately open some 14,000 posts to females, he says, and fill its ships.

Many observers say the Navy's anti-feminism is deep. As Carolyn Becraft of the moderate Women's Equity Action League puts it, "one can only question whether they would rather sink a ship than put a woman on it."

Whatever the Navy's qualms, however, women are already serving in positions that place them square in the middle of strategic operations, whether at the buttons of nuclear missiles or on the West German frontier. "There is no question," says military analyst Jeffrey Record, "that large numbers of women will be attacked, and many of them killed, on the next battlefields."

The Proxmire-Cohen bill would only formalize what has become accepted practice in most of the armed services. It would open the few remaining non-combat positions, such as air reconnaissance and full-time combat support, from which women are still barred. And while not affecting roughneck outfits like the Marines, it would bring the Navy into the 1980s.

Nonetheless, the tough question is yet to be faced: Would Americans tolerate women's involvement in live combat — attacking, being fired upon, and subject to capture? Debate over this legislation may set the stage for moves toward full equal opportunity in the military. Until then, Nancy Reagan's impressive example of combat readiness will go unheeded.

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— John Fleisher —

Johnson, Correction Department Draw Fire

RALEIGH (AP) — In unusually blunt terms, Democrats and Republicans in the General Assembly are heaping much of the blame for North Carolina's prison crisis on the state Department of Correction and its secretary, Aaron Johnson.

Ranking lawmakers and Johnson have feuded for months over how to solve the population explosion that threatens to bring about a federal takeover of the prison system.

Unhappiness with Johnson, the only black in Gov. Jim Martin's Cabinet, and his department reached a boiling point last week as a \$29 million emergency construction program was rushed through the Legislature.

"Secretary Johnson is not qualified, and it's not because of his color," Rep. Jim Craven, R-Moore, said in an interview. "He doesn't have any background in corrections. He's not from the business community ... has no experience in taking charge and getting things done."

Johnson's department is "the weakest in state government," said Sen. Aaron Plyler, D-Union, chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee and sponsor of the emergency prison bill.

Johnson, a Baptist minister from Fayetteville, defended his performance in an interview and dismissed the criticism as politically motivated, saying the state's prisons were seriously overcrowded years before he arrived on the scene.

"I'm willing to take my share of the blame, but it's not mine alone," he said. "It accomplishes no purpose for anyone in the legislative branch or the executive branch to point fingers. We've got a job to do, and it's going to take all of us working together to get the job done."

Tim Pittman, Martin's press secretary, said the governor had "complete confidence" in Johnson.

All sides agree that prison crowding is not a new problem. It has been easy for politicians to ignore because it's not high on their constituents' priority lists. "Out of sight, out of mind," Craven, a member of the House Correction Committee, said.

But critics accuse Johnson and his department of failing to grasp the significance of lawsuits filed against the state in the past year and of squandering valuable time after the Legislature appropriated funds for a crash expansion program in June 1986.

The class-action suits, which cover

virtually the entire correction system, charge that the crowding is so severe it violates inmates' constitutional rights. They were inspired by an earlier suit that led a federal judge to order North Carolina to eliminate "triple bunking" — stacking beds three high — in the South Piedmont region.

In 1985, the Legislature set aside \$12.5 million to relieve South Piedmont crowding. The next year, nearly \$14 million was added to the budget to begin expanding the rest of the system.

But the latter appropriation never was spent. The Legislative Commission on Governmental Operations, an all-Democrat panel that meets monthly between sessions to monitor the bureaucracy, regularly demanded progress reports of Correction Department officials. "We had a prison drill every month," Sen. Tony Rand, D-Cumberland, said.

Johnson's aides repeatedly said the South Piedmont projects were occupying all their time and resources.

"We have a very small engineering division," Johnson said. "We had to make South Piedmont our number one concern ... and we've done an outstanding job on that."

But lawmakers weren't buying the explanation. "This has to be the first time I've ever seen state government not be able to spend money," Rep. Martin Nesbitt, D-Buncombe, said.

Finally, Lt. Gov. Bob Jordan and House Speaker Liston Ramsey met with Martin and warned that the situation was critical. Unless something was done soon, they said, the federal courts might seize control of the prison system as they have done in other states.

If that happens, the state could be forced to spend literally any amount deemed necessary by a court-appointed "special master" and release more inmates than state officials consider prudent — "turn prisoners out en masse and build, build, build," special deputy attorney general Skip Capone said.

The Martin-Jordan-Ramsey "summit" touched off a series of private negotiations between the administration and legislative leadership, with the attorney general's office giving advice on what was needed to avoid federal intervention.

In those meetings, State Budget Director C.C. Cameron emerged as the administration's point man and Johnson's role diminished, participants said. The compromise package enacted last week designated Cameron, one of Martin's closest aides, to take charge of the emergency construction program.

"For the first time, I feel the Martin administration has someone on top of this," Craven said. "It should have been done 18 months ago."

— Elisha Douglas —

Strength For Today

In the 12th chapter of the Epistle to the Hebrews we find the injunction, "Let us lay aside the sin which doth so easily beset us."

A New Testament scholar recently pointed out that to get the literal meaning of these words, we would have to invent a grotesque translation — "Let us lay aside the well-stood-arounded sin." About it is a band of admirers, and beyond them

another group, and farther out from these still other people who want to participate in this admired sin.

Every generation has its own popular sins. Dissolute living has been particularly admired and emulated at various points in history.

What are other admired sins today? It would be wise for us to identify them and stay away from the crowds which surround them.

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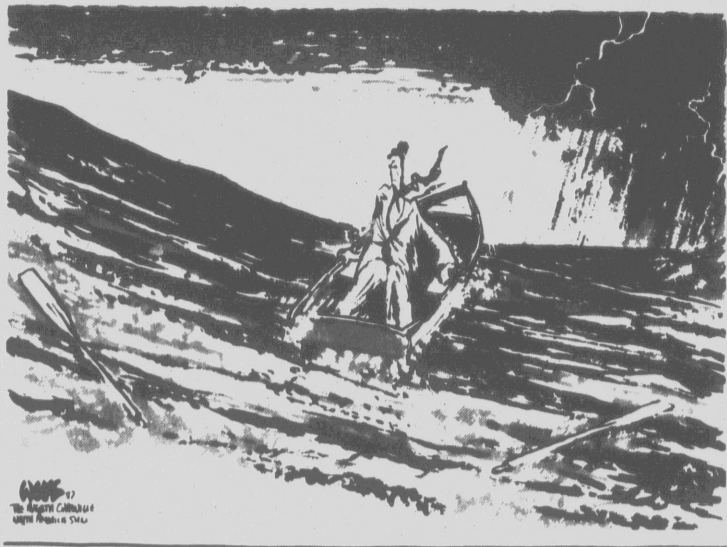
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Analysis

This May Be Reagan's Final Chance



— Jonathan Wolman —

Shot Fired

WASHINGTON (AP) — All in all, it's been a such a satisfying winter for Bob Dole that you can almost picture the Senate Republican leader with his feet up on his desk, daydreaming of springtime in the Rose Garden. He's riding high — so high that he's ridden into Randall Robinson's line of sight.

Robinson has directed a "negative ad" at Dole for his votes against South African sanctions. Dole surely knows that the last politician challenged by Robinson's TransAfrica lobby was Ronald Reagan — and Reagan lost.

Among Republicans who would like to be elected president in 1988, Dole has benefited the most from the political impact of the Iran-Contra affair.

The sale of arms to Iran has hurt George Bush. The vice president has dropped in the polls; in all-important Iowa, he's actually trailing Dole.

"There's a lot of movement and a lot of it's coming our way," Dole said in Georgia over the weekend, noting just for the record he was "not in the White House and not in the NSC (National Security Council)."

Meanwhile, the Kemp campaign seems to be stagnating — so much so that Republican activists are talking about a newspaper editorial that reportedly referred to the New York congressman as Jack "still stuck at 7 percent" Kemp.

Perhaps the best news for Dole was simply Howard Baker's decision to run Reagan's White House and give up his own 1988 presidential ambitions. Baker was not favored to win the Republican nomination — many party stalwarts consider him a tad too moderate — but he shares the Senate leadership persona with Dole and would have cut into Dole's constituency.

Baker's biggest supporter had been Sen. Warren Rudman of New Hampshire, who now says, "You're right in assuming I'm leaning towards Bob Dole."

Bush's problems and Baker's decision have given Dole an opportunity to concentrate his efforts on improving relations with GOP conservatives, some of whom consider him too pragmatic and not ideological enough.

Late last month, Dole reminded the Conservative Political Action Conference that he was one of just 19 Republicans who supported the president in his attempt to block legislation clamping sanctions on South Africa.

It drew cheers from the conservatives — a group whose support he needs to win nomination.

All in all, it's hard to think of a cloud on Dole's horizon, but Randall Robinson has provided at least a puff.

Robinson runs TransAfrica, a group which lobbied successfully last year to override President Reagan's veto. The group organized the protests in front of the South African Embassy that helped spark an anti-apartheid movement that led some universities and corporations to divest from South Africa.

Now the group has produced a newspaper ad which shows a smiling Bob Dole and describes him as "one of the faces behind apartheid" because of his votes against sanctions and his ties to John Sears, a political consultant whose firm is a registered lobbyist for Pretoria.

The ad ran in the Wichita Eagle-Beacon and Robinson said his group might try to buy space in other publications outside Dole's home state.

Robinson acknowledges that Dole has been a strong supporter of civil rights, but says, "His record on civil rights does not explain nor does it justify his tacit endorsement" for the South African government.

Dole said in response that his Senate leadership position sometimes forced him to take unpopular positions and said of TransAfrica, "They can do what they want. I think it's shortsighted. They may have another bill they need some help on."

That's vintage Dole — quick, blunt, pragmatic.

But just as George Bush doesn't want every campaign forum to turn into a discussion of arms-to-Khormeyn, Dole won't want his campaign dominated by questions on South Africa.

Is that what Robinson's got in mind?

He is being coy. He says, "We're not at the point of disclosing what we intend to do," but adds, "We will take every useful means to make certain the country understands the extent of Senator Dole's support of the South African government."

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WASHINGTON (AP) — As Ronald Reagan struggles to emerge from the Iran-Contra affair, there is renewed hope for an arms control agreement with the Soviet Union. But his long-held suspicions about Moscow's good faith could deprive him of his first major treaty.

The agreement, for which there already is a general understanding between Reagan and Mikhail Gorbachev, would eliminate all U.S. and Soviet medium-range nuclear missiles from Europe. Each side could retain 100 warheads — the Soviets in their Asian territories and the United States at home, possibly in Alaska.

Jack Mendelsohn, the deputy director of the private Arms Control Association, sees such a treaty as primarily a political and not a security accord. If everything works out, he says, 1,500 warheads will be taken out of commission — a mere 3 percent of the 50,000 nuclear arms stockpiled by the two superpowers.

Still, it would be the first weapons reduction agreement with Moscow since President Carter signed the SALT II treaty in Vienna in 1979 with the late Soviet President Leonid I. Brezhnev.

That's the same treaty candidate Reagan denounced as "fatally flawed" and last year decided could be abridged by the United States if it served U.S. security interests to surpass the ceilings imposed on various kinds of long-range nuclear weapons.

Reagan based that decision partly on his allegations that the Soviets had

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violated the unratified accord. He claimed in a report to Congress they developed an illegal intercontinental ballistic missile, disguised telemetry information from missile tests and exceeded the overall limit on missile launchers and bombers.

The Soviets disputed the charges, and a number of arms control experts agreed with them.

James P. Rubin, of the Arms Control Association, said the administration has not provided persuasive evidence for any of the three allegations and is relying on an ambiguous interpretation of extremely complex provisions.

For example, Rubin said, "The reason the Soviets are being charged with exceeding launcher limits is that the Reagan administration refuses to discuss procedures for converting 45-year-old bombers into allowable fuel tankers."

"This is a way of creating a compliance issue instead of seeking to resolve it," Rubin said.

Reagan, meanwhile, is in the midst of deciding whether to authorize new experiments with "Star Wars" anti-missile technology. A number of arms control experts worry that such experiments could imperil the 1972 Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty with the Soviet Union.

While candidate Reagan cam-

paigned against all the major arms control accords, and as the president challenged the Soviets' compliance record, he is in principle in favor of eliminating medium-range missiles from Europe.

Still, in light of the president's view of past treaties and of Soviet behavior, it would be ironic if a new U.S.-Soviet arms control agreement helped reverse his political misfortunes. And a treaty may not emerge that quickly.

Reagan credits Gorbachev with removing "a serious obstacle to progress" by agreeing to separate the medium-range missiles question from tangled disputes over longer-range arms and a Star Wars defense.

But Reagan says "strength of purpose" by the United States and its allies brought negotiations to their present position.

John D. Steinbruner, director of foreign policy studies at the Brookings Institution, has a somewhat different view.

Disagreeing with Mendelsohn, he sees strategic importance — to Moscow — in a Euromissile treaty with the United States.

Steinbruner says the Soviets are worried about the 108 Pershing 2 missiles the United States has deployed in West Germany. These very accurate weapons are aimed at

Soviet territory along with 160 slower-moving cruise missiles now in Belgium, Britain, Italy and West Germany.

Steinbruner says the Soviets see the Pershings as a "spearhead" of a potential U.S. pre-emptive attack.

"Removing Pershing 2 and giving up the SS-20 is a very good deal strategically, from their point of view," he says.

Mendelsohn says while getting rid of the Pershings would be a bonus, Gorbachev wants a Euromissile treaty to sow dissension in allied ranks and to build political momentum "to make it more difficult for Reagan to trash other aspects of arms control."

West Germany and Britain, the two most important NATO allies, already have raised questions about a U.S. plan to demand on-site inspection of Soviet medium-range missile plants.

This is causing the administration to reconsider the details — but not the thrust — of its verification proposal.

Spurgeon M. Keeny Jr., a former U.S. negotiator who now heads the Arms Control Association, doubts that on-site inspection is necessary to monitor a Euromissile pact.

Barry Schweid has covered U.S.-Soviet relations and the diplomacy of arms control for The Associated Press for 14 years.

— Ernest Conine —

Reagan Avoiding Responsible Action

Speaker of the House Jim Wright won't win any man-of-the-year awards for his proposal to impose \$17 billion to \$20 billion in new taxes on stock transactions, and to require high-income Americans to give back part of the tax break voted by Congress last year.

Yet the Texas Democrat, in trying to get a handle on the massive federal budget deficit, is merely exercising the kind of responsible leadership that should be coming from President Reagan.

Even as Reagan was striving to salvage his beleaguered presidency in a televised address a few evenings ago, the Joint Congressional Economic Committee was frantically trying to draw attention to the country's perilous economic situation.

"We are skating on thin ice," warned Sen. Paul Sarbanes, D-Md., chairman of the committee. Republican members of the committee disagreed, but the facts do not support their optimism.

The fact that the warning from the committee attracted so little public attention illustrates one of the debilitating effects of the Iran-contra scandal: By taking up so much newspaper space and television time, the controversy unavoidably squeezes out a lot of news that should be getting more attention.

Despite his diminished standing with the people, the president could help mightily to arouse the public to the dangers facing the U.S. economy and the need for corrective measures — some of them painful — to get the country back on the track.

He is unlikely to do it. He will be

preoccupied with rebuilding his tarnished presidential image. And working out a nuclear-missile reduction pact with Moscow will have a higher priority than telling the people things about the economy that many don't want to hear.

Beyond that, the president shows scant evidence of recognizing that the economy is in trouble. He likes to remind us that inflation is at the lowest rate in 25 years, that interest rates are way down and that 13 million jobs have been created on his watch. And it's true.

Unfortunately, there is a less cheerful set of facts. Inflation is picking up. About 8 million Americans remain jobless. New jobs created are overwhelmingly in the service sector, where average earnings are lower than in manufacturing. Factory orders are anemic. All in all,

there is serious doubt as to the nation's ability to generate a healthy rate of growth in the years ahead.

As the Joint Economic Committee pointed out, the U.S. economy has been living on borrowed money for the past five years and is now in a precarious position.

The federal budget deficit reached a record \$221 billion in fiscal 1986, raising the national debt to more than \$2 trillion — double the level when Reagan took office. The revenue shortfall will come in at about \$173 billion this year. And even if the goals set by the Gramm-Rudman law are met, which is doubtful, the deficit in fiscal 1988 will still exceed \$100 billion. And that isn't the half of it.

If you throw in private debt — the amount owed by business and individuals — the total American debt as of now comes to nearly \$9 trillion,

more than double the level in 1980. This means that private and governmental debt together have been growing much faster than the economy.

The flesh-and-blood results are disturbing. About 1,500 banks are on the federal regulators' list of financially troubled institutions. Farmers are going broke in droves. Foreclosures are up in places like Texas and Colorado, where the construction of office buildings and apartment complexes has far outrun market demand.

In 1985 the New York Stock Exchange concluded that the health of U.S. corporations was endangered by excessive debt, much of it engendered by loans for takeovers that contributed nothing to the nation's productive capacity. The situation is not getting any better.





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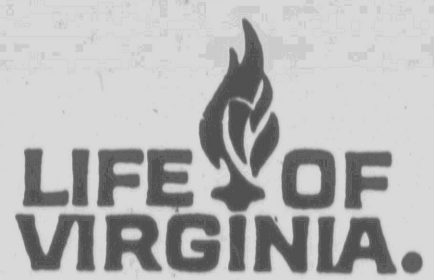
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Tom Dooley's Victim Tombstone Found

LENOIR, N.C. (AP) — The missing tombstone of Laura Foster, the legendary victim of Tom Dooley, has been recovered and will be returned to the woman's 121-year-old grave, Caldwell County authorities say.

Vandals took the marble tombstone in July from Miss Foster's grave in a meadow near the Yadkin River. Caldwell County residents spent weeks searching for it, but in mid-October the case was declared inactive.

Two county residents discovered the stone Saturday behind garbage containers about 12 miles from the grave.

"It was in good shape," sheriff's detective Tim Munday said. "It was chipped a little bit, but that was because of the people chipping it before it was stolen."

The tombstone is at the Caldwell County Sheriff's Department, but will likely be returned to the grave. Officers have no suspects.

According to the 1860s legend, Laura Foster, 22, fell in love with Civil War veteran Tom Dooley (or Dula, as his name appears in some history books), who was 23.

But Dooley was in love with Ann Melton, the cobbler's wife.

Miss Foster, believing she and Dooley would be married, saddled her father's horse and rode off to meet him. Three months later, her body was found in a shallow grave. She had been stabbed to death.

Dooley was hanged May 2, 1868, after he was tried and convicted in Statesville. Some speculated during the trial that Mrs. Melton was the murderer and that Dooley took the blame.

John Christian Bernhardt of Lenoir, who owns the tombstone, said his children gave him the marker for Christmas about 25 years ago to put on Miss Foster's grave, which was on land he then owned.

"There was nothing there on the grave except a fairly big rock the size of a watermelon and others piled in a ring around it," Bernhardt recalled. "An old tenant farmer who lived there told me she (Miss Foster) was buried there."

Tom Dooley's grave is nearby, he said.

Bernhardt plans to return the stone to the grave.

But some Caldwell County residents are trying to raise about \$500 for a larger, granite marker that can't be easily removed.

"There's a consensus among some of the people of the (Yadkin) Valley that they don't want to put that light stone back that can be carried away very easily," said Rhon Winkler, who was instrumental in setting up the fund-raising drive for a new marker. "The old one was made of marble and easily chipped away. And it had Tom Dooley's name on it, and that's really galling, since it was Laura Foster's tombstone."

Board Says Give Up On Tobacco

RALEIGH (AP) — North Carolina farmers should prepare to lose tobacco as their major cash crop and think about producing fruits and vegetables instead, a new report by the State Goals and Policy Board says.

The report says tobacco "is a crop whose future is in jeopardy" because of anti-smoking campaigns, increasing taxation of tobacco products, rising foreign competition and weakened government support programs.

But spokesmen for state farm organizations disagreed with the report and said tobacco growers should not abandon the crop.

"My question to the State Goals and Policy Board is: What assurance do we have that diversification is the answer?" said Robert Caldwell, head of the North Carolina State Grange in Greensboro.

"To diversify without having iden-

tified the commodity and market is kind of tricky," Caldwell said. "I think farmers ought to keep doing what they're doing, and do it well, rather than abandon tobacco on their family farms."

Caldwell said Monday he is not convinced tobacco is doomed. He said things can be done to make the crop more profitable, such as promoting it more aggressively overseas.

"People will continue to use tobacco," Caldwell said. "Tobacco is a stabilizing factor in this state's agricultural economy. I think it has to remain our primary cash crop. But I don't think we're touching the world markets we could touch."

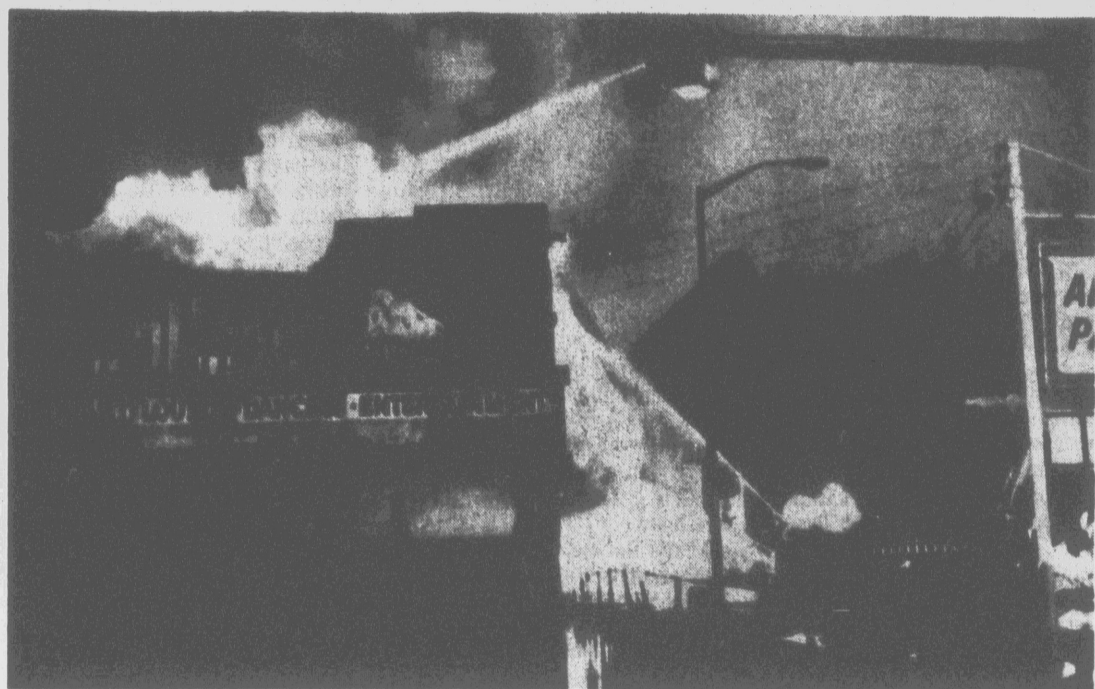
In the 67-page report, the board suggests that the state Department of Agriculture encourage tobacco farmers to increase production of lettuce, carrots, celery and other goods that are imported from other states. But it cautions that markets need to be established before new crops are planted.

"Not only must we give farmers alternative crops, but we must assure them of a market for those crops," said H.C. Horton of Winston-Salem, vice chairman of the 15-member policy board. "Somehow we've got to be able to amass enough of the crop to sell. And more important, we must know when to market it, sell it when the time is best."

Horton said the board believed the state had been slow to respond to the declining demand for tobacco, though the crop accounts for 20 percent of the state's farm income, compared with 50 percent some years ago.

But Horton said he doubted tobacco will completely disappear in the state. W.B. Jenkins, president of the state Farm Bureau Federation, agreed.

"Tobacco is still nearly a billion-dollar crop in North Carolina," Jenkins said. "It's not the profit-maker it was years ago, but it's still a viable enterprise."



FIRE OVER ATLANTA — Fire destroyed a vacant three-story building located in the downtown section of Atlanta, over the Underground Atlanta area, on Monday. Officials said the fire will not delay the restoration project going on in the area. (AP Laserphoto)

Coastal Debates Always End Up In Raleigh

By TOM MINEHART
Associated Press Writer

RALEIGH (AP) — The offices of state government are home to a veritable alphabet chowder of agencies, divisions, commissions and committees that always get involved in the debate over coastal development.

"I think the bureaucracy is equally confusing to everybody," said Todd Miller, director of the environmentalist North Carolina Coastal Federation. "If somebody's concerned about a project, chances are they don't have as good a grasp of how the system operates as developers, who are more experienced. But it's pretty imposing to anybody."

Each side often feels that the bureaucracy favors the other side. Miller fears that coastal area legislators with ties to developers may try to weaken coastal regulations in the upcoming General Assembly. And Orrin Pilkey, a Duke University geologist well known for his warnings on beachfront development, says the regulators are already at the mercy of politicians who favor developers.

"Underlying all our coastal development problems is greed," he said. "And the politicians won't allow the technicians (in regulatory agencies) to say anything. Anybody in state government who says, 'Don't build on this island' is going to be looking for another job tomorrow."

But developers have banded together to counter what they see as a drift toward environmentalists.

"In the last two years the anti-development people have become very, very well organized and done a good job of understanding how regulatory decisions are made, and

they've put pressure on those agencies," said Ken Stewart, executive director of a coalition of developers called the Alliance for Balanced Coastal Development. "The result is that ... the last two years have seen a heck of a lot more regulation come down the pike that doesn't make sense to the development community."

State officials face a constant struggle to balance all sides in ongoing disputes, said David Owens, director of the state Division of Coastal Management.

"Sometimes we make one side happy and the other is very upset, and vice versa," he said. "Nobody wins on all of these. ... I hope everyone says, 'We may not agree on the outcome but we're glad the debate is ongoing, we've had a chance to participate and we're winning our share.'"

"We're supposed to act in the public interest, but we've got people in different public interests — shellfishing, resort developers and the guy from High Point who comes down for the weekend..."

In legal terms, said New Bern lawyer Dan Besse, chairman of the Coastal Resources Commission, the coast is "a high-use area in which public and private rights are involved, and you have to do your best under the laws of the state to protect both public and private rights."

At the center of North Carolina's coastal regulation is the Coastal Area Management Act, which the Legislature passed in 1974 and which affects 20 coastal counties. Basically, this complex series of rules and pro-

North Carolina's 3,375-mile tidal shoreline, long neglected but now a focal point for development, has become the center of major controversy over preserving the past and moving on to the future. Do you build for tourists and vacationers, or do you leave the original shoreline to nature? This is the second of a six-part series exploring the problem.

cedures determines where and how the coast can be changed on both ocean side and sound side — while calling for various interests to participate in the decision process.

Environmentalists say the act is tough, but not tough enough on development along inlets, where the shoreline is most unstable; and on high-rise development, which can't be moved when erosion threatens.

Developers say the act helps preserve what draws people to the coast in the first place, but that officials are too often persuaded to block development for no logical reason.

Owens' division, advised by the appointed members of the Coastal Resources Commission, administers the act.

Other state bodies involved in coastal management include the Division of Environmental Management, the Environmental Management Commission, the Department of Human Resources, the Division of Marine Fisheries. Federal agencies include the Environmental Protection Agency, the U.S. Park Service, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

At the local government level, coastal counties are the only North Carolina counties required by state

law to involve the public in land-use planning, Owens said.

Disputes arise mostly in two areas — the ocean side, where the main issues are beach erosion, setback and beach access; and the sound side, where the issues are water quality and building on wetlands.

Ocean Side
North Carolina law already prohibits attempts to protect the beach with "hard stabilization" — seawalls that geologists say actually accelerate erosion in the long run.

That's the good news, said Pilkey. North Carolina is avoiding the mistake made by New Jersey and South Carolina, where seawalls have eroded miles of beach, he said.

The bad news is that building increases along the beaches as erosion continues — and even quickens as sea levels rise.

"It's all important to understand that shoreline erosion isn't a problem unless something is there," Pilkey said.

Some communities have tried replenishing the beach with sand pumped in from elsewhere, a solution that sometimes costs around \$1 million per mile of beach per year. Pilkey estimates it would cost \$350 million to add five to 10 years of life to developed North Carolina beaches.

"When you replenish a beach ... the only real motivation is trying to save the buildings. Why is it our problem? It affects only a few hundred homeowners living in front of a beach used by thousands of North Carolinians."

"I say, 'Do what you want next to the beach, but when your time comes, move or demolish the building,'" Pilkey said. "There should be no tax expenditures ... and flood insurance for beachfront property."

A New Year's Day storm caused \$6.5 million in damage in North Carolina and left more than 500 buildings with less than 20 feet of sand between their foundation and the surf, state officials said. The loss of dune protection means many may be destroyed by future storms.

Since 1973, state setback rules have required houses to be built back from the dunes at least 30 times the average annual erosion rate. For commercial property, the factor is 60. Erosion rates range from one to 20 feet per year.

"Pilkey comes at it from geologic time, and he's right — 1,000 years from now, the beach will be eroded and the barrier islands will have migrated," said Stewart. "But I don't think man lives or thinks in geologic terms. It's a matter of what is a useful, usable life of a structure in the first place. The coastal regulations say a useful life is 30 years, so the setback is based on the erosion rate times 30."

But Pilkey said his concern is not just for the far future. He said one storm in the wrong place could destroy dunes, cut off roads and trap residents on, for example, the north end of Topsail Island.

Miller fears that the recent storm damage may lead beachfront property owners to press for seawalls now prohibited. And in some areas, development already has limited public beach access and left no parking for beachgoers.

Sound Side
Stormwater runoff and marinas have a major effect on soundside water quality, Miller said.

In September, the Environmental Management Commission ruled that structures within 575 of the water had to comply with certain stormwater control regulations. Environmentalists had sought to maintain a limit of one-half mile; developers wanted the limit to be only 75 feet from the water.

The regulations include a formula governing what portion of the surface may be impervious to water at different distances from the shore. At issue is how much bacteria-contaminated water can flow into shellfishing and fish-nursery waters.

Regulations also govern the placement of marinas and whether the water around them can be used for shellfishing.

Stewart said that in some cases, developers have been prohibited from expanding marinas even in inlets they dug themselves. He said coastal development often is blamed for pollution that actually flows along rivers from inland cities and farms.

The Alliance for Balanced Coastal Development was formed last May in part to fight what developers see as a pro-environmentalist bias among state regulators, said Stewart, who served as director of the state Division of Coastal Management for eight years.

The alliance wants to see coastal waters reclassified according to their existing use. Now, said Stewart, some areas are closed to development even if nearby waters contain only one or two clams.

Miller said that was an "extreme example," and he said development interests had stacked a legislative panel studying the issue.

He charged that the Legislative Research Commission on Coastal Water Quality, which recently published 23 recommendations to the General Assembly, was biased 8-3 in favor of developers. Four legislators on the panel had asked Gov. Jim Martin to oppose stricter stormwater runoff regulations.

Miller said environmentalists would watch the 1987 General Assembly very carefully to ensure that the recommendations don't lead to an attempt to weaken water quality standards by transferring some powers from state agencies to lawmakers.

Stewart acknowledged that developers were well represented on the panel, but he said the proposals include many designed to enhance natural resources, including more funding for the Division of Marine Fisheries.

Karen Gottovi of Wilmington, one of the three panel members considered pro-environmentalist, said she wasn't worried that the panel backed reclassification of coastal waters. She said the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency would continue to be strict on "downgrading" shellfishing waters to allow development.

Meanwhile, the EPA moved in December to reclaim from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers the authority to designate and protect sensitive wetland areas in North Carolina. Complaints and lawsuits since the early 1970s charged that the corps had not vigorously guarded wetlands from development and pollution.

Jordan Says Cuts Likely In Martin's Budget Plan

By JOHN FLESHER
Associated Press Writer

RALEIGH (AP) — Lt. Gov. Bob Jordan says the 1987-89 budget proposed by Gov. Jim Martin has misplaced priorities, seeking too little for programs needed to keep North Carolina economically competitive.

The Joint Appropriations Committee likely will cut some of the Republican governor's spending requests and shift the money to items the Democratic leadership considers more important, Jordan said Monday at a meeting of the Senate's budget writing team.

"We're not quite as competitive as we have been in the past," Jordan said, warning that other states are catching up with North Carolina in the battle to recruit new industry and create jobs.

He said the Legislature needs every available dollar to build the state's economy, and must try to squeeze extra revenue from the "base budget" — revenue for continuing programs — by cutting expenditures that are not essential.

"You're going to have to make hard decisions," Jordan told the senators, including the chairmen of the appropriations committee and its standing subcommittees. "You're ... going to have to say 'no' to some of the new programs that are coming

forth or ... go back and find the money somewhere else."

Jordan, who is expected to challenge Martin's re-election in 1988, refused to identify likely candidates for cuts in the governor's \$19.6 billion budget. He said that was the job of legislative committees, which this week will launch a detailed review of the Martin program.

"There's just a lot of things that probably should have a higher priority," Jordan told reporters. "There's no way to fund everything we need."

Martin's budget seeks \$495 million in expansions and improvements to state programs in fiscal 1987-88 and \$852.6 million for 1988-89. Public schools would get the biggest chunk, including \$357 million to continue implementation of the Basic Education Program.

Jordan said Martin had sought too little money to upgrade the state's infrastructure, especially for water and sewer system improvements. Martin has requested \$80 million for a revolving loan fund and says he hopes the federal government will contribute another \$40 million.

A Senate bill introduced last week at Jordan's request would appropriate \$120 million for a combination of water-sewer loans and grants.

Martin's budget also shortchanges remedial summer school, scholarships for prospective teachers, en-

vironmental protection, programs for the elderly, economic development initiatives and the state employee health insurance program, Jordan said.

Sen. Kenneth Royall, D-Durham, said Martin had requested no funds for the state's three engineering schools at North Carolina State University, UNC-Charlotte and N.C. A&T State University.

The omission could haunt the state as the industrial recruiting battle with other states intensifies, Royall said.

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IN THE STATE

Fayetteville State Chancellor Faces Possible Ouster, Legislator Says

FAYETTEVILLE (AP) — University of North Carolina President C.D. Spangler Jr. has told Fayetteville State University Chancellor Charles Lyons "to seek other options," a state legislator has told FSU supporters.

But Rep. Nick Jeralds, D-Cumberland, told 200 black citizens at a meeting Sunday night that Lyons has not specifically confirmed that Spangler has asked him to step down as chancellor.

Lyons, who was scheduled to speak at the meeting at Mount Sinai Baptist Church, arrived at the church but left without making an appearance.

"We called this meeting to let the world know we do support Dr. Lyons," said the Rev. Aaron Johnson, pastor of the church and secretary of the state Department of Correction.

But a woman who identified herself as a church trustee had other ideas when she ordered three reporters in the audience out of the church before the meeting began.

"The news media is not welcome," said the woman, who refused to give her name. "This is a discussion for blacks only."

Lyons, who has held the top administrative post

at FSU since 1969, has refused to comment on whether he is being pressured to resign.

The UNC Board of Governors meets Friday, and the agenda includes an executive session to discuss personnel matters. The FSU board of trustees also will meet this week.

FSU chairman Will Brown said he has called a special meeting for Thursday at Lyons' request. "He did not say why, and I didn't ask him," Brown told The Times.

Jeralds said the legislative black caucus met with Spangler to ask his plans affecting predominantly black state universities. He said Spangler told them he was satisfied with N.C. Central in Durham, N.C. A&T in Greensboro and Winston-Salem State universities, but was not satisfied with Elizabeth City State or Fayetteville State universities.

Jeralds said Spangler told them he had made plans to enhance the school at Elizabeth City and "would be making recommendations" for FSU.

"We have to be realistic about why we are here," Jeralds told Sunday's crowd. "What concerns me, we are reactionary. When Dr. Lyons' head is on a chopping block we meet, and we may not meet again until some black kids are in trou-

ble. We need to address problems before they arise. We should have come together to support Fayetteville State before this."

Jeralds mentioned recent problems FSU had in loss of accreditation for some education programs and in meeting a challenge grant from the U.S. Department of Education.

Jeralds said black children have problems when they get to FSU because they are not receiving the education they need in public schools.

"The problem is bigger than Dr. Lyons is," he said. "We can't sit back until we have a major problem and then have a mass meeting. We're faced with some critical things at Fayetteville State. If the die has been cast from the personal standpoint, Lyons should be allowed to leave Fayetteville State. We shouldn't drag it out and distort it. Look at the overall picture and try to make something out of it."

"We need to know where you stand," said county commissioner Mary McAllister, who called Sunday's meeting. Jeralds said Lyons has not confirmed that Spangler has asked him to step down.

"Somebody has been told something," Johnson said. "Where there is smoke, there is fire."

Prison Buses

CHARLOTTE (AP) — Local sheriffs say a state Department of Correction decision to drop prison bus services for nearly half the state's counties in the west and Piedmont will cost county governments more money and add to the overcrowding problems at county jails.

In a hand-delivered letter to area sheriffs late last week, Correction Secretary Aaron Johnson said that beginning March 23 local law enforcement agencies will be responsible for scheduling and transporting inmates sent to state facilities.

"It stinks," Union County Sheriff Frank McGuire said Monday. "The decision could cost Union County \$100,000 a year because I estimate we will need at least four more deputies to transport prisoners."

Cabarrus County Sheriff Robert Canaday said elimination of bus service — combined with overcrowded state prisons — will mean his employees will have to transport prisoners all over North Carolina, to wherever space is available.

"It's going to be a tremendous burden on us," he said. "They're liable to tell us we can take two to this place and two to that place and two to another place."

Sentenced

GREENSBORO (AP) — A former music teacher at a Greensboro Christian school has been sentenced to 18 years in prison for sexually abusing two of his young music students last summer.

Dennis N. Baggett, 28, of High Point who had claimed his fundamentalist background caused him to regard many normal sexual activities as sinful, pleaded guilty Monday to blindfolding a 10-year-old girl during a flute lesson and having her perform oral sex.

In a second incident, according to reports, Baggett fondled an 8-year-old piano student.

The two girls were enrolled at the private school and were taking lessons under a special summer program. Guilford sheriff's detectives began investigating after one child reported the incident to a friend who subsequently told her parents.

Sheriff Cleared

DOBSON, N.C. (AP) — A Surry County grand jury rejected allegations of misconduct against Sheriff W.R. "Bill" Hall Monday and said it would not indict him and did not want any further investigation.

Hall had been accused of using county jail inmates to work at his home and a family farm and of releasing the inmates early.

Lottery

RALEIGH (AP) — A state lottery could be the key to funding some of North Carolina's most pressing needs — from schools to water-sewer systems to roads, says a sponsor of a new Senate lottery bill.

"We're talking about something that would improve the infrastructure of the state ... that will help education, economic development," said Sen. Bill Martin, D-Guilford, whose bill was to be introduced today. "It is my opinion that we are going to have a lottery sometime, and the only question is when."

The Senate rejected lottery bills by one-vote margins in 1983 and 1985. Martin said Monday that prospects appeared brighter this year, although he has yet to poll his colleagues.

Wilderness

ASHEVILLE (AP) — Sen. Terry Sanford, D-N.C., and Rep. Jamie Clarke, D-Tenn., announced Monday they will sponsor bills to make most of Great Smoky Mountains National Park a permanent wilderness area.

Clarke and Sanford said at a joint press conference in Asheville Monday they would introduce bills in the House and Senate today that would end any federal obligation to build a road to give access to about 15 cemeteries in the north shore area and designate 90 percent of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park as wilderness.

Swain County would receive \$9.5 million in cash as part of the settlement, and the bill would direct the Farmers' Home Administration to forgive the county's remaining payments on an FmHA debt the county made in 1976 to build a new Swain County High School.

The payments, which are \$130,500 annually, run until 2008.

Indictment

STATESVILLE, N.C. (AP) — A former instructor at Mitchell Community College has been indicted by the Iredell County Grand Jury on charges that she defrauded the college by billing it for classes that she never taught.

Laura Cross Manor, 37, of Mooresville was charged Monday with 15 counts of obtaining property by false pretenses, one count of forgery and one count of embezzlement.

The indictments charged that Miss Manor, a part-time teacher in the college's Division of Continuing Education, billed the school \$18,084 from Sept. 15, 1985, to Sept. 25, 1986, for classes that almost never were held. She billed the college for 1,884 hours for a course called "Efficient Quantity Food Production" but taught only 10 hours of it, according to the indictments.

Senate OKs Limit In State Prisons

RALEIGH (AP) — A proposed ceiling of 18,000 inmates for North Carolina's prison system is a step away from enactment, but a Senate amendment dealing with drunken drivers might cause a delay.

The Senate approved the bill 46-0 Monday and returned it to the House, which passed it Feb. 26.

Rep. Anje Barnes, D-Orange, the

bill's sponsor, said she had not decided whether to recommend that the House accept the Senate amendment. If the House demurs, a joint conference committee might be appointed to seek a compromise.

The bill, coupled with an emergency prison construction package that raced through the Legislature last week, is designed to persuade federal

officials not to seize control of the overcrowded state prison system.

"This is an absolutely necessary bill and it will possibly save us several million dollars," Sen. Bob Swain, D-Buncombe, said. "And it might be the very one thing that would cause the federal courts to rule in our favor when these cases come up against North Carolina in April."

Sen. David Parnell, D-Robeson, co-chairman of a special legislative panel that crafted the bill, called it "not the popular thing that any of us wanted to do, but rather a thing that we felt like was necessary to do."

If federal officials take control of the system, they probably would impose an even lower inmate population ceiling.

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'Serious Changes Taking Place'

Scientists Call For Immediate Steps To Save Earth's Protective Ozone

By DAVID GOELLER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Scientists are warning Congress that although there is no scientific certainty that chemicals are destroying the Earth's vital ozone layer, there is far too much at risk to wait for absolute proof.

"We have to take action sometime

soon," said Dr. Donald Heath of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's Goddard Space Flight Center. "The problem is, there are serious changes taking place we don't understand."

Dr. Robert T. Watson, another NASA scientist, said "prudence" should dictate worldwide controls on the suspect chemicals, chlorofluorocarbons.

"Even in the face of scientific uncertainty, now is the time to act," Watson said Monday as the House Energy and Commerce health and environment subcommittee held a hearing on depletion of stratospheric ozone.

Ozone is a natural screen for the sun's ultraviolet rays, which doctors say are the principal cause of skin cancer in humans. Scientists say the ozone layer is thinning and suspect that chlorofluorocarbons are the culprit.

These chemicals, first theorized as ozone-destroyers in 1974, are in increasing use around the world as aerosol spray propellants, refrigerants and industrial solvents and in some foam packaging materials.

The United States banned them in spray cans about 10 years ago, but only Canada and Sweden have followed suit. The Reagan administration is pushing international negotiations aimed at a 95 percent cut worldwide in chlorofluorocarbon production levels in 10 to 15 years.

The scientists say prompt action is necessary because some chlorofluorocarbons retain their destructive properties for decades and that even an immediate halt to their use would not prevent future ozone loss.

As chlorofluorocarbons use has been growing, there has been a rapid surge in skin cancer cases in the United States, with all forms

reaching near-epidemic rates and the most serious, often fatal type, malignant melanoma, rising eightfold in the last seven years, according to Dr. Darrel Rigel.

"At the current rate, about one in seven Americans will develop (some form of) this disease during their lifetime," Rigel, a research physician from New York University Medical Center, told the hearing.

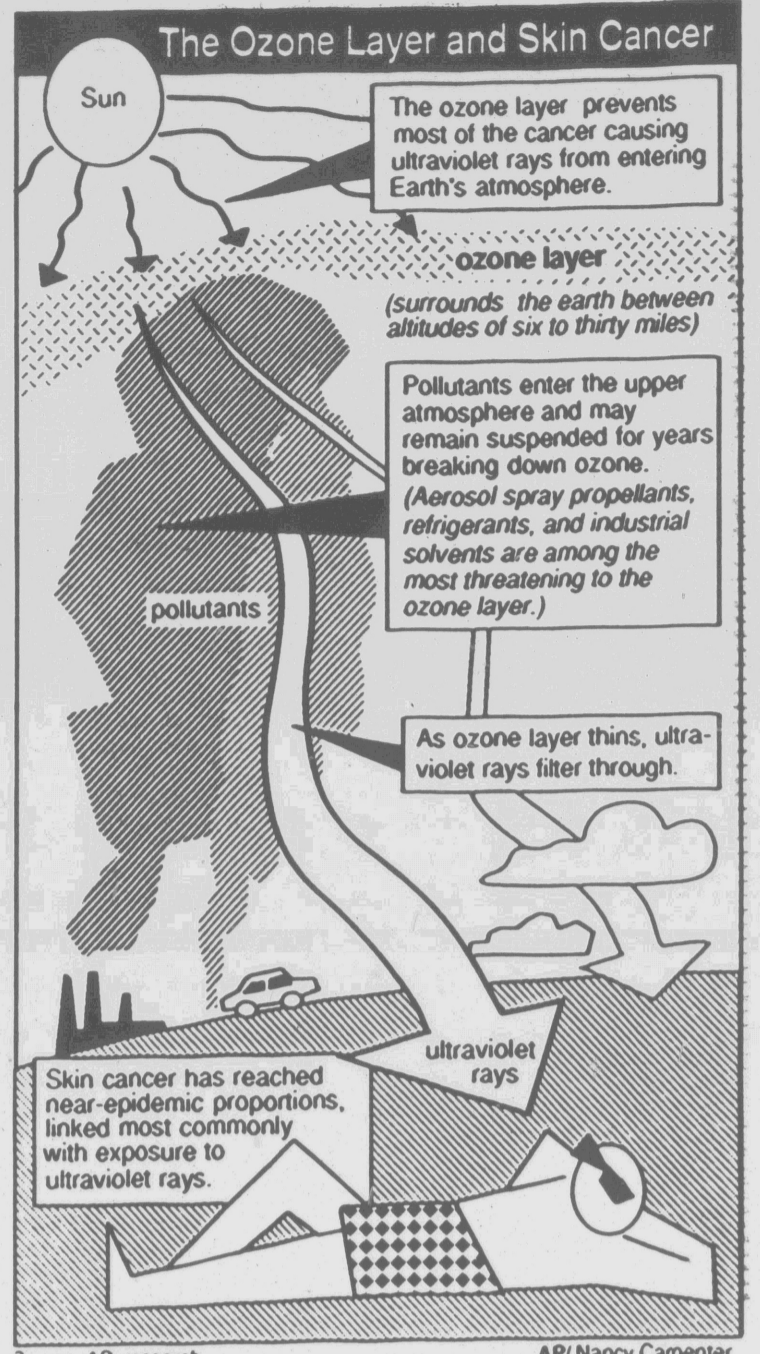
He said that although many factors have been linked to skin cancer, "the generally accepted most important factor is exposure to ultraviolet light. ... One would expect skin cancer rates to increase as the ozone thins."

And that, the other scientists say, is exactly what is happening, not only in the much-publicized "ozone hole" that appears several months a year over the Antarctic but to a lesser extent in warmer latitudes.

Heath said that in the 1978-86 period, scientists recording a reduction in stratospheric ozone ranging from 4.4 percent to 7.4 percent in non-polar areas.

"There's no question in my mind that (ozone) decreases in the mid-latitudes are real," said Heath, suggesting that these could be linked to the more dramatic seasonal decreases seen at the South Pole.

"I believe that the observed long-term changes in stratospheric ozone do indicate a potentially serious problem based on predicted consequences to the biosphere," he said.



Source: AP research

AP/Nancy Carpenter

Ironclad's Wreck Probably Will Stay On Floor Of Ocean

By JEAN McNAIR
Associated Press Writer

NEWPORT NEWS (AP) — The wreck of the Civil War ironclad Monitor will remain on the Atlantic Ocean floor unless it can be raised without being damaged, a National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration official says.

"Our first rule is do no harm to the resource," Dr. Nancy Foster, NOAA's director of protected species and habitat conservation, said Monday on the 125th anniversary of the battle between the Monitor and the Confederate ironclad Merrimack.

"We believe very strongly that it would be better for us to leave the Monitor as it is, protected in a marine sanctuary, and let some future generation deal with it than it would be for us to risk possible destruction by some misconceived or poorly thought-out recovery plan," she said.

In a ceremony at the Mariners' Museum, Ms. Foster dedicated the Monitor wreck 16 miles off Cape Hatteras, N.C., as the first shipwreck to become a National Historic Landmark.

NOAA oversees a national marine sanctuary around the site and last month picked the museum to house more than 100 artifacts recovered from the wreck.

The museum already has received the Monitor's 1,300-pound anchor and a lantern.

If the Monitor is raised, it may not end up at the museum, said Edward M. Miller, NOAA's director of the Monitor project.

Miller said no decision will be made on raising the wreck until NOAA researchers take more photographs and test the Monitor for corrosion. Moving and conserving the wreck could cost \$40 million, he said.

In May, a Navy research vessel and an NOAA ship will go to the Monitor site to photograph the wreck using a camera-equipped robot.

"We're laying the groundwork for a very orderly, scientific exploration of the wreck," Miller said.

The Monitor sank in a storm in December 1862 and divers from Duke University found its wreckage in 1973.

The ironclad's March 9, 1862 battle with the Merrimack, which had been renamed CSS Virginia, began modern naval warfare by making wooden warships obsolete. The two ironclads battled to a draw in Hampton Roads, and less than a year later, the Merrimack was scuttled to keep it from becoming captured by Union troops.

NOAA selected the Mariners' Museum to house the Monitor artifacts over applicants from New York City, North Carolina and Portsmouth, but Ms. Foster said those museums will participate in interpreting the objects.

"The Monitor is a national treasure," she said. "It doesn't belong to any one museum."

NASA Says Supercomputer Marks Era Rivaling Wright Brothers' Flight

By STEVE WILSTEIN
Associated Press Writer

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Calif. (AP) — NASA has dedicated a giant supercomputer system that space agency officials say will help bring in a new

era in aviation that rivals the Wright Brothers' first flight.

"This is an historic day in aviation," NASA Administrator James C. Fletcher said Monday, the day the computer was dedicated. The super-

computer will help ensure U.S. leadership in aeronautics, he said.

The Numerical Aerodynamic Simulator, which NASA scientists called the world's most advanced computer, is an evolving system capable of making 250 million calculations per second and holding a memory of 256 million words.

The system, which cost nearly \$100 million to develop, will be upgraded to one billion computations per second by next year and four billion per second within a decade.

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration introduced the system with great fanfare, inviting 2,500 officials and dignitaries from around the country, setting up a national television conference, holding an "electronic ribbon-cutting" and throwing a bash complete with a Navy band.

The hoopla was designed in part to

boost NASA's image after a year of failures that included the Challenger space shuttle disaster.

"Yes, it does feel like we've taken quite a beating," said Raymond S. Colladay, NASA's associate administrator for Aeronautics and Space Technology. "The dedication of this tremendous complex is a further indication to people that NASA is back on track."

Colladay said the broad uses of the system in aerospace design, physics, chemistry, weather modeling and biology will "show people that they're getting their money's worth."

He added there's no direct connection between President Reagan's strategic defense plans known as Star Wars and the supercomputer, although some work on the system will be classified and defense-related.



SUPERCOMPUTER — William F. Ballhaus Jr., director of Ames Research Center in California, stands with the Cray-2 supercomputer. The Cray-2 is part of NASA's new computer system which it says marks the start of an era that will rival the Wright Brothers' flight. (AP Laserphoto)

Chauffeur Charged

NEW YORK (AP) — The chauffeur for the Norwegian ambassador to the United Nations sold cocaine by the pound from the ambassador's Lincoln Continental, according to federal authorities.

Rolando A. Vicerra, 35, of Queens, was arrested Monday afternoon as he drove in midtown Manhattan, allegedly to deliver a pound of cocaine to undercover agents, officials said.

Vicerra, a Filipino living legally in the United States, and two other Queens men in the car were arrested, said Robert Strang, spokesman for the Drug Enforcement Administration.

The car has diplomatic license plates but none of the men has diplomatic immunity, Strang said.

Ambassador Tom Vraalsen, his staff and the Norwegian government were not involved, he said. The arrest took place around the corner from the Norwegian mission to the U.N., about half a mile from the U.N. headquarters.

During a six-month undercover operation, Vicerra tried to get undercover buyers to come onto the grounds of the United Nations, apparently to evade police scrutiny, Strang said, but the agents refused.

Investigators believe Vicerra did most of his alleged dealing from the car, he said.

"The bottom line is that when he wasn't driving the ambassador he was doing these other activities," Strang said. "We know that they've been dealing in multi-pounds, dealing in pound quantities on a weekly basis."

Mortgage Rates Hit 9-Year Low

WASHINGTON (AP) — Home mortgage rates fell to their lowest level in nearly nine years last month, with 15-year fixed-rate mortgages available at an average of 9.54 percent, the government says.

The Federal Home Loan Bank Board, in a monthly report, said Monday the average rate slid from 9.84 percent in January and was well below the 11.36 percent of February 1986.

Adjustable rate mortgages with a capped interest rate were available at an average rate of 8.50 percent, the bank board said, down from 8.66 percent in January and from 10.05 percent in February 1986.

The rates are for loans on new homes in which the mortgage covers 75 percent of the purchase price. They show the effective interest rate, which includes any fees or points that lenders tack on to the quoted rate.

The bank board, which supervises the savings and loan industry, said the average rate for all loans closed by major lenders fell to 9.26 percent in early February, the lowest rate since March 1978.

Besides paying lower rates, consumers also are taking out mortgages of longer duration, the board said. The average for all loans closed

equalled 26.9 years in early February, up from 26.3 years in January.

And only 27 percent of home loan borrowers are choosing an adjustable rate mortgage, in which the interest rate can rise with changes in the market rate. In 1984, when fixed-rate mortgages peaked at 15.24 percent, about 68 percent of all mortgages written carried adjustable rate schedules.

Vatican Condemns Surrogate Births

By SAMUEL KOO
Associated Press Writer

VATICAN CITY (AP) — The Vatican today condemned all forms of test-tube births, surrogate motherhood and experimentation on living embryos, declaring that the human body cannot be treated as a "mere complex of tissues and organs."

The church also rejected as morally illicit cloning, attempts to fashion animal-human hybrids, freezing of embryos and the planting of human embryos in artificial and animal uteruses.

The Vatican position was contained in a 40-page document approved by Pope John Paul II and written by the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith, the Vatican's guardian and promoter of Roman Catholic orthodoxy.

It is titled "Instruction on Respect for Human Life in its Origin and on the Dignity of Procreation — Replies to Certain Questions of the Day."

Vatican officials, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said any Roman Catholic who "willingly and knowingly" violates the directives will be committing sin.

The document denounces fertilization through third parties such as doctors and biologists, which it said "establishes the domination of technology over the origin and destiny of the human person."

However, it says at one point that if technical means facilitate fertilization, it can be morally acceptable. It does not elaborate. Italian experts said they interpreted this as the church's sanction of using sperm gathered after a sexual act to inject into the uterus during the woman's fertile period.

The church, the report says, cannot ignore the "legitimate aspirations of sterile couples" to have a child.

The document urges government authorities and legislators to be watchful of new biomedical techniques because "an uncontrolled application of such techniques could lead to unforeseeable and damaging consequences for civil society."

It specifically calls on governments to outlaw sperm and embryo banking and surrogate motherhood, saying such techniques could lead to "a system of radical eugenics," or the attempt to improve the human species through the control of hereditary factors in mating.

According to the document, sur-

rogate motherhood "offends the dignity of the right of the child to be conceived, carried in the womb, brought into the world and brought up by his own parents."

The document says the church is against all forms of test-tube births because it is "immoral to produce human embryos destined to be exploited as disposable biological material."

"By virtue of its substantial union with a spiritual soul, the human body cannot be considered as a mere complex of tissues, organs and functions, nor can it be evaluated in the same way as the body of animals," the document says.

"Every child which comes into the world must in any case be accepted as a living gift of the divine Goodness and must be brought up with love," it says. But Vatican officials stressed this should not be interpreted as the church's retroactive approval of a morally illicit means used for the child's birth.

The document says prenatal diagnosis is permissible if the methods used safeguard the life and integrity of the embryo and the mother.

"But this diagnosis is gravely opposed to the moral law when it is done with the thought of possibly inducing an abortion depending upon the results," it adds.

Central to the Vatican's reasoning are two principles espoused by the church — that the life of every human being must be respected from the moment of conception, and that the only acceptable way to give birth to a child is through natural sexual acts between married spouses.

According to the document, a new life begins from the time the ovum is fertilized, and the embryo must be treated as a person. Likewise, it says, the "corpses" of human embryos and fetuses must be respected just as the remains of other human beings and not be subjected to mutilation.

It says any medical treatment or surgery on a fetus, even using experimental drugs and methods, can be acceptable only if the objective is the healing of maladies such as those stemming from chromosome defects.

The document was put together over several years with the help of scientists, theologians and church officials, the Vatican said.

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What Is Indoor Parking Term?

Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I quote: "Experienced thieves can get into locked cars easily — even in a parking lot or an indoor multilevel parking facility." That's from a recent column of yours.

This is true, but what in the world is an "indoor multilevel parking facility"? Maybe I'm just a Hoosier hick (and no, that's not redundant), but around here we call 'em "parking garages."

"Indoor multilevel parking facility" sounds more like Uncle Sam than Dear Abby — were you quoting a government publication, by chance? In any case, it belongs in the same wastebasket as "irregardless," "true facts" and "priorities." — **STANLEY MILLER, INDIANAPOLIS**

DEAR MR. MILLER: Where were you when I needed you? Too bad you weren't in my office when I asked my staff what to call an indoor parking facility consisting of many floors of parking spaces and a ramp. We agreed that "indoor multilevel parking facility" described it perfectly.

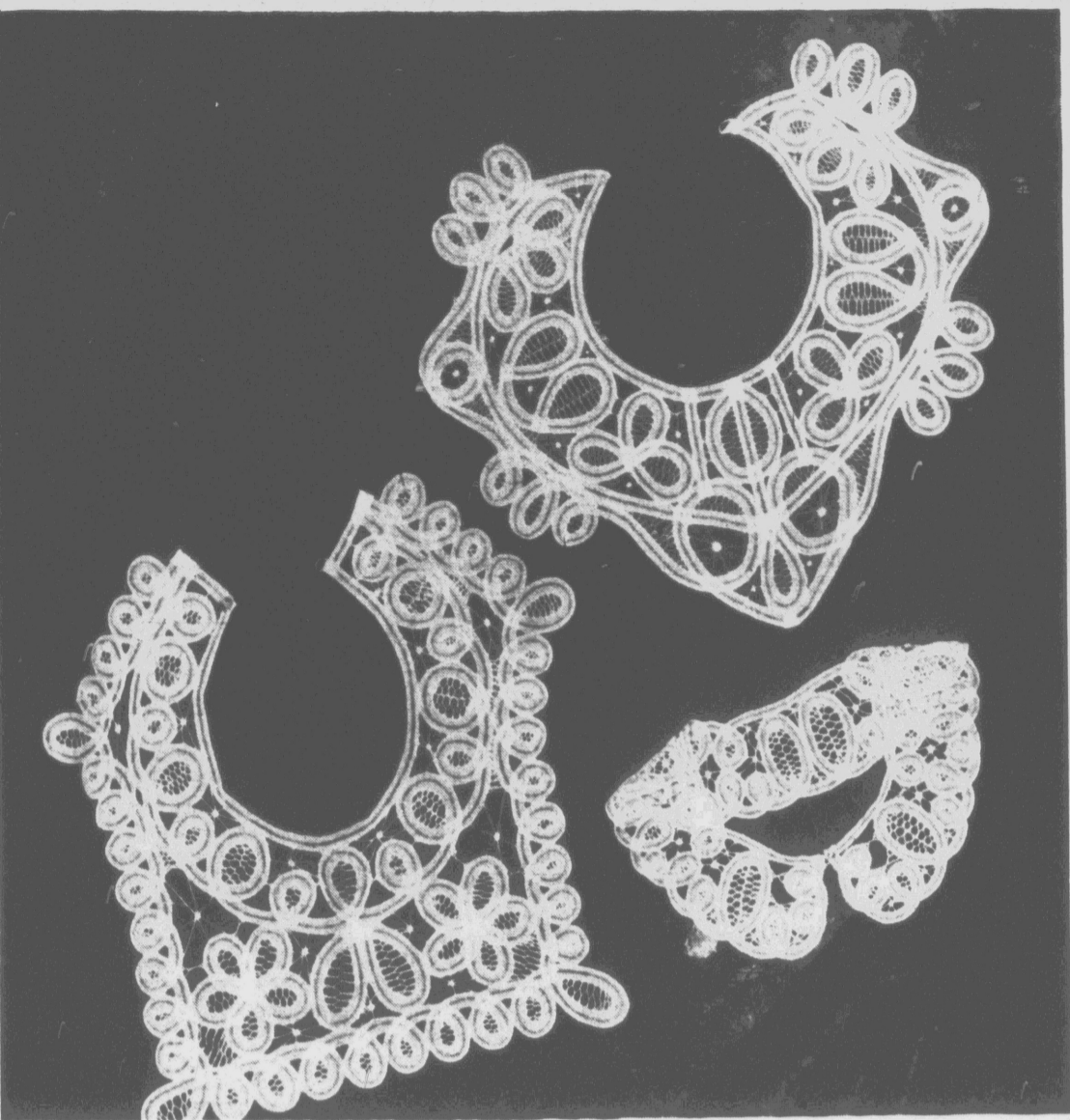
to go.) I have no symptoms, and I'm very healthy, but I've heard that the incubation period for AIDS is from five to 10 years. My husband doesn't know I had sex with this other guy, and I just can't bring myself to tell him the truth.

Please put my mind at ease, Abby. All the stuff I read and hear about AIDS has me freaked out! Please help me. — **WORRIED SICK**

DEAR WORRIED: You are wise to be concerned. Having sex without a condom with someone you don't know very well puts you at risk for AIDS because not only did you have sex with HIM, but you have, in essence, had sex with everyone he has had sex with for the last five to 10 years.

To quote Dr. Mervyn Silverman, president of the American Foundation for AIDS Research: "You SHOULD get a blood test to determine whether you have been infected by the AIDS virus. Unfortunately, people can carry the virus and spread it without knowing they are infected."

Call your local operator and ask if there is an AIDS hotline. If there is, call and discuss your concerns, and ask where you can be tested. Your local Department of Public Health can also tell you where to go for confidential testing.



BATTENBERG LACE — Historically the lace served as advertisement of wealth, status or class. Lucille Sumrell is teaching a class in the lace making in Greenville.

Battenberg Lace Was Once A Status Symbol

By ROSALIE TROTMAN
Reflector Lifestyle Editor

The creation of Battenberg lace is one of today's most popular lace techniques. Historically it served as advertisement of wealth, status or class.

"Battenberg lace is a needle lace technique which uses a pre-made tape to create the basic linear elements of the design. The tape or lace is then joined to itself and supported by needle-made infilling in a wide variety of patterns," said Lucille Sumrell.

Mrs. Sumrell is arts and crafts supervisor for the Greenville Recreation and Parks Department.

"The technique first appeared in the 17th century and was called 'mezzo punto' and used handmade bobbin lace tapes. Resurfacing in the

late 19th century (when it was called Branscomb Point, Renaissance lace, Milan lace, or princess lace). It was also called Battenberg or Brussel's lace for Queen Victoria's daughter, Dutchess of Battenburg," said Mrs. Sumrell.

"The lace incorporated the machine made tapes then available; though handmade tapes of crochet, tatting and bobbin lace continued to be used," she said.

Approximately 20 years ago, an attempt was made to revive the art by substituting more elaborate braid and bindings made by machine.

"To create the unique scrollwork effect, braided tape or lace is looped and swirled into desired patterns, then fastened together with ornamental embroidery stitches. Battenberg lace collars are easier to

make then they look. The lace is made on the pattern to produce dramatic results by shaping the lace, basting, tacking and filling in with an embroidery stitch," said Mrs. Sumrell.

"It's always interesting reviving a craft of the past. Battenberg lace is beautiful work and it something we can do to pass along to our children. Tablecloths, runners, napkins and dollies have surfaced from local students made by their grandmothers and great-grandmothers — now they are inherited keepsakes. It's interesting comparing tapes, threads and designs used — then and now," she said.

Mrs. Sumrell will teach a new class in the lace making starting March 18 at 9 a.m. in the Community Building.

Gala Honors State President



KAY DAUGHTRY

The Democratic Women of Pitt County entertained Kay Daughtry, state president of Democratic Women, at a reception Sunday afternoon.

The gala was held at Rountree-Suggs Homeplace.

Ms. Daughtry, currently a communications assistant with the N.C. Department of Public Instruction, served as administrative assistant and page coordinator to Gov. Jim Hunt. She has held numerous local and state offices in the N.C. Democratic Party, including secretary of the state party and a member

of the state Democratic Executive Committee.

Among the 150 guests attending were Rep. Walter B. Jones, D-NC, and Bill Hodges, 1st District Democratic Party chairman. Other elected officials present were State Sens. Tom Taft and Bob Martin, State Rep. Walter B. Jones Jr. and Tom Johnson, Pitt County commissioner.

Hostesses included Janice Faulkner and hospitality chairpersons were Jo Ball and Eloise McCain.

The Democratic Women of Pitt County are currently conducting their annual membership campaign according to president Betsy Leech. The group's next event is scheduled for May 11 when James Van Hecke, chairman of the Democratic Party of N.C., will be featured speaker.

Birth

McCray
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray McCray, Bethel, a son, Cameron Ramone, on Feb. 26, 1987, in Pitt County Memorial Hospital.

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At Wits End
Erma Bombeck

Someone interviewed me recently and wanted to know if I saved ideas so that I could be assured of at least one strong column a week.

I don't save anything. My pockets are empty at the end of a week. So is my refrigerator. So is my gas tank. So is my file of "ideas." I trot out the best I've got, and come the next week, I bargain, whimper, make promises, cower and throw myself on the mercy of the Almighty for just "three more columns" in exchange for cleaning my oven.

I didn't get to this point overnight. I

came from a family of savers who were sired by poverty, raised in the Depression and worshipped at the altar of self-denial.

Throughout the years, I've seen a fair number of my family who have died leaving candles that have never been lit, appliances that never got out of the box, wines that were being saved for "something special" and new sofas shrouded in chenille bedspreads.

It gets to be a habit. After a while, you have dreams that you hide away for the days when you have "time." You have nice compliments to say to people that you put aside until the "right moment." You squirrel away plans to take a trip when all of you can "get away." You have old grudges that you are going to settle when you "get around to it."

I had a relative who, for years, entertained in her basement. I once described the decor as "Early Hot Water Heater." We sat on glider swings and drank from plastic as we surveyed the room around us: a workbench, outdoor tables, mismatched lamps and stationary tubs. Upstairs was a perfectly beautiful living room that was misnamed.

I used to call her and say, "Let's go to lunch today! We'll eat something fattening and talk about everyone who isn't there." She always hesitated and said, "Let's plan it. We'll have all week to look forward to it." Usually by the time it rolled around, one of us couldn't go.

I have learned that silverware tarnishes when it isn't used ... perfume turns to alcohol and never smells as sweet as when it is used ... candles melt in the attic over the summer ... plastic left on lamp shades to keep off the dust makes them wrinkle ... and ideas that are saved for a "dry week" often become dated.

I always had a dream that when I am asked to give an accounting of my life to a higher court, it will go thusly, "So, empty your pockets. What have you got left of your life? Any dreams that were unfulfilled? Any unused talent that we gave you when you were born that you still have left? Any unsaid compliments or bits of love that you haven't spread around?"

And I will answer, "I've nothing to return. I spent everything you gave me. I'm as naked as the day I was born."

Meeting Place

- TUESDAY**
- 6:30 p.m. — Down East Chapter of Painting and Decorating Contractors of America meet at Three Steers
 - 6:30 p.m. — Greenville Kiwanis Club meets at Riverside Steak Bar
 - 7:30 p.m. — Pitt County Chapter of Mothers Against Drunk Driving will meet in the Greenville Police Department, second floor conference room
 - 7:30 p.m. — Toughlove Parents Support Group meets at St. Paul's Episcopal Church
 - 7:30 p.m. — REACH meets at Pitt County Mental Health Center
 - 8:00 p.m. — Withia Council, Degree of Pocahontas, meets at Rotary Club
 - 8:00 p.m. — Pitt Co. Alcoholics Anonymous meets at AA Building, Farmville Highway
 - 8:00 p.m. — Pitt Co. Al-Anon family group meets at St. James United Methodist Church. Call 758-1491 or 825-1982
 - 8:00 p.m. — Surrender to Win Group of Narcotics Anonymous has open discussion at St. Paul's Episcopal Church
- WEDNESDAY**
- 9:30 a.m. — Duplicate bridge meets at Senior Center
 - 10:00 a.m. — Pitt Golden K Kiwanis Club meets at Greenville Country Club
 - 12 Noon — Overeaters Anonymous meets at Walter B. Jones Rehabilitation Center
 - 1:30 p.m. — Duplicate bridge meets at Senior Center
 - 4:00 p.m. — We Care Alanon meets in conference room B, Gaskins Leslie Building, Pitt County Memorial Hospital
 - 6:30 p.m. — REWAL Crisis Intervention Center meets

- 7:00 p.m. — Greenville/Pitt County Youth Council meets at the Greenville Recreation and Parks Department, Cedar Lane.
- 7:00 p.m. — Greenville Toastmasters meet at Western Sizzlin. Dinner at 6 p.m.
- 8:00 p.m. — Greenville White Shrine meets at Masonic Temple
- John Ivey Smith Council No. 6600, Knights of Columbus, meets at St. Peter's Catholic Church
- 8:00 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous mid-week open meeting meets at St. Paul's Episcopal Church
- 8 p.m. — New Beginning Womens Alcohol Anonymous meets at Saint Paul's Episcopal Church.

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Stock And Market Reports

By The Associated Press
HOGS: Trend is 25 cents to 50 cents higher at N.C. buying stations. Kinston, Spivey's Corner, Murfreesboro, Siler City and Robersonville, 46.50; Clinton, Fayetteville, Dunn, Pink Hill, Pine Level, Chadbourne, Ayden, Laurinburg and Benson 46.25; Wilson 46.50; Rowland 46.00. Sows: (500 pounds up) Fayetteville 40.00; Wallace 40.00; Spivey's Corner 41.00; Rowland 41.50.

BROILERS: The North Carolina fob dock quoted price on broilers for this week's trading was 45.75 cents, based on full truck load lots of ice pack USDA Grade A sized 2 1/2 to 3 pounds birds. The final weighted average was 46.10 cents fob dock or equivalent. The market tone for next week's trading is mostly steady and the live supply is adequate for a moderate demand. Average weights desirable to heavy. Estimated slaughter of broilers and fryers in North Carolina Tuesday was 1,945,000, compared to 1,898,000 last Tuesday.

HENS: Price sharply lower. Supply fully adequate for a moderate demand. Prices paid per pound for hens over seven pounds at farm for Monday and Tuesday was 13 cents with a few at 14 cents.

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market edged lower in early trading today, extending some of the losses posted in the previous session.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks slipped 7.87 to 2,252.25 in the first half hour of trading.

Losers outnumbered gainers slightly in the overall tally of New York Stock Exchange-listed issues, with 517 up, 566 down and 474 unchanged.

Volume on the Big Board came to 24.72 million shares as of 10 a.m. on Wall Street.

NEW YORK (AP) — Midday stocks:

High	Low	Last
AMR Corp	57 1/4	57 3/4
Abbott Lab	61 3/4	61 3/4
Allis Chalm	2 1/4	2 1/4
Alcoa	43 3/4	43 3/4
Am Brands	49 1/4	48 3/4
Amer Can	98 1/4	98 1/4
Am Cyan	95	94 1/4
Ameritech	88 3/4	88 1/4
Am Int'l	78 1/4	77 3/4
Am Motors	4 1/4	4 1/4
Am Stand	46 1/4	46 1/4
Amer T&T	23 1/4	23 1/4
Amoco	75	74 1/4
Bell Atl	71	70 1/4
Bell South	40 1/4	39 3/4
Beth Steel	7	6 3/4
Boeing	51 3/4	51 1/4
Boise Casel	80 1/4	80 1/4
Borden's	57 1/4	56 3/4
Burling Ind	49	48 3/4
CSX Cp	33 3/4	33 1/4
Croft-PeLi	39 1/4	39 1/4
Champ Int	39	38 3/4
Chevron	51 1/4	50 3/4
Chrysler	55 1/4	54 1/4
Coca Cola	45 1/4	44 3/4
Colg Palm	47 1/4	46 3/4
Comw Edis	37	36 3/4
ConAgra	33 1/4	32 3/4
Delta Air	62 1/4	62 1/4
Dow Chem	80 1/4	80 1/4
duPont	105	104 1/4
Duke Pow	47 1/4	47
EastKodak	76 1/4	76 1/4
Easton Cp	83 1/4	83 1/4

Exxon	81 1/4	80 3/4	81 1/4
FPL Grp	32	31 3/4	31 3/4
Firestone	35 1/4	35 1/4	35 1/4
FullWachov	45 1/4	45 1/4	45 1/4
FiaProgress	39 1/4	39 1/4	39 1/4
FormDmt	82	81 1/4	81 1/4
Fugro	35 1/4	34 3/4	35 1/4
Gen Corp	40 1/4	40 1/4	40 1/4
GenCorp	83 1/4	82 3/4	83
GenDynam	77 1/4	77 1/4	77 1/4
GenElec	107 1/4	106 1/2	107 1/4
GenHills	51 1/4	51 1/4	51 1/4
Gen Motors	78 1/4	76 1/4	78 1/4
GenMtr E	39 1/4	38 3/4	39 1/4
GenPart	52 1/4	51 1/4	52 1/4
GenPack	51 1/4	50 3/4	51 1/4
Goodrich	57 1/4	56 1/4	57 1/4
Goodyear	54 1/4	53 1/4	54
Grace Co	56	55 1/4	56
GIN Drivk	80 1/4	80 1/4	80 1/4
Greyhound	35 1/4	35 1/4	35 1/4
HerculesInc	59	58 1/4	59
Honeywell	70	69 1/4	70
Hox	35 1/4	35 1/4	35 1/4
ITT Corp	64 1/4	63 1/4	64 1/4
Ing Rand	80 1/4	80 1/4	80 1/4
IBM	141 1/4	138 1/4	141 1/4
Int'l Paper	97 1/4	96 1/4	97 1/4
Int'l Rect	9 1/4	9 1/4	9 1/4
JamesRvr	40 1/4	40 1/4	40 1/4
K mar	60 1/4	59 1/4	60 1/4
KaiserAlum	17 1/4	17 1/4	17 1/4
KaneSvcs	2 1/4	2 1/4	2 1/4
Kroger	34 1/4	34 1/4	34 1/4
Lockheed	50 1/4	50 1/4	50 1/4
Loews Cp	75 1/4	75 1/4	75 1/4
McDermint	30 1/4	29 3/4	30 1/4
McKesson	35 1/4	35 1/4	35 1/4
Mead Corp	70	69 1/4	70
Mercantl	108 1/4	108 1/4	108 1/4
MimMIM	125 1/4	124 1/4	125 1/4
Mobil	43 1/4	43 1/4	43 1/4
Monsanto	76 1/4	75 1/4	76 1/4
NCNB Cp	25 1/4	25 1/4	25 1/4
Norfolk	60 1/4	59 1/4	60 1/4
Navistar	7 1/4	7 1/4	7 1/4
NorfolkSou	96 1/4	95 3/4	96 1/4
NCNB Swi	32 1/4	32 1/4	32 1/4
Hox	67 1/4	67 1/4	67 1/4
Olin Cp	48	47 1/4	48
Owenill	60 1/4	60 1/4	60 1/4
FacTel	56 1/4	56 1/4	56 1/4
FacTelcs wi	28 1/4	28 1/4	28 1/4
Penney JC	95 1/4	94 1/4	95 1/4
PepsiCo	34 1/4	33 3/4	34 1/4
PhelpsDd	29 1/4	28 3/4	29 1/4
PhillipMor	85 1/4	84 3/4	85 1/4
PhillipPet	13 1/4	13 1/4	13 1/4
Polaroid	75 1/4	75 1/4	75 1/4
ProctGamb	91 1/4	90 3/4	91 1/4
QuakerBats	49 1/4	49 1/4	49 1/4
RJR Nab	59 1/4	59 1/4	59 1/4
Ralstn Pur	81	80 1/4	81
Rockwell	53	52 1/4	53
Scott Paper	79 1/4	78 3/4	79 1/4
SealedPwr	34 1/4	34 1/4	34 1/4
SearsRoeb	52	51 1/4	52
Shaltree	23 1/4	23 1/4	23 1/4
Sylvania Cp	16 1/4	16 1/4	16 1/4
Sony Corp	21 1/4	21 1/4	21 1/4
Southern Co	26 1/4	26 1/4	26 1/4
SwtBell	115 1/4	115 1/4	115 1/4
Systel	58 1/4	58 1/4	58 1/4
Stevens JP	41	40 1/4	41
TRW Inc	100	99 1/4	100
Texaco Inc	34 1/4	34 1/4	34 1/4
Travelers	34 1/4	34 1/4	34 1/4
USX Corp	24 1/4	24 1/4	24 1/4
UnCamp	68	66 1/4	68
UnCarbide	27	26 1/4	27
Unicom s	55 1/4	55 1/4	55 1/4
Unicom	32 1/4	31 1/4	32 1/4
WallMart	58 1/4	57 1/4	58 1/4
WestPipPp	64 1/4	63 3/4	64 1/4
WrightEL	64 1/4	64 1/4	64 1/4
Weyerhae	55 1/4	55 1/4	55 1/4
WinnDix	46 1/4	46 1/4	46 1/4
Woodworth	47 1/4	46 3/4	47 1/4
Wrigley	50 1/4	49 3/4	50 1/4
Xerox Cp	72 1/4	72 1/4	72 1/4

Following are selected stock quotations as of 11:00 a.m.:

Asphalt Oil	65 3/4
Unisys	101 1/4
Comer Homes	61 1/4
Flowers Inds	26 1/4
Hatteras Inc. Securities	20 1/4
Hilton Hotel Corp	82 1/4
Jefferson Pilot	34 3/4
John Deere	28 1/4
Lowe's Company	31 1/4
Interstate Securities	12 1/4
Wickes	37 1/4
Piedmont Aviation	67 1/4
Southmark Corporation	9 1/4
United Telecommunications	29 1/4
Dominion Resources	44 1/4
Piedmont Natural Gas	23

OVER THE COUNTER

Branch Bank	38 1/4 to 39 1/4
Planters National Bank	26 to 26 1/2
Vermont American	21 1/4 to 21 3/4
Chemlawn	30 1/4 to 31
Southern National Bank	25 1/4 to 26 1/2
Peoples Bank	14 1/4 to 15
North Carolina Natural Gas	38 to 39 1/2
Cooper LaserSonics	2 to 2 1/16
Farm Fresh	16 1/4 to 16 1/2

Schools To Use Systemwide Plan For Designating Quality Points

By JANE WELBORN
Reflector Staff Writer
 The Pitt County Board of Education approved a policy Monday to provide systemwide consistency in assigning quality points to courses and establishing honors courses.

The board approved the recommended changes with the understanding that no school in the future will have less honors, college preparatory, general and basic courses than previously provided in the 1987-1988 school year.

In the past, the quality points awarded by the Greenville city schools and the Pitt County schools were not the same. The policy provides for a student earning an A in an honors level course to receive five quality points. Four quality points will be assigned to an A in college preparatory, general level and basic level courses. Class rank will be determined using quality points.

The policy eliminates contracting to encourage more students to take honors courses. The policy would

eliminate the necessity of some teachers to teach two levels and possibly three levels in the same class at the same time.

Under the policy, honors courses will be established where they do not exist at the present time. Honors courses will be taught in English, mathematics, science and social studies.

Changes in admissions and gate receipts policy and procedure were adopted by the board. The changes upgrade internal controls at the individual school level, based on recommendations in an audit report. An appointed treasurer will handle special funds such as admissions, concessions and gate receipts and keep a complete record of the money.

New fund-raising policy and procedures approved by the board also were suggested in the audit report and protect individual school principals. The tighter controls give the principal control over the fundraising activities as the only individual within the school who can grant approval of a fund-raising activity.

Lapel Pins

RALEIGH (AP) — A visitor to the 1987 General Assembly need look no further than a legislator's lapel to discover where his loyalties lie.

Tiny gold pinecones, small metal replicas of the Legislative Building and miniature state flags are among the lapel pins used to distinguish Republicans from Democrats and senators from representatives.

"They're outward manifestations of inward feelings," said Sen. Tony Rand, D-Cumberland, a leading, pin-wearing member of Lt. Gov Bob Jordan's "Pinecone Coalition."

The Legislative Building pins are worn by followers of House Speaker Lorton Ramsey, and Gov. Jim Martin's supporters pin the state flags to their suits.

"It's relatively easy to spot the top supporters of Jordan and Martin. It's almost as if, instead of carrying banners, they pin these things on their lapels to identify themselves," said Bill Holman, a lobbyist for the Sierra Club.

Correction

The names of the members of an A.G. Cox team receiving first place in the recent OM problem-solving competition were inadvertently omitted from a story in Monday's edition.

The team from Cox earned first place in Division II for poetic license. The team was composed of Leslie Wainwright, Geri Troiano, Lori Evans, Lori Waters and Meredith Perry.

Sean Memolo was a member of the A.G. Cox team that received first place in Division II for the Cro-Magnon problem.

The board presented two options for a school calendar for the 1987-1988 school year. In keeping with the board policy, the calendar recommendations will sit for 30 days and will be considered at the April meeting.

The board approved the reinstatement of R.E. Davenport of Farmville to the Pitt County College Board of Trustees. Davenport's four-year term expires June 30, 1987. He was previously appointed jointly by the Pitt County Board of Education and the Greenville City Board of Education.

The board gave approval that the architectural firms of Dudley, Shoe, and Ellenwood, PA, and James G. Hite, AIA, be employed to plan and supervise construction and renovation of board-approved capital outlay expenditures. The board authorized the administration to begin preliminary discussions about capital outlays with the architectural firms.

Information was presented to the board on the Teen Leadership Institute for Pitt County, on financial matters and on community schools and advisory council activities.

Obituaries

Bennett
WASHINGTON, N.C. — Miss Clara Elizabeth Bennett, 63, of 314 W. 15th St., Washington, died Monday at the Greenville Villa Nursing Home.

A graveside service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Oakhaven Cemetery, Edward, by the Rev. Ray Webb.

Miss Bennett is survived by three brothers, James I. Bennett of Farmville, Wilbur I. Bennett of Greenville and Thomas A. Bennett of Winston-Salem.

The family will receive friends from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. today at Paul Funeral Home, Washington.

In lieu of flowers, it is suggested that contribution be made to the American Cancer Society or to the Medical Foundation, ECU School of Medicine, Brody Building, Greenville, 27834.

Chance
Mrs. Idell Chance of near Bethel died Saturday in Norfolk General Hospital, Norfolk, Va. Arrangements will be announced by Flanagan Funeral Home.

King
SARATOGA — A funeral for Nicole Renee King will be conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Hemby Memorial Funeral Chapel in Fountain. Burial

will follow in Crestlawn Memorial Cemetery near Farmville.

Surviving are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie King of the home; a sister, Sheneta King of the home; her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Annie Lee Perkins of Saratoga; her maternal stepgrandfather, Irvin Whitley of Saratoga, and her maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Nannie Cooper of Fountain.

The body will be at the funeral home today after 5 p.m.

Shearin
ROCKY MOUNT — Mrs. Annie Ellen Shearin, 94, died Monday.

Her funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Dortches Baptist Church, Dortches, by the Rev. Garrett Hayes. Burial will be in Rocky Mount Memorial Park.

Mrs. Shearin is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Charlotte Thompson of Rocky Mount and Mrs. Anne Overby of Roanoke Rapids; one son, Howard Shearin of Greenville; three sisters, Miss Mabel Ellen and Mrs. Estelle Vick, both of Rocky Mount, and Mrs. Ruth Johnson of Tarboro; seven grandchildren, and 14 great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. today at Gay-Yost Funeral Home, Rocky Mount.

Board OKs Rule

(Continued from A-1)
 tions for each attendance area set forth in the short-term proposals were adopted as previously written.

The adopted plan calls for the schools in the Greenville attendance area to be eventually realigned into kindergarten through fifth grade, with sixth and seventh grade students attending Greenville Middle School, eighth and ninth grade students at E.B. Aycock Junior High School and 10th through 12th grade students at J.H. Rose High School.

The long-term recommendations for the J.H. Rose attendance area were adopted in principle, according to the approved plan. The plans will be reviewed at the completion of the short-term plan implementation to determine further feasibility. The long-range proposals change Greenville Middle School into a high school and call for a new high school (to replace J.H. Rose) to be constructed in the Greenville attendance area. Rose will be sold to East Carolina University.

The attendance lines for the Pitt County schools will be reviewed annually utilizing criteria such as building capacity and usage, potential for growth, cost-effectiveness, racial balance, transportation, equal education and consistent organizational pattern, according to the approved proposal.

An alternative proposal by board member Frank Grooms was defeated by a vote of 8-7. His recommendation was to fill the new elementary school to alleviate overcrowding in the Winterville attendance area and to put off any further changes in the attendance lines until December 1987 after a study by consultants at the Research Triangle Institute.

Grooms, in opposition to the grandfather clause, said, "Grandfathering is an unknown entity, impactwise ... All the projections we've got in here on racial balance mean absolutely nothing ... We don't know what the grandfather clause will do. Every year we're going to create this uncertainty."

Board member Ferrell Blount, voting against Grooms' proposal, said the board had time to consider

the proposals and that "it is the responsibility of the board to make hard decisions."

Blount said that it is time for "each citizen of Pitt County to pursue education with the same enthusiasm we have pursued bickering among ourselves."

Board member Alfreida Parker said with an unlimited grandfather clause, "We are sabotaging the entire plan." She said the board should "stop catering to one segment of the population."

"If we are going to be stable, I don't see how we can even attempt to grandfather future children," said board member Donovan Phillips.

Over 20 citizens spoke to the board in a public expression segment before the attendance line vote. The exchanges were heated and emotional and reiterated the positions of the city and county residents previously expressed at public hearings.

Several speakers mentioned the animosity that has grown between city and county residents as a result of the redrawing of attendance lines. The defensiveness was evident at the meeting, both when angry comments were made by individual speakers and when a county resident interrupted the speaker to interject comments.

The land use panel would report its findings and recommendations to the Planning and Zoning Commission on a quarterly basis, the proposal says.

The committee would be composed of seven members, five appointed by the Greenville City Council and two appointed by the Pitt County Board of Commissioners, according to the draft.

The two appointees of the Pitt County Commissioners shall reside in the extrajurisdictional planning jurisdiction of the city of Greenville.

The term of office for the members of the committee shall be three years, except that all seven initial appointments — three shall be for a term of three years, two shall be for a term of two years and two shall be for a term of one year. Thereafter, all appointments would be for three years, according to the proposal.

The Department of Planning and Community Development would provide staff to the committee to assist in its duties.

In other business, the council agreed to postpone a decision on the purchase of a \$651,720 radio communications system until the April meeting so Council member Janice Buck would have the opportunity to have questions about the system answered.

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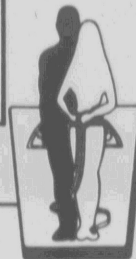
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The AP All-American Basketball Team

These five men were chosen, Monday, by the Associated Press for the 1987 All-America Basketball team. They are, left to right, David Robinson of Navy; Reggie Williams of

Robinson Picked Unanimously To AP All-America

By DICK JOYCE
AP Basketball Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Danny Manning is the only underclassman on the 1986-87 Associated Press All-America college basketball team. His coach, Larry Brown, thinks the 6-foot-11 junior forward is the best of the lot.

to the conference tournament crown. "I have one starter, Reggie Williams," Coach John Thompson, who uses 10-12 players each game, said. "The rest is up for grabs."

Williams was a starter for nine games in his freshman year of 1984, when the Hoyas won the NCAA title, and has been a full-time starter ever since.

Williams was the Big East scoring champion, averaging 23.3 points. He led the Hoyas in rebounding (8.7), field goal percentage (49), free throw percentage (79) and 3-point goals (67).

The 7-1 Robinson led the Midshipmen to the Colonial Athletic Conference title three straight years and into the NCAA playoffs each year. Navy gained the NCAA final eight last season, vaulting Robinson into prominence.

Robinson, who made 59 percent of his field-goal tries, averaged 27.5 points, 11.8 rebounds and blocked 142 shots this season as Navy posted a 26-5 record. He is the only player in NCAA history to score 2,500 points, grab 1,300 rebounds and shoot 60 percent from the field during his career.

He has scored 2,619 points, 1,301 rebounds and compiled a 64 percent field-goal percentage over four seasons.

"I'm the only one who can stop me from scoring," Robinson says.

The Associated Press Division I college basketball All-America team for 1986-87:

First Team
Steve Alford, 6-2, senior, Indiana.
Danny Manning, 6-11, junior, Kansas.
David Robinson, 7-1, senior, Navy.
Reggie Williams, 6-7, senior, Georgetown.
Kenny Smith, 6-3, senior, North Carolina.

Second Team
Horace Grant, 6-10, senior, Clemson;
Armon Gilliam, 6-9, senior, Nevada-Las Vegas;
Dennis Hopson, 6-5, senior, Ohio State;
Mark Jackson, 6-2, senior, St. John's;
Ken Norman, 6-8, senior, Illinois.

Third Team
Derrick Chievous, 6-7, junior, Missouri;
Dallas Comegys, 6-9, senior, DePaul;
Jerome Lane, 6-6, sophomore, Pittsburgh;
Derrick McKey, 6-9, junior, Alabama;
Tony White, 6-2, senior, Tennessee.

HONORABLE MENTION
Tommy Amaker, Duke; Freddie Banks, Nevada-Las Vegas; Nate Blackwell, Temple; Sherman Douglas, Syracuse; Ledell Eackles, New Orleans; Telis Frank, Western Kentucky; Gary Grant, Michigan; Jeff Grayer, Iowa State; Hershey Hawkins, Bradley; Kevin Houston, Army; Derrick Lewis, Maryland; Troy Lewis, Purdue; Reggie Miller, UCLA; Jose Ortiz, Oregon State; J.R. Reid, North Carolina; David Rivers, Notre Dame; Charles Smith, Pittsburgh; Rod Strickland, DePaul; Christian Welp, Washington; Joe Wolf, North Carolina.

Robinson is a likely No. 1 draft choice in the NBA draft despite having a two-year Navy commitment after graduation. The original five-year service time required of all Naval Academy graduates was reduced because Robinson's height disqualifies him from many Navy jobs, such as flying and service aboard ships.

The NCAA playoffs will give the 6-2 Alford, a four-year starter, an opportunity to increase his Indiana career scoring record of 2,300 points. He led Indiana to a 24-4 record and a share of the Big Ten Conference title this year, making 86 3-point goals — on 51 percent shooting — while averaging 21.8 points.

After Losing Two Players Jags Became Better Team

By TOM MORRIS
Reflector Sports Writer

Farmville Central's basketball team overcame the loss of two players at midseason and went on to become the first Jaguar basketball team to advance to the state Eastern Regionals.

Prior to a home game with Ayden-Grifton on Jan. 20, starting guard Reggie Mitchell and reserve forward Tim Dupree were suspended from the team for disciplinary reasons.

The Jaguars lost the next game to the Chargers, 50-46, in overtime, but then went on an eight game tear that gave them the Eastern Plains Conference co-championship.

"We became a better team," said Jaguar coach Mike Terrell. "We were not a bad team before, but we became a better ball club. Before we lost those two kids, we were a transition team. After we lost those two, we became more of a half-court team, offensively and defensively. We changed our strategy."

As a result of the change, roles on the team were altered. Tyrone Joyner, who had been starting at the number two guard, became the point guard. Gary Moore, who had been

the first guard off the bench became the other backcourt starter.

"Tyrone actually became a better point guard for the style I like to play," Terrell said. "Gary Moore became our number two guard. He became a very good defender and a very good role player."

Up front, Alexander Daniels, who had split time with Dupree as the top front-court reserve, became the sole front-court substitute. With the increased playing time, Daniels really blossomed as a player, according to Terrell.

"The biggest win after we lost those two kids was when we went down and beat Charles B. Aycock," Terrell said. "At that time, they had a good ball club. We went down and beat them by eight or 10 points. From then on it was one game at a time. We have not played many bad basketball game since."

Farmville lost in the semi-finals of the EPC tournament to Greene Central but then beat Franklinton, Ahoskie and Northampton East to

win the Eastern 2-A District title.

Terrell said he has been pleasantly surprised by the Jaguars' success this season despite returning only one starter — forward Kennedy Williams.

EASTERN 2-A REGIONALS
□ Farmville Central (21-5) vs. Fuquay-Varina (24-3)
□ Game Time: 7:00 p.m. Wednesday at Cumberland County Memorial Arena in Fayetteville.
□ Conferences: Farmville Central (Eastern Plains Conference); Fuquay-Varina (Capital Area 2-A)
□ Key Players: Farmville — F. Kennedy Williams (18.8 p.p.g.), F. James Reid (14.6); Fuquay-Varina — C. Andy Wright (14.8), F. William Foster (13.6)

"Actually, to be honest, I would have hoped that we'd be in the top three or four of the conference. We had only one starter back from last year's team. I did not anticipate this."

"The most important thing is the chemistry has to blend. That's what it takes. These kids, they have the (right) personalities. They like each

other, they respect each other. That's what it takes to win."

Now the Jaguars face Fuquay-Varina. The Bengals, 24-3, were co-champions of the Capital Area 2-A finished the season as the top-ranked team in the East, according to Raleigh News and Observer rankings.

The Bengals are led by 6-6 Andy Wright, forward William Foster and guard Andre Heggie.

"They are a good ball club," Terrell said of the Bengals. "They have been ranked number one or number two in the East all year in the News and Observer. Their big strength is Wright, 6-6, a strong inside player. We have done a good job of taking away the inside from most teams. Our inside defense has been a strength."

No Penalty By NCAA For ECU

East Carolina University will not be penalized for a violation of NCAA regulations last fall when head football coach Art Baker signed a jail bond for a football player, the NCAA has announced.

Gene Templeton, ECU associate athletic director, said Monday that the NCAA had notified the school that it considered the incident a minor violation that did not justify action.

Templeton said that Baker had intended to sign only a custody bond for player Curtis Struyk, but actually signed a \$200 cash bond — a violation of NCAA rules.

David Berst, NCAA director of enforcement, said in a Feb. 4 letter to university officials that the NCAA committee on infractions, "voted to accept the enforcement staff's recommendation that the violation be considered secondary in nature and also agreed to take no further action against the institution."

The incident occurred when two ECU players, Struyk and Richard Autry were charged with assault on a woman on a downtown street. Baker, who was called to the police station in the middle of the night, did not read the bond and thought he was signing only a simple custody bond. Once he

realized that he has signed a cash bond, he attempted to have it changed to a custody bond, but was told it was too late. The NCAA considers a cash bond an extra benefit, not available to regular students, and therefore a violation.

Baker was replaced on the bond at that point, and ECU turned in a report of the incident to the NCAA.

Struyk and Autry were both found guilty in their trial, but have appealed their convictions. That trial is still pending.

Ask Firing Of Coach

HOUSTON (AP) — The chairman of the University of Houston's Athletic Advisory Committee says he will seek a resolution calling for an end to former football coach Bill Yeoman's relationship with the school.

The resolution will be sought at a meeting of the committee Wednesday, according to Bruce Oppenheimer, a political science professor at Houston.

It was revealed Monday that University of Houston boosters raised money so Yeoman could give up to \$500 cash to some players depending on need.

Citadel In Net Victory

CHARLESTON, S.C. — The Citadel rolled up a 6-3 tennis victory over the East Carolina men's team Monday.

East Carolina's John Melhorn won the #1 singles, but the Pirates won only one other match in the singles. The Citadel then took two of the three doubles matches to put the win away.

The loss was the fourth straight of the spring for the wireless Pirates. The two teams are scheduled to meet again today.

Summary:
John Melhorn (EC) d. Angelo Anastopoulos, 6-3, 2-6, 5-2 (default).
Tim Geddy's (C) d. Dan LaMont, 7-6, 2-6, 6-4.
Todd Elias (C) d. John Taylor, 6-1, 6-1.
Brett Govett (C) d. Bill Wing, 6-0, 6-2.
Rob Anderson (C) d. Todd Sumner, 6-4, 7-6.
Greg Loyd (EC) d. Jimmy Tharp, 6-1, 6-2.
Elias-Govett (C) d. Melhorn-Wing, 6-1, 6-1.
Loyd-LaMont (EC) d. Geddy's-Tharp, 6-4, 1-6, 6-4.
Anastopoulos-Anderson (C) d. Sumner-Morris, 7-5, 6-3.

Lady Bucs Are Beaten

HILTON HEAD, S.C. — Western Illinois took the first four singles matches and the number one and two doubles to gain a 6-3 tennis victory over East Carolina's Lady Pirates Monday.

The match was one of a series by the Lady Pirates being played at Hilton Head.

All three of East Carolina's wins came by default.

The loss leaves the Lady Pirates with a 1-3 spring record. They are scheduled to play Wooster today.

Summary:
Kathy Gates (WI) d. Amy Ziemer, 6-0, 1-0 (retired).
Mary-Pat Donovan (WI) d. Maria Swaim, 6-1, 6-3.
Tyrone Pratt (WI) d. Ty Myers, 6-1, 6-3.
Leslie Shoemaker (WI) d. Susan Montjoy, 6-0, 6-0.
Kim Bergen (EC) d. Dane Ford, by default.
Jeannie Jones (EC) d. Sue Cofer, by default.
Gates-Shoemaker (WI) d. Swaim-Jones, 6-1, 6-0.
Pratt-Donovan (WI) d. Myers-Montjoy, 6-4, 6-1.
Ziemer-Bergen (EC) d. Ford-Cofer, by default.



Up For Two

Farmville Central's James Reid (32) throws in two points during action from earlier this season. Reid and his Jaguar teammates head into the Eastern Regionals against Fuquay-Varina Wednesday. (AP Laserphoto)

Sports Calendar

Editor's Note: Schedules are supplied by schools or sponsoring agencies and are subject to change without notice.

Today's Sports
Baseball
Rhode Island at East Carolina (3 p.m.)
Conley at Ayden-Grifton JV (4 p.m.)
Ayden-Grifton at Conley (4 p.m.)
Farmville Central at Roanoke (3:30 p.m.)
Chocowinity at Jamesville
Tennis
East Carolina women vs. Wooster at Hilton Head, S.C. (2 p.m.)
East Carolina at The Citadel (10 a.m.)
James Kenan at Greene Central (3:30 p.m.)
Bertie at Farmville Central (3:30 p.m.)
Golf
East Carolina at Cape Coral Invitational
Softball
East Carolina vs. Florida A&M at Tallahassee, Fla. — 2 (2 p.m.)
Conley at Ayden-Grifton (4 p.m.)
Farmville Central at Roanoke (3:30 p.m.)
Chocowinity at Jamesville
Basketball

Week Leagues
AA Division
Empire Brushes vs. Winn Dixie (ES — 7 p.m.)
Aldridge & Sutherland vs. StopShop (ES — 8 p.m.)
Overton's vs. Fieldcrest (ES — 9 p.m.)
Wednesday's Sports
Baseball
Fairfield at East Carolina (noon)
Rhode Island at East Carolina (3 p.m.)
Greene Central at Rose (4 p.m.)
Tennis
East Carolina women at Baptist (4 p.m.)
East Carolina at Baptist (1 p.m.)
Golf
East Carolina at Cape Coral Invitational
Softball
East Carolina at Florida State — 2 (5 p.m.)
Greene Central at Rose (4 p.m.)
Track
Conley at Rose girls (3:30 p.m.)
Plymouth, Edenton at Roanoke (track)
Williamston at Northampton East (track)
Greene Central, Ayden-Grifton, Conley at Rose (3:30 p.m.)

then added three in the fifth. The other run scored in the sixth.

East Carolina got single runs in the fifth and sixth. Lynda Barrett doubled in the fifth and moved up on Adams' single. Murray then singled Barrett over.

In the sixth, Chris Byrne singled and scored when Adams singled and there was an error on the play.

Adams led ECU's hitting with two, while Kim Sommer had two for Temple.

East Carolina, now 4-1, will play Florida A&M today in Tallahassee.

First Game
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WP — Renee Meyer (2-0); LP — Jazembak.

Second Game
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East Carolina.....000 011 0-2 6 6
WP — Lisa Sorrentina; LP — Jennifer Sagl (0-1).

ECU Softball Team In Split

TALAHASSEE, Fla. — East Carolina's Lady Pirate softball team split a pair of games with Temple at the Florida State Invitational Monday in Tallahassee.

The loss in the second game of the twinbill, 5-2, was the first in five starts for the Pirate women this spring. They won the opening game, 5-1.

The first game of the day was a scoreless tie until the sixth inning, when East Carolina pushed over all five runs. Kim Adams, Leslie Crammer and Jeannie Murray all beat out bunt singles to load the bases. Julie Farrow then started the scoring with a single that brought in Adams.

Temple's lone run came in the seventh inning. Crammer and Tracy Kee each had two hits to lead the Lady Pirates in the game.

But in the second game, Temple took the lead with a run in the third,



Out At Home

Milwaukee Brewers Juan Castillo is cut down at home by California Angel catcher Butch Wynegar on a throw by Wally Joyner during the third inning of their game Monday at Chandler, Ariz. Castillo tried to make it from second base on a throwing error. The Brewers won 8-5. (AP Laserphoto)

McNamara Knows He Needs Clemens

WINTER HAVEN, Fla. (AP) — Manager John McNamara says he doesn't know, or care, much about the salary battle involving the Boston Red Sox and American League MVP and Cy Young Award winner Roger Clemens.

"I don't know anything about the contract," McNamara said Monday after the Red Sox gave Clemens an ultimatum. "I want him in camp and pitching. How do you make up 24 games?"

The Red Sox stepped up their hardball dealing with Clemens by threatening to fine him \$1,000 a day unless he returns to camp.

General Manager Lou Gorman said he had notified Clemens that the fine would become effective "if he is not back in camp Wednesday morning."

Gorman said copies of the action had been sent to Clemens "at the ball park, to his home in Houston, to his agents and to the players' association."

"We wanted to give him ample time to think things over and make a decision," Gorman said. "We're just hoping he gets back here."

Clemens, who won 24 games last season in helping Boston into the World Series, walked out last Friday when the Red Sox rejected his demand for a \$2.4 million two-year contract, and his agents turned down the club's proposal of \$500,000, plus \$350,000 in incentive bonuses.

The Red Sox then exercised their right to renew Clemens' contract, setting a salary of \$400,000 while hoping to resume negotiations for an agreement acceptable to both sides.

Under the renewal contract, which Gorman confirmed was for \$400,000

instead of reported figures of \$440,000 and \$450,000, Gorman said the Red Sox could fine Clemens "any amount we want." For example, one day's salary would be nearly \$2,200 under the player's 182-day work year.

"We decided on a figure we thought was reasonable," Gorman said. "We wanted what we consider a fair figure, not excessive and not too low."

Gorman said he hadn't had any contact with Clemens or his agents, Alan and Randy Hendricks, since the walkout.

"They have made no attempt to contact me and I've made no attempt to contact them," he said. "Unless they call me, I'll have to try to contact them in the next day or so."

Clemens remained in apparent hiding, although there was an unconfirmed report he was seen running in Winter Haven Monday morning.

Alan Hendricks' office in Houston said it did not know Clemens' whereabouts, but that he was believed to be in Florida.

Don Baylor, Boston's designated hitter and the American League's player representative, said upon learning of the threatened fine that "it is too early to panic" and "the main thing is to get him back into spring training."

"He's the best pitcher in baseball and he's a team player, but I don't know if \$1,000 (the threatened fine) will do it," Baylor added.

Baylor said that Clemens stays in good physical condition all year "but if he stays away 10 days to two weeks, it could be disruptive to the team."

"We all want him here, but it's Roger's contract and he feels he has to do what's good for Roger," Baylor added.

Clemens, who led the major leagues with a 24-4 record, received \$340,000, including \$120,000 in bonus money, last year, his second full season with the Red Sox. He is not eligible for salary arbitration until he becomes a three-year man.

Weather Forces Postponements

Bad weather forced the postponement of several high school sports activities planned for this afternoon.

Rose High School postponed its softball and baseball games with Greene Central, set for Guy Smith Stadium and women's field until Wednesday. A track meet hosted by Rose, which included Ayden-Grifton, Conley and Greene Central, was rescheduled for Wednesday also.

North Pitt has rescheduled its baseball game with Weldon for Thursday.

Bosox Pitching Woes Continue

By The Associated Press

The 1948 Boston Braves' pitching rotation consisted, someone joked, of Spahn and Sain and two days of rain.

The way things are going for the Boston Red Sox this spring, it's been nothing but the worst for Clemens, Boyd and Hurst.

Cy Young Award winner Roger Clemens remained AWOL Monday, three days after he walked out of the American League champions' spring training camp in a dispute over his 1987 contract.

"I don't know anything about the contract," Manager John McNamara said. "I want him in camp and pitching. How do you make up 24 games?"

To try and twist Clemens' valuable right arm, the Red Sox have threatened to fine their star pitcher \$1,000 a day unless he returns to camp by Wednesday morning.

Last Friday, the Red Sox rejected Clemens' demand for a two-year \$2.4 million contract. Clemens' agents turned down the club's proposal of \$500,000, plus \$350,000 in incentives, for 1987. The Red Sox then exercised their right to renew Clemens' contract, setting a salary of \$400,000 while hoping to resume negotiations. Clemens earned \$340,000 last year and isn't eligible for salary arbitration.

The Red Sox did receive some favorable news concerning Dennis "Oil Can" Boyd, who received a cortisone shot last Friday for tendinitis in his right shoulder.

"Oil Can threw from the mound for a while and was very pleased," McNamara said.

But Bruce Hurst, who almost

pitched the Red Sox to the world championship last fall, left Monday's 4-2 exhibition victory over the Philadelphia Phillies when he felt a twinge in the groin area. Hurst missed seven weeks last season because of a pulled groin muscle but still won a career-high 13 games, including five straight in September.

After allowing the Phillies one hit in the first two innings, Hurst walked Gary Redus to start the third and left the game.

"It doesn't appear serious, but we won't know much for a day or two," trainer Charlie Moss said. "He'll be the first to know when he gets up in the morning and finds out how he feels."

Meanwhile, Mike Greenwell doubled home the tie-breaking run in the eighth inning against Philadelphia's Don Carman and scored on Glenn Hoffman's single. Boston's Kevin Romine homered on the first pitch of the game from Marvin Freeman.

Elsewhere, Gerald Perry, whom the Atlanta Braves are counting on to replace first baseman Bob Horner, hit a three-run homer in the first inning and Ken Oberkfell added a three-run double in the eighth in a 6-1 victory over the Kansas City Royals. Zane Smith pitched three scoreless innings for Atlanta and three relievers finished the four-hitter.

Perry was handed the first base job two years ago but lasted only 31 games, batting .215 with only five RBIs, before Horner was moved from third base to first.

"I tried to do too much and put so much pressure on myself," he said. "I'm going to do my best not to let this opportunity slip by. I'll just stay

within myself — hit line drives and not try to go for homers, just give them a solid performance."

Blue Jays 12, Mets 11

One day after the St. Louis Cardinals lit up Dwight Gooden by scoring nine runs in the first inning, another member of the New York Mets' rotation was hit hard. The Toronto Blue Jays pounded Sid Fernandez for 10 hits and 11 runs in three innings and outslugged the Mets 12-11.

Toronto took advantage of a strong wind and got two homers apiece from Kelly Gruber and Matt Stark and one from Jesse Barfield. Toronto's seven runs in the third inning were unearned because of a throwing error by third baseman Dave Magadan.

"I never had a day this bad," Fernandez said. "I felt okay, but my curveball wasn't breaking right so I guess they were more or less sitting on my fastball. It's hard to say how many would have gone out on a normal day when the wind wasn't blowing."

Expos 19, Astros 3

No one expects big things from Montreal after losing Tim Raines and Andre Dawson. But the Expos scored 18 runs on 17 hits in four innings against Bob Knepper and Jeff Heathcock. Luis Rivera and Andre Galarraga each had four of Montreal's 21 hits, including a homer, and drove in five runs.

Twins 5, Yankees 4

The Yankees suffered their first loss in four spring games when pinch hitter Tim Lardner hit a three-run homer off relief ace Dave Righetti in the ninth inning. Tom Brunansky accounted for Minnesota's first run with a homer off Bob Tewksbury

while Dan Pasqua hit a three-run shot for New York.

Other Games
—The Cleveland Indians split their squad and both halves lost. Pinch hitter Jerry Davis doubled home the tying and winning runs in the bottom of the ninth to give the Chicago Cubs a 5-4 victory. Cleveland slugger Joe Carter, who ended a brief holdout over the weekend, homered off Scott Sanderson in the first inning.

The San Francisco Giants beat another band of Indians 11-6 as rookie Matt Williams drove in five runs with a single and a grand slam that snapped a 6-6 tie in the fourth inning.

Giants pitchers Roger Mason and Atlee Hammaker made their exhibition debuts following arm injuries which sidelined them last year. Mason was tagged for three earned runs in 11-3 innings while Hammaker worked two scoreless innings. Each pitcher said he felt no pain.

—Moose Haas pitched three hitless innings to lead the Oakland A's to an 8-1 victory over a split Giants squad. Rob Nelson homered for Oakland.

—Len Matuszek homered and Mariano Duncan had a double, triple and sacrifice fly as the Los Angeles Dodgers defeated the Baltimore Orioles 6-3.

—Andy Van Slyke homered and doubled Monday as St. Louis blanked the Detroit Tigers 2-0 behind the five-hit pitching of Danny Cox, Ricky Horton, Greg Bargar and Scott Arnold.

—Terry Francona had two hits, including a lead-off homer, as the Cincinnati Reds scored six times off Pittsburgh rookie John Smiley in the eighth inning and defeated the Pirates 7-5.

—Cecil Cooper's tie-breaking three-run homer capped a five-run seventh inning and gave the Milwaukee Brewers an 8-5 victory over the California Angels.

—Joey Cora's sacrifice fly and Shawn Abner's RBI single produced two ninth-inning runs as the San Diego Padres downed the Seattle Mariners 7-5. San Diego's John Kruk homered in the eighth to tie the game 5-5. Kevin Mitchell and Benito Santiago also homered for the Padres. Another group of Mariners bowed to Arizona State University 5-4.

—Ozzie Guillen and Jerry Royster singled home the tying and winning runs in the seventh inning to give the Chicago White Sox a 4-3 victory over the Texas Rangers.

Around the Camps
—Once again, Dave Collins will be asked to fill some big shoes this season. The 11-year veteran is expected to replace Raines as Montreal's left fielder and leadoff hitter.

"In New York it was Reggie Jackson, in Oakland it was Rickey Henderson, so this is nothing really new for me," Collins said. "Guys leave and other guys take their place, that's the way it goes."

—Houston relief pitcher Aurelio Lopez was arrested early Monday in Kissimmee, Fla., on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Lopez, later released on his own recognizance, also was charged with two counts of driving with a suspended license.

—Orioles outfielder Mike Young will be sent back to Baltimore for a more extensive examination of his injured right thumb. Young was hurt in an exhibition game Sunday while trying for a diving catch.

In 1985, Pitt County's average weekly manufacturing wage was \$332.98.

NIT Isn't The Big One, But Helps Those Picked

By The Associated Press

There's nothing like an NCAA tournament bid to keep a college basketball program vibrant.

But a National Invitation Tournament bid can have some of the same benefits.

"Financially, the NIT's not as much help as the NCAA, but psychologically and prestige-wise, you can't put it in dollars and cents," Nebraska Coach Danny Nee said. "You're in a postseason tournament, only 96 teams can say that. When you play at this time of the year, it just gives you more credibility and recognition."

Nebraska, 17-11, a first-round loser to Kansas State in the Big Eight postseason tournament, plays host to independent Marquette, 16-12, in the first round of the NIT Wednesday night.

Other first-round games Wednesday night pair Utah, 17-12, at Boise State, 21-7, and Washington, 18-14, at Montana State, 21-7.

Washington lost to UCLA Sunday in the final of the inaugural Pacific 10 postseason tournament. A victory in that game would have given them an automatic berth in the NCAA tournament.

Since the Huskies were not invited to the tournament as an at-large team, they were added to the 32-team NIT field, along with Stephen F. Austin, on Monday. Louisville, the 1986 national champion, turned down an NIT berth after losing the Metro Conference final to Memphis State on Sunday.

"The NCAA should be thankful they have the NIT, otherwise there'd be some mighty upset teams," Nee said. "The top 64 teams are not playing in the NCAA, when I see teams with barely 500 records and the conference bids. There are some very, very good teams playing in the NIT."

While Nebraska will give away some size at center, where Marquette has 6-foot-10 Tom Copa, the rest of the matchups are about even.

"When we talked last night (Sunday) they were legitimately, sincerely excited about playing Marquette and they were very happy about playing at home," Nee said.

On Thursday night, La Salle, 16-12, plays Villanova, 15-15, in Philadelphia; Rhode Island, 20-9, visits Florida State, 18-10; Cleveland State, 24-7, travels to Tennessee-Chattanooga, 21-7; Akron, 21-8, is at Illinois State, 17-12; Jacksonville, 19-10, visits Vanderbilt, 16-15; and Baylor, 18-12, is at Arkansas-Little Rock, 23-9.

The first round continues Friday

night with Seton Hall, 15-13, at Niagara, 20-9; St. Peter's, 21-7, at St. Louis, 24-9; Mississippi, 15-13, at Southern Mississippi, 18-11; Fullerton State, 17-12, at California, 18-14; and Oregon State, 18-10, at New Mexico, 25-9.

Friday's matchup between Arkansas and Arkansas State will be the first game ever between those two teams.

Larry Lacewell, the athletic director at Arkansas State, said the game will be "a milestone in the history of basketball at Arkansas State. ... We

think it will be great fun, win or lose."

Arkansas, 18-13, lost to Texas Tech on Friday in the first round of the Southwest Conference postseason tournament. Arkansas State, 21-12, lost to Louisiana Tech on Saturday in the final of the Southland Conference tournament.

Second-round games will be played on March 16 and 17, and quarterfinals will be played at campus sites on March 20 and 21. Semifinals and finals will be played at Madison Square Garden on March 24 and March 26.

Sportline

To The Sports Editor:

As a former coach and member of the faculty at East Carolina University, I have become disillusioned with the philosophy of our athletic department. In recent years we have allowed our athletic programs (primarily football and basketball) to be used for entertainment and commercial exploitation. The idea that we can make big bucks with big time sports has never occurred at ECU.

If our athletic department had a concept of doing what is best for our student athlete, then we would not be replacing coaches every few years because they didn't win enough games. Assuming we select our coaches carefully, we should give them the proper support which is necessary for doing the job; this should include a long term contract.

Charlie Harrison is a fine coach and a credit to East Carolina University. I prefer a coach of Charlie Harrison's stature, i.e., caring enough about his players to make sure they get an education while improving our basketball program to someone whose only concept is to win no matter what the cost. I am really disappointed that we are losing Charlie Harrison, a quality person and coach.

Over the years, our athletic department has basically supported only one sport — football — even though we have had outstanding coaches and programs in other sports, some of which have gained recognition nationally with a minimum level of support and scholarship assistance.

With over a million dollars support from the Pirate Club and fund derived from student fees, it would seem that our administration would commit itself financially to every sport it fields. Our success on the athletic field and in the classroom will be determined by the product we turn out — our students. If we have a good product, in the long run, we will have a better record in the win-loss column.

Ray Scharf
Former ECU Swimming Coach

Pirates In 8th Place

CAPE CORAL, Fla. — East Carolina's Chris Winkle shot an opening round of 71, good for fourth place, in the opening round of the Cape Coral Intercollegiate Golf Tournament Monday.

Tampa leads with a 298 total, followed by Coastal Carolina 291; Huntington 293; Campbell 294; Florida Atlantic and Florida International 295; Temple 295; Alabama-Birmingham 298; ECU 300; Boca Raton 301; Virginia Commonwealth 303; Illinois and Appalachian State 307; Iowa State 309; Guilford 310; Tennessee-Chattanooga, West Florida and Northern Illinois 311; Limestone 313; Richmond and Stetson 315; Arkansas St. 317; Edison 331 and Eckerd 338.

Gus Pick of Coastal Carolina and Emery Alson of Tampa lead the tournament with 68s. Scott Still of Florida Atlantic shot 69 to place second. Winkle is knotted with five others four the number four slot.

East Carolina's other low scorers were Mike Bradley with a 74; John Maginnes with a 77 and Brian Connor with a 78.

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SCOREBOARD

Rec Basketball

AA Division	34	28-52
Wachovia	20	24-44
Leading scorers: SS — Jeff Davis		
James Rankins 9; W — Alan Hill		
11, Bob Small 9		
Overtons	24	28-52
Empire Brush	20	28-46
Leading scorers: O — Larry Suggs		
18, Blake Phillips 11; EB — Doug		
Dixon 14, Alfred Braxton 9		
Win Dixie defeated Honeycutt's		
forfeit.		
GUCCO	24	33-57
Ald&South	19	18-41
Leading scorers: G — Ronnie		
Brodie 22, James Hilliard 15; AS —		
Charles Sillir 10, Ryal Taylor 7		

Los Angeles	26	33	60	268	280	
Vancouver	21	40	8	50	228	276
c-linched playoff berth						
Monday's Games						
Montreal, Minnesota 4						
St. Louis 3, Toronto 2, OT						
Tuesday's Games						
Hartford at Quebec, 7:35 p.m.						
N.Y. Islanders at Pittsburgh, 7:35 p.m.						
Calgary at Hartford, 7:35 p.m.						
Detroit at Vancouver, 10:35 p.m.						
Wednesday's Games						
Boston at N.Y. Rangers, 7:35 p.m.						
Calgary at Hartford, 7:35 p.m.						
Philadelphia at New Jersey, 7:35 p.m.						
Montreal at Winnipeg, 8:35 p.m.						
Toronto at Minnesota, 8:35 p.m.						
St. Louis at Chicago, 8:35 p.m.						
Detroit at Edmonton, 9:35 p.m.						
Buffalo at Los Angeles, 10:35 p.m.						

Brenda Burns	43-38-81
Alison Sellers	41-39-81
Janice Arnold	45-37-82
Denise King	40-42-82
Judy Christiansen	41-41-82
Julie Baies	40-42-82
Susan Grans	43-39-82
Jane Rosenberg	41-41-82
Robin Abare	46-36-82
Debra Hankey	40-42-82
Kerry Scanlon	38-44-82
Diane Whitman	45-37-82
Debbie Rhodes	42-40-82
Lal Long Radier	41-41-82
Kim Gardner	41-42-83
J Littlefield	41-42-83
Deby Anderson	42-42-84
Sarah Johnson	43-42-85
Cathy Eddien	46-39-85
Amy Dover	43-42-85
Susie Krogness	44-41-85
Sandy Jaskol	44-41-85
Connie McCain	43-43-86
Evina Bursuel	42-44-86
Jean Barclay	42-45-87
Kelly Loy	46-42-88
Dawn Kortgaard	45-43-88
Laura Leszczynski	47-43-90
Claudia Bevan	45-45-90
Ellen Shewalter	44-46-90
Debbie Laughlin	48-49-92
Jeanne Perse	48-49-92
Micki McKenzie	48-49-92
Cathy Tatum	48-49-92
Terry Migliaccio	48-49-92

NBA Standings

By The Associated Press	
All Times EST	
EASTERN CONFERENCE	
Atlantic Division	
W L Pct. GB	
x-Boston	45 16 738 -
Washington	32 27 542 12
Philadelphia	33 28 541 12
New York	20 41 328 25
New Jersey	16 44 267 28 1/2
Central Division	
Detroit	39 20 661 -
Atlanta	40 21 656 -
Milwaukee	39 24 619 2
Chicago	32 28 533 7 1/2
Indiana	29 32 475 11
Cleveland	23 38 377 17
WESTERN CONFERENCE	
Midwest Division	
Dallas	39 22 639 -
Utah	33 28 541 6
Houston	31 29 525 7
Denver	25 36 410 14
San Antonio	22 39 361 17
Sacramento	19 41 317 19 1/2
Pacific Division	
x-L.A. Lakers	48 14 774 -
Portland	38 24 613 10
Seattle	32 30 516 16
Golden State	30 32 494 18
Phoenix	24 37 383 23 1/2
L.A. Clippers	10 49 169 36 1/2

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NCAA Tournament

By The Associated Press	
All Times EST	
First Round	
Thursday, March 12	
At Charlotte, N.C.	
Texas Christian, 23-6, vs. Marshall, 25-5, 12:07 p.m.	
Notre Dame, 22-7, vs. Middle Tennessee State, 22-4, 2:37 p.m.	
Navy, 26-5, vs. Michigan, 19-11, 7:07 p.m.	
North Carolina, 29-3, vs. Pennsylvania, 13-13, 9:37 p.m.	
Friday, March 13	
At Syracuse, N.Y.	
Purdue, 24-4, vs. Northeastern, 27-6, 12:07 p.m.	
Florida, 21-10, vs. North Carolina State, 20-14, 2:37 p.m.	
West Virginia, 23-7, vs. Western Kentucky, 28-8, 7:07 p.m.	
Syracuse, 26-6, vs. Georgia Southern, 20-10, 9:37 p.m.	
Second Round	
Saturday, March 14	
At Charlotte, N.C.	
N. Carolina-Tenn. winner vs. Navy-Michigan winner	
TCU-Marshall winner	
Notre Dame-Middle Tenn. winner vs. Alabama-Georgia Southern winner	
Florida-N.C. State vs. Purdue-Northeastern winner	
West Virginia-W. Kentucky winner vs. Syracuse-Georgia Southern winner	
Semifinals	
Thursday, March 13	
At East Rutherford, N.J.	
N. Carolina-Tenn. winner vs. Navy-Michigan winner	
TCU-Marshall winner	
Florida-N.C. State vs. Purdue-Northeastern winner	
West Virginia-W. Kentucky winner vs. Syracuse-Georgia Southern winner	
Championship	
Saturday, March 15	
At East Rutherford, N.J.	
Regional semifinal winners	
Southeast Regional	
First Round	
Thursday, March 12	
At Birmingham, Ala.	
New Orleans, 25-3, vs. Brigham Young, 21-10, 1:07 p.m.	
Arkansas, 28-4, vs. North Carolina A&T, 24-5, 3:37 p.m.	
Illinois, 23-7, vs. Austin Peay, 19-11, 8:07 p.m.	
Providence, 21-8, vs. Alabama-Birmingham, 21-10, 10:37 p.m.	
Friday, March 13	
At Atlanta	
Clemson, 25-7, vs. Southwest Missouri State, 27-5, 12:07 p.m.	
Kansas, 23-10, vs. Houston, 19-11, 2:37 p.m.	
Georgetown, 26-4, vs. Bucknell, 22-8, 7:07 p.m.	
Kentucky, 18-10, vs. Ohio State, 19-12, 9:37 p.m.	
Second Round	
Saturday, March 14	
At Birmingham, Ala.	
Providence-UAB winner vs. Illinois-Austin Peay winner	
New Orleans-BYU winner vs. Alabama-N.C.A.T. winner	
Saturday, March 15	
At Atlanta	
Georgetown-Bucknell winner vs. Kentucky-Ohio State winner	
Kansas-Houston winner vs. Clemson-SW Missouri St. winner	
Semifinals	
Thursday, March 13	
At Louisville, Ky.	
Providence-UAB-Illinois-Austin Peay winner vs. New Orleans-BYU-Alabama-N.C.A.T. winner	
Georgetown-Bucknell-Kentucky-Ohio St. winner vs. Kansas-Houston-Clemson-SW Missouri St. winner	
Championship	
Saturday, March 15	
At Louisville, Ky.	
Regional semifinal winners	
Midwest Regional	
First Round	
Thursday, March 12	
At Indianapolis	
Missouri, 24-9, vs. Xavier, Ohio, 18-12, 12:07 p.m.	
Duke, 22-8, vs. Texas A&M, 17-13, 2:37 p.m.	
Auburn, 17-12, vs. San Diego, 24-5, 7:07 p.m.	
Indiana, 24-4, vs. Fairfield, 15-15, 9:37 p.m.	
Friday, March 13	
At Rosemont, Ill.	
Temple, 31-3, vs. Southern U., 19-11, 1:07 p.m.	
Georgia Tech, 16-12, vs. Louisiana State, 21-14, 3:37 p.m.	
St. John's, 20-8, vs. Wichita State, 22-10, 8:07 p.m.	
DePaul, 26-2, vs. Louisiana Tech, 22-7, 10:37 p.m.	
Second Round	
Saturday, March 14	
At Indianapolis	
Indiana-Fairfield winner vs. Auburn-San Diego winner	
Duke-Texas A&M winner vs. Missouri-Xavier, Ohio winner	
Sunday, March 15	
At Rosemont, Ill.	
St. John's-Wichita St. winner vs. DePaul-Louisiana Tech winner	
Georgia Tech-Louisiana St. winner vs. Temple-Southern U. winner	
Semifinals	
Friday, March 20	
At Cincinnati	
Indiana-Fairfield-Auburn-San Diego winner vs. Duke-Texas A&M-Missouri-Xavier, Ohio winner	
St. John's-Wichita St.-DePaul-La. Tech winner vs. Georgia Tech-LSU-Temple-Southern U. winner	
Championship	
Saturday, March 22	
At Cincinnati	
Regional semifinal winners	
West Regional	
First Round	
Thursday, March 12	
At Salt Lake City, Utah	

Exhibition Baseball

By The Associated Press	
All Times EST	
AMERICAN LEAGUE	
W L Pct.	
Toronto	2 0 1.000
Minnesota	2 0 1.000
Milwaukee	4 1 .800
New York	3 1 .750
Boston	2 1 .667
Chicago	2 0 1.000
Oakland	2 1 .667
Texas	2 2 .500
Kansas City	1 2 .333
Seattle	1 2 .333
California	1 2 .333
Detroit	1 3 .250
Baltimore	0 3 .000
Cleveland	0 4 .000
NATIONAL LEAGUE	
W L Pct.	
St. Louis	3 0 1.000
Los Angeles	2 0 1.000
Montreal	2 0 1.000
San Diego	2 0 1.000
San Francisco	3 2 .600
Chicago	2 2 .500
Cincinnati	1 2 .333
Pittsburgh	1 2 .333
Houston	0 2 .000
New York	0 2 .000
NOTE: Split-squad games count in standings, ties do not	
Monday's Games	
Boston 4, Philadelphia 2	
St. Louis 2, Detroit 0	
Montreal 19, Houston 3	
Atlanta 6, Kansas City 1	
Los Angeles 6, Baltimore 3	
Cincinnati 3, Pittsburgh 3	
Toronto 12, New York Mets 11	
Arizona State 5, Seattle (ss) 4	
Chicago Cubs 5, Cleveland (ss) 4	
Milwaukee 8, California 5	
Oakland 8, San Francisco (ss) 1	
San Francisco (ss) 11, Cleveland (ss) 6	
San Diego 7, Seattle (ss) 5	
Minnesota 5, New York Yankees 4	
Chicago White Sox 4, Texas 3	
Tuesday's Games	
Houston vs. New York Mets at St. Petersburg, Fla., 1 p.m.	
Minnesota vs. Baltimore at Miami, 1:30 p.m.	
Pittsburgh (ss) vs. Chicago White Sox at Sarasota, Fla., 1:30 p.m.	
St. Louis vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., 1:30 p.m.	
Atlanta vs. Los Angeles at Vero Beach, 1:30 p.m.	
Boston (ss) vs. Montreal at West Palm Beach, 1:30 p.m.	
Cincinnati vs. Philadelphia at Clearwater, Fla., 1:30 p.m.	
Kansas City vs. Pittsburgh (ss) at Bradenton, Fla., 1:30 p.m.	
New York Yankees vs. Texas at Port Charlotte, Fla., 1:30 p.m.	
Boston (ss) vs. Toronto at Dunedin, Fla., 1:30 p.m.	
California vs. Chicago Cubs at Mesa, Ariz., 3 p.m.	
San Diego vs. Milwaukee, Chandler, Ariz., 3 p.m.	
Cleveland vs. Oakland at Phoenix, Ariz., 3 p.m.	
Seattle vs. San Francisco at Scottsdale, Ariz., 3 p.m.	
Wednesday's Games	
Toronto vs. Cincinnati at Tampa, Fla., 1 p.m.	
Pittsburgh vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla., 1 p.m.	
Los Angeles vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., 1:30 p.m.	
Chicago vs. Kansas City at Fort Meyers, Fla., 1:30 p.m.	
Boston vs. Minnesota at Orlando, Fla., 1:30 p.m.	
Houston vs. Montreal at West Palm Beach, Fla., 1:30 p.m.	
Atlanta vs. New York Yankees at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., 1:30 p.m.	
San Diego vs. Chicago Cubs at Mesa, Ariz., 3 p.m.	
Seattle vs. Cleveland at Tucson, Ariz., 3 p.m.	
Oakland vs. Milwaukee at Chandler, Ariz., 3 p.m.	
California vs. San Francisco at Scottsdale, Ariz., 3 p.m.	
Texas vs. Baltimore at Miami, 7:30 p.m.	
New York Mets vs. Philadelphia at Clearwater, Fla., 7:30 p.m.	

MISL Standings

By The Associated Press	
All Times EST	
Eastern Division	
W L Pct. GB	
Baltimore	23 10 697 2
Dallas	21 12 638 2
Minnesota	19 14 576 4
Chicago	17 17 500 6 1/2
x-New York	3 23 115 -
Western Division	
Tacoma	21 12 636 -
San Diego	19 14 576 2
Wichita	17 16 515 4
Indiana	18 17 514 4
St. Louis	11 24 314 11
Illinois	8 25 242 13
x-folded Feb. 17	
Wednesday's Game	
Wichita 8, St. Louis 2	
Sunday's Games	
Dallas 7, Chicago 5	
Minnesota 3, Cleveland 1	
Kansas City 3, Tacoma 3	
Baltimore 6, St. Louis 2	
Los Angeles 6, San Diego 5, OT	
Monday's Games	
No games scheduled	
Tuesday's Games	
Wichita at Dallas, 8:05 p.m.	
Tacoma at Minnesota, 8:35 p.m.	
Wednesday's Game	
Minnesota at Baltimore, 7:35 p.m.	

NIT Pairings

By The Associated Press	
All Times EST	
First Round	
Wednesday, March 11	
Marquette, 16-12, at Nebraska, 17-11, 8:35 p.m.	
Utah, 17-12, at Boise State, 21-7, 9:30 p.m.	
Washington, 18-14, at Montana St., 21-7, 9:30 p.m.	
Thursday, March 12	
La Salle, 16-12, at Villanova, 15-15, 7:30 p.m.	
Rhode Island, 20-9, at Florida State, 18-10, 7:30 p.m.	
Cleveland State, 24-7, at Tennessee-Chatanooga, 21-7, 7:30 p.m.	
aylor, 18-12, at Arkansas-Little Rock, 23-9, 8:15 p.m.	
Akron, 21-8, at Illinois State, 17-12, 8:30 p.m.	
Jacksonville, 19-10, at Vanderbilt, 16-15, 8:30 p.m.	
Seton Hall, 15-13, at Niagara, 20-9, 7:30 p.m.	
Arkansas State, 21-12, at Arkansas, 18-13, 8:30 p.m.	
Mississippi, 15-13, at Southern Mississippi, 16-11, 8:30 p.m.	
St. Peter's, 21-7, at St. Louis, 24-9, 8:35 p.m.	
Oregon State, 18-10, at New Mexico, 25-9, 9:30 p.m.	
Fullerton State, 17-12, at California, 18-14, 10:30 p.m.	
Second Round	
Monday, March 16	
Tuesday, March 17	
Pairings, Sites and Times TBA	
Quarterfinals	
Friday, March 20	
Saturday, March 21	
Pairings, Sites and Times TBA	
At New York	
Tuesday, March 24	
Semifinals	
7 p.m. and 9 p.m.	
Saturday, March 28	
Championship	
9 p.m.	
Third Place	
7 p.m.	

NHL Standings

By The Associated Press	
All Times EST	
WALDES CONFERENCE	
Patrick Division	
W L T Pts. GF GA	
Philadelphia	40 21 5 85 288 186
NY Islanders	29 28 10 68 233 232
Washington	29 30 8 66 230 241
NY Rangers	28 30 8 64 261 262
Boston	26 31 6 55 254 245
Pittsburgh	24 36 6 54 229 239
New Jersey	26 35 6 58 238 258
Adams Division	
Hartford	36 24 7 79 240 212
Montreal	32 28 9 73 220 228
Boston	32 29 6 70 248 230
Buffalo	25 37 7 57 235 253
Quebec	24 34 9 57 212 229
Norris Division	
Detroit	30 28 9 69 226 234
St. Louis	28 31 8 65 228 244
Minnesota	28 31 8 64 256 257
Chicago	27 30 10 64 246 229
Toronto	26 33 6 58 238 258
Smythe Division	
x-Edmonton	41 20 5 87 309 232
x-Calgary	39 27 2 80 288 245
x-Winnipeg	35 26 7 77 240 233

Golf Scores

SAVANNAH, Ga. (AP) — First-round scores Monday in the Futures Golf Tour's \$25,000 Bacon Park Classic at the 1,600-yard, par-71 Bacon Park Golf Club (a-tenes amateur):	
Jenny MacCurrah	35-36-71
Lisa DiProspero	36-35-71
Michelle Bell	34-37-71
Mari Lynn Lovander	35-37-72
Denise Baldwin	37-35-72
Sharon Smith	38-36-74
Carla Muehler	38-37-75
Christie White	37-37-74
Sally Sisk	37-37-74
Lisa Cornelius	36-38-74
Christy Schreyer	37-37-74
Michelle Bell	36-39-75
Janie Bronson	39-36-75
Heather Cameron	36-39-75
Doreen LaDonna	39-36-75
Ginger Fulton	40-35-75
Brenda Corrie	36-39-75
Jackie Harlan	37-39-76
Jan Kleiman	38-38-76
Laurel Ornelas	38-38-76

Quality Of Play Not A Key Determinant

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — As many as 15 of the 64 teams in the NCAA Basketball Tournament probably wouldn't be there if quality of play were the only criteria, one member of the selection committee said.

"Year in and year out, there are probably 15 or so of those (29) automatic qualifiers who would be among the best 64 teams in the country, and about 15 or so who would not," said Jim Delany, commissioner of the Ohio Valley Conference. "If our sole purpose was to select the best 64 teams, there would be no more than eight or nine conferences that would get teams in. But would it be healthy for basketball to go seven or eight deep in one powerful conference and exclude entirely a lesser

conference that is trying to emerge? I don't think so."

Delany and the other eight members of the selection committee virtually put themselves in quarantine in a luxury hotel suite in Kansas City last weekend. Assisted by NCAA staff members Tom Jernstedt and Dave Cawood, they emerged late Sunday afternoon with a bracket brimming with controversial decisions.

The field includes Fairfield, 15-15, Idaho State, 15-15, and Penn, 13-13, but not New Mexico, 25-9, St. Louis, 24-9, and Akron, 21-8.

The best 64 teams in the country? Of course not, says Delany.

"We weren't trying to select the best 64," Delany said. "What we've probably got is the best 50. I got a call

from a coach today who didn't get in and he said, 'Hey, we're one of the best 64.' I told him, 'That's not good enough. You have to be one of the best 50. Some years, you have to be one of the best 45.'"

Jernstedt, NCAA assistant executive director for championship events, noted that Fairfield, Idaho State and Penn were among the 29 teams that qualified automatically by virtue of winning conference championships or tournaments.

"Those 35 at-large spots were filled with the best teams available to us," Jernstedt said. "I guess the question is, do all of those conferences really deserve automatic qualifications? And that will forever be debatable."

"The 29 automatic qualifiers select themselves," Delany said. "Then

you have a group of fallible human beings with limited information making a sincere, genuine effort to select the best 35 teams that are left. I believe we came as close as humanly possible to achieving that goal."

Prominent among this year's uninvited is Louisville. The defending NCAA basketball champions, 18-14, were excluded along with everybody else in the Metro Conference when Memphis State, ineligible for the NCAA Tourney while on probation, won the Metro tournament. The post-season tournament was supposed to determine the Metro's automatic qualifier.

Officials of the Metro, which had sent teams to the Final Four the past two years, gambled and lost, apparently figuring at least one of their teams would get an at-large bid even if Memphis State won.

Delany said the committee spent more time debating the Metro situation than anything else.

"To Coach Denny Crum's credit, Louisville has probably played about as many top teams as anybody," Jernstedt said. "They've always scheduled good teams. But they were only 1-9 against top teams. They lose to Kentucky by 34, to Purdue by 15, to Washington by 15, to Syracuse by 25, to Memphis State by 16 and 23."

The committee has also been attacked for not showing proper respect to the defending champ.

"Our responsibility is to evaluate the teams in the 1986-87 season, with no consideration given to what's happened in the past," Jernstedt said.

Jernstedt also denied speculation that the tournament was sending a message, that it was trying to punish the Metro for letting a team compete in the league tournament for an NCAA berth it was not eligible to accept.

"That was not a consideration at all," Jernstedt said. "The conference had that option, and took it. We spent as much time on that particular situation as any I can remember. Louisville was very close to being in. Then the last information we get is they lose by 23 points on their home court" in the Metro tournament final on Sunday.

"You get down to those last five or six spots and you're looking at, say, Louisiana State, with a 21-13 record, double-digit losses. Then you look at who they played and where, and so on. You get into a comparative situation."

Louisville and every other prospective team was examined in the same way, say committee members.

"We look at their good wins, good losses, bad wins, bad losses," Jernstedt said. "And LSU with 13 losses appears more impressive than say, New Mexico with a 25-9 record. New Mexico played more than 20 home games. If you play that often at home, you should have a lot of wins."

Another at-large entry with double-digit defeats is Brigham Young, 21-10.

"But in the last three or four years it's obvious they've gone out and played the tough teams, home and away," Jernstedt said of the Cougars. "Others prefer not to do that. The committee has no interest in rewarding an institution that downgrades its schedule in an attempt to get into the tournament."

Hole In 1

AYDEN — Two holes-in-one were recorded at the Ayden Golf and Country Club this past weekend.

On Saturday, Warren Kinlaw aced the par-3 seventh hole, 148-yards long. Kinlaw was playing with Bill Loftin, John Chapman, Cecil Hinnant and Joe Brown.

Then, on Sunday, Tildon Brittle picked up a hole-in-one at the same hole. He was playing with Cobby Deans, John Corey, Gene Hemby and James Langston.

Can Foreman Continue The Year Of The Elder

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — If Jack Nicklaus can win the Masters at 46, and Willie Shoemaker can take the Kentucky Derby at 54, can George Foreman, a mere youngster at age 38, regain the world heavyweight championship?

It didn't look anything like it Monday night, even though Foreman won his first fight after a 10-year layoff by stopping Steve Zouski at 2:47 of the fourth round.

The snap was gone from most of Foreman's punches, although he showed hints of his old power and left a few marks on Zouski's face — a bloody mouth and a purple bruise on his right cheek under a swollen eyebrow.

Foreman returned to the ring in an expanded version, 267 pounds of thick muscle sheathed in fat. At 6-foot-3, he almost comically dwarfed Zouski, who had plenty of flab of his own even though he was 55 pounds lighter. Zouski, 32, matched Foreman plod for plod in a slow-motion fight and made a convenient target for the ex-champ, who worked hard pummeling heavy bags in training.

It was not a good vehicle to judge Foreman's potential for a comeback, yet the victory imbued Foreman with confidence and gave the middle-aged fans in the crowd of 5,555 at Arco Arena a new hero. They gave him an ovation on his arrival and cheered him afterward.

"After a few more fights, I'll challenge whoever is champion of the world," Foreman said.

Nursing a small welt under his left eye, the result of an overhand right by Zouski, Foreman said he would slim down to 212 pounds, about 100 pounds less than he weighed when he went into training a few months ago.

On the surface, his idea of fighting for the championship after a few warmup bouts seems ridiculous.

Fighters usually have trouble coming back after a year or two layoff, but no one has ever fought successfully after 10 years of idleness and junk food. Sharpening reflexes, recovering the speed of youth, and shedding weight at 38 are not easy.

"Does a 10-year layoff hurt?" Foreman asked rhetorically. "You bet it does. It takes something out of you. My timing and instincts were off."

But Foreman has shown determination in coming this far. At 46-2 with 43 knockouts, he's taken fewer punches than most boxers. And he continues to be driven, he says, by his religious beliefs, which he thinks will help him reach his goals.

Ten years ago, after seeing a vision of death and giving up boxing to preach in the streets, Foreman said "there is no way I will ever fight again. I can never be a hypocrite."

Reminded of that quote last night,

Foreman smiled and said, "Never say never."

Foreman no longer sees hypocrisy in combining a career in the ring with the vocation of preaching. He says he's comfortable with both.

He earned about \$24,000 Monday night and says he's fighting to help pay for some of the church work he wants to do.

The scowl of his youth, the imitation of former champion Sonny Liston he once affected, has disappeared. Asked how he felt about his victory, Foreman said softly, "contented." Before the fight, he stood in the ring and smiled broadly like a happy ghild.

Foreman said he could have stopped Zouski earlier, but wanted to go "at least seven or eight rounds."

"I had him hurt a couple of times, but I didn't press him," he said.

Foreman said he changed his strategy after a bruise under his left eye started to swell after three rounds.

Zouski, 25-11, said he was never hurt.

"The referee stopped it because I wasn't throwing enough punches," he said. "I was getting tired, but I wasn't hurt."

Zouski, whose previous claim to fame was being knocked out in three rounds by heavyweight champion Mike Tyson last year, said Foreman has a long way to go before he reaches Tyson's level.

"He's strong, but his punches don't have nearly the same snap of Tyson's," Zouski said. "Foreman had some pretty good power and he had good range."

The end came when Foreman, weighing 50 pounds more than he did when he kayoed Joe Frazier to win the heavyweight title in 1973, jolted Zouski with a right to the head, followed by a left to the temple and another left to the cheek in the fourth round of the scheduled 10-rounder.

Zouski swayed wearily and started backing away as referee Henry Eléspura stepped in and stopped the fight.

Foreman, who won the Olympic Gold Medal as a heavyweight 19 years ago, hadn't fought since losing a 12-round decision to Jimmy Young almost exactly 10 years ago in Puerto Rico. Foreman's only other defeat came when he lost his heavyweight title to Muhammad Ali in Zaire in 1974 after two successful title defenses.

Foreman was hospitalized with dehydration after the loss to Young and said he had a vision of death. He turned to preaching, walking the streets of Houston and baptizing people as a non-denominational Christian minister.

"I've gone through many changes," he said. "I feel good about fighting now. And I really do believe I can be champion again."

SMU Students Protest Scandal

DALLAS (AP) — Students at Southern Methodist University protested a football corruption scandal's effect on academic integrity as the SMU Board of Governors called for fundamental changes in the school's administration.

Cash payments to football players were the result of flaws in a system that needs to be overhauled, the school's Board of Governors decided Monday.

While the board met, SMU students protested the way school officials handled the football scandal that prompted the NCAA to cancel SMU's 1987 football season and to levy other sanctions expected to cripple the team for years.

Since the sanctions were leveled, Texas Gov. Bill Clements, former chairman of SMU's Board of Governors, has acknowledged that he and others knew about the payments to football players but kept mum about them.

Several students Monday carried signs saying, "The truth shall make us free," while one carried a placard saying "Oh no, Mr. Bill." Members of the Student Senate, which has called for a lawsuit demanding the names of those who continued the cash payments, moderated the rally — which was highlighted by the demonstrators singing a Billy Joel

rock ballad about honesty.

"One thing is evident — the current system didn't work," board chairman William Hutchison said after a four-hour meeting. "It didn't work because the structure at SMU failed to provide the necessary checks and balances required to effectively govern the institution."

A board resolution passed Monday includes a call for reducing the size of the boards of governors and trustees, and making members more diverse and more accountable to university officials.

Last week, Clements triggered an investigation by the university and the Methodist Church when he said that while he was head of the SMU Board of Governors, he and some other members knew of the improper payments to football players, and intended to phase them out. The governor said they knew the payments continued even after the NCAA placed the football program on probation.

Current board members flatly denied they knew of the payments and have called for a Methodist bishop-appointed committee to verify their statements.

Hutchison said Monday's resolution will be forwarded to a committee already appointed to study the structure of the 75-member board of trustees, for which the board of governors serves as an executive committee.



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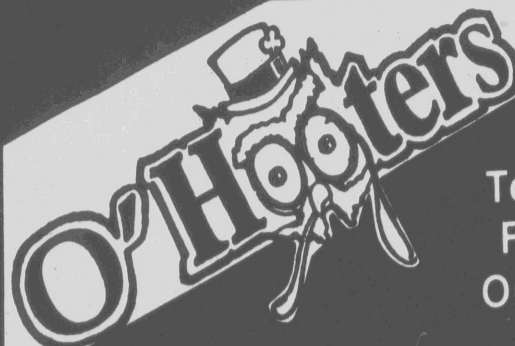
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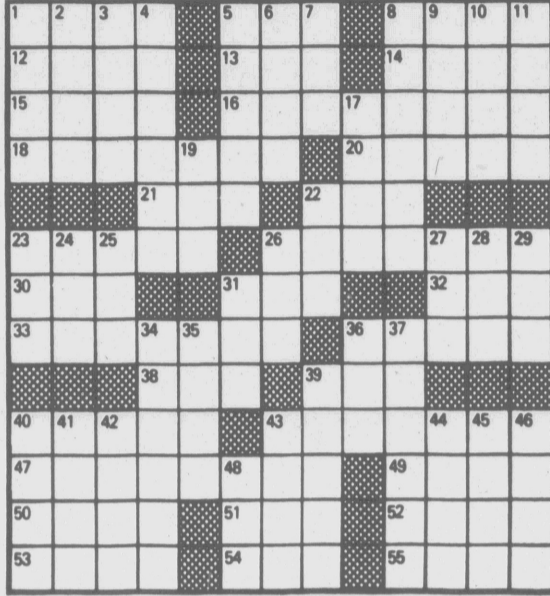
Crossword By EUGENE SHEFFER

- ACROSS**
 1 Does a model's job
 5 Tennis court sight
 8 Incite
 12 One type of rug
 13 Pie — mode
 14 Take the bus
 15 Moslem leader
 16 Asian country
 18 Recreation vehicles
 20 Corrodes
 21 New Guinea port
 22 Encore
 23 Icy rain
 26 Arthur's kingdom
 30 Ending for gent
 31 Ship's record
 32 Miss Lupino
 33 Tourists' needs
 36 Viper
- DOWN**
 1 Levantine
 2 "My Friend —"
 3 Sport group
 4 Specimen
 5 Mother-of-pearl
 6 Anagram for seal
 7 — o' — shanter
 8 Excite
 9 Offers
 10 Tighten up copy
 11 Some are high
 17 Hat part
 19 Dine
 22 Suitcase
 23 Dry, as wine
 24 Meadow
 25 Tall, stately tree
 26 Trig. function
 27 Cover
 28 Lyric poem
 29 Half of an old punishment
 31 Order's partner
 34 Hemingway
 35 Bellow
 36 Goal
 37 Refuse
 39 Italian poet
 40 Farm field
 41 Shore bird
 42 Jane Austen novel
 43 Aloo
 44 Uncouth
 45 Arrow poison
 46 Sweet, pulpy fruit
 48 Wood sorrel

Solution time: 27 mins.

OMAR BAT SMEW
 DAVE URI HILA
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 SCRAPS SENSES
 RATS ETO
 SANDLOTS SURE
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Yesterday's answer 3-10



CRYPTOQUIP

3-10
 HPTX ZU BPROB EOTX
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Today's Cryptoquip clue: U equals N

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Lucky Day
 On this day in 1876, Alexander Graham Bell transmitted the first telephone message — "Mr. Watson, come here, I want you." Bell did not actually intend to invent the telephone; he was trying to improve the telegraph. He had another stroke of luck getting a patent on his invention. His application arrived at the Patent Office just a few hours before one submitted by Elisha Gray. Gray also invented the telephone, but the history books rarely give him any credit.

DO YOU KNOW — What three-digit prefix is assigned to toll-free long-distance numbers?
MONDAY'S ANSWER — The Taj Mahal is located in India.
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Horoscope From The Carroll Righter Institute

FORECAST FOR WEDNESDAY March 11
GENERAL TENDENCIES: This is a day to accept delays that are taking place. Attend to whatever problems can be handled at the moment and put off long-range goals for now.
ARIES (March 21 to April 19): You are anxious to put a special talent across, but this is not the right time to be aggressive.
TAURUS (April 20 to May 20): You do not understand how to straighten out a home affair, so postpone any action on this.
GEMINI (May 21 to June 21): You may get a letter that brings you confusion, so delay in answering it until you understand more.
MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21): Don't do anything careless about finances. Avoid that person who gives unwanted advice.
LEO (July 22 to August 21): You feel depressed and want to do something foolish to try to solve a personal matter, but keep cool and calm.
VIRGO (August 22 to September 22): A personal worry should not stop you from handling outside matters. Try not to hurt the feelings of your mate.
LIBRA (September 23 to October 22): Don't rely on a usually generous person who is not in a position to help you today. Exercise patience now.
SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21): You had better go along with the expectations of a bigwig if you want to gain the benefits you expect.
SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21): Complete your difficult duties today. Get your fine ideas into motion and make progress now.
CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 20): You have an annoying responsibility to handle, but get to it and stop making up excuses.
AQUARIUS (January 21 to February 19): You want to get out of following a conservative higher-up, but this could bring trouble.
PISCES (February 20 to March 20): Although the situation around your home is hardly as you want it to be, don't make any changes.
IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ... he or she will be very magnetic, but will expect others to go to extremes to please him, or her, so teach this one to become more fair and cooperative. When your progeny does something that is exceptionally fine, don't be stingy with much-deserved praise.

"The Stars impel; they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to you!
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Bridge By CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

YOUNG PLAYERS VIE FOR HONORS
 There is one more wrinkle to the hand. Should South lead a low club toward dummy at some point, West must insert the ten. If he does not, declarer can finesse the table's nine as the extra entry for the dummy reversal.

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of the North American Intercollegiate Championship. Although participation was somewhat disappointing (only 22 schools held games), at least a start has been made.

"Bridge World" co-editor Jeff Rubens prepared 24 challenging par hands for the first stage of the competition. Conference winners are at this moment playing off for the right to represent the ACBL in junior international competition.

On this hand North-South were awarded 6 points for reaching a spade game or partial, or for doubling any opposing contract above the level of two hearts. A club partscore received only 2 points.

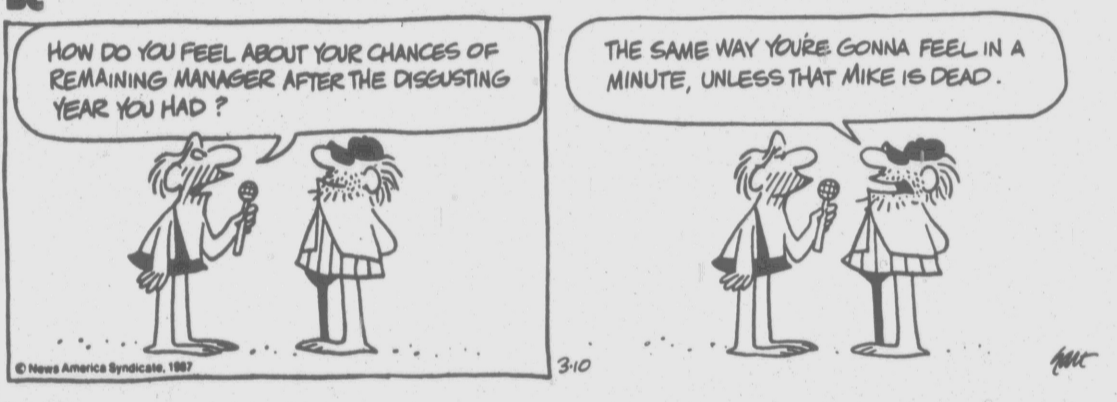
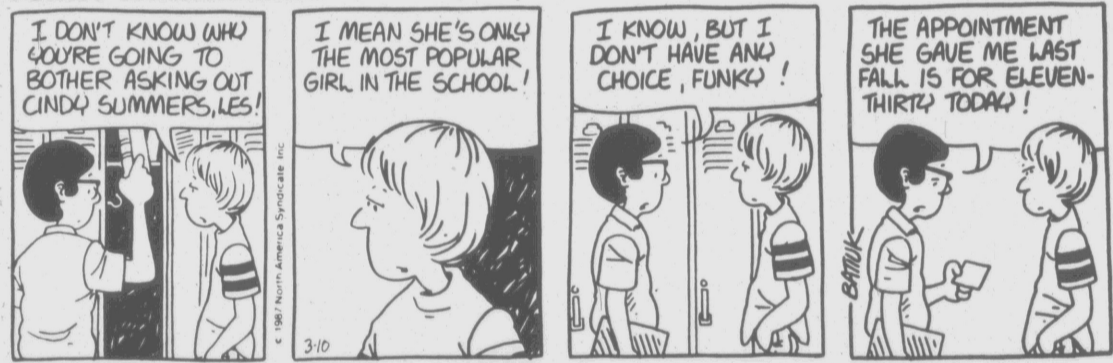
The hand is a defensive problem. After leading a high diamond, West should realize that declarer has no side-suit long cards that can be established. Since trumps are breaking, West must also recognize that a forcing game will only help

declarer—if South can maneuver three diamond ruffs in hand he can make the contract on a dummy reversal. Therefore, West gets 8 points for shifting to a trump at trick two. That proves one of dummy's entries prematurely, and declarer can come to only nine tricks.

If, after the trump shift, declarer ruffs a couple of diamonds, West must take care to unblock in the suit. Otherwise he can be thrown in with the fourth diamond after three rounds of clubs have been cashed, and be forced to concede the king of hearts to declarer as the fulfilling trick.

The opening salvo of the American Contract Bridge League's program to encourage young people to play the game was the resurrection

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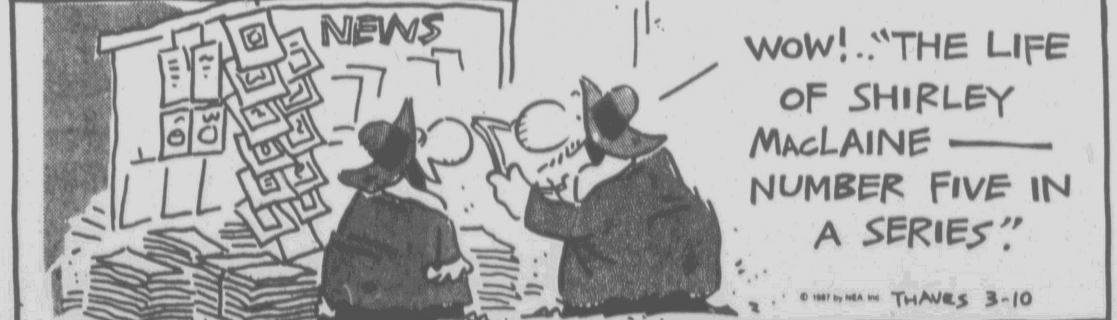
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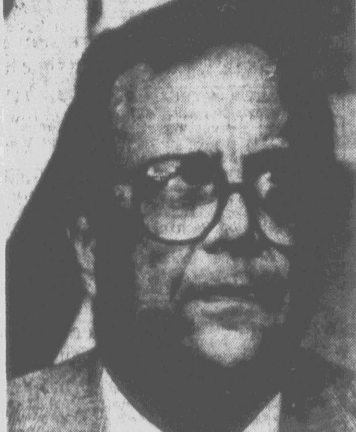


Cruz Resigns As Leader Of Major Contra Force

By REID G. MILLER
Associated Press Writer

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica (AP) — Contra leader Arturo Cruz has resigned from the directorship of the Nicaraguan rebel movement's largest political and military organization, complaining that he lacked support for planned democratic reforms.

The move stunned fellow Contra leaders and did not augur well for continued congressional financing of the movement's 5-year-old war against Nicaragua's leftist Sandinista government. Cruz was respected in Washington as a moderate.



ARTURO CRUZ

Cruz said Monday that his departure was "a long time overdue" as he made good on repeated threats to quit the United Nicaraguan Opposition, or UNO, if it didn't bow to his demands for what he called "democratic change."

"Of course I will be attentive, always interested in the political matters of my country and the development of events," he said.

CBS News quoted Cruz as reiterating in a resignation letter his demands that members of the UNO Assembly, a legislative forum, be elected by the Nicaraguan exile community and that Contra military operations be placed under the authority of the UNO's civilian directorate.

"This is indesensible so that the free world can have confidence in the rebel forces as a liberation movement and not be perceived as a conquering legion," he was quoted as saying in Spanish.

"Being controlled by the United States is an alternative that is moral-

ly superior to the Soviet domination of the Sandinista regime," he was quoted as saying. "But it does not signify that the Nicaraguans can evade the obligation to create our own genuine democracy."

"I think it's a loss for us," said Alfonso Robelo, one of Cruz' two fellow UNO directors. "It weakens our position, but we have to keep on fighting for our struggle."

In Washington, Rep. Sam Gejdenson, a Connecticut Democrat who opposes the rebels, said: "This is clearly the death note of the Contras. This should add opposition to what is clearly now a failed and dying policy of the (Reagan) administration."

The State Department had no comment Monday on Cruz's decision. Assistant Secretary of State Elliott Abrams said last month it would be a "real blow" to UNO if Cruz stepped down.

Robelo and UNO's third director,

Pedro Joaquin Chamorro, said they first learned of Cruz's decision from news reports.

"He told us what he told you," Chamorro said. "He said he didn't see the political will, the political base for the reforms that he has proposed."

Contra officials did not immediately suggest a replacement for Cruz.

Cruz' withdrawal from the three-man UNO directorate came just three weeks after another director, Adolfo Calero, quit largely at the urging of Cruz and Robelo. He was replaced by Chamorro.

Cruz, and to a lesser extent Robelo, had long been feuding with Calero over control of the Contras' largest fighting unit, the Nicaraguan Democratic Force, or FDN, which Calero

heads. The FDN claims to have about 15,000 fighters operating out of bases in Honduras.

Cruz wanted UNO's civilian directorate to have full control over the finances of the Contra army. His desire was strengthened by the controversy over the U.S. Iran-Contra deal, in which profits from the secret U.S. sale of arms to Iran were to go to the Contras.

Although the recently concluded Tower commission investigation was unable to trace the arms sales profits, congressional committees have vowed to make the money trail their top priority. The Contras say they received only a small percentage of the arms sales profits, estimated at \$10 million to \$30 million.

Chamorro said Cruz had planned to

meet with Enrique Bermudez, the FDN military chief, in Miami next week to propose that a new chief of staff be named for the Contra army, to whom Bermudez would report. Chamorro said both he and Robelo opposed the idea.

Cruz also wanted to expand the membership of the UNO Assembly and create a grass-roots, representative organization to be elected from Nicaraguan exile communities.

The plan met fierce opposition Sunday from conservative opponents who claimed Cruz was trying to form his own exile political party.

UNO was created in early 1985 at the urging of the United States in an attempt to unify exile groups opposed to the Marxist-led government that took power in Nicaragua in 1979 after

a civil war. But UNO, which means "one" in Spanish, has been ridden by dissension since its inception.

Cruz threatened to resign in mid-1986 in a clash with Calero over management of the military effort. After a week-long secret meeting in Miami, the three leaders said they had smoothed over their differences. But it soon became clear the rift remained.

"The agenda of the reforms is still open for discussion," Cruz told reporters. "But I am convinced that in order to make those reforms you have to start at the roots of the political organization and introduce some changes that require political support, and I don't think I have it at this time."

Resignation Fuels Anti-Aid Fight

By JIM DRINKARD
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The resignation of Contra leader Arturo Cruz is strengthening House Democrats' efforts to cut off aid to the Nicaraguan rebels until Congress gets an accounting of past aid, including funds diverted from Iran arms sales, supporters of the aid moratorium say.

"This is clearly the death note of the Contras," said Rep. Sam Gejdenson, D-Conn., following the announcement of Cruz' resignation Monday. "This should add opposition to what is clearly now a failed and dying policy of the administration."

Cruz, a former Sandinista ambassador to the United States who defected to the U.S.-backed rebels against his government, has been known as

a moderate and the key to some Contra support on Capitol Hill.

Sen. Christopher J. Dodd, D-Conn., said Cruz' departure shows the Contras are "not a democratic movement" and added, "My hope would be that what Mr. Cruz has done might convince (members of Congress) that this program is not worth supporting."

House Majority Leader Tom Foley, D-Wash., late Monday introduced a resolution that would give President Reagan six months to account to Congress for any money diverted to the Contras from Iran arms sales, as well as an accounting of the \$27 million in "humanitarian aid" given by Congress in 1985 and for any help solicited by gov-

ernment officials from private sources or other countries.

While party leaders say they have the votes to pass such a moratorium when it is brought before the House on Wednesday, they concede it will be only a symbolic gesture because they cannot muster the two-thirds majority needed to override a certain presidential veto.

And because of procedural tangles, the Senate is unlikely to address the moratorium proposal, voting instead later this week on a simple resolution of disapproval for the \$40 million that is the final installment of a \$100 million aid package approved last year.

At the same time, the leaders of House and Senate panels investigating the Iran-Contra affair scheduled a meeting for today

Public Notices

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Under and by virtue of that order for public sale, as amended, entered herein by Eleanor H. Farr, Assistant Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, on January 30, 1987, and approved by the Honorable Thomas S. Watts, Superior Court Judge, on February 9th, 1987, I will on the 18th day of March 1987, at 12:00 o'clock Noon at 508 Ford Street, Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina on the premises of the real property herein after described, which real property is located at the above street address, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title, and interest that the petitioner's ward, Lucy Wilson Best, has in and to the following described real estate, lying and being in the City of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

Lying and being in the western section of the City of Greenville, N.C. and on the west side of Ford Street, and being in Block "D", in the division of the Moore Springs land and which land and property is known as BILTMORE, a map of which is recorded in Map Book 2, page 250, of the Pitt County Registry, and reference to said map is hereby made for a more complete description, and which lot of land is more particularly described as follows:

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The successful bidder at said sale of real estate will be required to deposit a sum equivalent to ten percent of the successful bid.

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1 Pedestal Table (Broken)
1 Maple Chest
1 Single Maple Bed
1 Roll Away Bed
1 Wood Ironing Board
2 Radios
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1 Gas Stove
1 Refrigerator
1 Oil Heater
1 Oil Lamp
1 Table
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ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY. Immediate opening for secretary to top management. The qualified applicant should enjoy working with figures, have good typing skills, and some computer experience would be an asset. Good communication skills and the ability to handle a varied work load are required. If you are interested in a challenge, reply to Personnel, Box 1444, Greenville, N.C. 27835.

BOOKKEEPER/Accounts Receivable clerk needed immediately. Experience on computer necessary for this position. Apply in person at TPI, 309 Anderson Avenue, Farmville, N.C.

COMPETENT and industrious individual needed for a full-time secretarial position. Requirements for the position include: high school graduation or equivalency certificate, combination of schooling and work experience beyond high school, typing proficiency of at least 60 words per minute, excellent telephone skills, and the ability to greet public professionally. Salary range \$12,144-\$13,512 DOE. Applications will be accepted through March 13, 1987, at the Agricultural Extension Service Office, 1717 West Fifth Street, Greenville, N.C.

IMMEDIATE OPENING for experienced Appraiser/Word Processor. Legal background preferred but not necessary. Call Anne's Temporaries for an appointment. Ask for Jean. 758-6610.

ORDER ENTRY/Invoicing clerk needed immediately for business in Farmville. Good pay and benefits. Apply in person at TPI, 309 Anderson Avenue, Farmville, N.C.

WORD PROCESSORS & Executive Secretaries needed immediately. Call Frankie, Manpower, 118 Reade St., 757-3300.

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DENTAL HYGIENIST. Immediate opening in Washington, full or part time, good working atmosphere. Send resume to Dental Hygienist, P.O. Box 1967, Greenville, N.C. 27835.

DENTAL HYGIENIST. Full time position, modern office, pleasant atmosphere. Send resume to P.O. Box 888, Williamston, NC 27892. 792-1131.

MOVING AWAY? Make the trip lighter by selling those unneeded items with last action Classified ad. Call 752-6166.

ICU Med/Surg OB Nurses. Immediate full and part-time openings for RNs and LPNs. Salary commensurate with experience. Shift and weekend differential. Excellent benefits. Contact: Director of Nursing

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FULL-TIME Receptionist position with local ophthalmology practice. Excellent salary/benefits package. If interested send resume to Medical Receptionist P.O. Box 1967, Greenville, N.C. 27835.

IMMEDIATE OPENING for nurse in local doctor's office. Good benefits. For more information, send resume to P.O. Box 396, Greenville, NC 27835.

LPN NEEDED for growing medical office, good benefits, experience preferred. Send resume to LPN, P.O. Box 1967, Greenville, NC 27835.

PHLEBOTOMIST needed for growing medical practice. Experience required. Good benefits. Send resume to Phlebotomist, P.O. Box 1967, Greenville, NC 27835.

REGISTERED NURSES. Considering a change? We are looking for RNs interested in a challenging nursing opportunity. Full and part-time positions with flexible hours. Must have a NC License. We offer competitive salary and benefit package. Apply to Director of Nursing, Our Community Hospital, Inc., P.O. Box 405, Scotland Neck, NC 27874.

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BUSINESS IS Booming! Carpenters, Drivers, Millwrights, Welders, Heavy Equipment Operators, Mechanics, Electricians, Machinists, Engineers. (Up to \$32.40/hour) Transcontinental Job Search (303) 452-2258. Fee.

EARN GREAT MONEY, work your own hours. Sell Avon - #1 Beauty Company. 756-6396.

FULL TIME COOK Experience in steak and seafood helpful but not necessary. 35-40 hours per week. Duties include training and scheduling other cooks. Call 756-1161 for appointment.

FULL TIME Prep person and lineperson needed, daytime. Full time daytime utility person. Part-time cooks. Apply in person, Tuesday-Thursday, from 2-4 at Golden Corral, Greenville, NC. No phone calls please.

GROUNDSMAN. Capable of maintaining and operating grounds equipment. Contact: Robert Squar, 1212 Banks Road, Greenville, 756-4151.

HIRING! Federal government jobs in your area and overseas. Many immediate openings without waiting list or test \$15-65,000. Phone call refundable. (602) 838-8885. Extension 513.

LICENSED HAIR Dresser wanted at George's Hair Designers, The Plaza. Apply Tuesday-Friday, 10-5-30.

MANAGER Hair stylist for busy salon under new management. Salary, commission, paid vacation, company paid training. 1st year earning potential \$15,000 plus. Experience not required. Must have current cosmetology license. For personal interview call 1-800-872-6430.

NIGHT AUDITOR, part-time position, 16 hours per week, Friday and Saturday nights, 11 p.m.-7 a.m. Bookkeeping experience. Must be able to deal with the public. Apply at Cricket Inn Motel.

PROFESSIONAL RESUME composition - Atlantic Personnel Services, 355-7971.

PUBLIC SAFETY Officers. Town of Chapel Hill is taking applications through March for hiring July 1, 1987. Start \$19,004/year during 6 month training; performance-based raises follow regularly. Involves police, fire emergency medical services. Requires high school diploma or equivalent, excellent health, minimum age 20. Higher priority probable for police certification, fire suppression and NC residents. 15 days vacation, 11 holidays, full insurances, other excellent benefits. Apply: Municipal Building, 306 North Columbia, Chapel Hill, 27514 (919) 968-2700. EO/AEE. MALE/FEMALE.

REPAIRMAN needed with experience in repairing mobile homes. Apply in person between 9 and 11 a.m., Monday-Friday. No phone calls. Corner Homes, 616 West Greenville Boulevard, Greenville.

RESUMES, professionally developed. Free consultation. C. R. Writing Services, 355-6390.

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ROUTE DELIVERY. Fast growing company seeks mature, responsible person for local and out-of-town route delivery. No overnight. Provided. Call 756-4963 for interview.

SMELLING & SMELLING specializes in sales, management, training, accounting and clerical positions. Call 758-0541.

STADIUM CLEANERS - Opening for counter salesperson who enjoys working with friendly people. Apply at Stadium Cleaners 205 East 10th Street from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

STORE MANAGER. D.A. Kelly's, a rapidly growing women's fashion chain, has immediate opening for store manager position at Carolina East Mall in Greenville. Experience necessary. Competitive salary, benefits and incentives. If interested, send resume to: Lagretta Whitaker, Route 1, Box 104, Summerville, NC 27889.

BUMMER JOBS Openings available on food service staff at Camp Sea Farer, on the coast of North Carolina. Good salary plus room and board. Excellent opportunity for friends to work together. June 7-mid August. Must be at least 18 years of age. No experience necessary. Only ambition and good references required. For more information call 832-4744.

SUPERMARKET needs personnel. Apply to P.O. Box 4246, Greenville, NC 27836-2246.

TELEPHONE SALES. For local civic organization. Day and evening shifts. Call 752-0540.

TELEPHONE SURVEYORS needed for 3 to 4 weeks to update the new Greenville city directory. Must have neat, legible handwriting with a pleasant telephone voice and enjoy customer service. Salary based upon experience. Good salary and benefits package. Apply in person. Brody's Personnel Director, Carolina East Mall, Monday-Wednesday, 2-4.

LOOKING FOR ambitious, motivated real estate agents to work with a new and growing real estate firm. Call for your interview today. CENTURY 21 Janet Bowser & Associates, 355-7800.

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NEEDED IMMEDIATELY. Company expanding, looking for aggressive person experienced in sales to work Greenville, Wilson, Rocky Mount area. We will train. Send resume to: Frank Smith, Carolina Model Homes, P.O. Box 469, Greenville, NC 27835.

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A LEADING clothing retail store in the Greenville area has an outstanding opportunity for individuals interested in an entry level management position. Individuals must have a flair for high quality fashionable clothing, enjoys working with the public and has management abilities. Send resume to: P.O. Box 741, Winterville, NC 28590.

AN EXCITING opportunity to earn 35-50K per year in commission outside sales representing the nation's largest retailers home improvement division. Verified leads furnished and complete training provided with full company support. Call 919-355-7108 or 355-7888 to arrange an interview.

ATTENTION Real Estate Agents. We presently have an opening for one full time agent with a North Carolina real estate license. Full time. Must plan to work 40 hours per week. Leads and sales aids available. For your confidential interview, call Ann Bass, CENTURY 21 Bass Realty, 756-6666.

ATTENTION! Due to expansion in our new and used sales volume we are in need of several salespersons. Along with our new sales facility, we offer paid vacations, hospitalization, free demonstrator plan and income potential up to \$50,000 per year. No experience necessary. Some college education preferred. Contact Leon Kremetz at 756-1135 for an interview.

BRODY'S has outstanding opportunities for career-minded full time associates with merchandising and management skills for department head positions. Individuals must maintain a high professional image and promote a high level of customer service. Salary based upon experience. Good salary and benefits package. Apply in person. Brody's Personnel Director, Carolina East Mall, Monday-Wednesday, 2-4.

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PERMANENT POSITION

Job available now for goal-oriented person in a local branch of large international firm. This is an impressive opportunity for an ambitious person who wants to get ahead. To qualify you need self-confidence, pleasant personality. We provide complete company benefits, major medical, dental plan, profit sharing, optional pension plan second to none. Also complete training plan. Previous experience not necessary. Income range \$20-\$30,000 depending on qualifications. Only those who sincerely want to get ahead need apply. Apply in person. Job Service, Employment Security Commission, 3101 Bismarck Drive, Thursday only from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call 756-5866. This opportunity if with a Fortune 500 company.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS wanted. For your confidential interview, call Jean Hopper at 753-4433.

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STABLE MECHANIC for service and maintenance of Ford pickup and tractor. Technician needs to work 50-60 hours weekly. Call 752-7131.

TRACTOR-TRAILER Drivers. High pay. New equipment. 21 years experience required. Call 1-800-882-6574.

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SALESPERSON needed in growing GM dealership. Need aggressive, qualified salesperson. Will train. Fast application. Need not apply. Contact Johnny Jones at Winner Chevrolet for appointment. 746-4032.

SALESPERSON wanted with direct outside sales background. Ideal career for self-starter looking for advancement. Draw against commission, company vehicle, good benefits. Apply Termini, 3016 South Memorial Drive. 756-6424.

SELL YOUR USED TELEVISION Classified way. Call 752-6166.

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WHOLESALE COMPANY. An immediate opening for aggressive salesmen for route sales in eastern NC. Call 758-3568.

\$80K PER YEAR National Wholesale Jewelry Company needs Rep for local area. No direct selling, wholesale only. 713-782-8833.

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Opportunity for Teacher Financial institution willing to invest in two teachers to train in sales and management. Guaranteed salary for most months. Pick up and delivery available. Call One Source Services, 756-8200.

MAID SERVICE. Residential or commercial. Able, honest, and reliable. 758-9922.

MOORE'S HOME Improvements and repair work. Room additions, decks, custom cabinets. For free estimate call Donnie Moore, 752-0830.

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ROOF LEAKS FIXED and minor repairs. 18 years experience. Work guaranteed. After 6 p.m. call 752-9906.

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BRAND NEW 25" RCA color television with remote. No trade-in, less than \$26 per month. Furniture Liquidators, 2818 East 10th Street, Greenville, 758-8093.

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BRAND NEW RCA VHS-VCR wireless remote, slow motion, stop action, frame advance, visible search, 4 program/1 year timer with on screen instructions programmable by infrared remote control. 119 channel cable compatible tuner with auto programming. No money down, less than \$26 per month. Furniture Liquidators, 2818 East 10th Street, Greenville, 758-8093.

BRAND NEW component stereo system. 60 and 100 watts per channel including double cassette, equalizer, speakers, amplifier, pre-amplifier, quartz tuner, belt drive turntable, cabinet and optional compact disc player. All of this-no money down, less than \$26 per month. Furniture Liquidators, 2818 East 10th Street, Greenville, 758-8093.

CALL CHARLES TICE, 758-3013, for small loads sand, topsoil, stone, pine bark. Also backhoe and driveway work.

COBRA FIBERGLASS truck cover. \$150. Call 756-2320.

FHA CARPET \$4.95/square yard. Congoleum and Mannitol no wax vinyl, \$2.49/square yard. Thick sculptured Auhon, \$8.95/square yard. 1/4" Excelon tile, \$27.95/carton. 9/16" Rebound cushion, \$17.95/square yard. The Carpet Bargain Center, Greenville, 758-0057. Now open Saturday until 5 p.m.

FOR SALE: Designer gown on leather covered sides Magazine. Beautiful wedding gown of white organdy with white peau de soie with embroidery and appliques of floral silk Venice lace. Size 10. \$150. Camelot cap overcoat in matching silk Venice lace with walking length veil of illusion, \$35. 1-823-6837.

FOUR-PIECE dark oak bedroom suite. \$400. Casio keyboard and banjo. \$100 each. 756-7422.

GEORGE SUMERLIN Furniture. Stripping, repairing and refinishing. Paeolus Highway, 752-3509.

102 Mobile Homes For Sale

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL. Newly remodeled 70x12, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath used home. New carpet, new drapes, new doors and much, much more! Payments as low as \$133 per month. Cheaper than rent! Only at Luv Homes of Greenville, 264 Bypass, 756-6996.

NEW 1987 Doublewide. 3-Bedroom, 2 baths, 3% down. Only \$223.76 per month. Includes 5 year warranty, Corner Insurance, free set up and delivery. Call Quinn 756-7490.

OUR NEWEST MODEL 1987 Parliament. Has 1450 square feet, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths. This class home has deluxe carpet, vaulted ceiling with beams, dishwasher, deluxe pine cabinets, 2x4 walls and quality insulation. Less than \$22 per square foot!! Only at Luv Homes of Greenville, 264 Bypass, 756-6996.

THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS! This class home has 2 bedrooms and 2 full baths. Masonite siding. Vaulted ceiling, 2 ceiling fans, storm windows, washer and dryer. Quality carpets. Deodorant locks. All this for payments under \$12. Only at Luv Homes of Greenville, 264 Bypass, 756-6996. Free electrical hookup with purchase.

TWO BEDROOM mobile home in good condition. Central heat and air, partly furnished. Call 756-7107.

USED HOME BONANZA. All prices slashed. \$0 on my lot. Lowest prices in town. If you are considering a used mobile home, call 756-7138, ask for Mr. Meeks. Biggest selection in eastern NC.

12x58 MOBILE HOME, 2 bedrooms, hot water heater, new carpet, new refrigerator with maker, \$4500. 823-2376.

12x60, 1975 Champion. New gas furnace and carpet. \$7250 or offer. Call 355-7449.

12x60 1970 Kara Villa mobile home, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, new gas furnace, 2 air conditioners, 2 ceiling fans, mini blinds, deck and pool. Underpriced. \$5800. Call 756-4517.

12x70, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, central heat and air. \$5300. 746-6394 or 752-5167.

14x70 1983 Fleetwood, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, central air, fireplace, new carpet, deck, underpinning, shed and fence yard. Mortgage assumable, low monthly payment. 758-7278.

1972 2-BEDROOM CORNER. Assume 34 payments \$95.02 per month. No down payment. Call Quinn at 756-0333.

1974 12x60 2 bedroom, located at Shady Knoll Trailer Park. Call 793-2667 days; 793-4541 nights.

1975 VOGUE, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, extra clean. \$8500 down. Payments \$145. Set up and delivered. Completely furnished. Call 756-7490, ask for Mr. Meeks.

1978 3-BEDROOM Mobile Home, \$362.10 down, \$128.00 per month. Includes furniture set up and delivery. Partially furnished. Call Quinn for details. 756-7138.

1979 14' WIDE 3-Bedroom, \$458.74 down. Only 167.00 per month. Call Quinn 756-7138. This one will move!

1981 14x70. All extras, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, \$303.76 down and assume old loan. 24 hour finance. This one will move quickly. Call 756-0333, ask for Mr. Meeks.

1982 CORNER, 60x14, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, \$495 down, \$232 per month. This includes all. Call 756-7490, ask for Mr. Meeks.

1984 14x70, 2 bedrooms, \$314.86. Greenville volume dealer. Thomas' Mobile Home Sales. Across from Airport. 752-6060.

5000 DOWN, take over payments on this 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, with central heat and air, also underpriced. Call anytime, 746-3386.

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115 Lost & Found

LOST DOG. Small terrier mix near Heritage Village. Please call 355-7317 or collect 919-948-1855.

122 Business Opportunities

A BUSINESS! Buy or sell your business with C.J. Harris & Co., Inc. Financial & Marketing Consultants. Serving the Southeastern United States. Greenville, N.C. 355-7799, nights 756-8444.

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132 Commercial Property

BUSINESS PROPERTY, 1/2 acre lot with schoolhouse and metal building. Located in Farmville area. 753-3428.

FOR SALE OR LEASE: Warehouse, Farmville, 6,000+ square feet, truck body high, with offices, truck scales, rail siding, on 1.6 acres. 1-322-5171.

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136 Condominiums For Sale

\$2200 ASSUME shared equity loan on 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath townhouse in Shenandoah. Monthly payments under \$240. Call 756-4254.

139 Farms For Sale

350 ACRES Farm. Perquimans County. 1000+ acres of timber and merrishire 243 acres cleared. \$1250 acre 50% owner financed. Stanley Reddick, 919-297-2516. Route 1, Box 365, A. Belvidere, NC 27819.

142 Houses For Sale

ANXIOUS TO SELL. 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in Horseshoe Acres. Features include large lot and great room with fireplace. \$57,500. Contact Carolina Estate Realty, 355-7777.

ASSUME THIS non-qualifying FHA loan with low equity. This 4 year old brick ranch is immaculate-offers living and dining room, eat-in kitchen, two bedrooms on large wooded lot, minutes from hospital. \$56,900. Ask for Sue Dunn at Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500; Nights, 355-2588.

ATYDEN. Immediate occupancy may be possible with a lease purchase on this cute 2 bedroom home, great room with fireplace, detached wired workshop. Only \$37,500. Call Sue Dunn at Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500; Nights, 355-2588.

BEST BUY in town. \$2000 will get you moved into this luxurious cluster home so conveniently located. Decorator's own home features all the extras you would normally pay dearly for. Includes living room with corner fireplace, kitchen with all appliances and microwave, dining area, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, brick courtyard. Reduced to \$58,900. Elaine Butts Realty, 355-7653 or Mavis Troiano, 756-6346.

145 Musical Instruments

BABY GRAND Piano. repossessed Kimball, was \$600.00 now \$2,999.00. Cherry French Provincial, 3 years old. Delivery and warranty. 355-6022.

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BY OWNER brick ranch, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, den, living room, kitchen with eat-in area, air conditioning, \$48,000. 756-7316 or 756-7253.

COLLEGE COURT BACK ON THE MARKET... Thousands in remodeling on this charming 3 bedroom brick home. Sunny kitchen with Jalen-Aire. Lovely living room with fireplace, dining area opens onto deck. A really nice house. Won't last long at \$58,900. Call Nancy Dudley for appointment to see. Aldridge & Southernland Realtors, 756-3500 or 756-5596 nights.

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FABULOUS FIFTIES within walking distance of ECU this Williamsburg ranch offers great room with fireplace, three bedrooms, dining room and study; freshly painted, \$32,500. Ask for Sue Dunn at Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500; Nights, 355-2588.

FOR SALE. Real nice 2 bedroom house. Living room, den, kitchen, bath, a room for office or another bedroom. Newly decorated. Location: Colonial Heights, \$46,500. Call 752-2315.

LOG HOME. VA owned, 2 story, 4 bedroom home in country setting on acre lot. \$60,000. 100% financing available. Contact Carolina East Realty, 756-7316.

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NEW CONSTRUCTION-Darling Williamsburg ranch offers great room with fireplace, three bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, french doors opening to large deck, nice lot in country. \$38,000. Call Sue Dunn at Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500; Nights, 355-2588.

NEW CONSTRUCTION-Millbrook Street, this three bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home with living room and large eat-in kitchen is a rarity at this price. Only \$49,800 and builder will pay all points and closing costs! Only 5% Down! Call Darrell at Hignite Realtors 757-1969 Anytime.

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NO DOWN PAYMENT. Payments around \$180 per month, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath, brick with carpet, on wooded lot. Call Steve Evans Realty, 355-2727.

PINERIDGE Seller is transferring but his loss can be your gain in this immaculate cedar ranch; Only two years old and offers large greatroom with fireplace, dining room, three bedrooms, two baths, large wooded lot for privacy. \$38,900. A must see! Call Sue Dunn at Aldridge & Southernland, 756-3500; Nights, 355-2588.

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OWNERS ANXIOUS to sell their well maintained two bedroom, 1 1/2 bath condominium with fireplace. Excellent location.

CANTERBURY. This beautiful home is located in Waterville's newest and most exciting neighborhood. Designed with a charming exterior this family of 2's 1 bedroom downstairs and 2 bedrooms upstairs, 2 1/2 baths, fireplace in the greatroom. A very nicely appointed home.

WHAT COULD BE FINER than to have this Evans' Company built home in the country. Offering 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths. Pristine decor and all at an affordable price.

CANTERBURY - The selective buyer will appreciate the design of this new and appealing home. An entry foyer, formal dining room, a super nice great room, a separate laundry room, all enhance the very liveability of this traditional 3 bedroom brick home.

INVESTORS - New patio home including 2 bedrooms in brick and with heat pump on lot full of pine trees. Good location. Have ready tenant. Need owner.

FOR SALE by original owner. Twin Oaks Townhome. Unit F79, 102 David Drive, 14th Street and Greenville. 2 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, fireplace, swimming pool. Excellent condition. \$46,500. Call after 5 p.m. 756-1286.

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TWIN OAKS 2 bedroom apartment. 1 1/2 baths, washer and dryer hook-up. Pool privileges. \$350 per month. Call Allen 8-5, Monday-Friday, 758-3191.

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TWO BEDROOM apartments near PCC, wooded setting, water furnished, central air, \$340. J. L. Harris & Sons, Inc., Realtors 758-4711.

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By ED WHITE

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CHICAGO (AP) — A California man who wouldn't let his wheelchair get in the way of his dream of competing in the 1988 Olympics died of pneumonia after being denied a motel room during a fund-raising stop, his widow says.

Harry Jakobson, 37, had arrived with his wife and two children, hoping to raise some of the \$25,000 he needed to buy special wheelchairs and transport his horse next year to South Korea, where he hoped to take part in the equestrian competition.

Unable to check into a motel where they had reservations, the Jakobsons used an outdoor phone Wednesday night to call a friend and then waited 1½ hours with temperatures around 29 degrees, his widow, Toni Jakobson, said Monday in a telephone interview from her home in Redding, Calif.

Jakobson, who used a wheelchair because of spina bifida, a congenital spinal defect, died Saturday.

"It had to be caused by that long wait in the cold," Mrs. Jakobson said. "I know that's the reason Harry went. They didn't care enough about him to let him sit in the lobby."

Natu Batel, manager of the Sheraton Chase Motel, told the Redding, Calif., Record-Searchlight that a clerk refused to admit them because the elevator was not working and all rooms were on the second floor.

However, when contacted Monday night by The Associated Press, Batel said the Jakobsons simply couldn't afford \$280 for a week's stay. He denied they were told to leave the lobby and to use a pay phone outside to find other accommodations.

"We don't mind. He could have stayed in the motel and the lobby. He didn't want to use our phone and pay 35 cents. He wanted to pay 25 cents," Batel said.

Jakobson, a native of the Chicago suburb of Evanston, had planned to participate in Chicago's St. Patrick's Day parade and attend a dinner with the Chicago Bears' unofficial cheerleaders, as hosts.

He wanted to use both events to highlight his bid to enter the Olympics and raise money to train and travel, Mrs. Jakobson said.

The couple had arrived at O'Hare International Airport on Wednesday and took a cab to the Sheraton.

They later checked into another motel in Park Ridge. On Saturday, Jakobson said he felt ill and dehydrated, according to his wife.

"He is prone to colds and kidney problems since he only has one kidney," Mrs. Jakobson said. "I bought him some orange juice. His temperature was 105."

"I gave the kids a bath and went back to change the sheets. I told him to roll over, but he didn't answer. He wouldn't move. I called the desk and got help."

Jakobson died at a hospital in Park Ridge. Cook County medical examiners said the cause was bronchial pneumonia, Mrs. Jakobson said.

Contacted at his home Monday night, Dr. Robert Stein, the Cook County medical examiner, would not comment on the case.

Jakobson, who in 1971 won a gold medal in the 400-meter wheelchair race and a silver in the 100-meter race at the Pan American Wheelchair Games in Jamaica, knew how to ride but had never competed on a horse.

He had pledged to qualify for the equestrian competition in South Korea.

"He knew in his mind that he could make it to the Olympics," Mrs. Jakobson said. "That's what all his fund-raising efforts were for."



PEACE AWARD — Jehan Sadat, widow of Egyptian President Anwar Sadat, left, stands with Barbara Walters of ABC television in New York on Monday. Ms. Walters is holding the International Peace Award she presented to Mrs. Sadat on behalf of the Jewish National Fund. (AP Laserphoto)

Farm Sanitation Rules Proposed

WASHINGTON (AP) — After years of legal wrangling, farm laborers are about to get government-ordered toilet and clean drinking and handwashing facilities that have been required for decades for all other U.S. workers.

Ending what a federal appeals court labeled "a disgraceful chapter of legal neglect," Labor Secretary William E. Brock said Monday his department planned to require that farm owners start providing field sanitation facilities within six weeks.

"Barring unforeseen developments during a 20-day comment period, we will issue a standard by the end of April," Brock said, concluding that most states have failed to require such facilities on their own for the nation's half-million farm laborers.

Over the objection of farm owners, the labor secretary in October 1985 reversed a finding by his predecessor, Raymond Donovan, that federal standards were not needed. But as a preferred option to federal regulation, Brock had given the states 18 months to come up with their own rules.

As of Monday, only 14 states had met the minimum federal guidelines requiring toilets, running water for drinking and handwashing and an established inspection and enforcement mechanism, Labor Department officials said.

The 14 states listed by OSHA officials as having adequate field sanitation standards of their own are California, Connecticut, New Jersey, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Texas, Alaska, Arizona, Delaware, Maryland, New Mexico, South Carolina, Utah and Wyoming.

"Less than half of the field laborers in the country are covered by adequate sanitation requirements," Brock said. "Basic human decency demands that farm workers have access to sanitation facilities available to other working Americans."

Just last month, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia had ordered Brock to issue the regulations.

In a 2-1 ruling, the court said Brock acted contrary to the law in establishing the 18-month grace period in "an unsupported and unrealistic hope that state governments would suddenly move, en masse, to fill the need."

"The secretary's conduct was particularly egregious since the admittedly unsanitary conditions continue to adversely affect not only farm workers, but all consumers of agricultural products handled by farm workers," one judge wrote.

'Gold' Plane Lands

NEW YORK (AP) — A twin-engine plane carrying \$100 million worth of gold bricks made an emergency touchdown without its landing gear at Kennedy International Airport today, authorities said.

The pilot, who flies for the Canadian air courier service Soundair Corp., his co-pilot and a courier for Brink's Inc. were not injured in the landing, said Lt. Kevin Ward, a spokesman for the Port Authority, which runs the airport.

The gold weighed 1,800 pounds and was stacked in crates, he said. The plane was bound from Toronto, but its destination was not known, he added.

The Merlin landed at about 1 a.m., 20 minutes after the pilot first radioed that the landing gear under the right wing was malfunctioning, Ward said.

To make an emergency landing, the pilot pulled up the two landing gears that were operating and came in "belly up," skidding approximately 1,000 feet, he said.

The underside of the aircraft suffered some damage, but the wings were not damaged and there was no damage to the runway, Ward said. No foam was needed, said Sgt. Charles Cossentino, another authority spokesman.

U.S. Replaces Silverware At A Cost Of \$2 Million

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WASHINGTON (AP) — Diplomatic silverware at U.S. embassies and consulates around the world is being replaced at a cost of \$2 million because the State Department wants one common pattern for its sterling, not the four presently in use, according to Rep. Jack Brooks.

An estimated 156,000 new sterling silver knives, forks and spoons and other silver cutlery will be needed to complete the change, Brooks said.

And the Texas Democrat complained that the State Department's silverware replacement policy involves "illegal procurement procedures, weak internal controls, and overall sloppy management."

Brooks, the chairman of the House

Government Operations Committee, plans hearings on Wednesday to find out why U.S. diplomats need new silverware at a time of soaring budget deficits and requests by the Reagan administration for billions of dollars to protect American officials overseas from terrorist attacks.

He said he wants to explore whether, "given the budget cuts now being made in essential government programs, it really makes sense for the State Department to spend millions of dollars on silverware."

State Department representatives and officials of the General Accounting Office, which has reviewed the silverware-buying program, will testify.

A department spokesman, Dan Johnson, said officials were studying Brooks' statement, but would have no immediate comment on it.

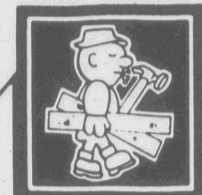
Brooks said the department has paid more than \$2 million since 1979 to buy some 72,000 pieces of silver flatware from a U.S. silversmith company.

And he said the GAO review has found what Brooks called "serious deficiencies."

For example, he said that while the original contract solicitation required the winning company to surrender valuable tools and dies at the end of the contract, the department permitted a rewriting of the contract to eliminate that obligation.

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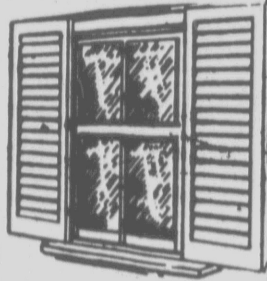
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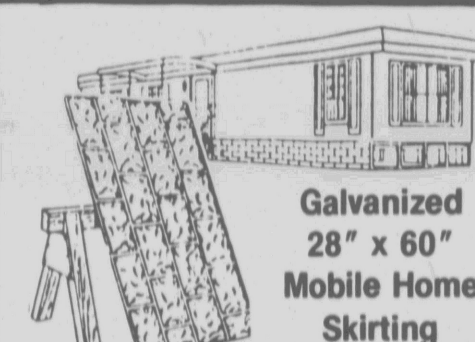
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Study Says Truck Drivers Show Signs Of Drug Use

WASHINGTON (AP) — About three in 10 commercial truck drivers may use drugs that could have a "potential for abuse" and pose safety concerns, an insurance group says after it conducted random tests on drivers along an interstate highway.

The Insurance Institute for Highway Safety said that of the 300 truck drivers who agreed to undergo testing, nearly a third showed evidence of some drug in their system that easily could be abused.

In 17 percent of the drivers, traces of an illegal drug, usually marijuana, were found, the insurance group said.

Brian O'Neill, the group's president, cautioned that it is difficult from the tests to determine precisely how recently drugs may have been used by the drivers, but he said the tests showed that in about 30 percent of the drivers tested there were drugs present "with the potential for abuse."

The findings were expected to be raised today before a Senate committee in support for random drug testing in the transportation industry.

The Senate Commerce Committee

plans to vote on legislation that would require random drug testing of thousands of airline and railroad industry employees. Some supporters of the bill want the testing to be expanded to include commercial truck and bus drivers as well.

Sen. John Danforth, R-Mo., the committee's ranking Republican, said the insurance group's findings provide "clear and convincing evidence" that commercial truck and bus drivers should be subject to the same testing requirements as those people who operate aircraft or trains.

Transportation Secretary Elizabeth Dole has urged Congress to enact legislation that would require random drug testing for aviation and railroad employees involved in safety-related jobs.

But Mrs. Dole has said similar federal requirements in the trucking industry would be virtually impossible to enforce since much of that industry consists of independent driver-operators who could not be tested easily.

The Insurance Institute's findings, made public Monday, were based on tests conducted on truck drivers at a weigh-in station along an interstate

highway in Tennessee. O'Neill said the drivers agreed to the tests voluntarily in return for being given a free medical examination and some additional compensation.

The institute found that in 14 percent of the drivers some amounts of marijuana were found in urine samples, and in about one-fifth of those cases traces of the active ingredient of marijuana were found in blood samples, indicating recent or habitual use.

Another 2 percent of the drivers were found to have amounts of cocaine in their system, 1 percent had some amphetamines and another 1 percent alcohol.

About 11 percent of the people tested, according to the insurance group, were found to have used legal over-the-counter drugs commonly found in diet pills or medication used for colds.

While those drugs are not illegal, O'Neill said they are of a concern because they are of the type "that may well be used in an abusive way" by large number of drivers and affect their ability to safely drive.