

Pleads For Responsible Course

Nixon Tells Congress Must Cut Spending

By JOHN M. PEARCE, Associated Press Writer. WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon says his fight against inflation is in danger but could be rescued if Congress forgives "the cost in political popularity" and cuts down federal spending.

The President said his \$192.9 billion federal spending ceiling is threatened by \$6 billion in rising costs that are beyond his control and added millions dictated by congressional action—and inaction.

protecting the buying power of the consumer's dollar is clear. But the Congress has not appeared willing to take that path. The keynote of Nixon's 1,200-word message was responsibility.

House versions. "The Congress appears to be well on its way to substituting tax reduction for tax reform," he said. "This will harm rather than help the average taxpayer...."

combination of congressional action and inaction "would load an additional \$5 billion onto an already overheated economy," Nixon said. "Recent Senate tax actions... would, if approved, actually take \$1.6 billion away from revenues."

He has said he will veto the bill if it contains both a personal exemption increase from \$600 to \$800 and a 15 per cent boost in Social Security payments, as the Senate version does.

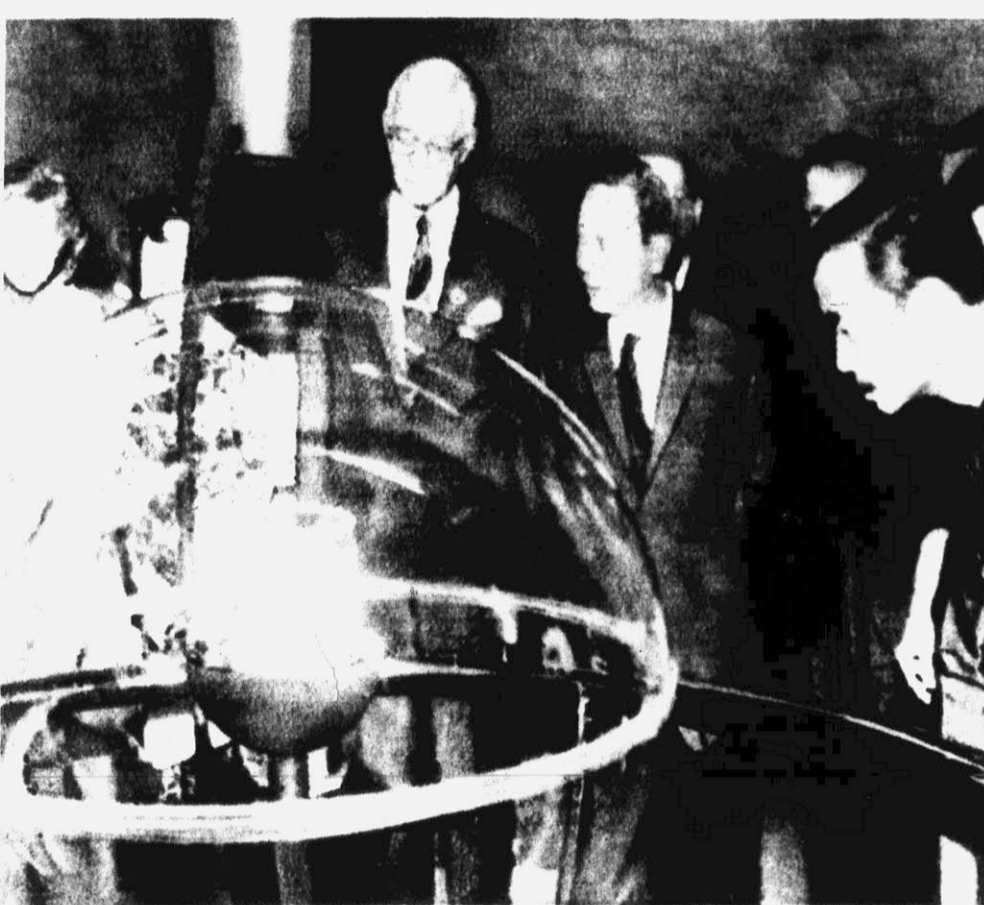
administration has specifically predicted a deficit, but a member of the Federal Reserve Board, J. Dewey Daane, said last month a sizable one could occur if the income surtax isn't extended, the 7 per cent investment tax credit isn't repealed and spending goes over the \$192.9 billion ceiling.

government spending and consumer confidence to a belief the "government will maintain its commitment to a responsible fiscal policy."

Another Huge Oil Slick Off Santa Barbara

SANTA BARBARA, Calif. (AP) — An oil slick covering 50 square miles of the Pacific drifted slowly southward today after a new leak developed from an offshore drilling rig in the Santa Barbara Channel, scene of a massive oil slick early this year.

At last report, the new teardrop-shaped slick was five miles off Ventura County coastal communities as oil company crews worked to skim it up before it could reach beach areas.



from the Moon to Saigon

LUNAR ATTRACTION—A three-quarters-of-an-ounce piece of the moon is the main attraction for a crowd of dignitaries at the U.S. Cultural Center in South Vietnam's capital of Saigon Wednesday. Viewing the rock are U.S. Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker, President Nguyen and Van Thieu at Bunker's left, and Vice President Nguyen Cao Ky, far right. (AP Wirephoto)

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Congress Strives Wrap Up Appropriation Bills While Awaiting Tax Key

By CARL P. LEUBSDORF, Associated Press Writer. WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress drove today to finish the year's appropriations business while waiting for a compromise on taxes and Social Security that holds the key to whether the lengthy session can end this Saturday.

Conferees on the tax reform bill, which contains a 15 per cent Social Security benefit increase, hope to reach agreement on the complex measure by tonight.

The bill, some \$4 billion more than the House voted, went to conference.

Threat Of Rail Shutdown Posed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The renewed threat of a nationwide railroad shutdown after New Year's poses a post-holiday hangover for the Nixon administration following union members' rejection of the biggest wage proposal in their history.

and Boilermakers—narrowly approved the proposal, but the unions had agreed none would accept unless all did.

School Board Is Looking For Vocational Teachers

The Pitt County Board of Education is looking for teachers in various occupational fields to staff a Middle School program of vocational education being conducted on an experimental basis by the county

board of education and the North Carolina Board of Education. Last week the State Board of Education approved 21 school districts for the experimental program, aimed at keeping potential dropouts in school.

tailoring, food preparation and other occupations which will be oriented toward girl students, could staff some positions.

Cyrus Eaton Opines Hanoi To Fight On

By JOHN RODERICK, Associated Press Writer. TOKYO (AP) — Cleveland industrialist Cyrus Eaton said today the United States should not believe that North Vietnam is "defeated or discouraged" or that it no longer has the capacity to fight.

discussions—said Premier Pham Van Dong and other leaders with whom he spoke appeared convinced that the United States intends to continue the war, either indirectly or through air and naval support for the Saigon government.

Cult Leader Asks To Be Own Lawyer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Charles M. Manson, facing trial on murder-conspiracy charges in seven slayings, wants to act as his own attorney.

Immunization For Measles Strongly Urged

Dr. E. Fox, director of the Pitt County Health Department, issued a warning today that all children over a year old, especially those in the Grifton area, should be immunized immediately against red measles.

The proposed settlement would have raised current wages of \$3.60 per hour to \$4 by Jan. 1, retroactive for all of 1969, and to \$4.28 by next August.

Begin Trial Of Eighteen

The trial of 18 persons charged with violating Greenville's city parade ordinance by marching down Albemarle Avenue last Friday without a permit, began in District Court here this morning.

Students in grades six through eight will participate in the program, Alford explained, saying the project is designed to provide occupational awareness for the students in the entire school system by integrating occupational information and activities into all phases of the curriculum.

Boycott By Negotiator

PARIS (AP) — North Vietnam's chief negotiator boycotted the Paris peace talks for the second week today, and his deputy charged that President Nixon is "sabotaging the conference."

Enforcement Degrees Talked Help Needed To Save Sea Cow

RALEIGH (AP) — Gov. Bob Scott says preliminary discussions have begun on the possibility of establishing degree-granting programs at East Carolina University for correction and law enforcement personnel.

Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (AP) — The Broward County Humane Society has rallied to the aid of a floundering sea cow.

Manson, bearded and long-haired, approached the bench with pad and pencil in hand and said, "Your honor, I am competent to stand and talk to you... I have the awareness to understand the charges against me and I have some knowledge of the law."

Old Romance Flowered Again

GAINES, Mich. (AP) — Leslie Miles and Grace White were sweethearts in East Jordan, Mich., in 1916, when both were 21.

They lost track of each other during World War I when White was sent to France as a soldier.

Indicted Mayor Will Not Resign

NEWARK, N.J. (AP) — Mayor Hugh J. Addonizio pledged "business as usual" today despite his indictment by a federal grand jury probing alleged official corruption in New Jersey's largest city.

First C5 Is Put Into Operation

ALTUS, Okla. (AP) — The first giant C5 Galaxy to be placed in operation was flown to Altus Air Force Base Wednesday from Marietta, Ga.

Quarantine Of Swine Ruled In Pitt; Hog Cholera Found

Federal and state veterinary officials announced this week a quarantine of swine in Pitt County. The action came as a result of hog cholera being diagnosed in the county.

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Agricultural Extension Service, vocational agricultural teachers in Pitt are doing the inspection of swine.



# Wilkins-Haddock Vows Exchanged On Saturday

WILSON—Howard Chapel at Atlantic Christian College was the setting Saturday for the marriage of Miss Carmen Teresa Haddock and Joe Bassette Wilkins Jr.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Alton Haddock of Hubert and Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Wilkins of Portsmouth, Va.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William R. Bussey.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white peau de soie covered in lace with white ruffled lace sleeves. The back of the gown was designed with a floor length overlapping bow which attached at the waist. Seed pearls and sequins were clustered at the bodice of the gown.

Her three-tier illusion veil was attached to a cluster of rosettes with seed pearls and sequins. The gown and veil were designed and made by the paternal grandmother of the bride, Mrs. Rufus Haddock of Grimesland.

Her bouquet was of white carnations and white roses in a cascade arrangement with a white orchid in the center.

The attendants wore pink and white brocade satin floor length gowns and carried two pink chrysanthemums. The maid of honor was Miss Tanya Sue Haddock, sister of the bride.

Bridesmaids were Miss Candy Moore of Falmouth, Me., Miss Linda Spradlin of Salisbury, Md., and Miss Judy K. Youngblood of Raleigh.

The mother of the bride wore a turquoise bonded crepe dress with matching accessories and a white orchid. The bridegroom's mother selected a pink wool dress with matching accessories and a white orchid.

A program of wedding music was presented by Larry James,

organist, and Jim Reaser, soloist, both of Wilson. The soloist sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "The Greatest of These Is Love."

The father of the bridegroom was best man. Ushers were J. Harold Herring of Wilson, Michael Lee Warren of Norfolk, Va., and John Michael Wilkins of Portsmouth, Va., brother of the bridegroom.

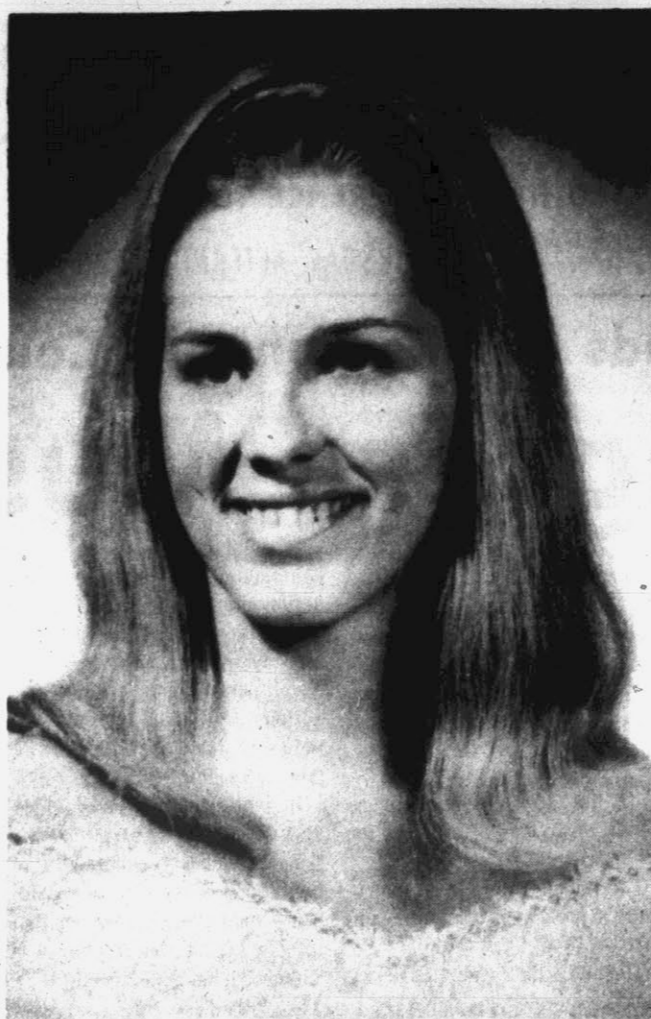
A reception was held at the Hertford House Restaurant following the ceremony.

Miss Hazel Wilkins of Portsmouth, Va., served wedding cake and Mrs. Jeanny Hodges poured punch. Mrs. J. Harold Herring presided at the bride's book.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Goldman of Portsmouth, Va., said good-



MRS. JOE BASSETTE WILKINS JR.



## Engagement Announced

MISS LYNDA FAYE DAVIS . . . is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Davis of Sanford, who announce her engagement to Harvey Doyle Seymour, son of Mrs. Mary Hurst Seymour of Greenville and Mr. Harvey Lee Seymour of Alexandria, Va. The wedding will take place Feb. 7.

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## Wedding Invitation

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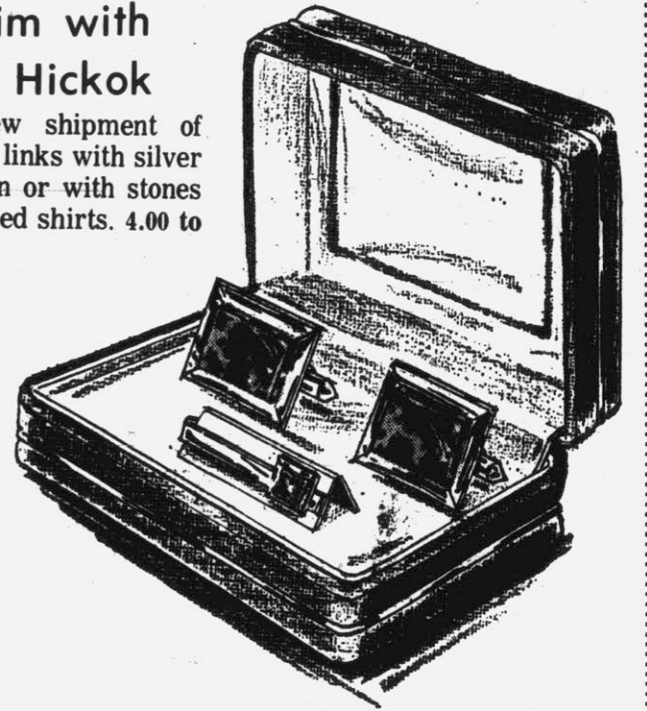
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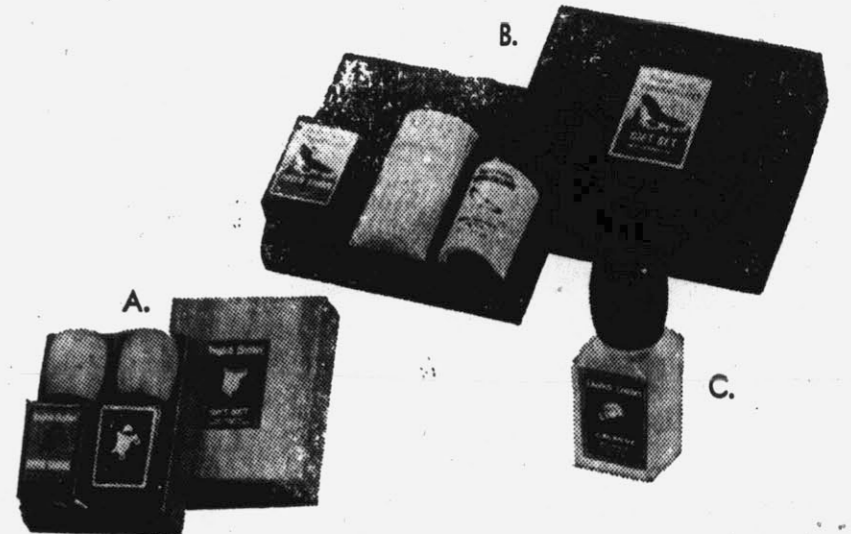
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## Marriages Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stuart Flanagan announce the marriage of their daughter, Helen Gaskill, to William Russell Cayton, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Alvy Cayton on Aug. 6, 1969, in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Smith of Greenville announce the marriage of their daughter, Betty Marie, to James Madison Myers Jr., son of Mr. James M. Meyers of Carolina Beach and Mrs. Guy Best of Goldsboro.

The leather look, whether real or imitated, is definitely in the fashion picture to stay. But before you go for leather consider the kind and cost of upkeep. Most real suede or leather garments call for dry cleaning only and require individual custom handling with accompanying higher charges. Simulated leathers are of two kinds — polyurethane coated fabrics that can be drycleaned, and expanded vinyl that must be wetcleaned or wiped off.

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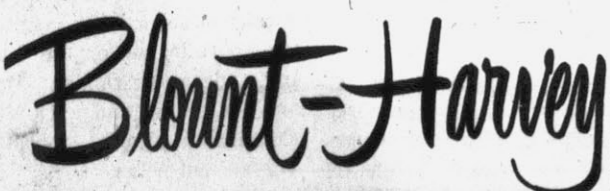
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# Calendar Events

**THURSDAY**  
 6:30 p.m.—Exchange Club meets  
 7:00 p.m.—Winterville Kiwanis Club meets at Community Bldg.  
 7:00 p.m.—Home Pride Garden Club Christmas Party at Fiddlers III  
 8:00 p.m.—South Greenville PTA meets in the school auditorium  
 8:00 p.m.—VFW meets at Post Home  
 8:00 p.m.—Coochee Council No. 60, Degree of Pocahontas meets at Redmen's Hall

**FRIDAY**  
 9:30 a.m.—Ladies day at Greenville Golf and Country Club  
 7:30 p.m.—Redmen meet  
 7:30 p.m.—Regular session of Faculty Duplicate Club at Planters Bank  
 8:00 p.m.—Junior Cotillion Holly Ball will be held at the Greenville Moose Lodge  
 8:00 p.m.—Greenville Garden Clubs meets with Mrs. J. Paul Davenport

**SATURDAY**  
 7:30 a.m.—Christian Business Men's breakfast at Silo Restaurant  
 1:30 p.m.—Regular Saturday Afternoon Duplicate Bridge game at Elm Street Recreation Center  
 8:30 p.m.—After-rehearsal party for the Parker-James wedding party and guests will be held in the Church of God fellowship hall Sunday

**SUNDAY**  
 12 Noon—Buffet at Greenville Golf and Country Club  
 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.—Christmas party for children of members at the Greenville Golf and Country Club  
 4:30 p.m.—The wedding of Miss Lois James to Larry Parker will take place at the Church of God, Greenville

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By CECILY BROWNSTONE  
 AP Food Editor

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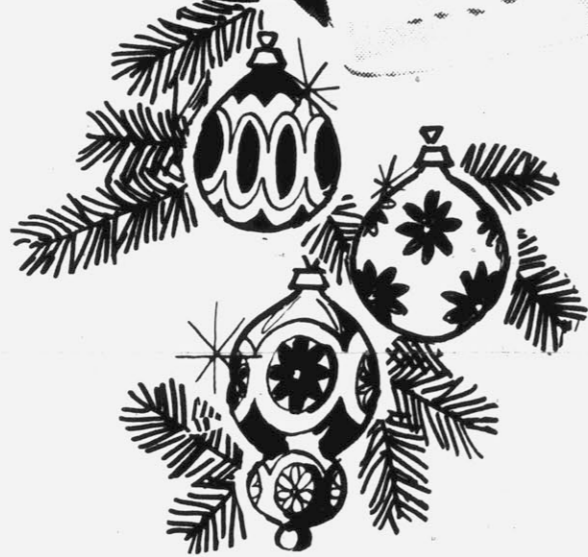
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# U.S. Serious On Withdrawal

There can no longer be any doubt that the United States is serious about withdrawing most of its troops from Vietnam.

President Nixon announced in a nationwide address Monday night that another 50,000 troops will be pulled out by April 15. It is the third withdrawal since Nixon took office and if it is completed on schedule the American troop level in Vietnam will have dropped by 110,000. There will be 432,500 U. S. troops there by April 15.

The president recognized that unusual activity by the enemy—a winter offensive, perhaps—could upset the schedule for peace withdrawals. He warned North Vietnam that he will take "strong and effective" action if he finds that "increased enemy action jeopardizes our remaining forces in Vietnam."

There is apparently some risk of this because the president reported, "Enemy infiltration has increased substantially. It has not yet reached the point where our military leaders believe the enemy has developed the capability to mount a major offensive, but we are watching the situation closely

to see whether it could develop to that extent."

In his talk the president warned that he was allowing sufficient time in the new withdrawals so that he would have the flexibility to assess and adjust to any Communist offensive and still meet his deadline.

So it is clear now that American policy calls for steadily disengaging from Vietnam. It is a policy that began with the halting of the bombing of the north before Johnson left office and it would take a major change in the war, or something that drastically changed American public opinion, to reverse this trend.

At the same time the gradual withdrawal is a tricky job. At all cost American troops who are still left in Vietnam must be protected from being overwhelmed by enemy forces. Hopefully the original objectives of our intervention will be carried out; that is to leave South Vietnam in a strong enough position to protect itself from being swallowed up by the communist.

Only time will tell how successful we will be in these carefully planned moves. But there is no question that the Vietnam war is gradually coming to an end for American fighting men.

## Full-Time Legislator Appears A Certainty

Lt. Gov. Pat Taylor has said the state must begin thinking about a unicameral legislature and election of fulltime legislators if North Carolina is to handle the urbanization problem coming its way in the near future.

It seems to us almost a sure thing that Legislators will receive full time salaries and devote most of their time to their duties in the future. This will mean greatly increased staffs and far greater cost of government.

We would think a while before approving of a one-house Legislature, however, since in the bicameral system one house acts as a check on the other. We can agree with the lieutenant governor, though, that vast changes will come soon in our Legislative system and the planning must begin now.

## Pacification Is Vital Factor

By ROWLAND EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK

WASHINGTON—The most revealing evidence of President Nixon's backstage battle against over-optimism on the Vietnam war is a confidential order just sent to Saigon for a province-by-province evaluation of the U.S. pacification program.

The source of that order: Dr. Henry Kissinger, national security adviser in the White House. Moreover, Kissinger's National Security Council staff has assembled experts from the State and Defense Departments to go to Vietnam and help with the evaluation.

This unannounced survey indicates that despite the President's announcement Monday night of another major J. S. troop withdrawal (at 50,000, the largest yet) both the President and Kissinger are wary about getting lulled into false optimism by exaggerated reports from the field.

In short, the White House is seeking to maintain a healthy skepticism about progress in the interlocking programs of pacification (an essentially political program to free hamlets and villages of Communist influence) and Vietnamization (an essentially military program of South Vietnamese troops replacing Americans).

What is known inside the White House as "the Rostow syndrome" haunts the President's top advisers.

That syndrome, which permeated the Lyndon Johnson White House during Walt Whitman Rostow's tenure in Kissinger's present job, was built on a seemingly endless series of charts and graphs ordered by Rostow to prove that the U.S. was winning the war.

But beyond their fears of infection by the Rostow syndrome, White House security aides are more restrained about Vietnamization (the process of turning the war over to the South Vietnamese) than the program's author, Secretary of Defense Melvin Laird. They believe the pacification program is absolutely essential to Vietnamization. Thus, if the Kissinger-ordered evaluation produces bad news about pacification, Kissinger might try to reduce the speed of future U.S. troop withdrawals below Laird's contemplated pace.

Nearly all confidential reports now coming into the White House from civilian pacification experts contain good news. Moreover, Mr. Nixon received a highly optimistic appraisal from Sir Robert Thompson, the famed guerrilla warfare expert who pacified Malaya for the British, when he stopped in and saw the President on Dec. 3. Thompson's estimate that the U.S. had at least a 50-50 chance today of expelling Communist influence from the countryside fits in with confidential findings.

Local elections of hamlet chiefs, a good indicator of government control, have increased in one of the four

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A Visit From Saint Nixon

By JAMES J. KILPATRICK

## Parole Is Offered South

By a vote of 208 to 203, the House last week offered a guilty South a chance to get out of jail on parole. If the Senate goes along, by approving the administration's version of a new voting rights law, it will be up to Southerners to show the country they have cut out the unfunny business.

The vote came after a bitter debate on the liberals' proposal generally to extend the Voting Rights Act of 1965. As the law now stands, the South might be released in 1970 on a plea of good behavior; the liberals would deny parole and extend the

prison term to 1975. This is what the fight is all about.

Fashioned as a weapon against racial discrimination, the 1965 act combined rifle and blunderbuss. It was good law and bad law wrapped in a curious package. In the pragmatic view, which is the view of Congressman William McCulloch of Ohio, it was "the most effective civil rights act in history." In the constitutional view, which is the view of Congressman Walter Flowers of Alabama, it was "one of the most discriminatory and prejudicial laws ever enacted

in the halls of Congress." I will buy both those opinions.

May I speak as a Southerner to these matters? The Fifteenth Amendment became part of the Constitution in 1870. It was short and to the point. One section prohibited denial or abridgment of the right to vote on account of race. A second section gave Congress power to enforce the amendment by appropriate legislation.

Southerners are supposed to be great constitutionalists. Any child could interpret that amendment. Yet for nearly 100 years, from 1870 to 1965, the South persistently, pervasively, and hypocritically violated this part of the Constitution. We of the South were guilty as sin, and the 1965 act was a justified verdict against us.

As such, the act was a punitive act. The trouble was (and this was one of the blunderbuss features) that the statute was clumsily geared to its own obsolescence, and, second, that the act trampled vindictively upon ancient principles of our law. Key provisions of the act were triggered by the low vote cast in the South in 1964; to extend these provisions and inferences to 1975, which is part of the liberals' proposal, is absurd. And to extend the part of the law that compels the seven affected States to come to Washington, hat in hand, whenever they wish to make the slightest change in their voting laws, is a degrading assault upon the federal structure.

The liberals' position, sad to say, rests on a solid foundation of demonstrated

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## Public Forum

TO THE EDITOR

We read, with great concern, your Sunday edition, front page report, on the plight of the current United Fund Campaign.

I have been concerned about the poor showing of Greenville and the County in general over the past six years when it comes to supporting the many Agencies of service so vital to a good community. Do the folks who hide from this solicitation each year think that there are substitutes for such services as the Bloodmobile of the Red Cross, or the help to needy families of the Salvation Army, or the Pitt County Association for the Blind or the Pitt County Mental Health Association? Are there really good substitutes for the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts or the services to our sons or family in Vietnam such as the U.S.O. provides? Our taxes—high as they may

be—are not giving the assist to your fellow-man that these Agencies provide. Ask some of the Gulf Coast people how valuable and necessary was the help they got from the Salvation Army and Red Cross in the hurricane earlier this year. I hope we do not have to have the same type disaster to prove to our Pitt Countians that it is vital to keep these Agencies in business.

Due to a lack of enough workers you may not have been contacted this year by the Pitt County United Fund and you may want to give. Please call Mr. Joe Tripp, United Fund Executive Director, at 758-1604 and he will see that your gift is picked up. Or mail your check to Pitt County United Fund, P.O. Box 298, Greenville, North Carolina.

Sincerely,  
Jack Bircher

## Recent Books For Executives

By ELMER ROESSNER

This season is seeing the usual plethora of books for the businessman such as "How to Make a Million in Wall Street," "How to Make \$2 Million in Wall Street," "How to Cut Your Losses in Wall Street" and so on. But this year there are



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three books that, though they do not tell how to get ahead in business, may be a delight and a use for the executive who is more interested in the world about him than in football scores.

The first has the frightening title, "Statistical Abstract of the United States, 1969," published by the Department of Commerce. It consists of 915 pages of

governmental statistics on business and things relating to business, plus notes and appendices.

With this book an executive can whip up a speech on cotton production in the last decade, the number of persons in the teens in 1970 or, as I often do, create the impression of total knowledge by tossing off in conversation or in my column such remarks as, "The United States Produced 2,051,000 long tons of bauxite in 1967." Seriously, it has a wealth of statistics useful in charting markets, planning advertising campaigns, or finding where one fits in the entire economy. It's \$5.75 from the Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20402.

Words, Words, Words  
The second book has less—or perhaps more—reference to business than the former, depending on how you look at it. It is "The New American

Heritage Dictionary of the American Language."

It is the latest important dictionary and probably the best. It has all the new words, up to publication date, and many of the old words that were thought to be too gritty for earlier dictionaries. Best of all, it is written in a style that tells it like it is, without pomposity and an apparently sincere desire to inform. It eliminates confusing symbols and abbreviations, and indicates the level of usage of words.

Its consultants included more than 100 literate men, including Bill Vaughan, Hodding Carter, Bruce Catton, Theodore Bernstein and Vermont Royster, who opined, "There is no noticeable difference between being hanged and gung."

This army of arbiters was recruited, inoculated and debriefed by William Morris, semanticist, who was editor-

## Broken Gift To A Bride

By JEFFREY D. ALDERMAN

Associated Press Writer  
NEW YORK (AP) — The giant casserole dish was only three months old, and my wife had often said it was one of her favorite wedding presents both for sentimental and decorative reasons. The girls in her office had all chipped in to buy it.

We were married in September and just recently moved into our new apartment. I was building some shelves in the kitchen and put the casserole on an end table to get it out of the way.

I also moved a lamp out of the way. Reconstructing the disaster later, I figured that the lamp cord got wedged under a leg of the end table. When I went to replace the lamp—CRASH!

I felt the tug of the cord and turned just in time to see that sacred dish fall—but not in time to do anything about it.

My wife had left for work. Should I hide it and hope she wouldn't notice? No, she'd be sure to miss it.

Maybe I could wedge all the pieces back together, then the next time she picked it up, she would think she had broken it. No, I'd never get away with that. I'd just have to face up to it.

I picked up the pieces, left a note telling her what happened and went to work myself.

I entered our apartment that night with head bowed. My wife was in the kitchen.

"Sorry about the casserole dish, I'll..."

"Don't say another thing," Joanne interrupted. "It could have been me just as well as you. We'll have to replace it, of course."

"Of course," I said, immensely relieved. "Thanks for being so nice."

The next day she had to work and it was my day off. Still feeling guilty, I decided that maybe I could salvage the dish by gluing it together. So I got out the cement and tried. Perfect, I thought. I put it on a shelf where my wife would be sure to see it.

Joanne arrived carrying a package.

"What have you got in the package," I asked.

"I bought a new..." she paused. "I bought a new... er, ah... dress."

"Oh," I said. "Let's see what it looks like." "Later, dear," she said, putting the package in the hall closet. "Later."

Then, looking at the mended casserole dish, she exclaimed lovingly:

"Darling, you replaced the casserole dish for me!"

"Well, I didn't..." I started.

"What a sweetheart," she glowed. "I didn't expect you to run right out and buy another."

By this time Joanne was at the shelf admiring the thing. "Don't pick it up, the glue's..."

My cry came too late. The casserole was, as before, in pieces on the floor. The only difference was that the pieces were sticky and dribbling on the rug.

At first she thought she had broken a second casserole, but then she saw the glue and began laughing uncontrollably.

You see, in that package in the hall closet, was a brand-new casserole, purchased or Joanne's lunch hour.

## Shortages Due Inventory Tax

By WILLIAM A. SHIRES

RALEIGH — A record Christmas buying season is at its height across North Carolina these days. But late shoppers and after-Christmas bargain hunters may find things pretty scarce for a while.

As store shelves and counters, showrooms and warehouses are cleared they are not being replenished—and won't be. At least not immediately.

Also, not all of the goods and stock being removed from retail trade—literally being moved—will find their way to Santa's sack or household pantries for the holidays.

Much of it, non-perishables and slow selling items, will wind up in a warehouse or for sale in another state.

Inventory — It will be mid or late January before an abundance of goods reappears.

cartons for shipment.

Except for the most popular sellers, he was leaving only a couple of cans and boxes of each product.

"We've been advised to cut out inventory by 25 to 30 per cent," he said. "We're a small, independent operation. If we're stuck with a big inventory (the tax) will eat up all the margin we've made."

On Raleigh's Downtown Boulevard, a large automobile transport truck which could haul a dozen new cars moved into a dealer's lot with only one new car aboard.

Resist — For years there have been pleas from business and industry and from the state's industry hunters of the Commerce and Industry division for repeal of the inventory tax.

But the pleas have fallen on deaf ears in the legislature because of opposition from the politically-powerful N.C. Assn. of County Commissioners. The argument has been that unless an alternative source of revenue is provided, such a tax is necessary to maintain local governments on an even financial keel.

Study — The 1968 state Tax Study Commission delivered an "indictment" of the property tax as a whole and coupled this with a recommendation that more than one new sources of revenue be made available to local governments.

It recognized that if "property taxes become much higher, the pace, of economic growth, including industrial development will be retarded."

This commission pointed to "complexities" in the property tax structure, difficulties in administration on a fair and equitable bases. It said the property tax does not "even approximately" reflect ability to pay because it is levied at the same rates on income-producing and non-income producing property.

It said relatively few types of property have a readily determinable market value. Inventories of merchandise for sale do have a reasonably precise market value, as does money and stock in corporations.

More careful study is needed, it said, and the 1969 General Assembly agreed.



WILLIAM SHIRES

Stocky rooms and display counters in many cases will remain relatively bare and business will be slow both in retailing and manufacturing.

This condition traditionally exists until after the deadline for listing tangible property, goods and raw materials, for inventory tax purposes.

Under North Carolina's revenue laws, local tax jurisdictions—the counties—levy an inventory tax at ad valorem property tax rates, and realize some \$15 million a year from it.

Reduce — When this January deadline approaches many merchants and manufacturers try to cut their inventory as low as possible. The idea of course is to avoid insofar as possible the tax which has been called a deterrent both to business and industrial growth.

In one town last week the manager of a small drive-in market was removing large amounts of non-perishables, canned goods, soap powder, lotions and the like from his shelves and packing it in

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## Strength For Today

SPIRITUAL POWER

The grace of God means the graciousness of God. This graciousness is not just an attitude which God maintains toward his creation. The grace of God is a spiritual power continuously at work on the world and its inhabitants if we would have it so. Into the midst of this busy world of ours, humming with activity, a subtle, persistent and overwhelming power is at work. This power is the grace of God. If we allow ourselves to be guided and controlled by this power then we are sure that come what may our lives will be significant and in the highest sense of the term, successful.

This does not mean that we have to be ultra-pious, sanctimonious, always thinking and

talking about religious matters. It means that we have to resign ourselves to a spiritual power which is abroad in the world, even the grace (graciousness) of God. Our physical lives are under the continual control of certain powers. One of these powers is gravity. Another is the desire to live and make something out of one's life. Still another is that curiosity which leads us to dig into the future and try to bring its secrets to bear on everything we do.

And if we have a right view of life then we are conscious of the fact that day by day an unseen, divine power is guiding us. This is the grace (graciousness) of God. The life that is not responding to the grace of God is the life without purpose, direction, and real achievement.

By Earl L. Douglass

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corps areas by eight or nine times in 1969 over 1967 and 1968.

This indicates that local leaders afraid to be associated with government officials in the district or province capital as well as with the central government in Saigon are afraid no longer. These elections of local leaders—traditionally by far the most important source of power in Vietnam's decentralized government structure—have been running close to 100 percent since early this year.

Similarly, provincial roads that were closed for years have been opening up for daytime traffic without military patrols. Construction of schools, another measure of success in pacification, is also way up from the past two years.

Nevertheless, Kissinger remains skeptical about these progress reports pouring into his office. He wants a total inventory of hamlet elections, road and bridge security, the depen-

dability of local militia, and other measurements of pacification in most provinces of South Vietnam except the First Corps area, just south of the demilitarized zone.

Specifically, he seeks an evaluation of whether the appearance of progress is due to genuine political control of appearance of progress is due to genuine political control of local leaders more or less loyal to the Thieu-Ky regime or whether it stems from secret agreements with Communist cadres, who may actually retain substantial political control over newly-elected hamlet and village chieftains.

The answer to that question is, of course, crucial to whether the rising curve of progress represents reality or wishful thinking, as it did so often during the Johnson administration.

**PLEADS GUILTY**

DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—A former Dallas representative for the U.S. Olympic Fund, Joyce Dodson Tate, pleaded guilty Wednesday to charges involving loss of \$72,000 from the fund.

**Bike Licenses Now On Sale**

Bicycle license plates for 1970 are now on sale at the Greenville Police Department.

Exactly 1,300 1969 plates were sold before the 1970 plates arrived Tuesday, Chief T. E. Gladson reported.

He suggested that plates could be purchased now for bicycles to be given for Christmas and said Santa Claus has been advised that the new 1970 registration plates are available for bicycles he has scheduled for delivery December 25.

Purchase of the 50-cents registration plates is required under a city ordinance that makes operation of bicycles not properly registered a law violation.

Proper registration of bicycles helps police return bikes to their owner in the event of theft and aids officers in the detection of

bicycle thefts, just as auto registration.

Just yesterday, police sold 32 bicycles that had been recovered over the past 12 months—some stolen and some lost. None of them had proper registration plates.

The department had 39 bicycles advertised for sale yesterday, but was able to return seven of the vehicles to their proper owners through the department's registration program.

The 50-cents fee, according to the chief, is designed to offset part of the cost of the program.

Persons wishing to register bicycles should be able to supply police with the make, serial number (frame number if any), and a description of the bicycle and equipment, including color, size, type seat, breaks, finders

and rims.

Chief Gladson noted it is also a good idea, especially if the bicycle frame has no number, to place some identifiable mark on the frame so it can be identified if stolen and the registration plates are removed.

**PAY CUTOFF**

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—The dean of San Francisco State College says he has cut off pay checks to faculty and student workers in the Black Studies Department for refusing to cooperate with the school administration.

**Kilpatrick . . .**

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fact and plausible surmise. The fact is that since 1965, the number of Negro registrants in the South has doubled. The 1965 act is largely, though not entirely, responsible for this. The increased black registration has led to significant gains in Negro

political participation. And the surmise is that left to their own devices, the Deep South States would turn back to chicanery in order to wipe out the gains.

The surmise rests upon the ugly record. In one Southern State, it used to cost \$50 to file as a candidate for sheriff; it has been proposed to raise the fee to \$500. Everyone knows why. In times past, various Southern localities have blandly resorted to re-registration, to at-large elections, to redistricting, and to abolition of elective offices as devices for th-

warting black aspirations. Rugged literacy tests, of course, were a favorite device.

But the record is not wholly ugly, and it certainly is not uniformly ugly. Virginia, for example, has been made a "conquered province," in Justice Black's description, by the 1965 act, but no examiners have been required in Virginia. Over much of the South, including parts of the Deep South, an honest accommodation has been reached with new political faces of life. With a new generation has come a

new and better spirit.

The Senate, in my own view, would do well to grant the parole proposed in the administration bill. If the South then sinned anew, it would be an overnight matter, as the margin in the House made clear, to revoke the parole and to crack down again.

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By Abigail Van Buren

**DEAR ABBY:** I'm just a poor working stiff (office job) with a big company, and I mean really BIG. Today I received an inter-office memo informing me that all the employees were getting together to "BUY THE BOSS A BUICK."

Now, the boss needs somebody to buy him a Buick like I need another head. Furthermore, I think it's a cheap trick to put the arm on all the employees this way.

So what's a guy supposed to do? If I refuse, it's sure to get back to the boss, and you know what will happen to me.

If I go along with it (which is probably the only thing I can do) I will hate myself. Got any advice?

**WORKING STIFF**

**DEAR STIFF:** If there are other "working stiffs" in your organization who share your feelings (and there must be), why don't you quit griping, and DO something about it?

**DEAR ABBY:** Our son who is 18 and in the Navy spent several months training in a distant state. During the last two months there he met a girl and spent every week-end with her. When he came home on leave he informed us that he was going to marry her within two weeks! Needless to say, we were shocked because she is only 17.

He is due to go overseas soon for at least a year, so we suggested they become engaged until they were sure of their feelings. It was then that he told us that they couldn't wait because she was pregnant.

After some questioning, he told us that he's not really sure she is pregnant, but she "thinks" she is. Also he is not really sure that he is the father, as she's dated several other service men that he knows, but she says he's the one.

Our son told us that the girl doesn't get along with her parents and is very eager to get away from home.

I do not condone our son's actions, but if he IS responsible for this girl's condition he should certainly face up to his responsibility. Still, how does one really know under the circumstances if it's really his responsibility? Can you advise us?

**WORRIED PARENTS**

**DEAR PARENTS:** First, your son needs legal counsel. And the chaplain on his base will be helpful, too. No young man should jump into marriage under any circumstances—especially the one you describe.

**DEAR ABBY:** This is for "TROUBLED," who married a homosexual. Abby, I'm glad you pointed out that he was "BI-SEXUAL," because any man who can go back and forth between both sexes is "bi"—not "homo."

Well, I married a man like that and I'm the happiest woman alive. I accept my husband's past, and even kid with him about the type of men "we" like.

I am sure he would never go with another man again for the same reason I wouldn't. Neither one of us would want to hurt the other by an act of infidelity.

So to that woman who is "troubled" because her husband had a man in his past, let me say this: Take pride, my dear, that of all the women and MEN he knew, he chose YOU! Sign This . . .

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## Appalachia's Poor Sew Fashions For The Rich

By CAROL DEEGAN  
Associated Press Writer  
CHARLESTON, W. Va. (AP) — The sewing circle in Back Woods, Appalachia, is stampeding New York's Park Avenue.

Instead of laboring over the traditional quilts and doilies, middle-aged women in the hills of southern West Virginia are sewing fashions for the nation's wealthy socialites.

That red and blue quilted hostess skirt and matching floor-length jacket seen swirling through the most fashionable circles came from a needle guided by age-old native skill.

And the capital of one of America's most poverty-stricken areas—Charleston, W. Va.—is becoming headquarters for production of some of today's most expensive women's fashions.

Why the switch from quilting bees to haute couture?

Mrs. Florette Angel, one of the organizers of the project,

says its a combination of skill, pride and economics.

The women in the back hollows of Appalachia want to contribute to their family income by using their own skills. They do not want to "live off" welfare or work in a factory, she said.

Until the summer of 1968, these native craftsmen tried selling their quilts for a top price of about \$25—or about 10 cents an hour.

Then, a group of young people who believe that native skills can be used in a highly profitable—if unlikely—enterprise, formed a non-profit corporation called "Mountain Artisans."

They organized about 100 women—clustered in sewing circles in various parts of the state—to use their skills in creating up-to-date women's apparel.

"You should see the pride in these people," said Mrs. An-

gel. "They seem so amazed that big city people really want what they are making."

Mountain Artisans supplies the designs, the patterns and the materials to the women who, in turn, create pink wool quilted pants, crocheted velvet skirts, knitted sweaters and caps and elaborately embroidered purses.

They are truly mountain artists—using skills handed down from mother to daughter. And it's almost a page from the past—except that the women are receiving 60 per cent of the wholesale price, or about \$2 per hour.

Retail prices for Mountain Artisans designs start from \$90 for a quilted hostess skirt and climb to \$380 for a combination quilted cotton skirt and jacket ensemble.

"It's wild, it's wonderful," said Mrs. Angel, 25, of Charleston, an employee of the West Virginia Department of Commerce.

As an employee in the crafts division, it is her job to help find markets for the wares of native artists.

A group of Harrison County seamstresses had asked her help in selling their quilts—a product not widely in demand.

"Then it struck me—I wrapped a quilt around myself and asked the women if they could make hostess skirts instead of quilts. They said 'yes'."

Now, instead of trying to find markets, Mountain Artisans is finding it tough to meet the demands.

The non-profit corporation is temporarily housed on the third floor of an old Charleston home that has been converted into offices for the private staff of John D. Rockefeller IV.

Rockefeller is West Virginia's secretary of state and his wife, the former Sharon Percy of Chicago, is vice-chairman of the organization.

"We liked the fashions so well that Sharon and I gave them as Christmas gifts to the family last year," said Rockefeller, who is aiding various anti-poverty programs in West Virginia.

Mountain Artisans does not intend to be a short-term endeavor.

Board members strongly believe there exists in Appalachia a tremendous growth and de-

mand potential for production of high-quality, high-fashion items, using all types of hand skills and materials.

"It's just that no one has had the resources—or the organization—to produce such fashions before," said Mrs. Angel.

She explained that many of the women did not have access to colorful materials and had to rely on old clothing, rags—anything available for their quilts.

Mountain Artisans buys colorful cottons, rich silks, satins and velvets for the designs which—Mrs. Angel said—"makes all the difference in the world."

Board members also are convinced that the scope of Mountain Artisans can be limited only by the imagination of the designers and the number of artists needed to execute production.

Mrs. Angel said various local artists with "unlimited imaginations" have been volunteering their efforts to adapt traditional quilting patterns—the wedding ring, stepping stone and tulip—and to create new ones.

"And, having already worked with over 100 women in only

four of West Virginia's 55 counties, and knowing full well there exists at least double, if not triple, this number throughout the state, we do not believe there will be a shortage of artists—ready, willing and able to work," she said.

Expansion plans include the development of women's accessories, men's clothing and accessories, children's clothing, toys, pillows, tablecloths and specialized work for interior decorators, manufacturers, designers and stores.

### School Holidays Begin Friday

Christmas holidays for the city schools have been announced. The last day of school before Christmas is Friday, December 19. The first day of school in the new year is January 5, 1970.

One change is also announced for the Teacher Work Day. Originally scheduled for January 26, it will now be held on Monday, February 2. This change was made due to the loss of 3 school days.

### Town Office To Close Two Days

WINTERVILLE — The Winterville Town Office will close Thursday and Friday, Dec. 25-26, in observance of the Christmas holidays.

The office will reopen Saturday morning at 8:30 for a half-day as usual. Garbage will be collected Saturday morning.

### Woman Becomes Flying Chaplain

GREENFIELD, Mass. (AP) — A woman minister, the Rev. Phyllis Ingram, says she has been accepted as a chaplain in the Civil Air Patrol, cracking the long-standing rule allowing "male only" chaplains.

An associate pastor of a United Church of Christ here, and an experienced pilot, she says qualified women clergy now will be given equal consideration for chaplaincies in the C.A.P., a branch of the Air Force. Her denomination had supported the change, calling the old rule discriminatory.



**PLEADS INNOCENT**—Susan Denise Atkins, 21, leaves a Los Angeles courtroom after pleading innocent to charges she murdered actress Sharon Tate and six others. The slender brunette from San Jose, Calif., wore the same pink velvet dress she wore in previous court appearances. Trial was set for Feb. 9. (AP Wirephoto)

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### Brownies Host Their Mothers

The girls of Brownie Troop 451 entertained their mothers at a Christmas Party at the home of Mrs. Mavis Butts.

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Refreshments were served with Miss Patsy Hudson, sister

of one of the Brownies, pouring punch.

The girls presented their mothers with wooden candleholders decorated with red candles and holly, which they had made. Each girl also made a gift for her father.

The leaders remembered each of the Brownies with a Christmas clown filled with candy.

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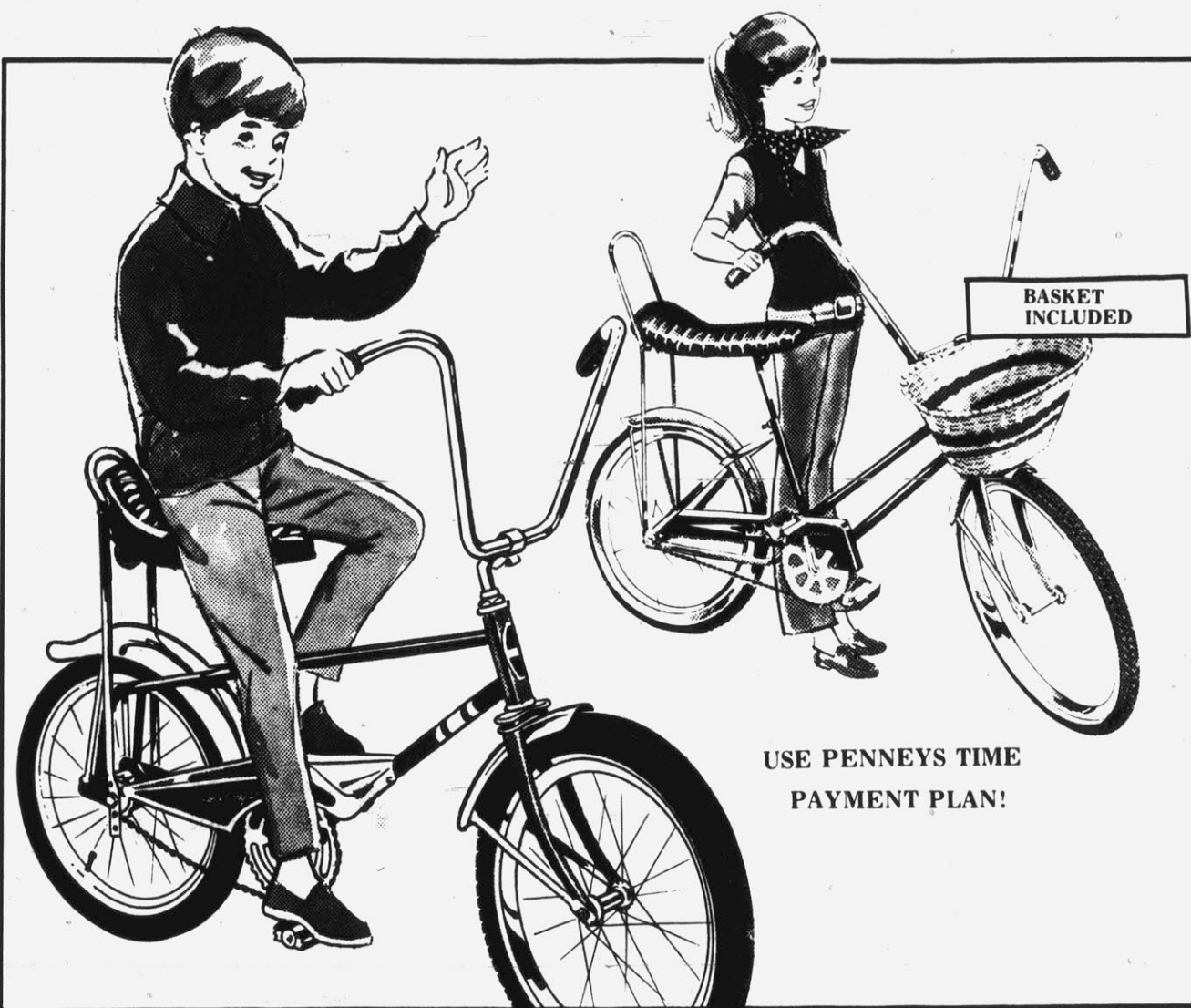
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# Community Notes

The Pitt County Usher Union Club will meet Sunday at 6 p.m. at Dilda Chapel FWB Church.

The Good News Community Club will have a meeting Tuesday night at 7:30 in Cornerstone Baptist Church.

The Rev. W.L. Phillips will preach at Sweet Hope FWB Church Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

Quarterly meeting and homecoming will be held Sunday at St. Rest Holiness Church, Winterville. The following services have been scheduled: 10 a.m., Bible Church School; 11 a.m., morning worship, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. W.C. Elliott; 3 p.m., the Rev. Ollie Harris will preach; 7:30, Holy Communion; 2 p.m., dinner.

The ushers of Sycamore Chapel Church will meet Sunday at 3 p.m. at the home of Boy Daniels, 1815-B Norcott Circle.

The Pastor's Aid Club of St. Peter Baptist Church will meet Sunday at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Fairella Clemons, Rt. 2, Robersonville.

AYDEN—Wisdom Chapter No. 37, Order of Eastern Star, will hold their election of officers Saturday at 1 p.m.

A Christmas program will be held at the Meadowbrook Day Care Center on Friday night at 7 o'clock. Santa Claus will be on the program.

The Rev. W.B. Moore, pastor of Cornerstone Missionary Baptist Church, announces the following services for Sunday: 9:15 a.m., Church School refreshment hour; 9:30 a.m., church school; 11 a.m., morning worship and communion services; 3 p.m., the Rev. J.B.

Taylor of Selvia Chapel will preach: 6 p.m., Christmas program;

Prayer meeting will be held Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

Worship services will be held Christmas Day at 11 a.m.

A church business meeting will be held this Saturday at 3 p.m.

The Willing Workers Club of Good Hope FWB Church will meet Sunday at 2:30 p.m. in the dining room of the church.

The Junior Ladies Auxiliary of Sycamore Hill Baptist Church will have its final meeting for the year Sunday at 4 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Claudine Allen, 704 E. Avenue, Ayden.

Quarterly meeting will be observed at Holy Hill FWB Church this weekend. The following services have been scheduled: Friday, 7:30 p.m., quarterly conference; Saturday, 7:30 p.m., Holy Communion; Sunday, 9:45 a.m., Sunday School; 11 a.m., morning worship with the sermon by the pastor, the Rev. R.E. Worrell; 2:30 p.m., dinner served; 3 p.m., Rev. Ed Bryant of Bethel will preach.

An appreciation service for the two organists of St. John's Baptist Church, Mrs. Fannie Harris of Falkland and Mrs. Ethel Arrington of Fountain, will be held Sunday at 8 p.m.

The Willing Workers Club of St. John's Baptist Church, Falkland will meet at the home of Mrs. Hallie Williams Sunday at 4 p.m.

The Senior Ladies Auxiliary of Sycamore Hill Baptist Church will meet Sunday at 5 p.m. at the home of Mrs. J.A. Nimmo, 1003 W. Fifth St.



**PERRY IS A PET** — Danny Hampton of Chadds Ford, Pa. watches his mother hand-feed a possum. The injured animal was found by the side of a road, nursed back to health and set free, only

to find its way back to the Hampton home. It now sleeps under the kitchen rocker during most of the day, roams the house at night and even shares the same dish with a pet cat. (AP Wirephoto)

## Three Retiring Members Of Planters Bank Board Honored To Faculty

Three members of Planters National Bank's Greenville board of managers who are scheduled for retirement at the end of the year were recognized at a special dinner Tuesday



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**DAVID T. HOUSE JR.**

of service to the bank and expressed appreciation for their "positive contribution to Planters National's splendid



**B.D. JOHNSTON**

Recognized at the dinner which followed the regular monthly meeting of the board were B. Alton Gardner, current board chairman; B. D. Johnston, former manager of Belk-Tyler; and David T. House Jr., former clerk of Pitt County Superior Court.

Each of the men was presented a retirement gift for their service. The presentations were made by W. A. Breedlove, PNB senior vice president in charge of branch administration.

Breedlove congratulated the retirees on their extended tenure

growth and progress in Greenville.

"The future looks even brighter," Breedlove continued, "and it will be a great satisfaction for you to see tangible benefits accrue to the Pitt County area in the years ahead as a result of your dedicated efforts."

Gardner, Johnston and House have served on PNB's board of managers since its organization in 1960. Their retirement will be under the bank's system-wide retirement policy.

### Final Argument Over Instructor

CHAPEL HILL (AP) — A hearing committee was to hear final arguments today in the case of a University of North Carolina instructor accused of refusing to teach on Vietnam Moratorium Day Oct. 15.

First arguments were heard last month in the case involving David Blevins, 27, a part-

time sociology instructor at the University's Charlotte branch. No immediate decision is expected.

Blevins was the only UNC instructor who failed to meet his class on Moratorium Day. University officials had warned faculty members that refusal to teach would be considered a violation of the university's anti-disruption policy.

Dr. Smith, a native of Elizabeth City, is married to the former Carol Longenecker, also of Elizabeth City.

## Complaints Bring New Policy On Use Of Bus

RALEIGH (AP) — Complaints that a bus owned by the University of North Carolina at Charlotte was used to transport a group of antiwar protesters to Fayetteville has resulted in a change in the school's policy on use of the bus.

Sgt. John Chernick, a Ft. Bragg soldier, made the complaint to two Cumberland County legislators, Reps. Joe Raynor and Norwood Bryan.

Chernick was "moonlighting" at a Fayetteville service station Saturday when the student group from UNC-Charlotte purchased gasoline there on a university credit card. The students attended an antiwar rally staged in Fayetteville as part of the state's moratorium activities protesting the Vietnam war.

Bryan contacted an official of the Consolidated University of North Carolina and requested information about use of the bus and the policy governing it. Raynor wrote a letter Tuesday

to Gov. Bob Scott expressing Chernick's "concern."

Ken Sanford, director of UNC-C's news bureau, told a newsman Wednesday that in the future the bus owned by the school's athletic department — will be rented only to athletic and other campus groups sponsored by the university.

Sanford said under the old policy, the bus could be rented by any on-campus student group "recognized" by the university. He added that use of the bus Saturday by the Progressive Political Union was consistent with the policy at the time.

Sanford explained the bus was purchased by the university with athletic funds and no appropriated funds were involved.

### FIRES IN KENTUCKY

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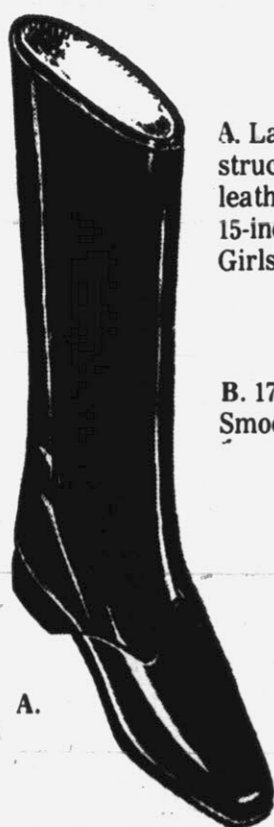
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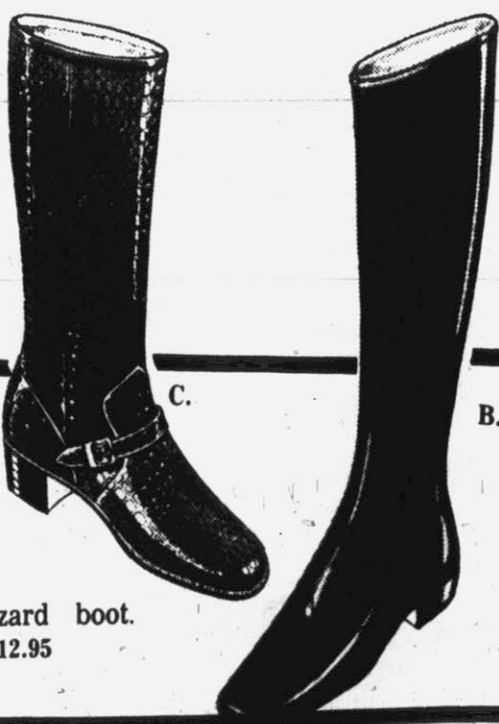
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## Police Sell 32 Bicycles

Thirty-two bicycles recovered over the past 12 months by Greenville police were sold at auction yesterday for \$376.

The money received for the bicycles—most of them stolen—will be turned over to the school fund.

The bicycles could not be returned to their owners because they had not been registered with the department, and no one had reported the bicycles stolen.

At the first of December the department had 39 unclaimed bicycles on hand but was able to return seven of the vehicles to

their owners through the department's bicycle registration program.

## Tiny Tree Has Special Place

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Forty Christmases past, and the memories that go with them, are brought to mind by a tiny artificial tree with red berries that sits in a special nook in a home here.

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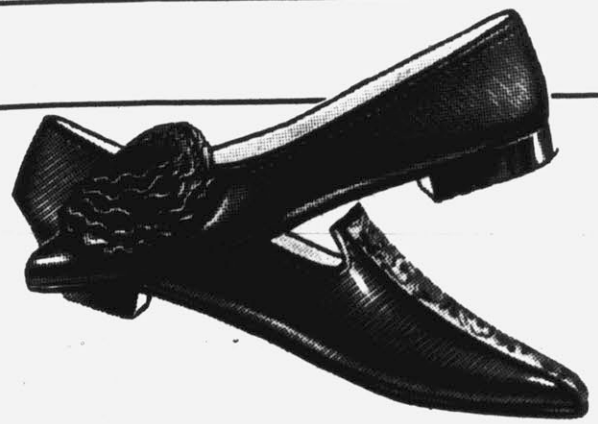
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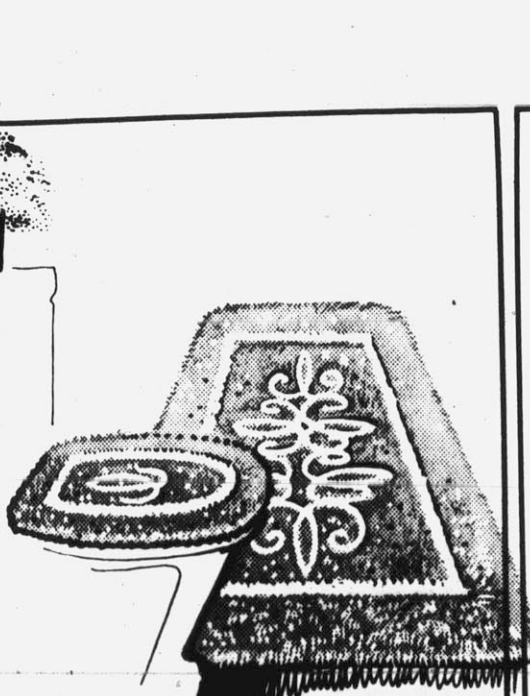
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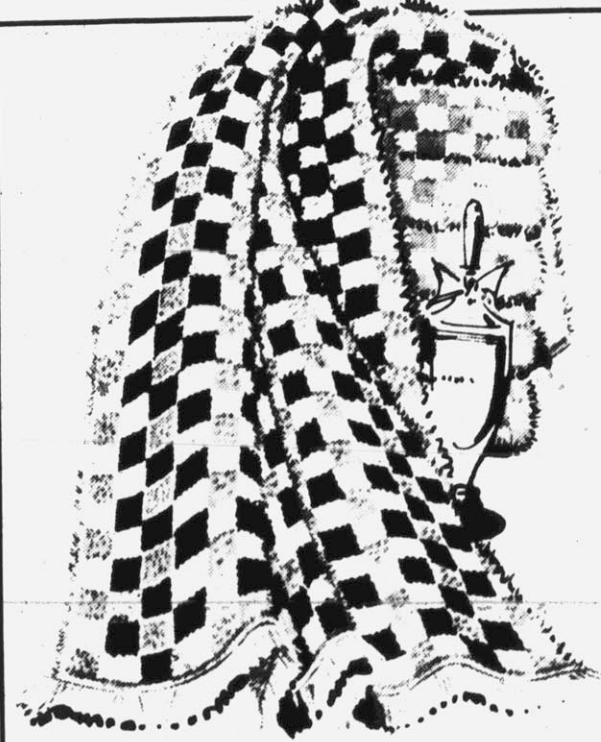
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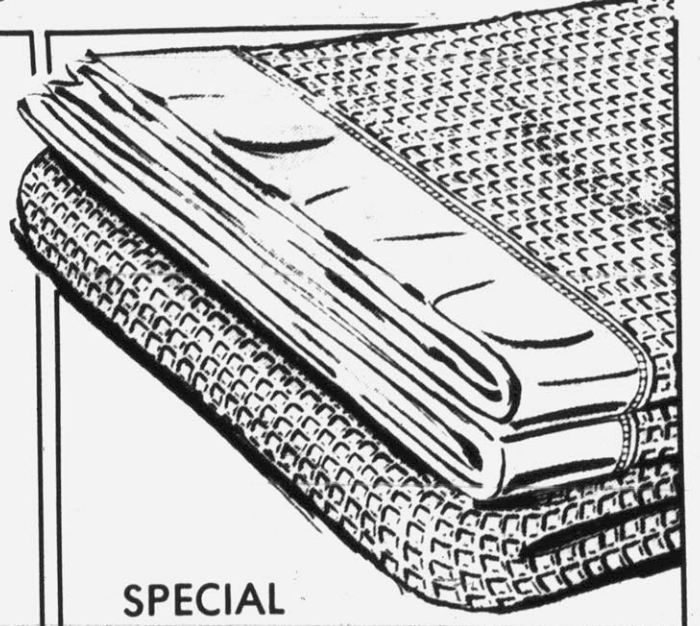
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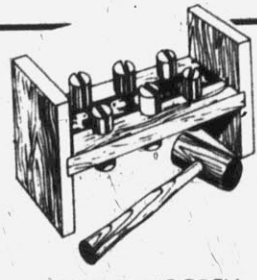
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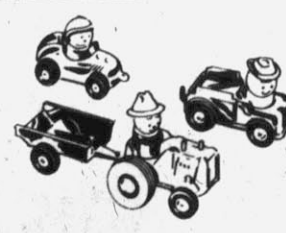
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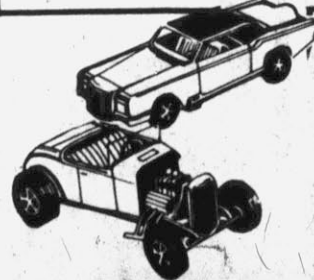
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# Pollution Can Make Life Impossible

By JOHN M. LEIGHTY  
BERKELEY, Calif. (UPI)—  
Smog has become a silent killer in the forests of California. More than a million trees are dead or dying from polluted air.

Barring dramatic new pollution controls, the only solution seems to be the development of a smog resistant strain of trees, and despite the obvious difficulties, the U.S. Forest Service is hard at work on the task.

An aerial survey conducted by the forest service in November showed 161,000 acres of conifers in various stages of decay in the southern California range.

In northern California, monitoring devices at Watsonville near Santa Cruz have verified that smog levels are sufficient to damage Monterey pine.

There also is suspected damage to the famous trees at Torrey Pines State Park near

Riverside, in southern California.

Residents around the San Bernardino and Angeles National Forests first began noticing pine trees turning yellow in 1955. But it wasn't until 1962 that Dr. Robert V. Bega, director of forest disease research in Berkeley, discovered the cause to be smog.

**Trees Decline**

Bega exposed a sample of trees to heavy doses of ozone, which produces the same effects as smog. The trees underwent the same type of "chlorotic decline" as the pines in the forests. During chlorotic decline trees gradually lose their vigor and the needles turn yellow and fall. The chlorophyll in the leaf tissue is destroyed, speeding up the aging process and weakening the trees, making them prey to forest insects, particularly bark beetles.

Chlorotic decline is progressive. In five years, trees now beginning to show symptoms of light damage will turn yellow—in a few more years they will be dead.

In San Bernardino forest, 46,000 acres of pine are nearly dead, 52,000 acres are in a moderate stage of decline and 61,000 acres have begun to show symptoms.

Although other species of trees may be damaged by the present levels of smog, the pine trees, particularly the ponderosa pine, are the most susceptible.

"The trouble is being able to read symptoms," Bega said. "We have studied the pines enough to know the damage. We have to be able to learn the symptoms of other trees better before we can really say it's smog or another type of disease damaging them."

The forest service has an

emergency program of tree removal and planting. The dying trees are cut to make room for the more tolerant species.

In Riverside, 23 varieties of conifers are being exposed to ozone in a tightly controlled experiment to find out which species are least susceptible to smog.

"Hopefully through a genetics approach a strain of tree can be developed which is more resistant to smog," Bega said. "If we can determine the genetics, perhaps there's a way to resist the smog. But the way it looks now, there's no relief in sight."

Smog damage in the forests is not limited to trees or to California. All sections of the country face the pollution problem.

Industrial emissions of sulfur dioxide gas have been found to be detrimental to the health and vigor of forest trees in the southeastern and eastern United States. And even in remoter areas of the country, trees and vegetation are endangered

where factories spew poison uncontrollably into the air.

Vegetation is also in danger, Bega said. In the Los Angeles basin, where the smog level is often acute, it is no longer profitable to grow lettuce and spinach. Yields of citrus fruits have been cut in half. Flower growers have been forced to move.

Bega said smog is moving further and further into the mountains and tree damage has been recorded as far as the Palm Springs area, 114 miles east of Los Angeles.

**Programs Goals**

The forest service research program has the following goals:

—Find the genetic line of conifers most susceptible to

smog and replace them with more tolerant species.

—Monitor forest environments to determine the levels of air pollution. In northern California, beginning surveys are already showing danger signals.

"We know we're picking up concentrations that are damaging (in northern California) and know trees are damaged," Bega said.

—Study the impact of smog on the growth of pines. Researchers want to find out if injured trees can recover if placed in a clean air environment.

—Use aerial photo surveys to determine the extent and severity of damaged forests. Accurate surveys can be made quickly through new photographic techniques. A federal grant has enabled the foresters to extend the aerial survey technique nationwide.

The research will continue but in the meantime the forest service says the severity and extent of damage in the forests shows "there is little time left for application of effective air pollution controls."



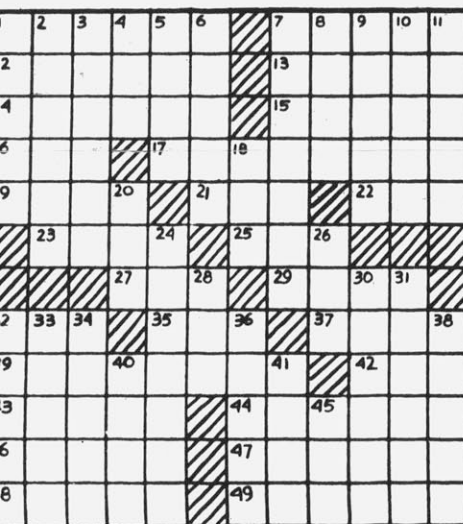
LIFE CAN BE MADE IMPOSSIBLE — Plant pathologist Robert V. Bega of the U.S. Forest Service examines

needles of a smog-damaged ponderosa pine in the San Bernardino National Forest. (UPI Telephoto)

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27. Knock
29. Stroll
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35. And not
37. War god
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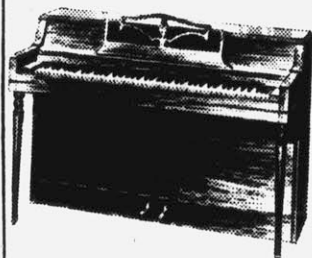


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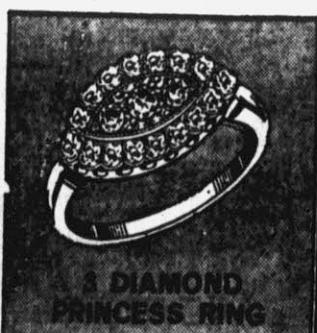
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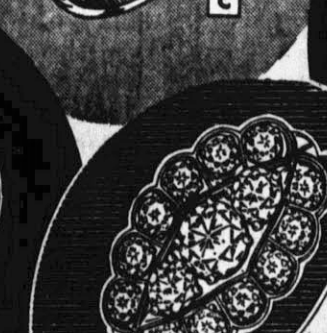
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# U.S. Intelligence Misjudged Enemy Numbers In S. Vietnam

By FRED S. HOFFMAN  
AP Military Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. intelligence misjudged enemy strength in South Vietnam last year by at least 68,000 men.

This conclusion is inescapable after comparing a new official estimate with an earlier calculation of North Vietnamese and Viet Cong manpower for the fall of 1968.

The Pentagon said Wednesday night "revised best estimates of enemy strength in South Vietnam during the fall of 1968 now indicate an enemy force of at least 290,000."

Checking back a rundown issued in early September estimated enemy manpower in South Vietnam as of Oct. 25, 1968 ranged between 207,000 and 222,000.

There was no immediate official explanation for the wide variance in the estimates. But it tends to underscore Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird's reluctance to deal publicly in numbers.

It also casts doubt on the Pentagon's new "best estimate" that there were at least 240,000 of the enemy in South Vietnam this fall.

The Pentagon put out the new figures for autumn 1968 and autumn 1969 after Laird, under questioning by newsmen said Tuesday: "I would estimate that the range of enemy presence in Vietnam is in the neighborhood of at least 40,000 below last year."

In trying to avoid citing specific figures, Laird said "it's not an easy task" to estimate enemy troop strength.

He has preferred to talk in generalities about North Vietnamese infiltration of the South, saying there has been an increase within the past few weeks.

However, his apparent lack of confidence in figures raises questions about the validity of claims that infiltration has gone up or down in any given period.

Estimates of the extent of the enemy's presence in South Vietnam are made in large part following questioning of enemy prisoners, identification of enemy units in the battle area and analysis of captured documents.

## New Batteries For Wm. Douglas

WASHINGTON (AP) — Justice William O. Douglas spent five days in the hospital last month having the batteries of his heart pacemaker replaced, a spokesman says.

Douglas was at Walter Reed Army hospital from Nov. 3 to Nov. 8. The pacemaker was implanted in the 71-year-old justice in June 1968 to correct an abnormally slow pulse rate.

"He's healthier than you or I," his spokesman remarked Wednesday.

## FLY-THROUGH

ST. LOUIS (AP)—A mystery aircraft, displaying no lights or serial numbers, flew through the S. Louis Gateway arch last night. It was the second plane in less than a week to accomplish the feat.

as well as from such sources as agents.

Also reconnaissance planes and certain types of sensors scattered along the Ho Chi Minh Trail in Laos give a reasonable picture of truck movements.

Sources in Saigon reported

Wednesday North Vietnamese truck activity along the Ho Chi Minh Trail was four times heavier in November than in October and it is still increasing.

Trucks carry ammunition and supplies with most infiltrators walking to South Vietnam in a

journey that takes some three months, according to expert opinion.

Experienced officers acknowledged it is very difficult to gauge the number of men moving on foot in small parties along many different routes.



INCOMING!—A GI dashes for cover past a Special Forces soldier huddled over equipment in the back of a jeep as incoming North Vietnamese mortar fire impacts on a nearby ridgeline at the Bu Prang Special Forces camp

in South Vietnam's central highlands. The U.S. Command reported Thursday that 836 Americans had been wounded in action last week, a sizeable increase over the 592 wounded the week before. (AP Wirephoto)

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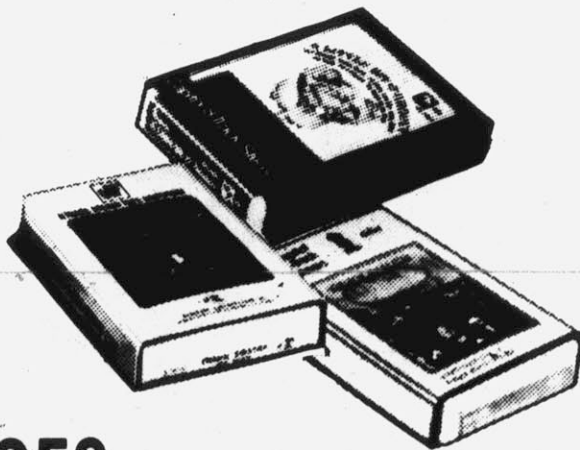
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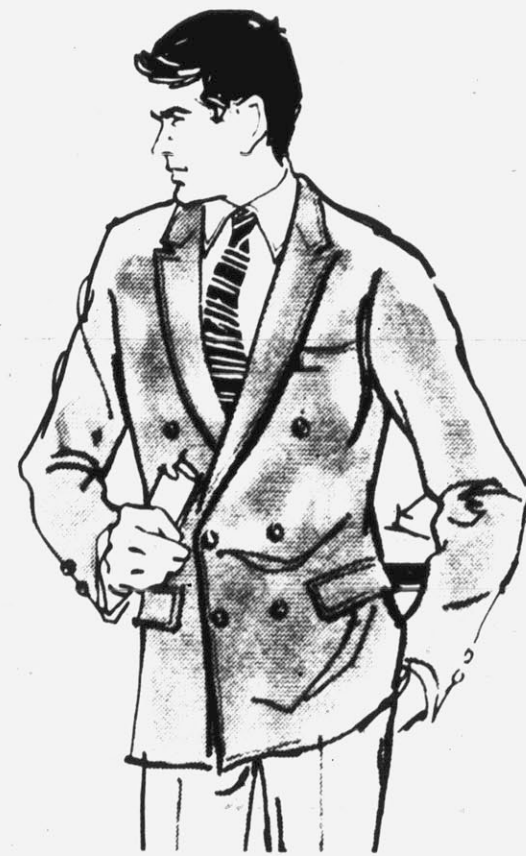


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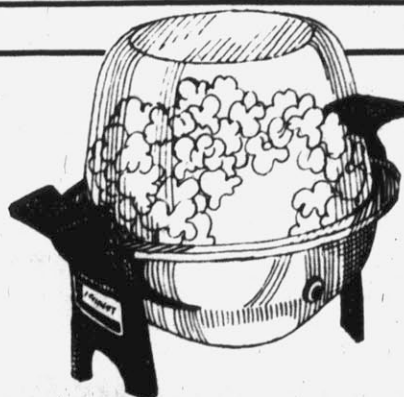
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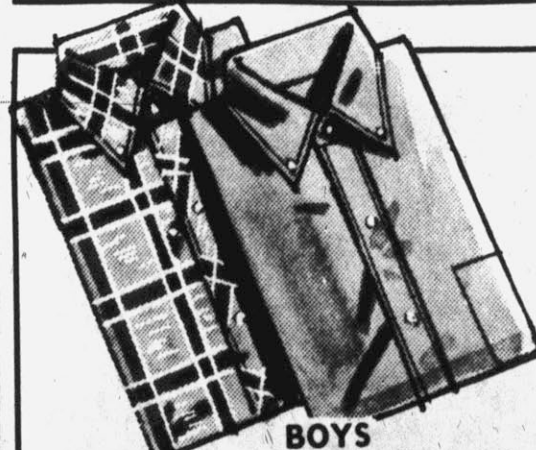
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# Nixon Heeds GOP Complaints On Patronage Posts

By STERLING F. GREEN  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Produced by complaints from patronage-starved Republicans last spring, the Nixon administration has made a fairly clean sweep of replacing Democrats with GOP appointees in policy

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Other departments, Labor and Post Office, for example, have been swept quite clean of Democrats in top brackets, and many of the independent agencies are wholly in Republican hands.  
Still, said Fleming, he is deluged with requests for jobs that don't exist. He estimates there are only 150 positions left at the noncareer level, where political appointments can be made, while 1,000 to 1,500 letters a week pour into his office. Some are from job seekers, others from Congress members and state and county Republican organizations with names to recommend.  
Fleming, whose White

House office is a clearance point for the agency heads, who do the actual hiring, works closely with another presidential assistant, Peter M. Flanagan, and with Howard Russell, patronage aide to Republican National Chairman Rogers C. B. Morton.  
Their work has largely stilled public complaints from GOP job seekers, but it took time.  
"We got a lot of flak from Republicans," Fleming recalled. "It's natural there would be criticism—there was a lot of pent-up frustration, and many of the critics seemed to feel we could overturn the whole three million federal employes in a few weeks. It took a while for some of them to realize that isn't possible."

ing George Romney on how FNMA should support the housing market. Lapid looks like the loser—so far. Nixon removed him on the legal grounds of "good cause"; Lapid has taken the case to court, claiming there was no cause.  
The familiar abolish-the-job device was used last week to oust Kenneth Burns, a Texas Democrat who got a \$25,000 job last December, a month after Nixon's election victory. Burns was solicitor of the Federal Maritime Commission.  
Mrs. Helen Bentley, Nixon's choice for commission chairman, wiped out the job. Mrs. Bentley said she would not infringe on the rights of "a true civil servant" but insisted Burns was a political appointee.

The two Texas senators, Democrat Ralph Yarborough and Republican John Tower, are feuding over Republican efforts to throw Democrats out of two U.S. marshal jobs and a U.S. attorney's post. Republicans have been nominated for the jobs but Yarborough is blocking Senate action on all three.  
Yarborough's nephew, Richard B. Hardee, holds the \$24,450 job as U.S. attorney for the eastern district of Texas, and the senator contends he was named for a four-year term that does not expire until 1972. Tower argues that marshals and U.S. attorneys serve at the president's pleasure.  
Morgenthau's ouster would mean 84 of the 93 U.S. attorneys have been replaced with Nixon appointees.

Among Democratic holdovers in high places are two prominent members of the State Department, Sargent Shriver, brother-in-law of the late President Kennedy, is still U.S. ambassador to France, and Ellsworth Bunker remains as ambassador to South Vietnam. There has been no hint of any plans to replace either man. Both were appointed by Johnson.  
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By JOHN CUNIFF  
AP Business Analyst  
NEW YORK (AP) — One of the most venerable traditions of American business, that a man should climb the management ladder at a pace consistent with his age, is being scrapped by hundreds of companies.

No longer is it believed by these firms that a man must have white hair before he can assume the weight of top corporate duties. As a result, the average age of corporate officers has fallen sharply.

The change is being brought not only by corporations which are being forced to utilize their manpower more efficiently but by young executives who demand responsibilities and readily move to other companies if they don't get them.

One major effect of this has been to raise the percentage of executive change in major industrial corporations during the past decade to 70 per cent or more, an increase of several times the rate prevailing in the 1950s.

These are among the findings of Dr. Eugene Jennings of Michigan State University, who has spent more than two decades studying the inner workings of corporations and analyzing and advising the occupants of executive suites.

Traditionally, Jennings observes, the corporation was seen as a biological experience in which youth moved in at the base and emerged aged at the apex.

During this time he advanced to middle management duties in his 30s, to divisional responsibilities in his 40s, the executive suite in his 50s and retirement in his 60s. At each stage he was biologically on schedule.

The past was far more static and much less affluent than today. Experience counted greatly, and so corporations produced an executive whom Jennings calls a biomobile, or a

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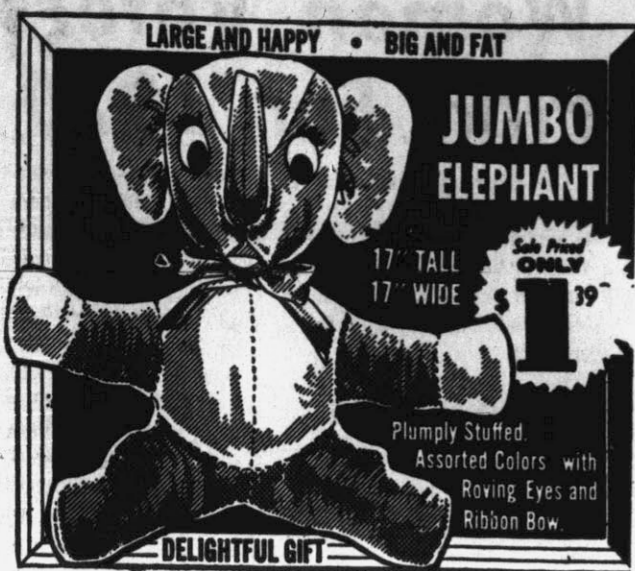
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# Stock And Market Reports

**RALEIGH (AP) — (NCDA) —** North Carolina egg markets steady Wednesday. Supplies adequate, demand good. Prices paid producers and handlers for consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered nearby outlets: Grade A large whites: 70-71; medium, whites: 67-68; small, whites: 56-58.

**RALEIGH (AP) — (NCDA) —** North Carolina hog prices today were steady to 25 cents lower, some instances of 50 lower. Tops of 26.00 to 27.00 at Rocky Mount; 25.00 to 27.00 at Tarboro; 25.50 to 26.00 at Siler City and Denton; 25.00 to 26.00 at Bethel.

**RALEIGH (AP) — (NCDA) —** North Carolina poultry prices were steady today. Live at farm base valuation on broilers and fryers 11 cents per pound. Hens weak, supplies adequate, demand fair. Heavy hens at farm 19 to 20, mostly 19. Light type too few to quote.

**NEW YORK (AP) —** Stocks rallied in moderately active trading today, with advances taking the lead away from declines.

Analysts, however, saw the turnaround as technical in nature since the market was in such an oversold condition.

Some glamor issues were higher, indicating to some analysts that the rally was on the way.

## Arrested At Stag Party

**NEW ORLEANS (AP) —** Police crashed a stag party in a motel room Wednesday night and arrested everyone present, including the judge who presided at the Clay Shaw trial.

News men who came on what they thought would be a routine raid saw silver-haired Judge Edward A. Haggerty Jr. struggling to get away. He was subdued and handcuffed.

Police Maj. Joseph Murry said Haggerty was booked on charges of soliciting for prostitution, obscenity, resisting arrest and four counts of assault on a policeman.

Haggerty, 55, of New Orleans, a judge in the state Criminal District Court, presided at the month-long trial of Shaw, who was cleared of a charge of conspiring to murder President John F. Kennedy.

Murry said three women and 10 other men arrested at the midcity motel were each booked on the obscenity charge.

Police Sgt. William Nolan said a stag movie was being shown in conjunction with live entertainment. He did not elaborate. Haggerty was released from central lockup on his own recognizance.

# Additional Air Service Needs In N.C. Cited

**WASHINGTON (AP) —** Representatives of North Carolina cities have told the Civil Aeronautics Board the area's rapid growth requires more competitive airline service.

The cities upheld a decision by CAB examiner James S. Keith to award new routes for passenger service between New York, Chicago and Miami-Fort Lauderdale and North Carolina points.

A spokesman for the Charlotte, N.C., Chamber of Commerce told the CAB Wednesday the North Carolina market had outgrown single-line service. He said Charlotte depended on an Eastern Airlines monopoly for the three points in contention.

Airlines that lost out in Keith's decision to authorize new carriers on the routes have appealed his ruling to the full board.

Keith gave a new route segment to Delta Air Lines to link Chicago, Raleigh - Durham, Greensboro-High Point-Winston-Salem and Charlotte with the continental cities of Miami and Fort Lauderdale.

He also awarded Delta a new route between New York-Newark and Charlotte.

To Piedmont, Keith gave a route joining New York-Newark, Raleigh - Durham, Greensboro-High Point, Winston-Salem and Charlotte.

Albert F. Beitel, representing the Greensboro-High Point Airport Authority, told the board

## Equal Access New Library

**EVANSTON, Ill. (AP) —** Northwestern University's \$12 million library set to open in January will provide equal access to books by all students and faculty alike.

Prof. Clarence Ver Steeg, a historian who headed the faculty planning and building committee, said at a press preview that he believes it is the first major university library in the nation to try such a plan.

Others, as Northwestern has done, restrict access to some collections to faculty members and graduate students.

Faculty members "made unmistakable that they did not wish to discriminate between students," Ver Steeg said.

## Traffic Toll

**RALEIGH (AP) —** Here is the North Carolina Motor Vehicle Department's report of highway deaths and injuries for the 24 hours ending at midnight Wednesday:

Killed—0  
Injured (rural)—13  
Killed this year—1,692  
Killed to date last year—1,797  
Injured to Oct. 1, 1969—42,635  
Injured to Oct. 1, 1968—39,379

# 'Space Capsule' Women Voters Plan For 1970

**KINGSTON, Jamaica (UPI) —**Ground control gave the signal that all systems were go. Commander Kevin Scott of Apollo 12 pressed the red button on the control panel in the space capsule, and the ship slowly rose from the ground. Twenty-five feet up Apollo 12 went into a perfect circular orbit.

Apollo 12 is not an ordinary space capsule. It is a very complex toy built about two years ago by Ainsworth D. Scott, a civil engineer of Kingston, for his four children.

The capsule is a six-sided box about seven feet high and four feet in diameter that looks like a liberated cupola. It is suspended by cable from a boom affixed to the top of Scott's house on Skyline Drive in the hills above Kingston. The house, by the way, is called "The Flying Saucer."

## Circular Path

When the left button on the capsule's simple controls is pushed, it rises slowly to roof level, drawn by an electric motor which partly counterbalances the boom. The capsule automatically stops when it reaches the desired height. The flick of another switch starts the capsule on a circular path around the house.

The orbit around the house is breath-taking. To the south one looks directly down on the city of Kingston, the harbor and the Palisades strip, the tip of which is the old pirate town of Port Royal, headquarters for pirates and buccaneers including Henry Morgan, until it was almost destroyed in 1692.

As the capsule swings around to the west, the blue mountains come into view. Below is a 1,000-foot drop, and when one sits down so the ground cannot be seen, there is a definite feeling of weightlessness. The feeling is accentuated by a slight rolling motion as the capsule brushes through the trees.

## Lumbees Ask Indian Justice

**WASHINGTON (AP) —** A council representing the Lumbee Indians of North Carolina has urged President Nixon to nominate Indian attorney Brantley Blue to be an associate justice of the Supreme Court.

The White House said today Nixon received a letter from the Lumbee Citizens Council of Pembroke, N.C., which claimed to represent 35,000 Indians.

Blue, of Kingsport, Tenn., was appointed by Nixon earlier this year to the Indian Claims Commission.

## EMPLOYEES IN WEST GERMANY

**BONN (UPI) —** Nine of every 100 employed persons in West Germany work for a federal, state or local government organization, the Institute of German Industry reports.

Even Scott's house is designed to get him off the ground. It sits on two rectangular columns, and the column facing the road is covered with mirrors so that at night the house looks as if it is suspended like a flying saucer. More than one late-nighter, unfamiliar with the sight, has had to stop to take a second look.

## Christmas Present

Scott, a civil engineer, has as much fun with his invention as the kids. He built it for them as a Christmas present. Using odds and ends from various construction sites, he finished the whole thing in three weeks.

The "Apollo 12" is built with precision so that it can be operated without danger to the kids. Kevin Scott, the commander, is only 10. Kerida, who is 8, and Katrina, 5, also are checked out to operate the capsule. The only one who isn't is 2-year-old Kimbella. The capsule will not operate until the door is closed and locked from the inside. Neither will it circle the house until it has reached the maximum height.

Built-in safety factors include a magnetic brake so the capsule will not fall if the power goes off; a ship-to-house, battery-operated telephone; a harness with rope attached to a pulley in the capsule so passengers can be lowered if anything goes wrong; and a battery-operated horn to signal those below to clear the area as the capsule comes down for a landing.

## Air Force Club Manager Ousted

**WASHINGTON (AP) —** The Air Force removed the manager of a noncommissioned officers club in Greenland after discovering financial irregularities during a surprise audit, it was disclosed today.

Officials said S. Sgt. Dewey Risner was relieved from his managerial assignment at Thule Air Force Base on Sept. 20 as a result of a check made by the Air Force's auditor general.

So far it is the first known instance of the service acting against an individual in a current crackdown on irregularities in officer and NCO club operations.

Details of the case are confidential. But in general the allegations involve sales of club property such as furniture and the charging of long distance telephone calls and gasoline purchases in the United States to the club.

## OVER 40,000

**Saigon (AP) —** American battlefield deaths in nine years of the Vietnam war will total more than 40,000 by Jan. 1 if the current rate continues.

The Executive committee of the non-partisan provisional Greenville-Pitt Co. League of Women Voters met Tuesday night at the St. James United Methodist to discuss next year's program.

## Obituaries

**Faulkner**  
**Mr. Finel Faulkner** died yesterday morning in Braddock, Pa.

He was the brother of Mrs. Myrtle Wilson of 708 Tyson Street. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

## Gulley

**RALEIGH —** William Edgerton (Bill) Gulley, 46, assistant editor in the Department of Agricultural Information at North Carolina State University, died Wednesday afternoon.



A native of Greenville, Gulley graduated from Greenville High School in 1940. He received an A.B. degree in journalism in 1950 from the University of North Carolina after serving as a pilot during World War II.

He was associate director of the UNC Communications Center from 1950 until 1956, public information officer for the Department of Conservation and Development from 1956 until 1960, and assistant director of publications from the N.C. Department of Agriculture from 1960 until 1966.

Gulley was the son of the late Oscar Graham and Bertha Estelle Gulley of Greenville.

Surviving are two sons, Bruce and Gregory Gulley, both of Raleigh; one sister, Mrs. John E. Raper of Fayetteville; one brother, Oscar Gulley of Tarboro.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete. The Brown-Wynne Funeral Home of Raleigh will be in charge of the funeral.

## STANDING BY

**SMITHFIELD, N.C. (AP) —** Fire trucks stood by today as workers unloaded butane gas from a tractor-trailer tank truck which wrecked about 2 a.m. 13 miles west of Smithfield.

After the meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Philip Clark, and minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Charles Cain, reports given by portfolio chairmen were discussed.

These included plans of membership chairman, Mrs. Joe Paulk, for arranging orientation coffee parties to be open to members and other women interested in learning more about League functions.

The go-to-gethers will be held prior to the next general meeting at 8 p.m. on Jan. 27 in St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Mrs. Terence McEnally, Community Survey chairman, outlined plans for an in-depth study and report to be made on local government, education and economics. This study is a requirement for attaining full League status.

Under the public relations portfolio, Mrs. John Casey, chairman, may be contacted by civic, book, or other clubs for speakers to give programs outlining the far-reach and importance of League activities to all voters.

Other portfolio chairmen include: Mrs. R.F. Tacker, human resources; Miss Ada Jones, discussion units; Mrs. Charles Reed, publications; Mrs. Brame Resnik, finance; Mrs. Tinsley Yarbrough, public assistance; Mrs. D.S. Jacobson, bulletin; and Mrs. Charles Cain, voters service.

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# Wake Nips Bucs In Final Seconds

By WOODY PEELE  
Reflector Sports Editor  
WINSTON-SALEM — A missed opportunity at the foul line, a stolen inbounds play, and a "phantom foul" combined to allow Wake Forest University to take a 53-52 victory over East Carolina University last night in the first basketball meeting between the two schools.

East Carolina led virtually all the way in the game, and had a chance to wrap it up in the closing seconds of the game with a two-shot opportunity by Tom Miller. But both shots missed, Wake got the ball, and ended up with a foul shot by Larry Habegger that cut the Pirate lead to 52-51 with 26 seconds left to play.

Then, on the inbounds play, Bob Rhoads stole the ball, and hit a jumper to push Wake on top, 53-52, and that turned out to be the final score.

The "phantom foul" came with six seconds left in the game, and stirred a controversy on the East Carolina bench. Miller, with the ball, began driving around Wake Forest's Dan Ackley, then fell to the floor, and the ball rolled out of bounds. Wake was awarded the ball, and that ended the Pirate hopes.

"There was definitely contact out there," Coach Tom Quinn of East Carolina said after the game. "How can you have your body around a defender and get tripped like that without contact being made?"

And piled on top of that was another call made when East Carolina fouled on the inbounds to try and get the ball. Rhoads went to the line for the shot, but Wake Coach Jack McCloskey argued that it was ace shooter Charlie Davis that was fouled, and over Pirate protests, umpire Dave Hartman moved Davis in

for the shot, which, however, he missed.

It was a heart-breaking loss for the Pirates, who close out their pre-Christmas play with a 3-4 record. Their next outing will be against Florida A&M in the Sunshine Classic on December 26 in Tampa, Fla.

Davis put Wake into the opening lead, 2-0, and a foul shot by Neil Pastushok made it 3-0. But East Carolina then got control of the tempo of the game, and pushed into the lead. Jim Fairley hit from underneath after three minutes, and the Bucs were on the board. A minute later, Jim Kiernan hit on another shot underneath and East Carolina was in the lead, 4-3. Kiernan then hit again on a similar shot, and the Bucs moved out into a 6-3 lead.

A foul shot by Davis and another by Gil McGregor cut the lead to one, but East Carolina

got two buckets by Miller to push out by five. Jim Gregory added a free throw and the Pirates were in an 11-5 lead with 11:03 left in the half.

Wake cut the lead by one on a foul shot by Davis, but Jim Modlin hit from the floor to make the margin seven. Wake cut it back to five again, as Rhoads hit, but a free throw by Kiernan and a steal by Fairley pushed the margin to eight at 16-8 with 8:23 to go.

Wake put on a small rally and

shot back to within three. Davis hit from the floor, and Pastushok got a free throw. Davis scored on a rebound, and the Deacons were back in the game, 16-13.

But East Carolina again pulled away, this time building up a 12-point spread. Gregory hit on a rebound and Modlin followed with two foul shots. Fairley hit on a rebound and Modlin scored from under the goal. Fairley then scored on a three-point play, and the Pirates were on top, 27-15. Dickie Walker and

Dan Ackley both hit for the Deacons in the closing minute of the half to cut the lead back to 27-19 at intermission.

In the second half, the Bucs pushed out by 11 and appeared to be holding the margin as their zone defense continued to plague the Deacons, forcing outside shots. With 10:03 to go, the Bucs still were on top by 11 at 41-30.

But the Wake changed the momentum, cancelled the Pirate lead, and finally took the lead. Over the next seven minutes, Wake dumped in 20 points, while holding the Bucs to seven, and the lapse for the Pirates was fatal.

Davis drove in for one basket, and John Lewkowicz stole the ball for another goal. Davis scored on a three-point play, and Pastushok hit from the baseline to cut the lead back to 41-39 with 8:02 to go.

Finally, Ackley hit from underneath to tie it up at 43-43 with 6:30 to go. East Carolina went back on top on a free throw by Modlin, but Rhoads hit on a jumper to put the Deacons on top for the first time since the opening minutes.

Miller drove in to return the lead to the Bucs, but Davis hit to put Wake back on top. Modlin dropped in two free throws with 5:07 left, returning the Bucs to the lead, but Davis got free for another jumper to return Wake to the lead.

Davis hit on a free throw with 2:40 to play and Wake held a two-point edge, but the Bucs refused to give in. Miller hit a jumper to tie it up with 1:58 to go, and Kiernan dropped in two free throws with 44 seconds left to put East Carolina out by two, 52-50.

But with 26 seconds left, Larry Habegger made a free throw, and on the inbounds, Rhoads stole the ball and threw it in, giving Wake the win.

Davis was the game's high scorer with 20 points, while Ackley added 12 for Wake. Big Gil McGregor was held to one

point in the contest.

Fairley led the Bucs with 13, while Modlin had 11 and Gregory had 10.

Amazingly, the Bucs completely dominated the statistics. They hit on 50 per cent of their shots, as compared to 37.9 for Wake, and they outrebounded the Deacons, 41-27.

But another fatal flaw appeared in 26 turnovers the Bucs were guilty of. And Wake took good advantage of them, getting 20 more shots from the floor than the Pirates.

| ECU     | G  | F  | W  | G             | F  | P  |
|---------|----|----|----|---------------|----|----|
| Miller  | 4  | 1  | 9  | Davis         | 8  | 20 |
| Kiernan | 2  | 5  | 9  | McGregor      | 0  | 0  |
| Modlin  | 3  | 5  | 11 | Walker        | 0  | 1  |
| Gregory | 4  | 2  | 10 | Fairley       | 1  | 0  |
| Fairley | 6  | 1  | 13 | Rhoads        | 3  | 0  |
| Green   | 0  | 0  | 0  | Pastushok     | 3  | 2  |
| Harvey  | 0  | 0  | 0  | Ackley        | 6  | 12 |
| Prince  | 0  | 0  | 0  | Lewkowicz     | 1  | 3  |
| Totals  | 19 | 14 | 52 | Habegger      | 0  | 1  |
|         |    |    |    | Totals        | 22 | 9  |
|         |    |    |    | East Carolina | 27 | 52 |
|         |    |    |    | Wake Forest   | 19 | 52 |



There It Goes

East Carolina's Jim Kiernan starts to chase after a loose ball in last night's game in Winston-Salem between the Pirates and Wake Forest. Watching from behind him are Dan Ackley of Wake and Jim Gregory of East Carolina. Referee Lou Bello is at left. Wake won in the closing seconds, 53-52. (AP Wirephoto)

## Endorsement Of Duke Report Expected Today

DURHAM (AP) — A report recommending that Duke University's athletic teams withdraw from the Atlantic Coast Conference "as soon as contractual and other arrangements permit" was expected to be endorsed today by Duke's Academic Council.

However, the council was expected to suggest the matter be considered first by a broad-based study group, including both students and alumni.

Dr. Donald J. Fluke, presiding officer of the council, an advisory group, said any council action "will be considered by the administration as a statement of

faculty opinion and nothing more."

A five-member committee of the council prepared the 50-page report, which also recommends the university give athletic scholarships only in case of financial need and that the financing of athletics be fully integrated into the university administration.

Duke administers athletics independently through the Duke Athletic Association, which has been operating at a deficit for the past three years.

Administration officials have indicated that if any action is taken on the committee report

it will not come soon. The university has contractual obligations for ACC football games for the next five years.

Fluke said he did not consider the report "a de-emphasis of athletics," although it recommends withdrawal from the conference.

According to the report, Duke is unable to compete successfully with many other ACC teams because of academic standards which make it difficult for the university to recruit top athletes.

The report said that as a result of this, Duke loses money on sports and must subsidize "the whole intercollegiate program."

The report also recommends that:

- More money be made available for scholarships for minor sports participants.
- More participants be sought in intercollegiate athletics and that junior varsity teams be established in basketball and football.
- "Redshirting" of athletes—holding them out of competition for one season so they can play a fifth year — be halted.
- Men students be allowed to major in physical education.

## Gabriel Gets MVP Selection

By JACK HAND  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
NEW YORK (AP) — Roman Gabriel, the sturdy Los Angeles Rams' quarterback who reached his peak in 1969, has been voted the Most Valuable Player in the National Football League by a 48-man panel of writers and sportscasters for The Associated Press.

The 6-foot-4, 220-pound former North Carolina State passer led the Rams to the Coastal Division title with room to spare and was roaring toward an unbeaten season until upended by the Minnesota Vikings Dec. 7.

Gabriel received 21 full votes and a portion of another ballot that was split among Gabriel, Calvin Hill of Dallas and Joe Kapp of Minnesota.

Kapp, the man who helped engineer the Rams' defeat the hands of the Vikings, was Gabriel's closest competitor with eight votes. Carl Eller, the Minnesota defensive end who leads the charge of the Purple Gang, was next with seven, an unusually high total for a defensive player.

Sonny Jurgensen, called by Washington Coach Vince Lombardi the greatest quarterback in the game, and perhaps ever, had four votes for his efforts in

leading the Redskins to their best record since 1955.

Calvin Hill, the surprising Dallas rookie from Yale, also had four votes and a portion of a fifth.

Deacon Jones, veteran Los Angeles defensive end Dick Butkus, the Chicago Bears' super middle linebacker, and Alex Karras, Detroit's fine defensive tackle, each had one.

The honors were won last year by Earl Morrall, who led Baltimore to the league title as a fill-in for the injured John Unitas. Morrall, injured sparingly this year, did not get a vote.

Gabriel, an eight-year veteran, got his big chance in 1965 when Bill Munson suffered a knee injury. Gabriel refused to give the job back to Morton the following year. Eventually, Morton was traded to Detroit, leaving Gabriel in control.

Some knowing football people put Gabriel in the same class with Green Bay's Bart Starr in his mastery of ball-control plays. In addition to throwing 23 touchdowns and completing 204 of 375 passes for 2,439 yards, Gabe also can take off with the ball.

He ranks third on the team as a rusher and has carried the ball into the end zone for five touchdowns.

Gabriel was interviewed in mid-season and asked about the improvement in his play.

"I think my play-calling and over-all generalship are improving," he said. "I'm more experienced in getting rid of the ball."

"I was taught in college that if all the receivers are covered, it's best to 'eat the ball. Now I'm usually able to throw it safely. It hurts my percentage but it saves yardage."

"The key to our pass offense is that every receiver is a primary receiver when the play starts. Each one knows I may come to him no matter what pattern was called."

Gabriel was a first-round draft pick by the Rams for 1962. A native of Wilmington, N.C., he and his wife and three sons now live in Long Beach, Calif. He was a collegiate star at N.C. State.

During the offseason he played a part in a movie called, "The Undeclared." Until the Vikings came to town, he was able to live up to the title.

## Rose Wrestlers Crush Gryphons

ROCKY MOUNT—Rose High School slammed Rocky Mount's wrestlers here yesterday, taking a 58-0 victory over the Gryphons.

Rose took four matches by forfeit, and won seven others by pins. The one match not to go in a pin was an 11-0 decision won in the 145-pound class by Chuck Brown.

The win gave Greenville a 2-1 overall record and a 1-1 Division II mark.

Summary:

- 98: Glenn Nichols (R) won by forfeit.
- 107: Andrew Daniels (R) won by forfeit.
- 115: David Shoe (R) pinned Richard Layton, 1-45.
- 123: Paul Carr (R) won by forfeit.
- 130: John Barber (R) pinned Grey Booth, 3-25.

137: Curtis Garris (R) pinned Charles Wilson, 5-5.

145: Chuck Brown (R) decided Bill Daughtridge, 11-0.

155: Dave Bullock (R) pinned Greg Pittman, 3-15.

165: Steve Williams (R) pinned Ben Richardson, 3-05.

175: Greg Williams (R) won by forfeit.

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### Farmville Loses Meet

FARMVILLE — Smithfield-Selma High School edged past Farmville, 26-23 last night in a wrestling match. The meet was not decided until the final match, which saw Smithfield-Selma take the weight class by a fall.

Summary:

- 93: Poindexter (SS) decided Ronnie Moore, 13-2.
- 107: Charles Parrish (SS) pinned Chester Mosley, 2-51.
- 115: John Daw (SS) decided Jodie Joyner, 9-2.
- 123: Charles Sutton (F) decided Rene Ivan, 4-2.
- 130: Gene Reel (F) pinned Mike Raibal, 4-28.
- 137: Danny Moore (F) drew with Jed Parker, 0-0.
- 145: Ed Newton (F) pinned Tommy Pollard, 3-45.
- 155: Richard Jones (F) pinned John Curin, 5-10.
- 165: Mickey Bradshaw (F) decided Bobby Lucas, 9-1.
- 175: Clarence Cox (SS) pinned Larry Horne, 1-38.
- 185: Ralph Best (SS) decided Bill Erwin, 5-2.
- Unlimited: Bennie Barbour (SS) pinned Thorne James, 1-28.

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# Ingram New Clemson Coach

By DEL BOOTH  
CLEMSON, S. C. (AP) — Clemson picked a new football coach Wednesday — 35-year-old Cecil Wayne (Hootie) Ingram — and announced it will play games against Notre Dame.

The Clemson president Robert Edwards, said: "I'm not bit concerned about how we'll do against Notre Dame ... under our new coach."

Ingram is an assistant coach at Sugar Bowl-bound Arkansas. He succeeds Frank Howard, who announced his retirement last week as football coach after 30 years of leading the Tigers. Howard, who remains as athletic director, announced the Irish contests.

"Three weeks ago I would have given anything I own to play Notre Dame," Ingram quipped. "Now, I'm not so sure. Arkansas would have met Notre Dame in the Cotton Bowl Jan. 1 if it had beaten Texas.

The husky new coach played at Alabama, where Howard played prior to his 29 years at Clemson. He coached at Wake Forest, Virginia Tech and Georgia but never met Howard until he began talks at Clemson recently.

"What we need to do to win, we're going to do," President Edwards said.

He assured newsmen that "very exacting" standards were set up by himself and Howard in selecting a new coach.

"There was no one available

who more completely fills them" than Ingram," the Clemson president declared.

Ingram's wife, Toni, also a native of Tuscaloosa, Ala., attended the conference, but their three young children were left home. Ingram said he won't be able to take over the new job fulltime until after Arkansas plays Mississippi in the Sugar Bowl Jan. 1.

"The only sure way to win is with a lot of good hard work," Ingram declared. "I think the athletic program at Clemson is on a firm foundation and I want to continue building on it.

"Our players will go out on the field to win."

He said he is looking forward to competing in the Atlantic Coast Conference, "where the recruiting and everything else is so competitive."

Until he gets to know Clemson's present staff, Ingram said he can make no plans about what assistants he will keep, replace or supplement.

"I do have some people in mind who are interested in coming with me," he added.

Ingram said he plans open offensive football with two wide receivers, "built around the strongest running attack possible."

He expressed disappointment that Clemson is in a semester break because "I won't get to meet the players until after New Year's."



Pirate Rebound

Jim Modlin (25) of East Carolina takes a rebound and moves away from Wake Forest's Bob Rhoads (30) and Gilbert McGregor (31) in last night's com-

petition in Winston-Salem. Wake won, 53-52, with a closing minute flurry. (AP Wirephoto)

# Nancy Cries At Tom's Award

By WILL GRIMSLEY  
AP Special Correspondent  
NEW YORK (AP) — When Tom Seaver wins a baseball game, Nancy Seaver yells herself hoarse. When he gets an award, she cries.

"I feel like I'm part of the team," the striking blonde wife of the New York Mets' pitching hero said. "I'm what you'd call a professional bench-warmer."

"The wonderful thing about Tom and me is that we share. When he has a bad day, he will want to talk it over with me. When he loses a game, he wants to rehash every pitch. When he wins, he's as happy as a boy with a toy."

Seaver, who won 25 regular season games and scored victories in both the National League playoff and the World Series in leading the New York Mets to their phenomenal world championship, received another of his many 1969 awards Wednesday.

He was named Sportsman of the Year by Sports Illustrated and was presented a replica of a Grecian urn dating back to 510 B.C.

Nancy, smart in a gray cashmere pants suit, a dangling red-white-and-blue scarf and her hair swept high on her head, was at Tom's side almost every moment of the festivities.

"There are two things I

wouldn't jeopardize for the world," Tom said during the ceremony. "One is my marriage. The other is my baseball career."

Nancy lifted a handkerchief to wipe away some moisture.

"I told you not to cry," Tom admonished her affectionately right there in front of Commissioner Bowie Kuhn, Mrs. Joan Payson and a roomful of other distinguished guests.

Nancy and Tom met while both students at Fresno, Calif., City College before Tom went to Southern California. They are a story-book pair. He's young, handsome, successful. She looks like a movie queen. It's Romeo and Juliet in the Twentieth Century.

"Just before a big game Tom is quiet and sullen—he doesn't want to talk. So I jabber away," Nancy said. "He has taught me baseball. Now I can share it with him."

"When good things happen to him, like being named to the All-Star team, he gets so excited he'll call me right away. He's enthusiastic about everything."

And this new trophy, to be added to the Cy Young Award and others, does Nancy share that, too?

"No, it's Tom's," she said. "But it's my house—I'll decide where to put it."

# Aycock Wins Third In Row

E. B. Aycock Junior High School picked up its third straight victory yesterday with a 50-37 win over Wilson's Junior High.

The Phantoms spotted Wilson an early lead, then charged back in the second period of play to take command and lead the rest of the way. Wilson inched out

**Cougars Fall After Rally**

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The Carolina Cougars — behind Bob Verga's 36-point outburst — took a brief lead in the fourth period over the Los Angeles Stars Wednesday night after trailing by 22 points, but the Stars rallied to win, 105-98.

The game was the second in an American Basketball Association doubleheader. In the other contest, Kentucky beat the Washington Caps, 124-117.

The Stars led by 17 points at the end of the first period and by 22 in the second quarter. Carolina cut the margin to 14 at halftime, 55-39, and went ahead, 85-84 in the last period.

Five straight points by Los Angeles at that stage iced the game for the home team. The loss was Carolina's 15th against 13 victories, while the Stars neared the .500 mark with their 13th win in 27 games.

into a 10-9 lead in the first period, but Aycock outhit Wilson, 18-9 in the second period, and rushed away to a 27-19 lead. The Phantoms hit on 50 per cent of their shots in the half.

In the third period, Aycock continued to lead the way, posting 16 points to 10 for Wilson. That gave the Phantoms a 43-29 edge as the final period began. Wilson managed to outhit Aycock, 8-7, in the final frame.

Alphonse Hunter and Ed Johnson led Aycock with 14 points each while Steve Bostic had 12. Norris had 12 and Hesmmer had 10 for Wilson.

Hunter also led the rebounding with 15.

Wilson: Norris 12, Hesmmer 10, Barnes 7, Mitchell 5, Gibbons 1, Ellis 2, Moore, Clayton.

Aycock: Alphonse Hunter 14, Ed Johnson 14, Steve Bostic 12, Cobb 2, Payton 3, Harris 5, Warren, Clark, Parker, Dayson, Moye, Ward, Shoe, Sims, Foreman.

Wilson 10 9 10 8-37  
Aycock 9 10 14 7-50

# Iba Comes Up With Winner In Last Year

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
Henry Iba is getting ready to retire on his laurels ... and his laurels right now read 7-0.

Iba's 36th and final season at Oklahoma State—he turned 65 last August—wasn't supposed to be a howling success. After all, in the Big Eight, a league in which every other school had front-line players coming back and four teams returned all five starters, the Cowboys, with all their starters gone, figured to be in trouble.

But, as usual, Henry Iba has the prescription for victory, which is what you might expect from a coach whose pre-season record showed 753 victories against only 326 defeats, two Olympic championships, two national championships, 14 Mis-

souri Valley titles and one Big Eight crown.

Iba came up with the right move at the right time again Wednesday night. The Cowboys had just seen a 12-point lead whittled to three by Texas, the Southwest Conference favorites, when the veteran coach, whose teams have been known for their disciplined style, ordered a slowdown with just over seven minutes to go.

It paid off with a 54-51 triumph, seventh of the season for the unbeaten Cowboys. The deliberate offense shook Sparky Grober and Paul Mullen loose for easy layups that iced the game.

The only team in The Associated Press Top Ten to see action was Ohio University and the unbeaten Bobcats rallied

from an 18-9 deficit to beat Northern Illinois 84-72. Cleveland Ivey and Craig Love led the way with 26 and 20 points respectively.

Two members of the Second Ten, were in action—against each other—and 19th-ranked Houston came away with a 91-76 victory over 11th-ranked Santa Clara. Both teams had been unbeaten previously.

Ollie Taylor paced the Cougars with 29 points, Melvin Hill and Jeff Hickman added 18 apiece and Dwight Davis scored 11 and blocked 10 shots in a head-to-head confrontation with Dennis Awtrey. Awtrey managed 21 points but Ralph Ogden was high for the losers with 23.

Columbia, another unbeaten, spotted Fordham the first two points in overtime, then reeled off 13 in a row to beat the Rams 80-69 and snap their home court winning streak at 25 games. Jim McMillian was high with 35 points.

North Carolina State made it five straight, defeating Auburn 76-69 behind sophomore Paul Coder's 31 points. Butch Zatezalo hit eight of 11 shots in the second half as Clemson held off Auburn 104-95.

Princeton turned back Navy 67-60 with Jeff Petrie and John Hummer splitting 20 points. It was Petrie's first appearance of the season after being sidelined with a back injury which he suffered playing pool.

In other top games, it was Missouri 81, Colorado State U. 55; Butler 81, Michigan State 60; DePaul 93, St. Mary's, Calif. 89; Wake Forest 53, East Carolina 52; Southwestern Louisiana 69, West Texas State 67.

Kentucky Wesleyan, the nation's No. 1 small college team, got by Evansville 80-74.

# Tourney Play Opens In ACC

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Fifth-ranked South Carolina travels to Madison Square Garden tonight to meet Long Island University and Virginia will play in the Big Five tournament at Hampton, Va., in the only contests involving Atlantic Coast Conference teams.

The Gamecocks will be placing a 5-1 record on the line and will have the advantage of a three-day rest since their last outing, Monday night's 101-68 trouncing of Maryland.

Virginia, 1-5, Tuesday night lost to North Carolina, 80-76.

In action last night all three ACC teams which played won.

North Carolina State defeated Auburn 76-69 behind the torrid shooting of sophomore Paul Coder.

He collected 31 points as the Wolfpack won its fifth game without a loss.

Auburn trailed throughout the contest but managed to pull within one point, 70-69, with 3:46 left to play. Vann Williford and Coder made two quick baskets to give N. C. State a five-point advantage at the gun.

Auburn, 3-3 for the season, was led by John Mengelt with 26 points.

Clemson almost let an 11-point lead slip away in its 104-95 conquest of Alabama. Alabama cut the Tiger margin to four points

before Clemson was able to stage a scoring rally.

Butch Zatezalo scored 11 baskets from the floor in the second half to lead the late charge after hitting only one two-point shot in the first half. He wound up with 21 points for the night. Greg Latin led Auburn with 25 and Ronnie Yates followed with 24.

Clemson is now 1-1 and Auburn is 2-3.

The Deacons of Wake Forest trailed Southern Conference foe East Carolina by 11 points with 10 minutes to play before rallying to claim a 53-52 squeaker.

# No Mystery About Lamonica's Success

By MIKE RATHET  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
NEW YORK (AP) — The theory of operation that has made the Oakland Raiders one of the most successful organizations in the American Football League is built around shrouding operations in mystery, hopelessly creating a psychological edge by instilling doubts in the opposition.

As a member of that organization, quarterback Daryle Lamonica has been schooled in that theory. He also has destroyed it.

The Raiders still practice very much in secret and still operate behind a semi-blackout of information, but there is no mystery about what Lamonica is going to do on the field. The elements of the game plan always dissolve into a Bombs Away attitude.

Oakland's system, devised to exploit the pass, is the perfect complement for Lamonica, a persistent performer who speaks in cliches enough to know:

—The shortest route between two points is a straight line.

—If at first you don't succeed, try, try again.

And so Lamonica throws deep, again and again.

The results have been startling. Considering that the opposition is not battling the mystery of questioning what Lamonica is going to do, it is indeed a wonder that they have not been able to cut him off at the pass.

That they haven't is, of course, reflected in Lamonica's league-leading 34 touchdown passes and the fact that his two prime targets, Warren Wells and Fred Biletnikoff, ran 1-2 in touchdown passes during the regular season.

However, the Raiders, and Lamonica, were jolted when Wells suffered a shoulder separation in the season finale against Kansas City. It appears that he will be lost for the playoffs, depriving the club of a talented deep threat who averaged 26.8 yards a catch this season—the best in the league.

With Wells replaced by either Rod Sherman or Drew Buie, a rookie from Catawba for whom Lamonica has predicted stardom, the Raiders passing attack undoubtedly will suffer.

Still it is undoubtedly the bombs-away passing attack that the Raiders are expected to throw at Houston Sunday in one of the AFL's two playoff games, the winner moving on to meet the New York-Kansas City survivor in the championship game Jan. 4.

That Lamonica has been able to achieve what he has while tipping his plans is a tribute, however, not only to his own talents, and his persistence, but to the other elements of the offense and a defense that sees that he gets the ball time and time again.

Offensively, there is the power running of Hewitt Dixon and the breakaway threat of Charles Smith, Biletnikoff and Wells complemented by tight ends Billy Cannon and Roger Hagberg and there is the offensive line.

That line—with Bob Svihus and Harry Schuh at the tackles, Gene Upshaw and Jim Harvey at the guards and Jim Otto at center—have thrown a protective ring around Lamonica that not even Joe Namath gets from his Jet protectors.

The explosive offense is matched by a determined defense that has been accused, at times of using tactics just the other side of the rules. Used or not, it creates, like the mystique of the spitball in baseball, an at-

mosphere in which the opposition is always wary of it.

The No. 1 perpetrator of events precipitating the charge is mustachioed Ben Davidson, the towering 6-foot-7 defensive end with all those elbows. Ike Lassiter is on the other side with Tom Keating and Carlton Oats at tackle.

The linebackers are Dan Conners, Gus Otto and Chip Oliver and the defensive backs, Willie Brown and Nehemiah Wilson at the corners and Dave Grayson and George Atkinson at safety.

Grayson is the key to the secondary, a quick-reacting veteran who always seems to be where the ball is—and very often intercepts it, and turns it over to Lamonica. Then Lamonica tries to do his thing.

Lamonica's thing is Oakland's strength. It also may be its only weakness. Somebody along the playoff route may yet be able to find a successful way to counter when Lamonica telegraphs his punches.

So far, however, all the knock-outs are on Lamonica's side of the ledger.

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# Orcadians Not Termed Scots

By GODFREY ANDERSON  
Associated Press Writer  
KIRKWALL, Orkney Islands (AP) — Twelve miles from Scotland—across the heaving Pentland Firth, the stormy trail where the Atlantic and North Sea meet—live 18,000 Orkney Islanders.

They call themselves Orcadians, and are not too happy when others call them Scotsmen.

When they speak of the Mainland and they don't mean Great Britain, but "the main isle of Orkney, home of its tiny capital city, Kirkwall.

There are about one hundred green and purple islands scattered over 50 miles of chilly northern sea in the Orkneys group. For most of the year the wind howls over them. A peak just—of 125 miles an hour—set a British record. Largely because of the winds there's hardly a tree on the islands.

Many Orcadians feel they have closer links with Norway, several hundred miles away, than with the Scottish Highlands close at hand.

They'll point out that they don't speak Gaelic like the Highlanders, they have no clan system and never wear the kilt, that about 90 per cent of their place names are Norse and that there's an admixture of Norse words in the island dialect.

But they do distill a pure malt whisky at 100 proof—and they aren't ashamed to call it scotch.

Orkney islanders have their own saga—the Orkneyinga—which they read at school as part of the background of their nordic history.

Part of this saga concerns an ancient Orcadian—a Viking who was something of a pacifist. His name was Magnus and he lived early in the 12th century when Orkney was ruled by two earls, who were cousins.

Haakon was strong and masterful, a typical Viking chief. Magnus was very devout, a gentle soul, who preferred the quiet of chapel to the clamor of the Viking raid.

The two fell out. A peace conference was arranged on the little isle of Egilsay, just north of Kirkwall, and it was agreed that each earl would take two galleys and a limited number of men.

Trustingly, Magnus kept to the agreement. But Haakon came with eight galleys.

Treachery triumphed. The saintly Magnus was axed by Haakon's cook, Lifolf, the only man who agreed to undertake the job.

But while Haakon lived to rule the islands, it was Magnus who lived on in people's memories. He was later canonized, and the cathedral of St. Magnus, which still stands, was built in his name.

The last Orcadian Viking, Svein Asleifson, died after capturing Dublin later in the 12th century. With his death the saga ended.

The Norse period had lasted seven centuries, and today Orcadians still regard it as a golden age. The Vikings made the islands first a refuge for their longships, then a stronghold from which to make their raids. While it was an independent earldom, its lords ruled even parts of Scotland, England and Ireland.

By a quirk of history the Orkney Islands became Scottish property in the 15th century.

In 1468 King Christian of Denmark, who also ruled Norway and the Orkney and Shetland islands too, betrothed Princess

Margaret of Norway to King James III of Scotland. Unable to pay a promised dowry of 60,000 florins, Christian pledged to give both groups of islands to King James. The money was never paid, and the Orkney Islands went to Scotland.

Today the Orkneys' main problem is a dramatically falling population, especially on the remote outer islands.

A hundred years ago the population of the 20 inhabited islands was 33,000. Today it is slightly over 18,000, with nearly 15,000 of those living on the biggest island, the Mainland.

The population drain is illustrated by the plight of the isle of Rousay, which had a population of 976 in 1841 and now has only 190. There are only three girls of marriageable age left on the island. Nearby Sanday has 26 boys and only two girls in the island youth club.

Only the two islands nearest to Mainland have piped water and electricity from Kirkwall. The rest manage to use television sets with the aid of their own generators.

Orcadians raise Aberdeen Angus or cross-bred cattle for some of the finest meat in Britain. Orkney smoked salmon is supplied to transatlantic liners.

Island distilleries export their malt whisky to Europe and America. And there's a flourishing export business in lobsters and scallops.

# Trainwreck Was A Hippie 6 Months Before He Knew It

By KENNETH R. CLARK  
SANTA FE, N.M. (UPI)—he calls himself "Trainwreck Jim" because "it's as good a name as any," and he says he was a hippie for six months before he even knew it.

His friends finally told him. Jim is 20 years old. His light brown hair hangs below his shoulders, his wit is quick and dry and he loathes all war—especially the one in Vietnam. Contrary to the public image of the hippie, he bathes every day.

Right now, he lives in a Santa Fe "crash pad" where the number of roommates varies from 6 to 11 as some drift in and others move out. But he said his singular ambition in life was to escape the "pointless struggle" and the "funny little games" of 20th century urban civilization by establishing his own communal village somewhere in New Mexico's sparsely populated northern hill country. There, he hopes, the world will simply go away and leave him alone.

Since the beginning of what has become a major exodus from such city colonies as San Francisco's Haight-Ashbury, New Mexicans have kept a nervous eye on their growing

hippie population. The state health and social services department estimates there are not more than 2,000 of the young nonconformists in the northern part of the state.

The hippies, however, indicate the "official" census may be something less than accurate. Trainwreck Jim, for instance, said he is one of about 21,000 young people who have fled cities to seek peace of mind in the hard, primitive life of the New Mexico hippie communes.

Jim also claims about 600,000 more passed through the state last summer "desperately looking for a scene," and he predicted those ranks would be swelled next summer to nearly a million.

"Don't write that," he said with a broad grin. "The state

will flip out." What makes an intelligent, city-bred youth like Jim, born to a middle class American family where reasonable comfort and a solid future are assured, turn at 20 to the harsh nomadic life typified by today's hippie phenomenon?

His answer is "the city"—and he makes it sound like "desperation." His philosophy indicates beards and love beads may be something more than just a passing irritant to a generation already shackled with rising taxes, crime, inflation and the frustration of Vietnam.

"It's as if there were a thick plate of glass between the little spaced-out world where I live and the straight world," he said. "I know I can never exist

over there, any more than my father could exist where I am. If I have a piece of land where my people are, and where the finance man is not going to come and take it away, I'll stay on it for the rest of my life." Life in the communes, the average one of which supports anywhere from 30 to 50 men, women and children, is rugged—especially for the former city-dweller who has grown up in a home with central heat and a grocery store just around the corner. They do not enjoy going hungry, freezing in winter and struggling to raise a few vegetables in the rocky desert soil, but they share a single conviction: It beats the city.

# Segregation By Age Is Assailed

SEATTLE, Wash. (AP) — Criticizing the church practice of establishing special homes for the aged, Dr. Herbert C. Lazebny, head of a residential development for older citizens, calls them "ghettos of aging." He told a Christian Church (Disciples) meeting here that "age segregation is as serious as segregation by economics, race or creed."

It is about as expensive to live in Cairo, United Arab Republic, as in Bonn, West Germany.



A LIVING DOLL — Little Tracy Becher, eighteen months old, gives us a glimpse of the happiness in store for little ones at Christmas time. Tracy is the daughter of one of the members of Detroit's Chrysler Girl's Club, who donated and dressed some 190 play dolls which will be given to children at the Edmonson School. (AP Wirephoto)

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# Refresh for...

# Some Tax Cuts And Increased Benefits Are Erased

By EDMOND LeBRETON  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP)—Provisions worth about \$6.5 billion in either increased benefits or tax cuts appear certain to be missing from the tax reform bill that finally emerges from a House-Senate conference committee.

The 14-member committee has finished most of its work on the measure's reform provisions and hopes to complete action on the rest of the bill by tonight.

In an effort to compromise the differences between the House and Senate versions, and head off a threatened presidential veto, the conferees apparently are set to delete at least nine provisions from the Senate bill while compromising other additions passed by that chamber.

However, the apparently doomed provisions do not include the proposal to increase the personal income tax exemption from \$600 to \$800. Although opposed by the Nixon administration, this is expected to remain in the bill, probably in reduced and postponed terms, in view of strong support in the House.

Some other provisions enjoy considerable support, but apparently are condemned because of their cost. Even some of their

supporters have acknowledged privately they did not expect to see them enacted. They count the favorable Senate votes, however, as a gain that could help advance the proposals in future years.

Among the Senate provisions for which conferees are sharpening their shears are:

—An annual tax credit up to \$325 for college expenses. It would cost \$1.8 billion a year.

—Full deductions for medical expenses of persons over 65, costing \$325 million.

—Deductions for handicapped persons for special cost of getting to work, \$90 million.

## City Offices Set Holiday

Offices of the City of Greenville and the Greenville Utilities Commission at the City Hall will close for the Christmas holidays at 12:00 noon on Christmas Eve, December 24.

The Sanitation Department will be closed on Wednesday and Thursday, December 24 and 25, but will resume pick up of garbage and other operations on Friday, December 26.

The Police Department and Fire Department will maintain business as usual operations, with no interruption of service.

Emergency calls for the two departments over the holidays are:

—Greenville Utilities, 752-5627.  
—Sanitation Department, 756-3303.

All departments will open after the holidays on Monday, December 29 at regular hours.

## New Trial For Murder

RALEIGH (AP)—A Mecklenburg County woman won a new trial Wednesday from the North Carolina Court of Appeals after being convicted of second degree murder.

The court ordered a new trial for Thelma Ealy, who was sentenced to 12 to 15 years in prison in August on a charge of killing her boy friend with a butcher knife. Miss Ealy pleaded self defense, and the appeals court said the trial judge gave the jury an erroneous definition of self defense.

The court reversed a decision in a Pasquotank County case in which an 88-year-old woman was awarded damages. She claimed an orderly at Albarne Hospital Inc. had broken one of her legs in moving her from a wheelchair to her bed.

The high court ruled evidence indicated the woman had a bone disease which could have been responsible for the injury.

## New Prexy For Burlington Firm

GREENSBORO (AP)—Harry S. Stern Jr. was named Wednesday as president of Burlington Woolens of Burlington Industries Inc. Stern will also serve to continue as president of Burlington's worsteds division, which will continue to be a separate function.

Burlington Woolens has operations at Cleveland, Tenn., and there are several Burlington Worsteds plants in North Carolina and Virginia.

## Raps Economic Burtons Flying Courses In N.C. To Visit U.S.

NEW YORK (AP)—Richard Burton and Elizabeth Taylor have flown in from Geneva for their first visit to the United States in a year.

They told reporters at Kennedy Airport Wednesday they would stay a while in New York before going on to Hawaii to visit Miss Taylor's brother Howard.

MEET TONIGHT  
Silver Stream Council No. 48, Degree of Pochontas, of Winterville, will have a business meeting tonight at 7:30.

—A special increase to \$100 of the minimum Social Security monthly payment—in addition to the 15 per cent general increase which appears sure of approval. The extra feature would cost \$2 billion.

Nixon has said he would veto a bill that provided a 15 per cent boost in Social Security benefits and a \$200 increase in the personal exemption.

—A \$7.50 a month increase in welfare payments; \$150 million.

—Continuation of the investment credit for the first \$20,000 of annual investment by a company; \$720 million, and continuation of the credit for investments in depressed areas; \$70 million.

—Authority for the President to impose import quotas on foreign commodities if they injure U.S. industries and come from countries that discriminate against U.S. goods. President Nixon has said he does not want such power.

Sen. Russell B. Long, D-La., heading the Senate delegation at the conference committee, said there is a good chance work on the measure could be completed tonight.

Rep. Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., conference chairman and leader of the House group, agreed every effort would be made to finish by tonight.

It was Mills who reported the conferees had virtually finished work on the dozens of reform provisions aimed at loopholes in the tax code.

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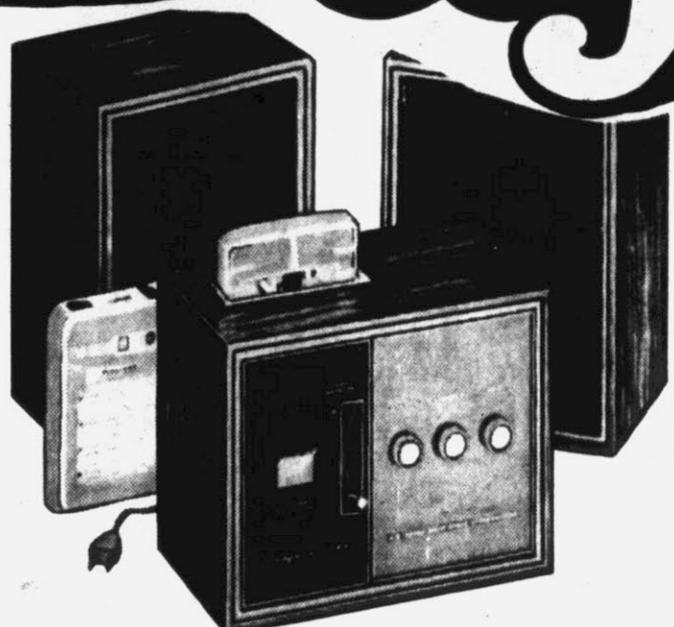
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# Russians Making Important Gains In Middle East

## Nickel Fare Takes TV Log The Senior Citizen

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI)—An old man stepped off a curb at Union Square, dodged a speeding cab and climbed aboard a cable car. Flashing a smile and a Medicare card, he handed the conductor a nickel for the 25-cent ride.

"Ben living here 60 years and this is the first time I've got a good price on anything," he said. "Best thing since the nickel cigar."

The elderly man, disappearing in a crowd of passengers that followed him onto the Hyde Street cable car, was chortling over a new fare for persons over 65.

During weekends and non-rush hour periods of weekdays, San Francisco's senior citizens can ride the city's cable cars, trolleys and buses to any place in town for the special fare of five cents.

It's part of a two-pronged effort by the city to make things a little easier for old persons living on fixed incomes. The other part of the package is a city-promoted program under which 23 restaurants provide meals to senior citizens for \$1 during non-rush hours.

For both programs, participants must show their Medicare card or an ID card issued by the city.

**Important to Aged**  
Economically, the reduced transit fares are important to persons on old age security, who receive little more than a quarter a day in transportation allowance. The regular fare on most routes, other than the cable cars is 20 cents.

"People don't realize how hard it is to make ends meet on a fixed income," said Mrs. Marie Wallace, a 65-year-old disabled widow who takes advantage of both the low fares and the meals program. "You think twice before you spend 40 cents roundtrip to go somewhere. I am on Social Security so both help."

Just as important as money is another goal of the nickel fares plan—encouraging elderly people to leave their homes and lead more active lives.

"And we think it's working," said Bernard F. Schussel, director of the city's Office of Aging. "Senior citizen centers are showing an increase of 33 to 50 per cent in daily attendance since the program started in July. You can't attribute it to anything else."

Officials of the municipal railway estimate that 12,000 senior citizens daily take advantage of the nickel fare. Schussel estimated that restaurants taking part in the dollar-meal program are serving 5,500 meals a week to senior citizens.

"A large number of elderly people living in the downtown area don't have cooking facilities, and in some places they can't even have a hot plate because of fire regulations," Schussel said. "The meal program gives them an opportunity to have one good meal a day."

**Well-Balanced Meals**  
Mrs. Wallace, who walks three blocks to eat at Jim's Donut Shop in the Mission district, said: "They serve good, well-balanced meals. What more can you ask?"

On a recent Saturday, the meal offered by Fosters at its chain of restaurants included veal cutlet with country gravy, mixed vegetables, potato salad, bread or roll with butter, apple sauce and a choice of coffee, tea or milk. The price was 95 cents, plus 5 cents tax.

Schussel's office periodically monitors food at participating restaurants to make sure quality is maintained.

He says restaurants make a "modest" profit. "When the city went to operators to ask them to participate, I insisted they make a profit," he says.

But Jim's Donut Shop engaged in a little altruism. It offered a Thanksgiving dinner to senior citizens for \$1.

More than a dozen rivers, lakes, bays and falls in the Great Lakes region are named Sturgeon.

## TV Log

WNBE — Ch. 12

**THURSDAY**  
4:30 Lost in Space  
5:30 Flintstones  
6:00 Batman  
6:30 Frank Reynolds  
7:00 Total News  
7:30 Mrs. Muir  
8:00 That Girl  
8:30 Bewitched  
9:00 Tom Jones  
10:00 Takes A Thief  
11:00 Total News  
11:30 Joey Bishop  
**FRIDAY**  
7:00 Skipper Jim  
8:00 Romper Room  
8:30 La Lanne  
9:00 Theatre  
11:25 Kays  
11:30 Gourmet  
12:00 Bewitched

WITN — Ch. 7

**THURSDAY**  
7:00 Meal  
7:30 Drummer Boy  
8:00 Bing Crosby  
9:00 Bob Hope  
10:00 Dean Martin  
11:00 News  
11:15 Sports  
11:25 Weather  
11:30 Tonight  
**FRIDAY**  
6:00 Aspect  
6:30 Father Knows Best  
7:00 Today Show  
9:00 David Frost  
10:00 It Takes Two  
10:25 NBC News  
10:30 Concentrat  
11:00 Sale  
11:30 Hollywood  
12:55 NBC  
12:00 Jeopardy  
12:30 Name Game

WNCT — Ch. 9

**THURSDAY**  
4:30 Santa  
5:00 Perry Mason  
5:55 Paul Harvey  
6:00 News  
6:10 Sports  
6:25 Weather  
6:30 News  
7:00 Truth or Dare  
7:30 Family Affair  
8:00 Jim Nabors  
9:00 Movie  
11:00 Final Report  
11:30 Merv Griffin  
**FRIDAY**  
6:30 Carolina  
8:15 Sewing  
8:25 Meditations  
8:30 News  
9:00 Kangaroo  
10:00 Lucy Show  
10:30 Hillbillies  
11:00 Andy Griffith  
11:30 Love of Life  
12:00 Noon News  
12:15 Farm News Griffin

By WILLIAM L. RYAN  
AP Special Correspondent  
Soviet policy is making important gains in the huge, strategic area loosely described as the Middle East. That is shaping up as the main cockpit of East-West political conflict in the 1970s.

In showing its concern for the area's complaints the cautious but effective Soviet program utilizes economic-military aid, trade and propaganda.

The Russians industriously fan suspicions of the United States but seem to want to avoid any chance of provoking hot war or a showdown. The degree of peace they want in the Middle East may be subject to doubt; a stable peace could remove much of the reason for Arab cooperation with the Communist bloc.

A no-war-no-peace policy for the area would tie in with Soviet efforts toward lessening tensions in Europe and with Kremlin advocacy of collective security in Asia. The Russians probably can live in Europe and Asia with something like the status quo while they concentrate on a target which offers considerable promise.

This target is a volatile triangle stretching across the northern tier of Africa and east to Iran, southwest from there to Sudan, and northwest from there to Algeria. The area is home for about 140 million people, many living in backward areas under unstable rule.

At the core of the triangle is an apparently insoluble conflict

which pits Arabs and their supporters—against—Israel, and tends to cast the United States as the chief foe of popular aspirations. American stock goes down steadily in lands where the United States has enormous economic and strategic interests.

Russian ambitions in the area, at least a century old, had led to establishment of Moscow power in the Mediterranean with access to the Persian Gulf and Indian Ocean.

Another aim now is to forge a ring of states dependent upon Moscow. The Russians do not need Middle East oil, but undoubtedly seek some authority over the flow of that oil to Europe.

## Funds Given For Seminary Unit

DAYTON, Ohio (AP) — The American Association of Theological Schools, an interdenominational organization made up of 174 seminaries in the country, has received a grant of \$450,000 from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation to further the association's program of accreditation, research and raising seminary standards.

## Campus Chapel As A Laboratory

SYRACUSE, N.Y. (AP) — "We're told we have the largest interdenominational campus religious program in the nation," says the Rev. Dr. John H. McCombe, dean of the Syracuse University Chapel. Up to 1,000 gatherings monthly are scheduled there. Students plan the worship services and other events.

"We see the chapel not as a museum for religion but as a laboratory," Dr. McCombe says. "Apparently we are developing a model which can be used by other campuses. They come here to study our chapel activities."

to prevent their "solidarity and unity of action."

The implication is that Washington is trying to appear reasonable only to weaken the resolve of Arab leaders to stand firmly behind the minimum demands of Gamal Abdel Nasser's Egypt and its Syrian ally.

The Russians profess to stand four-square behind Arab demands for Israeli withdrawal from occupied Arab territory as a minimum demand for a settle-

ment, but the Moscow watchword is caution.

Meanwhile, Moscow has made points by replacing for Nasser all the billion dollars worth of Soviet arms destroyed in the 1967 war, through it is generally believed to have avoided increasing the amounts. Egypt swarms with Soviet advisers. Expanded economic and military aid, along with a lesser flood of advisers, has gone to Syria and Iraq.

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## Baptists Claim 5,000 Russians

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — More than 5,000 Russians were baptized as members of Baptist Churches in the Soviet Union in the last year, the Rev. Michael Shidkov, pastor of the Moscow Baptist Church, told a conference here. He says preaching services are held six times weekly in Russian Baptist churches, whose total membership now is about 500,000.

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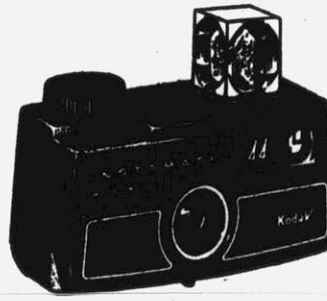
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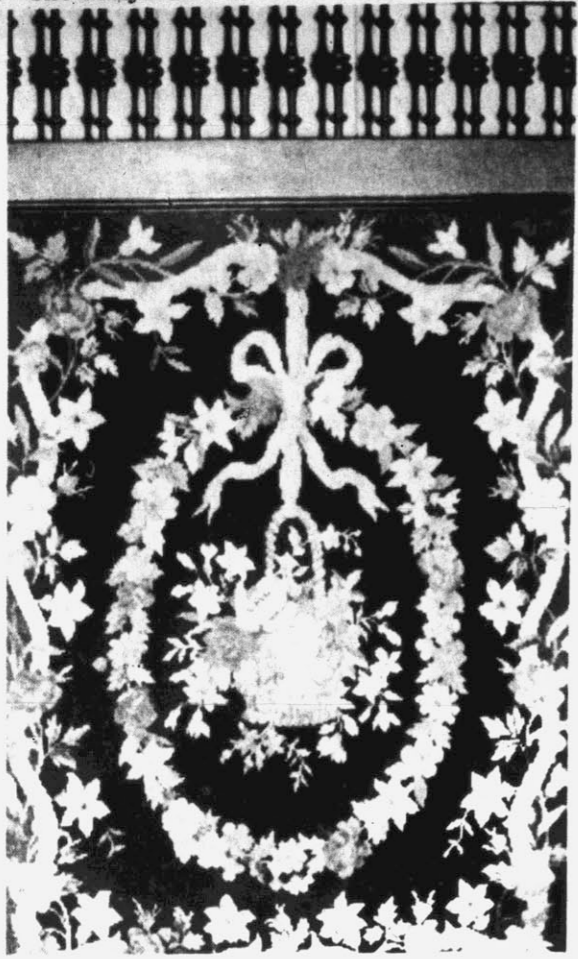
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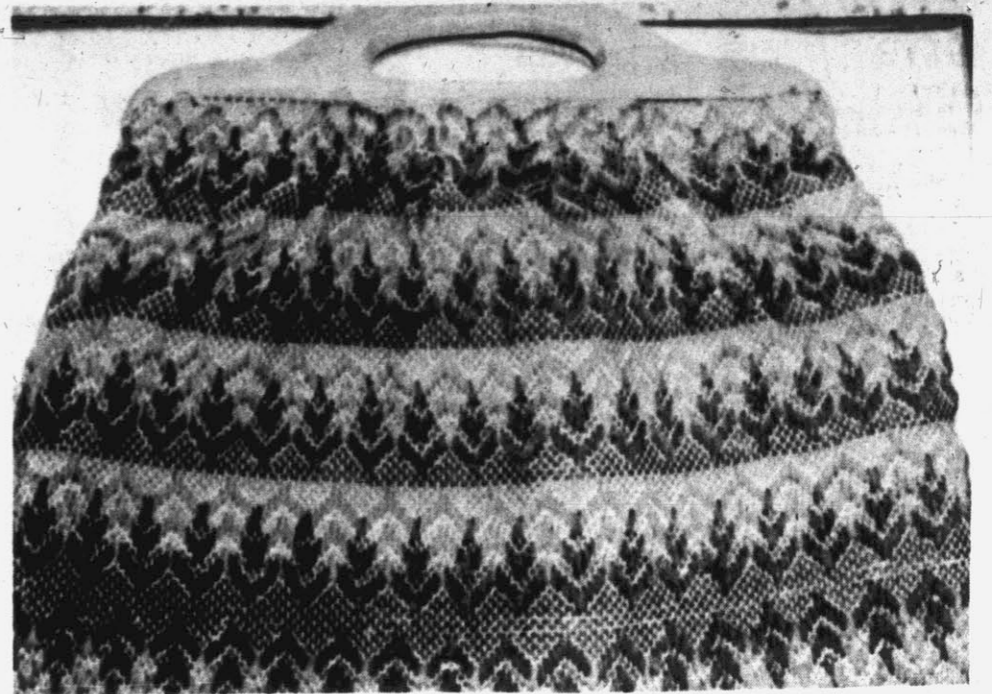


**NEEDLEPOINT** — in an elaborate design dates from about 1880. Found in an old barn in Maine, it was purchased by Mrs. John Lockwood of Cherry Point, who repaired and restored the panel. The wooden frame is original. Mrs. Lockwood instructed classes at the recent Needlecraft Festival.



**STATE BIRDS AND FLOWERS** . . . were embroidered on a cotton quilt by Mrs. Barbara Long of Greenville. Twenty-five designs appear on each side of the quilt, one for each state.

Text and Photographs by Jerry Raynor



**THIRTY-YEAR OLD** . . . handbag was in prime condition, was made by huck displayed by Mrs. Edna James of Greenville. The bag, still fresh and in Swedish embroidery.

**Needlecraft In Pitt County**

**Master Craft Being Revived**

The Needlecraft Festival held the week of November 10 through 14 by Pitt Technical Institute proved that the craft of creating with a needle is not only holding its own, but is making a significant comeback in the Greenville area.

Modern needlecraft specialists are blazing a colorful trail in creating items using old and new techniques. New materials, especially in synthetics, are giving wider scope to the possibilities open to needlecraft fanciers.

The recent show, which was sponsored and conducted jointly by Pitt Technical Institute, Greenville Recreation Commission and the Home

Demonstration agency, was restricted to items made by hand.

The courses given from Monday through Thursday were well attended, according to Mrs. Louise Downing of Pitt Tech, who was coordinator of the week-long festival.

"We had 42 people registered for the courses," she commented, "and a large number attended the one day exhibition of needlecraft which was held on Friday." The exhibit was displayed at the American Legion Building due to lack of adequate space at Pitt Tech.

Among the types of needlecraft now popular in the area are knitting, em-

broidering—including regular and crewel embroidery, needlepoint, applique work, tie-tatting — a form of making lace edging, and several other techniques and combinations of techniques.

Tie-tatting, which is an old fashioned way of making lace by hand, is "not very much practiced any more," Mrs. Downing stated. "It began to lose its importance with the introduction of inexpensive machine made lace."

In tie-tatting, some older people who practice this craft use no tools at all. "A few use a small shuttle with a wheel," Mrs. Downing commented.

The materials on the market for different fields of needlecraft are diverse. Traditional yarns and embroidery threads form the main core of materials used. Newer materials, especially synthetics, are becoming increasingly popular. Many of these are strong and very durable. One example where new material is effective is mono-weave canvas, such as used as backing for "bargello" work.

Needlecraft, like other crafts, has its own technical vocabulary. This covers an extensive field. Among the more commonly used words are satin stitch, French knots, huck weaving, Danish cross-stitch,

chain stitch, and a host of other words and terms.

None of these terms convey the wide range of beauty which can be created with the hands and a few basic tools — needles, filaments of thread and backing canvas. These simple materials, in the hands of an accomplished craftsman, can yield items of great loveliness, with the added attraction of being durable. Many hand-crafted items become highly valued heirlooms

indicating that "we hope to have a similar, maybe even larger festival next year if conditions permit," Mrs. Downing stated. "There's really a lot of interest in this work in the area."

"We are constantly seeking to revive any old technique which is generally out of favor now," she commented. One technique she cited in this connection is "candlewicking, which is knotting on bedspreads. I know there are a few women in the area who are competent in this craft. I've seen examples at the county fair. However, none entered any of this work in the festival."

Mrs. Downing hopes that anyone, man or woman, in the area who has knowledge of older crafts not now actively practiced will volunteer to take time to teach such crafts to others so that it can be revived and kept

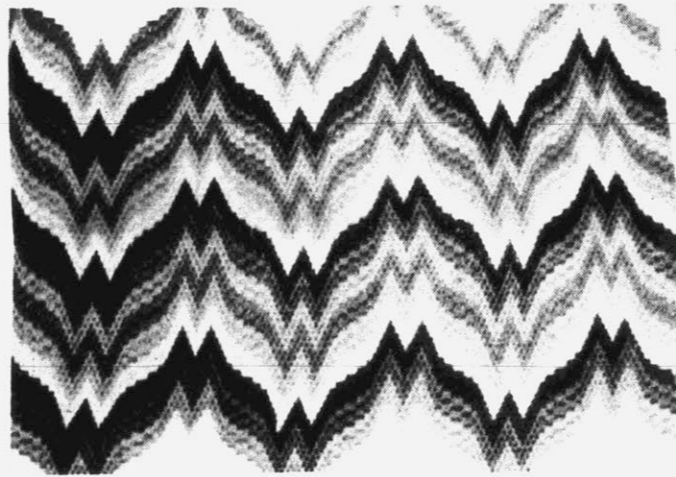
alive. (Telephone: 756-3130, Pitt Technical Institute).

Mrs. Downing is Learning Lab Coordinator at Pitt Tech. She also teaches craft therapy to patients at the Greenville Convalescent Home, and instructs classes in knitting and crewel embroidery at the branch of Pitt Technical Institute located in Farmville.

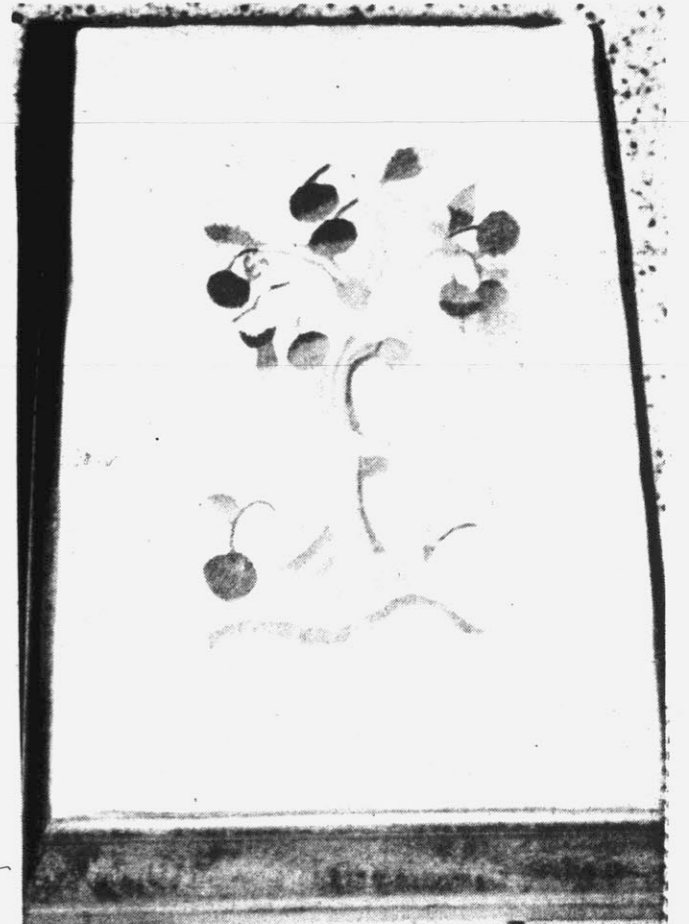
"Everyone seemed to enjoy the courses and the exhibit," she commented. "I think having a joint sponsorship added to the success of the festival. The possibility of repeating a similar week next year should be favorable."



**MODERN MOTIFFS** . . . are evident in the designs of these two cushions by Mrs. Lockwood of Cherry Point. Vivid colors and a free interpretation are characteristic of modern techniques. A combination of crewel embroidery, French knots, satin and chain stitches were used for these items.



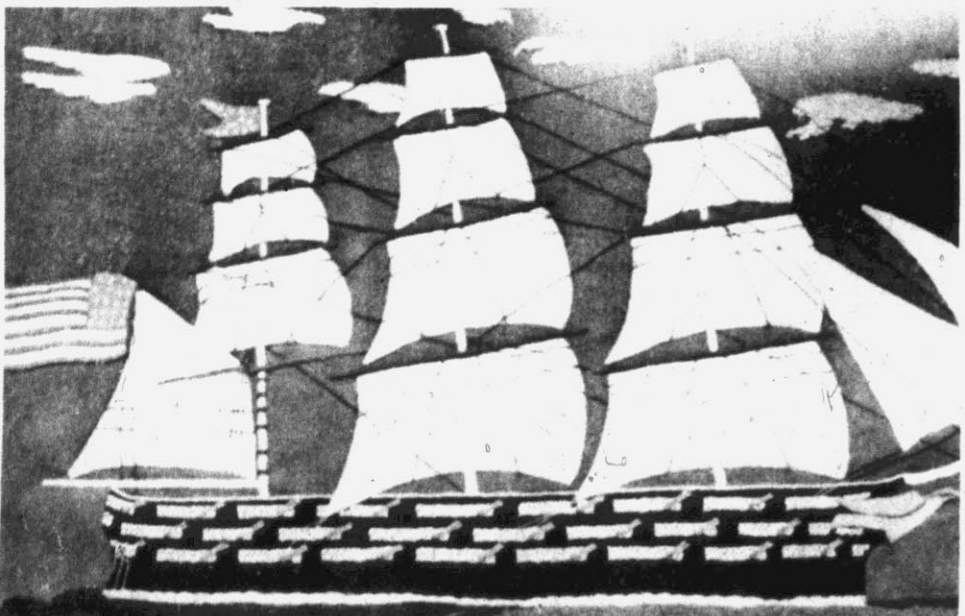
**BARGELLO** . . . design is shown in this incomplete work by Mrs. Lehman Holmes of Farmville. Yarns are applied to a mono-weave canvas of nylon to form this unusual pattern.



**FOOTSTOOL COVER** . . . by Mrs. Dorothy Smith of Pactolus is a rich red, cream and green on a golden beige background. She employed the crewel embroidery technique for the design.



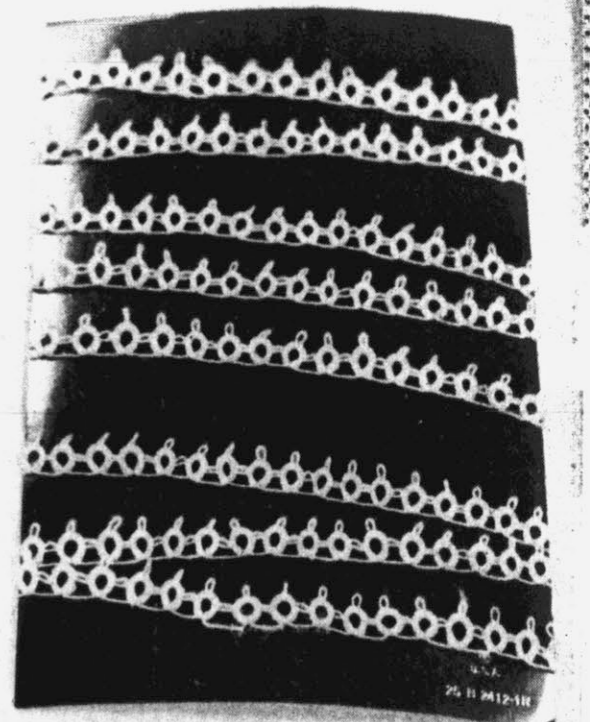
**SMALL WALL HANGINGS** . . . of two musical angels were made on Irish linen, knotted and fringed. Mrs. Louise Downing of Greenville made this pair using Danish cross-stitches worked by a chart and thread count.



**IN FULL SAIL** . . . a framed needlecraft picture made by Mrs. Sandra Farrier of Farmville. This item is a combination of applique and embroidery. The sails are stuffed with cotton. Clouds, shading in the water and other details are embroidered.



**KNITTING** . . . can take many forms. In this photograph, Mrs. Billie Tripp Briley of Greenville displays a roll of knitted lace edging (right), a lace collar and decorative flower at top, and partially seen at left, a knitted baby carriage cover.



**TIE-TATTING** . . . in two designs were created by Mrs. Mary Hawkins of near Greenville. This old fashioned craft is intricate and time consuming, but results in lace edging of great delicacy and durability.

### GOREN ON BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN  
(c 1969 by The Chicago Tribune)  
East-West vulnerable. East deals.

**NORTH**  
♠ 10 7  
♥ 8 7 4 2  
♦ 4 3  
♣ 8 6 4 3 2

**WEST**     **EAST**  
♠ K 8 3 2     ♠ Q 6 5 4  
♥ 10 3         ♥ Q J 5  
♦ 6 5 2         ♦ K J 10 9  
♣ Q J 10 9     ♣ 7 5

**SOUTH**  
♠ A J 9  
♥ A K 9 6  
♦ A Q 8 7  
♣ A K

had the transportation to makes plays from the dummy. As matters stood, the only hope for declarer was to secure the aid of the opposition and he bent his efforts in that direction.

His first step was to cash the ace of clubs and when both opponents followed suit, West was left with the jack and ten — the two master cards in that suit. Next came the ace, king, and the nine of hearts. On the third round, West chose to discard the deuce of diamonds and East went in with the queen.

East shifted to the jack of diamonds, despite his partner's discouraging signal, and South played the queen which won the trick. The ace was cashed next removing West's last diamond. The North hand was entered by overtaking the six of hearts with the eight and a club was led.

West was in with the ten of clubs and after cashing the jack—on which declarer discarded his small diamonds—West was obliged to lead a spade. East put up the queen to dislodge South's ace. A spade was returned and West played the king but was obliged to surrender the fulfilling trick to declarer's jack. In all he took two spades, three hearts, two diamonds, and two clubs.

Had West retained all of his diamonds and discarded spades instead, he would have eluded the end position. When he is in with the ten of clubs he can cash out and then exit with a diamond enabling East to take the setting tricks in that suit.

The bidding:  
East South West North  
Pass 3 NT Pass Pass  
Pass

Opening lead: Queen of ♣

Altho South was himself well endowed with high card riches in today's hand, his partner put down a yarborough and in order to develop nine tricks, declarer found it essential to enlist the assistance of the opposition.

West opened the queen of clubs and South won the trick with the king. Prospects were decidedly unattractive, for with a trickless dummy confronting him, declarer was obliged to plan his campaign from his own hand.

Assuming that the hearts divided three-two he could score three tricks in that suit which along with the top honors in clubs, diamonds, and spades—brought his total to seven. A successful finesse in diamonds plus repeated finesses in spades would provide an opportunity to round out the total to the required nine—if South only



### Today In Washington

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
WASHINGTON (AP) — The New Mobilization Committee has launched a months-long crusade to focus national attention on the Vietnam war, starting with a "No Christmas-as-usual" campaign and ending with massive demonstrations on Memorial Day.

The "winter-spring offensive" announced by the committee Wednesday will include antiwar demonstrations on Good Friday, March 27, and an antiwar demonstration on April 15, the deadline for filing federal income tax returns.

Stewart Meacham, co-chairman of the committee, said at a news conference that "as long as the government is carrying on its tragically criminal policy in Vietnam, there can be no Christmas as usual."

He said the committee has called on peace groups to continue their protests in December by reading the roll call of war dead in their communities, distributing leaflets in shopping centers, urging people to reduce Christmas buying and send re-

lief to Vietnam war victims, and supporting special observances for peace on Christmas eve.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Communications Commission has kicked off an investigation of broadcast operations of the parent companies of six major radio and television station licensees.

The FCC said Wednesday it will probe problems raised by ownership of broadcast stations by conglomerates and other companies with nonbroadcast enterprises.

Questionnaires sent to the six firms call for submission of documents containing their instructions to broadcast subsidiaries. These include arrangements for preclearance of programs and safeguards to prevent companies' nonbroadcast interest from affecting station programming.

The six firms chosen for the pilot study are Avco Corp., Chris-Craft Industries Inc., Cox Enterprises Inc., Fuqua Industries Inc., E. W. Scripps Co. and Travelers Insurance Co.

### Leasing Firms Prepare Merger

RALEIGH (AP) — Directors of two equipment leasing companies — Equitable Leasing Corp. of Asheville and Falco Corp. of Raleigh—have reached an agreement in principle on merger of the two firms.

The agreement announced Wednesday is subject to negotiations on specific details and an approval from the companies' stockholders.

### Air Force Shelves Inquiry Into UFOs

By FRANK CAREY  
AP Science Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Dr. Edward U. Condon, chief of a panel which recommended an end to the flying saucer hunt, says "there's no reason why the government should spend a lot of money checking up on lights in the sky."

Neither national security nor science were being served, the Air Force said in announcing an end Wednesday to 21-year-old project Blue Book, which kept voluminous files on reported sightings of unidentified flying objects.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars were spent on Blue Book in addition to the \$539,000 for the

Condon panel's 18-month study.

The University of Colorado physicist, in a telephone interview from Boulder, Colo., said though there are "plenty of kooks" who claim otherwise, "nobody has produced a shred of solid, credible evidence to support the idea that these UFOs represent visitors from outer space."

However, Condon emphasized the panel's January report, "also said that if any scientist came up with a clearly defined, specific proposal for study, and he was professionally qualified — he should be supported."

What now if someone wants to report a UFO?

The Air Force said it had no

specific recommendation, but the viewer could pass on his information to a scientist, check signals with the local air base, or call the police department.

A member of the House space committee, Rep. William F. Ryan, D-N.Y., urged that investigation of UFO's be the responsibility of the National Aeronautics and Space Agency.

The National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena, a private group, announced that the end of Blue Book means, "Congress can now discuss the possibility of turning over UFO investigations to a civilian, federal or private scientific organization."

**DINER'S DICTIONARY**

GUESTS (gést), n. 1. Too many people to cook for.

PAR-TY (pár'ti), n. 1. "Good grief, Harry! You mean you asked them to dinner?"

DIN-NER (din'ner), n. 1. Served at The Niblick. You don't lift a finger.

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### Koscot Co. Seeks Resume N.C. Sales

RALEIGH (AP) — Jean Benoy, North Carolina deputy attorney general for consumer protection, says he will seek court action if a Florida-based cosmetics firm tries to sell distributorships in the Tar Heel state again.

Benoy made the statement Wednesday after he was notified that Koscot Co. has made plans to re-enter North Carolina.

The company agreed in a consent court judgment last June to stop North Carolina sales of two types of distributorships declared illegal by the state attorney general's office.

Benoy said Boston attorney F. Lee Bailey had notified him he had been retained by Koscot and that Bailey believed the pyramid selling scheme is legal in North Carolina.

The attorney general's office contends the Koscot distributorship practices represent pyramid or chain letter-type selling schemes, which are illegal in North Carolina unless they are registered as securities.

"Bailey has advised us," Benoy said, "that he believes the company was well within the law in selling the distributorships in North Carolina. I've written back to him in reply that just as surely as night follows day, I'll try to get Koscot cited for contempt of court if they try to sell the distributorships in this state again."

The types of distributorships which Koscot agreed to discontinue in North Carolina are known as "supervisors" and "directors." People in these categories could earn "finder's fees" and "overrides" by bringing other people into the operation in chain letter fashion.

Benoy estimated last June that about 750 North Carolinians had been involved in the Koscot operation as directors or supervisors.

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### Wrote Own Obituary

PORT ELIZABETH, South Africa (AP) — Blind poet Harold Goodwin wrote his own obituary and sent it, in sealed envelopes to be opened only after his death, to local newspaper editors.

Goodwin, a World War I veteran, died not long ago at the age of 76.

This is Goodwin's obituary:  
**LAUGH CLOWN, LAUGH**  
Long ago I was born.  
(Was it free will or fate?)  
And my parents that morn  
Had one over the eight.  
I don't want you to think  
That the cry "It's a boy"  
Drove my parents to drink  
In their transports of joy.  
That is not what I meant.  
My arrival was seen  
Not as some great event  
But as normal routine.  
For my path to this earth  
Had been travelled by others,  
And to greet me at birth  
Were five sisters, three brothers.

Now I'm dead. Was my span  
From the womb to the tomb  
Just a stage in a plan  
Or a sentence of doom?  
Have I passed? Have I failed?  
I have not yet been told.  
What awaits me is veiled  
In a mist tinged with gold.  
This of course is the gist  
Of the great cosmic joke:  
For just what is that mist,  
Clouds of glory?—or smoke?

### Greenville Native Dies

RALEIGH (AP) — William Edgerton (Bill) Gulley, 46, assistant editor in the Department of Agricultural Information at North Carolina State University, died in Rex Hospital Wednesday of a heart attack.

Gulley, a native of Greenville, N. C., was assistant director of publications for the state's Department of Agriculture.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete.

Capital Quote  
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
"It's really a bomb. The Federal Aviation Administration really laid an egg on this program."—Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., as he offered unsuccessfully amendment to cut \$80 million from development of supersonic transport jetliner (SST).

Capital Footnote  
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Apollo 12 astronauts Charles Conrad Jr., Alan L. Bean and Richard F. Gordon Jr. and their wives will be guests of President Nixon and Mrs. Nixon at an informal private dinner Saturday evening.

### Meadowbrook

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### Beetle Bailey

**Beetle Bailey**  
DINNER ISN'T QUITE DONE, COME BACK IN TEN MINUTES  
WELL, I'M SO BUSHED I'M JUST GOING TO LIE DOWN RIGHT HERE TILL IT'S READY GAAD  
OKAY, MEN! STEP UP NOW AND LET ME KNOW WHICH YOU WANT --- BEEF OR FISH  
GEE... I DON'T KNOW  
WHICH DID HE HAVE?

### The Phantom

**The Phantom**  
THE ENTIRE IMPERIAL GUARD RUSHED AT ME...  
REALLY? WOW, HE'S REALLY MAKING IT UP NOW.  
"SPEAR BOUNCED OFF ME WITH NO EFFECT."  
"I RAN THROUGH THEM AS IF THEY WERE WEEDS."  
"I CRASHED THROUGH THE HEAVY PORTALS AS IF THEY WERE PAPER!"

### Blondie

**Blondie**  
WE'RE INTERESTED  
YAS  
THIS IS THE NEW SUPER-DELUXE MODEL WITH SYNCHRONIZED LIGHT-METER AND BOUNCE FLASH  
IT HAS AUTOMATIC RANGE FINDER AND APERTURE-CONTROL WHEEL WITH M-X SELECTOR SHUTTER RELEASE  
DON'T YOU HAVE ONE THAT JUST GOES "CLICK"?

**PEANUTS**  
EVERYONE IS SUPPOSED TO REPORT TO THE SKI HUT, CHARLIE BROWN  
WE HAVE TO GET ALL OUR EQUIPMENT...  
WHERE'S SNOOPY?  
HE'S IN THE FITTING ROOM TRYING ON SKI BOOTS...  
I MAY HAVE TO GO ONE SIZE SMALLER...

**NUBBIN**  
I'M GOING TO ASK NUBBIN WHAT HE THINKS OF MY NEW HAT.  
WELL? YIPES!!  
STUNNING!

**JULIET JONES**  
IT'S BEEN FIVE YEARS THAT I'VE WATCHED NEWTS IN ACTION. TO THE CASUAL OBSERVER HE'S NOT A MAN — HE'S A DYNAMO! GET IN HIS WAY AND HE PULVERIZES YOU.  
BUT WHEN YOU'RE AS CLOSE TO A MAN AS I'VE BEEN YOU'RE APT TO SEE HIM WITH HIS GUARD DOWN... WHEN HIS NATURAL QUALITIES BREAK THROUGH.  
... WHEN THAT HAPPENS HE'S A LIVING DOLL, I MEAN KIND, UNDERSTANDING, GENEROUS.

**B.C.**  
WHAT SHALL WE GET JUNIOR THIS YEAR?  
HE WANTS PEACE AND FREEDOM FOR ALL MANKIND.  
... IT'S GOING TO BE A TOUGH YEAR FOR THE ELVES.

**BEETLE BAILEY**  
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# The Worry Clinic 'Perverse' In Views Of Sex

Women are very perverse creatures regarding sex! Those like Mamie in today's case, wish to curb their husbands' eroticism. But others who have platonic mates then ask us doctors for aid in perking up their husbands' ardor! Brides rate low in the kitchen but high in the boudoir. The reverse usually occurs after a wife passes the age of 40.

By GEORGE W. CRANE, Ph.D., M.D.  
CASE L. 567. Mamie Jr., aged 37, is irate.

"Dr. Crane," she protested, "You place too much stress on sex."

"My husband is 45 and he shouldn't be interested in such things at that age!"

"Besides, he has heart trouble and men's hearts can't stand all the strain of such sexual excitement."

"So why don't you urge husbands to forget about sex when they pass the age of 40?"

A British scientist recently reported that if you women feed your mates a lot of chicken, they will possibly be less erotic!

For female sex hormones are given to roosters to "feminize" their muscles, thereby making them fatter and more tender.

"Over long periods of time," this scientist added, "the consumption of these hormones by men who dine regularly on chicken, may thus make them more platonic."

But don't get the erroneous idea that sexual indulgence is a severe cardiac strain!

Smoking just one cigarette is far more dangerous to the heart!

For sucking on a cigarette speeds up the smoker's pulse

rate as much as 20 beats per minute.

And this dangerous acceleration may persist for as long as 20 minutes after smoking that one cigarette!

In the usual instance of marital relations, there is very little increase in pulse rate or blood pressure.

Maybe wives, like Mamie, who are using this medical alibi to retard their husband's eroticism, must be thinking of the cavement era when a male had to fight the relatives of his prospective bride and chase her several miles through the jungle to catch her!

If you frigid modern wives wish to curtail your husband's amative advances, you might encourage him to smoke!

For the use of tobacco cuts down not only a man's gastric appetite but also tends to render him impotent 20 years too early.

Indeed, you layment have doubtless noted that the chain smoker is more interested in cuddling a cup of black coffee or a stem of beer than in romancing with women!

It is usually the heavy smokers and drinkers whose mates are platonic.

Alas, women are very perverse creatures regarding sex!

If, like Mamie, their mates are erotic, then they grumble and try to frustrate the desires of such mates.

On the contrary, if their husbands are platonic, then they ask for medical advice on how to inflame the ardor of those sluggish mates!

Actually, the sexual hunger parallels the gastric hunger, for



THEY'LL MARRY?—Singer Bobbie Gentry, 27, left, will marry millionaire gambling casino owner William "Bill" Harrah, right, 58, of Reno, Nevada, a friend said Wednesday. An associate of Harrah's would neither confirm nor deny the marriage plans. (AP Wirephoto)

both should persist as long as you live.

But millions of women (and some men), have absorbed the false notion that erotic appetite stops after the age of 40.

Yet they will freely admit that people long past that age of 40 still relish meat and potatoes, pie and cake!

The trouble with the usual wife is the fact that she grows far more proficient in tempting her mate's stomach appetite as she herself grows older.

But then she pays less and less attention to serving him a tempting "dish" in their boudoir!

So send for my medical booklet "How to Prevent Platonic Marriage," enclosing a long stamped, return envelope, plus 20 cents.

(Always write to Dr. Crane in care of this newspaper, enclosing a long stamped, addressed envelope and 20 cents to

cover typing and printing costs when you send for one of his booklets.)

## Public Notices

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
The undersigned, having this day qualified as executrix of the estate of Miles E. Wilson, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit the same, duly itemized and verified, to the undersigned executrix at Route 1, Box 20, Grimsland, North Carolina, or before the 8th day of June, 1970, or this notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make payment to the said executrix. This the 1st day of December, 1969.

Fannie Green Wilson  
Executrix of the estate of Miles E. Wilson, deceased  
R.B. Lee, Attorney  
Dec. 4, 11, 18, 24, 1969

**NOTICE OF RESALE**  
In The General Court of Justice Before The Clerk Ex Parte  
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Pitt County  
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## DOGS & PETS

**APRICOT MINIATURE POODLES**, 6 weeks old Christmas Eve. AKC Registered. \$85. 758-2067.

**DACHSUND PUPPIES**, \$40. Call Quill Albritton, 747-3768. Snow Hill, N.C.

**FOR SALE Nice Toy Poodle Puppies**, Black, AKC Registered, Weaned and partially paper trained. Ready for Christmas. 756-5905 or 752-6171 Ext. 33.

**AKC REGISTERED TOY Poodle puppies**, About 9" tall when grown, smallest breed of poodle, 1 litter white, 1 litter black. Ready for Santa Claus. 756-0517.

## Female Help Wanted

**GROWING MANUFACTURING** corporation needs lady with typing ability and some background in other office machines. Experience helpful but not necessary. 5 day work week with some Saturday overtime required. Above average employee program. Salary commensurate with experience and training. Please submit typewritten reply to Corporation, Box 1967, Greenville giving age, brief summary of experience, marital status, dependents, if presently employed and telephone number at which you may be reached during the day. Equal opportunity employer.

**KITTENS, FREE**, FOR A nice Christmas present. 752-2386 or come by 305 S. Library Street.

**AKC REGISTERED MINIATURE Dachsund puppies**, 10 weeks old, shots & wormed. Also male at stud. 756-4290.

**BEAUTIFUL AKC REGISTERED Pekingese puppies**, ready to go Christmas. Call 746-4156 after 5:30.

**AKC REGISTERED FROM CHAMPION STOCK**, Puppies ready for Christmas. **Airedale** master charge Phone 752-3701 after 5:00.

# THE GIFT SPOTTER

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| Gifts for the Home  | Trees, Trim & Flowers  | Gifts for Him  |
| Special for Christmas<br>CANISTER VACUUM CLEANER was \$64.95—for Christmas \$49.95.<br>ask for free gift with each purchase<br>Smith Electric Co.<br>415 EVANS STREET | Reduced<br>All permanent arrangements, and live Christmas Poinsettias<br>Kathleen's Flower Shop<br>264 By-Pass West<br>Phone 756-2722  | TUFFHIDE Attache Case<br>Guaranteed 5 full years<br>Reg. \$15.95<br>For Christmas \$10.95<br>On Deluxe Models, 20 Per Cent Off                         |
| Glidden Paint & Decorating Center featuring James River Collection forged brass by Baldwin<br>Pitt Plaza  | Sports Gifts   | TAFFOFFICE EQUIPMENT<br>214 E. Fifth St.   |
| UNDECIDED ABOUT Christmas gifts? Check with "Jolly Jim Leslie at Maxwell Bros. Furniture 569 S. Evans 752-6490  | For men who hunt and fish. We have a complete line of firearms and outdoor apparel.<br>H. L. Hodges & Co.  | For the home shop and the man who needs quality tools.<br>Hardware and Garden Center<br>Pitt Plaza 754-4055  |
| Carpet for Christmas See The Carpetman Larry's Carpetland   | Gifts for Everyone   | Gift Certificates  |
| FOR CHRISTMAS LANE Cedar Chest. Home Furniture Store Dickinson Ave.   | Tippy's Gift Shop<br>Gifts beginning for the modest, and excelling to the demanding.<br>Tipton Annex Building<br>264 Bypass 754-3011<br>Christmas Gift Wrapped   | For the Christmas Bride - a Gift Certificate which can be applied to the wedding pictures or any other photography needs<br>Rudy's<br>Greenville Ayden |
| Armstrong Carpet Modern Carpet Viking kitchen carpet and Sequoyan carpet.   | Red Goose<br>Personality — for the Ladies<br>City Club — for the Men<br>Family Shoe Store<br>509 Dickinson Avenue<br>Special — Watches Caravelle by Bulova \$10.95 up<br>Tetterton Jewellers<br>408 S. EVANS                                     | Gifts for Her  |
| Whitehurst Floors Trade STREET 756-2747 Open til 9 p.m.   | The Christmas Machine<br>OLIVETTI'S STUDIO 45<br>This Christmas give it to someone who'll lend it to you.<br>CAROLINA OFFICE EQUIPMENT CO.<br>Make your family's gift one that they'll enjoy for years to come. Quality for those you love best. | Sarell's<br>needlecraft<br>To make your gift personal - make it!<br>Pitt Plaza 756-1033  |
| shop Wards 1969 Christmas Catalog<br>JUST CALL 752-4119<br>...And pick up your order before Christmas<br>Open Mon. thru Fri. nites til 9 p.m.<br>2715 E. Tenth Street | Bonanza Mobile Homes<br>815 Memorial Drive<br>We service what we sell!<br>Decorator frames to enhance anyone's portrait, any style.<br>Rudy's<br>Greenville Ayden  | Gifts for Boys   |
| For a gift that lasts all year... here or overseas... a subscription to the Daily Reflector<br>Phone 752-6166   | YOU ALREADY OWN THE YEAR'S BEST GIFT CATALOGUE<br>Yes, the "Gift Spotter" quickly solves your gift problems. You're bound to find the right presents to please all—  | Bicycles \$27.95 up<br>Headquarters For Bicycle Accessories<br>Sutton Service Center<br>1105 Dickinson Ave. PL 2-4121                                  |



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## EMPLOYMENT

### Female Help Wanted

SUMRELL'S RESTAURANT needs 2 experienced waitresses. Call Mr. Heath 758-1306 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. for interview.

### AVON DING-DONG AVON CALLING

You can earn \$\$\$ in your spare time selling guaranteed cosmetics — in own locality. Call now — 758-2444. Mrs. Willa Wooten, Box 215, Leon Dr., Greenville.

### Male Help Wanted

WIDE COVERAGE RADIO station seeks local-regional time salesman to work with area accounts. Salary, incentive plan, car allowance and expenses. Good company benefits. Prestige organization. Reply Radio, Box 1967, Greenville.

MECHANIC FOR CARPET, formica, and inlaid. Good pay Write P. O. Box 306, Greenville.

ACCOUNTANT, DEGREE IN accounting, CPA or candidate, age under 30, 2-5 years experience, for permanent position with CPA firm in Eastern North Carolina. Send complete resume to Accountant, Box 1967, Greenville.

COLLEGE STUDENTS OR boys to deliver morning papers. Call 756-0817 after 5 p.m.

### Male-Female Help

MUSICIANS NEEDED. Accompanist, fiddlers, folk singing, pianist, etc., to do part time work in Greenville's finest dining facility. For information contact Mr. Harrison at 756-3616.

## FARM EQUIPMENT

DIXIE FERTILIZER, PLANT bed gas, tobacco seed, custom treating plant beds, see or call H. R. Sutton, Rt. 3, Greenville, 752-6620.

**Eastern Tractor and Equipment Co.**  
Dealer  
\$2,000 Discount on New Ford Diesel Tractor. Greenville, N. C.

## SERVICE DIRECTORY



QUICK & EASY REFERENCE FOR BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL SERVICES.

EXPERT SERVICE AT YOUR FINGERTIPS!

### AUTOMOTIVE

Rent a new Chevrolet  
**Phelps Chevrolet**  
756-2150  
Carr Allen Texaco  
213 Evans St.  
752-4838  
"Your More Service station"

### SURE WAY TO PREVENT HEADACHES

is to let Rick's Service Center give your car a complete check up. 9th and Evans, Call 752-4342

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Hudson Business Machines Victor  
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103 Trade St. 756-3175

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**Benton & Tetterton**

Cabinet Makers  
1501 EVANS ST 756-4700

### FLOOR REFINISHING

FLOOR SANDING AND REFINISHING, make old floors like new, Contact David Bunting 752-4761 after 5 p.m.

### Jackson Baker

Hardwood Floor Service Laid - Sanded - Finished  
New floors made perfect Old floors made like new  
756-1944

### GAS

Gas Service Anywhere  
Homes Farms, Industry  
Heat, Cooking, Curing, Motor Fuel

### Suburban Propane

732 Greenville Blvd. 756-2247

## FARMS

### Farms For Lease

11,700 LBS. TOBACCO IN Pitt County to be transferred. Call David Hardee, 746-3582.

3,834 LBS. TOBACCO FOR lease, call 756-3033.

### Farms For Rent

FARM FOR RENT ON thirds, close to Ayden, 10 acres tobacco, 21,270 lbs., plenty of other crop land. Call 758-1246 day, 758-1523 night.

### Farms For Sale

PUBLIC AUCTION, SATURDAY, December 20, 1969, 12 noon, Edgecombe County Courthouse, 331 acre farm of Andrew J. Parker, near Tarboro, Edgecombe County, North Carolina, 11.8 acres peanuts, 6.15 acres tobacco (10,369 lbs.), 20 acres corn, 5.6 acres wheat, 11.3 acres cotton. Call Frank Brown, 823-3925 Tarboro.

### FOR SALE

Miscellaneous For Sale

Carpet For Christmas See Carpet Man From Larry's Carpetland

BIKES, 26" GIRLS, INFANT car bed, best offer, 752-6567.

SEWING MACHINE, 1968 Repressed Singer Touch and Sew in walnut cabinet. Makes buttonholes, hems, fancy stitches, etc. Guaranteed good condition. Pay balance of \$79 or terms available. For free home demonstration, call General Appliance 758-4445.

SHOP AT STAN'S SPORT Center, 1025 Evans St., featuring Honda Mini-Trail, Rupp Go-Carts, Admiral color TV's and stereo component systems by Panasonic, Midland and Norelco.

AUTOMATIC ELECTRIC Stair-Clide is one answer to getting up stairs. Consult Smith Electric Co., 415 Evans St. 752-2114.

DUNCAN - PHYFE SOFA, beige. 756-4817.

CARPET FOR CHRISTMAS. Big new shipment. Ayden Carpet Outlet. 746-6137.

## Miscellaneous For Sale

### SPECIAL

3 speed mixers, \$6.50  
Wing back chairs \$99.95  
TV antennas \$1.00  
Fisher's Appliance & Furniture, Dickinson Ave., 752-3609

LIKE NEW, JANSSEN PIANO, fully equipped with stool, fluorescent light, low styling walnut finish, retail price new—\$850, will sell for \$495. Call 756-5234.

USED SPINET PIANO, \$350. Call M. E. Sutton, 752-5617.

USED FURNITURE, BED-room suit, Quaker oil heater, 2 metal china cabinets, metal wardrobe, electric range, refrigerator, dinette set with 6 chairs. See at Conner Mobile Homes, 756-0333.

PORTABLE TV. THIS TV HAS a large 21" viewing screen with a woodgrain finish and a wood trimmed stand. Originally sold for \$219.95. Now a Christmas bargain for only \$149.95. Terms to suit your budget. Heilig Meyers.

### End of Year SALE

7 new fiberglass boats, 14-15-16 ft., savings to \$300.

4 used plywood and fiberglass boats, 14-15-17 ft., savings to \$200.

10 used outboard motors, 6-7-10-12-25-35-40-60 h.p.  
1 water pump, 375 GHM Gormann Rupp  
1 air compressor  
1 3 h.p. electric motor  
1 500 watt electric generator  
15 new lawn mowers, less 20 per cent

14 new chain saws, less 10 per cent  
All reduced prices good only thru Dec. 23.

P.S. We run a repair shop and we service what we sell.

**Clark & Co.**  
3008 S. Memorial  
756-2557

LARGE G. E. STEREO TAPE recorder used less than 20 hours. original cost \$200; sale price \$150. Call 752-4363.

COLLECTORS ITEM. HEART-pine plain chest made of 19" boards. 250 years old. Call 758-4354.

COMPLETE SET OF DRUMS in excellent condition. 756-4674.

### SENTRY SAFES

These Safes Are Certified By UL Label  
For Fire Protection  
79.50 UP  
TUFF OFFICE EQUIPMENT  
214 E. 5th St. 752-2175

### EGGS

Christmas Special:  
Fresh A large \$6.99 doz. Pick up between 4-6:30 p.m. Fornes St. (off 10th St.) between Little Mint and Hill Crest Trailer Park, first house on left.

### EARLY AMERICAN

Beautiful sofa and matching chair now on sale. This 2 piece suite was used only 6 months, and is in excellent condition. Originally sold for \$499.95, now a real Christmas bargain for only \$288 at Heilig-Meyers. Easy Monthly Terms.

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### Miscellaneous For Sale

10" TABLE SAW AND 4 inch jointer. Excellent condition. 752-4365.

IT'S INEXPENSIVE TO clean rugs and upholstery with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1. C. L. Lupton, V & S Hardware.

8 MM MOVIE CAMERA AND projector. Bell & Howell, excellent condition, \$95 for both. 758-1853.

WE HAVE FRESH BROAD breasted turkeys and hens for Christmas. Place your order with us. Collins Grocery, 209 W. 9th St., 758-1246.

BRASS BED, \$100. 2 PORTABLE typewriters, \$25 and \$15. 10 antique clocks, running condition. Slide projector, \$22. Movie camera, \$10. Violin, \$12. Portable tape player with 4 tapes, \$10. Marble top wash stand, \$90. Framed prints. Poloroid Swinger, \$9. 2701 S. Memorial Drive, 756-2513.

### STEREO TAPE RECORDER

Roberts 770X, like new, unused, big savings at \$195. 752-7530.

JERUSALEM CHERRIES party decorations, fresh cut flowers for all occasions Tyson's Flower Shop, 415 W. 4th St., 752-3244.

SEWING MACHINE. LATE model Singer Touch & Sew, used but in perfect condition. All features built in. Total price \$82 Terms available. Call 752-5197

### LIVESTOCK

REGISTERED DUCOC. Ready for service. Robert Lewis Lane, Jr., 756-2473. "We sell quality, length, and leanness"

SHETLAND PONY AND SADDLE for \$40. Contact Duncan Moore, Rt. 3, Washington, 946-3845.

LARGE GENTLE PONY. \$40. Also Western saddle, \$25. Will keep until Christmas. Contact Mrs. Boyd 758-1463.

## MOBILE HOMES

### Mobile For Rent

40 x 12, with air conditioning, 2 bdrm., \$97.50

52 x 10, 2 bdrm., \$75

50 x 12, 2 bdrm., with air condition., \$85

45 x 10, 2 bdrm., \$67.50

41 x 10, 2 bdrm., with air conditioning., \$67.50

45 x 12, 2 bdrm., \$78.50

50 x 12, 2 bdrm., air conditioning., \$85

Call 758-3644 or 758-4842

GIRL WANTED TO SHARE 2 bedroom trailer. Available Feb. 1. 756-4790 after 6 p.m.

2 BEDROOM, AIR CONDITIONED mobile homes on Greenville Blvd. Call 756-5851.

2 BEDROOM, 12 WIDE, AIR conditioned and washer, Shady Knoll, 752-7076 and 758-4997.

TWO 2 BEDROOM TRAILERS, 12 wide, air condition, washer, Azalea Gardens and Shady Knoll. Call Rufus Keel, 752-7626, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

COUPLE, 2 BEDROOM, WASH-er, air conditioned, large private lot, E. 10th St. ext., 1 mile from EC University. 752-5328.

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2 BEDROOM AIR CONDITIONED, good location, call 752-3286.

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### Mobile For Rent

12 WIDE, 2 BEDROOM, AIR condition mobile home, Shady Knoll Court, 756-0083.

OAKWOOD ACRES — LOCATED on Hwy. 264 East, 52 x 100 lots. Free moving. Call 758-3644 or 758-4842.

2 BEDROOM DELUXE Mobile home with all extras. Located in Stancill's Mobile Home Court on Belvoir Hwy. Married persons only. Also large lots available. Free local moving. Call 752-6245.

50 X 10 HOUSE TRAILER, located in front of Ford place in Ayden, call 746-3397 or 746-6608.

TRAILER SPACE, BEAUTIFUL yard, good location, \$20 per month, call 746-3856 for further information.

FAMILY SIZE MOBILE home, 3 bedroom, located at Meadowbrook Trailer Park, 756-1307.

NICE 2 BEDROOM TRAILER with carpeting and air condition, \$80 a month. Call 756-3777 or 946-7482 Washington, N.C.

2 BEDROOM FURNISHED mobile home, has oil heat with thermostat control and air conditioner. Grier Rental Agency, 752-5700.

12' WIDE MOBILE HOMES for rent. Also lot spaces. Lawson's Trailer Court, 756-2909.

### Mobile Homes For Sale

NEW 1969 EMPIRE, 51 X 12, 2 bedroom, carpeted living room and dinette, queen size bed, sliding glass door in dinette, \$4650. 752-5185.

### REAL ESTATE

for better buys in real estate CALL OR SEE E. H. Williford  
List Your Property With Us  
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IDEAL FOR APARTMENTS: Arthur school site consisting of about 3 acres and 2 brick buildings, \$7,500. Contact D. G. Nichols Agency 752-4012, 752-4585, Mrs. Roper 758-4316, Mrs. Stoll 752-4364.

FOR RENT OR LEASE 6,300 SQ. FEET of prime retail space on Greenville's heaviest traveled street with free parking lot at door and large established retail established clientele. Call 756-5851. Brokers Protected.

### Houses For Sale

NEW AIR CONDITIONED 4 bdrm. house located 3007 S. Elm St., 2 1/2 baths, living room, dining room, foyer and den. Harry Wilson, Builder, 756-0741

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## Houses For Sale

3 BEDROOM, BRICK HOUSE, living room, kitchen—stove, disposal, 2 full baths, den—fireplace, playroom, large lot with trees, air condition, central heat, assume loan. Price \$26,800. 106 Brinkly Road. 758-2465.

117 GREENWOOD DRIVE, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, den with fireplace, double garage, percent loan, 756-3119 after 6 p.m.

2308 E. 3RD. 3 BDRM., Living room, dining room, air conditioned, FHA or VA financed available, \$15,500. Bill Williams Real Estate, 752-2615.

FHA-VA HOME LOANS guaranteed lowest costs Bowen Realty & Loan 752-7194

3 BEDROOM HOUSE FOR sale in Ayden by owner. Call 746-6507 day or 756-366

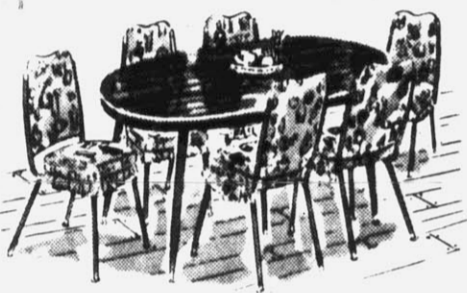


# Christmas Gift Guide

With Gift Ideas for **EVERYONE** on Your Gift List!

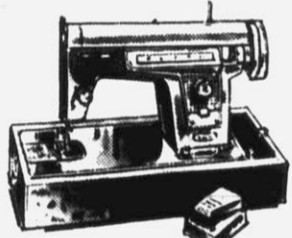
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Spacious Colonial  
7-Pc. Dinette



**\$99<sup>95</sup>**

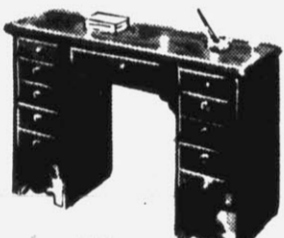
Large 36" x 48" x 60" oval table with woodgrain top that's mar-proof protected. . . 6 comfort designed chairs are covered in charming Colonial print vinyl that's wipe clean.



Portable  
**Sewing Machine**

Features automatic push button feed, easy-to-read zig-zag attachment and stitch length dials and automatic bobbin winder. . . built-in Pat-O-Matic darning.

**\$59.95**



7-Drawer  
**Kneehole Desk**

Large 40" work top plus 7 deep drawers for fingertip storage. Choice of maple or walnut finish.

**\$44**



## Gifts for Mom



SAVE \$10!  
Ladies' **Gruen Watch**

Elegantly styled and crafted to give years of service. Reg. \$39.95  
**\$29.95**



EUREKA  
Canister Type **Vacuum**

Powerful motor for deep cleaning. . . complete accessory set.  
**\$38**



Economy **Hair Dryer**

Whisper quiet motor with 3-way control. Adjustable bonnet fits any head size.  
**\$7.77**

**GUARANTEED DELIVERY BEFORE CHRISTMAS on all your purchases!**



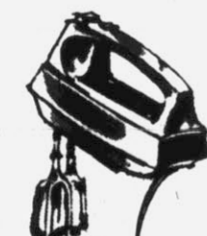
18 Lb. **Automatic Refrigerator**

High performance features include 2 water temperature combinations. . .  
**\$198 WITH TRADE**



Steam 'n Dry **Iron**

Glides through ironing with this sturdy and lightweight iron.  
**\$7.88**



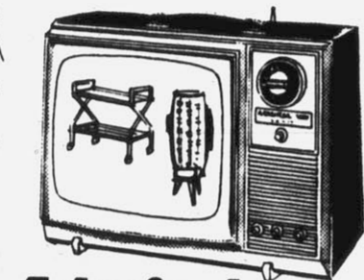
Hand **Mixer**

Lightweight 3-speed hand mixer. Features automatic beater ejector.  
**\$7.88**



EUREKA  
Polisher-Scrubber  
**\$29**

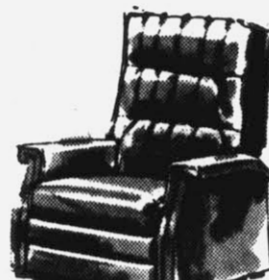
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Portable 3-Pc.  
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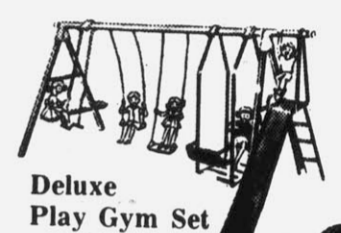
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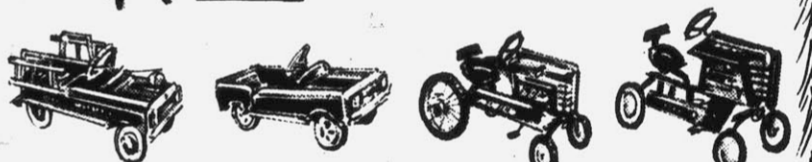
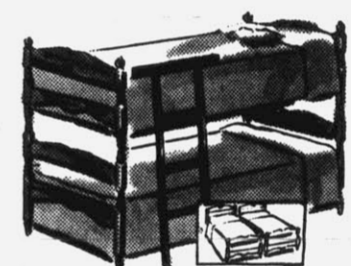
## Gifts for Tots



**Sturdy Panel Bunk Bed**

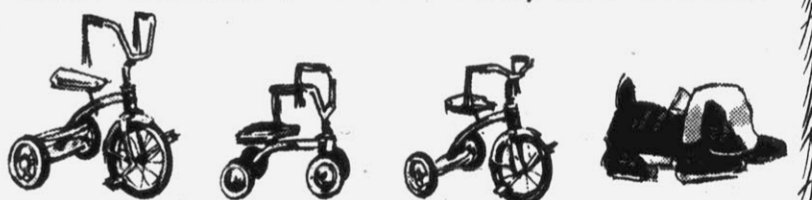
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