

Nixon And Pompidou Agree On Dollar Devaluation Policy

By FRANK CORMIER Associated Press Writer

ANGRA DO HEROISMO, Azores (AP) — President Nixon and France's Georges Pompidou agreed today to work for a devaluation of the dollar and revaluing of other currencies to achieve a realignment of the Western world's exchange rates.

A joint U.S.-French statement said the two presidents reached "a broad area of agreement" on measures necessary to achieve an early settlement of the international monetary crisis. "In cooperation with other nations they agreed to work toward a prompt realignment of exchange rates through a devaluation of the dollar

and re-evaluation of some other currencies," said a statement issued at the conclusion of the two-day talks here.

The statement also said the realignment of money parities "could be accompanied by broader permissible margins of fluctuation around the newly established exchange rates."

It did not specify any figures for the possible new parities.

The monetary troubles claimed the spotlight during the discussions Monday, and Treasury Secretary John B. Connally told newsmen afterward: "We are trying to push for a decision. We have made the point repeatedly that we think we owe it to the nations to try to resolve this

matter if we possibly can and as soon as we can."

Connally, who spent much of Monday meeting with French Finance Minister Valery Giscard d'Estaing, said they made "considerable progress—not in terms of any ultimate or final solution necessarily, but certainly progress in terms of getting additional matters out on the table, getting them discussed, having a clear understanding of the respective positions of the two nations."

He gave no indication what these "additional matters" were, but said the French "have indicated a willingness to be helpful, to be cooperative and to make a substantial con-

tribution to the settlement of the problem."

Connally conceded, however, that "no decisions have been arrived at."

A French spokesman said Nixon and Pompidou were trying "to find ways and means to get out of the current impasse." He said Pompidou was satisfied with the talks.

Nixon and Pompidou also talked about the India-Pakistan war, the Middle East, relations with the Soviet Union and the American president's visits next year to Moscow and Peking.

The two presidents were feted at a state dinner Monday night by Portuguese Premier Marcello Caetano.

No Escape Routes Open

Dacca Under Indian Artillery Fire

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Indian artillery began blasting military targets today in Dacca, where the Pakistani army in East Pakistan apparently plans a last stand. An air and sea bombardment set fires raging in the main port of Chittagong. Indian military spokesmen said.

An Indian Foreign Ministry spokesman reported he had a message from the International Red Cross in Dacca, the East Pakistani capital saying "the highest East Pakistani government officials" had resigned and sought Red Cross protection.

The spokesman reported the Pakistani army had refused to guarantee the safety of the officials, whose names were not given.

Defense Minister Jagjivan Ram told India's Parliament "it is our hope that the process of liberating Bangla Desh will be completed soon," but at considerable cost to the Indian forces—1,978 killed in 11 days of fighting, 5,025 wounded, 1,622 missing and 41 warplanes downed. He had no figures on Pakistani losses but reported 83 Pakistan planes were destroyed. Bangla Desh is the secessionist name for East Pakistan.

Lt. Gen. A. K. Niazi, Pakistan's commander in East Pakistan, vowed in Dacca to fight to the last man. Foreign correspondents in Dacca reported, however, that his staff was in a state of "total depression."

Fighting on the western front, 1,000 miles across India, was

reported mainly to be air battles.

An Indian spokesman in New Delhi asserted some units of infantry were within six miles of

Dacca. An army spokesman in Calcutta refused to give any details of the advance or to say how far Indian troops are from Dacca.

The military briefing map showed no advances in the past 24 hours in the arrows designating Indian troop positions—last reported to be only six miles

from the capital.

The spokesman said, however, that a three-pronged infantry-armor-artillery attack on Dacca "is progressing well."

Two Americans Return After Years Of Red China Captivity

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Two Americans, including a California woman who celebrates her 26th birthday two days after Christmas, returned to the U.S. mainland today after their release by Communist China.

"I feel great. It was a fine trip and I'm glad to be home," Mary Ann Harbert said in the first words spoken to newsmen since she and Richard Fecteau of Lynn, Mass., began their 10,000-mile flight from Hong Kong where they were freed Monday. "I'm so happy to be back," a smiling Fecteau said after he and Miss Harbert arrived by helicopter at Valley Forge Military Hospital, 25 miles northwest of here.

The pair arrived at 5:40 a.m. after a short flight from McGuire Air Force Base, N.J., their first mainland U.S. landfall since boarding a U.S. Air Force C141 at Hong Kong.

Newsmen were not permitted to talk to them, although one reporter managed to get close enough to exchange a few words. An Air Force spokesman said it was the pair's decision "not to speak to anyone."

Col. Philip A. Deffer, commanding officer at the hospital, said they would be taken immediately to a medical ward and examined by physicians. "They are tired," he said. "These are patients who have had a long and arduous journey."

It was not known how long they would remain at the hospital. Miss Harbert wore pink slacks and a parka. Fecteau

was dressed in black trousers and a parka.

Both were smiling as they alighted from the helicopter. They strode rapidly to a waiting automobile that took them the short distance to the hospital.

Her eyes were shielded by dark glasses and she carried what appeared to be a box under her arm.

Fecteau, a 43-year-old civil-

ian employe of the Army, served 19 years of a 20-year sentence on Chinese charges of spying. Miss Harbert, whose parents live in Palo Alto, Calif., had been a captive of the Red Chinese for three years.

Hickam Air Force Base in Honolulu was their first American stop after their release at Hong Kong. From Hickam, the C141 flew nonstop to McGuire.

Grand Jury Conducting Shooting Investigation

By STUART SAVAGE Reflector Staff Writer

A Pitt County Grand Jury investigation into the shooting of a Negro near Ayden August 6 by a Highway Patrolman — an incident that has led to more than 900 arrests in the county since demonstrations protesting the incident began in late-August — continued here this morning after getting underway about 4

p.m. yesterday.

The Grand Jury investigation into the incident was ordered by Superior Court Judge Robert Rouse on December 6 "to determine if there is probable cause for accusation of criminal conduct in connection with the death of William Earl Murphy."

Murphy was shot by Trooper Billy Day after being placed under arrest for public

drunkenness. Day said the fatal shot was fired as he and Murphy struggled over the officer's gun in the front seat of his patrol car.

A coroner's jury which heard testimony at an inquest ruled the officer acted in self defense. A report by the State Bureau of Investigation into the death was given to District Solicitor Eli Bloom and Bloom said the report contained no evidence to warrant bringing the case to trial.

Judge Rouse's order came after the Greenville Chapter of the North Carolina Civil Liberties Union attempted to get the court to make the SBI report public. The jurist refused to make the SBI report available to the public, but instead, ordered the Grand Jury to look into the case.

Some 24 witnesses have been subpoenaed for possible appearance before the jury.

Pitt County Coroner E. W. Harvey was the first person to appear before the jury yesterday afternoon. He remained in the jury room for about an hour before Dr. Stephen Bartlett, a Greenville surgeon who saw Murphy in the hospital's emergency room after the shooting, was called. Following brief appearance by Dr. Bartlett, E. D. Pearce, a ballistics

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Cease-Fire Call By UN Blocked By Soviet Veto

By ALEC COLLETT Associated Press Writer

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — The U.N. Security Council makes another attempt today to reach agreement on a formula for ending the India-Pakistan war, but Pakistan calls the latest proposal unacceptable.

The new effort came after the Soviet Union, India's backer, used its third veto in nine days Monday night to kill a U.S. proposal for a cease-fire and troop withdrawal.

The vote was 11-2 for the American resolution, with China voting with the majority, and Britain and France, the other two powers with a veto, abstaining. Poland sided with the Soviet Union against the proposal.

The new resolution, proposed

by Italy and Japan, calls upon India and Pakistan to take all measures to bring about an immediate cease-fire and begin disengagement of troops.

It also calls for "an immediate opening of negotiations, with a view to achieving a comprehensive political settlement" in East Pakistan, and for appointment of a three-man committee from among the 15 council members to "assist India and Pakistan in their efforts to bring about normalcy in the area of conflict."

Pakistani Ambassador Agha Shahi said the plan was unacceptable.

He did not say why, but presumably his government would object because it calls for disengagement of the opposing forces, not withdrawal of the Indian forces who have overrun much of East Pakistan.

Reynolds May Will Step Down As ECU Foundation's Chief

Reynolds May, first Executive Director of the East Carolina University Foundation for the past two years, resigned his position today, effective January 1.

May stated, "It is with deep regret that I find it necessary to resign my position as Executive Director of the East Carolina University Foundation; however, personal reasons and the fact that I find it necessary to devote more of my time to my business interests makes this action necessary. I have enjoyed working with Dr. Jenkins and the other foundation members and hope that I have contributed a small part to the Foundation's growth.

I want to assure my successor on the job that he will have my full cooperation and I will devote as much time as he wants to getting him familiar with his new position. I would also like to

take this opportunity to thank the many friends and businesses who have contributed money to the East Carolina University Foundation and assure them that their contributions have been greatly appreciated by all at the University.

"It is only through monies that the Foundation raises that the University can achieve a degree of excellence that is so vital now in all educational institutions."

Dr. Jenkins, stated, "We regret very much the loss of Reynolds as our Director. He has done a fine job in getting the Foundation started and I am sure it will continue to grow. Mr. May has always been an enthusiastic supporter of the University and we know he will continue in that respect."

At this point a successor to the job has not been named but one will probably be forthcoming in the very near future, officials indicated.



MORTON VISITS HERE Democratic gubernatorial candidate Hugh Morton (second from left) talks with local Realtor Jim Harris (L),

Judge J. W. H. Roberts, and Mayor S. Eugene West (R) during a stop in Greenville Monday. (Reflector Photo)

Candidate Morton Hopeful He Has Morgan's Vote

By TOM BAINES Reflector Staff Writer

Wilmington businessman Hugh Morton, a Democratic candidate for governor, says that his prospects, especially in this area, are much better now with Attorney General Robert Morgan out of the race.

Morton, who visited Pitt County during his recent four-month tour of the state before announcing his candidacy, was in Greenville Monday to talk with supporters and map early

campaign strategy.

The resort developer and photographer asserted that he "had not done well in this area" before Morgan withdrew from the race but noted he hoped to pick up many of the attorney general's former supporters.

Morton said that after talking with Morgan this summer and having the friendship with him that he does, he now feels that "Robert and Katie will vote for me" for governor. The

candidate added that Morgan was the only man in the race he felt he could "level with."

Morton said that the state needs a new breed of politicians in Raleigh, adding that North Carolina has lost the leadership and momentum it once enjoyed.

"Where North Carolina once led the South in areas such as industrial employment and education," he said, "we are now facing second class status. . . ." Morton pointed out that he is "tired of the East being

pitted against the West" in North Carolina and noted that the state needs to be tied together with an east-west highway. He said that he have to "get behind and push" agencies like the Coastal Plain Commission in the fight for highways.

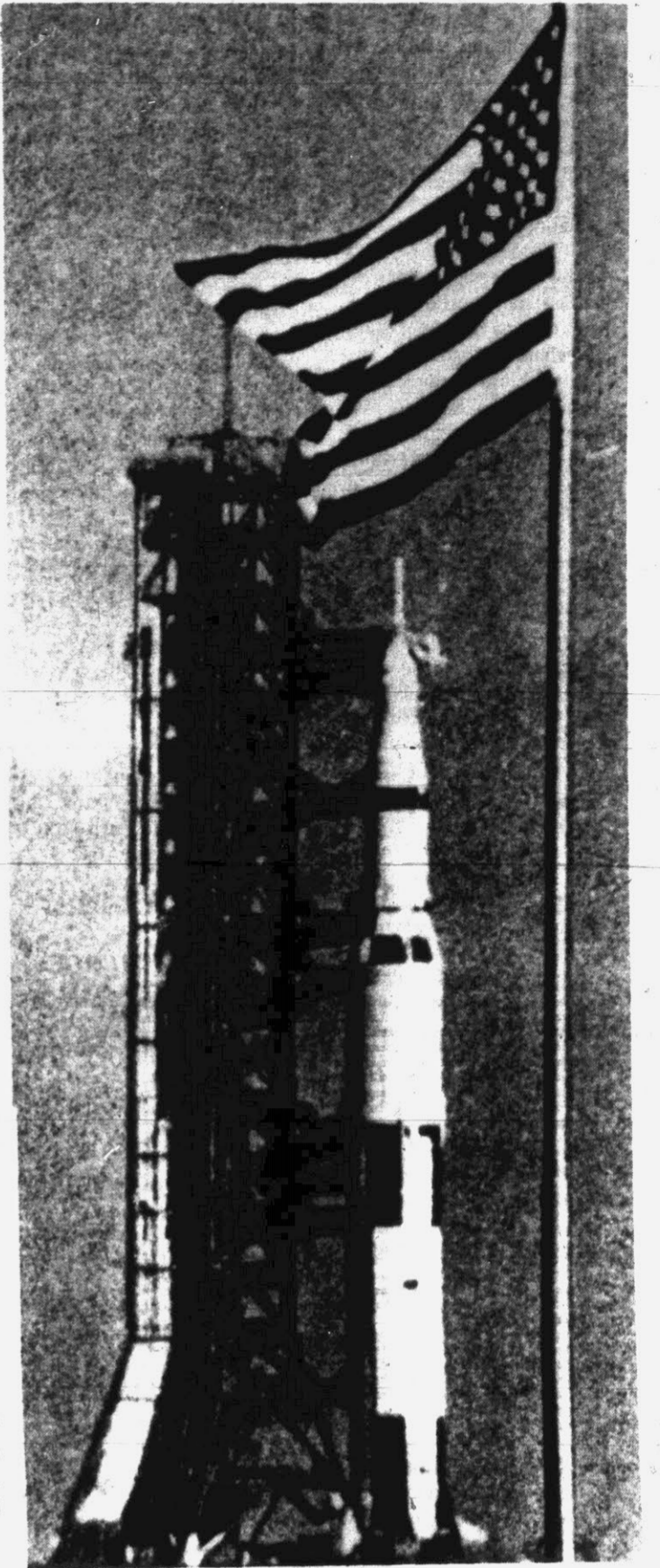
He asserted that his aim is to "build and upgrade the entire state," saying that "in Raleigh, if you don't have the trust of the whole state, you can't expect to get anything done."

Replying to recent published accounts quoting him as saying Governor Robert Scott is using his office to help Lt. Gov. Pat Taylor's gubernatorial candidacy, Morton said that he had not initiated those comments about Scott but added he had "not been able to tell he (Scott) has done anything to help my candidacy, so if he isn't helping me, he must be helping someone else."

Asked if he felt the governor was spending state

money on Taylor's campaign, Morton said that most of the evidence is circumstantial. Morton said that he hopes East Carolina University president Dr. Leo Jenkins does not decide to run for governor. "I don't want to be running against him," he added.

The candidate said that he had county campaign chairmen in many areas of the state and indicated that he is looking for someone to head up a Pitt County committee.



Reaching Upward

ALL-AMERICAN TEAM — With the American flag waving in the foreground, Apollo 16's Saturn 5 moon rocket moved slowly to the launch pad from an assembly building Monday. The 36-story-tall rocket looms large even though it is 3 1/2 miles away from the flag. The rocket will get three months of checks leading to a planned St. Patrick's Day launch to the moon's central highlands. (AP Wirephoto)

ARVN Seizes Red Base Camp

By GEORGE ESPER Associated Press Writer

SAIGON (AP) — South Vietnamese troops seized the Cambodian rubber plantation town of Chup today without any opposition, military spokesmen said.

"We now control Chup," one officer declared. He said reconnaissance teams fanned out into the 75-square-mile plantation, the largest in Indochina and a major base camp for the North Vietnamese 7th and 9th Divisions.

Two North Vietnamese soldiers defected to the South Vietnamese in the town, and intelligence officers were interrogating them.

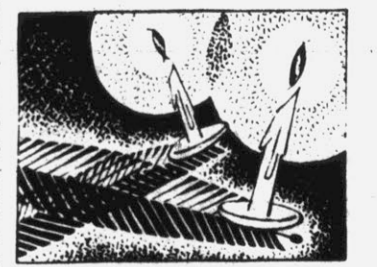
It was the first time in nearly a year that the South Vietnamese had established any kind of presence in Chup, the scene of hard fighting during the first allied invasion of Cambodia in May 1970 and again last February.

The South Vietnamese forces are on the southern edge of the big plantation, while the North Vietnamese have been reported in its northern part, and this may be why there has been no fighting.

Six thousand South Vietnamese troops spearheaded by an

armored column are committed to the Chup drive, which was launched Monday as part of the 25,000-man offensive into eastern Cambodia begun Nov. 22. Its aim is to destroy enemy supplies, disrupt communications lines and forestall a dry-season offensive into the southern half of South Vietnam.

The operation is receiving heavy air support from the United States. The U.S. Command in a delayed report announced that an Army CH-1 observation helicopter supporting the operation was shot down Sunday and the two crewmen were killed. It was the fourth U.S. aircraft shot down in eastern Cambodia in the past five days, with a total of three Americans killed and two wounded.



9 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

Male-In-Laws Get Along Better What Readers Think About Invitation

By STELLA BRUCE
Women's News Service

NEW YORK (WNS) — The next time you have a tiff with your sister-in-law at a family get-together, try to remember to spare a moment during the hostilities to glance in the direction of the husbands.

They'll probably be sitting silently with expressions which can be loosely translated as: "How can we get away from these nagging women and slip out for a beer?"

A woman doesn't have to be married very long to realize that men, as a race, don't like quarreling with their in-laws. "When a man marries, he not only takes his wife for better or for worse, he takes his in-laws too," says leading sociologist Dr. Bernard Edison.

He rarely starts off with any built-in prejudices, and he usually becomes quite fond of his new relations. And if he doesn't — unlike his wife he usually doesn't say so!

The facts bear him out. The latest figures collected by sociological surveys show that over 60 per cent of wives have had tiffs, or worse, with their in-laws.

Quirk Of Fate
For husbands, the percentage is under 30.

Of course, there's no logical reason why we should automatically get on with the people some quirk of fate has brought into our family, but it certainly makes life a lot easier if we do.

It doesn't mean that an in-law, unlike a friend, has not been chosen by us, and it is therefore largely a matter of luck whether we have anything in common or not.

Sisters-in-law, sociologists have found, don't usually do very much to meet each other half-way. For the first few months, things are usually a little tense.

Dr. Edison says: "We have found that a new arrival into the family is expected to take the initiative when it comes to making friends with the others."

"On the other hand, a new in-law often feels, and perhaps with justification,

that she should be welcomed into the family."

Brothers-in-law, on the other hand, often get on well with each other from the start.

It's usually not long before they're borrowing gardening equipment — and returning it — or helping each other with do-it-yourself jobs.

A survey conducted last year by Dr. Beryl Raikie and a team of motivational researchers involved a questionnaire sent to 2,000 volunteers.

Ask For Help
This included a series of questions on: How well do you get on with your in-laws?

Only 20 per cent of women replied that they would ever consider going on a vacation with their in-laws.

Forty per cent of the men, on the other hand, said that they had spent leisure time with their brothers-in-law (fishing, watching sports events, or similar activities), and that the outings had been successful.

Nearly 20 per cent of the men, in reply to another question, said that if they were in deep trouble they would consider asking a brother-in-law for help. But

only nine per cent of the women said they would ever ask a sister-in-law.

Unfortunately, relations between brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law are rarely so cordial.

An experienced marriage counselor told me that many marriage problems stem from in-laws moving in with couples, and that sisters-in-law take second place only to mothers-in-law as trouble-stirrers.

He mentioned a recent case involving a middle-aged spinster who moved in with her sister and her husband.

The husband regarded the move as an unnecessary intrusion into his home life, and feared that the sisters would "gang up" against him.

This, it seems, is exactly what happened. Eventually he moved into a nearby hotel, and there he stayed until his sister-in-law finally packed her bags.

Explained the counselor: "This 'ganging-up' is a thing often found among sisters, but rarely found in brothers. Women get together to criticize the male species, and this obviously causes resentment."

In fact, such criticism

would seem a little harsh. Men, as a group, seem to be able to handle married relationships much better than women.

More Cordial
A man's relationship with his father-in-law, for instance, is usually more cordial than his wife's with her mother-in-law.

"A man," says Dr. Raikie, "will usually accept a son-in-law as he is. It's the mother-in-law who thinks that he should improve himself in order to give her daughter a better standard of life."

"One thing you must accept: no mother thinks any man is really quite good enough for her daughter!" Most sons-in-law have a pretty shrewd idea that this is the case. In country villages in Pakistan, for instance, the custom still persists of bringing a bridegroom face to face with his future mother-in-law the day before the wedding.

She then insults him with every known invective. The theory is that if he can take this lambasting without striking her insensible, anything his wife may say during their future married life shouldn't worry him too much!

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR READERS: Yesterday I published the letter which I asked my readers to help me answer. Briefly, an employe was invited to a housewarming party by his boss, whose wife had been sent to Europe to die following cancer surgery. The boss's girl friend moved in as soon as the sick wife moved out. The employe said if he didn't go he would lose his job. The wife disagreed. Should they go, or shouldn't they? I asked my readers. Here are some of the most quotable replies:

"Don't go. Instead, send them a donation to the American Cancer Society in his wife's name with the following message, 'Why a housewarming for you two? Wait a while. Where you will be spending eternity you won't need to warm anything.'" [Chicago Today, Man and wife.]

"Go! I think the boss rates an A Plus for living the way he wants to without giving a damn what others think." [Male, Seattle Times.]

"Whatever happened to decency and honor? Don't go, but make up a good excuse." [Male, Buffalo Courier-Express.]

"Don't go. Who needs this 'crumb-bum'? He's incapable of loyalty to either wife or employe." [Male, Philadelphia Bulletin.]

"Go. And don't prejudice. Just because the wife had cancer surgery doesn't qualify her for sainthood." [St. Louis Globe-Democrat, Female.]

"Don't go. I would rather support an unemployed husband than have him work for such a rat!" [Omaha World-Herald.]

"Go! How others live is none of my business. My husband's job is!" [San Diego Union.]

"Don't go. A man has to have guts and principles if it costs him his job." [Milwaukee Sentinel, Man.]

"I'd find somebody with mumps and expose myself and my husband to them and say we're in quarantine!" [Cleveland Plain Dealer.]

"Stay home! If the boss invited you and your wife to a weekend wife-swapping party, would you feel compelled to go?" [Atlanta Constitution.]

"Go. Why be a moralist? That's God's job!" [Louisville Courier, Female.]

"The trouble with society today is too many people are closing their eyes and holding their noses and going. Decline!" [Boston Record-American, Female.]

"I'd tell my boss to shove his invitation and I'd start job hunting." [Male, Detroit News.]

"The husband should go and say his wife couldn't make it as she is dying of cancer, but she always lets him get away for a good cause." [Minneapolis Star, Male.]

Bridge Winners Are Announced

Winners in the Wednesday Afternoon Duplicate bridge game played at the Elks Club were:

North-South: Mrs. J. S. Rhodes Jr. and Mrs. Roger Critcher Jr., first; Mrs. J. M. Horton and Mrs. Robert Barnhill, second; Mrs. William Parvin and Mrs. Clifton Toler, third.

East-West: Mrs. Harold Forbes and Mrs. Jan Zurav, first; Mrs. E. L. Baker and Mrs. George Martin, second; Mrs. Robert Exum and Miss Emma Blanche Wooten, third.

Wednesday morning winners were: Mrs. J. D. Mellon and Mrs. Jack Richards, first; Mrs. Guy Smith Sr. and Mrs. Wendell Smiley, second; Mrs. E. J. Edminister and Mrs. Jan Zurav, third.

Friday night winners included: Dr. and Mrs. George Martin, first; M. E. Gilstrap and Stan Morgan, second; Mr. and Mrs. Shaki Routh, third.

Saturday afternoon Unit Tournament winners were:

Mrs. Robert Barnhill and Mrs. Beulah Eagles, first; Mrs. J. S. Rhodes Jr. and Mrs. Roger Critcher Jr., second; Mrs. Clifton Toler and Mrs. L. D. Harris, third.

Richard Anderson and George Martin, fourth; Mrs. D. J. Lewis and Mrs. Carmi Winters, fifth; Mrs. J. W. H. Roberts and Mrs. Lacy Harrell, sixth.

Ayden News

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Watson and Randy of Newport News, Va., were recent guests of Mrs. Emmitt Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wilson have returned from a trip to Florida.

Mrs. Mattie Lee Lang is a patient in Duke Hospital.

Richard Humbles, who is attending Appalachian College, Boone, was a recent guest of his mother, Mrs. Marjorie Humbles.

Mrs. Mittie Rouse has returned home from Pitt Memorial Hospital.

Duane Gwynn, of the U.S. Air Force, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gwynn. Lewis Tripp, who is in the U.S. Army Reserve, spent the weekend with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Dunn spent Saturday in Havelock.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Davis, Greg, Mark, Terry and O. L. Griffin of Baltimore were recent guests of Mrs. Bernice Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Collier, Dr. and Mrs. Sam Cromartie and children of Fayetteville, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Carr of Raleigh were Sunday guests of Mrs. Edna Dixon.

Mrs. Jack Sugg and family spent Sunday in Tabor City.

Mrs. Mayme Phillips is visiting in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pierce left Wednesday for their home in Plant City, Fla.

Ray McLawhorn of Virginia

was a local visitor last week.

Mrs. Juanita Elks spent part of last week in Virginia with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dunn Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Tripp spent the weekend in Wilson.

Mrs. W. P. Shelton and Nancy have been visiting in Greensboro.

Holiday Schedule

Engagement pictures and wedding write-ups to be printed in The Daily Reflector on Thursday, Dec. 23, Friday, Dec. 24, Sunday, Dec. 26, and Monday, Dec. 27 will have to be received by the Woman's Department no later than 12 Noon on Monday, Dec. 20.

Editions of The Daily Reflector will be printed on both Friday, Dec. 24 and Sunday, Dec. 26.

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COOKING IS FUN!

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
AP Food Editor

COMPANY LUNCH
Tuna Pie Green Salad
Fruit Compote Cookies

TUNA PIE
Crabmeat may be substituted for the tuna if you like.

8-inch unbaked pastry shell with high-standing rim

1/4 cup chopped scallions (green onions)
3 tablespoons butter
1 can (7 ounces) tuna, drained and broken up
3 eggs
1 container (8 ounces) heavy cream
3 tablespoons prepared yellow mustard

1/4 cup grated Swiss cheese
Bake pie shell in a preheated 450-degree oven for 5 minutes; cool. In an 8-inch skillet cook onions in butter until wilted—a few minutes; stir in tuna; heat gently for a few minutes. In a medium mixing bowl beat eggs until yolks and whites are just combined; add cream and mustard; beat until blended; stir in tuna mixture. Pour into pastry shell; sprinkle with cheese. Bake in a preheated 375-degree oven until filling is puffed and golden-brown—30 minutes. Let stand a few minutes before serving. Makes 6 servings.

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GOREN ON BRIDGE

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Both vulnerable. South deals.

the king and then led a third round. East trumped with the seven of spades in the hope of promoting his partner's holding in the trump suit. South overruled with the nine.

The deuce of spades was led next. West followed promptly with the three and after some consideration, declarer put in dummy's eight. East showed out, discarding a club. South continued to establish diamonds by ruffing out West's jack even though this reduced his spade holding to the ten-five, while West retained three trumps (the Q-J-6) and North, the lone ace-king.

A heart was led to the king and the now established eight of diamonds was played on which declarer finally unloaded his club loser. West discarded a heart. A heart was led to the ace which West ruffed with the six of spades and returned the jack to dummy's king. The king of clubs was put thru and the East did not cover. South discarded a heart. The queen was covered by the ace and declarer ruffed with his last trump. The queen of hearts was led. The queen of spades, over trumped with the ace and North's jack of clubs took the final trick.

When South leads the deuce of spades from his hand, it does West no good to split his honors. North covers the jack of spades with the king and East shows out. A fourth diamond is ruffed as before to establish dummy's long card, and declarer starts running his hearts. West ruffs the third round with the three and dummy overruffs with the eight. The ace of spades is cashed leaving South with the ten and West with the queen. The eight of diamonds is led and the four of clubs is discarded. West presumably also sluffs a club. Now the king of clubs is put thru to ruff out East's ace and altho South is out of trumps himself, he plays his high hearts. West can ruff with the queen of spades but must then surrender the last two tricks to dummy's high clubs.

Had East discarded on the third round of diamonds instead of ruffing in, declarer would have most likely played the ace and king of spades from dummy once the long diamond is established in the hope that trumps are three-two, in which case he would have gone set.

South briefly considered the possibility of cashing the two high trumps and then running his hearts, in the hope of discarding the three clubs from dummy. For this play to succeed, he would not only have to find a three-two division in spades, but also the player with the three trumps must hold four hearts, so that he is unable to ruff in until all of North's clubs have been discarded.

The diamond suit offered greater probability of profitable establishment for a discard from his own hand. South accordingly won the first trick with the ace of diamonds, crossed over to

You're Invited

RALEIGH (AP) — Gov. and Mrs. Bob Scott issued an invitation today to North Carolina families to visit the executive mansion to view the Christmas decorations.

The doors will be open Saturday from 2 p.m. until 6 p.m. and again Sunday the same hours.

"For the past two Christmas seasons," Mrs. Scott said, "the governor and I have found the people to be very responsive to our invitation to visit the mansion at Christmas, and we have found it to be one of the most popular times of the year."

"We are happy," she added, "to issue this invitation in 1971 to the families of our state and look forward to having them here to share in our holiday spirit."

Will Discuss Farm Credit

Farm credit will be the subject for a workshop scheduled for Thursday, 1:30-4:30 p.m., in the new building at Pitt Technical Institute, it was announced today by Edwin L. Yancey, county extension chairman.

Yancey said that Dr. Hugh Limer and Dr. Duane Newman, extension farm management specialists, will present information and lead the workshop discussion.

The extension chairman pointed out that the subject of credit is one of the most important considerations in farm management. The new machines and production practices needed in modern agriculture require large amounts of capital, he said, adding that a farmer's ability to secure credit on terms and at rates that allow some flexibility may be the difference between success or failure.

Yancey said that all farmers and farm wives, bankers, agribusiness, and farm credit agency personnel are invited to attend and participate in the workshop.

BUFFALOES BUMPED
KUALA LUMPUR (UPI)—Mechanization of rice paddy operations in Malaysia has led to a decrease in the number of water buffalo in the country, the government reports.

Between 1964 and 1969 the buffalo population dropped by 50,000 to a total of 223,300.

'Dying Man' Claims He Is \$200,000 Extortionist

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A person claiming to be the man who bailed out of a jetliner with \$200,000 he extorted from Northwest Airlines says he is dying and committed the crime "to gain a few fast grains of peace of mind."

In a copy of a typewritten note received Monday by the Los Angeles Times, a man signing the name "D.B. Cooper" said he knew he wouldn't be caught because of his disguise, lack of fingerprints and other unspecified means he said he used to baffle authorities.

"I am no modern day Robin Hood," the note said. "Unfortunately I do have only 14 months to live."

The letter was the latest of several received by various newspapers.

Announce Pupils On Honor Roll

STOKES—Twenty-two Stokes Elementary School students were named to the honor roll for the second marking period.

Students include: First grade—Woody Leggett, Shirlena Little, Diann Roach, Gay Singleton and Michelle Ward.

Second grade—Gerald Parker, Ronald Warren, Larry Williams, Sue Baker, Jacqueline Barnhill, Jean Harris and Debra Kirkman.

Fourth grade — William Beacham, Louvenia Clemons, Linda Little, Gerard Hardison, Alberta Manning, Annie Parker, Rosa Parker and Jeffrey Baker.

Fifth grade—Cynthia Barnes and Mary Ann Hudson.

what appeared to be a bomb, took control of a 727 jetliner on a flight from Portland, Ore., to Seattle on Thanksgiving eve. After receiving \$200,000 in \$20 bills at Seattle, the man ordered the plane to Mexico and bailed out somewhere between Seattle and a refueling stop at Reno, Nev.

The hijacker is believed to be a man who boarded the plane at Portland under the name "D.B. Cooper."

"I've come and gone on several airline flights and am not holed up in some obscure backwoods town," the man said in the note postmarked in Seattle last Saturday. "Neither am I a psycho-pathic killer. As a matter of fact, I've never even received a speeding ticket."

Claiming a life of "hate, turmoil, hunger and more hate," the writer said the hijacking and extortion "seemed to be the fastest and most profitable way to gain a few last grains of peace of mind."

The letter was turned over to FBI agents. FBI spokesmen refused to comment on its validity. The letter indicated copies also were sent to the New York Times, Seattle Times and

Washington Post. The New York Times and the Post said they had not received such a letter.

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Curbing Oil Seepage

DENVER, N.C. (AP) — Oil from a tanker truck with 7,000 gallons of diesel fuel which overturned late Wednesday has seeped into Lake Norman, a fishing and water-supply area.

But steps have been taken to prevent additional seepage, although an environmental official said there had been a sheen of oil for five miles on the lake.

The official Jack Stonebreaker, assistant chief of the environmental emergency branch in the Atlanta office of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, is supervising the cleanup work.

He found that oil which spilled into a cornfield ran down a slope into a creek that feeds into a cove of Lake Norman.

A boom has been placed across the narrow cove to back up the oil. Feed sacks with petroleum-absorbent material have been attached to the boom. Others have been anchored in the cove. Workers also skimmed oil off the water.

Holes were dug in the cornfield to catch the oil seeping down the slope. The holes have absorbent material in them.

Stonebreaker says he thinks the lake now is in pretty good shape.

Officials said that to their knowledge no fish have been

Annual Program Set Thursday

The annual Christmas program, Noel, Noel, the Story of Christmas, will be presented by the mixed chorus of Sadie Sautter School Thursday night, at 8 p.m. The program will be held in the cafeteria of the school and is under the direction of Mrs. Zenora Langley, music teacher.

Solosists for the program include: Michele Ebrum, Karen Mills, Carlene Payton, Montro Streeter, Tony Heath, and Jeff Barber.

All parents and friends are invited to attend.

The first public weather service in America was established in Cincinnati in 1869.

Downstream users of Lake Norman and Catawba River water, including Charlotte, Mooresville, Davidson and Huntersville, have been notified.

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Economic Report Encourages

Things are looking better for North Carolina's economy. N. C. National Bank economists report that the state's economy "is showing broadly based improvement, recovering steadily if not dramatically from the August slump."

The economists, Alfred G. Smith III and Donald H. Snyder, say gains are seen in most sectors of the economy, but with textiles and apparel rebounding less slowly.

NCNB's Trendicator advanced to 119.8 in Oc-

tober from 119.5 in September. The July mark was a record 120.1.

October personal income for the state reached \$1.48 billion, seasonally adjusted. July was a record \$1.49 billion, but August figure was \$1.45 billion.

October gains were said due to increased employment, hours worked and a rise in agriculturally related income.

Unemployment dropped from 3.9 percent in September to 3.6 percent in October. North Carolina's unemployment has run consistently below that of the nation as a whole.

The figures developed by NCNB economists are encouraging as North Carolina, along with the nation, continue to snap back from sluggish economic conditions. The state's big textile industry has been plagued with problems created in part by foreign competition. However, many other industries have remained strong.

Here in the east we were fortunate to have a good growing season for tobacco and the crop sold well on the markets. Industrial development in eastern cities is also being felt. The east, though, still has far to go in developing adequate jobs for our people.

Urbanization Is Irreversible

BY BRYAN HAISLIP
RALEIGH — Cities where life is creative, healthy and safe is the challenge for Americans in the final quarter of the 20th century.

Urbanization is an irreversible trend. As population concentrates in the cities, resources of federal, state and local governments must be coordinated and integrated to

elsewhere. A steering committee for the task force would be composed of the state director of Community Resources, the mayor, and Wilson as League executive. The City-State Task Force, in addition to studying state fiscal resource allocations for local governments and potentials for coordinating delivery of those resources, will also offer the possibility to establish the state's potential role in revenue sharing — a hope for the sharing of funds already realized to some degree at the state level and still being pursued at the federal level in Congress," Wilson said.

A community development legislative package for the 1973 General Assembly also is seen as a definite possibility out of the Task Force's work, he added.

To underwrite the planning phase, a budget of about \$97,000 is being developed with the state and Winston-Salem sharing about \$37,000 and federal funds supplying the bulk.

Model Cities Outgrowth
Planned Variations is an outgrowth of the Model Cities program, operated over the past three or four years to concentrate federal-city resources in improving neighborhoods.

North Carolina has four Model Cities — Asheville, Charlotte, High Point, and Winston-Salem.

The new approach recognizes that a weakness in previous efforts for urban improvement has been the lack of state involvement.

"There has been a gap between the resources of federal and state governments to municipalities," he said. "Through coordination, better use can be made of the total funds and services available to solve problems."

A significant promise in Planned Variations, he continued, is the construction of machinery through which local governments can make long-range plans.

"One of the real bottlenecks has been that when a city sits down to make its budget, it has no way of knowing what will be available from the state and its agencies," he said. The hope is that the task force can develop ways in which the city can plan its development with prior knowledge of state resources to be made available.

While the task force will supply the political base, a technical assistant team at work for two years with Model Cities in North Carolina will focus on Winston-Salem's problems. Both will be needed, in HUD's view, for meaningful progress.

Pattern May Spread
This recognizes, Wilson explained, that while Winston-Salem is the focus the program may well set the pattern to be transferred

A Promising Gesture To Improved Relations

Greenville Jaycees and the Phi Beta Lambda business fraternity at ECU have exchanged resolutions calling for improved relations and understanding between the community and ECU.

Mike Dolan the fraternity president said, "We hope we can accomplish much for the university and local community by working together."

Dave Gordon, Jaycee president saw it as a "beginning of good relations" between the community and ECU. Dean James Beard saw the exchange as a "milestone."

This is a very forward step by the campus and city organizations. If the program is continued much can be done to improve city and campus relations.

Where Nixon Lacking Votes

By ROWLAND EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK
MILLVALE, Pa. — President Nixon, though winning his battle against George Meany hands down, is badly losing the war against his potential Democratic foes for the Presidency in this industrial suburb of Pittsburgh.

The lower-income white union men who live here, most of them registered Democrats, surprisingly side with Mr. Nixon against AFL-CIO president Meany in their nasty quarrel over economic controls. But they overwhelmingly support each of three top Democrats over Mr. Nixon for President.

This is the unmistakable message of our interviews with Millvale voters conducted with the help of the Oliver Quayle polling organization. Accompanied by expert polltakers Alice Guthrie and Helen Brown, we found Mr. Nixon's New Economic Policy (NEP) had not softened inbred anti-Republican sentiment in two working-class districts.

The working-class are grim for White House strategists, who count on Mr. Nixon's NEP to win over the workingman. They have been smugly satisfied over the President's propaganda war with Meany, particularly Mr. Nixon's victory in the battle of Bal Harbour, Fla., where the President addressed the AFL-CIO convention. But interviews here point to little gain among white workers and, therefore, another cliffhanging election in 1972.

Superficially, our findings here are cause for mild Democratic cheer. Out of 57 voters interviewed, 51 are registered Democrats and 37 come from families with labor union members. Yet, among those with an opinion, 25 backed Mr. Nixon and only 9 supported Meany.

Attacking the salary increase voted Meany by the AFL-CIO convention, a 50-year-old steel worker told us Meany "causes a bad reflection on the labor movement." The 19-year-old wife of a machinist said: "I don't like Meany's attitude. He doesn't even care about high prices." Indeed, union member and their wives expressed deep misgivings about labor leaders.

Yet, the steel worker, the machinist's wife and many others indicated support for any Democrat against Mr. Nixon. Out of 57 voters, Mr. Nixon got 12 votes against Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, 14 against Sen. Edmund S. Muskie and 17 against Sen. Hubert Humphrey — around the 26 per cent level he ran in these districts in 1968. What's more, his job-approval rating here is an anemic 29 per cent.

In fact, although 46 of 57 voters express approval of Mr. Nixon's NEP, interrogation indicates less than complete enchantment. After indicating approval, a 65-year-old watch repairman added: "But it's not really working. Prices are still going up."

The more significant indicator is that only 22 of 57 feel economically better off than five years ago — disturbing for an incumbent

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Footnotes to the Indian-Pakistani War

By J.J. KILPATRICK

For 'Everyone But Us'

On the evening of Wednesday, December 1, the Senate approved an embarrassing, unwarranted and indefensible amendment to the pending Economic Stabilization Act. I have not written of this amendment before, in the hope that the thing would quietly go away. Sad to say, it seems to be lingering on.

This is the amendment, sponsored chiefly by Senator Alan Cranston of California, that would relieve newspapers, magazines, book publishers, and the radio-television industry from the price and wage controls that apply to everyone else. In the holy name of the First Amendment, the exemption would accord special privileges to the press. If we have the good sense we are supposed to have, we ought to renounce it out of hand.

It is no justification that a number of other trades, services and products also would be exempt from these wigs, but not newspapers? Why furs, but not books? Why taxidermy, but not magazines, radio and television?"

The short answer, perhaps, is that Walter Cronkite is not a stuffed moose, and the communications industry carries rather more economic impact than the sale of wigs and rockers. Short answers will not suffice. The tenuous rationalization for this amendment is that newsmen are either golden boys or

gutless wonders. It is suggested that we might accept special favors, or we might get chilled. This is how Cranston put it:

"The Wage and Price Control Boards will be dealing not only in across-the-board guideline rulings applicable to all newspapers, all magazines, all TV stations, and so forth; they will be dealing with individual case-by-case requests for pay or price adjustments... This does open the way potentially and rather clearly to different treatment for different companies, and there is at least the danger — all we are concerned about is: the danger — of, first, the Board treating a critic differently from a friend and, second, a critic moderating his criticism when he knows he is going to go before a government board and ask for special consideration."

This is, or ought to be, nonsense. By this insulting line of reasoning, newspapers and TV stations should be exempt from any tax assessment, zoning regulation, or lawsuit that depends upon some decision by a public agency or official. We ought to be kept in antiseptic isolation from the world around us, and we ought to be spared the burdens of mortal men. Humbug!

The amendment is practical in principle. It has practical defects as well. In its original form, the amendment also would have included "entertainers" in the blanket exemption, on the plausible grounds that the First Amendment applies to actors, playwrights, motion picture producers, and stand-up satirists who work the nightclub circuit. On

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Learn It All By Mail

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK (AP) — Things a columnist might never know if he didn't open his mail:

In a recent five-year period the age at which the most U.S. girls were married rose from 18 years to 19. The age at which most men became bridegrooms stayed steady at 21.

Noise is known to cause irritability and sleeplessness, but can it affect your sex life adversely? Some Russian medical experts believe so. They attribute much sexual incompatibility to the effect of noise.

When are the best and happiest years of life? Would you automatically respond, "In childhood"? Not so. A sociologist who polled several hundred people found that a majority considered the years between 25 and 40 as the most rewarding. Childhood came in second, Old age was voted the least happy period of existence.

Most bosses are giving the cold shoulder now to girls who want to wear hotpants to the office—a problem which has been shelved temporarily now anyway by the advent of cold weather. A survey showed that 63 per cent of responding executives banned hotpants from their business premises. But the issue is so warm that only 403 out of 1,046 bosses questioned said anything other than "no comment."

Body Chart: The ultimate function of the brain was to act as a kind of sponge in cooling the blood. Like so many people do today, they also thought that the emotion of love was located in the heart.

Note to stamp collectors: Many beginners injure or destroy their collections by laying the albums flat instead of standing them upright. The weight of the album can cause the glue on unused stamps to stick to the page.

Romantic pest: A kiss beneath a Christmas mistletoe can lead to lifelong love. But to biologist this flowering para-

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40 Years Ago Today

By GWYN COGHILL
Dec. 14, 1931

With only Christmas a few days away, Greenville people today began feverishly to make last minute preparations for the coming of Old Saint Nick. Hundreds of lights swing across the streets in the business district and store fronts and windows are aglow with tiny bulbs blinking their message of joy and goodwill. While decorations have not been completed in the residential districts, finishing touches were expected to be added by housewives during the weekend. The committee in charge of decorations stated today that a Christmas tree would be placed at Five Points to help carry out the spirit of the season. City schools closed today and the college will suspend work next Tuesday in observance of the season.

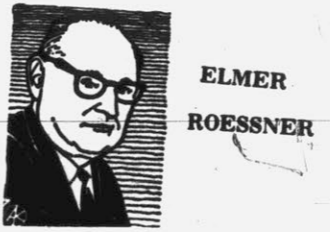
A. T. Allen, Superintendent of Public Instruction, was in Greenville today.

Vast Revolution In Taxation

By ELMER ROESSNER
There is going to be a vast revolution in the collection of state and local taxes. There have already been signs of change, with states getting into the lottery business and cities into bookmaking. But these are only signals of deeper changes to come. There is going to be a whole new ball game, with new rules and new parks.

The big change has been triggered by the California Supreme Court which has ruled that the state's school district assessment system is unconstitutional. Since each district raised most of its own money, districts with well-to-do populations have been able to afford fine schools with swimming pools and well-paid staffs, while poor districts have been able to offer only cheap education. Lawyers, educators and school suppliers have hailed the decision and predict that it will eventually be adopted

throughout the land. Since almost every school district in the country is supported with local taxes with varying amounts of



federal, state and county, it is apparent that a new system of raising money for education is imperative. And since education is the largest single non-federal expense, it is clear that a new tax-raising approach is required. Federal Aid Not Enough
A year ago a vast proposal for sharing federal revenues with the states was proposed. While it may be talked up against as a means of solving the new problem, it will probably fall by its own

weight again. In fact, the proposal will be more heavily weighted than ever because school costs are so large that federal support of public schools would require an enormous increase in federal income taxes.

There are other factors affecting state and local governments. It has long been a quaint American custom to provide the politically faithful with state and local jobs. Wages and salaries, particularly those of the patronage type, have been pushed higher by inflation, and the rise of unemployment has made it politically important to make more jobs.

Furthermore, the Supreme Court has ruled in no uncertain terms that local governments must care for the indigents within their gates, including those who prefer the climate or the welfare rates of special

areas. Reform Proposals
The Nixon Administration is concerned about this situation and about to submit some proposals to Congress. These would attempt to reform state collection methods to reap more taxes from income and less from property.

This would be done by simplifying provisions by which the Internal Revenue Service would collect additional income taxes for the states and allowing more generous deductions of state taxes from federal assessments. It would also reduce deductions for property taxes, thereby discouraging states from levying such taxes. The public, by voting down bond issues more frequently, has revolted against property taxes, which must eventually pay off all state and local bond issues, plus interest and handling costs.

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ON THE SQUARE
Are you a square or are you on the square? There is a vast difference between them. Kids are great for calling people squares — especially their parents. The term has never been adequately defined, but everybody knows what is being talked about (and who is being talked about) when one is spoken of as a square.

The term "on the square" is different. About the best thing that can ever be said of a person is that he (or she) is on the square. This means honest and truthful. It means tolerant and understanding. It means being willing to sound off with praise and keep the lips pretty tightly held on gossip. Persons in high office sometimes are not noted for being on the square. Unfair individuals would lump together most of the people

that belong to and vote the opposite political ticket as being a bit touched in the head or looking out for their own interests. The front page of most newspapers carried the account some months ago of a humble chap who sold shoe laces and other insignificant items from door to door, was known to thousands and always afraid nobody would come to his funeral. When he died, the streets of the city in which he lived experienced the worst traffic congestion in years. Everyone agreed that the little door-to-door salesman got what was coming to him. What does greatness abide? Ponder that for a few minutes. Maybe you're one of the great. Maybe the kid that is under everybody's feet will be President of the United States fifty years from now. Who knows?
By Earl L. Douglass

Red China Keeps The Momentum Going

WASHINGTON (AP) — king's interest in keeping the momentum going toward easing U.S.-Chinese relations, according to administration officials.

Monday's freeing of Richard Fecteau after nearly 20 years of imprisonment and the release of Mary Ann Harbert is a major sign of China's intentions, the officials indicate.

Official concern for three U.S. citizens still known to be held in Chinese prisons is keeping the State Department very close-mouthed about the whole affair except for expressing gratification over release of Fecteau and Miss Harbert, who was arrested in April 1968.

"This is a very sensitive matter," one official said, "we don't want to rock the boat or say anything that might endanger the others."

The Chinese accused them of arranging air-drops of Nationalist espionage agents onto the mainland, and sentenced Fecteau to 20 years in prison and Downey to a life term.

Smith, of Victorville, Calif., was shot down near the Chinese island of Hainan in 1965. Two years later, Flynn, of Oak Harbor, Wash., was downed while flying near the North Vietnamese border with China.

There is an air of mystery about Miss Harbert, who was taken prisoner in 1968 along with Gerald Ross McLaughlin when their yacht apparently sailed into Chinese territorial waters near Hong Kong.

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Durham Motel Fire Controlled

DURHAM (AP) — A blaze caused by a natural gas fire in a kitchen broiler burned out of control for nearly an hour at the Downtowner Motor Inn near the heart of downtown Durham early today.

Firemen brought the blaze under control after flames had gutted the kitchen interior and caused the roof to collapse.

No injuries were reported to the 170 guests at the motel. The third floor of the four-story structure and all rooms adjacent to the kitchen were evacuated. The motel was filled to capacity.

No damage estimate was immediately available.

The fire was reported first by employees of the motel, and moments later by a security guard at a nearby office building.

Assistant Fire Chief J. A. Letzing said flames could be seen above the roof of the building when firemen reached

the scene. First efforts were directed toward confining the blaze to the kitchen area, which is separated from guest areas by a covered walkway.

Mrs. Ruby Williams, a motel employee who was working in the kitchen, said she was cooking bacon on the gas broiler when it "just exploded."

She said she called another employee, who put out the broiler blaze with a fire extinguisher, but moments later "a rumbling noise" was heard on the roof.

W. E. McNary, the motel manager since the facility opened four years ago, said evacuation procedures were performed as a precaution. He noted that firewalls completely separated all rooms from the kitchen and dining areas.

The Downtowner is part of a statewide chain with headquarters in Fayetteville.

Set Meeting At Wahl-Coates

Persons interested in the welfare of the schools who live in the Wilson Acres, Green Springs, and Port Terminal areas should meet Wednesday night at 8 p.m. in the library of Wahl-Coates School.

This community meeting for the area designated as District 17 will be held to elect a representative to the city-wide Citizens' Awareness Committee. It was emphasized that persons attending do not have to be parents of school children.

Tobacco Session Set Thursday

The annual Pitt County tobacco meeting will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the new court room of the Pitt County Court House.

Dr. W. K. Collins, extension tobacco specialist, and F.A. Todd, extension plant pathologist, N.C. State University, will lead the discussion on the latest information on varieties, cultural and management practices, and disease control.

Evans-Novak

(Continued from page 4) President. Nor do they feel Mr. Nixon helps matters. His job-approval on inflation is 42 per cent and on unemployment only 20 per cent.

What's worse for Mr. Nixon, these blue-collar workers simply don't think he is fair: 40 complained that his NEP favors business at the workingman's expense, 12 said he was generally fair and 5 were not sure. Further questioning revealed suspicions that the President cracks down on them while rewarding rich supporters.

"His price freeze is a joke," said a widowed 38-year-old mother of five. "The businessmen are getting rich," a 42-year old steel worker told us: "Nixon ain't for the workingman. He froze our wages but not wages of people making the most money."

Despite economic distress, Millvale's voters were evenly divided over whether economics or the social issue (crime, drugs, etc.) is more important. But our voters give Mr. Nixon worse grades on handling street crime than even economics: only 19 per cent.

Thus does Richard Nixon's famous victory over George Meany in the battle of Bal Harbour pale into insignificance. The lesson of Millvale is that such flashy but surface victories are not enough to shatter Democratic loyalties of white workingmen. Rather, he must at least convince them his policies are in the worker's interests. Until then, the workers, even if not enthralled with Meany, are a long way from trusting the man in the White House.

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(Continued from page 4) reconsideration, entertainers were dropped. But a vast deal of the communications industry is not engaged in "the dissemination of information and ideas concerning public affairs." It is engaged purely and simply in entertainment.

Dean Martin in Las Vegas, or Dean Martin on TV, is the same Dean Martin. It is ludicrous to suggest that he can be chilled in the casino and thawed on the tube.

Once before, in the matter of the Failing Newspaper Act, I reproached my brethren of the press for accepting special privilege. That exemption (from antitrust laws) was at least of limited application. The Cranston amendment, by contrast, carves out an anomalous loophole in the application of uniform price and wage controls.

Many segments of the industry, I know, are in trouble. Production costs keep climbing. Postal rate increases alone will compel some upward price adjustments. But we of the press must take our lumps like everyone else. So long as controls remain the law of the land, we will sound awfully hollow, under the Cranston amendment, in urging their firm restraint on other men — but not on us.

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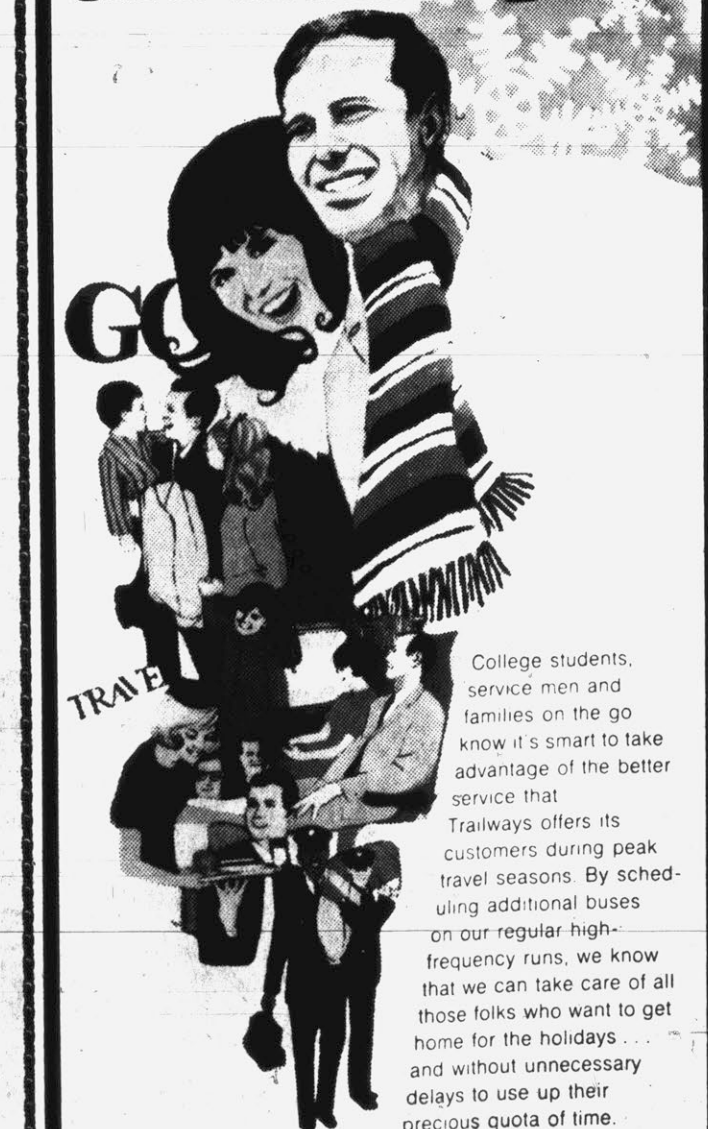
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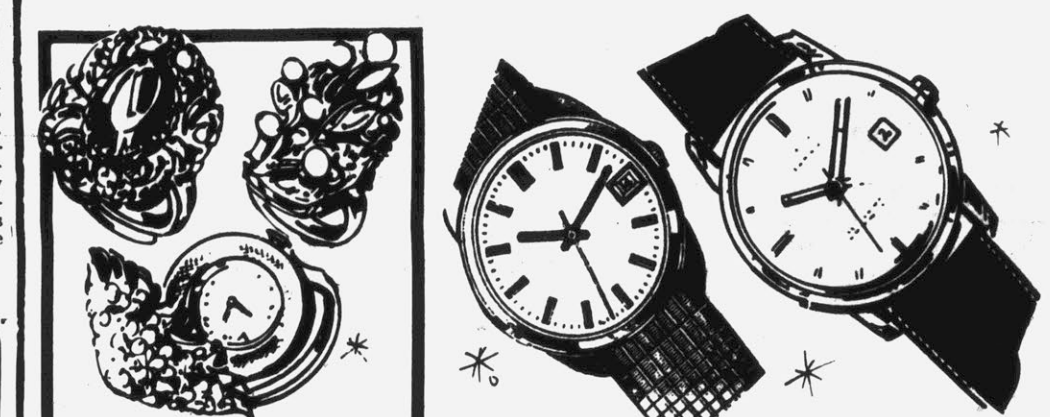
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Stock And Market Reports

RALEIGH (AP) — (NCDA) — North Carolina egg markets steady Monday.

Supplies adequate. Demand good. Prices paid producers and handlers for consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered nearby outlets:
Grade A large whites: 46½ to 47.
Medium whites: 44 to 45.
Small whites: 39 to 40.

RALEIGH (AP)—(NCDA)—North Carolina's hog markets today are generally steady. Tops of 20.50-21.25 Whiteville; 20.50-21.00 Rocky Mount; 20.00-21.00 Kinston, New Bern, Benson, Newton Grove, Albertson, Lumberton; 19.50-20.75 Tarboro; 20.50-20.75 Wilson; 20.00-20.50 Bethel; 18.75-19.75 Siler City, Denton; 21.50 Clinton, Fayetteville, Dunn, Elizabethtown, Pink Hill, Pine Level, Chadbourn, Ayden, Laurinburg; 21.25 Mount Olive.

RALEIGH (AP)—(NCDA)—Prices are steady on heavy types on the North Carolina hen market today. Supplies of all types are adequate and the demand good on heavies and fair for light types. Heavies, at farm, 16 to 17 cents per pound; FOB plants too few. Light type sales also too few to release prices.

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market stayed on even keel today, keeping the gains of recent sessions intact. Trading was moderately active.

The 11:30 a.m. Dow Jones average of 30 industrials was up 0.59 at 859.38. Advances on the New York Stock Exchange led declines by a narrow margin.

The gainers included tobaccos, electronics, and farm implements. All other groups were mixed.

Prices on the Big Board's most-active list included Norfolk & Western, off ¾ at 72; American Airlines, off ½ at 41½; Texas Gulf Sulphur, up ½

at 14; Goodyear, up ¼ at 30¾; Continental Oil, off ¼ at 25¾; and Computer Sciences, up ¼ at 8¾.

Following are selected 11 a.m. stock market quotations.
Burroughs 143¾
United Utilities 18½
Heublein 54
Jeff-Pilot 48½
Wachovia 60
Wicks 53¾
Wachovia Realty 32¾
Eckerd 30½


OVER THE COUNTERS
Combined Ins 29¾-30¾
Franklin Life 22½-22½
Hardees 14½-14½
NCNB 48-48¾
Piedmont Air 9½-9½
Integon 11½-11½
Little Mint 5¼-5¼
Conner Homes 4¼-4¼
Guardian Care 7¼-7¼
Tri South 31½-32
First Provident 5¾-6¾

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	Prev.	Mid-	Close	day
Akzona	33¼	33¼	33¼	
Allis-Chal	11½	11½	11½	
Am Motors	7¼	7¼	7¼	
Am Tel & Tel	41¼	41¾	41¾	
Am Brand	41¾	41¾	41¾	
Atl Rich	64	64¼	64¼	
Beth Stl	28½	28¾	28¾	
Boeing Air	19¾	18¼	18¼	
Borden Co	27	26¾	26¾	
Burl Ind	33¾	33¾	33¾	
Campbell S	29¾	29½	29½	
Carol P&L	23¾	23½	23½	
Celanese Corp	68¼	69½	69½	
Ches & Ohio	52½	52¼	52¼	
Chrysler	28¾	28¾	28¾	
Coca Cola	115	114½	114½	
Dan Riv Mills	7¾	7¾	7¾	
Duke Chem	73	73¼	73¼	
Dow Power	21½	21¾	21¾	
DuPont G	136	136¾	136¾	
East Airl	23	22¾	22¾	
Eastman Kodak	93¾	94¼	94¼	
Firestone Rub	25¼	25¼	25¼	
Ford Motor	68¾	68¾	68¾	
Gen Elec	61¾	61¾	61¾	
Gen Foods	34¾	35¼	35¼	
Gen Mtr	79¾	79¾	79¾	
Gen Tel & El	31¾	31¾	31¾	
Ga Pacific	43½	43½	43½	
Gerb Prod	41¾	41¾	41¾	
Goodrich Bf	28½	28¾	28¾	
Goodyear T&R	30¾	30¾	30¾	
Gulf Oil Corp	26	26½	26½	
IBM	324¼	325	325	
Int Paper	33¾	33¾	33¾	
Int Tel & Tel	54¼	54½	54½	
Kayser-Roth	21	20¾	20¾	
Liggett & Myers	53¾	53¾	53¾	
Lockh Air	10¾	10¾	10¾	
Loews Th	44½	43¾	43¾	
Monsanto	45¼	45¼	45¼	
Nabisco	53¾	53¾	53¾	
Natl Distillers	14½	14¾	14¾	
Norf & West	72¾	72	72	
Penney JC	71¾	72	72	
Pepsi Cola	66¾	66¾	66¾	
Phillips Petr	29¾	29¾	29¾	
Radio Corp	34¾	34¾	34¾	
Rep Stl	20¾	20¾	20¾	
Reynolds Ind	58½	58¾	58¾	
Seaboard Coast	62¾	62¼	62¼	
Sears Roebuck	98	97½	97½	
Sout Ralwy	81¼	81	81	
Sperry Corp	29	29½	29½	
Std Oil Calif	54¾	54¾	54¾	
Std Oil NJ	71¼	71¼	71¼	
Stevens JP	24¾	24¾	24¾	
Texaco Inc	35	34¾	34¾	
Tex G S	13½	13¾	13¾	
Textron Inc	29	29¾	29¾	
Un Carbide	41¼	41¾	41¾	
Uniroyal	18¾	18¾	18¾	
US Ply Ch	28¾	28¾	28¾	
US Stl	29¾	29¾	29¾	
Va El & Pwr	19¾	19¾	19¾	
Wachovia	59¾	60	60	
Westing El	88	87½	87½	
Weyerhsr	42¾	43¾	43¾	
Winn Dixie	47¾	47¾	47¾	
Woolworth	48¾	49¾	49¾	

TRIPLE CHARGES
CHARLOTTE (AP) — Southern Bell has asked the Utilities Commission for authority to triple its charges for installation of new telephones in North Carolina.

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The Meeting Place

- TUESDAY**
6:30 p.m.—Annual Christmas party of Alpha Iota Chapter of ADK for members, husbands and other guests.
7:30 p.m.—The Patient Circle of The King's Daughters will meet in the ladies parlor of Jarvis Memorial United Methodist Church. Hostesses will be Mrs. Charles Blanchard, Mrs. Carter Baubach, Mrs. Polly Dail and Mrs. Mary B. Whitehurst.
7:30 p.m.—Greenville Tops Club meets upstairs at Elm Street gym.
8:00 p.m.—Withla Council, Degree of Pocahontas meets at Rotary Bldg.
8:00 p.m.—Pitt Co. Alcoholics Anonymous meets at AA Bldg. on Farmville Hwy.
8:00 p.m.—The Entre Nous Book Club meets with Mrs. Moye Dail.
8:00 p.m.—Mrs. M. L. Starkey, Mrs. Cecil Bilbro, Miss Helen Perkins, Mrs. R. S. Moye and Mrs. Dallas Clark will be hostesses to the Aries Book Club.
- WEDNESDAY**
1:00 p.m.—Worship service in Pitt Memorial Hospital chapel.
1:30 p.m.—Wednesday Afternoon Duplicate Bridge Club weekly game at Elks Club.
6:30 p.m.—Kiwanis Club meets.
8:00 p.m.—Pitt County Al-Anon Group meets at AA Bldg., Farmville Hwy.

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SAFETY TREE — Mrs. Janie Gold Starling, Mrs. Ruby Fields and Mrs. Nancy Warren arrange lights on the Pilot Club-sponsored Safety Tree on the Pitt County Court House lawn yesterday. The tree, covered with green lights, is designed to remind motorists to drive safely over the holiday season. A green blub will be replaced with a red one for each traffic death that results from now until January 1. This is the third year

that the Pilot Club has sponsored the Safety Tree project. Mrs. Starling, Pilot Club president, said "it is our hope that the tree will stay green during this holiday season." Mrs. Field is first vice-president of the Pilot Club and president of the Pitt County Safety Council, while Mrs. Warren is Pilot Club Safety Committee chairman.

'No Mercy' B-W Product Said For Manson To Meet Standards

By LYLE W. PRICE
Associated Press Writer
LOS ANGELES (AP) — For the second time Charles Manson has left a courtroom here for San Quentin's Death Row with a judge's verdict urging no mercy.
"This is an appropriate case for the death penalty," Superior Court Judge Charles H. Older had declared in confirming a jury's death verdict for the slayings of actress Sharon Tate and six others.
On Monday, concluding Manson's trial for two other murders, Superior Court Judge Raymond Choate said he hoped Manson will never be paroled from a life sentence because he "would be a danger to any community in which he was released."
Manson then was put aboard a Sheriff's Department bus for the 450-mile ride to San Quentin to wait out his appeals and court rulings on the death penalty. He had been there briefly last spring before he was returned to stand trial for two other murders. All eight occurred in 1969.

Burroughs Wellcome Co. study revealed that the Burroughs Wellcome brand was the only one of the four tested which showed correct pharmacologic activity and said continued use and prescription of the brand is not questioned.
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Re-Elected To 3-Year Term

Robert G. Little, of Rt. 1, Grimesland, was reelected to a three-year term as Pitt County Soil Supervisor in an election Friday.
Little will begin his term of office when he takes the oath on Jan. 4. He will serve with A. J. Flanagan of Farmville, F. Curtis Martin of Bethel, Truman Haddock of Rt. 2, Ayden, and Ralph C. Tucker of Rt. 3, Greenville.

He will begin his fourth consecutive term as supervisor with the Pitt Soil and Water Conservation District, having been first elected in December, 1962.

Writers' Group Meets Tonight


The Greenville Writers' Groups will meet tonight at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Helen Parks, 1609 Oaklawn Drive.
Markets for free-lance writers will be discussed. All persons interested in writing are invited.

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Obituaries

Blow
Mr. Leslie Blow, 58, died Saturday.
Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Paul Chapel Church with Elder Grover Payton and Elder Warren Cooper officiating. Burial will follow in the Willoughby Cemetery.

of Parmele and Mrs. Louetta Clemons of Williamston; two brothers, Peter Whitehurst of Robersonville and Jeff Whitehurst, both of Washington, D.C.; and 88 grandchildren.
The body will be taken from Flanagan and Parker Funeral Home to her home Tuesday afternoon.

Herring
Mr. Leonard Kilby Herring, 33, of 2508 W. Fourth St., died in Pitt Memorial Hospital Sunday.
Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Kinston, by Father Shea and Father Maurice Spillane. Burial will follow in Westview Cemetery, Kinston. A prayer service will be held tonight at 7:30 from Edwards Funeral Home, Kinston.

Surviving are his wife, Margaret Wilson Herring of the home; one son, Leonard K. Jr. of the home; one daughter, Laura Kay of the home; four brothers, Elbert Ray, James Allen and Walter Rex, all of Kinston, and Oscar Herring of Greenville; two sisters, Mrs. Sybil Faye Hassell of Jacksonville, Fla. and Mrs. Elizabeth Garris of Kinston.

The body may be viewed at Phillips Brothers Mortuary Tuesday from 8 to 9 p.m.

Letchworth
KINSTON—Mr. Enoch Clinton Letchworth, 63, a retired farmer of Rt. 1, La Grange, died Tuesday morning in a Kinston hospital.
Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. at Garner's Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Leonard Woodall. Burial will be in Snow Hill Cemetery.

Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Lola Wise Letchworth; two sons, Howard L. and Leonard F. Letchworth, both of Phoenix, Ariz.; three daughters, Mrs. Fred Tripp of Farmville, Mrs. Hardee Barwick of Greenville, and Mrs. Forrest Ramsey of Marion, S. C.; two brothers, Burren L. Letchworth of Snow Hill and Horace A. Letchworth of La Grange; three sisters, Mrs. Rudolph Jones of Snow Hill, Mrs. William Coltrane of La Grange, and Mrs. R. M. Fader of Kinston; and ten grandchildren.

The family will be at the home of Mrs. Bobby Avery of 113 St. Joseph Street, Grifton.

Lynch
ROBERSONVILLE — Mrs. Virginia Lynch died at her home on Rt. 2, Robersonville Friday afternoon after a lingering illness.
Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Wilson Chapel and burial will be in the church cemetery.
The daughter of the late Robert and Mary Spruill Whitehurst, Mrs. Lynch was born in Martin County and spent most of her life in the Hassell community. She was a member of Wilson Chapel.

FORBES
AYDEN — Mr. Daniel Webster Forbes died Saturday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lillian Cox on Rt. 2, Ayden after a lingering illness.
Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 3 p.m. at Poplar Hill Free Will Baptist Church with the Rev. Jesse Wilson officiating. Burial will be in the Forbes Cemetery.

The son of the late Doc and Mary Edwards Forbes, he was born in Pitt County and spent most of his life in the Coxville community. He was a member of Haddock's Chapel.
Surviving him are four sisters, Mrs. Cox of the home, Mrs. Hattie Strong and Mrs. Eulah Langley, both of Washington, N.C. and Mrs. Alberta Nicholson of Greenville; two brothers, William Vanda Forbes of Brooklyn, N.Y. and Kater Forbes of Rt. 2, Ayden.
The body will be at Flanagan

Grand Jury . . .

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expert with the SBI was called and remained with the jury for about a quarter-hour.
The first witness called this morning as the hearing resumed, was Pitt County Deputy Sheriff Dalton Respass. Respass was still in the jury room late this morning.
Foreman of the Grand Jury — which includes four blacks — is S. G. Gibbs. Gibbs is a former Greenville police chief, former SBI agent, former member of the Highway Patrol and currently an investigator for the North Carolina Highway Commission.

MILLS TO CAMPAIGN
SHREVEPORT, La. (AP) — Rep. Wilbur Mills, of Ark., says he will campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination after his name is placed in nomination at the convention.



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Pitt Tech Slams Martin, 97-58

BETHEL — Pitt Technical Institute won its third game of the year last night, rolling to a 97-58 victory over Martin Tech.

The Paladins had little trouble in beating Martin, as they upped their record to 3-1 for the year. They jumped off to an early lead in the contest, running out to a 10-0 score, and never trailed.

During the first part of the first half, they worked with a zone against the Martin attack, then switched off into a man-to-man as they gradually worked up a 43-25 lead at the end of the period.

In the second frame, the Paladins continued to work on various defenses and attacks, as they tried out some of their new stuff while they had the opportunity. During the second

half, they outhit Martin, 54-33, to win the game handily.

Eddie Stokes led the Pitt scoring with 28 points, hitting 14 field goals. Wayne Brown was right behind him with 23, while Frank Brown poured in 20. Marvin Hardy rounded out those in double figures with 11 points.

For Martin, D. Moore led all scoring with 32 points, while L. Brown had 15.

Pitt plays host to Halifax Tech on Thursday night.

Pitt T.	G	F	T	Martin T.	G	F	T
Stokes	14	0	28	Brown	10	0	2
Hardy	5	1	11	Black	1	3	5
F. Brown	9	2	20	Forrest	1	0	2
W. Brown	10	3	23	Devis	0	0	0
Saunders	12	4	24	Moore	0	0	0
Beamon	0	2	2	Frazier	0	0	0
Underwood	0	0	0	L. Brown	3	9	15
Al. Brown	2	3	7	D. Moore	15	22	32
Coburn	1	0	2	Ewell	1	0	2
Didy	0	0	0	Bailey	0	0	0
Norwood	0	0	0	Totals	22	14	58
Totals	42	13	97				



Oak City Trojans

Members of the Oak City High School basketball team are, first row, left to right: Jerry Spruill, Ronald Duggins, Calvin Worsley, Norman Williams; second row, Whit Whitfield, Wayne Jones, Howard Peele; third row, Shelton Jones, Milton Bridges, Edward Briley and Russell Cotten. (Reflector Photo)

Oak City Experience Makes Coach Happy

By WOODY PEELE
Reflector Sports Editor
(21st of a series)

OAK CITY — With plenty of experience, Coach Henry Land is looking for the Oak City Trojans to repeat as the Martin County Conference champions this year.

And he and his team have their eyes set on a berth in the State Class A Tournament before it is all over.

"I may be jumping the gun," Land said, "but I do feel that we have a chance to win the district tournament. Two of the strongest teams in the tournament should be Pantego and Belhaven. We've played Pantego already and split with them. (The loss however, came when Land benched three of his starters for coming to practice late.) We play Belhaven tomorrow night. They're unbeaten so far, so we should get a real test then."

With the two starters and the wealth of lettermen, Land feels that the team is loaded with experience. "This is the first year of the nine I've been coaching that I really have a strong bench," Land said. "It's been successful for us. We really don't have the speed we did last year, but our experience has helped make up for it. We've had someone come off the bench in nearly every game to help spark us, and I can't help but feel we're the strongest in the conference because of this."

The height on the team is good for a Class A school. Briley is the tallest man at 6-4, and he does his share of rebounding. "We're going well on the boards against people in our class," Land said. "Conley outrebounded us pretty bad, but they're a 3-A school, too. We didn't block out as well against them. But I feel like we can handle about anyone in our class. Most of the teams we play have less experience, too."

Jerry Spruill and Whit Whitfield. The second unit of Ronald Duggins, Russell Cotten, Shelton Jones, Calvin Worsley and Milton Bridges, is just a step behind them. Land feels. "They don't have the height, but they're just as good."

Land feels that Jamesville will probably be the chief team that Oak City has to contend with on the way to the title. "I feel with our bench and experience we should win it."

"If we can keep our spirit up, and keep the basic drive going, we'll be all right. We want to win. We want to go all the way," he said.

Rose, Cougars Draw In Match

Rose High School's matmen gained their second draw of the season last night, wrestling Goldsboro to a 32-32 tie. Both of the ties have come against Division II opponents. The other was with Rocky Mount.

The tie brought the Rampant record to 0-1-2 for the year.

Both teams captured six matches in the meet, with one ending in a draw. Each got one forfeit.

Summary:
98: Alton Hansley (R) won by forfeit.
105: Don Diehl (R) pinned Steve Lewis, 0:59.
112: David Diehl (R) pinned John Lewis, 1:57.

119: Greg Chapman (R) decided Durwood Wiggins, 3:0.
126: Angelo Daniels (R) decided Curtis Moses, 4:2.
132: Ricky Hasty (G) decided Gary Walton, 4:2.
138: Ken Perkins (R) pinned Jeff Kincaid, 0:48.
145: Bob Barrett (R) drew with Mike Thompson, 8-8.
155: Devon Ford (G) pinned Henry Bunn, 3:45.
167: Jimmy Tunstall (G), decided Victor Diaz, 3:0.
185: Frank Seymour (G) pinned Sturgis Payne, 2:43.
195: Eddie Jernigan (G) pinned Jack Warren, 1:40.
Heavyweight: Glenn Hinston (G) won by forfeit.

Southwest Teams Are Unhappy Over Rules

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON
Associated Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Hanging out the college football wash: The Big Eight's success this season—Nebraska, Oklahoma and Colorado all in the Top Ten and all going to bowls, along with Iowa State—hasn't gone unnoticed in the Southwest Conference.

What hurts, is that they're doing it with a large measure of help from Texas boys—Greg Pruitt, Jack Mildren, Tom Brahaney, Jon Harrison and Steve Aycock of Oklahoma; Charlie Davis and Cliff Branch of Colorado.

But what really bugs the SWC folks is that they're not permitted to contact a high school prospect until after his senior year of eligibility while NCAA and Big Eight rules al-

low such contact after a player's junior year.

"Hell, they're down here right now," Darrell Royal of Texas griped several weeks ago. "Oklahoma, Nebraska, Colorado—you name them. I'm not saying this is our field of cotton because we go out of state, but we'd like an equal chance with the teams that are coming in."

The SWC powers-that-be met in Dallas last week to talk things over, but delayed any action until after the NCAA Convention early next month in Hollywood, Fla.

"We discussed but did not act upon the recruiting situation," said Howard Grubbs, executive secretary. "What we do depends on what the NCAA does."

Among proposals to be dis-

cussed by the NCAA members are limiting the number of scholarships and financial aid based on need.

"We are well into the recruiting season now and it's too late to act this year," said Grubbs. "We will be in a better position to know after the NCAA meeting. Our coaches felt that, ideally, our rules are better. But to stay with it we've got to be joined by others."

At the National Football Foundation's annual awards dinner last week, Alabama's Johnny Musso asked Okla-

homa's Jack Mildren for some optimistic advice against Nebraska in the Orange Bowl.

Mildren's reply: "Get hurt before the game."

This is how Oklahoma's offense has changed since 1969. Speedy Greg Pruitt told cloud-of-dust Steve Owens, the '69 Heisman Trophy winner: "In our offense, four yards is a busted play."

Currently, Land is starting Briley, Peele, Wayne Jones,

1st League Contest

Rose High School's Rampants travel to Wilson tonight to open their 1971-72 Division II campaign.

The Rampants will meet the Fike Titans in the opening conference game starting at approximately 7:45 p.m., following a 6 p.m. junior varsity game.

Rose came into the game with a 3-2 overall mark, losing only to unbeaten Bertie High School.



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Conley Runs By Ayden-Grifton

LITTLEFIELD — D. H. Conley High School rolled to a 57-10 wrestling victory over Ayden-Grifton High School last night.

The Vikings won all but two of the matches, taking six of them by pins. Two others were won by forfeits.

Summary:
98: Hatch (C) pinned Sasser, 3:53.
105: Moore (C) won by forfeit.
112: Tyson (C) pinned by Taylor, 4:33.
119: Gatling (C) decided Harris, 14:13.
126: Joyner (C) pinned Phillips, 1:48.
132: Swinson (C) decided Bell, 9-0.
138: Manness (C) won by forfeit.
145: Nicholson (C) decided Eason, 10-3.
155: Justice (C) pinned Gardner, 1:12.

167: Starkie (C) pinned Griffon, 5:12.
185: Edwards (AG) pinned Roach, 2:00.
195: Evans (C) pinned Mohle, 1:50.
Heavyweight: Hooker (AG) decided McGowan, 19-1.

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This May Be Rupp's 1st Losing Year

By BERT ROSENTHAL
Associated Press Sports Writer
In Adolph Rupp's first 41 years as basketball coach at the University of Kentucky, the Wildcats never had a losing

season.
This could be the first.
"We haven't got it this year," said the venerable 70-year-old Rupp Monday night after the seventh-ranked Wildcats were

upended by Michigan State 91-85 for their second consecutive setback after three victories.
"We just don't have the material," Michigan State Coach Gus

Ganakas concurred with Rupp's observation. "Kentucky certainly is not as strong as it has been in the past," said Ganakas.
Since Rupp became Ken-

tucky's coach in 1930, the Wildcats have won an amazing total of 858 games while losing only 183. They also have won the NCAA title four times, the National Invitation Tournament championship once and the Southeastern Conference crown a record 26 times.

Maryland, ranked 15th in the latest Associated Press poll, was the only other member of the Top 20 in action Tuesday night, and the Terrapins trampled Georgetown, D.C., 79-46 as 6-foot-11 sophomore Tom McMillen erupted for 32 points.

UCLA, winner of the last five NCAA championships, easily retained its position atop the rankings in this week's voting. The Bruins, unbeaten in four games, received 37 first-place votes and 898 points in outdistancing Marquette, which finished second with 708 points.

South Carolina was third, followed by North Carolina, Penn. Brigham Young, Kentucky, St. John's, N.Y., Florida State and Ohio State and Southern California, who tied for 10th.

Then came Indiana, Long Beach State, Jacksonville, Maryland, Southwestern Louisiana, Louisville, Princeton, Virginia and Houston.

Rupp, the winningest coach in collegiate basketball history, said he was "bitterly disappointed" over the Wildcats loss to Michigan State. "We should have beaten that team," he added.

Michigan State's Mike Robinson and Kentucky's 6-11 Jim Andrews shared game scoring honors with 32 points apiece. But Andrews often was slow getting up and down the court, enabling Michigan State to dominate the rebounding.

Rupp also was disappointed in the play of his guards. He said he sent in every play in the first half "and the guards ran only two of them. What kind of guard play is that?"

McMillen, Maryland's heralded center, hit 11 of 15 field goal attempts and 10 of 11 free throws in leading the Terrapins past Georgetown. He scored 12 points an 8½-minute span late in the second half when Maryland outscored Georgetown 29-7, boosting its lead from 45-35 to 74-42.

"I thought we were playing a little too cautious at the start of the game," said Maryland Coach Lefty Driesell.

But, Driesell said he was "satisfied" with the team's over-all play "I thought we played the game like we planned," he concluded.

Elsewhere, unbeaten Missouri, behind John Brown's 32 points, rolled to its sixth victory, beating St. Francis, Pa., 104-96; Kansas State broke loose for 52 points in the second half and routed Creighton 90-68; Bobby Jack's 21 points and 11 rebounds led Oklahoma to a 79-73 victory over Alabama, and Arkansas equalled the highest point total ever scored against Oklahoma State, thrashing the Cowboys 90-76.

Also, Wisconsin stretched its winning streak to four games, the longest string in John Powell's four seasons as coach, overpowering Florida Tech 90-58; Iowa, leading by 13 points with three minutes left, held on for an 87-85 victory over Nevada; Henry Wilmore's 33 points, 24 in the first half, paced Michigan to a 91-80 triumph over the Australian National team, and Texas, sparked by Larry Robinson's 31

points, whipped the touring Athletes in Action 115-90.
New Mexico State pulled away from Arizona in the final 15 minutes for an 89-73 victory; Auburn handed Mississippi its first loss in six games, 85-75, in the SEC opener for both teams; undefeated Maine upset Rhode Island 58-53 in a Yankee Conference game; Marshall won its fourth in a row, flogging Morehead 105-83, and Harvard scored the first 15 points and coasted to a 104-77 triumph over Boston University in the title game of the Beanpot Tournament.

The Top 20 with won-lost records through Saturday night and total points on the basis of 20 for first, 18 for second, 16, 14, 12, 10, 9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 through 15 places:

1. UCLA	4-0 898
2. Marquette	4-0 708
3. So. Carolina	3-0 508
4. No. Carolina	3-1 421

5. Penn	4-0 409
6. Brig. Young	4-0 294
7. Kentucky	3-1 285
8. St. John's, N.Y.	4-0 256
9. Florida St.	5-0 223
10. Ohio State	3-1 211
Tie So. Calif.	3-1 211
12. Indiana	4-0 199
13. Long Beach St.	3-1 179
14. Jacksonville	4-1 146
15. Maryland	2-1 138
16. SW Louisiana	4-1 131
17. Louisville	3-1 101
18. Princeton	4-0 99
19. Virginia	4-0 85
20. Houston	3-2 81

Other teams, receiving votes, listed alphabetically:
Arizona State, Georgia, Hawaii, Illinois, Kansas, Kansas State, Marshall, Memphis State, Michigan, Minnesota, Murray State, Nebraska, New Mexico State, Ohio, Penn State, Rhode Island, St. Louis, St. Joseph's, Pa., Syracuse, Villanova, Washington, West Virginia.

Redskins Bring Joy To Allen's Homecoming By Ripping The Rams

By RON ROACH
Associated Press Sports Writer
LOS ANGELES (AP) — It was billed as a civil war. And to some it was. The result put George Allen's Washington Redskins into the National Football League's National Conference playoffs.

The 38-24 Washington victory Monday night left Los Angeles Rams, Allen's team for five years before he was fired and moved on to Washington, with a longshot opportunity for the playoffs.

It was Allen's first game against the Rams since he was fired after making winners of the Los Angeles club. He said afterward that "there's no bitterness with my relationship with the Rams. I'm glad to win and glad to be back in the Coliseum although it's my first time in the visitors' dressing room."

The Rams, under former UCLA coach Tommy Prothro, were rated one touchdown better before the kickoff. The pregame talk was Washington defense vs. Los Angeles offense.

The passing potential of Bill Kilmer didn't draw much notice. But the 31-year-old "No. 2" Washington quarterback, playing ahead of the mending Sonny Jurgensen, threw three touchdown passes as the Redskins ran up their highest point total of the season.

Washington could win the Eastern Division on Sunday if it defeats Cleveland and first-place Dallas loses to St. Louis. But, with its 9-3-1 record, Washington is assured of the NFC wild-card playoff berth going to the club with the best runner-up record.

The Rams, 7-5-1, meanwhile, are through for the season unless they beat or tie Pittsburgh and Detroit upsets San Francisco on Sunday. The 49ers

moved half a game ahead of Los Angeles when the Rams lost to Washington.

The Redskins brought eight ex-Rams into Memorial Coliseum on a cold, blustery night for the nationally televised contest.

They included linebacker Jack Pardee, who said, "After the first pileup I forgot what side I was on and headed for the Ram bench."

A second-string defensive back who's very big on Allen's special teams, Ted Vactor, gave the Redskins two big plays, and each coach gambled on fourth-down plays. Allen won and Prothro lost.

After Curt Knight tied his personal distance mark with a wind-aided 52-yard field goal to tie the score at 10-10 in the second quarter, the Rams drove to the Washington 19. On fourth and two, the Rams passed up a field goal attempt and quarterback Roman Gabriel was stopped by Pardee one yard short of a first down.

"We did it because we thought we could make it," said Prothro. "I think we do that a lot of times."

"Kilmer threw awfully well. We had a bad football game and they had a good one."

Allen, considered the more conservative of the two coaches, made his gamble after Vactor blocked a 29-yard field goal attempt and Kilmer capitalized with a 32-yard touchdown pass to Clifton McNeil for a 17-10 lead.

Vactor, a three-year veteran from Nebraska, recovered a fumble on the next kickoff at the Los Angeles four. Including an automatic first down on a defensive holding penalty against the Rams, it took Washington seven plays to score, with Larry Brown carrying in on fourth down and the football less than a foot from the end zone.

A Gabriel interception, his first of three in the game, set up what proved to be the winning touchdown in the third quarter. Mike Bass outfought Lance Rentzel for the ball at the Rams' 45 and three plays later Kilmer threw a five-yard touchdown pass to Roy Jefferson for a 31-10 lead.

The Rams struck first when Kilmer's former UCLA teammate, Kermit Alexander, intercepted his pass and raced 82 yards for a touchdown.

But Washington struck quickly when Kilmer hit Jefferson on the Rams' 27 and Jefferson beat defenders Jimmy Nettles and Dave Elmendorf on a 70-yard touchdown play.

"That helped our momentum," said Kilmer, "but the key was when I hit Clifton for a touchdown and then they fumbled the kickoff."

The back-to-back plays made a hero of Vactor, who explained, "I was just lucky, I guess."

Richmond Goes Against 'Cats

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
In the eight years Lewis Mills has been head basketball coach at the University of Richmond, only twice have Davidson's Wildcats had what could be described as less than spectacular teams.

One was in 1966-67 and the other last year, but the Wildcats' 1-2 beginning so far this season could make it three.

Mills, however, hasn't had much success with the Wildcats — good or mediocre. His Spiders have beaten the Wildcats just once in 19 tries in those eight years, winning 72-69 at Richmond on Jan. 4, 1967.

The Spiders have lost the last 11 meetings between the Southern Conference opponents, and Mills would like the string to end right there.

He and the Spiders get their chance tonight when Davidson, in the conference basement with an 0-2 record for the first time since 1961, invades Richmond, only the only action for league teams. Richmond is 2-3 over-all but tied for second in the conference standings at 1-0.

A victory tonight would send the Spiders into a tie for the lead with William and Mary's Indians.

Defending champion Furman "is still probably the best team in the conference," says Mills, "but the conference is a lot better balanced than I've ever seen it. It looks like everybody'll be in there scrapping 'til the end." The end, of course, is the championship tournament in March.

All conference teams were idle Monday night.

Another Oiler Coach Is Fired

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ
Associated Press Sports Writer
HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Oilers coaching staff has been caught in a cross-fire.

The first shot was fired last month when Oiler General Manager John Breen and owner Bud Adams decided to fire offensive line coach Ernie Zwahlen without head coach Ed Hughes' consent.

A volley from the other side dropped another assistant coach Monday when Hughes relieved offensive backfield coach Walt Schlinkman, who had been with the Oilers since their formation and had been on good terms with management.

Hughes didn't try to hide his displeasure with Zwahlen's release. Breen wouldn't say if he approved of Schlinkman's dismissal but he praised Schlinkman's work and said he was not consulted on the move.

There was speculation Hughes might be retaliating against the management for dismissing Zwahlen, who came to the Oilers with Hughes from

San Francisco. Later Monday afternoon Hughes fired Oiler equipment manager Johnny Gonzalez, who was completing his seventh season with the Oilers.

Hughes declined to say why he fired Schlinkman but Schlinkman was quick with a statement saying that Hughes told him he was fired because "I have not made a contribution to the offensive game plans this year."

"I am pleased that coach Hughes has made this statement because I want the public and fans to know that I am not responsible for the Oilers' offensive game plans or offensive performance this year," Schlinkman said.

Hughes' timing in firing Schlinkman was peculiar with only one game remaining this season. It also came only hours after the Oilers had won their second straight game, 20-14 over Buffalo.

Hughes said George Dickson, the Oiler kicking coach, would assume Schlinkman's duties.

Cougars Snap Losing Streak

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Charlie Scott is the highest scorer in professional basketball this season, yet he is being criticized.

He has come under fire for shooting too much and handling the ball too often. But there could be little fault with his play Monday night, as the 6-foot-5 guard pumped in 43 points, leading the Virginia Squires to a 123-115 American Basketball Association victory over the slumping Floridians.

Carolina broke a six-game losing streak, beating the Utah Stars 124-115 in the only other ABA contest.

Scott's 43-point performance was the 11th time in the last 12 games that he has scored 40 or more points, raising his season's average to better than 35 points per game.

Because of numerous Virginia injuries, Scott has been forced to carry an extra scoring load and handle the ball more than usual, directing the team's offense like a football quarterback—and for that he has been criticized.

"The quarterback is most open to criticism because he handles the ball the most," he said. "It's just like football. When you win, the quarterback gets the publicity; when you lose, he gets the blame."

continued, "and I will as long as Al (coach Al Bianchi) wants me to."

"If I felt I was hurting the club, I would cut down on my shooting. In fact, when all our injured players get back to par, I'll probably be shooting less. It would be tough to keep up this average anyway. How many guards average 35 points a game?"

None, except Scott. Rookie Julius Erving chipped in with 23 points for the Squires, who moved within 1½ games of idle first-place Kentucky in the Eastern Division. Mack Calvin's 24 points topped the Floridians, who lost their fourth straight game.

Carolina, handing Utah only its third loss in 19 games, rallied from an 81-72 deficit in the third quarter on the hot shooting of George Lehmann.

Lehmann hit 13 of 16 field goal attempts and scored 36 points, 18 in the fourth period. Larry Miller added 25 points for the Cougars, while Zelmo Beatty was high for Utah with 33 points.

McMillen Leads Maryland Win

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Maryland's heralded sophomore Tom McMillen, who had made only four points in his last game, scored 32 in leading the 15th-ranked Terrapins to a 79-46 victory over Georgetown Monday night.

Maryland was ahead by only 10 points with 9:39 left to play when it switched from a man-to-man to a zone defense and outscored the Hoyas 29-7 in the next 8½ minutes or so.

McMillen hit four field goals and four free throws in the spurt. He didn't commit a foul in the game.

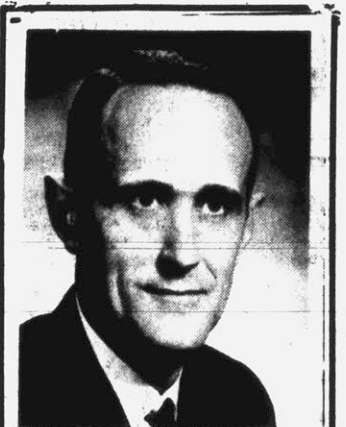
It was the third victory of the season for Maryland against one loss, 78-57, to Virginia last Wednesday, the game in which McMillen scored only four points.

Georgetown is 1-3. Maryland hit 56.2 per cent of its field goal attempts, including 71.4 per cent in the second half.

Maryland was the only Atlantic Coast Conference team to play Monday night, and ACC clubs are idle tonight.

On Wednesday, 19th ranked Virginia, which is 4-0 in all games and leads the ACC on a 2-0 record, is at William and Mary of the Southern Conference.

Wake Forest of the ACC defeated William and Mary 75-60 last Thursday at William and Mary.



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Football . . .

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broke all records for a regular season televised game with an average of 13.6 million homes in the Nielsen ratings. The previous high was 13.3 million homes for the 1970 Notre Dame-Southern Cal game.

You keep finding out that nothing's ever really new in football, certainly not Florida's much-discussed lie-down against Miami, deliberately giving up a touchdown so John Reeves could get back on the field and set a national pass yardage record.

Washington allowed Washington State to score in their 1950 meeting so Don Heinrich could come back and set a national pass completion mark.

Alabama really belted Auburn two weeks ago—literally. Sara Beard, wife of defensive tackle Jeff Beard, realized after the Alabama team left for Birmingham that her husband had forgotten the lucky white

belt he had worn all season.

She tried calling some students she thought might be going to the game, but they were all gone for the holiday weekend. Finally, she called Alabama State Police headquarters in Tuscaloosa. The belt was buzzed to the fuzzi, who had a car going to the Jefferson County line on routine patrol. A Jefferson County policeman met the state police car and whisked the belt to the motel where the team was staying.

"I know it all sounds silly," said Mrs. Beard, "but we just had to get the belt to Jeff. If we had lost to Auburn, I would have had to live with it on my conscience the rest of my life."

A lady in Wichita Falls, Tex., couldn't find the score of the Boardwalk Bowl in her Sunday paper, so she called the Wilmington, Del., News-Journal. Later, she found the score—Delaware 72, C.W. Post 22—listed under the basketball results.

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By GEORGE W. CRANE
Ph.D., M.D.
Case S-543: Mrs. Crane and I were invited to a garden Party by Governor and Mrs. Whitcomb of Indiana the day before the famous 500-mile auto race.
As we were leaving, a vivacious woman, about 38 years old, called out my name.
We turned around and she hastened to catch up with us.
"Dr. Crane," she began, "I just wanted to let you know that your column produces some

valuable 'fringe benefits.'
"Maybe you don't remember it, but almost 20 years ago you lauded the study of Latin in high school.
"Well, I cut out that column and placed it in my scrapbook.
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"I said that I didn't wish to sound dictatorial, but I wanted her to be sure to register for Latin.
"She did so.
"Dr. Crane, she graduated recently and won the top award for Latin students!
"So I then pulled out my scrapbook and showed her your earlier column, now yellowed with age.
"For I told her that it was the original basis for her present

Latin award."
Bravo, Latin
At its last annual Mississippi Press Association convention at Biloxi, I was the luncheon speaker.
Joe T. Cook, the incoming President for 1972, introduced me.
During our meal, I sat between Joe and his vivacious wife, Dorothy, who is a feature writer for their newspaper.
"Amen."
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"Dr. Crane," Joe began, "I took 6 years of Latin and 3 years of Greek, plus some French.
"And I find the Latin is basic to a good understanding of English grammar."
To which I added my own

Four Areas Set Meeting Plans

Four more of the 26 areas designated as election communities within the Greenville School District have announced scheduled public meetings for the purpose of discussing the program and selecting a representative for the Citizens Advisory Committee now being formed with an idea of getting into operation for January 1972.
Word has been received from four area coordinators for meeting and election plans. These are:
—Area Number 4, Brook Valley and Glennwood properties. Mrs. Laura Little, area coordinator, said the meeting for these two areas would be held Thursday, December 16 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will take place in the cafeteria of Aycock Junior High School.
—Areas 22 (Eastwood and Golden Place); 24 (Colonial Heights); and 25 (College Court and Coghil). Area Coordinators, Joe Downing, Area 22; Mrs. Jarvis Mills, Area 24; and John Miller, Area 25.

The three areas listed above are pooling their community meetings with an invitation for all interested persons to meet on Thursday, December 16 at 7:30 p.m. in Eastern Elementary. After a general meeting to discuss the purpose of the Citizens Advisory Committee, citizens from each of the three areas will divide into their respective area groups for the purpose of electing or selecting a representative to serve on the advisory committee.

Sentenced

WILMINGTON, N. C. (AP) — Civil rights leader Golden Frinks was sentenced in New Hanover District Court Monday to two consecutive two-year prison terms on charges of inciting to a riot and engaging in a riot. He was acquitted on two other charges.

Another defendant, Janice Murray, 18, was given a six-month sentence for engaging in a riot. A similar case against Anthony Ray Henry is expected to wind up today.
Notice of appeal to Superior Court was given in all the cases.

The charges grew out of a incident on June 9 when the defendants were accused of entering two stores and overturning counters and damaging merchandise.

ACTIVE BROTHERHOOD MANILA (UPI) — Operation Brotherhood, an international humanitarian organization from the Philippines, has treated 2,790,190 patients in 15 years of operation in Laos. Filipinos, aided by Laotian citizens, staff seven hospitals in the Asian kingdom.

In each instance, area coordinators are asking all persons in their areas to be giving thought to a person or persons to be nominated in the election of a representative from their area.

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32. Ballet step
35. Dandy
37. Winglike
38. Illiterate
41. Leaf cutter
42. Wastelands
43. Jewelry alloy
45. Kind of velvet
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7. Fields
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LAMAS CHAPS
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SCAUP ATE
TAR SOW LOAF
URAN DED SRI
MORALE EMAIL
PLATES EAGLE
STOVE DRESS

SOLUTION OF YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE
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Litter Pick-Up Drive Pushed

LANSING, Mich. (UPI)—Michigan United Conservation Clubs, a federation of sportsmen's clubs, has begun a campaign to enlist everyone in the state to fight litter by picking it up.
Backed by a proclamation by Gov. William G. Milliken, the "Pick Up Michigan" campaign is aimed at persuading everyone to pick up at least three pieces of litter a day and dispose of it properly.

TV Log

WNCT-TV — Ch.9
TUESDAY
7:00 Truth Or
7:30 Glen Campbell
8:30 Hawaii 5 O
9:30 Cannon
10:30 Camera 3
11:00 Final Report
11:30 Merv Griffin
WEDNESDAY
6:30 Carolina Heroes
8:15 Lucille
8:25 Meditations
8:30 News
9:00 Capt. Truth Or Kangaroo
10:00 Lucy Show
10:30 Flipper
11:00 Family Affair
11:30 Love of Life
12:00 Noon News
12:30 Merv Griffin
1:25 Timely Tips
1:30 World Turns
2:00 Splendor
2:30 Guiding Light
3:00 Secret Storm
3:30 Edge of Night
4:00 Banana Splits
4:30 Santa & Stim
5:00 Hogan's Heroes
5:30 Green Acres
5:55 Paul Harvey
6:00 News
6:30 CBS News
7:00 Truth Or Kangaroo
7:30 Goldiggers
8:00 Carol Burnett
9:00 Medical
11:00 Family Affair
11:30 Love of Life
12:00 Noon News
12:30 Merv Griffin

WITN-TV — Ch.7
TUESDAY
7:00 Jeannie
7:30 Little Drummer Boy
8:00 Bing Crosby
9:00 Andy Williams
10:00 TBA
10:30 Sports Illustrated
11:00 News
11:30 Tonight
1:00 News
1:30 Somerset
WEDNESDAY
6:00 Agriculture
6:30 Hazel
7:00 Today Show
7:25 Down to Earth
7:30 Today Show
9:00 Virg. Graham
10:00 Dinah
10:30 Concentration
11:00 Sale of the Century
11:30 Hollywood Sq.
12:00 Jeopardy
12:30 Who, What, Where, When
12:55 Noon News
1:00 Diver's Court
1:30 On a Match
2:00 Our Lives
2:30 The Doctors
3:00 Another World
3:30 Bright Promise
4:30 I Love Lucy
5:00 Big Valley
5:30 NBC News
6:30 NBC News
7:00 The Virginian
8:30 Mystery Movie
10:00 Night Gallery
10:30 The Doctors
11:00 Tonight
11:30 Dick Cavett

WCTI-TV — Ch. 12
TUESDAY
7:00 Lizzie
7:30 Most Squad
8:30 Movie
10:00 Marcus Welby
11:00 News
11:30 Dick Cavett
WEDNESDAY
8:00 Romper Room
8:30 Sesame St.
9:30 Montage
10:30 Movie Game
11:00 Love Amer. Style
11:30 That Girl
12:00 Bewitched
12:30 Password
1:00 My Children
1:30 Make Deal
2:00 Newswatch
2:30 Dating Game
3:00 Gen. Hospital
3:30 One Life
4:00 Theatre
5:00 You First
6:00 News
6:30 ABC News
7:00 The Baron
8:00 Bewitched
8:30 Eddie's Father
9:00 Smith Family
10:00 Man & City
11:00 News
11:30 Dick Cavett

Meadowbrook ENDS TONIGHT

William Holden
Ryan O'Neal
Karl Malden
in a Blake Edwards Film
Wild Rovers

TICE DRIVE-IN THEATRE ENDS TONIGHT

Once you see
BILLY JACK
you'll not forget them.
TECHNICOLOR From Warner Bros.
A Kinney Leisure Service.

PEANUTS
HERE'S THE WORLD-FAMOUS SKATER PRACTICING HIS OUTSIDE EDGES...
THE ICE IS GETTING A LITTLE ROUGH...
MOST ICE ARENAS HAVE A RESURFACING MACHINE...
WOODSTOCK RESURFACES OUR ICE WITH A WET TEA-BAG!

B. C.
SHE WANTS TO RIP OFF MY FACE!
I CAN'T IMAGINE SUCH VICIOUS VERBIAGE COMING FROM SUCH A...
SWEET, DELICATE AND PETITE CREATURE.
OH, OH...

NUBBIN
IN YOUR OPINION, WHO IS MORE INTELLIGENT... NUBBIN OR ME?
IT IS MY OPINION... WHEN FACED WITH THE DILEMMA OF ANSWERING A QUESTION OF THIS NATURE IT IS BETTER TO REMAIN SILENT.
... AN' COLLECT THE MONEY!

BLONDIE
THAT LOOKS INTERESTING... LET ME TRY IT...
NOW GO OVER AND UNDER...
HEY THIS IS FUN...
IF YOU GET REAL GOOD, I'LL TRY TO GET YOU INTO MY SEWING CIRCLE...
OH, COME BACK... I WAS JUST KIDDING

BEETLE BAILEY
CAN I HAVE YOUR PHONE NUMBER, HONEY?
WHY?
I'M WRITING A PHONE BOOK

THE PHANTOM
A TOAST -- TO THE STRANGER CALLED PHANTOM!
HE HAS COME TO FREE US FROM THE CURSE OF THE GODS.
STOP! TELL ME WHO YOU ARE AND WHAT THIS MEANS!
I AM THE KING OF PHENIX -- THIS IS MY DAUGHTER, PRINCESS DESIRE, THE WORLD'S MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN.
YOU ARE THE HERO WHO WILL WIN MY HAND AND FULFILL THE PROPHECY...
I AM? -- ER -- WHAT PROPHECY?

JULIET JONES
COME IN, JULIE. THIS IS MRS. FRANKLIN.
THE 'MYSTERY LADY'!!
THAT'S RIGHT, SHE'S THE ONE WHO STOOD ACROSS THE STREET FROM THE APARTMENT.
DOES THAT MEAN...
YES, DARLING... MRS. FRANKLIN IS THE BABY'S MOTHER...

Snoopy's

LUNCHEON SPECIALS
Snoopy's is now open for lunch Monday thru Saturday
FREE SOFT DRINK
With purchase of any pizza or sandwich Monday & Tuesday
65¢ SALAD Special
All the salad you can eat for only 65¢ at Snoopy's.
85¢ LUNCHEON
All the salad you can eat plus a slice of pizza (additional slices 25¢ each).

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Kosher Corn Beef 79¢
Snoopy's Po Boy 79¢
Ham & Cheese 69¢

Snoopy's luncheon menu & specials served daily (except Sunday) from 11:30 a.m. til 4:00 p.m.

Snoopy's

515 Cotanche Street, Greenville
Phone your order ahead: 758-0545

Admiral Byrd's Pilot Denies Claim Of Flight Over N. Pole

By VERN HAUGLAND
AP Aviation Writer
WASHINGTON (AP)—The pilot for Richard E. Byrd on the first air crossing of the South Pole in 1929 says the flying admiral lied in claiming to have made the first flight over the North Pole three years earlier.

"It was an out-and-out lie," Bert Balchen said in an interview. "Byrd's whole fame was based on that story—based on a fraud." Balchen, 72, retired Air Force colonel, is recovering in Washington from major surgery.

The accusation comes on the 60th anniversary of the South Pole's discovery. On Dec. 14, 1911, Norwegian explorer Roald Amundsen dogsledded to the South Pole and planted his nation's flag. The expedition is well documented.

Balchen said that Byrd's pilot on the May 9, 1926, Arctic mission, Floyd Bennett, confided in him later that the claim of crossing the North Pole was false.

"Floyd told me the whole story," Balchen said. "They never got that far away from their base at Spitsbergen, and, if Byrd flew toward the Pole, he

didn't get as close to it as Roald Amundsen did a year earlier—130 miles from the Pole."

Amundsen and Lincoln Ellsworth, piloting two Dornier-Wal flying boats, set down in icy water on their 1925 attempt and were rescued by a Norwegian sealing ship.

If Balchen's account is accepted by historians, Amundsen rather than Byrd would be credited with the first North Pole crossing. Amundsen flew across the North Pole with Ellsworth and Umberto Nobile in the Italian-built dirigible Norge less than two days after the Byrd flight.

Balchen's account cannot be disputed by those making the flight. Byrd died in March 1957 after a long illness. Bennett died in a rescue expedition in 1928.

Balchen said the light Fokker tri-motor which Byrd and Bennett flew could not have accomplished what Byrd claimed. He said he later became a test pilot for the Fokker Aircraft Corp. and came to know the Dutch-built plane's performance well.

"The plane had a cruising speed of 67 miles an hour and

carried gasoline for 20 hours," he said. "They were out for 15½ hours, and to negotiate the distance Byrd claimed, they would have to make a cruising speed of 105 miles an hour."

Asked why he has remained silent over the years, Balchen said he put the facts in his book "Come North With Me," but the publishers deleted them because of pressure from Byrd's supporters.

Did Balchen ever mention his doubts about the North Pole flight to Byrd himself?

"I opened up once, and he just blew up," Balchen said. "He told me never to mention it again."

City Counts 2 Collisions

An estimated \$885 property damage resulted from two collisions investigated by Greenville police yesterday.

Mildred Purvis Williams of 1212 Davenport St. was charged with failing to yield the right of way in a 12:10 p.m. mishap on Third Street 100 feet East of the Greene Street intersection. Police reported her car collided with a vehicle driven by Norma Farmer Arnett of 112 Crown Point Rd.

Damage was set at \$50 to the William auto and \$400 to the Arnett vehicle.

Donald Eugene Cannon, 16, of 2908 Jefferson Dr. was charged with failing to see his intended movement could be made in safety following investigation of a 6:10 p.m. collision on Elm Street 150 feet North of the Tenth Street intersection.

Officers reported the Cannon car collided with a parked car owned by Annie D. Gillette of Chesapeake, Va. Damage was set at \$200 to the Cannon vehicle, \$225 to the Gillette auto and \$10 to a street sign.

No injuries were reported.

PENNY TESTS TIRE.
NEW YORK (UPI)—Insert a penny in the tread of tires on the family auto. If the tread does not cover the top of Abe Lincoln's head you're riding on less than 1-16th of an inch of rubber between tire and tread, the recommended thickness of tread.

Public Notices

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in deed of trust executed and delivered by O. L. Norville and wife, Florence L. Norville, to R. D. Rouse, Jr., Trustee for R. S. Stokes, dated October 14, 1969, recorded Book U-38, page 592, Public Registry Pitt County, and by virtue of provisions of said deed of trust and the law in such cases made and provided, Kenneth G. Hite, was substituted as Trustee in instrument dated January 4, 1971, and filed in said Public Registry in Book R-39, page 278, reference to both instruments is directed. Default having

been made in payment of the indebtedness secured thereby, and other provisions of said instrument violated and at request of holder and owner of all notes secured by said deed of trust, the undersigned substituted Trustee offers for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash before the Courthouse Door in Greenville, N.C., on

Thursday, January 6, 1972, the following described parcel of real estate and building thereon located in or near the Town of Falkland, Pitt County, North Carolina, to-wit: House and lot in the Town of Falkland, on north side of U. S. Highway 43; bounded on west by W. J. Moore, bounded east and north by Mrs. G. H. Pittman; bounded on south by highway 43 (being the house and lot occupied at this time by O. L. Norville and wife, as their home).

Sale subject to unpaid taxes due Pitt County and town taxes, and deed of trust of record in Book U-38, at page 95 of the Pitt County Registry, from Oscar Leginsville and wife, Florence Norville, to W. O. McGibony, Trustee for the Federal Land Bank of Columbia, dated October 24, 1962.

Highest bidder required to deposit 10 per cent of bid. Sale remains open ten full days for confirmation and raised bid.

This 30th day of November, 1971.
KENNETH G. HITE
Substituted Trustee
Dec. 14, 21, 28, Jan. 4

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION
In The General Court of Justice District Court Division North Carolina

BOBBY GLENN SMITH, Plaintiff vs. RUTH T. SMITH, Defendant
TO RUTH T. SMITH:

TAKE NOTICE that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled action, the nature of relief being sought is as follows:

Absolute divorce on the grounds of one year's separation.
You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than January 24, 1972, and upon your failure to do so the party seeking relief against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

This 10th day of December, 1971.
HARRELL AND MATTOX
Attorneys for Plaintiff
P. O. Box 159
Greenville, N.C. 27834
Tel. No. (919) 752-2843
Dec. 14, 21, 28

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA, CLOSING ALLEN AVENUE
North Carolina
Pitt County

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 153, Section 9, Subsection 17, of the General Statutes of North Carolina, notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Greenville, North Carolina, will meet and conduct a public hearing on the 6th day of January, 1972, at 8 p.m. in the Council Room of the Municipal Building in Greenville, North Carolina, on the matter of the adoption of a resolution closing Allen Avenue described as follows:

Lying and being situate in the City of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, and particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at the point of intersection formed by the northerly right of way line of Allen Avenue and the westerly right of way line of York Street, and running thence in a westerly direction, a straight line 297.85 feet, more or less, to an iron stake in the Homby line; running thence S 38.00 E 40.8 feet to an iron stake; running thence N 63.25 E 291.16 feet to a point in the westerly right of way line of York Street, and running thence N 28.38 W, with the westerly right of way line of York Street, 40.16 feet to the point of beginning. Further, reference is hereby made and directed to plat of survey entitled "Property of E. K. Allen" and which appears of record in Map Book 4, page 46, Pitt County Registry.

Notice of this public hearing will be given to all property owners adjoining Allen Avenue asked to be cited and who have not joined in the petition requesting same; further, all citizens interested in this matter are requested to be present at the aforesaid public hearing and at which time they will be heard.

This 3rd day of December, 1971.
S. W. N. Moore
City Clerk
Dec. 14, 21, 28, and Jan 4

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS - CONSTRUCTION AND VEGETATION
PITT COUNTY DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 9
P. O. Box 5063
Greenville, North Carolina 27834
November 10, 1971
Invitation for Bids
No. CCW-1

Sealed bids, in single copy, will be received at 113 West 3rd Street, Greenville, North Carolina, until 2:00 p.m., local time at the place of bid opening, December 16, 1971, and then be publicly opened and read, for the construction and vegetation of channel improvement and water pond located within the Chicod Creek Watershed, Pitt and Beaufort Counties, North Carolina.

The estimated quantities of the major items of work are:
5.3 acres clearing, Class A
54.1 acres clearing, Class B
0.9 acres clearing and grubbing fish ponds
6.5 acres clearing and grubbing wildlife wetland preservation areas
1 job mobilization
1 job removal of water
4,035 cubic yards excavation, common
15,245 cubic yards earth fill, embankment
4,287 cubic yards earth fill, cross dike
222 cubic yards drain fill
259 cubic yards rock fill, plunge basin
2,255 cubic yards rock fill, channel structures
31.7 cubic yards concrete, Class 4000, reinforced
10.5 cubic yards concrete, Class 4000, non-reinforced
128 lin. ft. pipe, reinforced concrete, 36" I. D.
100 lin. ft. pipe, asbestos-cement, perforated, 6" I. D.
84 lin. ft. pipe, asbestos-cement, non-perforated, 6" I. D.
8 jobs - pipe inlets
3 jobs grade control structures
13 jobs farm road crossings
2 jobs water level control structures

1 each installing water control gate, 18" diameter
1 job metal fabrication and installation
8,090 lin. ft. clearing, Class C
578,953 cubic yards excavation, channel
1 job access road
75 each drain tile outlets bituminized fiber
446 acres interim seeding
414 acres land preparation
275 acres permanent seeding, Sericea Lesp. mixture
131 acres permanent seeding, shrub lesp. mixture
4.5 acres mucking
1 job tree planting
23.5 miles kudzu planting

The estimated price range for the work is \$550,000 to \$678,000. All bids must be accompanied by bid bond, certified check, cashier's check, money order, or cash in an amount not less than twenty percent (20 percent) of the amount of the bid.

The successful bidder will be required to execute a formal contract and performance and payment bonds in amounts of 100 percent and 50 percent respectively of the total amount of the contract.

A contract will not be awarded to a firm in which any official of the sponsoring local organization(s), the contracting local organization, or any member of such official's immediate family has direct or indirect interest

in the pecuniary profits or contracts of such firm.
All work shall be completed within 602 calendar days after the day of receipt of notice to proceed.
Prospective bidders may assemble at 113 West Third Street, Greenville, on Tuesday, November 23; Friday, December 3; and Thursday, December 9, 1971, for a group showing of the work site. The group will leave Greenville at 1:30 p.m., on each of the above days. If you are unable to attend one of the group showings, arrangements to inspect the site may be made with Larry Tucker, contracting officer for the Pitt County Drainage District No. 9, Federal Building, Greenville, North Carolina (752-2720).

Complete assembly of the invitation for bids may be obtained from the contracting officer, on and after November 15, 1971.
Note: North Carolina law requires that bidders on construction work exceeding \$20,000 be licensed with North Carolina Licensing Board for Contracting. Do not submit unless you are so licensed.

Deletion day of November, 1971.
Robert D. Stokes
Chairman
Leon R. Hardee
Marvin L. Mills
Commissioners
Frank M. Wooten, Jr., Attorney
Nov. 23, 30, Dec. 7 and 14, 1971

AUTOMOTIVE
Autos for Sale
AUSTIN HEALEY 1969 Sprite, 13,000 actual miles, great heater, 25 mpg. Call 752-7859.
CADILLAC 1961 and 1962 Cadillac, \$250. Call 756-0230.
CADILLAC 1969 Fleetwood Broadway, priced below wholesale, a loan value of \$3400. Priced \$3750. Contact M. E. Porter, Regional Auto Parts, Inc., 756-1100, 756-2361.
CHEVROLET 1955, new paint, 327, Hurst, bucket seats. Call 752-4981.
CHEVROLET 1963 Bel Air station wagon by Owner. Factory air, automatic transmission, nice looking car. Call 752-4000 office or 752-3015 home.

1972 DATSUN
1200 2 Door Deluxe
\$1966
Standard Equipment Includes:
• Air Conditioning
• Power Brakes
• Power Windows
• Power Steering
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• Full Wheel Covers
• 3 Speed Transmission
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HOLT OLDS-DATSUN
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"Where Service Comes First"

CORVETTE COUPE 1969, 427 cubic inch, air, luggage rack, Michelin tires, good mileage, excellent care, \$3300. Call 756-3267.
CORVETTE 1972 CONVERTIBLE, Atlanta Gray, Contact Jean Sanders, Kingston, 527-3524.
EL CAMINO CUSTOM, 1970, Radio, heater, automatic, power steering, factory air, green with black vinyl top, \$2695. Phelps Chevrolet, 756-2150
FIAT 1970, 124 sports coupe, 5 speed, one owner, low miles, excellent condition, \$2195. Brown-Wood, Inc., 752-7111.
FIREBIRD, 1968 350, yellow with black interior, excellent condition. \$1400. Call 752-3115 after 5 p.m.
FORD STATION WAGON 1967 air and power steering. Call 758-2300 day.
FORD 1966, 4 door V-8, automatic transmission. Call 752-4180 or 752-9249.
FORD GALAXIE 500, 1968, 4 door sedan, 390 engine, automatic transmission, air conditioned, power steering, power brakes, excellent condition. Call 756-1944.
FORD GALAXIE 1961, good running condition, needs muffler and interior. \$75. Call 752-2943.
FOR COMPLETE wrecker service, Call Rick's Service Center, 752-4342.
IMPALA CHEVROLET 1964, 4 door hardtop, clean good condition, power steering, power brakes. Call 756-0484.

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CLASSIFIED DISPLAY
\$1.60 Per Column Inch
Contract rates available
DEADLINES
All lineage deadlines are 12:00 noon on the preceding day. Excepting Sunday which is 12:00 Friday and Monday which is 4:00 p.m. Friday. All display deadlines are 4:00 p.m. two days in advance of publication. Excepting Monday & Tuesday which are due by 4:00 p.m. Friday.
ERRORS
Errors must be reported immediately. The Daily Reflector cannot make allowances for errors after the 1st day.
THE DAILY REFLECTOR reserves the right to edit or reject any advertisement submitted.

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Autos for Sale
MUSTANG 1968, automatic, power steering, power brakes. Downtown Motors, Ayden, 746-6892.
MUSTANG 1967, Coupe, air, V-8 automatic, \$1495. Holt Oldsmobile, Inc. Call 756-3115.
OLDSMOBILE 1969 Delta 88, power steering and brakes, air conditioning, \$2,050. Call 756-1493 or 752-2390.
OLDSMOBILE 1966, Cutlass, 2 dr. hardtop, bucket seats, air conditioning, power options, new tires, very nice car. \$1175. Call 756-1493 or 752-2390.
OPEL 1968 KADETT, radio, heater, 4 speed. Pinner-White, Ayden, 746-3141.
PLYMOUTH 1970 ROAD RUNNER, 383 engine, automatic, power steering. Pinner-White, Ayden, 746-3141.
PLYMOUTH 1970 Fury II, 440 series, air conditioning, good condition, \$1495. Call 756-6510.
SUPER BEATLE 1971, 13,000 miles warranty left, sold for \$2735 asking \$1,900. Call 752-7939.
TORINO 1970 G.T., 2 door hardtop Cobra Jet, 351, 4 barrel, cruiseomatic, console with bucket seats, power brakes, power steering, tinted glass, radio, air condition, vinyl trim, white wall tires, blue with blue vinyl roof. F & D Motors, Co. Bethel, 825-4451.
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VOLKSWAGEN 1969 1949 SQUAREBACK, beige air conditioned, one local owner. Call 752-5682.
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Female Help Wanted
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY wanted. Salary dependent upon ability but no less than \$500 per month. Duties require initiative and excellent responsibilities. Write "Executive", P.O. Box 1967, Greenville.
SECRETARY WANTED for hard but interesting work. Must be capable and diligent. Salary dependent upon ability. Write "Secretary", P.O. Box 164, Tarboro, N.C.

Male Help Wanted
WELDERS
Pipe Fitters and Helpers
Wanted to work in Farmville area. For details, Call collect 834-5900 or 834-6404, Raleigh.

FUEL OIL DELIVERYMAN, excellent working conditions, fringe benefits. Apply in writing, giving references to "Deliveryman", P.O. Box 1967, Greenville.

Start the New Year off Right. Go with a Winner.
THE TEXAS TOPPERS are looking for (3) employees to fit in with our organization.
(1) First Class Line Mechanic.
(2) Body and Fender Mechanic.
Must be able to paint and write Body Shop appraisal.
(3) Used Car Mechanic.
We only hire the best so don't apply if you don't want a future in our organization. Many fringe benefits. Salary Open.
For Personal Interview Call 756-4267 and ask for Cliff Frelke

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2201 Dickinson Ave.
756-4267

SKILLED PAINTERS. Spraymen and brushmen to work in Greenville, N.C. Top wages offered. Call or apply at A. B. Whitley, Inc., 311 W. 14th St., Greenville.

WANTED CONSTRUCTION SUPERINTENDENT
Well established Eastern N.C. Firm needs experienced commercial and industrial job superintendent for permanent employment in this area. Excellent opportunity for the right man.
Top fringe benefits program includes Life and Hospital Insurance, Salary Continuation, Retirement, etc. Transportation furnished. Salary negotiable. Call or Write Chapin Construction Co. Inc.
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OPPORTUNITY FOR attractive refine person, good appearance, pleasant personality to make up to \$150 per week, steady work. Call 756-6711.

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TOBACCO FOR LEASE to be moved, 7,565 lbs at 24c per lb. Call 756-1415.
43,000 LBS, 23 cents per lb. to be moved. Call 758-1816.
APPROXIMATELY 22,000 lbs. of tobacco to be moved, 24 cents per lb. Call 752-6589.

FOR SALE
Miscellaneous for Sale
TWO LIVING ROOM CHAIRS, two single beds, mattresses and springs. Call 752-6382.
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THE HOOVER CLEANER for the homes that care. You will like Hoover convertible, 2 cleaners in 1. Smith Electric Co., 415 Evans St.
TWO NEW 20,000 BTU perfection vent gas heater, \$60 each. Call 758-2300 day.
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GUARANTEED engines, transmission, body parts. Free parts locating service
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Phone 752-2572 N. Green St.
Back of Respass Barbecue
(10) 1972 WHITE ZIG ZAG sewing machine, makes button holes, designs and hems without attachments. Regular \$239, now \$97 plus 25 year warranty on parts and 2 years on labor. United Freight, 2904 E. 10th St., Greenville.
(TWO) TAKE UP PAYMENTS on 1971 stereo console, AM-FM, deluxe turntable, built-in bar, only 3 months old, pay 8 payments of \$12.07 or full balance of \$93. United Freight, 2904 E. 10th St., Greenville.

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AGED 6 YEARS
FINE STRAIGHT BOURBON WHISKEY
86 Proof
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100 PROOF
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\$420
Fifth

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The Bonus Scotch.
86 Proof
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Fifth

J. W. DANT VODKA
100% GNS
The Seizable Vodka.
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J. W. DANT KENTUCKY BONDED BOURBON
100 PROOF
FINE STRAIGHT BOURBON WHISKEY
100 Proof
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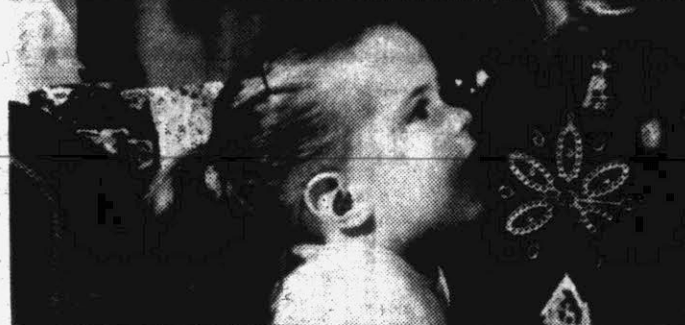
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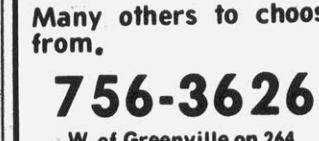
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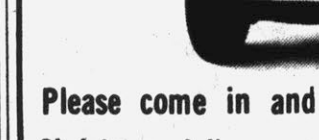


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No Retreat By Governor On Simmons

RALEIGH (AP) — Gov. Bob Scott strongly defended Monday his appointment of former State Democratic Chairman Eugene Simmons as director of conservation and development and made it plain he has no intention of withdrawing the nomination.

Scott told newsmen at a news conference that Simmons offered to resign the \$25,410 job but "I told him I have a job for him and I want him to get in there and do it."

The governor asserted that "editors can write and political

candidates can talk until Hades freezes over, but I will not withdraw my appointment of Eugene Simmons because they think I should do so."

Scott told the newsmen that the C&D directorship was a full time position despite state government reorganization which sifted the C&D department into the new State Department of Natural and Economic Resources.

Scott read a five-page paper in which he maintained that the C&D department still exists on the state's statute books. Scott

noted that reorganization stripped the C&D director of budget and management duties but still left him a raft of statutory duties. The governor submitted an eight-page review of statutes spelling out the duties of the C&D director.

Scott's appointment of Simmons brought criticism from both Republican and Democratic candidates for governor. Republican Jim Holshouser called it "cronyism of the worst sort." Democrat Hargrove "Skipper" Bowles said it was "wrong, dead wrong," and Dr. Reginald

A. Hawkins, another Democrat, charged it was a waste of taxpayers' money.

The governor noted that organizational charts prepared by Roy Sowers, who resigned recently as secretary of natural and economic resources to run for lieutenant governor, did not list the C&D director.

"But more recent charts do," Scott said in his statement.

Scott was asked when the charts showing the job still existed became available. "Within the last week," he answered. When asked where copies of

the charts could be found, Scott said: "They may be found only on yellow scratch pads. In fact, the ones I saw are."

The governor said newsmen and citizens generally "erroneously" interpreted organizational charts as being the final work on reorganization.

"These charts are flexible and subject to change," he said. "That's the purpose of reorganization ..."

When asked about the C&D director's duties last week, Scott said he planned to give

Simmons additional "administrative duties" in the near future. He said Monday no additional duties are planned unless they are assigned by the C&D board.

"After looking at the (statutory) duties, I'm convinced it'll take one man full time to do them," Scott said.

The attorney general's office has suggested that the C&D director's statutory duties could be performed on a parttime basis by another state employe.

Itemizes Duties Required By Statutes

RALEIGH (AP) — Gov. Bob Scott said Monday a review of statutes showed these duties required of the director of the Department of Conservation and Development:

1. General Statute 113-10—"To make or cause to be made examinations and surveys of the economic and natural resources of the state of North Carolina and investigations of its industrial and commercial enterprise and advantages ..."
2. GS 113-15.2—"The power to hire persons expressly to conduct investigations and evaluations of new and expanding industry and to prepare such environmental impact reports."
3. GS 113-22—"Has charge of all state forests and measures

for forest fire prevention ..."

4. GS 113-24—"Absolute control and authority over all aquatic plant foods or other fowl food growing in public water in North Carolina. Written permission from the director ... must be obtained before any such food is sold, transported or shipped ..."
5. GS 113-28.1—"Designates all special peace officers for the purpose of enforcing laws, rules and regulations enacted or adopted for the protection, preservation of government of state parks, reservations and other lands or waters under the control or supervision of the Department of Conservation and Development."
6. GS 113-60.1—"Together with the executive director of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission, may recommend to the governor that he take certain action during periods of protracted drought or when other hazardous fire conditions threaten forest and water resources ..."
7. GS 113-61 through GS 113-77—"Relates to corporations for the protection and development of forests."

"The director's authority extends even to the cutting and selling of timber on corporation land which may not be done without his approval unless it is in accordance with his regulations, restrictions and limitations ... A corporation may not sell or convey real property without the director's consent or pay any higher interest rate on its mortgage indebtedness than 6 per cent per annum without the consent of the director ..."

8. GA 113-161—"Is authorized to make reciprocal agreements with other jurisdictions to authorize persons licensed in such other jurisdictions to exercise licensed privileges within the state of North Carolina."
9. GS 113-202—"Is given the statutory requirement ... to determine that submitted surveys (of oyster and clam bottom lands) meet the statutory criteria and thereafter upon determining that all fees and rent due in advance have been paid the director executes leases upon forms approved by the attorney general." Lease termination proceedings may also be appealed to the director.

10. GS 113-221 (e)—"The Board of Conservation and Development may delegate to the director ... the authority to suspend or implement particular regulations of the board which may be affected by variable conditions."

11. GS 113-221 (h)—"Is given authority to certify the text of regulations and proclamations or any other official matter concerning the Department of Conservation and Development and such certification must be received in court as prime facie evidence of the truth of the statement in the certificate."
12. GS 113-229—"Provides that before any excavation or filling project is begun in any estuarine waters, tidelands, marshlands or state-owned lakes, the persons desiring to do such excavation or filling must first obtain a permit from the Department of Conservation and Development. Applications for permits are circulated at the discretion of the director

in order for (state or federal) agencies to raise any objections concerning the proposed project."

13. GS 113-229 (f)—"Authorizes the director to appoint two members of a board to review permit actions by the department, where required."
14. GS 113-229 (l)—"May institute civil action in the Superior Court in the name of the state for damages and injunctive relief for any violation of this section or a dredging or filling operation commenced without proper permits."

Begin Probe Of Tunnel Disaster

PORT HURON, Mich. (AP) — An 18-man special investigation unit appointed by Gov. William G. Milliken opens an investigation today into the cause of a tunnel explosion in which 22 persons died.

Created Monday, the panel includes representatives of the federal and state governments, unions and the construction and insurance industries. Milliken said the investigators would meet at the tunnel site and report to him daily until their work is completed.

Meanwhile, accusations and denials surrounded the Saturday blast in a six-mile-long water filtration tunnel designed to pump 1.2 billion gallons of water daily into the metropolitan Detroit area from lake Huron.

St. Clair County Sheriff Norman Meharg said it is possible more bodies are buried and won't be recovered until all wreckage is cleared from the 16-foot-diameter tunnel.

The State Police Crime Laboratory in Warren is trying to determine if there are actually 22 corpses.

"Most of the bodies were dismembered and mutilated," one hospital official said.

Roger Roubaud of Mount Clemens, a safety inspector at the tunnel site for 13 months until he quit last May, said safety standards were often ignored so the tunnel could be completed as scheduled next summer.

But he acknowledged that he had never been in the tunnel itself and based his comments on the observation of related projects.

Gerald Remus, general manager of the Metropolitan Detroit Water System, said Roubaud's charges would be investigated.

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Fire Chief Offers Safety Advice For Christmas Season

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If using a real tree, Chief Smith said, only fresh trees with pliant needles should be selected, and he suggested, these should be placed in water until ready to decorate them in the house. Even after a tree is put up in the house, a stand containing water should be used to prevent the tree from drying out. He suggested that the butt end of the trunk could be cut off so the tree will be able to take up water more readily.

Trees, he said, should be kept well away from sources of heat or open flames such as fireplaces, radiators, heat ducts,

and television sets. Open flames, he emphasized, such as candles, should never be used on or around trees.

Electric lights, cords and connections used for decorating trees and other areas of the home should be thoroughly checked. Only cords and connections in good condition should be used. And, he emphasized, only non-combustible decorations should be used in trimming the tree or in other decorations.

He noted that only small miniature lights should be used on artificial trees. He explained that larger lights could cause plastics in artificial trees to melt and possibly cause a fire.

Only Christmas lights approved for outside use and designated as such, should be used for outside decorations, the chief added.

Lights on trees and other decorations should be burned only when someone is at home. When family members leave the house, the lights should be turned off. Young children should never be left at home alone, and should be cautioned not to play with or around decorations.

Chief Smith cautioned, too, about placing electric trains or other toys around trees. He said children playing with toys could upset a tree and possibly break a light bulb and cause a fire.

He too cautioned about disposing of Christmas wrappings when presents are opened on Christmas Day.

The Fire Department official suggested that all wrappings should be gathered together, placed in a box, and disposed of as soon as possible. Christmas wrappings should not be stuffed into stoves or fire places, but should be placed in trash cans outside homes where the danger of fire is minimized.

He said too, that trees, when taken down after Christmas use, should not be burned in fireplaces. He suggested they be placed where they will be easily accessible to city tree disposal pickups.

Clark Elected To Ass'n Office

Joe Clark of Greenville has been elected vice president of the College Stores Association of North Carolina, which met in Winston-Salem last week.

Clark is manager of the East Carolina University store. The Association membership represents most of the major college and university stores and many of the community and technical institute stores in the state.

Christmas Play Set Saturday

A Christmas play will be presented at Emmanuel Holiness Church on Highway 43 north Saturday at 7:30 p.m.

The public is invited to the play entitled, "From the Manger to the Cross," according to the pastor, the Rev. Woodrow Catlett.

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