

Pay Board Members Act

Challenge Scheduled Pay Raises Over 7 Per Cent

By BROOKS JACKSON

Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — An unexpected action by the five business members of the Pay Board has called into question virtually all scheduled pay raises that exceed 7 per cent a

year.

Shortly before midnight EST Tuesday they issued a statement automatically challenging any future raises over 7 per cent in contracts that began before the wage freeze started last Aug. 15.

The statement was issued by Virgil Day, a General Electric Co. vice president, on behalf of himself and the other four business members.

Challenged raises in old contracts can be rolled back if a majority of the 15-member la-

bor-public-business board finds them to be "unreasonably inconsistent" with the board's general guideline that new agreements can't contain raises more than 5.5 per cent a year except in special circumstances.

The business members' move appeared aimed particularly at the construction industry, where scheduled raises for the coming year far exceed the 6.1 per cent average that the Bureau of Labor Statistics says prevails for 1972 raises in all big labor pacts.

The statement challenges "all contracts and pay-practice commitments made prior to Aug. 15, 1971."

No mention is made of whether agreements made during the Aug. 15-Nov. 14 wage freeze will also be challenged.

Previously, new raises in agreements reached before Nov. 14 were subject to automatic Pay Board review only if they cover 1,000 or more persons.

One labor member of the board immediately questioned whether business members could issue such a blanket challenge. He said he thinks contracts must be challenged individually or not at all.

The surprise move by the business members was announced after a marathon session in which the dissent-ridden board put off for a second time a decision on whether to approve 12-per-cent raises in new aerospace labor agreements affecting, directly or indirectly, some 300,000 production workers nationwide.

The board also ruled without a formal vote that it had in fact

approved back pay covering the wage freeze part of an Oct. 1 pay raise for the AFL-CIO Brotherhood of Railroad Signalmen.

Board staff members had questioned whether the board intended to do so Dec. 9 when it cleared the first part of a 42-month agreement.

Union members of the board, who have frequently found themselves in the minority on board decisions, spent most of Tuesday afternoon and evening fuming in private while the business and public members tried to make up their minds about how much to roll back the aerospace pacts.

"We're willing to wait here 'til Hell freezes over," a union member vowed late in the evening. "They treat us like outsiders. It's humiliating."

But the union members informally gave in to a two-week adjournment when it became apparent that business and public members were determined to trim the 12-per-cent aerospace agreements. The board meets again Jan. 4.

A business member said two of his colleagues insisted on slicing the raises to 7 per cent to conform with guidelines the board announced last week. A union member said the five labor men were prepared to vote for the full 12-per-cent raise.

VOTE ABC STORES

LEXINGTON, N.C. (AP) — Voters in the Davidson County seat of Lexington approved the establishment of ABC stores there by 515 votes Tuesday out of more than 5,000 cast.



Deliveryman

BRINGS POW MAIL — The Rev. Richard Fernandez, left, of the Committee of Liaison with Families of Servicemen Detained in North Vietnam, looks over some of the 1,001 letters he brought from Paris, Tuesday, at JFK airport.

The letters from U.S. Prisoners of War were given Fernandez by North Vietnam and Viet Cong representatives at the Paris talks, he said. (AP Wirephoto)

Mail Released To POW Families

NEW YORK (AP) — North Vietnamese and Viet Cong representatives in Paris have released a flood of letters and cards which they say are from most of the acknowledged 339 U.S. prisoners of war in Vietnam.

The Rev. Richard Fernandez of Philadelphia arrived from Paris Tuesday with 1,001 letters, including reportedly the first mail from American POWs held in South Vietnam.

William J. Porter, chief U.S. delegate to the Paris peace talks, had complained at the talks this month that only 50 families of the POWs had received mail this year, a sharp reduction in the mail from last year.

The Rev. Mr. Fernandez, a United Church of Christ minister, is a member of the Committee of

Liaison, a private group that acts as a conductor for prisoners' names and their communications.

The Rev. Mr. Fernandez said 18 of the letters given to him by the Communist delegations came from prisoners in South Vietnam. Previously, U.S. officials have had firm indications of only two Americans held in the South.

A spokesman for the U.S. delegation to the Paris talks said, "We are pleased at the reports that apparently some families will be receiving some mail. This raises the question of why these letters were held up so long and why they are released for a certain date. Our delegation will be going into this question with the Hanoi representatives here."



MEETS SUCCESSOR — United Nations Secretary General U Thant meets with Austrian Kurt Waldheim, right, the man the UN Security Council Tuesday recommended to succeed him. (AP Wirephoto)

Austrian New UN Secretary-General

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — Kurt Waldheim, an Austrian career diplomat who has served at the United Nations since 1955, will be its secretary-general for the next five years. He has indicated that he will be an active one.

The General Assembly was scheduled to appoint him formally today in the last action of its eventful three-month 26th session, held over for one day to name a successor to U Thant.

His appointment was assured when the Security Council recommended him for the post late Tuesday, on his 53rd birthday.

Austria's U.N. ambassador won over 11 other candidates in three rounds of secret balloting at three private meetings of the 15-nation council Friday, Monday and Tuesday.

Waldheim finished first Tuesday in a close race with U.N. Ambassadors Max Jakobson of Finland and Carlos Ortiz de Rozas of Argentina, the only other candidates to get the necessary nine-vote majority. His vote was 11 to 1 with 3 abstentions.

Jakobson's vote was 9 to 5 with 1 abstention and Ortiz de Rozas 12 to 3. But both were vetoed, presumably by the Soviet Union. China was persuaded to lift the veto it previously used against Waldheim.

Waldheim will become the fourth secretary-general in the United Nations' 26 years on Jan. 1. U Thant of Burma, who had two terms and 10 years in the office, is retiring Dec. 31.

At a news conference Waldheim said the council had given him "a very nice present" on his birthday but a heavy one.

"I think the charter of the United Nations gives the secretary-general a lot of possibilities and if he uses these possibilities I think there is a big chance for him to do something in the right way—in an active way."

The charter makes the secretary-general the chief administrative officer of the United Nations and the servant of U.N. bodies generally, and authorizes him to bring to the Security Council's attention any situation that he thinks may threaten international peace.

OFFER REWARD

CHARLOTTE (AP) — The North Carolina National Bank is offering a reward of \$5,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person robbing one of its offices.

He is paid a \$62,500 yearly salary, a \$12,000 New York living differential and a \$22,500

entertainment allowance, and he gets \$22,500 worth of free housing.

Former Administrator Honored

Pitt Hospital Bd. Meets

By CAROL TYER

Reflector Staff Writer

Last night was former Pitt Memorial Hospital administrator C. D. Ward's last meeting with the Hospital Board of Trustees.

He was presented a plaque and pin for 21 years of distinguished service. He has been working since June 30 as co-administrator under Jack Richardson who took his former position, but Ward is now set to go into full retirement as of the first of the year.

Mrs. Shelley Hudson, head nurse of the hospital's intensive care unit, told of the unit's growth since it opened Nov. 9, 1964 from four to 13 beds. She told of the extensive monitoring and life-sustaining equipment in the unit and of the round-the-clock intensive nursing there.

Even at the unit's set rate of \$70 a day plus, care here is less expensive than round-the-clock private duty care, she said.

Jack Richardson reported that models of the new hospital will be available within the next month to be displayed at several points throughout the county.

A request was made to the County Commissioners for the transfer of \$15,000 in levy funds.

The Trustees recommended to the County Commissioners that Pitt Medical Associates Inc., the physicians who practice in the Medical Pavilion be given a three-year lease on property on the hospital grounds adjacent to the Pavilion for use as a parking lot. They also recommended that

the Commissioners plan to give the doctors an extended lease at the end of the period.

Bob Williams of the business office reported that the county computer is doing a good job

keeping up with hospital billing. Accounts receivable are decreasing and there has been much success with getting extremely old bills paid since the

once-a-month billing by computer has been started, he said.

Discussion of curbing and gutting certain thoroughfares on the hospital grounds was discussed, but no action was taken. Dr. Don Tucker said he would talk to the city manager about whether the city would assist with such a project.

The Board members were invited to the hospital employees' and medical staff Christmas party Thursday from 2 to 4 p.m.

Thirty days' extension of authority was given the medical staff officers, until runoffs for new officers can be completed in January.

Delton Perry, head of the ambulance committee, reported that collections are down mainly because of one large account.

The board went on record as asking that all ambulance collections be made before the patient is transported, since the hospital ambulance is used mainly for transportation for treatment, etc., not for emergencies, which are left up to the six rescue squads in the county.

An amendment to the recommendation asked that a bill be sent immediately to the sponsors of Maria Gomez, a child with a brain tumor who has required many trips for cobalt treatment in Kinston. Contributions have paid some on the bill, but there is still a large deficit which must be paid, the letter will state.

To Be Freed

SAIGON (AP) — The South Vietnamese government announced today that it will release 689 political prisoners arrested in the CIA's Phoenix program.

Government spokesman Vu Khanh said the prisoners would be freed on Christmas Day at various points throughout South Vietnam. He said none of them had been brought to trial, and the longest any had been held was six months.

"They were imprisoned because they were suspected enemy sympathizers or helpers," said Khanh.

Official sources reported two weeks ago that the government planned to release scores of North Vietnamese and Viet Cong prisoners of war on either Christmas, New Year's or the Tet Celebration of the lunar new year in February. But there has been no further word on this.

The U.S. Central Intelligence Agency launched the controversial Phoenix program late in 1967 in an attempt to neutralize the Viet Cong underground by assassinating its members, capturing them or persuading them to defect to the government.

In the air war, the U.S. Command announced that U.S. F105 fighter-bombers destroyed one radar station in North Vietnam Tuesday and attacked another with unknown results. This raised to 100 the number of American attacks inside North Vietnam this year.

The command said the attacks were made six and 13 miles from the Laotian border and 158 to 165 miles southwest of Hanoi. It was along that part of the border that U.S. planes tangled with North Vietnamese MIGs during the weekend with the subsequent loss of four American planes to the MIGs and to ground fire.

charge to the jury just after 6 p.m. and the panel, consisting of both blacks and whites, began their deliberations several minutes later.

The verdict completed the case against Ward, 18, who was indicted on a charge of raping 18-year-old Hulda Mae Miller of Colerain on Sept. 28 near the ECU campus.

Ward, himself, was the last

witness to take the stand before the court recessed for lunch yesterday afternoon.

The defendant testified that he was at work on the day of the alleged attack and said he did not leave the building housing the Pamlico Room where he was employed on the university's main campus.

Ward told the court that he

did not attack any girl on Sept. 28 and said he did not own a pink shirt. He had been identified in earlier testimony as having worn a pink shirt on the day of the assault.

Four character witnesses appeared in Ward's behalf before the lunch recess and three more testified during the afternoon session. All told the court that they considered

his character and reputation good.

Defense attorneys James Ferguson and Burt Aycock Jr. called several Pamlico Room employees, who worked with Ward, to the stand during the afternoon and they testified that he had been at work on the day of the assault. The witnesses also said they had never seen Ward wear a pink shirt.

The first witness for the defense Tuesday morning, William Humphries of Washington, testified that on Oct. 6 Miss Miller told him that she could not identify her assailant.

During testimony by Miss Miller on Monday, Ward was identified by her as being the person who assaulted her near the railroad tracks south of Tenth Street on Sept. 28.

Reflector Holiday

The Daily Reflector will publish Christmas Eve and the edition will be delivered Friday morning.

The newspaper's business, advertising and news office will be closed all day Friday, Christmas Eve.

The regular Sunday morning edition will be issued and the news room will be open from 6 to 9 Christmas night. All other departments will be closed all day Christmas Day.

Business, news and advertising departments will be open as usual Monday morning.

announcing plans for a journey to Peking and by turning the international monetary system inside out.

Nixon made the headlines the first day, much to the displeasure of some British officials, by making two announcements that had no direct relation to the meeting.

The President said the United States had abandoned its 10-per-cent surcharge on imports from abroad and that it would join Europe in granting preferential tariff treatment, if Congress agrees, to developing countries.

Heath was asked at his news conference if Nixon had given any assurances that last summer's surprises would not be repeated. The prime minister said he had received such a commitment and pointed to a sentence in the conference-ending communique that said:

"In view of the significance of the natural relationship between the United Kingdom and the United States, they resolved to maintain their close and continuing consultation at all levels in their approach to world problems."

Both Nixon and Heath, in informal remarks before parting, proclaimed that long-standing Anglo-American friendship and collaboration will continue despite the fast-paced changes that are altering the relation-

ship between the two allies.

At his news conference, Heath forecast that Britain's planned entry into the European Common Market would promote "a much more evenly balanced partnership" between Europe and the United States.

As an element of the partnership, Heath asserted, there would be greater trans-Atlantic give and take and consultation in the economic, political and defense spheres.

The Bermuda conference was the third in a series of summit meetings Nixon is having with major allies.

Found Body Of Missing Man

The body of a Rt. 2 Farmville man who had been missing several days was recovered from a farm pond around 9 p.m. Tuesday night by the Farmville Rescue Squad.

According to Pitt Sheriff Ralph Tyson, the clothes of Andrew J. Simms, 50, were found yesterday by hunters near a pond on the Purnell Burnett farm near Farmville.

Sheriff Tyson said that rescue workers were summoned and they began dragging the pond, located between Lane's Crossroads and Farmville.

The sheriff said that a brother of Simms reported that he had been missing since Sunday. Sheriff Tyson reported that death was ruled due to drowning.



2 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

Letter Writers Get Helping Hand From First Lady

By HELEN THOMAS
WASHINGTON (UPI) —If you think "Dear Abbie" is tuned in on people's troubles, you should read Pat Nixon's mail.

Just ask soft-spoken Gwen King, director of the First Lady's correspondence who sifts through hundreds of letters a day and sends them to Mrs. Nixon for replies.



DIRECTOR OF FIRST LADY'S . . . correspondence, Gwen King, goes over some of the letters received each day before sending them on to Mrs. Nixon for replies. (UPI Telephoto)

"She really cares about her mail," Mrs. King told UPI in an interview. "She has an eagle eye and can go to the heart of a letter. She wants her mail answered promptly. She answers many personally."

The President's wife spends about four hours a day on the letters that pour in at the rate of well over a thousand a week, depending on White House news. They range from heart-rending requests for help to childish scrawls, saying: "We love you Mrs. Nixon."

Mrs. King said that "astor-nishingly little" of the mail is critical or "kooky." Some letter writers do ask her why she is spending tax money on White House restoration. They are told that the President's house, like their own home, gets lots of "wear and tear." She also explains that wealthy donors contribute to the refurbishing.

After Mrs. Nixon put pressure on the President to name a woman to the Supreme Court —and he didn't—there were letters saying her husband "has let her down."

Mrs. King said Mrs. Nixon seems to work magic in reaching out to help others. She cited a young girl who wrote Mrs. Nixon that she was "very poor and had been caught shoplifting" and wondered whether the First Lady could help her get a job.

She said they drafted a sympathetic letter but when Mrs. Nixon looked at it she said, "but Gwen, she needs help." As a result, they found that there is a Civil Service rehabilitation service for first offenders. It helped the girl get a job.

Mrs. King said one of the most poignant letters the First Lady has written went to Mary Perkins of Sweetwater, Fla. The 10-year-old girl was beaten up by neighborhood teen-agers last year after she spent her \$10 in Christmas money to buy gifts for some Negro kids who were evicted from their home. "They knocked her off her bike and called her 'nigger lover,'" Mrs. King said.

In a letter to Mary, Mrs. Nixon said: "I've read an account of your deed of kindness during the Christmas season and I was distressed to hear of the unhappiness you experienced because of it."

"It is as difficult to explain prejudice and discrimination as it is to understand violence. All are rooted in fear and ignorance. The differences in backgrounds of various groups have often promoted insecurity and tension . . ."

"Perhaps the question should not be why prejudice and hatred continue to exist but how we can eliminate them from our society. You have set a shining example by your selfless act by sharing with the less fortunate. I hope you will always display the same courage and conviction . . ."

The First Lady signs her letters "Pat Nixon" or "Patricia Nixon."

One woman wrote that her mother, an immigrant from Italy, wanted desperately to become a U.S. citizen before she died, but could not read or write. Mrs. Nixon's correspondence staff quickly found out that the woman had been in the country 20 years, long enough to waive the literacy regulation. "She gets hundreds of requests for pictures and requests for a personal note on birthdays, anniversaries, baptisms and bar mitzvahs," Mrs. King said. "Tricia's wedding mail was staggering, but every letter was answered."

Mrs. Nixon also is a "pen pal" of many Vietnam wounded war veterans.

Mrs. King, an attractive brunette who still has a trace of a Southern accent, was born in Hartsville, S.C. She was graduated from Coker College and got her first glimpse of the White House in 1936 when she attended a press reception given by President and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

"I was from a small town and I was ecstatic," she recalled. "Roosevelt noticed the clematis corsage I was wearing and asked where I was from. After a chat he said,

"Well you know if you want to work at the White House you can."

"I was flabbergasted," she said.

She did join the government, working for the Library of Congress, the Agriculture Department and the Pentagon. She went to the White House in 1953 during the Eisenhower years and has been there ever since.

She took time out to marry Labruce King, a government official, and they have two children, now grown.

She was the only woman on the "advance team" that went to Moscow to arrange President Dwight D. Eisenhower's trip there in 1960. As it turned out, the downing of the American U-2 plane over Russia caused Eisenhower to cancel his journey.

Mrs. King said life was more predictable in the Eisenhower era. She said Eisenhower's secretary, Ann Whitman, "taught me how one can handle an impossible job. Her desk was totally disorganized, but her mind was totally organized."

When President Kennedy took

'Block Parent' Program Aims For Safety

LINCOLN, Neb. (UPI)—The "block parent" program aims to make it as safe as possible for children to get to and from school.

One or two volunteer parents, usually mothers, are chosen along the routes to school. These volunteers should be at home during the half hour before and after school. It is desirable to have a parent on every block, says Rollin Schneider, extension safety specialist at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Originally the program was developed to help protect against child molestation in the larger cities, says Schneider. The block parent plan has paid off and produced an extra dividend by helping child accident victims.

Posted on the inside of the front window or door is a sign identifying the home of a block parent. The children are told to go there should trouble occur.

The block parent is not supposed to be used to break up fights, furnish rest room facility or give medical aid other than the washing of a scrape or application of a small bandage—unless it is an emergency and the child's life is at stake.

heavy." She had typed the saying?" Johnson said angrily, agenda, but it was the higher ups who scheduled his day. "Everybody down the hall can, Mr. President," she answered quietly.



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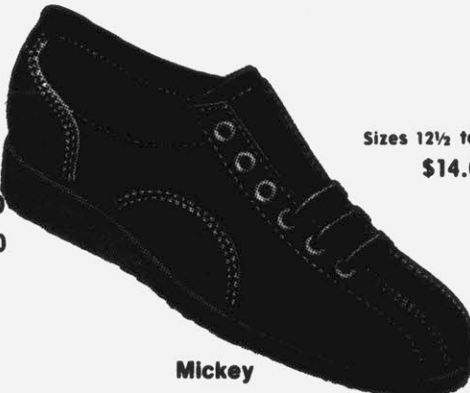
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Births

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Hahn
Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. Allen Hahn, Knoxville, Tenn., a daughter, Melodie Camille, on Dec. 14, 1971, in Fort Sanders Presbyterian Hospital, Knoxville, Tenn.



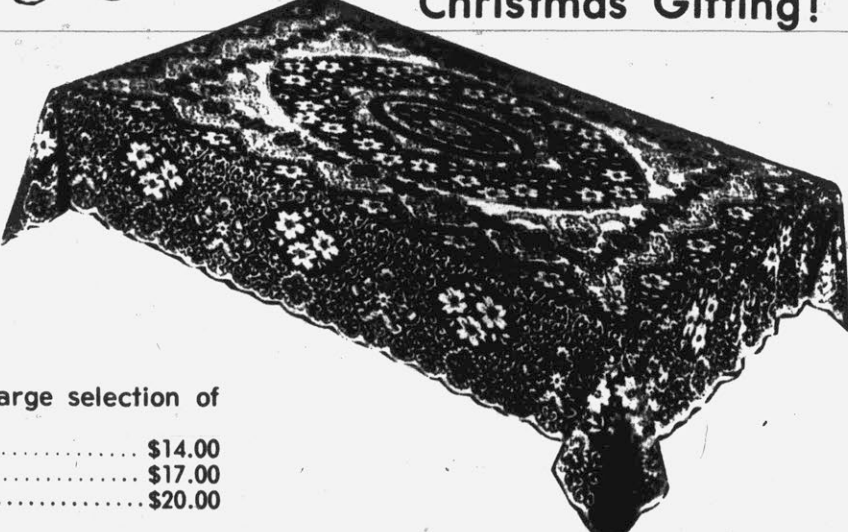
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Miss Melissa McDavid Weds In Tuesday Ceremony

Tell Friend That She Will Be Missed

FARMVILLE — In a double ring ceremony, Miss Melissa Harper McDavid became the bride of Johnny Lee Little of Fort Wolters, Tex., on Tuesday at 8:00 p.m.

The Rev. Jack Hunter officiated at the ceremony in the Farmville United Methodist Church.

A program of wedding music was presented by Wilson Nichols Jr. of Bell Arthur, organist, and Miss Sarita Hardy of Farmville, soloist. S. L. Starcher of Greenville played the trumpet during the processional.

The church was decorated with white poinsettias, candles, greenery, holly, organ wreath and holly in the pew markers.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson McDavid Jr. of Farmville, the bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore her mother's bridal gown which was of ivory skinner's satin fitted in the basque mode. The gown was fashioned with dropped shoulders and a berth of self-material embroidered with seed pearls in double heart design. The hoop skirt was extended into a court train.

Her veil was of Brussels rosepoint lace mantilla style and extended court length. She wore a diamond heart necklace, a gift of the bridegroom, and carried a cascade of white bride's roses, holly and mistletoe.

Miss Martha Parker McDavid and Miss Alice Prince McDavid, sisters of the bride, were maids of honor. Bridesmaids were Pattie Francis Lewis, Nanet Lewis, Lu Lee Williams and Mary Patricia Little, sister of the bridegroom, all of Farmville.

The attendants wore red velvet gowns in the Camelot style, with long sleeves, empire waists, high neckline and short train. They wore matching Camelot hats with short veils. They carried cascades of holly and the maids of honor carried cascades of holly and mistletoe. All were tied with ivory ribbon, matching the bride's dress.

The bridegroom is the son of



MRS. JOHNNY LEE LITTLE

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Lee Little of Farmville. The father of the bridegroom was best man.

Ushers were Richard Dixon Harris Jr., Marvin Jones Fuquay, William Carol Modlin Jr., George Elmer Moore III and Mark Brian Little, brother of the bridegroom, all of Farmville.

Stuart Burton James was acolyte.

Mrs. Joseph D. Joyner and Mrs. L. B. Johnson Jr. directed the wedding.

Mrs. McDavid chose a formal of wine and gold brocade trimmed with gold braid and accented with gold crystals. Her accessories were of matching gold and she had a spray of American beauty roses attached to her evening bag.

The mother of the bridegroom selected a formal of turquoise silk worsted in lace with matching accessories. She wore a

white orchid.

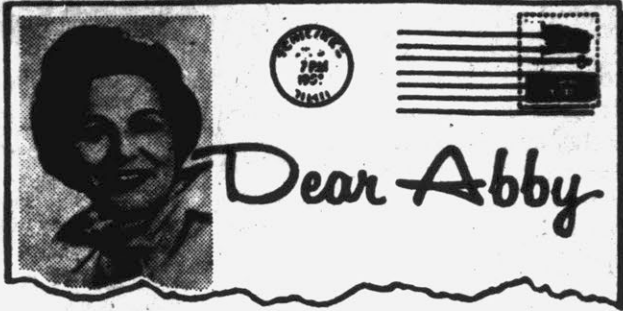
For a wedding trip to Williamsburg, Va., the bride changed into a wool suit of black, and white houndstooth check accented by a long-sleeved emerald green jersey top. She wore a white chrysanthemum corsage tied with green and white.

The bride is a graduate of Arendall Parrot Academy, Kinston, and has been employed as a draftsman for McDavid Associates.

The bridegroom attended East Carolina University and is presented a WOC in the U.S. Army and is in helicopter pilot school.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in the DAR Chapter House.

Decorations were carried out in a green and white and traditional Christmas decor.



By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I am going to be married in the spring, which brings up a problem I don't know how to handle.

I stood up for my girl friend, three years ago. At that time I promised her that when I got married she could stand up for me. My sister, who is two years older than I am, is a nun of the Dominican Order, and three years ago nuns couldn't be in a wedding party or I would not have made that promise to my girl friend. Well, the rules changed, and now my sister can participate in my wedding, and I want her to. And she wants to in the worst way.

I explained all this to my girl friend, and practically got down on my knees and begged her to be a bridesmaid instead. She turned me down, saying if she couldn't stand up for me she wouldn't even come to my wedding.

What would YOU do in my place? —SIS

DEAR SIS: I'd tell my girl friend that I will miss her, and I'd get off my knees.

DEAR ABBY: I have two daughters; one is 31, and the other is 33. They are both married to nice men. The younger daughter is my problem. Whenever we are at a family gathering she brings up the subject of sex, and she keeps talking about the wonderful sex lives she and her husband have. No one else in the family talks this openly about such things, not that there is anything wrong with married people having good sex lives. But shouldn't that be a private matter?

I told this daughter to please not go into any more detailed stories about her personal sex life in front of the relatives, and she blew up at me saying I should "get with it" and get rid of my old fashioned ideas.

Abby, if you tell me I should change my ways, I will try. But I still feel that a person's sex life should not be discussed in company. Am I wrong? —"NOT WITH IT"

DEAR NOT: Not in my book. Tell your daughter to soft-pedal the commercials or people will think she's trying to cover up an incompatible marriage. [That should shut her up.]

DEAR ABBY: What does it mean when a boy keeps trying to bite your ear? —ARDELLA

DEAR ARDELLA: If the "boy" is under 18 months old, he could be teething; over 18, he is teasing.

DEAR ABBY: Re Grandma and rice: Grandma hopes that at her funeral someone will leave behind a bit of rice from a wedding that just took place, and that those who see it will smile at the joy it must have brought.

Grandma is overreacting, and you aren't thinking too clearly either, Abby. Obviously, neither of you has ever seen a wedding turned into a disaster when a guest slips on the rice and breaks a leg.

I do not allow rice to be thrown in the church, in the parish hall, or on any church property.

If the reception is at the country club, great. Throw rice everywhere!

DEAR PASTOR: You mean if someone breaks a leg at the country club it's all right?

What's your problem? You'll feel better if you get it off your chest. Write to ABBY, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Cal. 90069. For a personal reply enclose stamped, addressed envelope.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur L. Worthington, of Peaceful Acres, Ayden, have returned from a two-week vacation in Mississippi. They were guests of their twin sons, Revs. Melvin and Milton Worthington and their families.

They also visited his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell Rollins, in Picayune. Enroute, the Worthingtons were overnight guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dan S. Davis Jr., in Charlotte.

COOKING IS FUN!

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
AP Food Editor
SUNDAY SUPPER

Shrimp Cocktail with
Five-Ingredient Sauce

Sliced Meat Salad Bowl
Fruit Compote Beverage
FIVE-INGREDIENT SAUCE

Store any leftover sauce, tightly covered, in the refrigerator.
1/2 cup mayonnaise
1/2 cup commercial sour cream
1-3rd cup catchup
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2 cups crabmeat
1/2 cup soft bread crumbs
Make a white sauce with 3 tablespoons of the butter, the flour, mustard and milk; stir in lemon juice and parsley. Fold in crab. Spoon into 6 ceramic crab shells or similar utensils. Mix bread crumbs with remaining 2 tablespoons butter (melted) and sprinkle over crab mixture. Before serving, bake in a preheated 400-degree oven until hot and topping is lightly browned—20 minutes. Makes 6 servings. (We used two 7 1/2-ounce cans of king crab in testing this recipe.)

Shower Given Miss Robbins

Miss Kathy Robbins, bride-elect of February, was honored at a miscellaneous shower Monday night at the home of Mrs. Joe Gaston.

Assisting hostesses were Mrs. J. B. Boyd, Mrs. Lester Turnage and Mrs. Bill Williams.

The honoree was remembered with a white carnation corsage and a gift of crystal in her chosen pattern.

Mrs. Gaston introduced guests to Miss Robbins, her mother, Mrs. Warren Robbins, and Mrs. William Cayton, mother of the bridegroom-elect.

The refreshment table was covered with a white cloth and adorned with a three branch candelabra holding red lighted candles. The candelabra was encircled by holly and red berries.

Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Boyd poured punch and Mrs. Turnage served cake squares.

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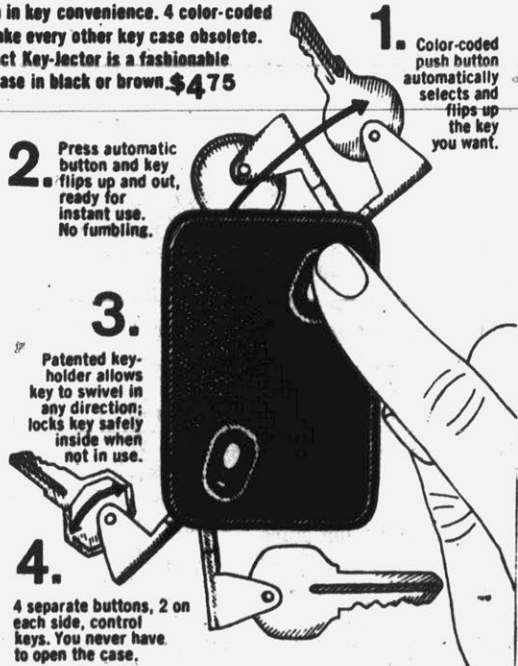
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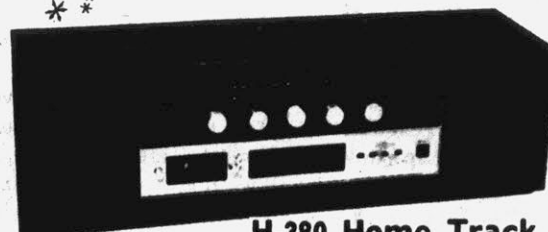
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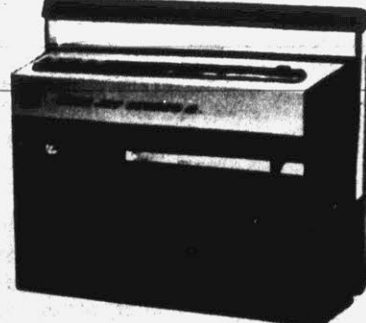
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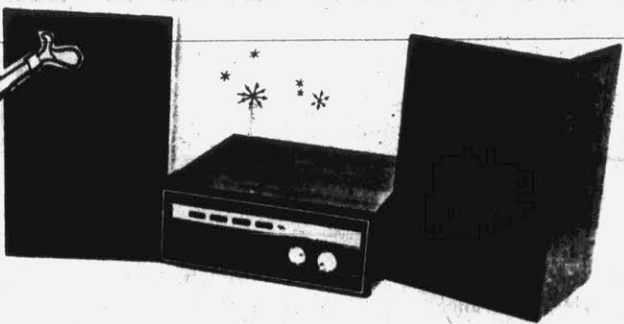
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On the record, American efforts at impartiality aren't paying off.

In the Middle East: Israelis are accusing us of being sympathetic to the Arabs; and Arabs "know" we are sympathetic to Israel. American influence in the area is barely alive.

In the not-so-long ago Nigerian civil war, the

An Agency For All Tar Heels

By SAM RAGAN
(The Pilot, Southern Pines)
(Sam Ragan, a newspaperman and a practicing poet, is chairman of the N.C. Arts Council.)

RALEIGH — Four people operating out of two small rooms in the old Heart of Raleigh Motel carry out a program that touches and enriches the lives of every person in North Carolina.

The N.C. Arts Council is one of the smallest state agencies, but behind its staff is a 24-member council of people interested in the arts across the state.

The old motel is owned by the state and used to house many smaller agencies. In the Arts Council office are Executive Director Edgar Marston, III; a secretary, Charles Springman, director of programs; and an assistant, Ann Underwood.

Marston, a Kinston native and Davidson graduate with a master's degree from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, succeeded Robert Brickell, a former N.C. State professor and now executive director of Ballet West in Salt Lake City, Utah.

The N.C. Arts Council is a relatively new agency, first created by Gov. Terry Sanford in the last month of his administration in 1964. Gov. Dan Moore, who gave strong support to all of the state's arts programs — a lot more than most people realized — thought well of the Council and had it made a statutory agency by legislative act in 1967.

Matching Federal Grants

It operates on a small state budget, but funds for programs are matched by federal grants from the National Foundation for the Arts and Humanities. This year, approximately \$100,000 in federal funds for the arts are coming into the state.

Under the legislative act the Arts Council is charged with coordinating activities and developing programs to promote the arts. To date, it has helped establish two dozen local arts councils in communities, large and small, and it is this grassroots approach which is touching the lives of so many people.

Working with and through other organizations, the Arts Council has promoted music festivals, drama tours, dance tours, art exhibits, crafts development and shows, literary competitions, poetry readings, and dozens of seminars and symposiums designed to stimulate interest in the arts.

History of Arts Support

North Carolina, of course, has a very respectable history and tradition of supporting the arts. It was the first state, for instance, which appropriated funds for a State Symphony Orchestra, the first to appropriate tax funds for the purchase of paintings, to support music

U.S. supplied no arms and no encouragement. Instead, we sought peace, and proffered relief to the victims on both sides.

In the India-Pakistan war, despite billions of dollars in aid given to both countries in past years, we have few friends left in India today and Pakistan must be wondering if there is any value in American friendship.

In each conflict (Middle East, Africa and Southern Asia) the United States has refused involvement except to try to end the conflicts and provide relief for the victims.

In each conflict the Soviet Union has provided arms and supplies as well as a loud voice in the United Nations. In each instance their influence has been multiplied many times over.

Whatever conclusions one may draw from the foregoing, let it not be said we are doing something wrong... but that things just don't work out the way our precepts indicate they should.

Early Benefits From Fledgling Med School

One of the early benefits of the fledgling medical school at ECU is the type of continuing education course which was conducted in January and December.

Seventeen physicians and dentists from eight states participated in the advanced head and neck anatomy courses held at the university. They were a joint offering of the ECU School of Medicine and the Division of Continuing Education.

While the course drew participants from far away, it also afforded dentists and physicians from nearby the opportunity to attend without traveling great distances. The staff consisted of practicing specialists and faculty members from ECU and the Medical College of Virginia.

It is the kind of thing that ECU can do which will be of benefit to area professionals. It is another benefit of a School of Medicine at ECU.

The Ashbrook Threat Feeble

By ROWLAND EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK
WASHINGTON — The White House is taking a surprisingly unperturbed view of the almost certain challenge to President Nixon by conservative Rep. John Ashbrook of Ohio for one major reason: Ashbrook should split the anti-Nixon protest vote with liberal Rep. Paul N. (Pete) McCloskey of California in the March 7 New Hampshire primary.

That is the prevailing consensus among the President's political operatives as Ashbrook readies a possible Dec. 27 announcement that he will enter the New Hampshire primary.

With the assured backing of right-wing publisher William Loeb of the powerful Manchester, N.H., Union-Leader, it is the White House assumption that Ashbrook will skim off about half the anti-Nixon vote: New Hampshire conservatives who otherwise would vote for the liberal McCloskey simply to show their anger at Mr. Nixon.

Beyond that, the President's political aides doubt that without the support of national leaders of Republican conservatism Ashbrook can mount anything like a serious threat against the President. Backing the President will be Gov. Ronald Reagan of California and Sens. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, Barry Goldwater of Arizona and John Tower of Texas.

Moreover, a top-rank Republican conservative in the House, Rep. Sam Devine of Ohio, is now part of the Republican House leadership. As the new vice



By J.J. KILPATRICK

Redskins 38, Dollars 0

WASHINGTON — The devaluation of the American dollar as agreed to by President Nixon in his meeting with French President Georges Pompidou in the Azores came as a surprise to many people. The Nixon strategy up until the meeting was to make the Europeans devalue the dollar rather than the United States.

People in Washington are still wondering what happened. The clue to it was a short news item from the Azores which reported that President Nixon had stayed up to 4:30 a.m. in the Azores on Tuesday morning listening to the Washington Redskins-Los Angeles Rams game on the radio.

This clue, plus a version of what happened given to me in absolute confidence by a

Other Editors Say One-Sided Emphasis

(Gastonia Gazette)

A recent Harris survey of popular attitudes toward business has received a lot of attention.

For instance, the number of Americans giving business high marks for "bringing better quality products to people" has slipped from a high of 75 per cent recorded in a similar poll in 1966 to a low of 46 per cent today.

There has been a corresponding rise in negative feelings among customers.

Back in 1966, by an overwhelming 73 per cent to 22 per cent, the public praised business for "offering young people a chance to get ahead."

Now, by 50 per cent to 40 per cent, they criticize it for just the opposite reason.

By a score of 45 per cent to 36 per cent, most people do not feel that business "allows people to use their full creative abilities."

Five years before, business received credit for doing just that by 62 per cent to 25 per cent.

Where in 1966 the public felt, by a thumping 75 per cent to 12 per cent, that business had been a real help in eliminating economic depressions, by 1971 attitudes had so changed that by 45 per cent to 35 per cent most Americans think business is no longer even a factor in dealing with a depression.

Clearly, says Harris, public opinion about business has been strongly tempered by the hard times people feel they have been through in recent months.

But compounding the problem are rising public expectations regarding the social responsibilities of business.

And therein may lie an as-yet-unfold tale.

It is no coincidence that this decline in public confidence in business has coincided with the appearance and proliferation of consumer advocates, environmental champions and others who have been slaying corporation dragons right and left.

Five years of constant harping on what's wrong with business, and little about what's right with it, have left their mark.

Learn It All By Mail

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK (AP) — Things a columnist might never know if he didn't open his mail: Science has found that hippies with long curly hair have one advantage over their bald critics—they suffer fewer nose problems. Their curls soften the din of many annoying



HAL BOYLE

sounds, such as jet planes, garbage trucks, sirens and telephones.

You have eyelids—but a snake doesn't. This is no particular handicap to it, however. Its eyes are covered by hard, transparent, plastic-like caps so it can burrow into the ground without damage to its vision.

Warning to the ladies: If you don't get kissed under a mistletoe bough by Christmas, you'll remain unwed all through the upcoming Leap Year. Legend says that the boy who kisses you should pluck and give to you a berry from the mistletoe. The mistletoe loses its magic when all its berries are gone.

Like the United States, the Soviet Union is engaged in a massive campaign to control spreading venereal disease, but the Soviets are going about it in a tougher manner. There, a person who knowingly infects another is subject to a possible prison sentence of up to three years.

Feeling a bit older? So are a

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40 Years Ago Today

By GWYN COGHILL
Dec. 22, 1931

Although today was supposed to be the first day of winter, comparatively warm temperatures prevailed in this section. Overcast clouds, accompanied by a stiff northeast wind, gave forth rain during the morning with indication of more during the afternoon. The mercury, which started a downward trend night before last, began moving upward again last night and the temperature this morning was reminiscent of springtime.

A big singing contest will be staged at Center Brick Warehouse Wednesday night under auspices of the Greenville Fire Department. The state's best quartet and solo singers will take part.

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Christmas is creeping up on us. Yes, the stores will keep open several hours longer each day. The clerks look as if they had been drawn through a wringer. "I'm going to bed for a week after the curtain comes down on the Christmas season. But the kids like it and that's enough."

And speaking of kids, this is a season of the year when the kids take over and we are happy to have it this way. Holy Week and Easter stand for the basic elements of Christian faith, but the joyful season is the Christmas season.

"I am the light of the world," (John 8:12) said Jesus. "Ye are the light of the world," (Matthew 5:14) he said to his followers. The world spends a lot of time thinking about war — and

even taking part in war. Christmastime is when we try to forget it all. "Peace I leave unto you; my peace I give unto you; not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid" (John 14:27).

Wouldn't it be wonderful if leaders of world thought and action went into a huddle over this matter of establishing peace throughout the world? The word "peace" is more often used in connection with Easter than with Christmas, yet peace and growth, good will and a thrust into the better things of life — this is Christmas and the Christmas spirit.

Will it be dull after Christmas? It shouldn't be, for Christmas is not only a date but a spirit. A mother, a child in swaddling clothes lying in a manger. Human. Joyful.

By Earl Douglass

New High In Christmas Thefts

By ELMER ROESSNER

Not only will the country set a new high in Christmas sales this year, but it will probably set a new high in shoplifting and pilferage losses. In-store thefts always peak in the Christmas season. The crowds and inexperienced help make it easier for the professionals. Unemployment swells the ranks of the amateurs. Other professionals seek jobs as temporary sales help either to steal by themselves or to assist confederates.

A new shoplifting trick has also increased this year. But stores have countered it neatly.

A shopper in one big store discovered that a gift she had purchased was missing. She assumed she had mislaid it in the store. A few days later she received a check from the store refunding the purchase price.

This is what had happened. The new trick is to steal not from the store but from

customers. It's fairly safe, since the shoplifter if caught can say she picked up a wrong parcel by mistake, adding that she had made a



ELMER ROESSNER

purchase that was similarly wrapped and then scream that someone had taken her parcel.

Seeks Cash Refund
If successful, and if the sales slip is in the stolen package, the thief says she has changed her mind and asks for a refund.

Stores have countered claims for a refund in two ways: first, by giving the sales slips to customers along with their change and suggesting they keep the slip in their purses; second, by discontinuing cash refunds and mailing checks to the

customer. In the case of the customer who got a refund check for what she thought was a lost parcel, the thief had not known of the refund-by-check rule and, to escape detection had let the refund clerk assume she was the original purchaser.

However, thefts from customers have risen because the defense that a wrong package was picked up by mistake is so plausible and because shoppers, much less than store management, are not inclined to prosecute.

Another Racket

Another sort of theft not necessarily connected with Christmas is bothering authorities. A thief takes pains to learn the names and addresses of pensioners and people who get dividend checks by mail. Then he files change-of-address cards at a local office, giving a rented room as the new address of his victims. After 10 days or two weeks he picks up the mail at the rented room and

forges endorsements, meanwhile collecting a new list of victims.

The racket is especially successful around Christmas time because victims are slow to complain, imagining that nonarrival of checks is due to the mail jam.

International Air Hassle
May Start All Over

The day that the International Air Transport Association finally compromised its dispute over transatlantic fares was the day that President Nixon announced that the United States would devalue the dollar. Now IATA has its calculating to do all over and can't begin until the amount of devaluation is agreed upon.

The new schedule was intended to lower rates, but not as much as Lufthansa, the West German line, wanted. When revised, the new rates will increase transatlantic rates for Americans; ease them for Europeans.

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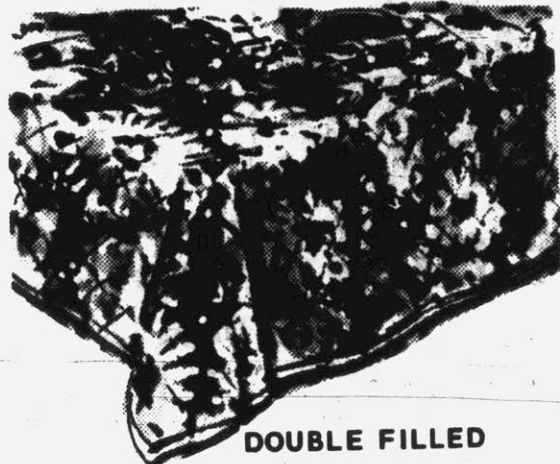
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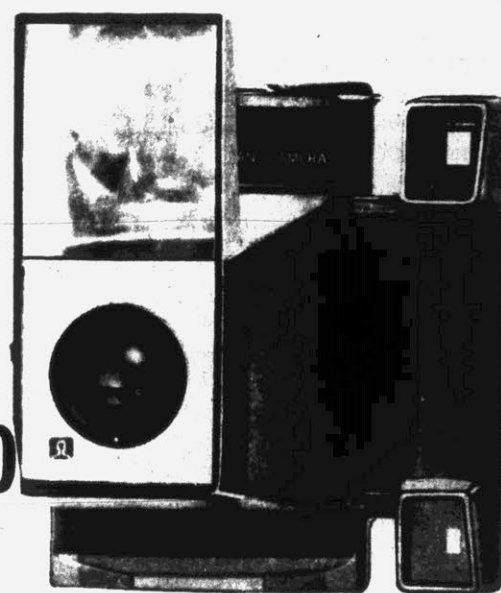
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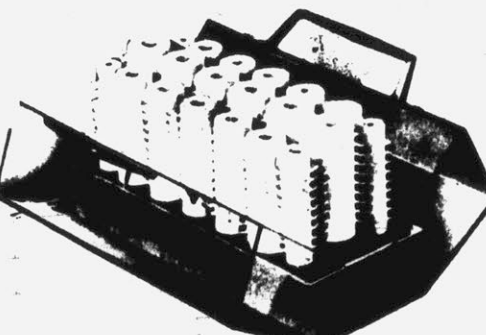


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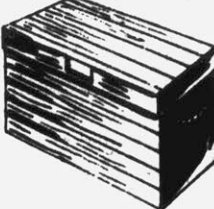
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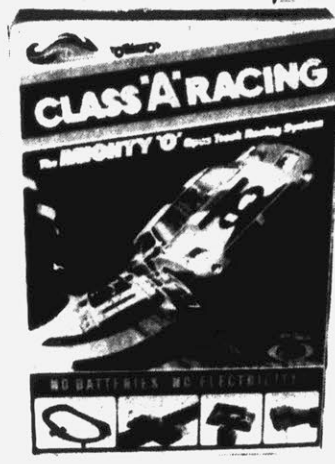


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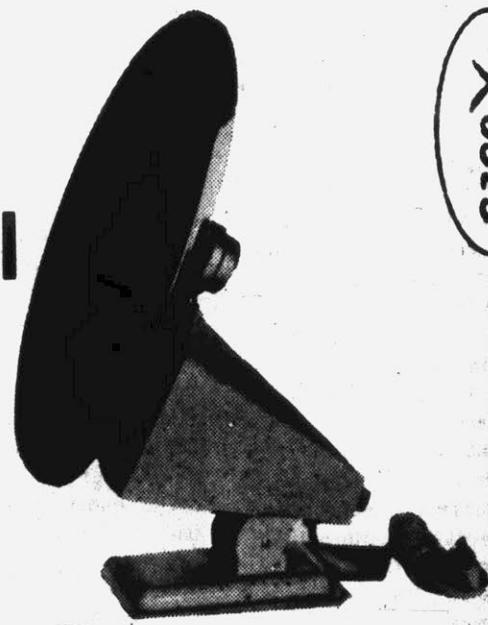
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A Hook Worn By Anita Bryant

NEW YORK (AP) — Singer Anita Bryant wears an unusual piece of jewelry—a pin shaped like a fish hook. Why?

Because "I am pledged to witness daily for Christ, to be a 'fisher of men' in whatever God asks," she explains in her book, "Amazing Grace." The fish was an early Christian symbol.

Movie-Use Said Like Parables

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Use of movies to communicate the Christian message is similar to Jesus' use of parables, says G. William Jones, who teaches fine arts at Southern Methodist University.

He said in a lecture at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary here that movies, like parables, apply ideas to life rather than leaving them as cold abstractions.

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president and the American President met with each other, along with their staffs. The Americans were yawning and rubbing their eyes.

President Pompidou said, "President Nixon, my congratulations on the football game last night."

"Do you follow American football?" President Nixon asked in surprise.

"My wife and I are both avid George Allen fans."

"Well, Mr. President. It was really a fantastic game."

"Then," said President Pompidou, "that means we will be in the National League Playoffs."

"We?" Mr. Nixon said.

"Of course we. The French support the team the President of the United States supports."

"De Gaulle was never like that," Mr. Nixon said. "Mr. President, Billy Kilmer had his greatest day, and I can't say enough about Jefferson and Speedy Duncan."

"Did you contain Roman Gabriel?" Monsieur Pompidou asked.

"The entire game."

"Bon. Now about the dollar. I imagine it makes no difference if you devalue it now."

"I hadn't really been giving it much thought."

"Please just sign here, and then we can talk more about the football game."

President Nixon looked around to see if he could get some advice from Secretary Rogers or Connally. They were both fast asleep with their heads on the conference table. Rather than disturb them he signed the agreement.

And that's how Washington won a chance at the Super Bowl, and the United States lost 10 per cent of the American dollar.

Evans-Novak . . .

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thereby risk estranging liberals. When some Muskie aides learned for the first time from reading this column that Muskie would see Rizzo, they were apoplectic.

The main reason the Muskie-Rizzo meeting will take place is George Mitchell, Democratic national committeeman from Maine and Muskie's chief political operative. Although Muskie did not endorse Rizzo for mayor after he won the Democratic nomination, Mitchell tells friends he personally hoped for a Rizzo

victory.
Chile in Washington
The Washington law firm of Sol M. Linowitz, U.S. Ambassador to the Organization of American states during the Johnson administration, has been retained by President Salvador Allende's Socialist-Communist government in Chile though it has not registered with the Justice Department as a foreign agent.

The reason, says Linowitz, is that his firm has been retained only to give legal counsel to the Chilean government regarding its expropriation of American corporate interests and, therefore, no foreign agent registration if necessary. It will not, Linowitz told us, engage in any political or propaganda activities or represent the Allende regime in dealings with the U.S. government.

Nevertheless, the connection with Linowitz is a prestigious one in American liberal circles for the far left Chilean government. What's more, Linowitz has made no secret of his belief that the Nixon administration should have taken a more friendly attitude toward Allende following his election in 1970.

A footnote: Linowitz is preparing a conference on Latin America here early next year under the sponsorship of the District of Columbia's five universities and to be addressed by three left-of-center anti-Communist ex-presidents from Latin America—Romulo Betancourt of Venezuela, Eduardo Frei of Chile, and Fernando Belaunde Terry of Peru. The predictable result will be a broadside, accusing the Nixon administration of insensitivity toward Latin America.

Boyle . . .

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lot of other people. As a matter of fact, by 1980 it is estimated that the U.S. population will include 33 million people over the age of 60.

Quotable notables: "Men have brought their powers of subduing nature to such a pitch that by using them they could easily exterminate one another to the last man."—Sigmund Freud.

Snowy peril: Skiing is becoming ever more popular, but it has its penalties for the awkward beginner or the careless expert. Each year some 100,000 skiers are injured, of whom 50,000 suffer fractures. They sure do get the breaks.

Feathered mimic: The mocking bird is one of nature's greatest impersonators. It can imitate the songs of at least 32 other types of birds.

Crossing over: Ever wonder why the Pope is called the pontiff? It is a word which can be translated as "bridge builder." The title was applied earlier to pagan priests who performed rites designed to appease the River Tiber's wrath at being spanned by man.

It was Lord Halifax, who observed, "A man who is master of patience is master of everything else."

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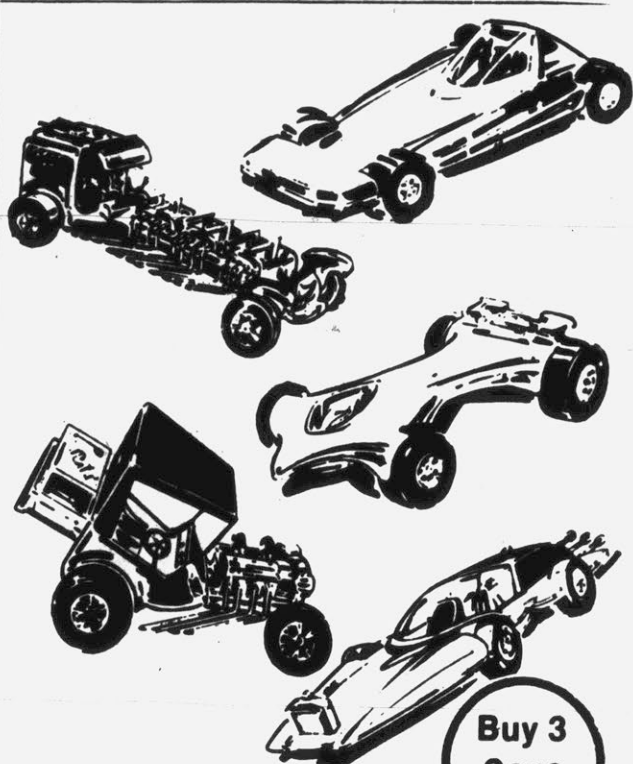
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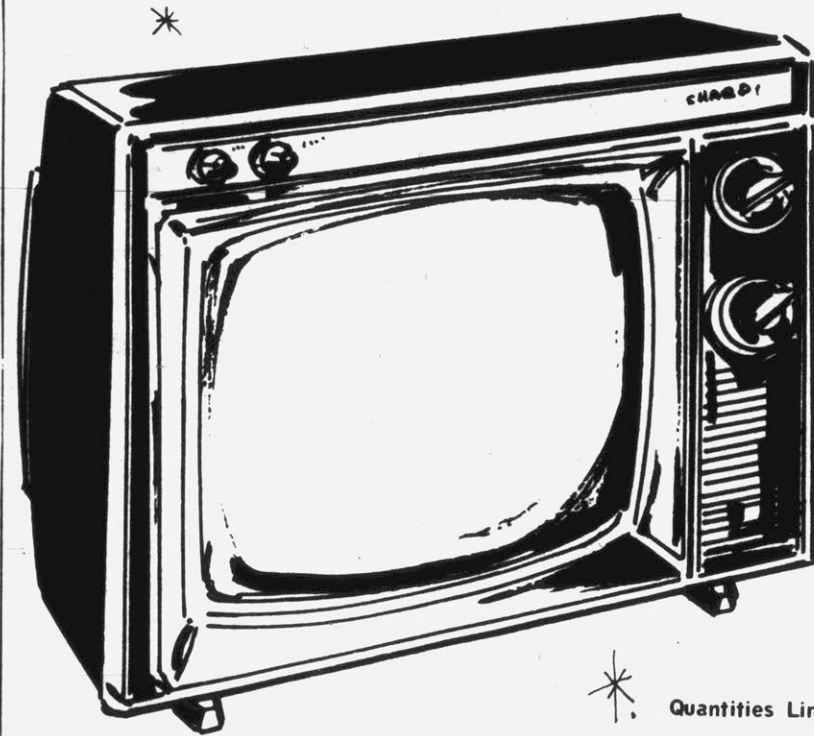
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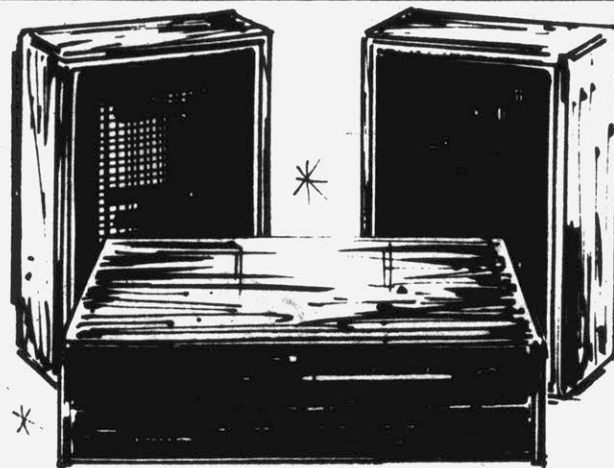
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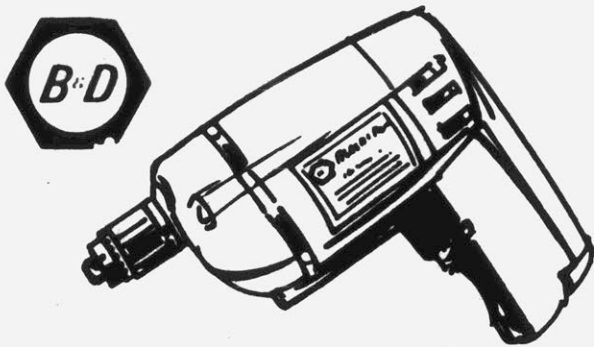
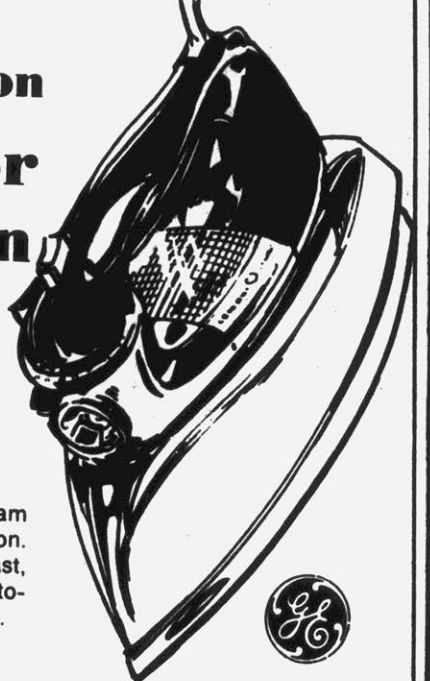
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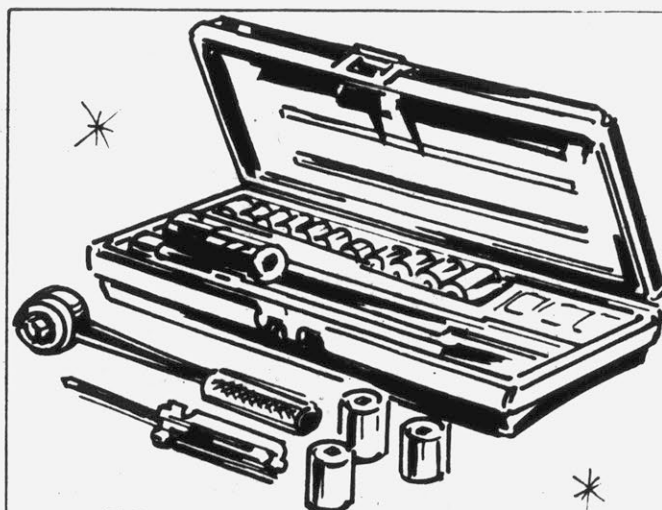


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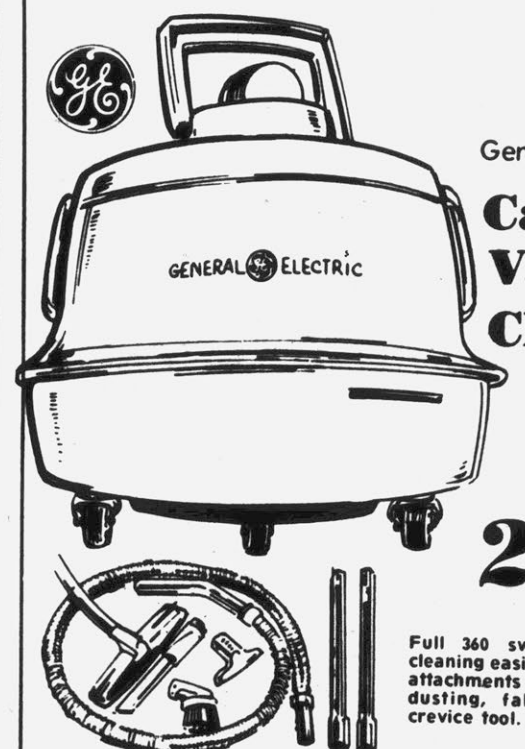


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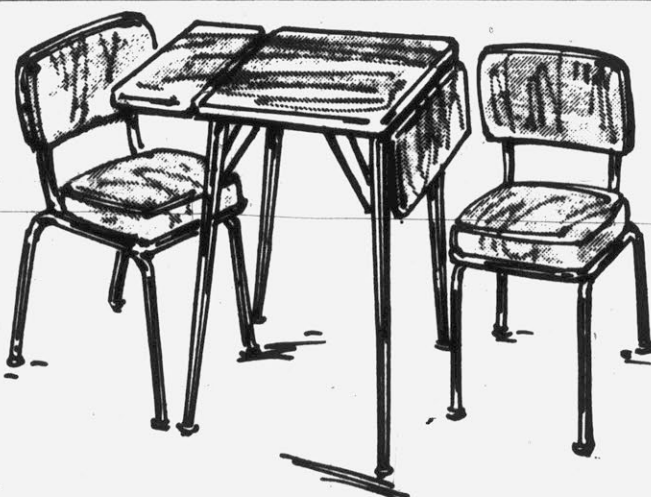
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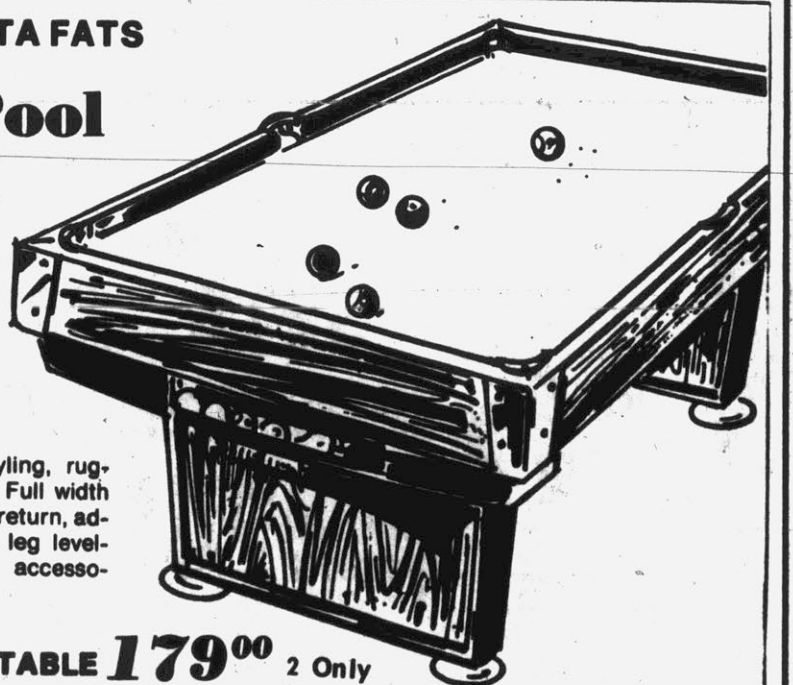
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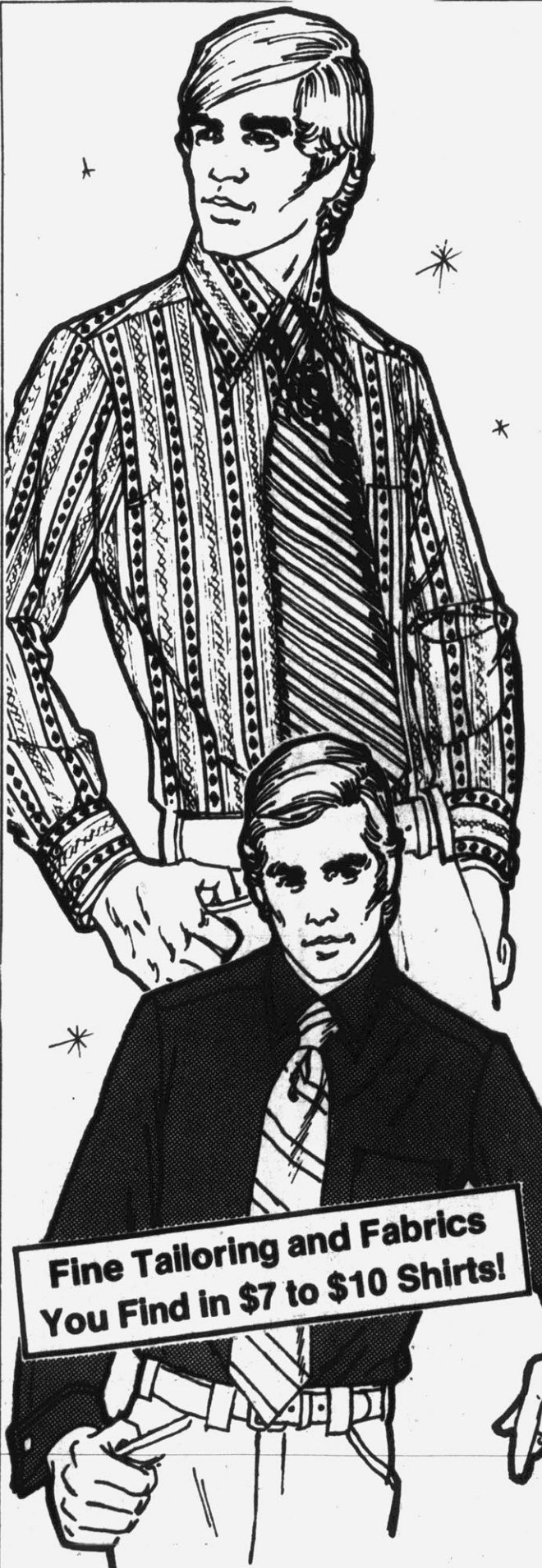
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Scott Urges Safety Plan

RALEIGH (AP) — Gov. Bob Scott says North Carolina motorists should abide by a 10-point safety program in an effort to reduce traffic deaths and injuries during the remainder of the year.

Scott said Tuesday that on Dec. 1 he had asked delegates attending the Governor's Traffic Safety Conference in Greensboro to provide him recommendations aimed at lowering the traffic toll.

Scott said he was urging the motoring public to heed the 10 recommendations and drive safely over the holiday season.

One of the recommendations says that if at all possible, motorists should avoid driving at late hours on weekend nights. Scott said that even though the Highway Patrol is waging an enforcement program, "a significant percentage of the people out on the road" at late hours on weekend nights are drunk.

Another recommendation says that persons attending holiday parties where alcohol is served should arrange for transportation before attending the party.

Other recommendations include: driving should be limited, if possible to daylight hours; motorists should wear their seat belt and shoulder harness; be alert to weather changes; slow down during the holiday season; when it first begins to rain, slow down; watch out for children; keep the lenses of your headlights, taillights and all other exterior lights clean; observe and obey all signs.

"Although the additional travel that accompanies the holiday season makes the entire holiday period particularly dangerous," Scott said, "statistics show that the day before Christmas, Christmas Day and the day after Christmas are the most dangerous travel days. If you can avoid travelling on those days please do so."

Stowaways Are Being Returned By Coast Guard

WILMINGTON, N.C. (AP) — The Coast Guard cutter McCulloch was expected at Wilmington today after taking two Cuban stowaways off a Cypriot freighter in the Atlantic.

The pair, a 22-year-old woman and a 20-year-old man, have not been identified. Officials said the FBI and immigration personnel were to meet them when the cutter docks.

They said the freighter Salvia discovered the two — who apparently hid aboard independently — Friday. The Salvia was en route to Spain after a stay in Cuba.

The crew of the McCulloch has chipped in \$260 for a Christmas present to the pair. Officials said the women is married to a Greek seaman and the man is asking for temporary asylum in this country.

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7:00 Truth Or
7:30 Goldiggers
8:00 Carol Burnett
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Center
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11:30 Merv Griffin
THURSDAY
6:30 Carolina
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8:25 Meditations
8:30 News
9:00 Capt.
Kangaroo
10:30 Flipper
11:00 Family Affair
11:30 Love of Life
12:00 Noon News
12:30 Search

1:00 The Heart
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1:30 World Turns
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3:30 Edge of Night
4:00 Bananas Split
4:30 Santa
5:00 Hogan's
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5:30 Green Acres
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6:00 News
6:30 CBS News
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7:30 Mary Tyler
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WEDNESDAY
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8:30 Mystery Movie
10:00 Oral Roberts
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12:00 News
THURSDAY
6:00 Agriculture
6:30 Hazel
7:00 Today Show
7:25 Down to Earth
7:30 Today Show
9:00 Christmas
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9:30 Christmas
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10:00 Dinah
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11:00 Sale of Cent.
11:30 Hollywood Sq.
12:00 Jeopardy
12:30 Who, What

12:55 Noon News
1:00 Divorce Court
1:30 On a Match
2:00 Our Lives
2:30 The Doctors
3:00 Another World
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10:00 Dean Martin
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9:30 Shirley's
World
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11:30 Dick Cavett
THURSDAY
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8:30 Sesame St
9:30 Monty
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
5:55 You First
6:00 News
6:30 ABC News
7:00 In Sultcase
8:00 Alias Smith
9:00 Longstreet
10:00 Owen Marshall
11:00 News
11:30 Dick Cavett

Stabbed Him

CLEVELAND, Ohio (AP) — While three of his children stood in line to see Santa Claus at a downtown department store, John Fitzpatrick, 35, was stabbed to death by a man trying to push ahead in the line, police said.

After the stabbing on the 10th floor of the Higbee Co., police said, about 75 persons stood by for five minutes as the assailant, wielding an 8-inch knife, screamed, "I'm not leaving!" He escaped into the crowd when firemen arrived.

Witnesses told police that the man who stabbed Fitzpatrick pushed ahead of others in the line. They said that when Fitzpatrick told him to wait his turn, the man started cursing, wrestled Fitzpatrick to the floor and stabbed him five times.

Fitzpatrick's wife was in another area with the couple's other child, waiting for the four to make their way through the line.

FBI Is Hunting Holdup Suspect

MORGANTON, N.C. (AP) — The FBI is looking for Bobby Martin, 23, of Nebo on charges of robbing a Wachovia branch bank near Morganton of an estimated \$15,000 Nov. 22.

The bureau said Tuesday Martin is a fugitive. Two men participated in the robbery.

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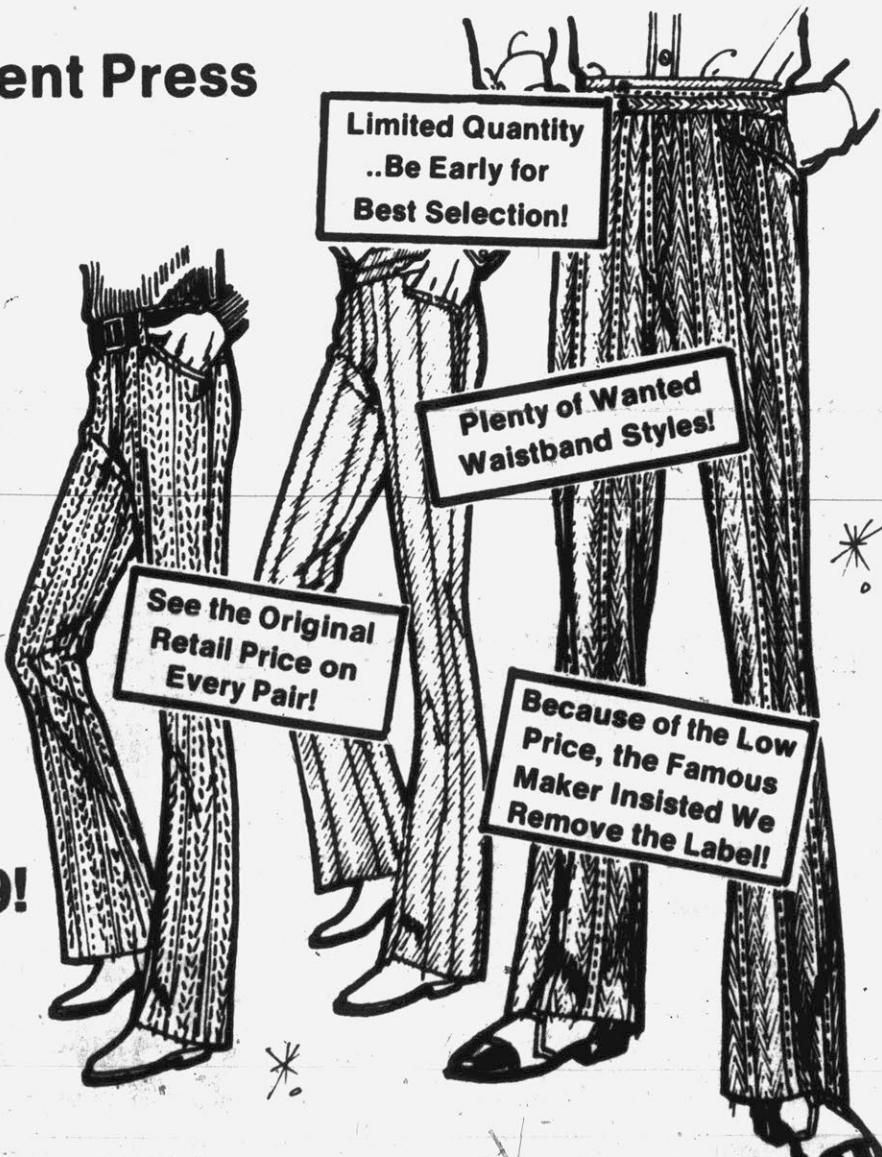
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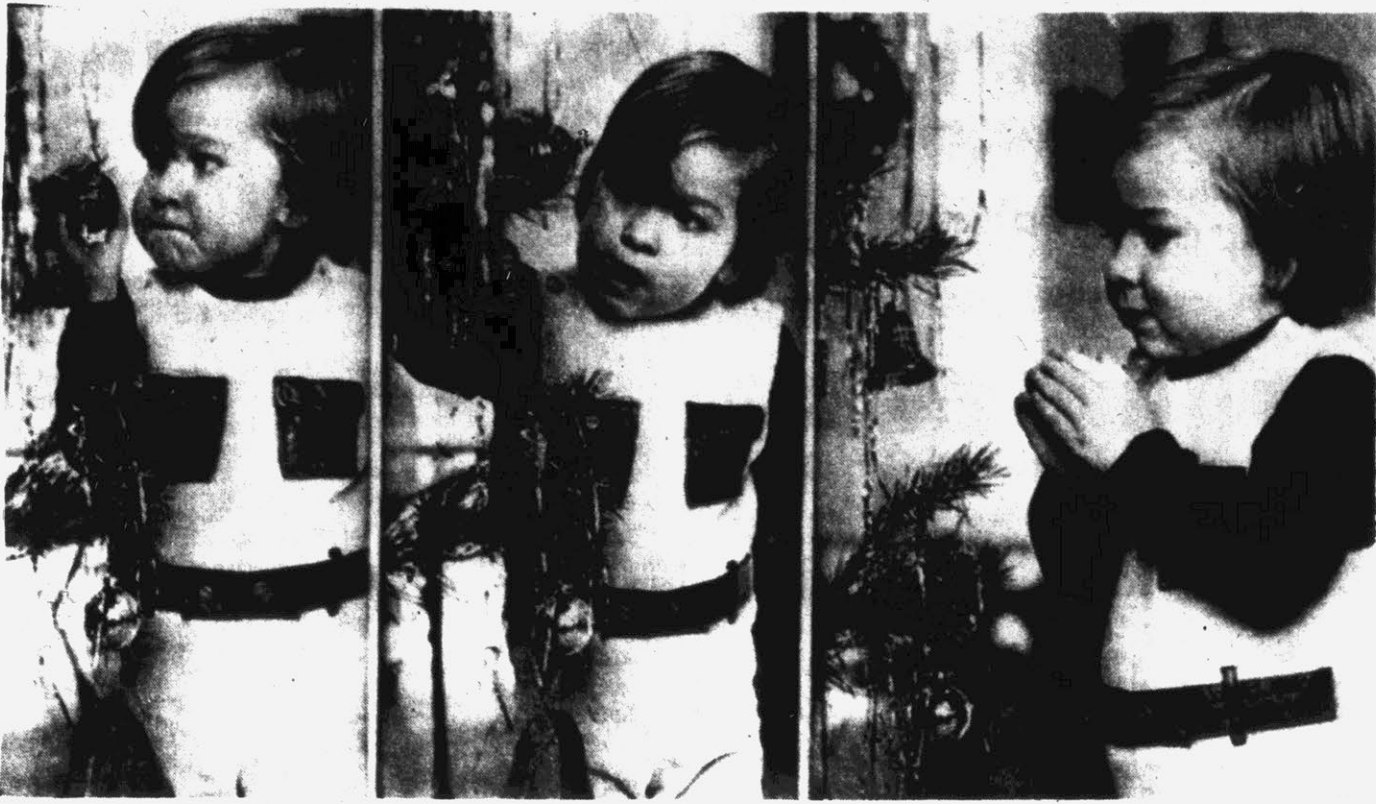
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he helped decorate the hospital tree. Michael hung a couple of ornaments on the tree then stepped back and struck a prayerful pose hoping they'd stay on. (AP Wirephoto)

Aid Pupils Through Physical Education

East Carolina University and the Greenville City Schools are currently involved in an effort to promote better human relations through physical education.

The Emergency School Assistance Program (ESAP) is funded by the federal government. It is directed by Dr. Edgar W. Hooks and Dr. Ernest Schwarz of the ECU Department of Health and Physical Education.

Working with them are 32 undergraduates, four graduate students, and 40 sixth grade teachers from the Greenville elementary schools.

The ECU students guide the sixth graders in various sports through classroom instruction and intramural activities. The activities include basketball, tumbling, gymnastics, volleyball, track and field, softball, touch football and swimming.

The main purpose of ESAP is to work with human relations problems through the discipline of physical education, and to use sports as a vehicle to help people learn to work together.

Con Artists Active In Christmas Season

It's almost Christmas, but it's also the season for the film-flam artists. William McClure, manager of the Greenville, N.C. social security office reports that three men, posing as social security representatives, are now operating in the southeast.

Their scheme goes like this: The men, two claiming to be social security doctors and the other a social security representative, visit the home of an elderly person and tell him that he may be entitled to additional social security benefits if he is disabled. They convince the person they can conduct the necessary physical examination, usually in the bedroom. Then while the fake "doctors" are examining the person, the other man searches the house for money. One elderly couple in Stokes County, North Carolina, lost nearly \$1,500 to this group of con artists earlier this week.

Mr. McClure points out that all social security representatives have identification, which includes a picture of the employee. If you are approached by someone alleging they are a



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New Plants Face Pollution Curbs

By STAN BENJAMIN
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — The federal government has announced new air pollution control standards for all new plants being built in five major U.S. industries.

Environmental Protection Administrator William D. Ruckelshaus said about 35 to 40 industries will be assigned new-plant standards over the next few years.

Tuesday's standards cover fossil-fueled steam generating plants, both for industrial

Four Injured In 2 Collisions Tuesday

Four persons were reported injured and an estimated \$1,700 property damage caused in two collisions investigated by Greenville police here yesterday.

The four injuries, according to officers, occurred when two cars collided on a private parking lot — at Pitt Plaza — at 7:25 p.m.

Cars involved were driven by Carrie Linda Mercer, 17, of Route 4, Greenville and Grover Allison Hester, 40, of Route 1, Winterville, police reported.

Town Offices Plan Holidays

The holiday schedules for the town offices in Winterville, Ayden and Grifton have been announced.

According to Town Clerk Elwood Nobles, the Winterville municipal building will be closed from Friday afternoon until Tuesday morning.

The Ayden town hall will close Friday at 1 p.m. and resume its normal schedule Tuesday morning, according to Don Russell, Ayden town manager.

Mrs. Nannie Smith, town clerk of Grifton, said the Grifton office will be closed Friday and Saturday in observance of the holiday.

The Grifton office will reopen Monday morning.

leadership of John B. Thompson Jr. of the First Baptist Church of Washington N.C. The audience joined in the singing of several carols.

The party was sponsored by the Mid-East Council on Aging.

steam and electric power; large solid-waste incinerators; Portland cement plants; nitric acid plants; and sulfuric acid plants.

They apply to new plants or plant modifications started after last Aug. 17, when the standards were first proposed.

Existing plants in these categories eventually will be governed by state controls implementing national standards.

While noting that the new-plant standards themselves would not eliminate existing pollution, Ruckelshaus called them "the kind of preventive medicine that we have not been applying in the past and that is so necessary if we are to have clean air in this country."

The Environmental Protection Agency said the standards would increase the product cost from new and modified steam generators up to a maximum of 9 per cent, but less in most cases.

Air pollution commissioner John T. Middleton said the standards would add only about \$1 a year to the average household electric bill, which is \$132.

The new incinerator controls would increase the cost of service per person less than \$1 a year for a city-sized unit burning 100 tons of solid waste daily, EPA said.

Product costs for new Portland cement plants will go up about 5 per cent; nitric acid plants about 1 per cent on ammonium nitrate; and sulfuric acid plants 5 per cent.

New steam boilers, under the standards, may emit no more than about 2.5 per cent of the smoke and dust commonly emitted by such plants today. Their sulfur compound emissions could be no more than about 11 per cent of present levels, and their nitrogen oxide emissions some 35 per cent of present amounts.

Incinerators burning more than 50 tons per day of solid waste are covered, but special-purpose incinerators are not. The standards limit emissions from new and modified incinerators to about 8 per cent as much smoke and dust as an uncontrolled plant.

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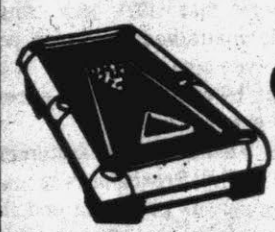
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White House Cites Foreign Policy Achievements

By KENNETH J. FREED
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House looked back over 1971 today and pointed to its new China policy, the continued winding down of the Vietnam war and the movement toward international economic reforms as its major foreign policy achievements during the year.

In releasing a year-end review on the status of administration policy, White House aide Herbert Klein said 1971 "was a highly significant year, a year that set trends for the next 10 to 15 years, a year of changes bold and strong."

The 30-page position paper naturally stressed what the administration figures to be its strong points. It was described by another presidential aide, Clark MacGregor, as "an honest, put-your-best-foot-forward piece."

There were, however, acknowledgments by MacGregor

and Klein in a briefing with reporters that 1971 saw some goals unattained in foreign policy, even some losses.

But by-and-large, the accent was positive.

In Vietnam, the statement said, "The President was carrying out his pledge to end the American involvement in a way that would contribute to a larger and a lasting peace."

"By year's end, he had cut the number of American troops in Vietnam to less than a third of what it was when he took office, while the number of Americans killed in action had been cut from almost 300 per week to less than 10 and he was able to announce on Nov. 12 that the American offensive ground combat role had ended."

This indicated, Klein said, "that the great success of Vietnamization was a hallmark of the year 1971."

Because of these achieve-

ments, the statement went on, "There now exists reasonable expectation that President Nixon's 'one irreducible objective' is nearing attainment, namely that the South Vietnamese will be able to determine their own

political future."

But it was in Vietnam policy that the White House officials acknowledged an effort had fallen short—obtaining the release of American prisoners held by North Vietnam.

War Exercises Set In Maine

WASHINGTON (AP) — Troops of the 22nd Marine Amphibious Unit base at Camp Lejeune, N.C., will participate with the Navy in a winter war exercise in Maine next month.

The exercise, named "Snowy Beach," will test the Atlantic fleet's ability to operate in bad weather. A total of 33 warships and 900 Marines will be involved.

An amphibious landing at Reid State Park will be a highlight of the Jan. 17-27 exercise, the Navy said Tuesday.

In pridefully underlining the relaxation of tensions with China the statement reviewed the steps involved, beginning with Nixon's advocacy—as far back as his vice presidential day—of a flexible, albeit careful, policy toward Peking.

The payoff came, the review said, with "the dramatic announcement on July 15 that he (Nixon) would visit the People's Republic of China."

The review was perhaps as notable for what it didn't deal with, or the areas barely mentioned, as for accomplishments listed.

There was nothing said concerning Nixon's problems in Laos and Cambodia, nor of U.S.

disputes with Chile and Cuba.

And, against the seven paragraphs devoted to China policy, only two were written about U.S.-European relations and none concerned Canada.

Nixon faced serious overseas economic problems in 1971, mostly due to hangovers from the previous administration, the review said, adding:

When his early solutions weren't working fast or well enough, he suspended the convertibility of dollars into gold, imposed a 10-per-cent surtax on imports and demanded reform of the world monetary system.

According to Klein, MacGregor and the review's authors, the President has achieved many of his goals or has opened negotiations on others, including a revaluation of world currencies, devaluation of the dollar, new trade policies and a turning of the adverse American trade and balance-of-payments positions.

Major gains were claimed for the United States in negotiations for a strategic arms limitation agreement with the Soviet Union and in opening a po-

tentially large Russian market for U.S. agriculture.

The signing of the four-party treaty on Berlin and the treaty to give Okinawa back to Japan were also noted as signaling strong successes for U.S. foreign policy.

Klein would not admit when questioned that the U.S. position in the recent India-Pakistan war was a setback for American diplomacy, although "it is not a plus" anytime fighting breaks out.

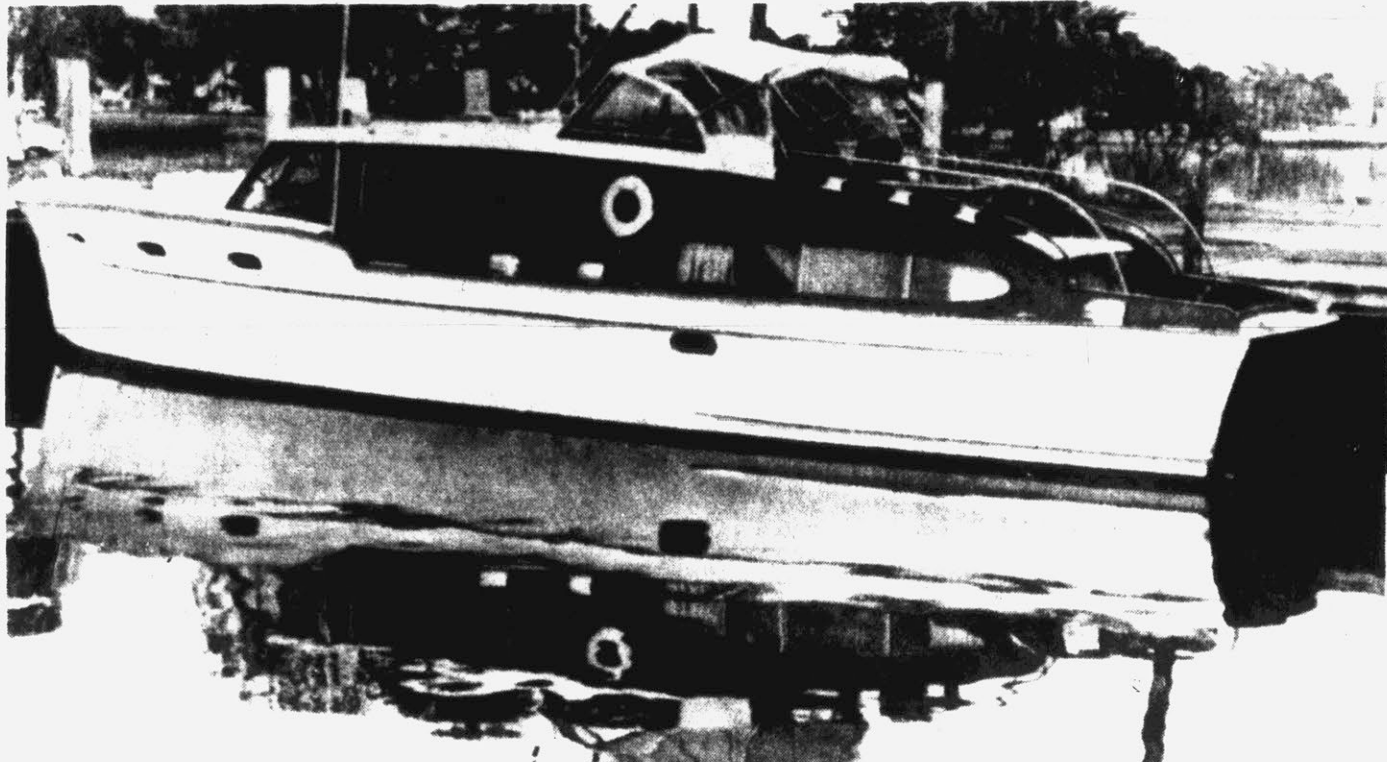
He also said there was no failure in U.S. Mideast policy in spite of the inability of the administration to bring about its year-long effort for an interim settlement between the Arabs and Israelis.

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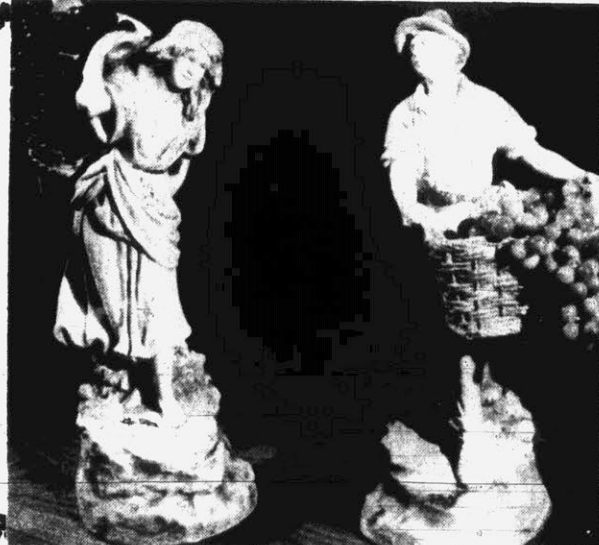
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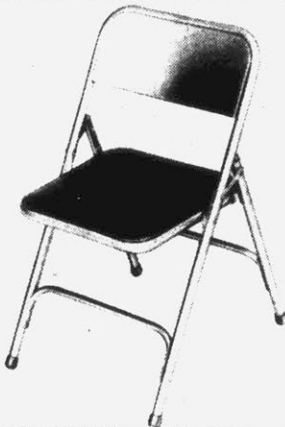


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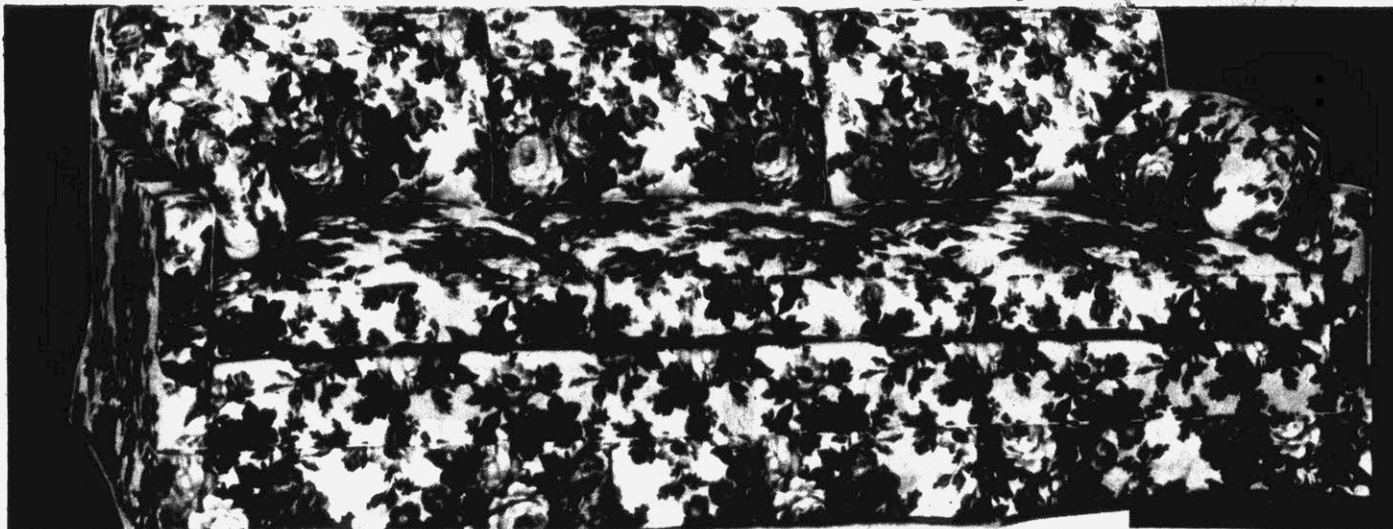


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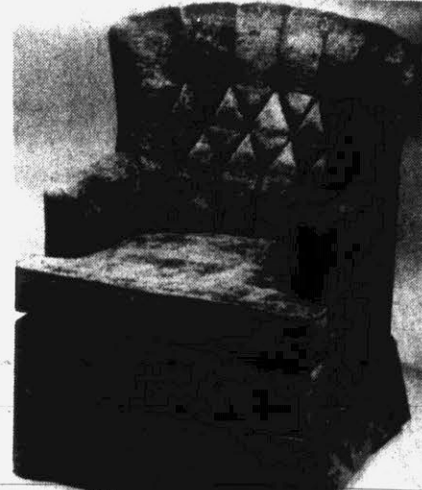
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Farmville Central Girls

Members of the Farmville Central girls basketball team are, first row, left to right: Linda Anderson, Delane O'Brian, Dewanda Davis, Sheri Von Schritlz, Cathy Suggs; second row, Naomi Anderson, Debbie

Everett, Sylvia Ellis, Pam Monk, Judy Mewborn; third row, Loren Anderson, Darlene Joyner, Beth Fields, Edna Fields, Doris Edwards. (Reflector Photo)

1971-72 Season Is Rebuilding One For Farmville Central Girls

By WOODY PEELE
Reflector Sports Editor
(28th of a series)

FARMVILLE — Farmville Central High School is a new entity this year, encompassing two former schools, and to go with the newness the Lady Jaguars basketball team has a new coach.

He's not new to Farmville, however, having played football here several years back. He's Ivey Smith.

But while he's new, so are a lot of the girls on the team. "We really don't have a whole lot of experience," Smith said. "I'm not real sure about how many starters there are back, nor how many lettermen there are. I didn't want to be influenced by someone else's style of play."

There are 15 girls out for the team, including three freshmen, seven sophomores, three juniors and two seniors. "Only a couple of them have played a great deal. We're real young, but we're improving. We still have a lot of work to do, however," Smith said.

"I think you could definitely call this a rebuilding year."

Despite the fact that the Jaguars have a 6-0 girl in Darlene Joyner, Smith feels they are short overall. "Everyone we've played so far has been taller than we are. Aside from Darlene the rest of the girls are all short."

Because of this rebounding is a problem. "It's something we have to work on. We're learning here. We've stressed it, and it's beginning to improve. Missing as many shots as we do, we've got to start getting second shots."

The speed of the team is one of the bright spots. "We're not exceptionally fast, but we have a few who are real quick. Desire has a lot to do with this. We want to win, and we've been able to run some because of this. We want to do more later, but we've got to start getting more rebounds first."

Smith said that the shooting has looked good in practice, but not so good during the games. He

feels that this is an experience problem. "We have a few good outside shots," he said. "They are Dewanda Davis, Sherry Von Schritlz and Debbie Everett. These three show good potential."

Defensively, the Jaguars had played a zone for the most part. "We'll probably stick with this for a while. There are other things we need to work on more, and so far the zone is doing a pretty good job."

Smith, like most of the girls' coaches, likes the five-girl, full-court rules of this year. "It's easier to coach, and a lot more interesting for fans," Smith said.

He's currently starting Naomi

Anderson, Dewanda Davis, Judy Mewborn, Pam Monk and either Delane O'Brien or Debbie Everett.

Top reserves include Miss Von Schritlz and Linda Anderson.

But things do not look good as far as any title hopes the Jaguars might have. "Unless we improve a lot, we probably won't be in the race this time. But when we get consistent, we could give some of the teams a good game. Nearly everyone in the league is tough, but North Pitt is the best."

"I'm glad they are requiring all members of the league to have teams. When you're down like us, it helps to have two new teams in the league."

North Lenoir Stuns Jaguars

FARMVILLE — North Lenoir High School swept a pair of games from Farmville Central last night in the Eastern Carolina Conference. The Hawks took their game, 62-54, while their girls won, 33-11.

In the girls game, North Lenoir jumped off to an 8-0 lead in the first period and were never threatened by Farmville Central. In the second quarter, Farmville was outlaid, 8-5, and fell behind by 16-5 at the half.

North Lenoir continued to pull away throughout the final half. They outlaid the Lady Jaguars, 8-6, in the third quarter, and led, 24-11 as the final period opened. Farmville again went scoreless in the final period, while North Lenoir added nine to its total.

Beverly Sermon led North Lenoir with 16 points.

In the boys contest, Farmville fell behind in the early minutes and trailed most of the way. North Lenoir pushed through 20 points in the opening period, while the Jaguars could manage only 12. In the second frame, the scoring was a little closer, but the Hawks still managed, to outlaid the Jaguars, 15-12. That put North Lenoir into a 35-24 lead at the half.

Farmville put together a rally in the third period, outscoring North Lenoir, 20-10. That cut the lead back to 45-44, but it was as

close as the Jaguars could come. North Lenoir outscored them, 17-10, in the final period to claim the victory.

Charles Cratch led the Hawks with 22 points, while Joe Keyes added 10.

For Farmville Central, Robert Tripp had 15 and McCoy Williams had 12.

JV — North Lenoir 72, Farmville Central 46
Girl's Game

North Lenoir — Sermon 16, Nobles, Wynns 4, King, Letchworth 6, Jones 1, Cunningham 2, Hines 2, Burney 2, Turner, Benson

Farmville Central — Monk, Davis 2, Mewborn 5, O'Brien, N. Anderson 1, Von Schritlz 2, Everett 1, Ellis, B. Fields, Joyner, Supps. L. Anderson

North Lenoir 6 8 8 9-33
Farmville Central 0 5 4 9-11

Farmville C. G F T N. Lenoir
Resberry 0 4 4 Keyes 5 0 10
Hunter 1 3 5 Herring 2 2 6
Carmen 0 1 1 Cratch 9 4 22
Bunch 3 3 9 Pope 4 1 9
Williams 4 4 12 Combs 3 0 6
R. Tripp 6 3 15 Hines 1 0 2
C. Tripp 4 0 8 Williams 1 2 4
Johnson 0 0 0 Gaulder 1 1 3
Venters 0 0 0 Totals 26 10 62

North Lenoir 20 15 10 17-42
Farmville Central 12 12 20 10-34

Conley Vikings Move Back On Top With Victory Over Aycock

By CHIP LAMBETH
Reflector Sports Writer

HOLLYWOOD — D. H. Conley's Vikings came roaring back after last week's upset loss to Southern Nash and thoroughly crushed the Falcons of C. B. Aycock 83-56. Both the Conley girls and J.V.'s won also.

After the J.V.'s dumped the Aycock junior varsity 67-32, the girls began their rout of the Lady Falcons, 42-18. After a slow first quarter, the Valkuries began to run away with the game. They held the Lady Falcons to just four points in the second quarter and the Conley defense held the Aycock girls to no points in the third.

The Valkuries got off to a quick start as June Hall hit with less than a minute gone. Madge Dews sank a layup to make the lead four. Phyllis Parnell got Aycock on the board with a tap-in with 2:50 left in the quarter. Annanel Worthington sank a free throw but Parnell made a three point play to tie it up. She got the lead for the Lady Falcons a minute later as she sank a charity shot.

Parnell fouled Hall as Hall was bringing the ball down-court. She hit the free throw to tie it up again with :50 left.

Dews stole the ball after the Lady Falcons controlled the tap. Hall hit a long jumper from the corner to retake the lead with 30 seconds gone in the period. Dews drew a foul a few seconds later and her shot was good to make it 9-6. Worthington sank two free throws with 5:44 showing to give the Valkuries their biggest lead of the game.

Treva Howell hit from under the basket to pull within three but Glenda Denton hit a field goal to put the lead back at five. After Worthington made a free shot, Phyllis Vail hit from outside. Worthington connected on another free throw and dumped in a basket from underneath to give the Valkuries a 19-10 half-time lead.

The Conley girls pumped in five straight buckets before the Lady Falcons realized what was happening. Worthington, Dews, June Hall, and Jane Hall each scored giving the Valkuries a 29-10 lead with 4:07 left in the third quarter. Dews scored on a fast break and made a free shot with three minutes left for a 12 point lead. She stole the ball twice in

the next minute and a half sinking easy layups each time. Dews added three straight charity shots for a 39-10 lead going into the final period.

Jane Hall took the tap from Worthington and dumped in a lay-up in the opening minute of the fourth quarter. Mary Peacock hit a free throw for the first Falcon point in over eight minutes. Parnell hit on a free throw but after that the Conley second string came in and ran out the clock for the Valkuries seventh win against one loss. That was against the Big Orange Machine of North Pitt.

Dews led all scorers with 17 points. June Hall had nine as did Worthington.

The first quarter of the boys' game started out much like the first period of the previous game. David Pugh got the Vikings an early lead as he tapped in a missed shot with 19 seconds gone in the quarter. Aycock's Charlie Lewis drove through the key to get two points, tying it up. Pugh scored another tap-in to put Conley back out in front. James Fleming threw a perfect pass to Larry Daniels under the basket and Daniels laid it in for a 6-2 lead with 5:40 to go.

Pugh swished one in from outside. Whit Whitley hit for the Falcons cutting the lead to four. Daniels made a three point play with 4:48 showing on the clock to put Conley in front at 11-4. Thurman Hobbs got two points on an off-balance shot with 4:25 remaining and Robbie Wooten sank a free throw. The Vikings got a basket from Daniels but Aycock hit three straight shots to tie it up with 1:22 left in the frame. Tommy Roach got the lead back for the Vikings on a lay-up but Hobbs sank a pair of free throws to retie it.

A free shot by Lewis gave the Falcons their only lead of the night. Three consecutive charity shots and a basket put the Vikings back in the lead with 14 seconds to play in the quarter.

In the second period, Conley held the Falcons to just six points while dumping in 24. The Vikings were led in the frame by the free throw shooting of Dwight Hawkins and the play of guard Fleming. At the half Aycock trailed by 18 at 44-26.

The Vikings took up right where they left off as they increased their lead to 55-22 with

4:40 left in the quarter. The Conley second team came in and did not let up on the Falcons who were too far behind to get up any kind of rally going. At the end of the third period it was all Conley's ball game, 63-35.

The Falcons out-scored the Vikings in the last period by one point but as far as the score was concerned, it was all over.

For the visiting Falcons Lewis had 14 points, Whitley had 13, and Hobbs had 12.

Hawkins led all the scorers with 21 points. Daniels pumped in 17 and Pugh had 15.

The win makes the Vikings 7-1 on the season. The girls are 7-1 also while the J.V.'s remain unbeaten at 8-0.

JV — CB Aycock 35, Conley 67
Aycock — Peacock 3, Kearney, Parnell 9, Dvis, Howell 2, Vail 2, Ju. Evans, Ja. Evans, Maples, Whitford, McClenny, Pitt 2, Artis, Bass
Conley — Dews 17, Ju. Hall 9, Ja. Hall 4, Worthington 9, Denton 2, Bryant, Cayton, Simpson, Lassiter, Williams, Allen 1, Porter, Barrett, Taft

6 4 8 8-18
CB Aycock 6 12 26 3-42

Boy's Game

Aycock	G F T	Conley	G F T
Stafford	0 0 0	Pugh	5 5 15
Whitley	5 3 13	D. Hawkins	8 5 21
Wooten	1 1 3	Daniels	7 3 17
Lewis	4 6 14	Wilkes	3 0 6
Hobbs	5 2 12	Fleming	1 0 2
Simms	2 0 4	K. Hawkins	1 0 2
Cox	0 0 0	B. Thompson	0 0 0
Howell	0 1 1	Tyson	0 0 0
Lynch	2 1 5	Sutton	1 1 3
Winbon	1 0 2	Roach	2 0 4
Durham	1 0 2	T. Thompson	0 0 0
Totals	21 14 56	Carmen	0 0 0
		Mills	3 0 6
		Averette	0 2 2
		E. Hawkins	2 1 5
		Totals	33 17 62

CB Aycock 16 10 9 21-54
Conley 26 24 19 28-63

Randle Signs All-American

East Carolina University today announced the signing of three junior college football players to grants-in-aid, including one Junior College All-American.

Heading the list is Stuart Christian, a 6-1, 235-pound linebacker. While playing at Chowan for the past two years, Christian became one of the most sought-after defensive players in the country, having over 100 colleges recruiting him. Last season, he was named as the Defensive Player of the Year in the Coastal Conference.

Xmas Day Protests

—ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) — Gov. Wendell Anderson says he will ask for legislation prohibiting professional teams from playing games before 6 p.m. on Christmas Day.

Anderson sent a telegram Tuesday to Pete Rozelle, National Football League commissioner, to protest Saturday's National Conference semifinal between the Minnesota Vikings and Dallas Cowboys.

"Christmas Day is a most sacred day to many Minnesotans," Anderson said in the telegram. "More than any other day of the year, it is a family day."

The noontime start, Anderson said, "cannot help but be destructive to such traditions."

Jim Finks, general manager of the Vikings, said his office had tried for as long as a month to have the playoff game, if it was to be played in Minnesota, scheduled on Sunday.

The Minnesota North Stars of the National Hockey League play the New York Rangers Christmas Night.

Other All-Americans on the rosters include defensive backs Tom Myers of Syracuse and Tommy Casanova of LSU and linebacker Dave Chaney of San Jose State.

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Duke Tackles Dayton Tonight

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Dayton and Duke basketball teams, who play at Duke tonight, usually have impressive records, but that's not the case so far this season.

Dayton is 2-4 after losing its last two games by seven points each. The Flyers are shooting only 39 per cent from the floor. Their leading scorer is Don Smith, who is averaging 14.7.

Duke is 3-3 and in its last game, Saturday, defeated Wake Forest 70-58 in the consolation game of the North Carolina Big Four Tournament. Richie O'Connor was the leading scorer with 24 points.

Besides Duke, two other Atlantic Coast Conference teams, both nationally ranked, play tonight. North Carolina, 5-1 and No. 4, plays in a three-day international round-robin tournament in Madrid, Spain, and opens against Juventud of Barcelona, Maryland, No. 15, meets Holy Cross at Hampton, Va. Then the Terps will take a week's rest before opening in their own invitation tournament next Thursday.

Maryland is 5-1 and defeated Baltimore Loyola 73-60 Monday night with Howard White scoring 17 points and Jim O'Brien 15.

Four ACC teams played Tuesday night.

Undeclared Virginia, ranked 18th nationally, won its seventh game, 93-58 over Richmond, in the Roanoke, Va., Basketball Classic. The Cavaliers cleared their bench as they drove to a 40-24 halftime lead. Barry Parkhill had 31 points for Virginia.

Wake Forest lost to Yale 85-75. The Deacons, down 17 points at the half, used a pressing defense to cut their deficit to six late in the game. Each team now is 2-4. Scott Michel and Mike Baskauskas had 26 points apiece for Yale and Willie Griffin was high for Wake Forest with 16.

North Carolina State shot 58.8 per cent in defeating Davidson 79-67 for its fifth victory against two losses. The Wolfpack had five players in double figures, led by Steve Nuce with 17 and Joe Cafferky with 15.

Cincinnati routed Clemson 93-64 at Cincinnati. The home team raced to a 42-15 lead midway in the first period and relied mainly on reserves thereafter. Clemson was led by Mike Browning and Denny Oddle, who had 15 points apiece.

Cincinnati is 4-2, and Clemson is 2-2.

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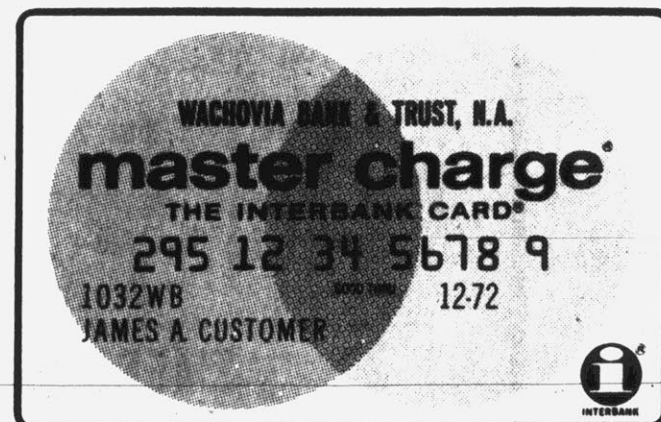


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Wishbone Offense Put Bear Back On Top

By WILL GRIMSLEY
AP Special Correspondent

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. (AP) — A visitor to this hotbed of Dixie football gets the message quickly—blaring out from red

automobile bumper stickers and placards in drug store windows:

"The Bear is Back!"

Back from where? It's back from mere football respect-

ability to national title contention again for Paul W. "Bear" Bryant, the tough whip hand of the Alabama Crimson Tide and the man with the most victories of all active college football coaches.

There were whispers that the game might be passing the old master by when the Tide experienced three straight lackluster seasons, starting in 1968, with 20 victories in 33 games. Rumors were rampant that the Bear might be thinking of retirement.

The Bear showed them. Abandoning old and well-trenched patterns and techniques, Bryant installed the Wishbone-T formation three weeks before the start of the season and proceeded to coach Alabama to a perfect 11-0 season, No. 2 in the national rankings and a shot at top-ranked Nebraska in the Jan. 1 Orange Bowl.

"We weren't winning with what we were doing, so we had to go to something different," the tall, 58-year-old native of Fordyce, Ark., said as he discussed the transition from behind a mahogany desk in Alabama's \$6 million Sports Coliseum.

"I went to Dallas to talk to Darrell Royal (the Texas coach who is credited with popu-

larizing the formation). Then Darrell came to Tuscaloosa to give a clinic. I made up my mind. We were going to the Wishbone."

The rest is a matter of record. Alabama stunned Southern Cal, a 14-point favorite, 17-10 in the season opener. Then it went on to sweep past 10 other foes, climaxing the season with a 31-7 triumph over Auburn and its Heisman Trophy winner, Pat Sullivan.

Observers noted distinguishing marks other than the Wishbone in the revived Alabama team. Instead of small, quick men—a Bryant trademark—the 1971 squad was peopled by big, quick men. Two black athletes held down key posts.

"You can't call me a wishbone man," Bryant said. "Formations don't win football games, players do. We simply adopted a formation that seemed better adapted to our material—and, fortunately, it worked."

The keys to Alabama's Wishbone success have been Terry

Davis, a frail-looking 173-pound junior quarterback, and a trio of bullish ball-carriers, hard-running Johnny Musso, Joe LaBue and Steve Biscaglia.

"It took a lot of guts for that man to make the move," said Sam Bailey, Bryant's top aide for the last 15 years. "It was like taking all your life's savings and dumping it on an oil well that might or might not hit."

Bryant has struck oil, so to speak, at every place he has coached. In his 27 years at Maryland, Kentucky, Texas A&M and Alabama, he took run-down, rag-a-muffin teams and turned them into instant winners. He suffered only one losing season. His teams have won 210 games, more than those of any other active coach. The rest of the record is 66 losses and 16 ties.

Coaching associates and players find it difficult to put a finger on the secret of Bryant's success.

"It's intangible—there's no way to describe it," says Musso, Alabama's biggest ground-

gainer. "He's a great man and you feel it every time you get in his presence."

Bryant, speaking in a slow Southern drawl, soft-sells his own contributions to Alabama's success, referring to himself as "chairman of the board."

He has become something of a national personality with television audiences because of the worried demeanor and hound's tooth checkered hat he wears on the sidelines. The hat constantly is being snatched by souvenir hunters. Mississippi State holds the hat-stealing record, having grabbed one each of the last five years.

Bryant can afford to replace them. He is preparing to sign a contract with a hat company. He owns a Volkswagen agency in Tuscaloosa, is part owner of a meat-packing company, on the board of directors of an Alabama bank and insurance company, has real estate holdings in Alabama and Texas, does a TV show and endorses a soft drink and potato chips.

A millionaire with nothing else to prove as a coach, Bryant says he has no desire to enter the professional field or to retire on his laurels.

"I get a thrill every time I go to practice," he said.

Unbeaten Virginia Runs To 83-58 Win Over UR

By BERT ROSENTHAL

Associated Press Sports Writer

Yes, Virginia, the Cavaliers will enjoy Christmas. "People are going to ask how we're doing and it's going to be fun telling them we're 7-0 and ranked 18th in the country," said high-scoring Barry Parkhill after leading Virginia to an 83-58 rout over Richmond Tuesday night in the Roanoke Basketball Classic.

Leading only 28-20 with 5:40 remaining in the first half, the Cavaliers were told by Coach Bill Gibson to forget patience and run. "I wanted them to run," said Gibson.

The Cavaliers ran ... running away from the Spiders by outscoring them 31-3 during one stretch of the second half.

Parkhill finished with 31 points, while Scott McCandlish had 19 points and 12 rebounds.

Virginia Military won the second game in the Roanoke Classic, edging Virginia Tech 57-56.

Marquette, the nation's No. 2 team, stretched its home court winning streak to 61, downing Minnesota 55-40 behind Bob Lackey's 22 points.

Minnesota Coach Bill Musselman said the Gophers were in-

timidated by Marquette's 6-foot-11 Jim Chones.

Long Beach State, rated sixth, whipped UC-Riverside 96-78 behind 6-foot-11 Nate Stephens' 24 points and 20 rebounds. The victory was the 49ers' sixth in seven outings. Sam Cash kept Riverside in contention with 24 points.

Ohio University, ranked 17th, lost its second game, in two nights, bowing to Detroit 84-77 in the consolation game of the Michigan Invitational Tournament. Toledo won the title, beating Michigan 88-72.

Louisville, the No. 19 team, rode Jim Price's career high of 32 points to its fourth straight victory after an opening season setback, an 89-70 decision over Alabama.

Don Haskins gained his 200th victory as coach at Texas-El Paso as the Miners blasted Colorado 83-57 for their eighth triumph in nine games this season.

Colorado State knocked Texas Christian from the unbeaten ranks, handing the Horned Frogs their first setback in five games 109-78.

North Carolina State shot 58.8 per cent from the field and

whipped Davidson 79-67. Sophomore Andy Rimel's 26 points helped Princeton hold off a late Stanford rally and nip the Indians 88-85.

Bob Ford pumped in 31 points and Bill Franklin added 22, leading Purdue to an 88-62 romp over San Jose State. Rick Williams' 28 points paced Iowa to an 86-77 victory over Nebraska.

Lionel Harris, a second-string transfer from Miami of Florida, broke loose for 29 points as Cincinnati crushed Clemson 93-64. Mike Baskauskas who hit 11 of 12 field goal attempts, and Scott Michel each scored 26 points, pacing Yale to an 85-75 triumph over Wake Forest.

Connecticut, behind sophomore Gary Cusick's 22 points and 14 rebounds, defeated Columbia 68-62.

Utah Gets 15th Win

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Life for the Dallas Chaparrals of the American Basketball Association is getting monotonous—especially when they play the Utah Stars.

The Chaps took a 106-96 licking from the Stars Tuesday night—Dallas' 15th consecutive loss to Utah.

In other ABA action, Kentucky nipped Pittsburgh 113-111, and Denver whipped Indiana 113-108.

Zelmo Beaty poured in 35 points and Glen Combs added 25—23 in the second half—as the Stars overcame a 12-point third quarter deficit to whip the Chaps. It was the 20th time in their last 21 meetings that Utah has beaten Dallas.

Donnie Freeman led the Chaps with 26 points and went over the 7,000-point mark for his career.

Kentucky overcame a fourth-quarter Pittsburgh rally to whip the Condors. Walt Simon scored four points in the final 1:46 of play as the Colonels strung six straight points to seal the victory.

Dan Issel led the Colonels with 32 points while George Thompson's 27 was tops for the Condors.

Denver's third-quarter rally overcame a 24-point Indiana lead and moved the Rockets past the Pacers.

Denver turned to a running game in the third quarter and outscored the Pacers 43-20 in that session. Ralph Simpson hit 15 of his 29 points during the Rockets' hot stretch.

Roger Brown's 36 points for the Pacers was game-high.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

No team in the modern history of professional sports has won more games in a row than the National Basketball Association's Los Angeles Lakers have hung up this season.

The amazing Lakers ran their NBA record string of victories to 26 Tuesday night with a 117-103 victory over the Buffalo Braves, but it wasn't as easy as the score makes it sound.

Los Angeles had to come from behind after trailing the Braves by as much as 15 points. Jerry West and Walt Chamberlain combined for 40 second-half points to key the Laker rally.

Elsewhere in the NBA Tuesday night, Chicago blitzed Detroit 127-92, Phoenix defeated Philadelphia 124-119, Houston took Portland 132-119 and New York whipped Golden State 113-87.

The Lakers' 26 victories in a row matches the mark established by baseball's New York Giants in 1916. The team is 32-3 for the season and has not lost since Oct. 31. LA was the first team in NBA history to go through an entire month—November—without a loss. Now they're hoping to make it two months.

LA trailed 55-45 at halftime against the Braves and Buffalo Coach Johnny McCarthy said, "we had the game in our hands."

But the Lakers outscored Buffalo 43-22 in the third period to take control. "We got impatient in the third quarter," said McCarthy. "We gave them a chance to run. You've got to be deliberate, make your shots and stop their running."

"We didn't do a lot right in the first half," admitted Gail

Goodrich, who had 12 points in the third period and 20 for the game. Chamberlain's 33 and 31 by West paced the LA attack.

Rookie Randy Smith had 26 and Walt Hazzard 24 for Buffalo. Los Angeles goes for No. 27 tonight in Baltimore.

Bob Love pumped in 28 points and Chicago had five shooters in double figures to rip Detroit. Chicago ran off a string of 14 points to Detroit's three over one two-minute span in the third quarter to take control of the game for good. Bull rookie Howard Porter scored all of his 14 points in the final period.

Phoenix rallied twice to wipe out Philadelphia. First the Suns made the final five baskets of the third quarter to take a 94-89 lead and then they rallied again after the 76ers regained the lead in the final period.

Paul Silas led the Suns with 29 points followed by Connie Hawkins' 28. Bob Rule's 26 was best for Philadelphia.

Elyin Hayes poured in 44 points, 14 of them in the third period, to lead Houston past Portland.

Hayes' sharp shooting kept the Rockets in front although Portland did close the gap to three points, 106-103 on the shooting of Geoff Petrie and Stan McKenzie. But Cliff Meely and Stu Lantz sewed it up with four straight baskets. Lantz finished with 22 and Meely 19 points.

McKenzie and Sidney Wicks had 24 each for Portland.

Walt Frazier and Dick Barnett combined for 45 points to lead the Knicks past the Warriors.

Frazier collected 15 of his 27 points in the second half as when the Knicks iced the verdict with nine straight points halfway through the fourth quarter. Barnett finished with 18 points, 10 in the third period as New York built a 20-point lead.

Nate Thurmond topped the Warriors with 20 points 19 rebounds.

Bierly Leads Furman Drive

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Furman's defending Southern Conference basketball champions have won four of five starts over-all this season despite a series of injuries and illnesses that have kept three starters out of the lineup at one time or another, and a lot of credit for their success must go to Bud Bierly.

"We were really surprised that he rebounded as well as he did last season," when the 6-foot-6, 190-pounder led the freshman squad, says Furman coach Joe Williams. "We thought he might be our second or third leading rebounder, but not first."

Bierly was figured to be second or third again as he began his first varsity season, but once again he has emerged as the Paladins' top retriever — and he's even better than last year.

Where Bierly averaged 13.3 rebounds per game as a freshman, he's picked off an average of 15.2 in the Paladins' first five games and has been the top rebounder in every game. Not only that, but Bierly is Furman's No. 2 scorer with an average of 14.8 points per encounter.

"Bud has improved tremendously since coming to Furman," Williams says. "The biggest thing going for him is his attitude. He's got the attitude of the ideal player, never complaining and always getting the job done."

Furman closes out pre-Christmas play tonight with a noncon-

ference clash at Georgia Tech. Tonight's only other action has league-leading William and Mary, 2-4 over-all, at Rice to wind up a three-game road trip on which the Indians have lost their first two starts.

Virginia Military's Keydets turned in the Tuesday night shocker by upsetting Virginia Tech's Gobblers 57-56 in the second game of the Roanoke Classic after Richmond's Spiders had taken a 93-58 whipping in the opener from Virginia's unbeaten Cavaliers, the nation's No. 18 team.

The Keydet triumph was the only one in three tries for league teams, for Davidson's Wildcats dropped a 79-67 decision to N.C. State. Sophomore Steve Nuce had 17 points for the Wolfpack, which shot 58.8 per cent to Davidson's 35.5. John Falconi led the Wildcats with 18 points.

VMI hit 44 per cent, its best showing of the season, in beating Virginia Tech, which shot just 31 per cent. Trailing 25-21 at intermission, the Keydets caught up at 50-50 and took the lead for good on Rod Brewer's field goal and Charlie Tyler's free throw. Tyler and Tech's Allan Bristow each had 19 points, and Bristow grabbed 21 rebounds.

Once Virginia opened up late in the first half, the Cavaliers tore Richmond apart. From a 28-20 lead they spurted over one stretch in the second half. Virginia's Barry Parkhill had 31 points, Richmond's Gus Collier 22.

Colts Angry About Reports

BALTIMORE (AP) — The Baltimore Colts are upset about published reports concerning their upset loss to the New England Patriots.

After the Patriots won 21-17 on Sunday, some sources suggested the Colts may have lost because they wanted to meet Cleveland instead of Kansas City in the first round of the National Football League playoffs.

In an official statement issued Tuesday, Baltimore General Manager Don Klosterman said the stories had permitted the "integrity of the Colts and of pro football in general to be questioned through innuendo and distortion."

"The idea that the world champions would give less than a full effort in order to gain a supposed advantage in playoff competition is repugnant to everyone associated with the Colts, a team widely known as one of character," Klosterman said.

The loss, the statement pointed out, cost Baltimore a possible home field advantage in the American Football Conference title game and prevented "numerous Colt players and coaches from receiving bonus payments which had been promised them contractually if Baltimore had won the Eastern Division title."

Baltimore led the AFC East by one-half game prior to Sunday, but dropped behind Miami when the Dolphins beat Green Bay while the Colts were losing to New England.

As a result, Miami and Kansas City's Western Division winners, each with a 10-3-1 record, will meet in the first round Saturday. The Colts, 10-4, will play Cleveland's Central Division winners, 9-5, on Sunday. Had Miami lost last Sun-

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EIGHT REGULAR FOES
UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. (AP) — Penn State's football schedules for the next four seasons include annual games against Navy, Iowa, Army, Syracuse, West Virginia, Maryland, North Carolina State and Pitt.

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Pres. Nixon Achieved Most Key Legislative Aims

By EDMOND LeBRETON
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon has achieved most of his major legislative aims and the two big items in suspense—welfare reform and revenue sharing—will be enacted next year, two of his top spokesmen say.

The prediction came in the course of a review of Nixon's third year in office by Herbert G. Klein, White House chief of communications, and Clark MacGregor, head lobbyist in

Congress for administration proposals.

Klein told newsmen the year was one of "bold changes ... whose effect will be felt for 10 years."

Among domestic achievements, Klein cited enactment of the \$15.8 billion tax-cut bill and Social Security benefit increases, programs to fight cancer, sickle cell anemia and drug abuse, environmental legislation, attention to minorities both in legislation and executive appointments. "A major appeal to young people" who received the right to vote at 18 and stimulation of the long-lagging housing industry.

Welfare reform, which Nixon once listed at the top of his domestic priorities, has been stalled in the Senate Finance Committee since the House passed it early this year.

But MacGregor said the committee chairman, Sen. Russell B. Long, D-La., has given assurances that the bill will be moved out before March 1 for Senate action.

The provision for a federal guarantee of income for needy families may not be in the bill when the committee reports it, MacGregor acknowledged, but he indicated the administration is optimistic about the chances of restoring it on the Senate floor or in the House-Senate conference.

MacGregor said he is not discouraged by the fact that Congress, in the closing days of its session, enacted one feature of the bill that appealed to conservatives and might have swung some votes for the whole measure had it not been passed separately. That provision

has been passed separately. That provision

Doty Named To New Job

RALEIGH (AP) — A former Army officer who directed staff work on state government reorganization will become director of fiscal research for North Carolina's Legislative Services Commission.

Mercer Doty, 48, was named Tuesday to the \$21,600-a-year post. The 1971 legislature authorized the new post to provide the General Assembly with its own watchdog over state government spending.

Doty broke into the news several weeks ago when Gov. Bob Scott ordered him moved from a state government reorganization post because he declined to hire an aide recommended by Scott. Doty was transferred and became a "management analyst" in the Department of Administration, retaining his \$17,500-a-year salary.

He had headed the government reorganization staff since May 1970.

The Legislative Services Commission is a "between-sessions housekeeping unit of the General Assembly."

tightens requirements that able-bodied welfare recipients register for job training.

"Conservatives don't dominate the United States Senate," he said. "They do dominate the Finance Committee."

Nixon's proposal to share \$5 billion a year of federal income tax receipts with state and local governments has not been acted on by the House Ways and Means Committee, where such legislation must originate.

Chairman Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., has introduced a substitute involving about the same amount of money, but basing

distribution more on need and on the states' use of their own income taxes. The Mills bill also would keep congressional

Thad Eure Pays His Filing Fee

RALEIGH (AP) — Secretary of State Thad Eure is officially a candidate for re-election next year.

He paid the \$250 filing fee Tuesday to the state Board of Elections. The occasion marked the 35th anniversary since he took office as secretary of state.

strings on spending the money.

MacGregor said he has been informed that Mills assured Nixon the committee will act promptly next year on some version of the legislation.

Although he would not say the Mills plan was acceptable, MacGregor said the committee, in considering elements of both plans, might well come up with something superior to either. In any case, he said, he expects it to produce a bill Nixon could sign.

Asked whether he was predicting that both revenue sharing and welfare reform will be enacted in 1972, he replied that

he was.

In response to another question, MacGregor said he has changed his earlier assessment that the Democratic leadership of Congress was acting politically.

However, he described as blatantly political the Democrats' unsuccessful effort to enact a tax checkoff plan for financing presidential campaigns in time for the 1972 election.

MacGregor said that, despite that effort, "We have received less political and more constructive response than I expected ... I think we will get

a surprisingly high degree of cooperation from the Democratic Congress next year—at least for the first few months." MacGregor said a substantial increase in the defense budget for the year beginning July 1 is in the works, but that he could cite no figures for it yet.

Asked whether he shares the opinion expressed by some that the United States has fallen behind the Soviet Union in military strength, Klein said, "I have to agree that some ground has been lost because of the failure of the previous administration to develop new systems requiring long lead time."

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'Down With Santa' Plea

CHARLOTTE (AP) — "The Santa Claus myth makes liars out of parents and helps destroy the real meaning of Christmas," the Rev. James H. B. Kenyon, an Episcopal priest, says.

"It undercuts the loving trust children have in their parents," the Rev. Mr. Kenyon adds.

He made the charge in the current issue of a newsletter published by his church: St. Michael's and All Angels, and its affiliate, Christ the King Center.

The Rev. Mr. Kenyon asks: "Is not the Santa Claus lie one of the contributing factors to the degeneration of Christmas? Hasn't it put the emphasis on receiving presents rather than on giving gifts in the spirit of the great gift-giver?"

"Most of us, perhaps all, were introduced to Christmas by way of the Santa Claus lie. In fact, for most of us, Christmas was all about Santa Claus for many years — and for some of us it still seems to be so."

"Future generations of Christian children have grown up with the Santa Claus lie pounding the concept of Christmas as a time for 'getting,' thus making it a self-centered time rather than a time of joyful thanksgiving for the Incarnation."

"Why can't parents let their children know that they give the gifts because they are filled with joy and thanks and love for their children?"

Estimate 26 To Die In Traffic

CHARLOTTE (AP) — The North Carolina State Motor Club estimates 26 persons may be killed in North Carolina traffic during the Christmas holiday.

The club said today 800 persons might be injured in perhaps 1,400 accidents. The highway death toll will be counted for a 78-hour period from 6 p.m. Thursday through midnight Sunday.

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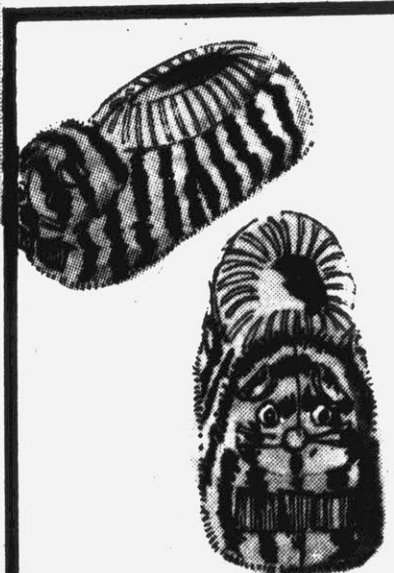
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'Gift' Is Nice Word, Says Cop; But 'Graft' Fits

By BERNARD GAVZER
AP Newsfeatures Writer

A thin, gray-haired woman hauls a two-wheeled shopping cart along the curbside; a beer truck driver, the stub of a chopped cigar smirching the middle of his face, piles cartons of six-packs on a dolly; a white-aproned grocer straightens a "Long Island potatoes—15

lb" sign on the bushels at the sidewalk entrance.

A common enough scene. Shoppers. Store owners. Delivery men. Passersby. All part of the tableau of a single side of the street of a single block in Manhattan. There are 14 neighborhood stores in the block.

This Christmas—if it is to be as Christmases past—these 14 stores will produce as much as \$1.575 in under-the-counter cash gifts for the police at the precinct station seven blocks away. It has a roster of around 400 men.

While at Christmas time, such money has the surface respectability of a "gift," the truth is that it is merely the annual fixture in the calendar of day-to-day gratuities that go into police pockets.

"That's a nice word to use for it," says a cop with 16 years in service and three citations. "It's graft. Why don't you call it what it is?"

Another policeman, an officer with long years in service who has been active in national police affairs and who has been privy to police behavior in numerous cities, says:

"This is the kind of hustling that really demeans you. You begin to make off to yourself that the free sandwiches, the special 'wholesale' prices for tires or suits or a kid's bike, the \$2 or \$5 put in your palm is all because someone really likes you personally. But then you come face to face with it, if you can, and you know that it's only because of the uniform and that there's something lousy about a job in which you have to have your hand out."

Periodically, special commissions or grand juries conduct investigations of police activity and uncover sensational crimes. But the kind of slow grinding way, the easy compromise with ethics and morals, that enmeshes policemen everywhere is that borderline graft between police and legitimate businessmen.

It can be illustrated in the experience of the Manhattan street with its 14 businesses. None of the businessmen or policemen would agree to use of their names or clues to their identity. But all—businessmen and policemen—assured that what is typical of this block is typical of many blocks, in Manhattan, in other New York boroughs, and across the Hudson River into the communities throughout America.

The stationery store and the grocery store are doing business before 7 a.m. The stationery owner usually gets to the store by 6 a.m. to unbuckle and stack the morning papers which had been dropped off during the night. The grocery also gets some drop-off deliveries on occasion. The police on tour generally check it out so someone doesn't run off with newspapers or other goods.

Also on the block is a pizza parlor; most of its business is over a counter opening onto the sidewalk. There's a flower shop which gets fairly good action in sales to visitors heading for a nearby hospital. There's a kosher delicatessen.

There's a hardware store; a beauty shop run by women; a liquor store that makes home deliveries until 10 p.m.; a tav-

ern; a dry cleaning store; a drug store whose owner-pharmacist claims he has put in 80-hour weeks for the last 20 years; an automatic laundry that seems never to be checked by anyone but which nevertheless seems pretty clean, and a paint supply store that sells house paint as well as artists' supplies.

Last Christmas, according to one longtime businessman, this one block produced a total of \$960 in cash for the police at the local precinct station.

The businessman gave this breakdown for the block: "This is averages. The formula usually goes one for the beat cop, double for the sergeant, double and a half for the lieutenant and triple for the captain. On Christmas, you got to figure at least \$5 for the cop. But that's six cops because in

the course of a year you have two cops on a tour and three tours a day. They rotate, day, night and overnight shifts every 28 days, so you get to deal with all three tours. Right?"

"So \$5 each is \$30. Three sergeants come in for \$10 each, so it's another \$30. Three lieutenants get \$12.50 each and the captain, who is the precinct commander, comes in for \$15, at least. That makes a total cash gift of \$1,575 from one block. Only as far as I can figure, the pizza parlor was way down, the confections store was down because of a school strike, and the beauty shop was down because of bad business. I think the total last Christmas was \$960."

None of the cash gifts from the particular block apparently had anything to do with illegal operations. No gambling, pros-

titution, loan sharking, bootlegging or sale of stolen goods was involved. Nor were any of the business people threatened with a summons for violations. "I hardly ever get hit," says the grocer. "Oh, maybe sometimes around Thanksgiving, they'll stop in and get a turkey. I get a token payment from some. It depends. There's a vegetable store down the next block which operates on Sunday and which puts stands on the sidewalk. That guy has to give out more."

"That guy" would not talk, even anonymously. But some of his problem was that he also sold clams and other shell-fish which sidewalk customers could buy on the half-shell. This produces a disposal problem since there often are shells on the walk or in the curbside. And flies. And dirt. All in viola-

tion of one administrative code or another.

The Sunday business activity is very complex because it prohibits some businesses from operating because of blue laws. For the cop on the take, this produces a source for repeated handouts.

"You're out there writing traffic tickets or trying to push people from double parking and the store owner or manager will come out. He's got to panic. This is his day," explains the cop.

"Look," says such an owner. "you could stay open for 10 days to take in what you make on a Sunday. If someone can't double park long enough to do some business here, I'm dead. The cops understand this. The lieutenant understands this. The captain understands this. I understand this. It's just the

law that doesn't work. So I give him an envelope."

What's in it? Twenty bucks? Fifty?

"You got to be kidding," says the cop. "Maybe it's a pound (\$5), maybe. More often, it's \$4 or \$3. When you are a cop you are a cheap whore."

This policeman, who once during his career was a plainclothesman, says that the recent Knapp Commission report on New York police corruption "was discovering the obvious." The commission reported systematic payments to plainclothes police.

"What we take on the street in uniform," the cop says, "is nowhere near as organized as what you take regularly from numbers and whores and late hour joints. That's steady and the price is set and it keeps coming in."

Probe Theft From Firm

A break-in sometime Monday night or early Tuesday morning in Stokes resulting in the theft of an estimated \$3,200 in merchandise and a pick-up truck is under investigation by the Pitt Sherriff's Department.

According to Sheriff Ralph Tyson, the break-in and larceny at Roebuck & Parker service station and garage took place between 10 p.m. and 3 a.m. Tuesday.

Sheriff Tyson said that owner reported the theft of 75 tires, a portable television, tools, 200 cartons of assorted cigarettes, a quantity of gloves and other miscellaneous items from his store. In addition, he reported a 1970 model pick-up missing from the garage section of his business.

Sheriff Tyson said that total value of the mission items, including the truck, would be close to \$6,000.

He reported that the station was entered after a front door was forced open.

Will Broadcast Vivaldi 'Gloria'

Antonio Vivaldi's "Gloria," presented by the Greenville Community Chorus at Jarvis Memorial United Methodist Church on Tuesday, December 14, will be the subject of a local radio broadcast.

At 9:05 p.m. on Christmas Eve, December 24, the Vivaldi work will be heard over radio station WNCT-FM for a one-time performance.

Dr. Paul Allapoulos conducted the Christmas composition, which featured soloists Jackie Rausch and Susan Ramsey, sopranos; and Betty Aldridge, contralto.

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Times Change, But People At Bus Terminal Haven't

By SHARON JOINER
Associated Press Writer
BALTIMORE, Md. (AP) —

Singapore Is Now Fighting Its Pollution

By BRIAN GOMEZ
SINGAPORE (AP) — Singapore is in the midst of an anti-pollution campaign.
Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew makes it quite clear he expects filthy canals and rivers to be sparkling clean within a few years.

"No clean rain water should be contaminated by being mixed up with dirt, filth or noxious chemicals ... fish, prawns and marine life and vegetation will return to shores, rivers and canals," he promises.

That by and large is the reward for the two million islanders—a vision of a healthy, green environment where birds and nature alike can be appreciated. Occasionally clean homes and shops win awards and a glare of publicity.

There's little doubt Lee will succeed. Spotless streets bear testimony. \$166 fine, equivalent to a worker's two-month salary, faces anyone caught throwing litter. The law has been in force for three years. The average smoker now almost unhesitatingly walks to the nearest trash can instead of stamping out his cigarette butt on the street. There are hardly any more prosecutions.

Thousands of motorists, among the worst air polluters, have yet to be conditioned to the anti-pollution idea although the crackdown on smoky exhausts got under way in early 1965. Fines were raised last year from \$6 to \$16. Stiffer penalties are contemplated.

The cleaning up of streams and canals will be more difficult. The Singapore River, for example, has been described as being "in a septic state of pollution." Fish float in during the high tide and die before reaching the sea again.

To ensure success a local way of life will be sacrificed. According to Health Minister Chua Sian Chin hawkers—road-side sellers of fried noodles and a variety of spicy Oriental concoctions—have a habit of discharging liquid wastes into open monsoon drains.

"The long term solution to this problem now is being worked out to resettle all road-side hawkers into properly constructed hygienic centers with washing areas discharging into sewers."

Other laws come into effect in 1972, after a full years notice, to ensure factories treat industrial waste or dispose them into sewers.

"Everyone must share the responsibility ... otherwise life becomes unpleasant and even unbearable for all," Lee Kuan Yew said in launching the anti-pollution campaign.

Sees New Turn Toward Religion

MARYKNOLL, N.Y. (AP) — Contemporary man is showing renewed interest in religion because he is "disillusioned with all the havoc done by science," says Fordham University philosopher, Dr. John B. Chethimattam.

"He is looking for a different understanding of his own life, his own experience, a deeper meaning," the professor said at the Catholic Foreign Mission Society of America here.

It Takes Time For A Sidewalk

SODUS POINT, N.Y. (AP) — Getting a job done in church sometimes takes patience.

When the United Methodist Church here observed its centennial, a historian noted that in 1967 a "long-planned sidewalk was put in between the parsonage and the church. ... This sidewalk was first requested by the Rev. E. G. Campbell in 1889."

BUILDING DOWN
WASHINGTON, D.C. (AP) — Expenditure by churches and synagogues for new construction is down to \$921 million annually, its lowest since 1958, the U.S. Department of Commerce reports.

Almost 3 million tons of barge traffic moved along the Missouri River in 1970, says the National Geographic.

The air inside the Greyhound bus station is cold. Gray 25-cent lockers line some of the walls and people pop up and down in plastic contour seats as if they're playing musical chairs. On one wall there's a baggage check counter and on the early shift you'll find Ernest Cahill there—he's been at Greyhound for 33 years.

"Yes, this place is like a keg of dynamite around 11 at night, all you have to do is light it," he said.

"I remember a long time ago a woman went right up those stairs over there to the ladies room and came back down as

naked as she came into the world.
"Said she washed her clothes

Mosquitoes Win

ISLAMABAD (UPI) — Mosquitoes have won a victory over DDT in northern Pakistan and scientists are searching for an alternative insecticide to combat the malaria carriers.

Studies showed that the mosquitoes no longer were affected by DDT in 90 percent of the area of Punjab, 100 percent of Sind and 60 percent of the Northwest Frontier provinces.

and hung them up there to dry." He laughed as if it happened yesterday.

Cahill, who is 62, remembers when the present terminal was built over a Catholic cemetery behind a convent. "The nuns used to live right over there in the parking lot," Cahill said pointing. "We came and watched them tear the building down."

Cahill came up to Baltimore from Martinsville, Va., with Roosevelt's Civilian Conservation Corps and has been at Greyhound ever since.

"Yes, some awful things hap-

pen around here—I'll tell you!" Cahill glanced over the station, his eyes bright.

He talked about bomb scares, babies being delivered on buses, runaways and abandoned children. Prostitutes even worked on the buses parked in the garage, he said. A long time ago.

He remembers when the bus terminal changed from coal to oil to gas heaters. Now the station has an air conditioner that makes the place too cold. He says the cafeteria was segregated until about 1942 but "some soldiers home from the war

broke that up."
"Yes," said the other oldtimer baggage man, "time has changed and the terminal has changed, but people sure haven't."

"But those kids," Cahill said. "They have a different outlook than we used to have. They're freer and they have more money. I'm glad I came up when I did, I couldn't cope with the environment now—too many things going on."

He said if he had gone to college and students were protesting and making him miss his studies, "I sure would have been

mad! That might be my only chance to learn something—and all those kids messing it up for me."

As Cahill talked from behind the baggage check counter, people had come and gone complaining about their luggage not arriving on the buses with them. An angry woman had just turned to report to the station manager.

"That happens a hundred thousand times a day," Cahill said. "If I have to go somewhere, I'll grab myself a plane and to heck with the bus."

Cahill chuckled. "Yes," he said shaking his head, "we got

some of everything come through here." Around 10, 11 and "after the bars let out on weekends" he says you can see anyone go parading by.

Rainy days really bring in the people off the streets—hippies, drunks, people looking for somewhere to sleep, pickpockets, runaways—even travelers.

Cahill will retire next year after his 63rd birthday. After all those years of seeing "some of everything around here, I'm just going to go home and lay back. I've got to go to work," he said, and he was gone.

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Old State Capitol To Be Restored, Not Renovated

By DR. H.G. Jones
Director, N.C. Dept. of
Archives and History
Gov. Bob Scott has a mes-
sage for "4 Taxpayers."
On Dec. 11, as he left his of-
fice, the governor found a note
on the windshield of his car. It
read: "Of all the taxes we in
N.C. pay, why can't some be

used to clean this building?" It
was signed "4 Taxpayers."
The governor, who has
adopted the restoration of the
131-year-old building as one of
the accomplishments of his ad-
ministration, regretted that the
note writers did not leave their
names and addresses so that he
could write them about "our
plans" for the Capitol. This col-
umn, therefore, is addressed to
all North Carolinians but espe-
cially to the "4 Taxpayers" whose
concern the governor shares.

The General Assembly moved
out of the Capitol after the 1961
session. The chambers were
turned over to the State
Department of Archives and
History for preservation as
"historic shrines," but no funds
were provided for upkeep or
staffing. Except for the offices
on the first floor, the Capitol
began to take on the forlorn

appearance of neglect. Water
seeped through pineholes in the
ancient cooper roof and the
moisture caused continuing
damage to the beautiful or-
namental plasterwork. Vandals
had damaged historic fur-
nishings.

In October, 1969, Gov. and
Mrs. Scott went to Madison,
Wis., where he made the key-
note address to the Society of
American Archivists. After

Gov. Knowles had given them a
tour of the immaculately kept
Wisconsin Capitol, Scott re-
turned to the hotel and, with a
tone of determination, told the
writer of this column, "We're
going home and do something
about OUR Capitol."

The first step was a cursory
textual and photographic report
on the condition of the Capitol
by the Department of Archives
and History—a study, in-
cidentally, that the governor
described in a late night tele-
phone call as "the best report
of its type that I've received
since I've been in office." It
was circulated to members of
the Council of State, and the
governor called a news confer-
ence on Dec. 22, 1969, at which
he led newspaper and TV cam-
eramen all over the Capitol—
including the roof—to demon-
strate the condition of the
building which had been the

symbol of state government for
a century and a quarter.

A few government officials,
equally as devoted to the Cap-
itol as Scott, grumbled that he
was just trying to make head-
lines. But they soon saw that
the Governor was determined,
and they rallied to his support.

The Council of State ap-
proved emergency funds for a
more detailed survey of the
needs of the Capitol, and archi-
tect James R. Johnson Jr., of
Charlotte, was made leader of
a team that included restora-
tionist Orin Bullock of Balti-
more, director John Sanders of
the Institute of Government,
and the writer. The Johnson
committee's report was deliv-
ered just in time for the gover-
nor to request the Advisory
Budget Commission to insert
\$525,000 in the 1971-73 budget
for the restoration of the Cap-
itol.

When the appropriations sub-

committees began cutting out
capital improvements items,
Scott would not budget on the
restoration item. It was finally
approved.

The task of drawing the
building and writing specifica-
tions for the intricate work to
be accomplished. The plans
were approved by Carroll L.
Mann's Property Control and
Construction Division this
month and work is expected to
begin in February. For the first
time in 131 years, the Capitol
will be vacated for a period of
around nine months while the
work is in progress. The gover-
nor will move into smaller
quarters in the Administration
Building.

The most expensive single
job will be the replacing of the
old copper roof, but it will be
the interior that will require
the rarest skills, for there are
few artisans available today
comparable to those imported

from Scotland and other states
when the building was con-
structed in the 1830s. The pro-
ject will be a restoration, not a
renovation, and many of the
tasks will involve intricate
handwork. The intention is to
return the building to its early
appearance while providing
modern comforts such as heat-
ing and plumbing as unobtru-
sively as possible. No new ar-
tworks or exhibits are planned,
because they would conflict
with the historic atmosphere of
the building whose halls have
rung with the sounds of voices
like those of John M. More-
head, William A. Graham,
Zebulon B. Vance, and Charles
B. Aycock.

When the restoration is com-
pleted, the building, with the
exception of the working of-
fices, will be under the care of
the Department of Archives and
History.

Gov. Scott expects to hold an

official rededication ceremony
in the Capitol before he goes
out of office, and he wants the
"4 Taxpayers" to be present,
along with many other Tar
Heels who have great pride in
the marvelous Greek revival
building which will continue as
a symbol of the North Carolina
spirit—solid, permanent, beau-
tiful.

NO FREEZE

LANSING, Mich. (UPI)—
Increases in Michigan's 1971
hunting license fees are not
covered by the national wage
and price freeze, state officials
have been advised by the
Federal Office of Economic
Preparedness.

As a result, the legislature-
approved license hikes were to
take immediate effect once
signed into law by Gov. William
G. Milliken. Resident licenses
will be \$5 for small game, up \$2
from the old fee.

Christmas, Snow In Legal Action

CINCINNATI (AP) — Rich-
ard Christmas and Charles
Snow are defendants in a suit
in Hamilton County Common
Pleas Court.

Thomas Taylor filed the suit
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Many Misconceptions In No-Fault Insurance Plan

By JOHN CUNIFF
AP Business Analyst
NEW YORK (AP) — An almost inevitable result of a lot of talk is a lot of confusion, and such is the current state of knowledge with regard to no-fault automobile insurance. Despite the talk, only one state has a plan in action. In

Massachusetts, regardless of who is at fault in an accident, the insured's company makes the payments for liability claims up to \$2000 out of court. But, while some states haven't even considered no-fault, a dozen others have at least studied them and four—Illinois, Delaware, Oregon and Florida—join Massachusetts with plans of their own by the first of the year.

Moreover, Congress is interested in the concept, which is designed to speed payments, end long law suits and eliminate "windfall" profits from "plain and suffering" claims.

To clarify some of the highlights, Aetna Life & Casualty has presented a list of some commonly held attitudes about no-fault. Aetna back such plans, and to that extent its viewpoint may represent advocacy rather than neutrality.

1. Statement: No-fault means

there really will be no waiting for claim payments. Reply: True. Under no-fault, payments are made automatically by a victim's own insurance company as expenses come up.

2. Statement: Under no-fault, accident victims cannot sue for injuries. Reply: True, to a point. Under the better laws

you can't sue for minor injuries or financial loss—nor is there a need to since medical and repair bills and lost income are taken care of immediately by your insurer. However, all no-fault laws permit suits for serious injury or major monetary loss.

3. Statement: If you're paid by your own insurer, you have no recourse if you disagree about the amount of payment. Reply: False. All current no-fault laws allow legal remedies if an insured is dissatisfied. But, when expenses are paid and lost income replaced, there's little room for disagreement.

4. Statement: no-fault will put an end to suits for "pain and suffering." Reply: True and false. Suits are allowed but limited to cases of serious injury or large dollar losses. Under the current system, it's the people with minor losses, not

those with serious losses, who are benefitting.

5. Statement: If no-fault pays all victims, not just some, auto insurance is going to cost more. Reply: False. Premiums go down because no-fault eliminates unnecessary claim investigations legal fees and unreasonable awards.

6. Statement: If insurance companies have to pay every one under no-fault and lower prices at the same time, they are going to cut benefits. Reply: False. Benefits under no-fault won't be any less except for those who would have made profits out of a minor accident.

7. Statement: Lawsuits take time, often years, but for major accident cases it's worth the wait. Reply: False. The larger your losses the poorer are your chances of recovery. It's a fact. According to the Dept. of Transportation, 55 per cent of those with serious cases never get a cent from current auto insurance systems.

8. Statement: Under no-fault, negligent and irresponsible drivers will go unpunished. Reply: False. Under no-fault, these negligent and irresponsible drivers will be dealt with as they are, or should be—by the criminal law.

9. Statement: The fault system, as exists now, cuts down on accidents because wrongdoers know they will have to pay for their actions. Reply: False. Give yourself two wrong answers if you swallow this argument.

First, the lawsuit system actually relieves a wrongdoer of his responsibility by transferring his liability to the insurance company. He doesn't pay—the company does, using premium payments from all policyholders.

Second, it is not the fear of a lawsuit that discourages reckless driving, but the fear of injury.

Same Name For Four In A Dorm

BERRIEN SPRINGS, Mich. (UPI) — There are four reasons why there is a lot of confusion in Lawson Residence Hall at Andrews University and they all have the same name — Deborah Harris.

Getting the right Deborah Harris for a phone call, or messages, presents a problem and complications. One is a nursing major, another a history major and two are physical therapy students.

Japan Moves Up In Income Ranks

TOKYO (AP) — The Economic Planning Agency said today that the per capita income in Japan increased 17.1 per cent in 1970 and placed Japan 15th or 16th among the non-Communist nations of the world. Japan ranked 17th in 1969.

The per capita income in 1970 totaled 569,703 yen, or \$1,583 at the exchange rate then of 360 yen to the dollar.

German Stamps Fight Accidents

BONN (UPI) — A series of 10 stamps devoted to "accident prevention" will be issued by the West German Post Office in 1972.

Themes treated in the series will be accidental fires, defective ladders, power saws, children playing in the street, use of protective helmets, rusty nails in wooden planks, drinking while driving, load lifting, work site barricades and defective electrical connections.

Accord Boston Pioneering Role

CHICAGO (UPI) — Boston can claim a pioneering role in the interest of good taste—the kind that involves food.

The first incorporated cooking school in America, according to Encyclopaedia Britannica, was organized in 1879 by the Women's Education Association of Boston.

The Boston Normal School of Cookery, the first in the east for training teachers in this subject, was founded in 1887.

Galveston Top Cotton Port

GALVESTON, Tex. (UPI) — Galveston is America's leading cotton port. Last year 42 per cent of the cotton export from the United States was shipped out of the port of Galveston.

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1 Lb. Can

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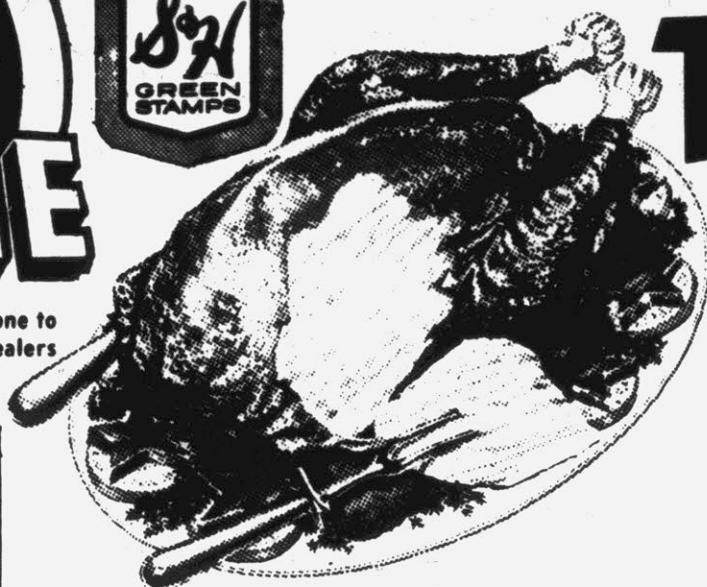
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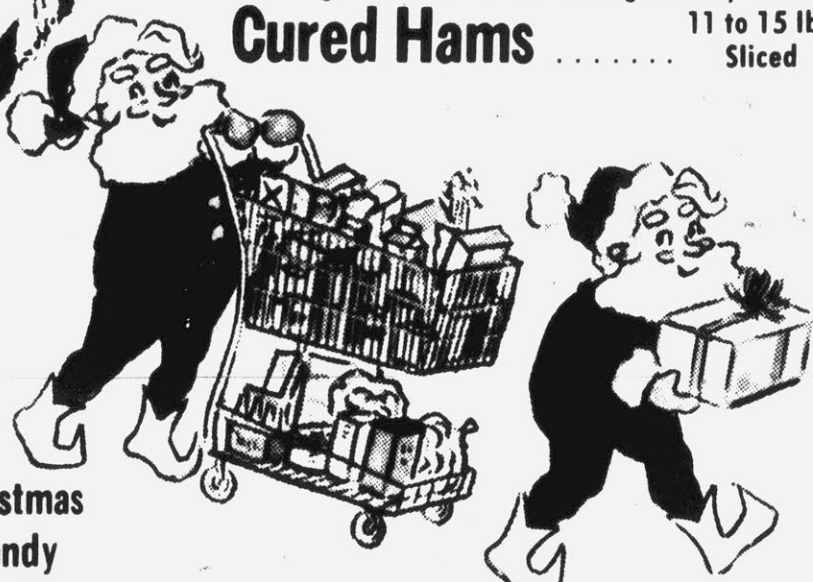
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By GEORGE W. CRANE
Ph.D., M.D.

Case S-549: Rev. J. D. Kavich invited me to occupy his pulpit at Indianapolis.

And at the pitch-in dinner following the service, I also gave an hour's talk on "Marriage and Family Problems."

"Dr. Crane," Rev. Kavich remarked as we said farewell, "why don't you write a column on 'How to Disagree With Your Wife and Still Be Happily Married?'"

"H-R" Strategy
Millions of happy husbands

have learned that art, so it merits widespread dissemination.

For most Americans have never been officially taught the "H-R" (Human Relations) strategy of how to win friends via tactful disagreement.

Remember, a compliment that is given grudgingly rates higher than a casual bit of praise, easily stated.

Smart husbands (and employees) may thus deliberately disagree with their companions.

The latter may then advance some very convincing arguments in defense of their point of view.

Reluctantly begin to nod your head and then begrudgingly admit:

"Well, I guess you're right. You have won me over."

This is doubly inflating to the ego of your wife or other argumentative comrade.

And it is especially effective on the boss!

For it indirectly illustrates Christ's remark about the shepherd who left the 99 sheep that were safe in the sheepfold, in order to search for Sheep No. 100, who was lost.



Clergymen also gloat more over converting the "lost sinner" than over the 99 faithful, lifelong church members who have supported the church and kept moral idealism flourishing

while that "lost sinner" was painting the town red.

William R. Hearst, Sr., the great empire-builder in 20th Century journalism, thus urged me to "needle" readers, including fat, stodgy wives.

"Then they'll write red-hot letters to my editors," he added, "which we shall print."

"And that controversy will prove to be the most popular page in our entire newspaper."

Alas, many young journalism graduates fail to understand this astute strategy that Mr. Hearst and other able journalistic pioneers used to build up the great newspapers of today.

So these modern youngsters in journalism often shy away from critical letters, failing to know how to capitalize on them.

While teaching "Sales and Advertising Psychology" at the university, I routinely warned my students not to shun ob-

jections from prospects but actually to solicit them!

For you can often convert them into sales and build greater good will by thus employing the "Stump to conquer" technique. It involves what we also call the "Yes-but" policy, where you

ostensibly agree at the outset "but" then tactfully swing your client around to your own viewpoint.

Rev. Kavich is a clever. Applied Psychologist who understands this effective strategy.

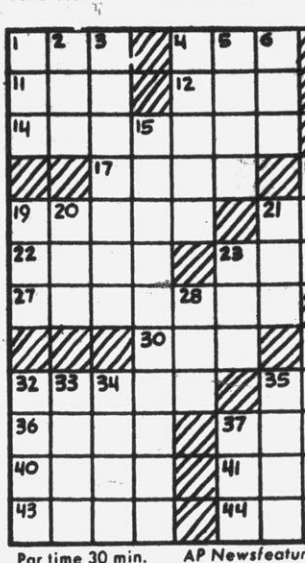
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Underwriters Hear Speaker From B-W

Thack Brown Jr., manager of the public relations department at Burroughs Wellcome Co., was guest speaker Friday at the December meeting of the Pitt County Association of Life Underwriters.

Brown explained to the 24 members on hand the background for Burroughs Wellcome's decision to relocate its operations from New York to North Carolina.

He told the members that land and labor were two of the needs that had to be provided for in the relocation and North Carolina had ample supply of both.

The public relations head explained that with the opening of the offices and laboratories near Raleigh this month, the original plans to establish corporate headquarters in the

state were completed.

The Greenville manufacturing plant has approximately 625,000 square feet of working space and employs some 700, he said.

Awards were presented during the meeting for various phases of the PCALU program. Receiving awards were Bobby Joe Lawhead, Jeanette Baur, Billy C. Ellis, Richard N. Hunsucker, J. D. McGlohn Jr., James O. Perry Jr., Johnny W. Spencer and Max R. Joyner.

Also receiving awards were William R. Stroud, Harold C. Bullard, William E. McDonald, Leon Smith, Wyatt Tucker, W. M. Scales Jr., W. Evan Griffin and Minnie Mae Smith.

American Samoa averages nearly 200 inches of rain a year.

GOREN ON BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN
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Neither vulnerable. North deals.

NORTH
♠ A Q 10 7
♥ Q 3
♦ A Q 8 5
♣ A Q 3

WEST
♠ K 8 3
♥ A 10 8 5 4
♦ 9 6 2
♣ 8 2

EAST
♠ J 9 6
♥ J 9 2
♦ 10 4
♣ K J 7 6 5

SOUTH
♠ 5 4 2
♥ K 7 6
♦ K J 7 3
♣ 10 9 4

The bidding:
North East South West
1 ♦ Pass 1 NT Pass
3 NT Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead: Five of ♥
Lead control was the key factor in South's campaign to land nine tricks in no trump. Had he faltered in the slightest at any point, it would have presented the defense with an opportunity to cash the setting trick before he could take charge.

West opened the five of hearts and the queen was played from dummy which held the trick, as East signaled with the nine as a mild encouragement. Declarer could count seven top tricks—four diamonds and one in each of the other suits. Spades offered the best prospect for developing two more.

South entered his hand by leading a small diamond to the jack. A spade was led and when West followed with the three, the queen was played from dummy. When this held, declarer became assured of eight tricks.

He reentered his hand with the king of diamonds. Now another spade was led. West played the eight and North went up with the ace and returned the suit. When both the jack and king appeared on the third lead, dummy's ten became established for the fulfilling trick. West was in and shifted to a club. The ace was put up and the ten of spades and the ace and queen of diamonds were cashed after which South cheerfully conceded the balance to the opponents.

Observe that West cannot gain by putting up the king of spades when that suit is led from the closed hand, because declarer can permit his opponent to hold the trick and North's ace and queen subsequently drop East's jack.

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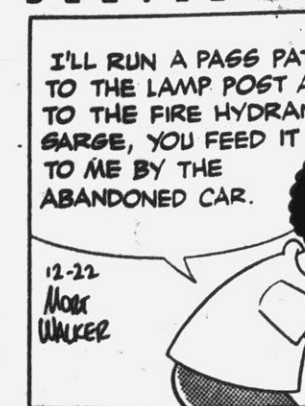
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The Liberated Women Face A Gift Problem

By LYNN SHERR
Associated Press Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — The liberated woman has a special problem at Christmas: what to give the man in her life without losing either him or her credentials in the movement.

Here are some suggestions for feminists who don't want to feed male chauvinist instincts. If he's the executive type, get him a handsome attache case then fill it with a variety of household cleaning supplies. Give him everything he needs to do a thorough job: matching dusters, a folding broom, some industrial strength cleanser, etc.

And so he doesn't snag his Pierre Cardin suit doing the dusting, be sure he has one of the newer one-piece jumpsuits. Double-knits are recommended, because they will stretch when he reaches for the top of the bookshelves.

He'll probably be tired after all his housework, so let him soothe his aching feet with one of those electric foot massagers. That way, he'll be revived enough by evening to take you out dancing.

And while you're out, is your husband the type who is always saying, "Honey, would you please put this in your pocket-book for me?" Perhaps he needs a pocketbook of his own—one of the new, trim masculine models so he can carry his own car keys and pipe.

Of course, a pocketbook won't do him any good if he has no money. Or if he's out of a job. If that's the case, enroll your husband in one of the secretarial schools so that he can brush up on shorthand or typing. Remind him that the road back up the corporate ladder might well start in the steno pool.

And if time still lies heavy on his hands, teach him to use them constructively: by doing needlepoint. He can stitch his own ties, slippers, even watchbands. And maybe by the end of several weeks' instruction, he'll be able to whip up a living room pillow during the Super Bowl.

Maybe the man in your life is a little boy—a son or a nephew. If he's still playing around the house, he'll love a little plastic broom—just like daddy's. Start him young, and there will be no role confusion when he grows up, gets married, and is asked to clean the house by his liberated wife.

For your college-bound son, dress up the dormitory room with a handsome leather box to adorn the top of his bureau. Fill it with an appropriate assortment of interesting buttons: for instance, ones that read "Sisterhood is Powerful," or "Feminism Lives," or "Uppity Women Unite."

In the end, the man in your life might just casually suggest that you forget buying him a present next year.

Repertory Company Grant Is Announced

The newly formed Carolina Repertory Company has received a sizeable grant which will boost the pioneering work being carried on by the company in its efforts to bring family theater to North Carolina.

The Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation, at its November 12 Directors' meeting, voted a grant of \$15,000 for the Carolina Repertory Company. Announcement of the grant was made public today by J. E. Dietz, Executive Producer and John L. Haber, Artistic Director. In the Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation charter, it is stated: "The object for which the corporation is formed is the accomplishment of charitable works in the State of North Carolina."

The foundation, in operation since 1936, is a memorial to Z. Smith Reynolds, youngest son of R. J. Reynolds, Sr.

In submitting a proposal for a grant to the Reynolds Foundation, members of the new theater organization noted "The ultimate goal of Carolina Repertory Company is to establish a North Carolina Theater Center headquartered in the Research Triangle Park."

The proposal then specified concrete plans relative to training and productions. The Wonderful O, the first traveling production scheduled to be offered by Carolina Repertory Company, is soon going into rehearsal. Openings of the play will be staged in Greenville, Chapel Hill and Asheville, which will be followed by a ten week tour across the state.

The Pacific island of New Guinea covers 305,577 square miles.



AT POW CAMP — Papal Nuncio Msgr. Henri Le Maitre presents Christmas gifts to Viet Cong and North Vietnamese prisoners of war at Bien Hoa, 15 miles from Saigon. The nuncio gave \$2500 worth

of clothing and other personal articles to the several thousand POWs at the camp. He also toured the camp, visiting sick POWs in the hospital. (AP Wirephoto)

Tiger, Rhino Promotions Announced Ranks Drop For 2 Extension Agents

NEW DELHI (UPI)—Conservation and wildlife authorities are afraid that the famed and beautiful Indian tiger, and the great Indian rhinoceros, are racing to extinction. Revised game laws have sought to halt the indiscriminate slaughter that in the past few decades has rapidly diminished India's once-rich wild life. But laws alone have been unable to do the rescue job and, authorities say, the tiger and rhinoceros may already be doomed.

Less than 35 years ago India's tiger population was placed at more than 50,000. Today, by official estimate, there are fewer than 2,000. In the same time span rhinoceri have dropped from the thousands to less than 500—120 in game preserves and the rest in the Nepal forests.

According to M. Krishnan, a leading Indian naturalist, "the steep decline in the tiger population is due almost entirely to their killing by men—by licensed or privileged sportsmen, by poachers, and by cattlemen who poison them. The tiger can be saved now only if its killing is totally banned."

Hunters and poachers also are blamed for having almost wiped out wild rhinoceri. The rhino is much prized for its horn which in some parts of the world is thought to provide a powerful aphrodisiac, and to be a cure for male sexual impotence.

The first real move to preserve the tiger came in 1970 when 12 of India's 17 federal states legislated a total ban on the shooting of tigers, at the urging of the Indian Board of Wild Life. Subsequently the other five states also enacted

Dr. George Hyatt Jr., director of the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service, has announced the promotion of two Pitt County extension agents.

Use Of Ice In Industry Grows

NEW YORK (UPI)—The use of ice instead of water by industry for controlled cooling is growing, says a trade source. Some examples, according to Borg-Warner's York, Pa., Division, producer of ice making machines for 86 years: In construction, ice is sometimes mixed with concrete to reduce shrinkage and increase the strength of the mixture; meat packers put ice in hot dog and sausage meat to keep cutter blades from their meat grinders from overheating; rubber companies use ice to keep latex from sticking to rollers.

tiger protection laws although they did not completely ban their killing.

Some authorities doubt there are even 2,000 tigers left in the wild. K. S. Sankala, a member of the Indian Forest Service, said he had traveled "the length and breadth of the country" looking for tigers and had seen few. "Even their best known habitats look completely deserted now," he said.

The wild rhinoceros is even more rarely spotted nowadays and some authorities like Sankala aren't sure there are even the officially estimated 500 still alive.

Mrs. Evelyn L. Spangler, assistant home economics extension agent, and Henry Reddick, assistant agricultural extension agent, will become associate extension agents beginning Jan. 1, 1972.

The promotions are based upon performance and tenure. To become an associate, an agent must have completed at least three years with the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service. Performance in the assigned areas of responsibility is evaluated by county, district, and state supervisors.

Mrs. Spangler joined the Pitt County staff in September, 1969. She has responsibility for extension's educational programs in home management and clothing. Additionally she shares responsibility in community development and general extension efforts.

Riddick was employed in October, 1968. Until July, 1971, his major responsibilities were with youth programs and peanut production and marketing education. He is currently responsible for extension education related to peanuts, horticultural crops, and farm management.

Both agents are making a real contribution to the success of the North Carolina Agricultural Service's programs in Pitt County. Hyatt said.

Bridge Winners

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

North-South: Mrs. J. S. Rhodes Jr. and Mrs. Roger C. Rhodes Jr., first; Mrs. Sol Schechter and Mrs. Max Chused, second; Mrs. Eli Bloom and Mrs. M. H. Bynum, third. East-West: Mrs. Cora Powell and Mrs. M. Woolfolk, first; Jerry Helms and Stuart Shough, second; Mrs. Delanie Webb and Mrs. L. D. Harris, third.

Wednesday morning winners were North-South: Mrs. Preston Cannon and Mrs. David Stevens, first; Mrs. William McConnell and Mrs. Jan Zurav, second; Mrs. W. Z. Morton and Mrs. W. S. Dawson, third.

East-West: Mrs. Guy Smith Sr. and Mrs. E. J. Edminister, first; Mrs. Ralph Sullivan and Mrs. E. L. Baker, second; Mrs. Frank Fuller and Mrs. Jack Richards, third.

Friday night winners included North-South: Mr. and Mrs. Norris Drum, first; Mrs. George Martin and Dr. Charles Duffy, second; M. G. Creath and Ron Beall, third.

East-West: Miss Emma Blanche Warren and Mrs. Robert Exum, first; Mrs. S. M. Woolfolk and Mrs. Fred Sorenson, second; Lewis Newsome and Stuart Shough, third.

North-South winners Saturday afternoon were: Mrs. Wiley Corbett and Dr. Charles Duffy, first; Mrs. J. M. Horton and Mrs. W. R. Harris, second; Mrs. Sol Schechter and Mrs. Max Chused, third; Mrs. Irvin Adler and Mrs. Beulah Eagles, fourth.

East-West: Dr. and Mrs. George Martin, first; Mr. and Mrs. Jan Zurav, second; Mrs. Delanie Webb and Lewis Newsome, third; David Proctor and Shakti Routh, fourth.

All duplicate games will be cancelled for the holiday season and will be resumed Wednesday, Jan. 5.

Father Enters The Priesthood

LISBON, Portugal (AP) — A married Protestant minister who converted to Roman Catholicism, the Rev. Saul Sousa, has been ordained into the Roman Catholic priesthood here. He and his wife, Maria, have three children.

The Vatican gave special permission for the ordination, as it has in about a dozen other cases in Europe for married Protestant ministers who become Roman Catholics. But Father Sousa is the first in Portugal.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
North Carolina
Pitt County
The undersigned, having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Moses Kennedy, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of June, 1972, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 13th day of December, 1971
John H. Taylor, Jr.
Administrator
112 Woodside Road
Greenville, N. C.
Dec. 15, 22, 29, Jan. 6

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The undersigned, having this day qualified executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Preston Harrington, Jr., deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of June, 1972, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 3rd day of December, 1971.
(Mrs.) Pollie Louise Harrington
Executrix
R. B. Lee, Attorney
Dec. 8, 15, 22, 29

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE
North Carolina
Pitt County
The undersigned, having qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Able Paige, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of June, 1972, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This 22nd day of November, 1971.
Mamie Paige Hall,
Administratrix
1025 West Fifth Street
Greenville, N. C.
Dec. 1, 8, 15, 22

NOTICE
North Carolina
Pitt County
Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, made in the Special Proceedings entitled "J. H. Blount, Jr. (unmarried), Plaintiff vs. Jean B. Blount, et al., Respondents", the same being File No. 71 SP 41, the undersigned Commissioners will, on the 5th day of January, 1972, at twelve o'clock, noon, at the door of the Pitt County Courthouse, Greenville, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash all those certain tracts or parcels of land more particularly described as follows:

TRACT NO. 1: Lying and being situated in Carolina Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, on North Carolina State Road No. 1552, bounded on the North by Kenneth Whitchard, on the East by Tranter's Creek, on the South by property conveyed to J. H. Blount, Jr., et al., and on the West by North Carolina State Road No. 1552 and BEGINNING at a point in the center line of said State Road No. 1552 where a farm ditch crosses said road, said point being located 1,017 feet measured along the center line of said State Road No. 1552 in a south-westerly direction from the point of the center line of 18 inch culvert crossing the center line of said State Road No. 1552, said point where the 18 inch culvert is located is further identified by a 16 acre tract of land which is excepted from this description and runs from the said BEGINNING point as follows: thence follow the center line of said State Road No. 1552 North 39° 30' East 431 feet, North 33° 30' East 744 feet, South 33° East 680 feet, North 26° East 205 feet, North 21° East 486 feet to a point in the center of said road which is a corner with Kenneth Whitchard, thence along and following the Whitchard line, an old wire fence being a portion of said line, South 69° 30' East 2,510 feet to a Sweetgum Tree on the bank of Tranter's Creek; thence continuing South 69° 30' East to the center of the main run of Tranter's Creek; thence following the center of the main run of Tranter's Creek downstream to an iron stake on the western bank of said Creek, the said iron stake is a corner made by this conveyance to establish the dividing line between the area of land conveyed by this deed, from which is conveyed by companion deed of J. H. Blount, Jr. and M. Q. Blount, II to A. L. Tucker, et ux; thence from said iron stake following a chopped line established by this deed, South 73° 30' West 1,735 feet, North 85° 30' West 243 feet, North 80° 40' West 406 feet, North 71° 45' West 91 feet, South 87° 15' West 117.6 feet, North 81° 10' West 665 feet, following a farm road to the point of BEGINNING, containing 147.1 acres, more or less, and there is EXCEPTED FROM THIS TRACT A 1.6 acre parcel described in that certain deed of record in Book 473, Page 473, Pitt County Registry, and this tract being the identical tract or parcel of land described in and conveyed by that certain deed of record in Book 35, Page 472, Pitt County Registry.

TRACT NO. 2: Lying and being situated in Greenville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and known as the Peter Brown Farm, containing 20 acres, more or less, and another tract known as the Pilley Farm containing 23 acres, more or less, and being the identical lands described in and conveyed by that certain deed of record in Book 4, Page 168, Pitt County Registry.

The highest bidder at this sale will be required to make a deposit of ten per cent of the highest bid. This sale is further subject to confirmation by the Court.

This sale is further subject to 1972 Pitt County Ad Valorem Taxes.

This 2nd day of December, 1971.
s. Howard E. Manning
Commissioner
s. M. E. Cavendish
Commissioner
Dec. 8, 15, 22, 29

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
In The General Court Of Justice
Superior Court Division
North Carolina
Pitt County
Having qualified as Administrator on the Estate of Maude C. Barnhill, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the Estate of the said Maude C. Barnhill to present the same to the undersigned within six (6) months from the date of the publication of this notice, or the same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 3rd day of December, 1971.
ROBERT K. BARNHILL
Administrator of the Estate of Maude C. Barnhill,
Deceased
Post Office Drawer 99
Greenville, North Carolina 27834
James, Speight, Watson and Brewer, Attorneys
Dec. 8, 15, 22, 29

NOTICE OF SALE
Pursuant to an Order of Sale signed by H. L. Lewis Jr., Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, December 13, 1971, in Special Proceedings—File No. 71 SP 350, entitled: IN THE MATTER OF: LILLIAN J. POPE and HUSBAND, JOHN POPE vs. EARL S. JOYNER and WIFE, CARRIE S. JOYNER; JAMES W. JOYNER and WIFE, MARIAN JOYNER; MARY B. JOYNER; EARL S. JOYNER; ANTHONY JOYNER and WIFE, LOU B. JOYNER the undersigned will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash before the Courthouse door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina on

Friday, January 14, 1972, at 12:00 o'clock noon of said date, that certain tract or parcel of land situate in Greenville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows: That certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Greenville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, bounded on the north by J. E. Joyner, on the east by Frank E. Allen, on the west by W. T. Allen, on the south by W. M. Manning, lying on both sides of the brick road leading from Greenville to Farmville, containing 14.13 acres, more or less, and being the same lands described as the first and third parcels conveyed to Trustee, in that certain deed dated December 17, 1930, of record in Book U-18, Page 164, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

The terms of the sale are cash and the highest bidder will be required to make a deposit of 10 percent of the bid at the sale.

Sale will remain open for 10 days for the highest bid and confirmation. This 13th day of December, 1971.
Kenneth G. Hite
Dec. 22, 29, Jan. 5, 12

NOTICE OF SALE
North Carolina
Pitt County
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Charlie Mills and wife, Lula H. Mills, dated the 10th day of February 1965, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book B-35 at page 7, default having been made in payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and request having been made of the undersigned trustee by the holder of the note, thereby secured, that said deed of trust, being by the terms thereof subject to foreclosure, be foreclosed, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Courthouse door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, at twelve o'clock noon on Monday, the 27th day of December, 1971, the property conveyed in said deed of trust, the same lying and being in Chicod Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

Tract No. 1 — Lying on the south and north sides of the newly paved road leading from N.C. Highway No. 42 to Black Rock and containing 1.43 acres, more or less, and being lot No. 2 of the Martha Haddock land known as her home place.

Tract No. 2 — Chicod Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, a newly paved highway leading from Black Jack to Chicod High School, and containing 9.37 acres, more or less, and being lot No. 3 of the Martha Haddock thoroughfare tract of land.

EXCEPTING, however, from the above described land 5.10ths of an acre, more or less, which the grantors herein conveyed to Jimmie Charles Mills by deed dated March 14, 1960, and recorded in Book P-31 at page 585, of the Pitt County Registry. Reference is made to a map made and prepared by J. B. Porter, R.S., and recorded in Map Book 5 at page 45 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

Tract No. 3 — Being tracts Nos. 1, 1A, and 1B of the Haddock property as shown on map made by Joe M. Dresbach, R.S., dated January 1963, and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Map Book 11 at page 86, which map is hereby referred to and made a part hereof for a more specific description of said property.

But this sale will be made subject of that certain deed of trust executed by Charlie Mills and wife, Lula H. Mills, in and to the said deed of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, North Carolina, in Book R-33 at Page 639. The successful bidder at said sale shall be required to deposit ten percent of the amount of the bid, and the expiration of the statutory time for an advance or upset bid.

This 23rd day of November, 1971.
Sam B. Underwood, Jr., Trustee
Dec. 1, 8, 15, 22

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- Autos for Sale**
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Houses for Sale

THREE BEDROOM HOUSE, Belvoir. Hot water, heat and central air. Call 752-2614.

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LOT IN GRIMESLAND, 116' x 204', has 1000 gallon septic tank and well. Call 946-8965 Washington.

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NEW 8-PUSHBUTTON waring BLENDER

Seven different speeds give you precise blending, more perfect results every time. Comes with 5-cup glass jar. So beautiful in decorator silhouette and colors.

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GENERAL ELECTRIC HAIR DRYER

- 3 heat selections plus "cool"
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- Draw strings allow bonnet adjustment to any head size — child or adult
- Color styled in pink and white

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All-in-one beauty care: 3-way head shaver; 11 snap-on attachments for manicures, pedicures, facials, massages, makeup application. 110-220 voltage. Beautiful Tulip Yellow styling.

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No dry heat to take the life and shine out of your hair. Curls your hair with beautifying mist. Includes attractive "take-me-along" tote bag. Ideal for travel.

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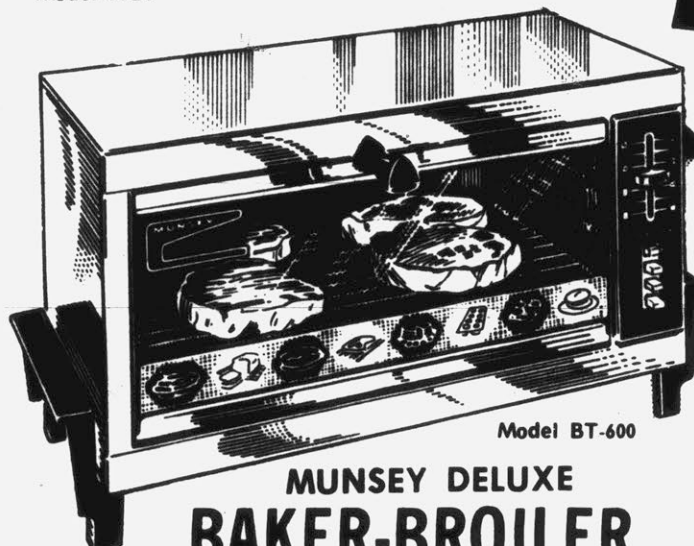


Model No. 70

HIS 'N HERS Vinyl Car Coats

100 percent Supported Vinyl Plastic Outer Shell. Miracle leather - look vinyl withstands scuffs and scratches... is both water and wind resistant.

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Deluxe features include: 10 1/2" x 14 1/2" x 4 1/4" cooking area; clear-view glass door; three rack positions; drip tray; mar-free and heat-free legs and handles; chrome finish inside and out; thermostat element control up to 500 degrees; heats from both sides when on "warm." Cord included.

ECKERD'S PRICE

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\$2.05 VALUE SYLVANIA
**Blue Dot
Flash Cubes**

Eckerd's Price **\$1.09**

\$1.98 VALUE 8 OZ. SIZE
**Wella Balsam Instant
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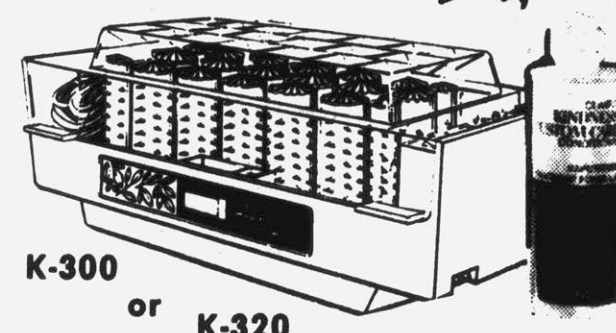
Eckerd's Price **\$1.19**

75c VALUE BOTTLE OF 25
**Alka-Seltzer
Tablets**

Eckerd's Price **49c**

\$1.59 VALUE PKG. OF 10
**Contac Cold
Capsules**

Eckerd's Price **77c**



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Clairol's new Kindness Custom Care Instant Hairsetter and Conditioner sets, moisturizes and deep conditions your hair beautiful all at once. Welcome to the new world of Clairol deep-conditioned hairsetting.

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\$1.19 VALUE 10 OZ. SIZE
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\$2.00 VALUE 16 OZ. SIZE
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With Protein**

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\$2.98 VALUE BOTTLE OF 100
**One-A-Day
Multiple Vitamins**

Eckerd's Price **\$1.88**

\$1.29 VALUE 14 OZ. SIZE
**Cepacol
Mouthwash**

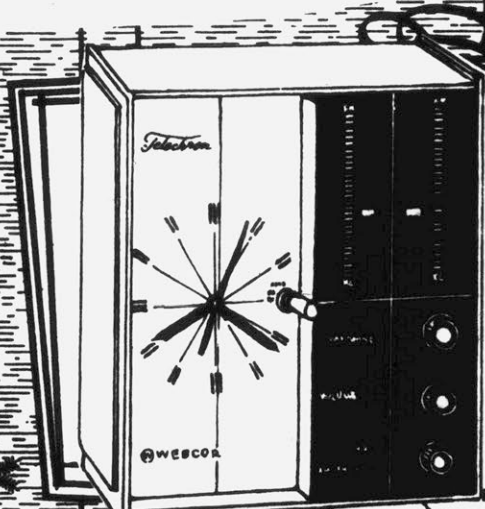
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MIRROMATIC PRESSURE COOKER

For economical, carefree cooking... a whole scrumptious meal in minutes. Unbreakable pressure control never needs adjusting. Time chart on handle. Self-sealing gasket.

ECKERD'S PRICE **\$7.88**



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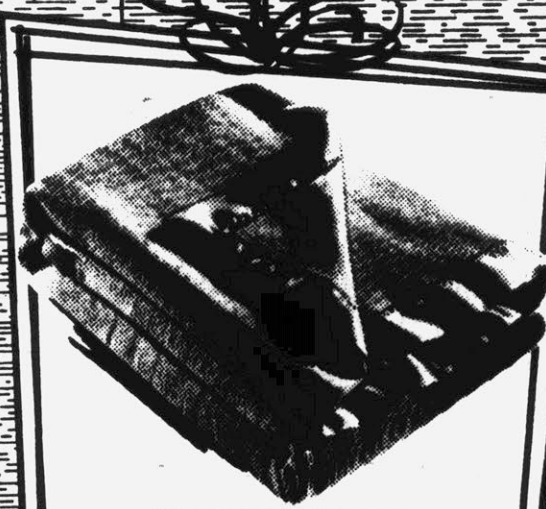
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WEBCOR transistorized clock radio model CR-1180 is a 7-transistor FM-AM superheterodyne receiver with alarm clock and has been developed with the superb technique. We are sure you will find complete satisfaction in this instrument.

ECKERD'S PRICE **\$17.88**



THERMAL BLANKETS

Exclusive Wash 'n Wear Fiber an all-weather weave for year-round use anywhere. 100 percent Nylon Binding.

Warms in winter...Cools in summer

ECKERD'S PRICE **\$3.19**



MODEL 420

POLAROID Land Camera

ECKERD'S PRICE **\$42.88**



TYPE 108

POLAROID COLOR FILM

ECKERD'S PRICE **\$3.66**



GENERAL ELECTRIC CAN OPENER

- Up front control pierces cans with ease
- Easily operates on counter top without tipping over
- Features magnetic lid hold and handy cord storage
- Compact enough to store easily

ECKERD'S PRICE **\$8.88**



MUNSEY DELUXE TOASTER-BROILER

Medium size toaster - broiler takes six hamburgers - a larger capacity than the regular four slice unit. Good looking, yet competitively priced. Triple chrome plated finish. Cool bakelite buffet handles. Removable rack and deep tray. Detachable cord included.

ECKERD'S PRICE **\$8.88**



GENERAL ELECTRIC PORTABLE MIXER

Lightweight... Beats any Mix! Puts Everything at Your Fingertips! It's the Mixer with The Most! Makes a Great Gift Too!

ECKERD'S PRICE **\$8.88**



GENERAL ELECTRIC AUTOMATIC COFFEE MAKER

- Ample Capacity - you can brew 4 to 5 five ounce cups of delicious coffee or 2 to 3 cups with Mini-Brew.
- Cup Markings inside and out - tell you how much water to add.
- Dripless Spout - permits easy pouring.

ECKERD'S PRICE **\$10.99**