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Quakes Strike Capital City

MEXICO CITY (UPI) — Earthquakes building rapidly in intensity shattered the Nicaraguan capital of Managua Saturday, destroying most of the city with the strongest burst, sparking fires that swept the ruins and killing or injuring many of its 250,000 residents.

The health ministry in neighboring Costa Rica said it had received a report broadcast by the Nicaraguan health ministry that at least 18,000 persons were killed. Other reports from ham radio operators put the death toll as high as 30,000 with another 200,000 injured.

The 2½-hour series of quakes touched off explosions and fires, and a large portion of the city was engulfed by flames as long as 15 hours after the quakes struck around midnight.

Survivors fled in panic, jamming all roads around the Central American capital situated on an inland lake east of the Pacific coastline.

"Hundreds of mutilated bodies were strewn along the streets, some still wrapped in bed-sheets, some missing heads, hands or feet," said one witness fleeing the city.

The Managua office of Pan American airlines sent a radiotelephone message to Guafamala City which said: "The government has commenced distributing emergency supplies. The critical needs are for tents and blankets due to the large number of homes destroyed. City is still burning. The runway is operational and being used. The terminal is dangerous due to gas leakage and large cracks. All of the glass in the control tower and the terminal building windows have been broken out. Large areas of the city have been destroyed by quake and fire. There are no hotel accommodations. There is no electricity, no water and the roads in many areas are critical."

Howard Hughes, billionaire industrialist and recluse, was among the 3,000 Americans in Managua when the earthquakes struck. His associates in Los Angeles said they had received word from the Hughes organization that Hughes' staff in Managua reported he is safe.

Commercial airlines pilots arriving in Mexico City after flying over the devastated city said some lakeside areas appeared to have sunk lower than the lake's water level and were being flooded. There were no reports of flooding; however, when telephone links were established late Saturday afternoon between Managua and Tegucigalpa, capital of neighboring Honduras 150 miles to the north.

The Las Mercedes airport outside Managua continued functioning on an emergency basis after the earthquake, and various types of planes began on an airlift to transfer injured to Tegucigalpa and to the Costa Rican capital of San Jose, 200 miles southeast of Managua.

The first flight of evacuated injured landed at 2 p.m. at the San Jose airport.

The Honduran ministry of defense said Nicaraguan national guard officials advised

them to be prepared to receive more than 200,000 injured. All hospitals in Managua were destroyed, they said.

Nicaraguan troops were guarding the entire downtown section of Managua, which was demolished, to prevent looting of the shattered stores and offices and particularly the banks.

Among the buildings demolished by the quakes were the presidential palace, the cathedral, the newspaper offices of La Prensa and Novedades, the U.S. Embassy, two of the city's three major hotels, and all the public utilities offices. Other buildings and homes either were destroyed or heavily damaged.

Water mains were ruptured, and there was no water available either for drinking or to fight the rapidly spreading fires.

The strongest of the series of earthquakes measured 6.25 on the open-end Richter scale, and its epicenter was reported to be directly beneath Managua or on its outskirts.

"Like the end of the world," said Juan Castanera, manager of the Communications Satellite (Comsat) station on the outskirts of Managua.

Castanera, speaking by telephone to Washington by means of a special Comsat hookup, said he had not been able to get into the city because of the thousands of refugees streaming out of it. He estimated that a great portion of the city had been leveled by the quakes and that about one third of Managua was engulfed by flames hours later.

"What I saw of the city, it was like a World War II city at the end of the war," Castanera said.

Ed Nichols, a ham radio operator in Falls Church, Va., said he received a message from Nicaragua at mid-day Saturday reporting at least 5,000 to 7,000 dead.

The earthquake was the second that has devastated the city this century and the third major one in its history. Managua was destroyed March 31, 1931, by an earthquake and fire that killed 2,000 persons, and it was leveled by an earlier quake in 1885.

Former President Anastasio Somoza, who turned over leadership of the country to a triumvirate last May but remains its military strongman, escaped injury in the quake. He sent a cable to President Nixon at the Florida White House in Key Biscayne, advising that his capital had been devastated by an earthquake. Nixon ordered immediate relief help for the stricken nation.

The first of the series of quakes occurred about 11:10 p.m. and another followed 10 minutes later, producing some panic among the populace. The strongest in the series occurred at 1:30 a.m., and registered 6.25 on the open-end Richter scale at observatories throughout the hemisphere that recorded it. An aftershock that followed the main quake registered 5.50.



The Tree Of The Season

IT'S CHRISTMAS TIME — The staff and management of the Daily Reflector wish all of its readers a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Under The Daily Reflector Christmas tree

among the packages are Chris and Ann Edwards, children of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Edwards of Greenville. (Reflector Photo by Tommy Forrest)

Hanoi's Gen. Giap Said Killed Inspecting U.S. Bomb Damage

SAIGON (UPI) — South Vietnamese intelligence sources said Saturday they had intercepted a North Vietnamese radio message indicating that Hanoi's defense minister, Gen. Vo Nguyen Giap, was killed Friday in a time bomb explosion in Haiphong. A Hanoi spokesman in Paris denied the report as "an out and out invention."

The Saigon sources said the alleged explosion occurred while Giap, 60, North Vietnam's top military strategist, was leading a military delegation on an inspection of the Tran Hung Dao arms depot in the port city of Haiphong, the South Vietnamese intelligence sources said.

According to the sources, the explosion that allegedly killed Giap was not that of an American aerial bomb, but a North Vietnamese time bomb supposedly set, they said, by

a North Vietnamese who opposed continuance of the war. Giap, is the semi-legendary general who defeated the French at Dien Bien Phu in 1954, thus putting an end to the French phase of the Indochina conflict.

In Paris a North Vietnamese peace delegation spokesman said the reports of Giap's death were manufactured by the American Central Intelligence Agency.

The spokesman, asked about the death report, told UPI: "It is an out and out invention of the CIA."

A delegation spokesman had commented earlier: "We do not stoop to deny this product of the American psychological warfare."

The Hanoi news agency VNA released an account of a visit by Giap Friday morning to missile launch crews in Hanoi. According to the report, Giap congratulated

the gunners for shooting down American warplanes.

The U.S. command had "no comment" on the supposed incident.

North Vietnamese leaders mentioned in radio traffic within North Vietnam are, as in most countries, usually referred to by code names. These names are changed periodically. Giap may have been referred to by such a name and so identified by South Vietnamese intelligence.

Giap is frequently quoted on Radio Hanoi or by Hanoi's Vietnam News Agency. He was most recently quoted in a broadcast Friday as having told an Army 28th anniversary celebration Thursday that "the American imperialists and henchmen are losing and will be defeated completely."

Giap was born in 1912 to a family of well-to-do peasants in Quang Binh province, just

north of the current boundary between North and South Vietnam.

He attended the same high school in the former imperial capital of Hue that had earlier educated Ho Chi Minh and Ngo Dinh Diem, respectively the first

presidents of North and South Vietnam.

Giap later studied law in Hanoi. He joined Ho Chi Minh's independence movement and became a charter member of the Indochina Communist party in 1933.

Survive Two Months

SAN FERNANDO, Chile (UPI) — Survivors of the Uruguayan Air Force plane crash in the Andes two months ago in which 29 died told Saturday of a nightmare ordeal in which faith in God was their only weapon.

"Faith in God was all that we had. It gave us hope and

courage," said Robert Canessa, 19, whose mother and sister were among the dead.

Canessa and seven of the survivors were rescued Friday and taken to the regional hospital in this provincial capital, 120 miles southeast of Santiago.

Air Force helicopters landed

alongside the snow-covered wreckage Saturday and flew the eight remaining survivors directly to a military hospital. All were reported in good condition.

The Uruguayan F27 turboprop disappeared Oct. 13 on a flight to Santiago from the Argentine city of Mendoza.

Christmas Business 'Fantastic'

By TOM BAINES
Reflector Staff Writer

"Fantastic is the only way I can describe it" was typical of comments made by local store managers in discussing this year's booming Christmas shopping season.

In a holiday season characterized by more serious-minded shoppers and less overall conservatism, managers reported throughout Greenville that this season was the best in years, sales volume wise.

The weather apparently had little overall effect on shopping and one manager explained, "I couldn't say business was hurt by the weather because we've had enough temperature variety to suit everybody's tastes."

A Greenville department store manager termed his shopping volume as "running way ahead of last year," and pointed to small appliances, men's shirts, sleeveless sweaters, and "most clothing items" as the popular gift buys this year.

A local book store manager also reported an increased volume of business this season and said that books certainly continued to rate as gift favorites. The Bible sold so well, she reported, "we haven't been able to keep it in stock."

Other popular sellers were Jonathan Livingston's Sea Gull, which sold out early, and all kinds of cook books, a steady favorite. Snoopy and Ragsy Ann will be under many trees Christmas Day, the manager continued, as well as a variety of small and large stuffed animals.

Small gifts, such as wood items including tiny furniture, sold well at the shop and candles were popular. Sports books, a small work by Norman Rockwell and a book on Harry Truman also proved popular with shoppers.

A spokesman at a local music shop said that they experienced a good sales volume but with the addition of another store in a neighboring town, sales here were down somewhat. The combined shopper traffic at both stores, was good, he said.

Big items, notably stereo sets and televisions sold well this year as family gifts, it was pointed out, and radios picked up on sales over previous years. Sheet music sales continued to blossom and that was attributed to a larger and improved selection at the shop.

A gift shop manager reported "very good business" this season and cited hand-carved selections

from Germany as one of the most popular gift buys. Music boxes again were high on the list, "as were handmade jewelry pieces, homemade candles, and ornaments handmade in both East and West Germany, Sweden, Italy, Denmark, Mexico, and Holland. Hand-blown glass ornaments from Italy were popular as overall business boomed, the manager said.

Bike sales "were out of this world," according to a spokesman at a Greenville service center, who reported that sales doubled last year and last year had been considered the best yet. Over 1,000 bicycles were sold during November and December, he said.

The ten-speed racer was easily the most sought after bike, he added, but unicycles and exercisers also sold well. The store had 12 go-karts on hand and sold them out as small-wheeled vehicle sales were "just unbelievable."

"We are having a remarkable year on everything we've got," the owner of one of the city's flower shops commented. He said that once again poinsettias topped the list of gifts from his shop.

Artificial flowers and arrangements sold well early in the season, the owner

reported, but shoppers turned to the freshly cut flowers later in the holiday period. Azaleas were also popular, he mentioned, as were most types of plants.

He termed the sale of novelty items, especially tree trimmings, "very, very good," adding that most of the shoppers during Christmas are women while men concentrate their flower buying during Valentine season.

According to the manager of one of the large variety stores, there was an "overall good volume of business this year, in fact, much better than last year."

Buyers were more conservative in 1971, he asserted, but this year "if they see something they want, they are going to buy it." The manager reported good sales of larger merchandise, especially stereo components and televisions, but added that one of the biggest sellers was the styling comb for men. The comb just started to catch on last year and was a solid favorite this season, he continued.

Toys of all sizes sold well and bikes, while they lasted, were popular items, he reported.

The owner of one of the area's leading men's clothing

stores said that sales ran about 20 per cent ahead of last Christmas, noting that he felt there was generally more money in circulation this season. He said that customers in his store bought more of the expensive items and preferred leather and suede coats and jackets over other choices.

Shirts and neckwear were steady sellers, he noted, but the volume of sales of those items did not reflect much of an increase over years past. Suits were popular as gifts and indicated a more liberal approach to shopping.

Shoppers in the store were more serious-minded this season, it was noted, and they tended to avoid excessive looking and pondering.

Another of the popular clothing stores for men had an overall increased volume of business although it was late getting started. The owner said that cooler weather seemed to put people more in a shopping mood and they selected ski sweaters in great numbers for gifts.

Corduroy jackets sold "extremely well" as did knit clothing and velour shirts. Top coats of the medium weight, year round variety were also popular.

"Business has been super," a spokesman at one of the

large ladies stores said. He said that the store had excellent acceptance of new items and generally coats, dresses, pants suits and shoes and other practical items were the most popular.

The manager said that customers, especially women, began shopping early this year.

The manger of one of the large discount stores said that "overall business volume...is way ahead of last year." Customers seemed to have more money and bought more of the better articles and higher priced things, he said.

Toiletry items for men and women were very popular, the manager noted, and artificial Christmas tree sales were better than ever. Many items of clothing, especially denim slacks and jeans, sold well.

Business at a local furniture store was "unusually good," the manager contended. Customers began laying away things for Christmas as early as August, he said, noting that many shoppers obviously realized selections would be greater earlier in the season. Lazy-boy rockers were a hot item, it was emphasized, but everything in general sold well, the manger said.

Another Time

By RODNEY ANGOVE
Associated Press Writer

AUBURN, Calif. (AP) — Thirty years ago when Christmas drew near, 7-year-old Gordon Ross Nakagawa eyed the drab rows of chimneyless barracks buildings at the Tule Lake internment camp for Japanese-Americans and asked, "Mommy, how's Santa Claus ever going to find us?"

This year, it looks as if Navy Cmdr. Nakagawa, 37, will be spending Christmas inside another internment camp, this one for prisoners of war in North Vietnam.

He was captured Wednesday after his A6A fighter-bomber was shot down over Haiphong. Nakagawa said on a Hanoi-radio broadcast Friday that his right arm may be fractured but that he was being treated humanely.

His mother, Harriet Nakagawa, said Friday that Santa found his way inside the barbed wire at the Tule Lake camp in 1942 and she's not worried too much about this year either.

"Whatever happens to him, he will take it in good stride," she said in an interview at her home here. "The Navy was the career he chose. He fully realized the chances he was taking."

Nakagawa, who was on his third tour of duty in Southeast Asia, was graduated from the University of California at Berkeley, where he studied under a Navy ROTC scholarship. He married his childhood sweetheart, Jeanne Takemoto of Lincoln, Calif. She lives in Oak Harbor, Wash., with their three children, aged 8 to 11.

Nakagawa's father, Bunny, is manager of the Auburn District Fair.

The Nakagawas were farmers when, in July 1942, seven months after Japan's attack on Pearl Harbor, all Japanese-Americans on the West Coast were sent to relocation camps. They stayed at Tule Lake until February 1943, when given a security clearance. They then moved to Caldwell, Idaho, where they continued farm work, returning to California when the war ended.

As the parents were interviewed, friends dropped by to express sympathy and encouragement.

"We're grateful he's safe and well," the friends were told. Although tense with emotion, the Nakagawas still managed to smile at what Mrs. Nakagawa called the thought of "the North Vietnamese running out to capture an American pilot and, lo and behold, they look at his face and he's Oriental."

"I can just see their mouths jabbering when that happened."

Today's Reading

Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Starling of Greenville have decorated their home, Twin Elms, with international dolls, collected by Mrs. Starling, for this year's holiday season. The story and pictures are printed on Page C-1.

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Obituaries

ROBERSONVILLE—Mrs. HESSIE Wynn Roberson, 80, died Saturday morning at 2 a.m. in the Robersonville Township Hospital. She was a native of Martin County, and the daughter of the late John Wynn and Martha Biggs Wynn. She was the wife of the late Marshall Roberson, and was a member of the Faith Baptist Church in Robersonville. She had been living in Robersonville for the past thirty years, and had been in declining health for the past ten years.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Selma Wynn, Mrs. Mae Bowen, both of Robersonville, and Mrs. Betty Proctor of Wilson; one son, Kenneth Roberson of Robersonville; nine grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 3 p.m. at Biggs Funeral Chapel in Robersonville, with the Rev. Donald Jones officiating. Burial will follow in the Robersonville Cemetery.

Tyson

Mr. Levi J. Tyson, 60, died in Pitt Memorial Hospital Saturday afternoon. Funeral services will be conducted at 3:30 PM Tuesday in the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel by Rev. Chester Phillips, pastor of Grace Free Will Baptist Church. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

Mr. Tyson, a native of Pitt County, spent most of his life in this community, and had made his home with his sisters for the past several years. He was a retired painter.

Surviving are two sisters: Mrs. Moye J. Arnold of Grimesland, and Mrs. Helen T. Stokes of 108 South Pitt Street in Greenville, and several nieces and nephews.

Nichols

SIMS — Funeral service for Mrs. Etta Nichols, 86, who died Thursday, held at 3 p.m. Saturday at Nobles Chapel Church by the Rev. Guy Moore. Burial, church cemetery.

Surviving: two daughters, Mrs. M.L. Lamm of Wilson and

Mr. Julian Strickland of Sims; four sons, Isaac of Stantonsburg, Ben of Wilson, Grady of Greenville, and Charles Nichols of Chattanooga, Tenn.; a sister, Mrs. C.R. Naron of Sims; seven grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren.

Jones

Mr. James E. Jones, 81, died in Pitt Memorial Hospital Friday morning at 10:48. He had been in failing health for several years and critically ill for a month.

Funeral services will be conducted at two o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Harley Brown, pastor of the Parker's Chapel Free Will Baptist Church. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

Mr. Jones was born and spent his entire life in Pitt County and since 1945 had made his home near Winterville. He was a member of Parker's Chapel Free Will Baptist Church and was a retired farmer.

Surviving are his wife, the former Miss Sudie G. Pollard of near Greenville, to whom he was married in 1912; two daughters: Mrs. Robert E. Beddard of Winterville and Mrs. Helen J. Morris of Richmond, Va.; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

The family requests that no flowers be sent. Anyone desiring to do so may make a contribution in his memory to the Winterville Rescue Squad.

Worthington

Miss Laura Lee Worthington, 95, died Saturday afternoon in Kinston. Funeral services will be conducted Sunday at 3:30 p.m. at the graveside in the Ayden Cemetery. The Rev. Dewey Allen, Baptist minister of Greenville, will officiate.

Miss Worthington was a native of Pitt County and had lived in Maury from 1940 to 1965. Since 1965 she had been in a Snow Hill Rest Home.

She is survived by a brother, Gideon H. Worthington of Hampton, Virginia.

Town Tags Will Go On Sale

WINTERVILLE — The 1973 town tags have arrived in Winterville and will be on sale beginning Wednesday at the municipal building.

The tags are \$1 each and have the slogan "A Friendly Community" printed on them.

Offices Reopen On Wednesday

The Winterville town offices were closed after Saturday noon and will reopen Wednesday morning.

Garbage will be picked up on Tuesday as usual. The pick up day will be Wednesday.

No Firm Policy

RALEIGH (AP) — An official of the Educational Testing Service (ETS) says the new standards recently adopted for certification of North Carolina school teachers should not be set as a firm policy now.

Dr. J. A. Davis, director of the ETS office in Durham, recommended in an interview Friday that the policy be given a trial period of two or three years during which time new criteria and evaluation procedures could be developed.

Davis' office concentrates on research in testing. It sponsors the National Teachers Examination which is at the center of the state's teacher certification controversy.



For Service To Animals

VETERINARIANS RECEIVE AWARD — Veterinarians Dr. J.C. Bateman (center left) and Dr. M.J. House (center right) receive an award from Mrs. Elizabeth Savage of the Pitt County Humane

Society for outstanding and dedicated service to the welfare of animals. Looking on are Miss Evelyn Beasley (right), and Miss Ada Jones (left). (Reflector Photo)

Truman Slips Into Coma

By MARGARET P. RICHARDS

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI) — Former President Harry S. Truman, his heart showing early signs of congestive failure, slipped into a coma Saturday. He was listed in extremely critical condition — an indication that death could be imminent.

"President Truman remains completely unresponsive and in critical condition," said Research Hospital spokesman John Dreves. "Since last night (Friday) his blood pressure has dropped low enough to require medication five times."

Newsman asked Dreves if Truman's continued unrespon-

siveness to stimuli indicated the former chief executive was in a coma and the hospital spokesman said, "yes, he's comatose."

"At times since noon (Saturday) his respiration has been extremely shallow and slow," Dreves said.

Truman's erratic heart condition was complicated by falling blood pressure and increased lung congestion.

Truman's wife, Bess, 87, spent much of the day sitting at his bedside. She was called from their home when his condition worsened during the early morning hours.



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Application of Bank of North Carolina, National Association, Jacksonville, Onslow County, North Carolina, for permission to establish a branch at 4th & Cofanche Streets, Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, was accepted for filing with the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency on December 14, 1972.

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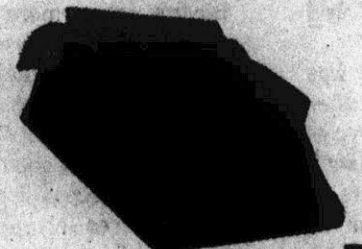
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"Share With Others" was the theme this year and Capt. Al Smith says Pitt County people did just that.

"This is the best year I've ever seen for giving of time and goods through the Salvation Army," he said. "We had wonderful volunteer response," he said, "and generous response to our requests for donations of money and other gifts."

The Optimist Club and the Pilot Club have joined our other faithful community and university organizations in manning the Salvation Army kettles. Schools and church groups and a sorority participated in "White Christmas," providing of food, clothing, and toys. The Fire Department and the Salvation Army Men's Club continued their good work of repairing toys for us. Various church and civic groups outdid themselves in making every doll

to be given away precious in her own unique outfit. The Salvation Army Auxiliary and the Salvation Army Home League worked at the doll show.

Totals of Christmas giving completed through last Thursday was as follows: total families assisted — 834; total

individuals assisted — 3,901; food baskets delivered — 284; toys given — 7,200; children entertained at parties — 7,200; and fits and toys given at the hospital and convalescent home — 620.

Leslie Garner is the Christmas Committee Chairman.

'Long Enough'

By JANET STAIHAR
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — Saying "coal miners have been pushed around by dictators long enough," the new president of the United Mine Workers Union has asserted his power quickly by firing 20 union board members and temporarily replacing them with his own supporters.

W. A. "Tony" Boyle in a Labor Department-supervised election for the presidency, said Friday the ousted board members had been illegally appointed by Boyle through trusteeships over 20 of the UMW's 23 districts around the nation.

Edward L. Carey, the union's general counsel, and Boyle's special assistant, Suzanne Richards, were also swept out by Miller.

"We could not stand by and let a little group of selfish men maintain the kind of grip on our union that we fought so long to break," Miller said.

Miller, whose election victory was formally approved by a federal judge earlier Friday, appointed 20 "prominent rank-and-file" union members to the executive board pending new district elections.

As several hundred coal miners, mostly from his home state of West Virginia, cheered and sang, "For He's A Jolly Good Fellow," Miller, 49, took the oath as UMW president at the union's headquarters here.

"This place will be open to you," said Miller, himself a former miner who suffers from "black lung" disease.

Present for the swearing-in ceremony was Joseph A. "Chip" Yablonski, son of labor leader Joseph Yablonski, who was shot to death with his wife and daughter in their Clarksburg, Pa., home several weeks after losing the 1969 election to Boyle. A federal judge ordered another election after finding that Boyle's victory over Yablonski was marred by widespread vote fraud.

Boyle, who resigned several days after Miller's UMW victory, has denied any knowledge of the murders. Two Tennessee union officials have been implicated in the slayings.

THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON... will be celebrated in two parts by Mr. and Mrs. Arch Manning and sons, baby Edwin, and Eric. Santa Claus will

leave gifts tonight and as celebrated in Cuba and the Latin American countries, the Three Wise Men will make their visit on Jan. 6.

La Navidad (the Nativity) is celebrated at Christmastime in Cuba, Spain and the Latin American countries. A small part of La Navidad will be a part of Christmas at the Arch Manning home here in Greenville.

Originally from Cuba, Mrs. Manning has been in the United States for 11 years.

In telling of the holiday season in Cuba, Mrs. Manning said, "La Navidad begins on Dec. 24 and continues through Jan. 6. The 24th is a very important day—we had a big supper which began around 9:30 or 10 and the menu consisted of roast pig, turkey, rice, black beans, wine and a very special dessert of Spanish origin called turrones, and nuts.

"At midnight we went to Misa Del Gallo (Rooster Mass) which was welcoming the birth of Christ and is a Catholic custom."

"The 25th was for family gatherings especially in my home-town. Santa Claus is not really part of Christmas in the Latin American countries."

"Another big celebration was held on Dec. 31 with a big supper and similar food as on the 24th. At midnight (whether you were at home or not) everyone carried or had a bag with 12

grapes inside. As the clock strikes 12, we ate the grapes. The 12 grapes represented the 12 months of the year to bring good luck for the new year. As the 12 grapes were eaten (one at the time) a wish for the new year was made," she recalled.

Decorations for the holiday season is mainly the Nativity scene and "within the last few years, people have started decorating trees. However, the two are always placed in separate areas of the house."

Dia de Los Reyes Magas (The Day of the Wise Men) is observed on Jan. 6. "Prior to this day, children would write a letter to one of the Wise Men and place it in their shoe near the Nativity scene."

"This is a custom mainly for children, and was such a beautiful dream to me as a child. It turns into a big disappointment when the truth was learned. If I was a bad girl, my parents told me I would get a big of charcoal," Mrs. Manning added.

"My husband and I are trying to follow the Jan. 6 custom here. Last year, Eric, who is now two and a half-years-old, was too small, but this year, Eric and the baby, Edwin, six months, will be visited by Santa Claus on Dec. 25 and the Wise Men on Jan. 6."

"My husband has made papier mache Wise Men, which stand approximately two and a half feet tall. In the future, he plans to do the entire Nativity scene," Mrs. Manning concluded.

The Mannings are planning a "quite traditional American Christmas" at their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Severino Tano, who also live in Greenville.

Mrs. Manning is associated with the Romance Language Department at East Carolina University, and Mr. Manning is with the N.C. Department of Education.

Scout Earns Eagle Badge

Rose High senior Steven Mitchell became an Eagle Scout in an award ceremony held at St. James United Methodist Church last Sunday.

The son of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Mitchell of Greenville, he received the award from Troop 340 Scoutmaster Dr. Moses Sheppard, assistant Scoutmaster W.P. Moore and Rev. Christian White, minister at St. James.

A Scout for the past six and one-half years, Steven is a Brotherhood Member of the Order of the Arrow and has served as patrol leader, assistant patrol leader, and senior patrol leader.

He is a member of the Rose High wrestling team, a National Merit Scholarship semi-finalist, editor of the Yearbook, president of the Science-Ecology Club, vice-president of the Math Club, treasurer of the National Honor Society at Rose, and a member of the French and the Chess Clubs.



STEVEN MITCHELL

13 STEPS
SALT LAKE CITY (UPI) — Thirteen steps leading to the second floor of the historic City-County Building here are commemorative of the original 13 colonies.



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Scout Earns Eagle Badge

Rose High senior Steven Mitchell became an Eagle Scout in an award ceremony held at St. James United Methodist Church last Sunday.

The son of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Mitchell of Greenville, he received the award from Troop 340 Scoutmaster Dr. Moses Sheppard, assistant Scoutmaster W.P. Moore and Rev. Christian White, minister at St. James.

A Scout for the past six and one-half years, Steven is a Brotherhood Member of the Order of the Arrow and has served as patrol leader, assistant patrol leader, and senior patrol leader.

He is a member of the Rose High wrestling team, a National Merit Scholarship semi-finalist, editor of the Yearbook, president of the Science-Ecology Club, vice-president of the Math Club, treasurer of the National Honor Society at Rose, and a member of the French and the Chess Clubs.



STEVEN MITCHELL

13 STEPS
SALT LAKE CITY (UPI) — Thirteen steps leading to the second floor of the historic City-County Building here are commemorative of the original 13 colonies.

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Luke 2:1-20

And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed.

(And this taxing was first made when Cyrenius was governor of Syria.)

And all went to be taxed, every one into his own

Kindergartens For All—Soon

By CRAIG PHILLIPS
N.C. Superintendent of Public Instruction

RALEIGH — The dream of state-wide kindergarten programs finally is close at hand.

The goal of the State Board of Education is to have every five-year-old in North Carolina enrolled in a public kindergarten by the end of 1979.

We now have 3,400 five-year-olds in kindergartens supported by state money. During the next legislative session, which begins in January, we will ask for the money to serve an additional 18,814 five-year-olds during the second year of the 1973-75 biennium. The cost for this will be \$21,727,000. Our long range plan is to add additional kindergartens each year until our goal is reached in 1979. Based on present cost, this would require a total investment of \$61,397,000.

There is no doubt about the value of early childhood education. Our research shows that children enrolled in the North Carolina state-supported kindergarten program have consistently advanced from approximately the 35th percentile at the beginning of the school year to the 65th percentile at the end of the year on the two basic test of knowledge in the areas of language and mathematics.

Stated another way, at the beginning of the kindergarten experience, the North Carolina five-year-olds' average on the tests scored in the bottom one-third of the national five-year-old sample, while at the end of the year, the North Carolina children's average had progressed to the top one-third of the national sample ranking. The results of another test showed that the average mental age of the North Carolina pre-schoolers increased approximately two months for each one month enrolled in the kindergarten program.

Helping Those Who Need It

An interesting fact discovered during the first year (1969-70) of our kindergarten program is that the children who gained the most were the ones who needed to gain the most — the ones who would have been poor school performers without the program. This is illustrated by the finding that the kindergarten center with the lowest averages at the beginning made the greatest gains on four of the basic tests.

Another finding of the study is that the North Carolina six-year-olds who have attended kindergarten are better prepared to go on in school. This result was indicated by comparing the performance of first grade students who had attended kindergarten with those who had not on a standard achievement test.

Data also indicates that fewer six-year-olds are being retained in first grade if they had the benefits of kindergarten.

Whole Range of Growth

Quality kindergarten programs provide young children with an abundant supply of the experiences which they depend on for normal growth and development. While kindergarten is important for intellectual development, it also is critical for physical, social, and emotional growth.

Research studies indicate that the early years are critical in all areas of development. The environment of the early years has lasting effects on the individual's intelligence, personality, and physical and mental well-being.

Fortunately, North Carolina is now able to provide both the space, and the teachers, necessary to provide kindergarten for all five-year-olds during the 1970s. The decline in the birth rate, the reorganization and consolidation of public schools, and the State Board of Education's triennial planning will provide the space.

Some few school systems do not have immediate space for kindergartens; however, mobile classrooms and other arrangements can be made in those systems. The majority of school systems in North Carolina are now making plans either to renovate existing classrooms or to construct new classrooms to accommodate kindergarten children.

Teacher Supply Adequate

The decline in the birth rate, which results in a decline in enrollment, also is freeing available teachers. The teacher training institutions are now concentrating on providing teachers for kindergarten through the third grade.

For example, East Carolina University now has approximately 600 K-3 prospective teachers enrolled, Western Carolina University approximately 300, and the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill approximately 100. In addition, a strong in-service plan is built into the Early Childhood program which prepares elementary teachers to work with the young child. This has been a major part of the success of the North Carolina plan.

The plan we propose for providing kindergartens for all five-year-olds by the end of 1979 will assure that every school system in every part of the state will share equally, according to their number of children.

We have dreamed and worked for a state wide kindergarten program for years and at long last the goal is in sight. With your support and encouragement it can become a reality before the end of this decade.

city.

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, (because he was of the house and lineage of David)

To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.

And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.

And she brought forth her first born son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.

And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of heavenly host praising God, and saying,

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us.

And they came with haste, and found Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.

And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this child.

And all they that heard it wondered at those things which were told them by the shepherds.

But Mary kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart.

And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them.

Wishing Our Readers A Joyous Christmas

It is Christmas once again and Luke 2:1-20 tells better than any words we could write what this wonderful observance is about.

The birth of Christ nearly 2,000 years ago brought to the earth a hope for peace and good will toward men.

It is in this spirit that all of us at The Daily Reflector wish our readers a most joyous Christmas.

Israel Seethes Below Surface

By ROWLAND EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK

JERUSALEM — The political crisis afflicting this dynamic country runs far deeper than Prime Minister Golda Meir's tentative decision not to accept another term as prime minister.

Indeed, superficial forecasts that the fix is in—that the intrepid Golda will finally agree to head the Labor party's list in the November election—ignore harsh realities which threaten to make the crisis worse before it gets better.

Thus, when a half-dozen privileged members of Mrs. Meir's inner circle met secretly early last month to pressure her into changing her mind, it was immediately apparent that her intention to quit was no mere political gambit.

Economics Minister Pinhas Sapir, one of the prime minister's closest cabinet colleagues and her presumed successor, read her a gentle riot act: You must stay, he said, and keep the Labor

party together. But Mrs. Meir answered from the heart when she said: You forget my age (74). I should remind you. This is the reason I must say goodbye.

She has ample precedent—as when David Ben-Gurion, sometimes called the Father of Israel and Israel's first prime minister, quit in 1953. Golda Meir was picked by the party to change his mind. She pleaded with him but he flatly refused, and today she remembers every nuance of that conversation.

Mrs. Meir will go to Washington to see President Nixon early next year. Some shrewd politicians here think that visit, with the red carpet out and pictures of cozy Oval Office chats with Mr. Nixon making Israel's front pages, will catapult her into another term as prime minister. But they may be underestimating the will of Golda Meir, whose hard-headed realism has little place for sentimentality.

If she refuses to change her

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Strength For Today

LIGHTS OF CHRISTMAS

In the beginning God said, "Let there be light." "The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light..." "Arise, shine; for thy light has come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee... And nations shall come to thy light, and kings to the brightness of thy rising." "In him was life, and the life was the light of men. And the light shineth in the darkness." "I am the light of the world..." "Walk while you have the light that darkness overtake you not." "God is light and in Him is no darkness at all."

Thus does the Bible speak about light, symbol of the divine presence. Christmas is

a season of lights. Tiny tapers shine on the Christmas trees. The Star of Bethlehem is reproduced in pageantry and art. Musical geniuses throughout the centuries have combined their artistry to convey to us a sense of that overwhelming illumination.

The Bible assures us that we are children of light. All testimony of the Scriptures is that heaven is light and that with the coming of Christ into the world there began to dawn upon the eyes of men a light that they shall some day behold in all its fullness in the glory of eternity.

"Lift up thine eyes round about, and see... Thou shalt be radiant, and thy heart shall thrill and be enlarged."

By Earl Douglass



By ALVIN TAYLOR

Sunday Morning Notes

For Dave Mosier, the sight of the final Apollo moon ship splashing down in the Pacific brought back old memories.

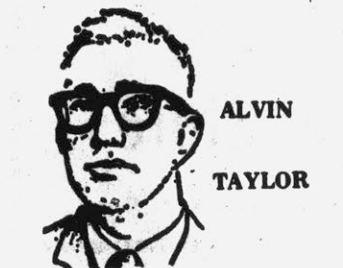
Mosier was assigned to the carrier USS Ticonderoga during World War II. And as everyone knows the carrier made the recovery of the three astronauts and their space ship from the Pacific.

The Ticonderoga was also in the Pacific when Mosier

was stationed aboard it. He says he didn't recognize much that was familiar, however. Since then the carrier has been completely refitted to handle the jet fighters which Navy pilots now fly. Of course propeller driven aircraft were the rule during World War II.

Mosier operated morning newspaper, The Greenville News-Leader, when he went

The Daily Reflector's bookkeeper Lois Mills has been planning to move her mobile home for some time.



ALVIN TAYLOR

Other Editors Say Misdirected Effort

(Goldsboro News-Argus)

A new policy governing the certification of teachers is under fire from some sources in North Carolina.

The policy is being defended by the N.C. Association of Educators (NCAE).

Under the new method, the traditional National Teachers Examination (NTE) is deemphasized. The NTE is a measure of academic achievement.

The NCAE says th test is racially biased.

Basis for this argument is that teachers who have studied in predominantly black institutions have a tendency to score much lower than those who have graduated from predominantly white institutions.

The fact that all teachers take the same test seems to be ignored by the NCAE and other proponents of the new policy.

If all teachers take the same test and those from predominantly black institutions make lower grades, then attacks on the NTE are misdirected.

The real concern should be directed toward the predominantly black institutions and the quality of instruction available to their students.

To adjust certification policies to better suit inadequate academic preparation doesn't deserve the "chance" the NCAE insists the new policy should be given.

Argument in favor of the new policy is that it give the state an opportunity to better evaluate the "whole person" who is applying for certification.

The teacher's personality becomes an important part of the consideration.

Presumably the color of the teacher's skin is of no consideration, as it should not be.

But to put more emphasis on a potential teacher's personality and less on his or her knowledge of the subject matter to be taught portends a new approach to an old problem.

Soon we will be saying: "Johnny can't read—but he has the most CHARMING teacher!"

The move was finally set for late last week just before Christmas. That meant packing everything up and, alas, taking down the pretty little Christmas tree which Lois had put up for the holiday season. So only a day or two before Christmas the tree came down.

What with moving there won't be time to redecorate the tree at the new mobile home location.

Always the eternal optimist, Dr. Leo Jenkins, has written ECU alumni on the occasion of beginning his "second 25 years" affiliated with the school.

He points out that some of the alumni entered ETC and graduated from ECC. Others entered ECC and graduated from ECU. This year the first medical school class began its studies.

Jenkins, who served as dean until he was elevated to the presidency, which this year became chancellor, made the startling revelation that 80 percent of ECU's alumni have come through the school while he has been connected with it.

Quite a record!

Not All Find It Merry

By BILL STALL
Associated Press Writer

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — Merry Christmas? Not for uncounted thousands of Americans who suffer "Christmas neurosis" during the holidays, says a leading mental health expert.

"The Christmas season is marked by greater emotional stress and more acts of violence than any other time of the year," Dr. J.M. Stubblebine said Thursday. He is director of the California Department of Mental Hygiene Department.

Despondency can be a holiday season phenomenon for many who have no history of mental problems, Stubblebine said.

"Christmas results in intensification of conflicts, in a reawakening of sibling rivalries and competition for parental favor," Stubblebine said in an interview Thursday.

"It is a time when emotions are loosed and memories come flooding back, a time of happiness but, for some, a time of deep sorrow."

Lonely people are generally most susceptible, he said, adding that increased drinking that often goes along with the holiday spirit can accentuate the situation.

Stubblebine cited one case from the years when he was a practicing psychiatrist.

"This was a fairly large family of which one member had been overtly mentally ill.

"The father became a little tipsy while the family was decorating the tree on Christmas Eve. He fell into the tree and knocked it over. Not only was the tree in shambles, but the whole celebration.

"The symbolic effect of this is terribly important. The father becomes incompetent and destroys the major symbol of the holiday.

"The next day, one of the kids with no previous problem was hospitalized for a breakdown."

Stubblebine said suicide statistics are not particularly high during the holiday season in spite of the emotional problems that might emerge through Christmas neurosis.

40 Years Ago Today

By GYWN COGHILL
December 24, 1932

It is Christmas Eve again and tonight Old Saint Nicholas will slide down chimneys and remember those who tried to be good during the year. Greenville and community today made last minute preparations for the Christmas holidays and throughout the city excitement was at fever pitch as hundreds of men, women and children prepared for celebration of the most important occasion of the holiday season. Postal and express office employees were going through the peak of the holiday rush today. Homes, like the streets and stores, are decorated in keeping with the season and are expected to reach their climax tonight when gifts will be placed under the Christmas tree expressing the love of friends and relatives.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Soviets Overlook 4 Old Men

By WILLIAM L. RYAN
AP Special Correspondent

Four old men who played major roles in shaping Soviet history are forgotten today by most of their compatriots as that nation begins a solemn celebration of its 50 years as the U.S.S.R.

Possibly by accident — it could have been any day until Dec. 30 — the Kremlin chose to begin the celebration on the 93rd anniversary of the birth of Joseph Stalin, a fact that is not mentioned in the Soviet press. If they are still around, the four old men, all of them staunch Stalinists, might get a sardonic smile out of that.

Soviet leaders always have had a knack for sweeping unwanted history under the rug, and mighty few of their 240-million constituents are likely to be aware of a missing chapter in the story, a chapter about the four that might never have an officially recorded ending.

If the four are alive they rank only as pensioners. If they should die, the Kremlin probably would feel no compelling necessity to let the Soviet public know about it. The names have been written out of history they helped make. For years the Soviet press has published nothing at all about them.

The four are Vyacheslav M. Molotov, who would be 83 in March; Lazar M. Kaganovich, 80 in January; Nikolai A. Bulganin, now 77; and Georgi M. Malenkov, who turns 71 on Jan. 8. Under Stalin the four had enormous influence and power. All were losers in the post-Stalin power struggles.

The winner by a close squeak was Nikita S. Khrushchev. He claimed that the party in 1957 "took the black sheep by the tails" and threw

out Molotov, Malenkov and Kaganovich as "anti-party," though few ever could have been more thoroughly party men than they.

Their sin was being on the wrong side of the plotting. They were banished to minor jobs in remote areas and five years later expelled from the party. Bulganin, who was premier in 1957, fell in 1958 when Khrushchev wanted the job for himself. He, too, was banished to minor jobs.

Molotov was Stalin's chief aide in prerevolution days. In the Soviet era he was Stalin's premier and then his foreign minister. In that role he was the personification of Soviet policy.

A "sly old fox," George Kennan called him, and Britain's Anthony Eden found him a "ruthless automaton." Winston Churchill saw Molotov as an ominous presence with "his can-

nonball head, slab face, verbal adroitness and imperturbable manner."

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After Khrushchev outfoxed the "anti-party group" in 1957, he had Molotov named ambassador to Outer Mongolia and then Soviet representative on an atomic commission in Vienna. At 70 Molotov was given a pension and retired to complete obscurity in Moscow.

Malenkov was Stalin's closest confidant in the

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Observations From Editorial Columns

A Principle

It is rare enough when an elected public official says a kind word about the news media these days, something worthy of note. Yet we take note in this case of some comments by New York Gov. Nelson Rockefeller not so much in the longing for a kind word but because of the issue itself: freedom of the press.

Rockefeller took a firm stand on one of the controversial issues involving the news media, the right of a reporter to protect a confidential source. Serious investigative reporting will simply dry up, said Rockefeller, unless reporters have the right to protect such confidential sources.

"Government has an obligation not to inhibit the collection and dissemination of news," said the governor, adding, "Freedom of the press is a fundamental principle on which this nation was founded. I'm convinced that if reporters should ever lose the right to protect the confidentiality of their sources then serious investigative reporting will simply dry up. The kind of resourceful probing journalism that first exposed most of the serious scandals, corruption and injustices in our nation's history would simply disappear."

Gov. Rockefeller phrased it well. — Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution

Important Differences

In the continuing discussion of a reporter's right to refuse to reveal confidential sources of news stories, two points which have been raised recently bear clarification.

For instance, in its recent statement on the issue, the local American Civil Liberties Union chapter said that since lawyers, medical doctors and clergy have the right of privileged communication "by virtue of the confidential nature of their professions," then the same professional respect ought to be extended to newsmen.

The only difference is that information for reporters, or at least most of it, is received so that it can be disseminated in a news story, contrary to information relayed by clients to doctors, lawyers and clergymen, who in most cases can be disciplined within their own professions if they reveal the privileged information.

Secondly, it is important to remember that the right of a reporter not to reveal his news sources is not to protect him, or to place him in a "privileged status," but to protect the source, without which a reporter could not function. Attempts to picture this as an escape hatch whereby a reporter can refrain from upholding the law are misleading. — Chattanooga (Tenn.) Times

Competition For Utilities

"Try it. You'll like it," said U.S. Sen Philip A. Hart (D-Mich.) with reference to competition among public utilities. He remarked that such competition could go a long way toward getting more efficient and cheaper service for consumer of natural gas, electric power and telephone service.

Senator Hart contends that developing technology has made many functions, which now are regulated as monopolies, "ripe for competition." He specifically referred to telephone service, electric power and natural gas in proposing utility competition to the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners.

While his proposal for competition between utilities instead of continuing monopolies could not be expected to gain widespread support among the utilities, it could be anticipated to win consumer backing, particularly if it held any promise of lower instead of higher utility rates. — Shreveport (La.) Journal

Happiness Is . . .

A 38-year old widow won't have to pay inheritance taxes on \$177,000 in gifts she received from an elderly gentleman friend, the Pennsylvania Supreme Court has ruled, because he was not thinking of passing on when he was giving her presents.

At the age of 87, he had something else entirely his mind, the court concluded.

Now the widow and the old boy's are both smiling. — Asheville (N.C.) Citizen-Times

Forget Your Change, George?

Funny, how things change. Four years ago, George Wallace complained that there was not a dime's worth of difference in the two major political parties.

Then along came 1972. Now Gov. Wallace says the Democrats must move back to the right if they want to survive.

What he means is that he liked them better when there wasn't a dime's worth of difference. — Miami (Fla.) Herald

Lawlessness

We were not worried about the British royal family when we heard Princess Anne had been nabbed twice for speeding. Nor did we think the throne was in peril when we read that the Queen's cousin, the Earl of Lichfield, had lost his license for a year after being charged with driving while intoxicated.

But now we read that the Queen's uncle, Lord Mountbatten of Burma, has been fined for watering the milk sold by his family estate. We think lawlessness in the royal family has gotten out of hand. — Charlotte (N.C.) Observer

Greenville

By WILLIAM A. SHIRES
Tranter's Creek was frozen over the other morning.

Along the roadsides, tobacco plant beds were spread, not with the white cloths but with sheets of glistening whitish ice.

A mysterious, steamy miasma arising from the swampy lowlands along the north shore of Tar River.

Winter has arrived of-

Glimpses

ficially now, and the town is quieting down for the holiday season.

Loads of firewood are being sold at a brisk pace.

A lady doing last-minute shopping in a crowded downtown store, trying to keep two excited children in tow.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

A Conservative View

No Millennium, But We've Come A Long Ways

By J.J. KILPATRICK

NBC's "Today" show recently explored the state of the nation's press, with a well-balanced and articulate panel kicking the topic around. Such discussions seldom get anywhere, but they serve a useful purpose if they cause the early morning viewer, back home in their kitchens, to think for a while on the great issue.

The great issue, of course, is the preservation of a free society. That is what America is supposed to be all about. The one distinguishing feature of our political system, making different from all the rest, lies in our concept of the proper relationship between man and state, between the people and their government.

Jefferson set forth this concept superbly in the Declaration of Independence. No one has ever said it better. A free people, he said, are endowed with certain rights; and "to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men." But the founding fathers recognized that government itself, if it were not restrained, could nullify these rights. Hence the Constitution. Hence the Bill of Rights. Out of these concepts and guarantees and safeguards flows the continuing self-examination that occupied Frank McGee and his guests. What of our rights? Are they secure?

The answer, so far as the press is concerned, is: yes. Never in our history have the people known a time when news and opinion and ideas

were more accessible or more freely expressed. Two factors, apart from nearly universal literacy, account for this condition: changes in technology, and changes in law.

The great change in technology, of course, is television, a medium of communication the founding fathers never dreamed of. It is true that TV occupies a peculiar position under the First Amendment — not Jefferson's child, but his stepchild. The broadcaster has obligations at law that the written press does not have — for one, the obligation to be fair. On the whole, for all the moaning and groaning that one hears, television enjoys a right of free speech that has been kept remarkably secure.

The phenomenal changes in technology have been accompanied by equally phenomenal changes in the law. There is a tendency among my colleagues, most of them gloomy fellows by nature, to dwell excessively on a few matters of law they don't like — the Pentagon Papers case, which raised the specter of censorship by prior restraint; and these recent ripple of cases involving the prosecution of reporters for refusal to identify their sources. These are serious concerns, but they ought to be kept in perspective.

Viewing the law as a whole, as it affects a free press, one sees a far more encouraging picture. The changing law of libel has freed a whole generation of reporters from the inhibitions once

felt in the coverage of public figures. In a different field, the changing law on obscenity has freed a generation of writers for the expression of ideas — ideas that moany persons find distasteful and shocking — ideas that could not have been expressed just 20 years ago.

But if we of the press enjoy greater freedom than ever, the complaint still is heard that we are not absolutely free. Of course not. An absolutely free press — a press that is free to print anything with impunity — never has existed, and ought not to exist. The same Constitution that guarantees a free press also authorizes prosecution for violation of copyright laws. The First Amendment offers no protection to the publisher or broadcaster who maliciously destroys a person's property or reputation. The

right of free speech gives no man a right to expound his views by sound truck at 3 o'clock in the morning.

There has to be a balancing. In the Farr case, out in Los Angeles, the right of the press to print has to be balanced against the power of the courts to preserve a fair trail. Such conflicts are an inescapable part of the tensions of a free society. We resolve them as best we can, then move along.

Come the millennium, perhaps, all the people's freedoms will be perfectly in balance. No such millennium is in sight. But one looks back to the time of John Adams, or to the more recent time of Anthony Comstock, the old smut-chaser, and this much is clear: In terms of First Amendment freedoms, our free people have come a long way.

OUR CHRISTMAS PRAYER



It Won't Be The Same Without Jim Vogler

by JOHN KILGO

RALEIGH — The North Carolina Legislature won't seem like the same place when it opens for business on Jan. 10.

Jim Vogler of Mecklenburg, who served in the State House for 14 terms, won't be there.

The cigar-smoking Vogler died last week in a Charlotte nursing home, after a lingering illness.

Vogler knew the legislative process, loved it, and though he wasn't power-hungry, he was the most respected member of the Mecklenburg delegation.

He was the prime mover in getting the University of North Carolina at Charlotte established with legislative approval.

Vogler was also a good story-teller. One of his favorites concerned a rookie legislator who stood on the floor of the House to make his maiden speech.

"Mister Speaker," the man said, and then began to gag.

After much coughing, wheezing and collapsing to his knees, the Speaker finally asked what in the world was wrong.

"Mister Speaker, I swallowed my tobacco."

Jim Vogler was a decent, honest man. His many friends in the Capital city will miss him.

When the election figures are studied a little more closely, it will be found that precincts which were heavily Republican in North Carolina turned out on the average in

16 per cent greater numbers than predominantly Democratic precincts.

Charles Jonas, the 9th District Congressman who didn't seek reelection, will practice law in an advisory capacity when he leaves Washington after Christmas. Jonas tells me most of his law work will be done in

Charlotte, Lincolnton and Washington.

Some of the people who lobby at the General Assembly are being asked by the leadership to stay low for at least six weeks. No parties, no steak dinners, no nothing until the Legislature adopts a heavy workload.

Gov. Bob Scott was overheard the other day wondering what Jim Holshouser looks so happy about. Being Governor of this state ain't no picnic. . .

Skipper Bowles, who resigned his seat on the Board of First Union National Bank to run for Governor, will be going back on that Board in January. I understand. . . There will be plenty of time left to talk about politics in 1973, but this might be the last opportunity I have to wish you a Merry Christmas.

Kaganovich had been Stalin's most ruthless purger, once known as "the Iron Commissar" of the Ukraine.

Khrushchev prospered as Kaganovich's protege in the Stalin days, learning much from the crusty, Jewish-born revolutionary who was one of the toughest and ablest of Soviet administrators. After 1957 Kaganovich wound up as a building materials executive in the Urals. He turned 70 in 1963, became a pensioner and began writing memoirs that likely will never see the light of day.

Bulgarian served in many high posts, including that of defense minister. He was de-

moted from the premiership in 1957 to chairmanship of the State Bank, then to a minor job in a distant province. He returned to Moscow at 70 to live on a pension. He was last seen by foreigners in 1964 on New Year's Day, lifting a holiday glass to his nemesis, Khrushchev.

Once rid of his rivals, Khrushchev had a hurry-up job done on the party's history. The previous "brief outline" history, published in 1938, bore Stalin's signature.

New Peaks Of Affluence Shown In Countryside And On Campus

By GEORGE BRYANT, JR.

There must be something to the stories about affluence of the nation reaching a new peak this year. How else can you explain some of the things which are going on?

Never has there been such a surge of Christmas buying. Stores have been packed. Checkout lines stalled as customers tried to make up their minds whether to pay cash, charge it or use one of a number or credit cards.

Take the modernization of the pogo stick, that old device used by youngsters to hop

about much in the fashion of a robin with one leg. There's a motorized version this year, apparently designed for the lad or lass who has everything.

Or take the home builder who pushes houses with garage space for every bedroom, plus an ample parking lot for any overflow.

A trip across the Piedmont must tell something about the state of things. You can't help wondering how long it will be before the Mountain counties are as flat as Pitt.

But a story in this week's

National Observer, nearly a page, really brings the business of today's affluence into focus. It seems that the criminal element has discovered a new gold field—the college campus, of all places.

This is bound to jolt a lot of us. For years now, the overflowing parking areas—looking like nothing so much as huge used car lots—have been taken for granted. The modern college generation, no matter what it rejects, still likes a set of good wheels.

It's reasonable that car

thieves will operate where cars are concentrated, with the latest models predominating. Thus, there's no surprise that the car stealer finds the campus much to his liking.

But when you stand on the corner and watch the students passing by, the boys and girls, too, simply don't look worth robbing. Their clothing conveys the look of poverty which is confirmed by a look at their feet, either bare or encased in outlandish shoes.

When you think about it,

you are reminded of a graying generation which reached the campuses back in the depression years, starting in the 1920s and coming on through the 30s. That generation wasn't very well turned out either. It looked poor and it was.

There was no parking lots at, say, the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in those days. There were some student-owned cars. A few were modern and shiny. But mostly they were beat up Model T Fords. A thief wouldn't touch one of them.

He had no certainty it would get him out of town.

But, according to The National Observer, it is a different story today. The next-to-new student car is just one of the plums waiting for the enterprising thief. While today's student may have the look of poverty, his purse is fat and his room, pad, or whatever he calls it, is apt to be stuffed with all sorts of goodies—especially the kind which plug in.

Thus, the thief has discovered that mugging those who look "down-at-the-

heels" has its rewards. So do trips through the dormitories. There are fine, little worn outfits in the closets. And then, the haul can easily be sweetened with such gadgets as typewriters (some are electric), tape players, hifis, TVs and, yes, even "pot", to mention a few things.

The National Observer's story wouldn't make good Christmas reading, except for the fact that you find out the students, boys and girls, are taking action. The story notes that they are supporting beefed up campus

security forces, so long as the "fuzz" keeps its flash lights out of parked cars and other private places. And they are even giving the police a helping hand in catching the thieves, mostly from off-campus.

Now this is reassuring—a shot of Christmas cheer, so to speak. Probably without even knowing, the students do like what is theirs—money, cars, clothes, gadgets. They haven't rejected all.

It could be that when they leave college, they will go to work and not to the woods to make candles.

Civic Clubs Again Work For Brighter Christmas

By STUART SAVAGE
Reflector Staff Writer

Civic clubs in the Greenville area this year as in the past, have been active during the weeks before Christmas with special projects designed to bring a little more joy to the season for others.

Many clubs and organizations, such as the Noon-Time Optimist Club, have collected clothing to be distributed to those in need during the Christmas season.

In addition, the Optimists have also been participating in a special fundraising drive to provide money for Boys' Home and have selected two families to receive gifts for Christmas.

Like the Optimists, the Civitan Club has been raising money for Boys' Home. As they do each year at Christmas, Civitan members sell Claxton fruit cakes, with profits being

budgeted for Boys' Home, the Huntersville home project, to support work among the mentally retarded in Pitt County, and to other civic projects.

Other clubs, such as the Rotary Club and the Exchange Club help others have a merrier Christmas by supporting the Salvation Army's Christmas program with money and other services. Rather than selecting needy families and giving food baskets, toys or clothing on their own, clubs have contributed to the Salvation Army who in turn distributes the packages to those in need.

In addition to direct contributions to the Salvation Army, members of civic clubs have manned the Salvation Army kettles on Evans Street in downtown Greenville and at Pitt Plaza. Contributions secured through donations collected at

the kettles provide a major part of the funds for the Army's Christmas program.

Members of the Lions Club, who helped man the kettles, also have distributed three-dozen food baskets to blind people in Pitt County.

The 36 Christmas baskets cost about \$1,200.

Other clubs have sponsored parties to help celebrate the Christmas season.

As an example, the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Pitt County Chapter of Disabled American Veterans sponsored a party for patients in the Veterans Hospital in Durham December 19.

Another organization, the Greenville Jaycees, sponsored a party at the Flynn Christian Fellowship Home December 20.

On hand for that gathering were the 22 residents of the home, 15 members of the Flynn Home's board of directors and 25 Jaycees and their wives.

The party was complete with Santa Claus delivering gifts to the Flynn home residents.

And of course, one of the highlights of the Christmas season for the young and old alike was the annual Christmas parade — staged December 9 — sponsored by the Jaycees.

GOREN ON BRIDGE

BY CHARLES H. GOREN
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WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q. 1—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠43 ♥AKJ765 ♦A842 ♣A
Your right hand opponent opens with one diamond. What do you bid?

Q. 2—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠Q105 ♥QJ74 ♦A2 ♣10964
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
Pass 1 ♣ Dble. Pass
1 ♥ Pass 4 ♥ Pass
? What do you bid now?

Q. 3—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠KQ1076 ♥97 ♦AQ5 ♣K97
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥ Pass
? What do you bid now?

Q. 4—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠KJ10 ♥QJ106 ♦A105 ♣A74
The bidding has proceeded:
West North East South
1 ♥ Pass 2 ♥ ?
What do you bid?

Q. 5—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠KJ8 ♥AKQ7432
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♥ Pass
1 ♥ Pass 3 ♠ Pass
? What do you bid now?

Q. 6—Both vulnerable, you are South and have 60 part score, and hold:
♠742 ♥2 ♦Q10632 ♣J653
The bidding has proceeded:
North East South
1 ♥ Pass ?
What do you bid?

Q. 7—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠72 ♥KJ9753 ♦K4 ♣742
The bidding has proceeded:
North East South
2 NT Pass ?
What do you bid?

Q. 8—As South you hold:
♠Q1086 ♥65 ♦AK43 ♣752
The bidding has proceeded:
East South West North
1 ♠ Pass 1 NT Pass
2 ♥ Pass 4 ♥ Pass
Pass Pass
What is your opening lead?

[Look for answers Monday]

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Staubach Hits Two Quick TDs

Harris Carries Batted Pass In For Clincher

By ERIC PREWITT
Associated Press Sports Writer
SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Quarterback Roger Staubach, last year's Super Bowl hero, threw two touchdown passes Saturday in the final two minutes to lead Dallas to a 30-28 triumph over the San Francisco 49ers and keep the Cowboys alive in the National Football League playoffs.

Staubach took over for starter Craig Morton late in the third quarter with Dallas trailing 28-13. Toni Fritsch of Dallas kicked his third field goal midway in the final quarter to make it 28-16.

Staubach threw a 20-yard touchdown pass to Billy Parks with 1:30 left, and defensive back Mel Renfro recovered the ensuing on-side kickoff at the 50-yard line.

Staubach then ran for 21 yards, passed to Parks for 19 and threw the winning touchdown pass 10 yards to Ron Sellers with 52 seconds remaining.

Safety Charlie Waters killed the last San Francisco hope by intercepting a pass by John Brodie, who had engineered a come-from-behind 49er victory over Minnesota a week earlier to put his team in the playoffs.

The Cowboys, shooting for a second straight NFL title and third consecutive Super Bowl appearance, will play at Green Bay or Washington next Sunday for the National Conference championship.

They trailed the 49ers, Western Division champions, all the way until the winning touchdown. Vic Washington of the

49ers scored on a 97-yard kickoff return opening the game and San Francisco's defense set up three one-yard touchdown plunges by Larry Schreiber to keep the 49ers ahead the first 59 minutes.

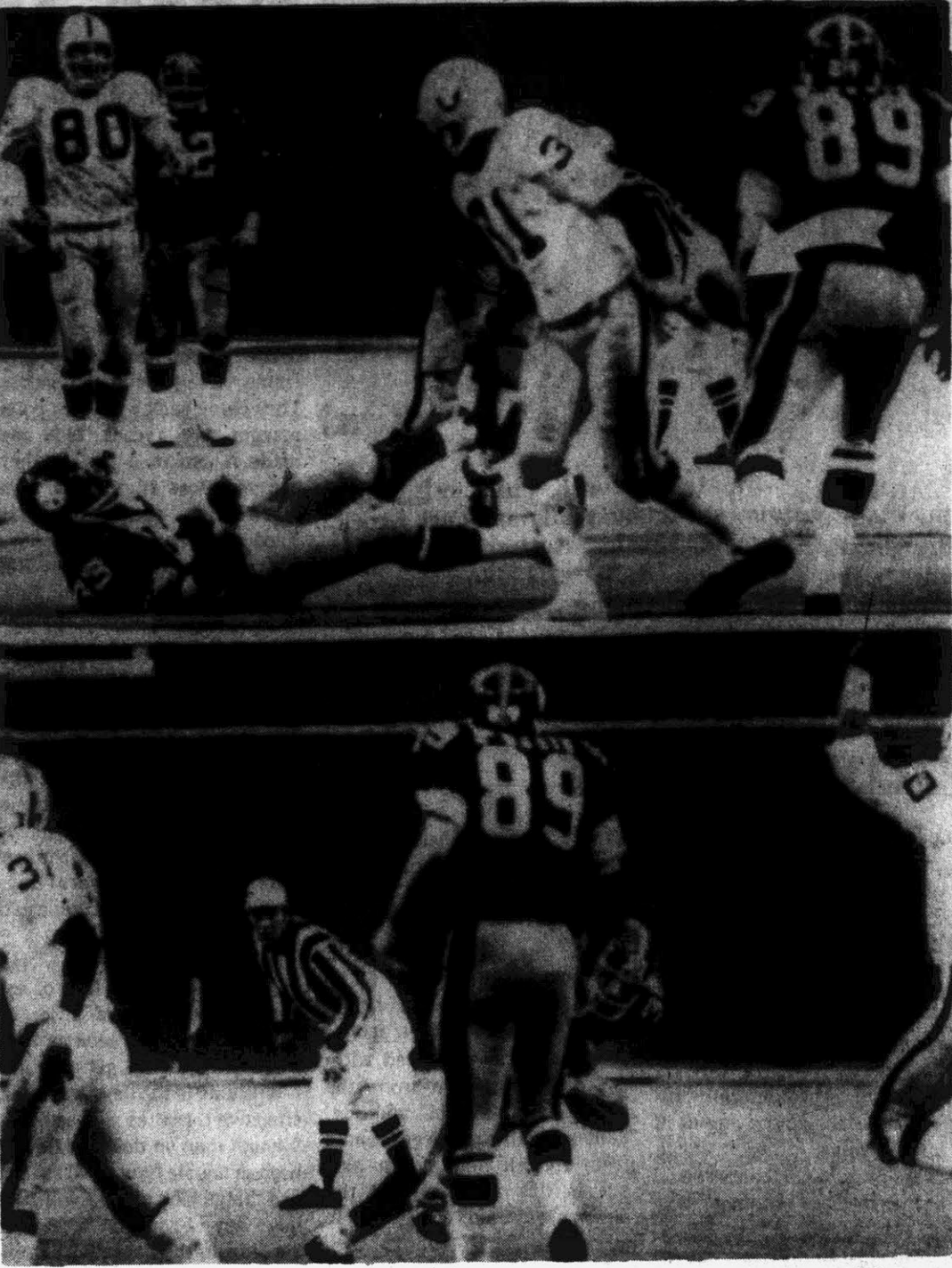
Staubach, who was injured and threw only 20 passes in the regular season, threw 20 Saturday and completed 12 for 174 yards. Morton had one touchdown pass, on a 28-yard play to Lance Alworth that cut San Francisco's lead to 21-13 late in the second quarter.

The Cowboys, beaten 31-10 by the 49ers in the regular season, made the playoffs this year as the NFC wild card team with a second place finish in the East.

The Cowboys beat the 49ers the last two years in the NFC title game.

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STEELERS' WINNING PLAY — John Fuqua (33) Pittsburgh Steelers back, falls to the ground as an intended pass for him was tipped by Jack Tatum (31) of the Oakland Raiders (in top photo). Franco Harris of the Steelers, catches

By HUBERT MIZELL
Associated Press Sports Writer
PITTSBURGH (AP)—Franco Harris grabbed a last-ditch pass that caromed off an Oakland defender's chest Saturday and ran 42 yards to score with five seconds left and give the Pittsburgh Steelers an incredible 13-7 National Football League playoff victory.

Pittsburgh had been stunned with 1:13 remaining when Oakland's backup quarterback, Kenny Stabler, scrambled 30 yards for a touchdown that put the Raiders in front 7-6.

Pittsburgh quarterback Terry Bradshaw began firing, attempting to get the Steelers within field goal range with the hopes that a third Roy Gerela field goal would rescue the game.

A nine-yard pass to Harris and an 11-yarder to John Fuqua pushed Pittsburgh's American Conference Central Division champions only to their 40 with 37 seconds to play.

Bradshaw fired three incompletions and stared at a fourth down dilemma with 22 seconds on the giant scoreboard at Three Rivers Stadium.

He tried over the middle, seeking to pass to Fuqua at the

Oakland 30. Raider defensive back Jack Tatum slammed into Fuqua and the ball at the same time and everyone figured it was all over.

Harris, the amazing rookie running back from Penn State, was trailing the play at the 42 and scooped it at his shoetops and began thundering toward the goal.

Jimmy Warren had the final shot at him and missed.

Pittsburgh, which had waited 40 years to win even a division title, ignited a stadium-wide explosion and it took police 10 minutes to clear the field for the last five seconds of play.

Gerela, who earlier kicked field goals of 18 and 29 yards for a lead of 6-0, booted the meaningless extra point to make it 13-7.

With the public address announcer shouting for Steeler faithful to stay off the playing field, Pittsburgh kicked off and then had only to bat down one Stabler pass to leap into next week's American Conference final.

The Steelers, 12-3, also won the home field advantage for the AFC showdown and will meet the winner of Sunday's Cleveland-Miami game on Dec. 31 in Three Rivers Stadium.

Saturday's first half was scoreless as the two man-handling defenses played to a standstill. Pittsburgh Coach Chuck Noll passed up a shot at a 38-yard field goal and it appeared a crucial move when the Steelers ran short on a fourth-and-one situation.

Bradshaw came out firing in the second half, hitting five times for 55 yards as Pittsburgh moved .67 yards to the Oakland 11. The march stalled there and Gerela's 18-yard field goal made it 3-0 with 9:52 left in the third quarter.

Oakland's offense continually sputtered under No. 1 quarterback Daryle Lamonica and the onrushing Pittsburgh defense held him to 6-of-18 passing for 44 yards.

Stabler, the shaggy-haired former Alabama star, trotted onto the field with 11:12 to go in the game. He seemed to ignite Oakland a bit, but then

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INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING—Oakland, Hubbard 14.44, Smith 14.57, Davis 2.7, Stabler 1.30, Pittsburgh, Harris 18.64, Fuqua 16.25, Bradshaw 2.19.

RECEIVING—Oakland, Chester 3.40, Blumenthal 3.28, Smith 2.8, Pittsburgh, Harris 5.96, Shanklin 3.55.

PASSING—Oakland, Lamonica 61.82, 45 yards, Stabler 61.20, 57 Pittsburgh, Bradshaw 11.25, 1.175.

Field Goals

Pittsburgh, Gerela 18, 29, 30, 38, 42, 45, 48, 51, 54, 57, 60, 63, 66, 69, 72, 75, 78, 81, 84, 87, 90, 93, 96, 99, 102, 105, 108, 111, 114, 117, 120, 123, 126, 129, 132, 135, 138, 141, 144, 147, 150, 153, 156, 159, 162, 165, 168, 171, 174, 177, 180, 183, 186, 189, 192, 195, 198, 201, 204, 207, 210, 213, 216, 219, 222, 225, 228, 231, 234, 237, 240, 243, 246, 249, 252, 255, 258, 261, 264, 267, 270, 273, 276, 279, 282, 285, 288, 291, 294, 297, 300, 303, 306, 309, 312, 315, 318, 321, 324, 327, 330, 333, 336, 339, 342, 345, 348, 351, 354, 357, 360, 363, 366, 369, 372, 375, 378, 381, 384, 387, 390, 393, 396, 399, 402, 405, 408, 411, 414, 417, 420, 423, 426, 429, 432, 435, 438, 441, 444, 447, 450, 453, 456, 459, 462, 465, 468, 471, 474, 477, 480, 483, 486, 489, 492, 495, 498, 501, 504, 507, 510, 513, 516, 519, 522, 525, 528, 531, 534, 537, 540, 543, 546, 549, 552, 555, 558, 561, 564, 567, 570, 573, 576, 579, 582, 585, 588, 591, 594, 597, 600, 603, 606, 609, 612, 615, 618, 621, 624, 627, 630, 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Cougars Hold Lead With Win

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
If Max Hannum felt a bit stuffy today you could hardly blame him.

The coach of the Denver Rockets of the American Basketball Association spent an exasperating Friday afternoon and night in Louisville. Not only did the Rockets get beat by the Kentucky Colonels 128-116, but they had to play in borrowed uniforms with the words Colonels on the shirts.

To complete Hannum's irritating day he was ejected after four technical fouls were called on him during Kentucky's 16-0 burst starting late in the third period that turned the game into a rout for the Colonels.

LaDell Andersen, coach of the Utah Stars, was more fortunate. The Stars drubbed the New York Nets 97-84 for their 10th straight victory and took over first place in the ABA West from Indiana when Dallas upset the Pacers 147-142 in double overtime.

Carolina downed San Diego 121-102 in the other ABA game scheduled.

Phoenix beat Los Angeles 118-110 and Atlanta edged Buffalo 110-109 in the National Basketball Association. In other NBA games it was Boston over Kansas City-Omaha 118-90, New York Knicks over Cleveland 98-87, Detroit over Seattle 109-97, Houston over Philadelphia 116-103 and Chicago over Portland 127-97.

Denver's uniforms got lost in a baggage mixup so the Rockets played in old Kentucky equipment.

Big 7-foot-2 Artis Gilmore who led the Colonels with 31 points, 15 of them in the last period, said "We finally got our fast break going after those technicals on Hannum gave us some momentum."

As for playing in old Kentucky uniforms Byron Beck of Denver commented "It didn't

really bother me, but they did feel a bit funny. I'd played against those uniforms for two years and hadn't beaten them here either."

Two free throws by Larry Jones in the second overtime gave the Chaparrals the lead for good in their upset of Indiana. Rich Jones was the Chaps high scorer with 39 points. The regulation game ended 116-116 and the first extra period 131-131.

Zelmo Beaty with 18 points, again led the Utah scoring against the Nets.

Joe Caldwell sparked Carolina over San Diego with 20 points. It was the 12th defeat in 13 games for the Conquistadors.

Emotions Play Role

MORGANTOWN, W. Va. (AP) — West Virginia football Coach Bobby Bowden fears his team may be at a psychological disadvantage against North Carolina State in next Friday's Peach Bowl in Atlanta.

Wolfpack stars Bruce Shaw and Stan Fritts are injured, and Bowden said their teammates might be emotionally supercharged if they are unable to play.

"I'd rather for them to be dependent on Shaw and Fritts to pull them through than not have them, and have the whole ball club coming out like a bunch of wild maniacs trying to win it for two of their buddies," Bowden said.

He likened the situation to that of underdog Georgia Tech in the Liberty Bowl last week, when reserve quarterback Jim Stevens came off the bench to spark his team to victory. Tech's first-string signal caller had been suspended.

"It's settings like that from which heroes are made, such as Stevens of Georgia Tech," Bowden said.

Shaw, the Wolfpack's record-shattering quarterback, broke his left arm in practice last week but is a right-handed thrower and is expected to play.



FARMVILLE CENTRAL JAGUARS — Members of the Farmville Central Jaguars are, first row, left to right: Ed Wells, David Smith, James Cobb, William Ebron, Mike Corbett; second

row, Melvin Bunch, Phil Lewis, Willie Jones, McCoy Williams, Carl Brock, Archie Spruill. Not shown is Lee Johnson. (Reflector Photo)

ACC Teams Prepare For Holiday Grind

By KEN ALYTA
Associate Press Sports Writer
Six of the seven Atlantic Coast Conference basketball teams will spend Christmas week playing in tournaments.

But not North Carolina State. The Wolfpack, fourth ranked nationally, is idle until Tuesday, Jan. 2, when it is host to the touring Athletics in Action team in an exhibition contest.

It's not that Coach Norman Sloan has anything against tournaments. Actually, when you achieve lofty national status, just about every game you play carries tournament tension as the opposition tries to make a reputation by knocking off a power. Just as the "fresh kids" sought fame in rubbing out gunfighters in the days of the old, wild West.

As a matter of fact, N.C. State originally had planned a lulu of a trip this week—to Santiago, Chile. But plans had to be scrapped last spring when it was learned that the two games of the tournament would not be waived by the National

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Bumgarner. Stewart, a 5-10, 175-pound junior, was credited with five interceptions for the Chargers, and was called a "good solid player" by Overton. Langley, a 5-9, 150-pound senior, "did an outstanding job for us," Farmville Central's Gene Brewer said. "He always covered the best receiver on the opposition team."

Forbes, the kicker is a 6-3, 175-pound junior. Also a defensive end for the Rams, he kicked three field goals, the longest of 29 yards, for the Greene Central team. He hit on over 70 per cent of his PAT kicks, and also handled the kickoffs for the Rams, sending many of them into the end zone.

Mills, a native of Ayden, blossomed into an All-Star wingback at East Carolina under Clarence Stasavich, playing in the 1964 Tangerine Bowl.

Following his graduation, he took over the coaching position at Williamston, where he coaches both football and baseball. He's won several conference titles over the past seasons in both sports, and carried a number of his teams into the playoffs.

Next year, things will be a little tougher for the Tigers, however, since they'll be leaving the 2-A Albemarle Conference for the tougher 3-A Northeastern Conference.

Collegiate Athletic Association, governing body of collegiate athletics.

ACC teams are permitted 25 games plus one in the championship conference tournament, in which all teams are assured of at least one appearance.

The State Wolfpack already had a full schedule, but officials had assumed the games in Chile against three South American national teams, would not be counted against their allotment of 26.

However, an official NCAA interpretation disclosed such was not the case. So the plan was junked and the boys are home for the holidays.

Last December, the University of North Carolina made a similar trip to Spain for a Christmas week tournament, which the Tar Heels won.

ACC Commissioner Bob James explained the NCAA interpretation gave sanction, apparently overlooking the fact that the Tar Heels already had a full quota of games.

The Chilean team had asked for North Carolina because it had won the National Invitation Tournament in New York the preceding March. The State Department and the Basketball Federation of the U.S. got behind the trip and North Carolina went, with the games re-

garded as exhibitions and not counted in the records. They also were not charged against the permitted 26 contests.

Now, the ACC is behind a proposed bylaws change to be offered at next month's NCAA convention in Chicago to permit such games to be played without deducting them from the permitted total. In addition, games against college teams from Hawaii and Alaska also are in this category and the new rule would change their status.

The Hawaiian angle is of particular concern this week because North Carolina again is on the move. Coach Dean Smith's lads play Utah Thursday in the first game of their Rainbow Classic schedule at Honolulu. Actually, the game will begin at 2 a.m. Friday, North Carolina time, which is 9 p.m. Thursday in Honolulu.

The ACC problem is whether to count the won-lost records and individual statistics for the Tar Heels in the tournament which runs through Saturday and has a field of eight teams. It starts Wednesday night, although North Carolina does not play until the second night.

The conference office will huddle with NCAA officials early this week to get a ruling on the statistical side of the matter.

Referee Had To Check The Rule

PITTSBURGH (AP) — An instant television replay of the unusual scoring play that settled Saturday's Pittsburgh-Oakland pro football playoff game had no bearing on the referee's decision to call it a legal touchdown.

Referee Fred Swearingen did contact Art McNally, a National Football League supervisor of officials, and Jim Kensil, executive director of the NFL, but only to tell him the touchdown was legal.

A fourth-down pass by Pittsburgh's Terry Bradshaw was batted by Oakland's Jack Tatum, but Franco Harris of the Steelers caught it before it hit the ground and turned it into a game-winning 60-yard touchdown play with only five seconds left.

Kensil later explained the situation. "When Franco Harris crossed the goal line after catching the batted pass, an official signaled that it was a touchdown," he said.

"The referee wanted to be sure that it had been a legal play, so he contacted the umpire, Pat Harder, who usually has the best view of such a play. He also went to Adrian Burk, the back judge, and he

agreed with Harder that both Tatum and the intended receiver, John Fuqua, had touched the ball."

"Oakland was apparently arguing that two Steelers had touched the ball successfully. The rule states that if a defensive player touches the ball before, simultaneously or after the offensive receiver, then any man on the offensive team becomes an eligible receiver."

Kensil said the referee then got on a phone to the press box and told McNally the touchdown was legal.

"That was all we needed to hear," said Kensil. There was no decision from the press box and television replay was not used in making the decision. The referee was simply clearing up a confusing situation and, at the same time, delaying the touchdown signal until order could be restored on the field."

Hundreds of happy Steelers fans had swarmed from the stands when Harris crossed the goal line.

Mel Stottlemyre of the New York Yankees led American League pitchers in fielding last season. He handled 71 chances without making an error.

Jaguars Have Tools; Need Staying Power

By CHIP LAMBETH
Reflector Sports Writer
FARMVILLE — Farmville Central's Jaguars have outstanding shooting and rebounding strength but can not seem to get out of the first half.

In the first game of the year, the Jags inched out to a six-point lead over Eastern Wayne in the first period but lost it in the next frame along with the game. They came back with a ten-point margin over Aycock, 66-56 and made it two in a row as they dumped Rose High, 70-56. Two more wins came along as Farmville Central beat Southern Nash and Southern Wayne. But then things took a turn. They went into the third quarter against Conley with a big lead but their big gun, McCoy Williams got into foul trouble and they blew the lead to lose 76-67. The Chargers of Ayden-Grifton did the same thing the next game as they overcame a sizable lead in the third quarter to take a 60-53 win. In that one the Jags had several opportunities to take it but could not capitalize on them.

Coach D.L. Scott sees the problem as being a lack of experience. "We have a lot of young boys and as soon as they come around we'll get over it."

Williams is the Jaguars' main offensive threat as well as being a tough man on defense. He has been in double figures all season and things look as if he will stay that way. From 18 to 20 feet away from the basket, Williams is so deadly it is not funny. Against Conley he burned 13 field goals through in the first half, most from that range. He had to sit out the second, however, in foul trouble.

Another threat the Jaguars have going for them is Melvin Bunch. Although he may not be as potent as Williams, he has been in double figures in every contest but one. As is Williams, Bunch is a good, consistent outside shooter. Bunch has played a little at guard in an effort to find who can play that position the best. "We have been changing guards and this is one of our weak points," said Scott.

William Ebron has been filling in here lately and Scott feels he is "One of the best one-on-one men around." He is a good outside shooter, also.

At center, Farmville Central has Willie Jones, a transfer student who had to sit out last season due to ineligibility. Scott feels this may have hurt him somewhat. "He was out of

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fumbled when rapped by Steeler defensive end Dwight White at the Raider 35 with 5:50 on the clock.

Mike Wagner covered Stabler's fumble and it led to Grela's three-pointer from 29 yards that made it 6-0 with 3:50 remaining. It seemed enough at the time.

Stabler fired for nine yards to tight end Raymond Chester on a crucial third down play, but Oakland faced a fourth-and-one at its 29-yard line with 2:30 left. The Raiders went for it and Charlie Smith gained five for a first down.

Stabler picked away, finding Pete Banaszak for 12 yards and Fred Biletnikoff for 12. Then it went to Mike Siani for seven and a first down at the Steeler 30.

Pittsburgh fans squirmed in their seats and suddenly gasped when Stabler eluded a pass rush and streaked 30 yards down an open lane to the left to score with 1:13 left.

organized basketball last year and it has taken a while for him to get into the routine. He is a good passer and rebounder but his shooting is a little off," Scott commented.

Also under the boards is Phil Lewis, back from last year. He has been in double figures all season except for the first game and has been most efficient under the boards. He has been used as a low post man on the offense.

Farmville Central is one of the taller teams in the Eastern Carolina Conference. Lewis and Jones are both 6-3, Williams is 6-2, and Bunch is 6-1 and a good jumper.

In the quickness department, however, the Jaguars are lacking. "We don't have the quickness that we have had in past years. We are not fast but neither are we quick."

Offensively, the Jags are "pretty strong." With Jones, Williams, and Lewis under the basket, and Bunch and Ebron out side, points can come from anywhere on the floor. Rebounding pleases the coach. "They can rebound with anybody."

On defense, Farmville Central goes with a zone and tries to force the outside shot keeping their opponents out of the middle. Williams and Lewis may be leading the team in defensive rebounding.

Another strong point in the Jaguars game is their bench strength. Lee Johnson and Archie Spruill have seen the most action. David Smith has seen some duty at guard.

One factor in the losses to Conley and A-G was the lack of the Jags' ability to cope with the press. "We have tried several types of attacks against a press and we'll find something. Jones is good at bringing the ball down," Scott feels that once the press can be overcome, the Jags will show a marked improvement. "Having no seasoned guard has lost our effectiveness against the press," Scott noted.

As far as fouls go, the Jags have not had too much trouble

staying out of trouble. The only game that they were hurt by fouls was against Conley when Williams fouled out and that put a serious crimp in their scoring ability. Scott also blames that loss on "...poor officiating. There were no fouls called when Conley started to press but there were a lot called under the basket for contact."

In that game, the outcome was decided from the free throw line. Both teams pumped in the same number of field goals but Conley, with the high number of FC fouls had more opportunities and the points they got proved to make the difference. The Jags have four or five that shoot over 60 percent from the stripe and they led the conference in that area last year. Scott states, "We put right much emphasis on free throws."

Scott feels the conference race is more or less a toss up this year. He thinks that A-G, Conley, and maybe Greene Central will figure heavily in the outcome.

The Jags have lost three conference games already and can't afford to lose many more. Maybe if they can work out something where they don't have to play the third quarter they will have some of their worries solved.

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A Woodcock Hunt Is Feast Or Famine

By JIM DEAN

Woodcock hunting is a feast or famine proposition. If you find that strange, then you haven't tried to divide three timberdoodles five ways. Nor have

you experienced the more pleasurable extreme of collecting a quick limit of five of these tasty gamebirds.

Unfortunately, we found ourselves under the "famine" rule following a mid-December seven-day rain that swept the state.

Joel Arrington of the travel and Promotion Division and I were acting as guides for Nelson Bryant, outdoor editor of the New York Times, and Jerry Robinson (dog editor) and

Hanson Carroll (staff photographer) for SPORTS AFIELD magazine. Nelson was looking for a column on southern woodcock hunting, while Jerry and Hans were looking for a magazine article.

Jerry had a young setter which he was training with him, and Hans had his two dogs.

Joel and I planned the hunt in the huge bottomlands along New Hope Creek in Chatham County—land that the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers will flood

with the controversial New Hope Dam currently under construction. This bottomland provides perhaps the best large hunting area in the middle of the state, and we wanted to hunt it again before it is gone forever.

Prior to our trip, woodcock hunting in the area had been superb with plenty of birds so that a limit of five was not unusual for an afternoon's outing. But fate dealt us with a handful of deuces, and the only thing wild was the weather. For nearly a

week, it rained every day. Then, with the creek bottoms flooded, it turned cold and a thick skim of ice covered everything, even parts of Rt. 64 and some of the dirt roads in the vicinity of Wilsonville.

Unable to hunt the productive bottoms, we moved higher up the slopes and hunted any cover we could find that looked as though it might attract a woodcock.

Despite good dog work, and hard hunting, we managed to kill

only three timberdoodles and a solitary bobwhite quail.

It was a far cry from last winter when woodcocks were numerous every time I hunted the area, even as late as February. It shows graphically how much the weather can affect woodcock hunting.

Last year's weather was mild all season long—I even hunted in a T-shirt one day—and the birds could easily poke their long bills into the soft earth and root around for juicy earthworms.

But this year, although woodcocks had been numerous in New Hope the previous week, the combination of too much rain and a hard freeze made it virtually impossible for them to stick around. The water covered their favorite cover, and the birds would have needed a jack hammer to break through that hard frozen ground to reach an earthworm.

So, except for a few birds, most had left. Will we get another flight of migrating

woodcocks into the state this year? That's hard to say, but chances are good that we will, although it now appears unlikely that last year's season-long good woodcock hunting will be repeated this year.

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RALEIGH — After deliberating most of the day before voting five to three to dismiss its executive director, Clyde P. Patton, the N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission spent an hour acting on several matters on the agenda.

The Commission voted on the following matters:

...to adopt a resolution opposing the issuance of a U.S. Army Corps of Engineers permit to build a water supply intake and pumping station on Northwest River in Virginia that would further diminish the inflow of fresh water and increase the salinity in Currituck Sound, one of the nation's finest fishing and waterfowl hunting sports, unless certain conditions were included in the permit which would guarantee maintenance of freshwater habitat.

...to ask the 1973 General Assembly to repeal the prohibition against hunting with unplugged guns, and also devise a new method of determining the number of fish lost in pollutant-caused fish kill.

...to ask the 1973 General Assembly to give Wildlife Protectors the same authority as peace officers to make arrests for any crimes committed in their presence.

...to make several changes in the controlled shooting preserve regulations, including the banning of the use of pen-reared turkeys on shooting preserves and changes in the boundary line requirements for shooting preserves.

Tripp Is All-League

MURFREESBORO — Former Farmville Central High School star Robert Tripp has been named to the All-Coastal Conference team as a freshman at Chowan College.

Tripp was the only freshman to make the team from Chowan, which placed five on the team. He was named as a defensive safety. The 6-0 185-pounder was the leading defensive back, leading the four backs in tackling, and using in speed and leaping ability against the pass. He also led the conference in punt and kickoff returns. Against Baltimore, he returned a kickoff 40 yards to set up a touchdown, and also took a pass interception back 15 yards.

Three times he made long touchdown runs, a 60-yard punt return against Potomac State; and a 65-yard punt and a 92-yard kickoff return against the East Carolina Football Club. He also had a 75-yard punt return in the latter game.

ARCHERY BOOM

NEW YORK (UPI)—Archery is becoming increasingly popular as an all year sport, according to the author of a book of advice to the beginner.

Daniel Roberts, an archery club instructor, says in "Archery For All" the game is not expensive and doesn't require exceptional athletic prowess. It can be practiced indoors as well as in the open, says the book, which gives tips on techniques, clubs to join, courses to take and equipment to buy.

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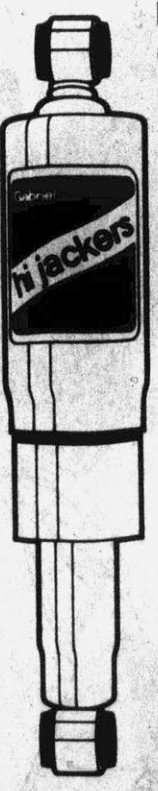
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WILLIAMSTON TIGERS — Members of the Williamston High School basketball team are, first row, left to right: Clifton Hudgins, Berwyn Barnhill, Mike Bundy, Joe Savage, Bill Barnes; second row, Ernest Everett, Nathan Keel, Wade Wiggins, Jeffrey Roberts; third, Billy Mobley, Dwight Ange, Octavius Brown, Keith Biggs, Mike Weaver. (Reflector Photo)

Williamston Needs To Get Together As Team

By CHIP LAMBETH
Reflector Sports Writer
(One of a series)
WILLIAMSTON — Williamston's Tigers have the talent but because of a lack of any pre-season practice have not been able to use it to their advantage on the basketball court. They are 3-3 but head coach, Frank Neal feels his team should be 6-0.

Over half of the team is composed of football players and the basketball team has suffered from the long season as the gridiron Tigers went to the state playoffs which carried well into the beginning weeks of the basketball season.

One of those men is Dwight Ange. He has only been able to play in two games having suffered a pulled hamstring in the championship game with Tabor City. He is the Tigers' big man and his lack of playing time has cost them in points if not in wins.

Still, Neal feels his team stands a good chance of working their way into the district playoffs. Joked Neal, "We might get lucky if we don't lose any more."

But on the other end of the stick, Neal is worried about the individuality of his players. "We just haven't come together yet. We have better personnel than last year but the players are very selfish. We are looking like

we did in the first game. Four of our starters are football players and they are one or two weeks behind."

Neither are the Tigers scoring up to par. Neal believes the team's percentage is the lowest now than since he has been coaching at Williamston. The only thing that has kept the Tigers in the game has been their defense. Joe Savage was the best Tiger defenseman last year but this year he has been concentrating more on scoring and this has caused him to slack off on defense. The Tigers run a full court press the majority of the time and this has gotten them into foul trouble.

On offense the team is led by Ange, when he is able to play, and Savage. One of the better rebounders, Mike Weaver, is "...not up to form." Neal feels that in Ernest Everett he has a promising sophomore. The only problem now is to get the team over their selfishness and let them get used to each other.

The points Williamston is getting are coming mainly from the guard spots. Inside it is sporadic. "We have been trying to work it inside but we have not been able to because we don't have Ange," Neal explained. Both shooting and passing need practice.

One high point is the quickness of the team. But this area also

needs a lot of improvement noted the coach. "They will pass when they should dribble or they will dribble when they should be passing. This needs work."

When the Tigers are without Ange, they are missing their biggest man. Ange is 6-4. All the rest of the starters are "midgets", Neal says.

Lack of development is even evident on the bench. It just hasn't come around.

Asked about the conference race Neal said that he thinks Gates County will be the team to beat. Weldon will be up there, too.

During the holiday break, Neal was hoping to get in some "pre-season practice" in an attempt to iron out some of the problems his team has been having. "At times, there have been three players doing the job and two standing around. Sometimes there have been two people doing the work and three standing around. One time there was one guy doing the work and four standing around."

If he can get his team together, Neal may be able to at least salvage a winning season.

Third baseman Rico Petrocelli of the Boston Red Sox led American League hot corner men in double plays in 1972. He was in on 38 of them.

Bruins Claim 50th Victory

By TED MEIER
Associated Press Sports Writer
Johnny Wooden was back in his customary chair on the sideline and his national collegiate basketball champions, the UCLA Bruins, welcomed his return by whipping Pitt 89-73 for their 50th straight victory. The Bruins went after No. 51 in a row last night against Notre Dame, the last team to beat them.

"I'm glad to be back," said the 62-year-old world-famous coach who missed his first game in nearly 25 years last week because of a mild heart condition. "As far as our overall play was concerned we didn't play with intensity. After getting a good start we lost our momentum."

"I'm glad it wasn't a rout," commented Buzz Ridl, coach of the Panthers. Billy Knight of Pitt was the game's high scorer with 37. Bill Walton topped UCLA with 18.

Second-ranked Maryland beat George Washington 88-79 and No. 6 Long Beach State routed Long Island 104-62 but Florida State and Indiana, the other two teams in the Associated

Press Top Ten to play, went down to defeat.

Florida State, No. 7, fell before Alabama 74-68 in the Dayton Invitational. No. 9 Indiana was knocked out of the unbeaten ranks by South Carolina 88-65.

Kevin Joyce poured in 41 points for the Gamecocks as they wiped out a 14-point deficit to upset the Hoosiers.

"What a clutch performance by our captain who had a fine series with the U.S. Olympic team last summer," enthused South Carolina coach Frank McGuire. "When we had to change from zone to man-to-man we were able to run with them and Joyce and Casey Manning and Mike Dunleavy made our all-court press work late in the game as we wore them down."

"It was a great shooting performance by Joyce that determined the outcome," said coach Bobby Knight of Indiana. Ron King of Florida State suffered a severe ligament tear in the first 90 seconds against Alabama, but Hugh Durham, the Seminoles mentor,

said "If you're good you pick yourself up when something like that happens. We built a good lead without him, but couldn't keep it up."

"We planned to go inside from the outset," said C.W. Newton, coach of the Crimson Tide. "We not only got inside we gave ourselves room at the perimeter and our outside men took advantage of it."

"We were lucky to win," said Maryland coach Lefty Driesell after the Terps had rallied to beat GW. "It wasn't pretty, but it goes into the W column and that's what counts. Our overall

aggressiveness and mental attitude wasn't what it should have been."

In other games involving teams in the AP Top Twenty, No. 13 North Carolina shaded California 64-61 and No. 15 Brigham Young whipped Fullerton State 89-68.

Besides catching in 49 games for Oakland last season, Geno Tenace also played seven league games at first base, two at second base, two at third base and nine in the outfield.

Elsewhere it was Southern California over Illinois 75-72, Stanford over Fordham 77-54, Villanova over Detroit 54-41, Syracuse over Yale 78-72, Tulane over Georgia Tech 69-68 and Kentucky Wesleyan over Austin Peay in overtime 109-107 behind Mike Williams' sizzling 51-point production.

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Karl Sparks Carolina Win

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) — Sparked by senior guard George Karl's 22 points, the University of North Carolina edged the University of California Bears 64-61 Friday night in a non-conference basketball game.

Ten of Karl's points came in the first half, and 10 more came in the last 4½ minutes of the game when North Carolina went into a stall with California in a penalty free throw situation.

Karl largely controlled the offense, taking jump shots and driving to draw California fouls. The Bears, however, ral-

lied back several times to within one point, until Karl sank two more free throws with two seconds remaining to ice the game.

Cal's John Coughran topped scorers with 25 and rebounders with 11.

Both Cal centers, Sam Krupsky and Carl Meier, fouled out with more than six minutes remaining, but the shorter Bears managed to keep the game close against the favored Tar Heels, 7-1.

Olympian Bobby Jones, North Carolina's leading scorer this season with an 18 point average, was in foul trouble most of the first half but scored 10 points before fouling out in the second half.

Cal, 2-4, trailed by 45-35 with 11½ minutes remaining before making a comeback.

Tide Table

Tides for the 48-hour period beginning at midnight at Topsail Island:

Monday's lows: 5:27 a.m., 6 p.m.
Monday's highs: 11:50 a.m., Tuesday's lows: 6:20 a.m., 6:50 p.m.
Tuesday's highs: 12:26 a.m., 12:40 p.m.

Bowling

City League			
	W	L	
Applied Systems	41	19	
Comedy of Errors	39	21	
Chatham Hot Dogs	38	22	
Piggly Wiggly	32	28	
Ray's Barber Shop	30	30	
Thorpe Music	28	32	
Challengers	27½	32½	
Team Ten	26½	33½	
Nelson's Realtors	21	39	
Seacraft Marine	17	43	
High game, Billy Wells, 224; high series, Jim Bradshaw, 595.			
Wednesday Mourners			
Three B's	36	20	
The Flops	35½	20½	
Failures	34	22	
Three Bears	33	23	
Go Getters	29	27	
Lucky Strikers	28	28	
Banana Splits	28	28	
Draggers	22	34	
Mission Impossible	21	35	
Dingbats	13½	42½	
High game and series, Janice Ward, 199, 515.			
Monday Men's			
Moose	41	19	
Pepsi-Cola	36	24	
Carolina Pride	35½	24½	

Drifters	33½	26½
LaVern Mills	33	27
Toyota No. 2	32½	27½
Vepco	31½	28½
Toyota No. 1	29	31
Grubbs Motors	26	34
Fishermen	25	35
Beamans	22	38
Team Eleven	15	45
High game, Dick Maki, 229; high series, Harry Peel, 568.		
Industrial League		
Union Carbide	292½	
National Spinning	271½	
C.W.A.	243½	
Int. Harvester	243½	
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Churches Observe Christmas

By BLANCHE HARDEE
Reflector Staff Writer
Christmas activities for the

Greenville churches this year included cantatas, love feasts, caroling to shut-ins, and giving

food baskets to needy families, as well as many parties for children and other members of the various churches.

The Community Gospel Chorus of Greenville sponsored a "hundred voice musical program" on Dec. 10 at Cornerstone Missionary Baptist Church.

The theme for the program was "Come Let Us Adore Him." The Rev. W.B. Moore was pastor for the hour.

The Christmas cantata, "Carol of Christmas" by J. W. Peterson was presented also on Dec. 10 at Hooker Memorial Christian Church.

The Chancel Choir, directed by Tommy Thompson, presented the program.

Miss Debbie Ney served as organ console and Dave Whichard II narrated the cantata.

A program of Christmas music was presented by the Adult Choir of Oakmont Baptist Church during the worship service Sunday, Dec. 10.

The choir sang Christmas carols from many countries and Sheila Marlowe and Dr. Nash Love offered vocal solos.

Accompaniments were played by the church organist, Linda Christenson, and flutists, Linda Metz and Connie King.

"It's the Lord's Thing", a Christmas youth folk musical by Lani Smith, was presented at Oakmont Baptist Church Dec. 3. Approximately 65 young people from Oakmont, Immanuel, Arlington Street and Fountain Baptist Churches, participated in the production.

This performance was the second in a series of inter-church Christian folk musicals produced by the group. The first performance, "Good News", was performed at Immanuel Baptist Church in July.

A carol and candlelight service was held at Oakmont on Wednesday, Dec. 20.

A Christmas carol program was presented at Immanuel Baptist Church Dec. 17 during the morning worship service.

The church choir and congregation participated in the activity.

A children's chorus Christmas program was presented on Dec. 20 and a Christmas eve candlelight program is set for tonight at 5 o'clock.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church The annual advent sermon in song was presented at St. Paul's Episcopal Church Sunday, Dec. 10. During this program, the senior choir presented the words of God, his coming and the preparing for his coming, in

music.

On Dec. 17, the children's Christmas pageant was presented. The traditional Christmas eve celebration will be held tonight at 11 p.m. Two communion services will be held on Christmas day, one at 10 a.m. and one at 4 p.m. Individual families will come to the church to receive communion together.

The period of preparation for the Christmas season began at St. Paul's with a three-day mission of prayer with Mrs. Agnes Sanford.

Other activities for St. Paul's included caroling by the senior young churchmen. The junior young churchmen decorated a Christmas tree and presented it to the Bonners Lane Daycare Center.

The senior high youth of St. James United Methodist Church presented a Christmas drama on Dec. 10.

On Friday and Saturday, Dec. 15-16, the junior high group of St. James presented a live nativity on the church lawn.

The annual love feast was held at St. James on Dec. 17. The program involved the story of the coming of Christ. The church members sang carols and the choir presented special music. Buns and water were served to the members present.

The service concluded with a candlelighting service.

Family communion service will be held tonight from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

The young people of St. James were caroling on Dec. 23. They also presented baskets of food to needy families.

The love feast offering was given to the Salvation Army and all white gifts collected by church members were presented to the Salvation Army.

Many of the church circles contributed money for a foster child for Christmas through the Department of Social Services. The church also assisted a few families within the community.

Jarvis Memorial United Methodist Church will have special Christmas music during morning worship service on Christmas eve.

Also on Christmas eve, the church will have Holy Communion for individual families. Participants are invited to come and go at any time during the service. This will begin at 7 p.m. Christmas day worship, including carols and lessons, will begin at 11 a.m.

Jarvis Memorial will have a student recognition day on Dec. 31 from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. A watchnight service and love feast will be held Dec. 31 from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Memorial Baptist

A feast of carols program was held Sunday, Dec. 17, at Memorial Baptist Church. This included the re-enactment of the nativity. The living nativity involved many members of the church and included extraordinary lighting and costuming.

Immediately following the program, a churchwide fellowship was held for the members, visitors and guests. Special music was presented by the church choirs.

A candle light service will be held tonight at 7 p.m. at Memorial Baptist Church. The members will observe the ordinance of baptism during this service. At the conclusion of the service, everyone will participate in a candlelighting ceremony.

At the conclusion of the feast of carols service, each person present was invited to come forward to bring wrapped canned foods or groceries which were distributed to needy families.

During the candlelight service, a special offering will be received for the fellowship fund, used in helping needy families throughout the year.

This will probably be the last Christmas observed in the present Memorial Baptist Church building. It is hoped the new building will be completed in July.

First Presbyterian Church The Christmas tree and joy gift service was held at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday, Dec. 10.

The Christmas tree is decorated with Christian symbols which were made by members of the church. Each of the decorations is made of white and gold.

During the lighting of the Christmas tree, special music was presented by the adult and junior choirs.

The joy gift offering is received each year for the aged, retired ministers and workers of the Presbyterian denomination.

Several of the classes and youth groups held individual class parties.

Some church groups also went caroling and took baskets of food to needy families.

The church will have a Christmas eve communion service at 11 p.m. This is a service of scripture readings and singing of Christmas carols and the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church The members of Our Redeemer Lutheran Church meet Saturday, Dec. 16 to decorate the Christmas tree and to decorate the church for the holiday season.

The program was entitled "How Great A Gift" and presented by the Sunday School.

On Monday, Dec. 18, church members went Christmas caroling to shut-ins.

A candlelight service will be held on Christmas eve, beginning at 7:30 p.m. and communion will be held Christmas morning at 10 a.m.

Mt. Calvary Church The members of Mt. Calvary F.W.B. Church honored the senior citizens of the church at a Christmas banquet recently.

Other activities at Mt. Calvary included an old fashion Christmas social presented by the Senior Choir at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Guthrie. The W.L. Jones choir presented a program of Christmas carols and a medley of Christmas music will be presented on Christmas eve by the Senior Choir of Mt. Calvary.

The Ruth Hill Gospel Chorus entertained at a holiday social and members of the Ever Ready Club entertained at a holiday event at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Farney Moore.

Dr. W. L. Jones, pastor of Mt. Calvary, will be in charge of a sunrise sermon on Christmas morning. Several churches will be involved in the early morning service, scheduled to be held at Selvia Chapel Church.

Christmas activities for members of Holy Trinity United Methodist Church began with youth day on Dec. 17. During this service, the youth of the church present the special music, and scripture reading and a youth brings the morning message.

A special one hour service will be held at noon on Christmas Day. The program will be presented by out-of-town guests. Singing will be included in the program.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock, the young people of Holy Trinity will participate in special Christmas services at Friendship Church, Falkland.

Christmas eve services for the First Christian Church have been changed. Church school will begin at 9:15 a.m. and morning worship services at 10:30 a.m.

During the morning worship services, the congregation will participate in special singing of Christmas carols, the dedication of two babies and a baptismal service. No Sunday night services will be held.

The young people of the church also went caroling during the holiday season.

Credit Old Geographers

CHICAGO (UPI)—If you're confused about where the Middle East begins, it's not the fault of the ancient geographers who named the place.

These gentlemen, according to Encyclopaedia Britannica, divided the vast territorial mass of the Orient into three parts, named according to the distance of each from Europe.

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But confusion began when the British forces set up a "Middle East" command in Egypt shortly before World War II, violating these ancient definitions. Despite disapproval of both British and American Geographical societies, the revised understanding of the area hung on.

Consequently, the term Middle East came to be applied to the land around the eastern end of the Mediterranean Sea, including Turkey and Greece, together with Iran and the greater part of North Africa.

American Indians were enjoying clambakes long before the Pilgrims landed, says National Geographic.

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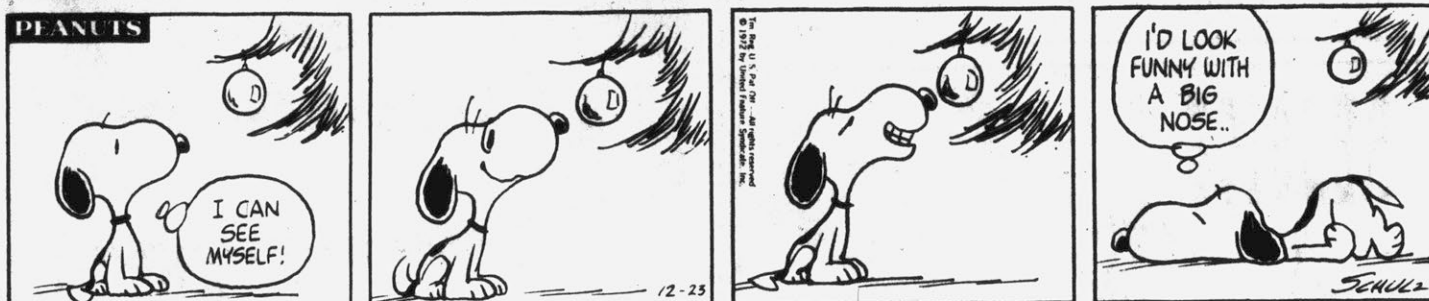
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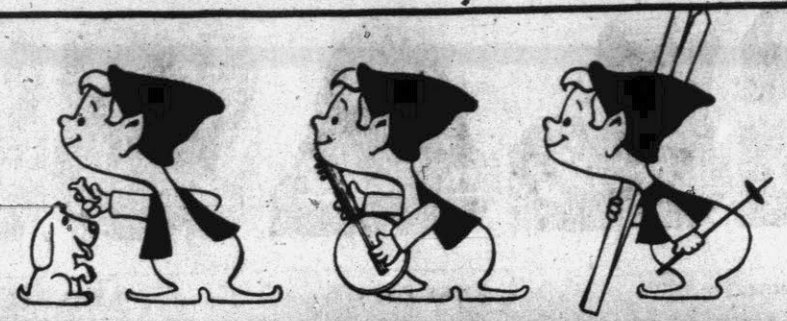
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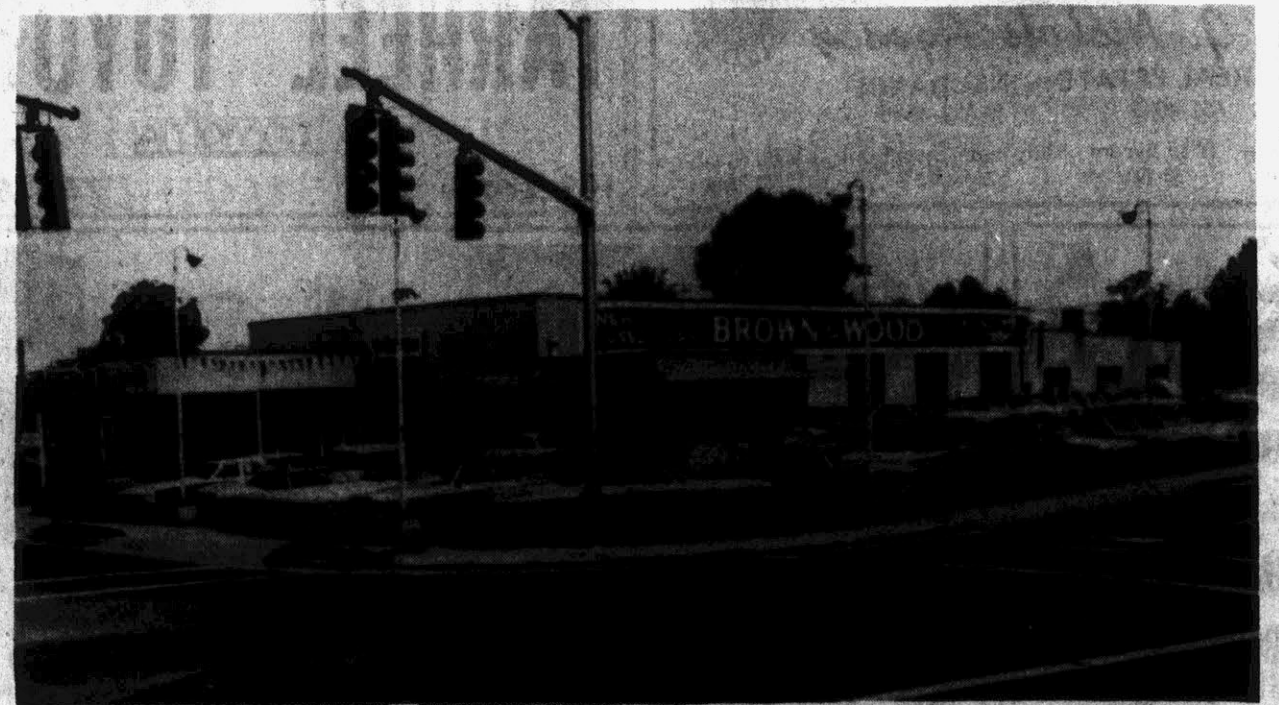
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AN INTERNATIONAL CHRISTMAS . . . is being observed this year by Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Starling of Greenville. Their Christmas tree is decorated with dolls in native costumes collected by Mrs. Starling.



A CIRCLE OF FRIENDSHIP . . . around the world highlighted the centerpiece for the Starlings' open house held earlier this month. The table was also adorned with international dolls in costume and doves of peace.

By ROSALIE TROTMAN
Reflector Woman's Editor
The door to the R. B. Starling home, Twin Elms, welcomes seasonal visitors to an international Christmas. The front door is garlanded with greenery and a big red bow. "Peace On Earth" is spelled out in red letters and on each side of the doorway are green sprays adorned with red peppers, a Mexican tradition.

The idea of an international Christmas originated with Mrs. Starling about three years ago. She has traveled in 26 foreign countries and all the states with the exception of Alaska and North Dakota. From the countries visited, she has specially collected at least one native doll in costume and these dolls are highlighted throughout the house.

The Christmas tree, in the living room, features dolls from Mexico, France, Indonesia, England, Bimini, Greece, India, the Philippines, Italy, Yugoslavia, Japan, Ceylon, Thailand, Syria, Hong Kong, Ireland, and Pakistan.

Of special interest also in the living room is the hearth, which features wooden shoes, from The Netherlands, filled with straw and carrots.

On Dec. 8, Mr. and Mrs. Starling entertained at an open house at their home. The theme of the event emphasized "international friendship and understanding."

The guest list included about 30 local Pilot International friends from India, Germany, Brazil, Cuba, Taiwan, Japan, Spain, China, El Salvador, Chile, England, Colombia and Holland.

The lawn, front porch and most of the 12-room house showed Christmas customs in many lands. International costumes were worn by many of those who assisted during the party. Mrs. Starling wore a green and gold sari which was made by her Pilot International friend, Mrs. Avis Shaikh, from India. Mrs. Starling became close friends with Mr. and Mrs. Shaikh when she attended their wedding a few months ago.

The dining room table centerpiece contained a globe of the world on a silver pedestal. Leaves, berries and flags from many nations surrounded the base. International dolls formed a friendly circle around the world and two white doves of peace were perched above the globe. Mrs. Starling painted a circle of clasped cardboard hands of different traces which encircled the world.

Mrs. Starling said her centerpiece represents these feelings: "Regardless of what race, religion or nationality people are, international friendship and understanding can cause people from all nations to join hands in a circle of friendship which can reach around the world."

"See this headband and cloth from Syria? When I was



HER PILOT FRIEND . . . Avis Shaikh, seated, and Mrs. Starling is wearing a green and gold sari made by Mrs. Shaikh. her husband, J. K., were among the 180 guests who called during the recent open house of the Starlings.

there in 1957, Syria and the United States were about to go to war against each other. The Syrian people were as friendly and kind to me as next door neighbors.

"My Arab lady doll and Jewish shepherd bring exciting memories of the Holy Land. Arab soldiers behind sand bags were on the Jerusalem wall outside our American Colony Hotel. Their guns were pointed toward Israel on the other side of a narrow strip of 'neutral' land. We were told not to go on the balcony or we may be killed," recalled Mrs. Starling.

Mrs. Starling was one of 36 ACWW "international friendship" delegates to Ceylon who had been allowed into the Holy Land after 'no tourist' warnings were up. "War was about to start. Imagine our excitement when United Nations cars took us to their headquarters and briefed us on the problems of both Israel and Jordan.

"This experience helps to try to see and understand both sides of problems instead of jumping at conclusions when I have only half of the facts," continued Mrs.

Starling.

"The world-famous Bertha Spafford Vesters and I became good friends in Jerusalem. She said, 'I am giving you this inlaid box to remember me by.' We wrote letters to each other regularly, until she died a few years ago," added Mrs. Starling.

Lady de Soysa of Colombo, Ceylon, and Mrs. Starling have been pen pals for 18 years. "My Ceylon doll brings happy memories of having dinner in her beautiful mansion and riding one of her elephants. I also enjoy thinking about attending the magnificent reception the prime minister of Ceylon gave to honor our ACWW delegates. The governor general also gave a dinner party for us.

"One of my most loved souvenirs is my friendship pillow. In 1953, I was a delegate to an International ACWW meeting in Toronto, Canada. I spent most of two weeks with ladies from 29 different countries. When it was time to say good-bye, we felt like sisters being separated to live on different parts of the earth. Most of my international friends wrote

their names and addresses on my pillow with indelible ink. They wrote their names and addresses on my heart with indelible love," she continued.

During the years that followed Mrs. Starling corresponded with 64 pen pals in 23 foreign countries.

In telling of an experience of several years ago Mrs. Starling said, "A piece of coral I picked up on Wake Island helps give a thankful heart. Our plane from Japan to Hawaii had engine trouble and we landed on Wake Island, where we took off and relanded four times in two days.

"We finally reached Hawaii with the plane just clearing the water. We were glad to leave the 'Romance of the Skies' plane. Soon after this experience, that same plane went down in the Pacific Ocean and all passengers and crew members died."

In conclusion Mrs. Starling said, "Now I am humbly thankful to God and to each individual who has helped me know and share a deeper understanding and a deeper love for people all around the world."

With The Women

The Daily Reflector, Greenville, N.C.—Sunday, December 24, 1972

1972 Mirrors Women's Triumphs And Setbacks

By GAY PAULEY
UPI Women's Editor
NEW YORK (UPI)—Put a mirror again to the news of 1972 affecting and involving women and you'll see reflected both triumphs and setbacks for the fairer sex.

Both extremes showed in the gamut of events from politics to the economy to women's liberation to the fashion world, even to the monarchies of Europe.

Politics saw the women more active than ever before in a presidential election year but also saw the elimination of women power in the U.S. Senate.

Liberation movements plowed steadily on but as the year ended the equal rights amendment still was stalemated.

Income rose, but so did prices, despite the Nixon administration's anti-inflation regulations.

The fashion world was off on its own liberation kick with easier and more informal clothes for women. But is lost two of its all-time great designers.

Happy Anniversary
There were the usual marriages.

ges, the usual divorces among the famous. But the Queen of Britain and husband Philip observed a silver anniversary. And Denmark got its first reigning queen.

Now, let's look at the details of the Women's World 1972.

The women had a voting strength estimated at 52.5 per cent of the nation's 140 million eligible voters. They reaped the rewards of persistence in the campaign by being named top advisers to the candidates, having their problems considered as important issues, and putting more women candidates in the field than ever before.

There were three women on minor presidential party tickets but the results of their efforts were obscured by the Richard Milhous Nixon landslide.

Even the landslide wasn't enough to help carry Margaret Chase Smith to victory in her race for another term in the U.S. Senate.

Mrs. Smith, the Maine Republican, 74, was defeated by Rep. William Hathaway, 48.

Women in Congress
Women fared better in races for House of Representatives seats.

Democrat Barbara Jordan became the first black woman elected to Congress from the South when she defeated Republican Paul Merritt in Texas. Miss Jordan joins Shirley Chisholm, D-N. Y., and Zvonke Brathwaite Burke, D-Calif., in the lineup of black women in the House.

Re-elected were Rep. Ella T. Grasso, D-Conn.; Patsy T. Mink, D-Hawaii; Bella Abzug, D-N. Y. (she defeated Mrs. William Ryan, widow of the congressman from New York's 20th district); Leonor K. Sullivan, D-Mo.; Margaret M. Heckler, R-Mass.; Edith Green, D-Ore.; Julia Butler Hansen, D-Wash.; and Martha W. Griffiths, D-Mich.

In other House races, Elizabeth Holtzman, a Democrat, won a first term in New York's 16th district; Marjorie Holt, a Republican, won in Maryland's fourth district, and Patricia Schroeder, a Denver Democrat, upset Rep. James D. McKeivitt, R-Colo.

Women shone in the spotlight at both party convention.

Anne Armstrong, wife of a wealthy Texas rancher, served as co-chairman of the Republi-

can National Convention. Yvonne Brathwaite Burke became a familiar face to television viewers during the Democratic National Convention when she helped preside over convention floor proceedings.

And Jean Westwood, with the support of Sen. George McGovern, the Democratic presidential candidate, became the first woman in history to head a national committee.

Mrs. Wallace carries on. Her husband was out of the race . . . cut down and paralyzed partially by an attempted assassination she campaigned for the Democratic presidential nomination. Out Mrs. George C. Wallace made a poignant figure at the Democrats' convention as she watched her husband wheeled onto the platform in Miami Beach to address delegates.

Both Mrs. Richard Nixon and Mrs. George McGovern hit the campaign trails on behalf of their husbands. Mrs. McGovern overdid a bit and ended up hospitalized briefly for a rest.

Mrs. Nixon, who's been at the side of her husband campaigning since 1946, proved just as

durable in 1972 (at the age of 60) as she had when her husband was seeking a congressional post 26 years ago.

The Republicans gave her a special salute at their convention in Miami Beach in August, much of it in tribute to her travels to the People's Republic of China and to Russia earlier in the year with the president.

One "casualty" of the Republican campaign, if casualty is the word, was John N. Mitchell. The former attorney general in the Nixon administration was set to direct the president's reelection campaign.

But his wife Martha, never one who doesn't speak her mind, gave her husband an ultimatum—either he got out of politics or she was leaving. Mitchell got out of politics.

The Kennedy campaign
The name of a Kennedy was missing on a national ticket, but the Kennedys were campaigning nevertheless. Sen. Edward M. Kennedy of Massachusetts and his family pitched in for McGovern. And one of the busiest volunteers on the McGovern staff was Kathleen Kennedy, oldest child of Ethel and Robert Kennedy.

A major issue of the campaign was the national economy. The Nixon forces claimed the president's wage and price guideline program was slowing inflation and that the economy was moving into a healthy new era.

As the year ended, income was at its highest, a record number of persons were at work, and the stock market was way up, with the oldtime barometer, the Dow Jones averages, bouncing past 1,000.

The woman shopper, however, found her food bill going higher. For 1972 as a whole, economists in Washington said the food price index will be up more than four per cent—a greater increase than last year, but smaller than the gains of 1969 and 1970.

They expected gains in the first half of 1973, however, to be smaller than those posted in the first half of 1972.

Consumerism
Consumers and their spokesmen went right on with their campaigns for better products, better packaging, truth in labelling. There were two major developments along these lines.

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) put under strict control the germ killer hexachlorophene. The germicide, commonly used in home and hospital, had been linked to the deaths of 39 French babies this year.

Hexachlorophene has been contained in hundreds of deodorants, soaps, shampoos, toothpastes, cleansers and cosmetics involving thousands of brand names.

And DDT fell by the wayside as the government's Environmental Protection Agency ordered a ban effective at the end of '72 on the pesticide.

In the fashion world, the news was hardly revolutionary. Designers returned to what some called "sanity", revived the classics in dress and sportswear. No one talked much about hemlines—here, almost anything would go. And the informal pantsuit and pants with sweater or shirt seemed here to stay.

Two of the great names in fashion died—Cristobal Balenciaga in Paris at the age of 77. Norman Norell in New York at 72.

Women's liberationists moved

quietly about their job most of the year—perhaps being most vocal during the political campaigns.

Issues such as abortion, quotas for minority hiring and equal pay for equal work were at the national political conventions. But neither side took a platform position on abortion or quotas. Both parties publicly favored equal pay for equal work.

Even so, the ladies have a long way to go. Congress last March ratified a 27th amendment to the constitution guaranteeing women equal rights with men.

However, the amendment needs ratification by three-fourths (38) of the states. As the year ended, the amendment was well short of the necessary total.

During the year, there were these events which helped to advance the feminine causes.

President Nixon signed into law legislation for the first real survivor benefits for widows personnel. Retirement pay in the past generally had ended when the retiree died. Under the new law, survivors will

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Brides-Elect Announce Forthcoming Wedding Plans



MISS GERALDINE FLOWERS VIVERETTE... is the daughter of Mrs. Robert Staton and Mr. Charles Viverette of Richmond, Va., who announce her engagement to Cecil Neville Harrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel N. Harrell of Greenville. The wedding will take place March 10.



MISS PATTIE ANN BOYD... is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Franklin Boyd of Greenville, who announce her engagement to James E. Allen, son of Mrs. Paul Joseph Allen Jr. of Farmville, and the late Mr. Allen. The wedding will take place Feb. 18.



MISS VIDA LYNN BLACKLEY... is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Blackley of Farmville, who announce her engagement to David Michael McLawhorn, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.A. McLawhorn Jr. of Bell Arthur. The wedding will take place Jan. 20.

Women's

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continue to draw up to 55 per cent of what the retiree was paid.

Acting director of the FBI, L. Patrick Gray III, opened the agency's all-male ranks to

women agents for the first time. As the year closed, two women were graduated from the FBI's stringent 14-week course, more were in training, still more women had applied for agents' jobs.

The nation got its first woman admiral—Alene Berthe Duerk, a captain in the Navy

Nurse Corps.

The Navy also announced that women now will be allowed to apply for sea duty in almost all noncombat shipboard jobs.

Women in religion

In the world of religion, women stepped ahead when the nation's first female rabbi was ordained. She is Sally J. Priesand, 25, ordained at the Isaac M. Wise Temple in Cincinnati. Miss Priesand said of the women's liberation movement that she was not an "activist" but it was time for "all of us to overcome our psychological and emotional problems."

By contrast, women of the Catholic Church were barred from even the smallest formal role in the ministry. Pope Paul so decreed in September, spurning appeals from cardinals and feminist groups alike.

The Pope ruled, however, that women may continue to read from the Bible to the congregations during Mass and perform some altar services.

Women made their mark in business and in sports during the year. Several women were named to company board of directorships including one woman elected to the board of General Motors. Miss Catherine B. Cleary, 55, president of the First Wisconsin Trust Co., Milwaukee, became the first woman on the GM board.

In sports, Billie Jean King

was ranked the number one woman tennis player in the country for the third straight year by the U.S. Lawn Tennis Association. Mrs. King, 29, is the first woman ever to top earnings of \$100,000 in a year in the sport.

Batter up

Mrs. Bernice Gera, a 40-year-old resident of New York, went to court and won the right to act as umpire. She'd been denied a position in the minor leagues because of her sex. But after New York State's highest court ruled she might call 'em drom behind home plate, Mrs. Gera decided to dump it all for the time and go home to her family.

European royalty, rarely out of the news, was very much in it in 1972.

Britain's Queen Elizabeth II

and Prince Philip marked their 25th wedding anniversary with church services and parties for friends and family. The palace also asked all those who were married on the same day, Nov. 20, to write in for an invitation closed.

Happiness was the rule for British royalty as the year closed.

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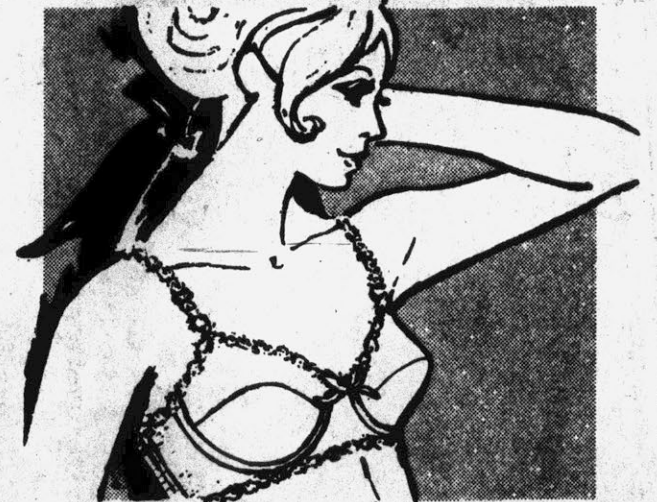
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WILSON — Miss Janet Rayonelle Barnes became the bride of Charles Frederick Phillips in a ceremony Saturday at 11 a.m. in the First Christian Church of Wilson.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Barnes of Wilson. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee Phillips of Wilson.

Officiating at the double ring ceremony was James Wallace.

Presenting a program of nuptial music was Miss Jane McGoogan of Wilson, organist, and Mrs. Tina Pfohl of Wilson, soloist. She sang "Ave Maria," "Eternal Life" and "Love Never Faleth."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a candlelight gown of slipper satin and chantilly lace designed with a lace-covered bodice, scooped back, front A-line skirt enhanced by lace appliques. The satin chapel length train which flowed from her shoulders was edged with scalloped chantilly lace.

Her headpiece was a fingertip veil of illusion attached to a matching lace and satin covered camelot headpiece designed by her mother. She carried bouquet of geyophilla and butterfly orchids centered with off-white orchids.

Mrs. Janet Robinson Phillips, sister-in-law of the bridegroom, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Mary Gwen Phillips and Miss Martha Katherine Barnes, both of Wilson and cousins of the bride, Miss Betty Lynne Weaver of Wilson, and Miss Judy Carol Phillips of Wilson, sister of the bridegroom.

The attendants wore matching



MRS. CHARLES FREDERICK PHILLIPS

Juliet styled dressed of ruby red velvet and carried white muffs with holly and red berries attached.

The honor attendant wore a

Juliet cap of white fur designed with holly and red berries. The bridesmaids wore circles of rolled red velvet crossing in the back allowing two streamers to hang free. Holly and red berries were attached at the point of crossing of the circle.

Charles Lee Phillips served his son as best man. Ushers were John Oakley Beland of Wilson, William Henry Barnes Jr., brother of the bride, of Greenville, Ernest Phillips Barnes of Wilson, brother of the bride, Frank Edwin Phillips of Wilson, brother of the bridegroom, Charles Richard Oates of Greenville, James Spencer Johnson of Boone and Hart Turner Wiggins of Wilson.

Judith Caroline Edwards of Burlington, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl. William Hines Cunningham of Wilson was ring bearer.

The flower girl wore a dress and headpiece styled identical of that of the other attendants.

The bride is a student at Ralph L. Fike Senior High, Wilson. The bridegroom is a graduate of Fike High School and attended Lenoir Community College and

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On The Local Scene

by Rosalie Trotman

Vida Blackley and Mike McLawhorn, who will be married Jan. 20, were friends during high school, but the night of their graduation from Farmville High School was only their second date.

Vida attended Atlantic Christian College and now works in Farmville. Mike is a drafting student at Pitt Technical Institute and works part-time at the ECU Regional Development Institute.

They are both members of the Young Christian Singers, a group which sings contemporary Christian songs at churches in the area on invitation.

The Black Jack Free Will Baptist Church will be the scene of the March 25 wedding of Phyllis Boyd and Eddie Echerd. The couple were introduced by a mutual friend on a blind date.

The bride is a graduate of East Carolina University with a B.S. in elementary education and received her Masters of Education from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. She is now a teacher in the Winston-Salem Schools.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Auburn University with a degree in civil engineering. He served as a lieutenant in the U.S. Army and is presently employed as an engineer with DuPont, Corpus Christi, Tex.

The couple will make their home in Texas following their wedding.

This Christmas will be merrier for Joann Lansche. The reason — last week's Hanoi radio broadcast carried a Christmas message from Capt. Alan Rose, whose name is on Joann's POW bracelet.

Joann bought her POW bracelet about three months ago from the local Headquarters. Capt. Rose has been a POW since June 21 of this year.

His message was sent to his wife, Mrs. Rebecca Rose, and son, Glenn, age four, who live in Goldsboro.

Joann read in The Daily Reflector about the radio broadcast. "I was so happy — this was a great Christmas present for me because I had prayed and wished for Capt. Rose to be alive and hopefully released soon," Joann said.

Joann has sent The Rose's a Christmas card and a message that she is wearing his bracelet.

A sophomore at J. H. Rose High School, Joann is the daughter of Mrs. Virginia Lansche of Greenville.

The safari look for men and women will turn up in casual unisex suits for spring. The mark of the safari suit: leather trims, saddle stitching and welt seams. Most have four pockets on the belted jacket.

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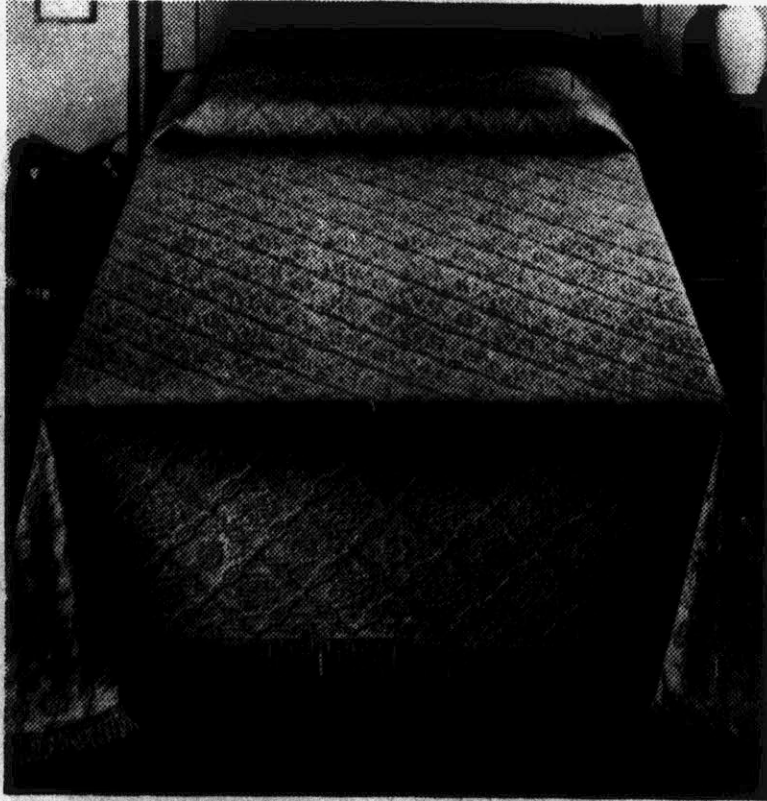
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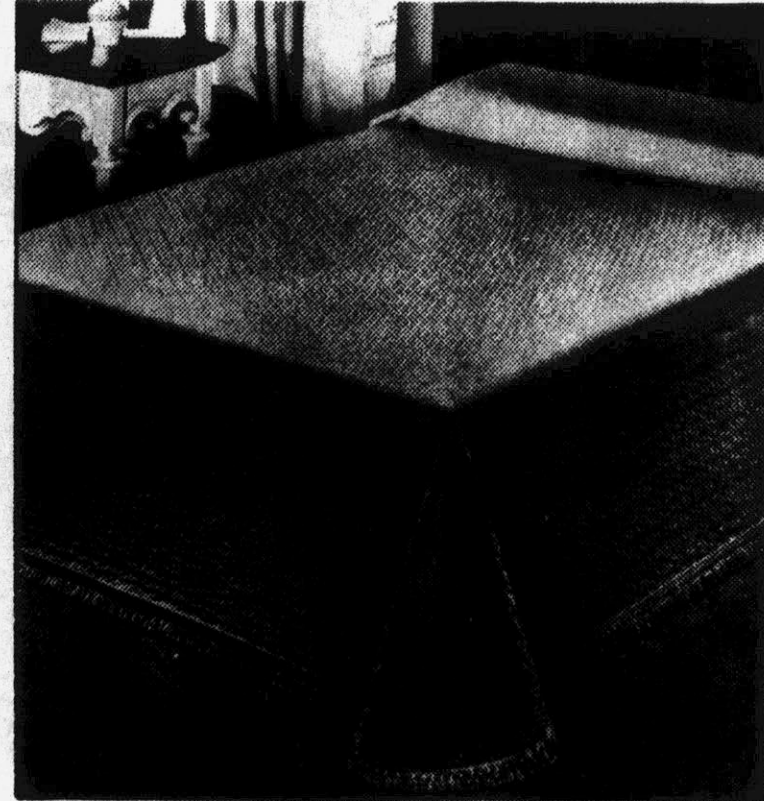
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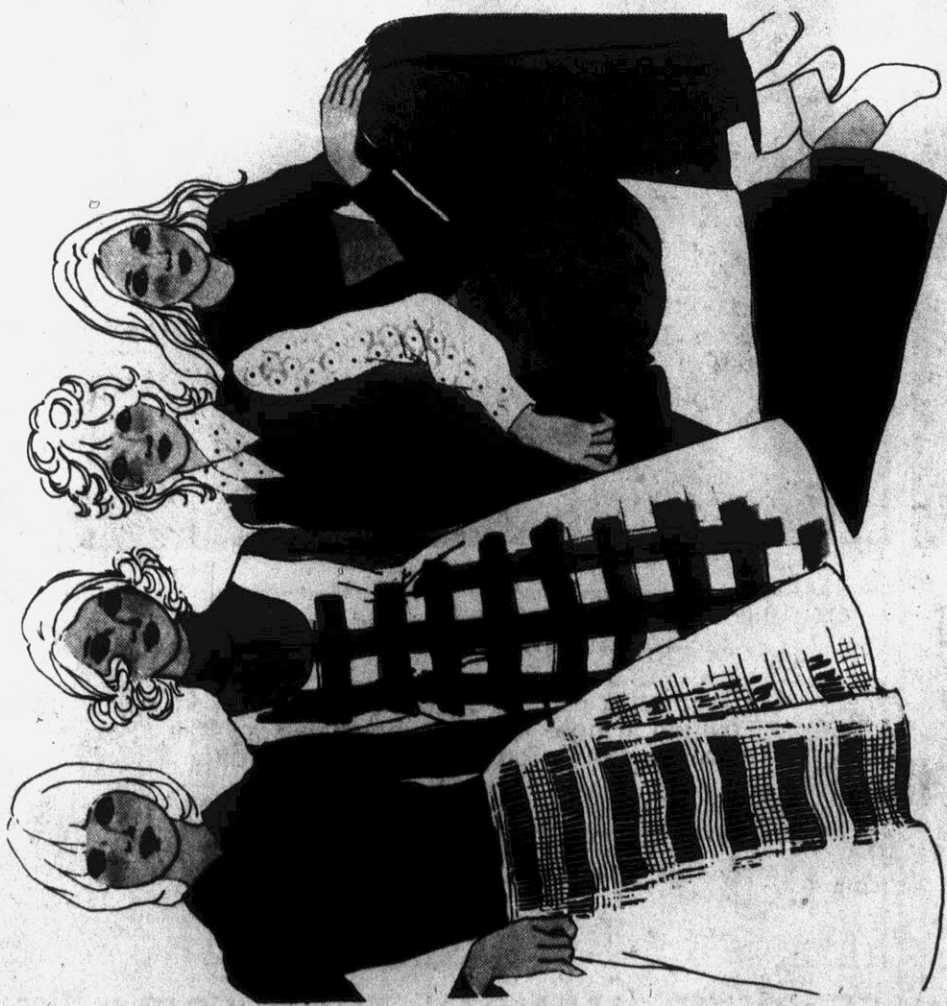
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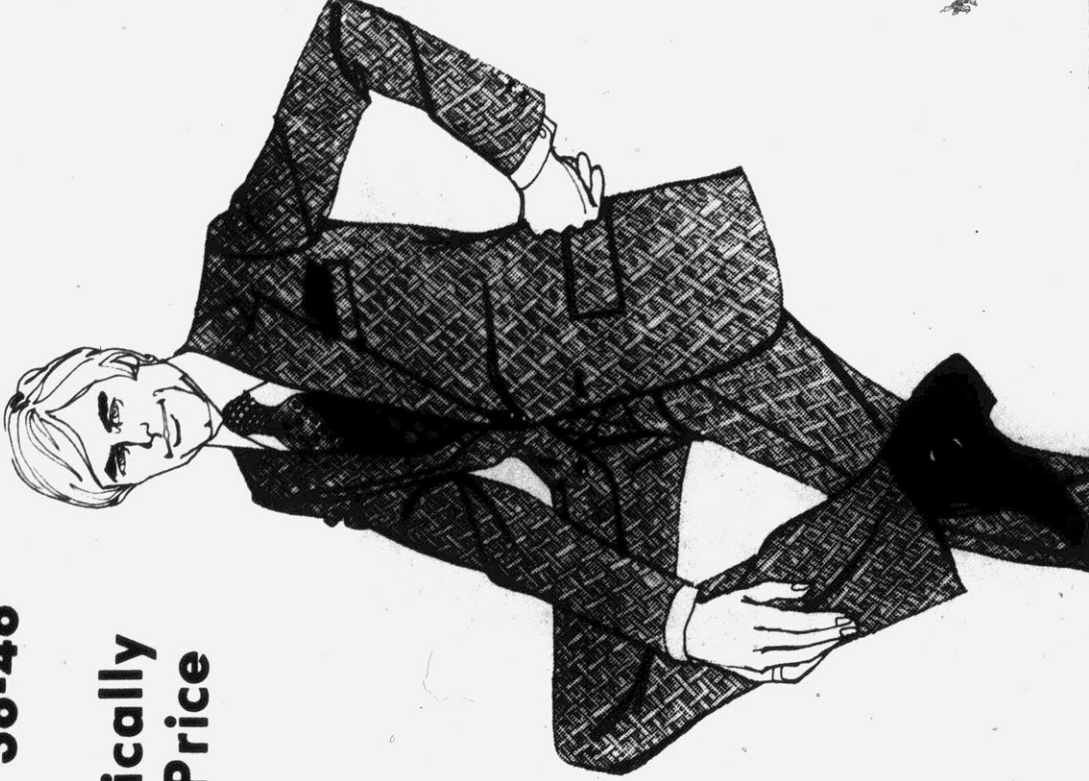
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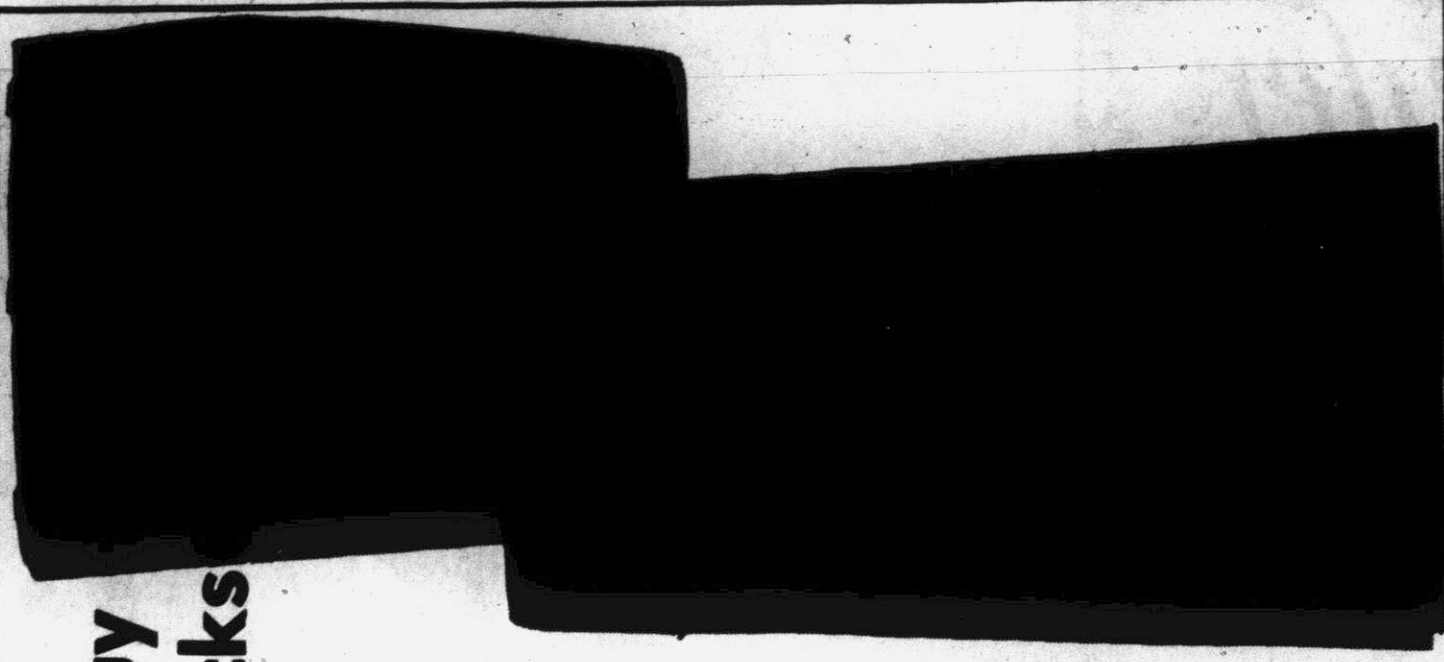
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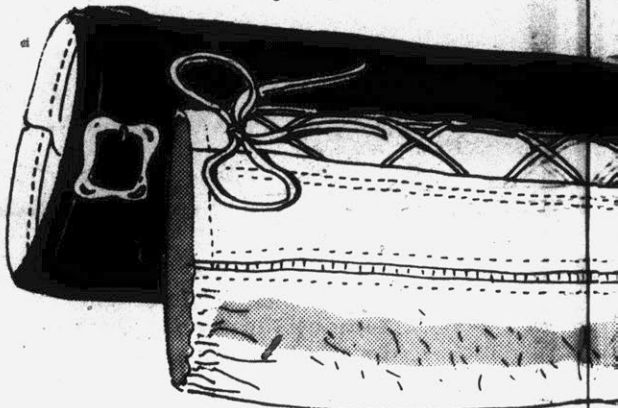


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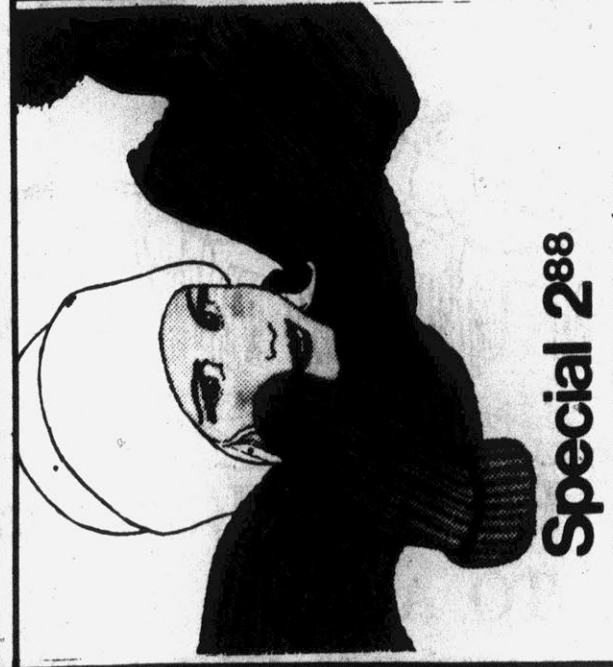
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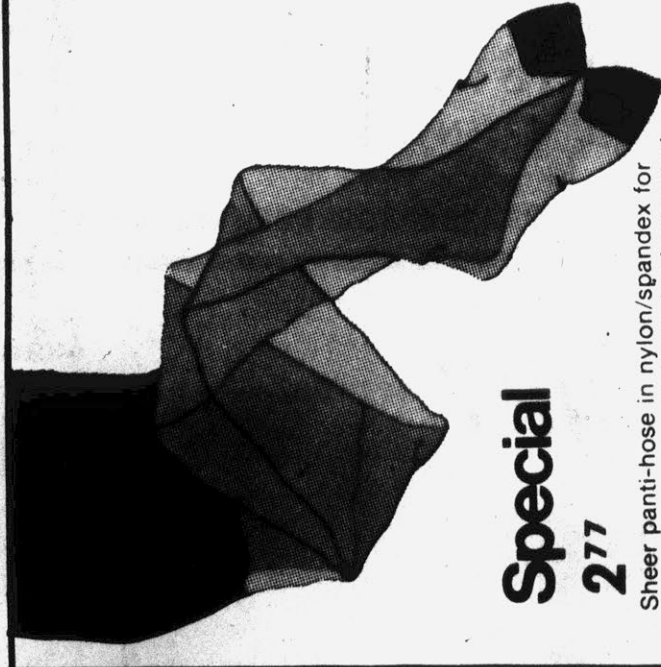
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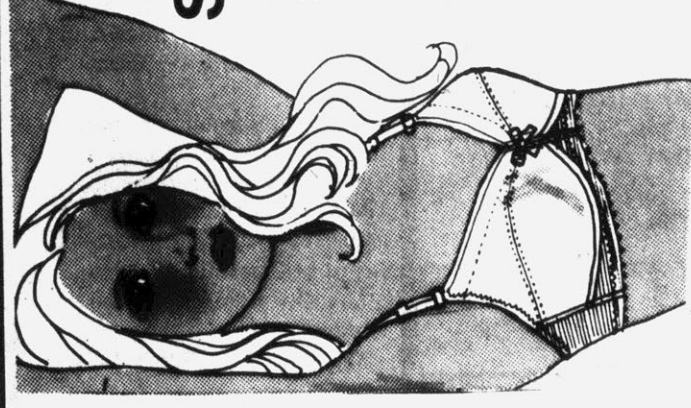
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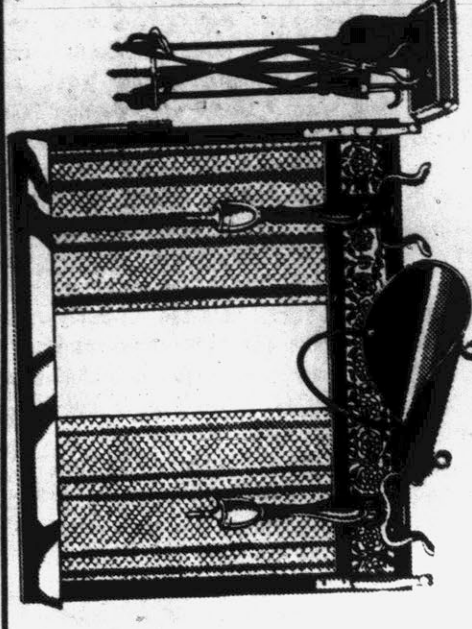
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AYDEN — The marriage of Miss Laura Jane Sumrell and James Monroe Butler was solemnized Saturday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. in the Ayden United Methodist Church, here.

The Rev. Ralph LeRoy Turnage, uncle of the bride, officiated at the double ring ceremony. A program of wedding music was presented by Mrs. Ralph LeRoy Turnage, organist and Robert LeRoy Turnage, soloist, who sang "One Hand, One Heart," and "Wedding Prayer" as the benediction.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grayson Sumrell of Ayden. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Junius Bennett Durham of Raleigh.

The chancel of the church was centered with lighted tapers and greenery. Red poinsettias were placed on the altar.

The bride, escorted and given in marriage by her father, wore a formal Vionnet model of ivory satin. The fitted bodice featured

pearlclips at the heart shaped neckline and long sleeves pointed over the hands. The flared skirt ended in a circular cathedral train.

Her fingertip illusion veil was attached to a headpiece encrusted with pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of white carnations centered with red roses. Her only jewelry was a diamond and pearl necklace, which belonged to her maternal great grandmother.

Honor attendant was Miss Catherine Angeline Booth of Ayden. Bridesmaids were Miss Marilyn Jeanne Turnage, cousin of the bride, and Miss Jackie Sue Allen, also of Ayden. The attendants wore formal length gowns of red chiffon over peau taffeta. The empire bodice featured a square neckline and sheer bouffant sleeves. They wore a contrasting white bolero embroidered with red roses. Their contour headpiece matched the bolero. They carried a red poinsettia attached to white velvet muffs.

Miss Mary Eugenie Dunn of

Rocky Mount was junior bridesmaid. Her gown was identical to the other attendants. Junius Bennett Durham was best man. Ushers were James Grayson Sumrell and Joseph Turnage Sumrell of Ayden; twin brothers of the bride; and Michael Byran and Douglas Repass of Raleigh.

For her daughters wedding, Mrs. Sumrell selected an early green silk shantung dress and coat ensemble with matching accessories. She wore a corsage of white cymbidium orchids. The bridegroom's mother wore a pastel blue ensemble with lace insert. She also wore an orchid corsage.

Following the ceremony, the couple received in the vestibule of the church. Receiving with them were their parents and the bridesmaids.

For a wedding trip to Williamsburg, Va., the bride wore an ensemble of gold knit with navy trim and matching accessories. She wore the roses lifted from her bouquet.

The couple will reside in Raleigh.

The bride attended Pitt Technical Institute and is employed with Burroughs Wellcome Company, Research Triangle.

The bridegroom graduated from Steed College, Johnson City, Tenn. and was a member of Phi Theta Pi Fraternity. He is employed by the North Carolina Board of Corrections.

Mrs. Corey Stokes directed the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph LeRoy

Turnage and family honored the bridal couple with a pre-rehearsal dinner in a private dining room at Parkers Restaurant, Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Junius Bennett Durham honored the Butler-Sumrell wedding party and guests at the Holiday Inn Greenville.

The refreshment table was covered with a white cloth and centered with an arrangement of red and white mums. The three

tiered wedding cake was at one end of the table while the punch bowls were used at the opposite end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Carson Sumrell, Mr. and Mrs. Rhoderick Dail Sumrell, aunts and uncles of the bride were hosts at Three Steers Restaurant, Greenville for a wedding breakfast. The bride and bridegroom and other invited guests attended.



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A special short course, "Living with a Low Cholesterol, Controlled Fat Diet," will be offered at East Carolina University on Wednesday evenings, Jan 17 - Feb. 21.

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Persons who have been prescribed a low cholesterol, controlled fat diet, who have heart or circulatory disease problems, or who are interested

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Instructors Marilyn Steele and Betty Grossnickle will present information on the effects of saturated fats and cholesterol on health and about buying and preparing meats, vegetables, breads, dairy products and special treats as related to dietary considerations.

Various foods will be prepared and sampled, and special emphasis will be given to development of appealing menus according to individual requirements, tastes and eating patterns.

Also included will be information on eating in restaurants.

Further information about the course is available from the Division of Continuing Education, Box 2727, Greenville.

Ape Stole The Lady's Pearls

GILBRALTER (WNS) — Elke Needle, an antiques dealer on vacation here, reported to police that her \$500 pearl necklace has been stolen. When asked to describe the thief who had snatched it from her neck, she replied, "It was one of your famous apes." Even with such a clue, police were not able to find the culprit. Miss Needle left the rock without her pearls but trusts that they will be forwarded to her later.



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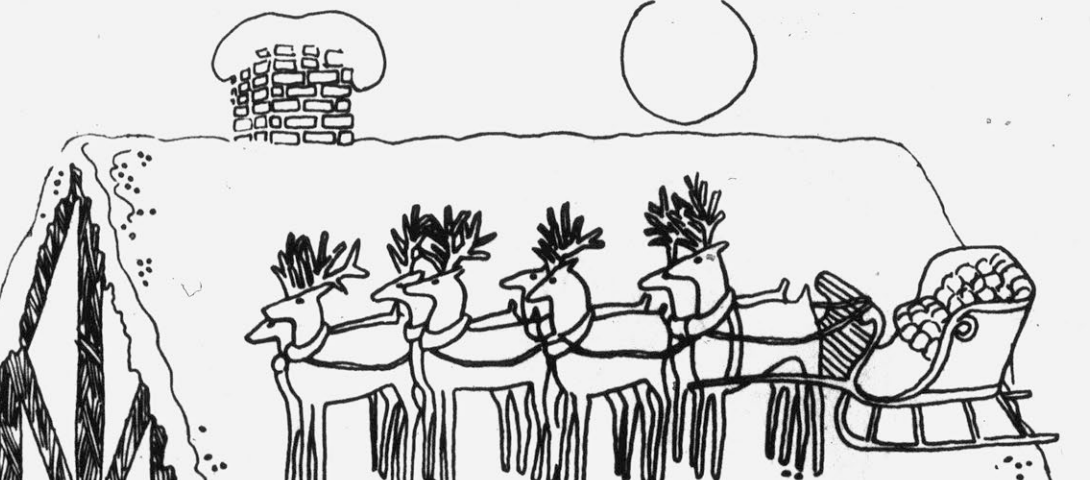
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Survival Courses Build Character

By VIVIAN BROWN
AP Newsfeatures Writer

Survival courses may be the newest concept of education. It may even be what education is all about.

And you don't need to be a rugged he-man type to test your fitness. As part of a new course in survival at Boston University, a pretty 5-foot, red-haired, freckle-faced senior, Susan Reiter, 21, has just survived the challenge of 330 miles of Hudson River and its rapids — kayaking, canoeing, portaging — for 21 days with four male graduate students on a reconnaissance trip.

At the university a brochure advises students ... "If you feel under the wheel from the pressures of work or you are suffering the ennui created by avoiding work; you should enroll in one of the SURGE (survival, urgency, recreation, growth, enthusiasm) outdoor action courses."

Susan not only survived the trip. She might even be willing to SURGE again in another of the daring adventures devised by Michael Jeneid, a British education professor and naturalist with a background of association with Outward Bound schools which improve self-im-

age through controlled stress outdoors.

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Thousands of bites, cuts, scratches, bruises and two swollen ankles later — caused by insects, rocks and the pebbly river beds — Susan was enthusiastically endorsing her experience by observing:

"I not only learned about myself as an individual in a strenuous experience, but I learned to interact with a group I had not known before ... I also gained seven pounds."

The men — John Snodgrass, Bob Nolte, Stan Harbarson and David Holdt — graduate students at Boston University — expect to apply their experiences to their own teaching work in other schools.

Even if the trip doesn't bring out the latent courage in a participant, it is a sure cure for finicky eaters, Susan said. The group became so ravenous from its strenuous days, it would even drink the vegetable water at the end of the evening meal.

"I ate as much as the men did, sometimes six slices of bread," said the tiny river farmer. "You get so you will eat anything and you'll mix it all together in your bowl."

Meals were the usual camp fare — instant oatmeal with raisins and sugar added for extra energy, tuna fish or cheese at lunch, freeze-dried casse-

roles at dinner. No smoking, alcohol or drugs were permitted.

The group had left from the source of the Hudson, Lake Tear-of-the-Clouds in the Adirondacks after climbing Mt. Marcy to the spot where all the mountain streams converge.

After three days of portage around dams, waterfalls, power companies and two additional days in a six-man tube raft in which they sat straddle-legged with one leg out of the raft, they transferred to canoe and kayak that would be used until they paddled into the Battery in New York City 18 days later.

They wore damp pants or shorts, and hiking boots or wet, soggy sneakers by day, but at night they wore dry clothing to bed. And they went to sleep at dark in polyethylene lean-to contrivances strung between trees, after they had collected firewood, done the cooking, and had written the day's log which each had to keep.

A new capacity of well-being was felt. "One man thought he would become ill if he got wet without rain protection," Susan commented, but he soon enjoyed skimming over the water in driving rainfalls without any ill effects.

At a treacherous area near Warrensburg, they had an accident. Susan had been sitting in the middle of the canoe, the heavier vehicle that stored their gear, when they took on water in the rapids, tried to cut into an eddy, and found themselves in another set of rapids. Susan suddenly was in the water with the geodetic map held between her teeth. She saw her companions floating down stream.

"In the rapids you stay close, but you are on your own. My first reaction was to get to

shore so I began swimming on my belly, grabbing rocks and slitting my fingers a bit. The other buddies were floating. But when I got to shore there was no place to go. But we kept calling to each other and they got through the brush to me."

The \$400 course may prove to be the biggest thrill she will ever have, but fishermen and others they met in the north

"thought we were a bit nutty," she says.

Their last day, the smoothest, was an 18-hour one of 55 miles. "You couldn't find such a learning experience in a textbook," says the pretty sociology major, who is interested in mental health. "Organization... responsibility... conquering fears... there are so many facets to such an experience."

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DAKAR, West Africa (WNS) — Anne Sturway, a secretary at the British Embassy here, was so eager to get an English driving license that she spent all her savings and vacation time to fly to London for her test. But when she arrived at the test center, she learned that he appointment had been cancelled because the examiner was ill. Now she is, back in Dakar without her license. "I'm saving up for next year," she said. "I already have another appointment."

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She's In The Dog House Over Incident

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: A big dog in our neighborhood took the heads off two pet rabbits which belonged to my children. I telephoned the S. P. C. A. and told them to pick up that dog. I really feared for the small children in our neighborhood with such an animal running the streets.

Well, I didn't realize the mess this would get me into because while they were searching our neighborhood for that big dog, they picked up a small harmless dog and took him away because he had no tags and was running loose.

Now the owner of the small dog is furious because she knows I called the men who picked up her dog.

What would you have done in my place? UPSET

DEAR UPSET: Exactly what YOU did, so don't feel guilty. Laws are for the protection of all, and those who break them should pay the price.

DEAR ABBY: My husband plays cards with "the boys" one night a week. I don't mind that, but I do mind when he takes a big secret if he loses—or wins. Also, how much.

When I ask him how he came out, he gets angry and clams up. I think a wife has a right to know these things. Maybe he keeps his winnings a big secret because he doesn't want me to ask for anything extra from his winnings. On the other hand, maybe he keeps his losses a secret because he's ashamed or thinks maybe I'll try to keep him from playing if he loses too much.

Which of these theories do you think is correct? CARD PLAYER'S WIFE

DEAR WIFE: BOTH!

DEAR ABBY: My very tall teen-aged daughter walked into a store the other day, and the saleslady loudly exclaimed, "My, there's a tall one for you!"

This absolutely destroyed my daughter's ego! That saleswoman would never have said, "My, there's a pimply one for you!" Or, "My, that's a fat one for you!"

Please remind your readers that personal remarks of this kind are cruel. Unusually tall girls don't need remarks to remind them they are taller than most girls their age.

I can't think of a clever way to sign this, except one that is too long, so feel free to doctor it if you wish.

MOM OF A 6 FT. GLORY

DEAR MOM: No doctoring necessary. Tell your "glory" to walk tall. She's potentially great model material.

DEAR ABBY: I am writing fast and am going to mail this before I lose my nerve. What do you do when you love your husband who is a lousy lover, and it's your fault because you have pretended a lot and made him think he was great, just to build his ego?

In eight years of marriage I have been satisfied only twice, and that's no lie.

I have been 100 per cent faithful to my husband [thank God thoughts don't count] but it is getting more difficult. I have been invited to go to bed with three different men this year, so maybe my hunger is obvious. The fact remaining I don't want to break up my home or anybody else's with an affair, but I am going crazy trying to be a good wife.

Don't think I haven't tried to make things more interesting for my husband, because I have. I've read all the "how to" books to my husband, who falls asleep while I am reading to him.

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On The Young Side

By MARY CHARLES STEVENS



Celebrating Christmas through song, several groups have revealed their spirit by Christmas caroling this week.

Glenhaven Saddle Club had its annual Christmas party and caroling Thursday night. Dinner and hot chocolate concluded the caroling.

Rose students participating were Peggy Watson, Terry Kovalchick, Sharon 'aurteres and Susan Martin.

The First Presbyterian Church Youth Group went caroling Dec. 16. Afterwards they went to the Dayton's house for hot chocolate and cookies. The carolers were

John Miller, Mike Weston, Betty Bartlett, Grayson Deyton, John Cleetwood, Ellen Broadwick, Walter Gould, David Murray, Jimmy Winbourne and Cassie Deyton.

Several former Rose High students are home for the holidays from boarding school. They are Hyman Brody, John Howard and Peg Corbitt. Hyman attends Lawrenceville Academy in Princeton, N.J. John attends Woodberry Forest in Virginia. Peg attends St. Mary's Jr. College in Raleigh.

Program Given

The RHS Chorus, Girl's Glee Club, Orchestra, and drama class presented 'A Song of Christmas' Tuesday night in the Rose cafeteria. The first half of the program consisted of six songs by the Glee Club and two numbers by the concert band. Climaxing the event, the entire company presented the cantata 'A Song of Christmas,' following an intermission.

Soloists were Kathy Still, Wynda Payton, Kent Lee, Mary Bryan Matney, and Steve Pescatore. Members of a quartet were Martha Lang, Hannah Cherry, John Manning, and John Weir. The trio members were Steve Pescatore, Larry Pierce, and Paul Bradford.

Concluding activities at Rose for 1972 was a Christmas assembly Wednesday afternoon. The Girl's Glee Club opened the program with a song followed by various numbers by the

concert band. One of the highlights of the assembly was the narration of a Christmas story by Darell Davis accompanied by the band.

Tomorrow morning, the RHS Chorus will again present 'A Song for Christmas' at seven o'clock on Channel 7. The production was taped earlier. The 'Ben Dudley Show' this morning also includes songs by the chorus.

The Hooker Memorial Christian Church CYF sponsored a spaghetti supper Wednesday night 5-8 p.m. The proceeds will be donated to a Christian camp for the mentally retarded.

The trench coat for boys and young men has been shortened to just above the knee for spring. One of the newest versions: denim. Pockets, hardware and zippers accent the easy bravado of this style.

Phillips

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Appalachian State University. After a wedding trip to unannounced points, the couple will be at home at 1006 Anderson St., Wilson.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church parlor.

The appointed table was centered with an arrangement of

fuzi mums, gypsophylla stock, and daisypom poms in a silver-fluted bowl flanked by silver candelabra holding burning tapers.

A rehearsal dinner was held Friday night in the Church parlor for the wedding party.

Host and hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Henry Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Earl Ramey and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Walter Creech.

The banquet table was wedding bells and silver sprays decorated with magnolia, and candles in lamps.

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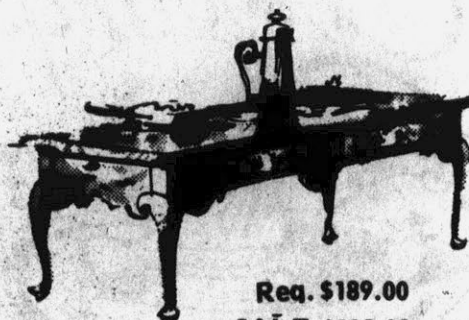
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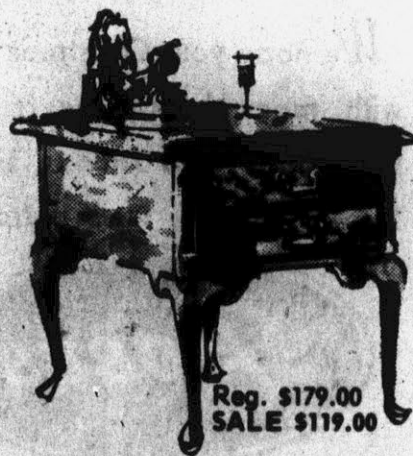
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Ask Charlie Wells, an amateur radio operator (K4SKI) whose skills as a "ham" enthusiast helped ease a recent Liberian emergency and lead to such a visit.

Wells, who lives on Rt. 8, Greenville, has been involved with amateur radio work as a hobby since 1957 and during those years has had radio and written contact with hundreds of fellow radio bugs, both in the United States and abroad.

Routine contacts have included radio exchanges with several members of the Liberian Radio Amateur Association.

On April 5, Wells explained, he received a radio call from LRAA member, David Urfer, a missionary attached to Zoror Hospital in the bush country of Liberia, informing him that there was an outbreak of a disease that doctors there were unfamiliar with and asking him to contact the Disease Control Center in Atlanta for assistance.

Doctors in Zoror, Wells noted, had called the John F. Kennedy Hospital in Monrovia, Liberia but officials there knew little about the disease. Radio contact between Liberia and the United States, proved to be time saving after he established communications with the Atlanta facility, a government operated hospital that specializes in diagnosis of unfamiliar diseases in the free world.

Wells called the DCC and set up direct communications via his radio between Atlanta

doctors and physicians in Zoror. Symptoms were discussed over the "patched" radio-telephone call and arrangements for specimens to be mailed here immediately were made.

Three years earlier, it was pointed out, an epidemic had struck in Lassa, Nigeria, and through a survivor of the "Lassa Fever" a serum had been obtained. When the Disease Control Center diagnosed the Zoror epidemic as Lassa Fever, Wells made another radio call to Liberia and Atlanta doctors discussed their findings with Zoror physicians.

Plans were made to fly in the serum from Nigeria and the Zoror community was inoculated in an effort to stop the spread of the epidemic.

"Out of 15 people that had the fever in Zoror," Wells commented, "only seven survived. But the important thing was that the serum prevented the disease from spreading."

The entire process took about a week, he noted, citing the quickness of the radio contact.

One of those who died during the epidemic, Wells mentioned, was an American nurse, Miss Esther Bacon of Haurden, Iowa.

In May, the Greenville operator received a personal letter from W. R. Tolbert, Jr., President of Liberia, saying, "Through the Liberian Radio Amateur Association I learned how helpful you were when Mr. David Urfer, a member of the . . . association contacted you for assistance."

The president continued, "I understand from Mr. Walcott Benjamin, president of the . . . association that it was through your assistance that contacts were established with a hospital to

which the late Miss Esther Bacon was to have been admitted for treatment of Lassa Fever."

The letter added, "I want to assure you that the people of Liberia and I highly appreciate your kind help in bridging the communication gap which was urgently needed at the time of your assistance."

"I had wanted to visit Liberia and meet some of the people I had talked to on the radio even before I got the letter but I hadn't been able to work things out," Wells pointed out.

Arrangements were made, however, and his employers at Long Manufacturing Co. in Tarboro gave him an extension of his vacation time in order to make the lengthy trip. "The company was real happy that I would be able to go and gave me some extra time off," he explained.

Wells told his radio buddies in Africa that he would make the trip but other than that, he expected to make arrangements and pay all expenses himself.

"I got my passports and everything and arranged for an excursion flight," he continued. Wells left Raleigh-Durham airport on Nov. 20.

His first stop in Africa was on the western coast at Dakar, the capital of Senegal, where he was met by six representatives of the amateur radio association. From there, the LRAA completely planned his visit, Wells said, and "took me on a trip that I could not have bought with money, only friendship."

Following an itinerary arranged by LRAA, Wells spent only six hours at Dakar and then flew to Roberts International Airport at Monrovia, Liberia.

Here, he recalled, he had lunch with a long-time radio buddy, Walcott Benjamin who is also president of the LRAA.

Four days were spent in Monrovia and among the items on the itinerary there were: a courtesy call with the Minister of Health and Welfare; a call meeting at LRAA Headquarters, courtesy call with Executive officer of Telecommunications; a visit to the Bong Mines and a tour of the mine site; a Thanksgiving Day visit to the Voice of America site at Careysburg and dinner there; and a buffet dinner hosted by Benjamin.

On the third day of the visit, one of the highlights of the African trip took place, he remembered. In addition to a courtesy call with The Chief Justice of Liberia, the LRAA arranged an audience for Wells with President Tolbert.

On Friday, Nov. 24, Wells met with doctors who had been involved in the Lassa Fever delima and later in the day paid a visit to a Liberian oil refinery, visited the Mesurado Fishing Complex, and was given a tour of Monrovia.

During his visit with the minister of Health and Welfare, Mrs. Mai Padmore, Wells was decorated for his role in helping to control the Lassa Fever epidemic. Mrs. Padmore honored him with the distinction of Knight Official in the Humane Order of African Redemption. The honor was conferred on behalf of President Tolbert, it was pointed out.

After leaving Monrovia, Wells traveled to Abidjan, the capital of the Ivory Coast where he spent one day, and then on to Lome in the country of Togo where three full days were spent touring and visiting with African "hams."

From Togo, he continued, "I flew over to Natitingou in Dahomey for a two-day stay and then flew from there to Niamey, Niger. He went from Niamey up the Niger River to Tillabery and from there visited famous Timbuktu in the country of Mali.

The trip back "down" from Timbuktu, Wells noted, brought him again to Tillabery and then to Gaygay, Nigeria. After arriving again in Lome, Togo, Wells rode by land rover over to Accra, the capital of Ghana on the Gold Coast of the Gulf of Guinea.

Wells left at 9 a.m. on Dec. 7, he recalled, and arrived back at Raleigh-Durham Airport on Dec. 8, after some 17 days out of country.

"I paid for the cost of the flight (\$656) but they wouldn't let me pay for anything over there," he said. He explained that he brought back "about 87 pounds" of various souvenirs, items that his hosts insisted on paying for.

Wells said that nights were spent in the homes of LRAA members "and everyone of them and their families were wonderful. They made their radios available to me whenever I wanted to use them." Two ham operators were "on station" in Greenville each night and he kept in contact with his hometown through them, he said.

While in Africa Wells said he took approximately 600 feet of film and close to 400 slides of "everything I saw," including shots of elephants, giraffes, monkeys, water buffalo, and antelopes, as well as the people and countryside wherever he went.

"One thing that I found interesting was the temperature in various parts of the country, especially in the Sahara Desert where it got down to 62 degrees, Wells noted.

He emphasized the educational value of such a trip, noting that it was an education just to see how people live in both remote and developed parts of Africa. "And the missionary people there have got to be dedicated in their work," he noted, adding that he had several contacts with missionaries while traveling through the country.

"If I were to go again, I would like to take my wife," he said. "She thought she would have liked it this time but there were things and conditions I don't think she would have gotten used to."

Wells, who is a member of the Bright Leaf Amateur Radio Club, also has a membership now in the Liberian radio association (EL2DY) and proudly flashes membership cards for both organizations.

Wells talks to many of his friends in Liberia several times each week. He has that distinction over most visitors to foreign countries in that his communications with new friends are not limited to letters or infrequent phone calls.

"I talk to people in Nigeria, Niger, Dahomey, Togo, Liberia, Ghana, and Ivory Coast often," he said. We all get on the air from 4-6 p.m. every Monday, Wednesday and Friday."

He says they have a lot to talk about.



Charlie Wells

Text by Tom Baines

Photographs Courtesy Charlie Wells



WELLS HONORED. . . Wells received the distinction of Knight Official in the Humane Order of African Redemption from the Liberian government for his work in preventing the spread of the Lassa Fever epidemic.



PERSONAL AUDIENCE. . . Charlie Wells shakes hands with Liberian president W.R. Tolbert Jr., during a visit to the chief executive's office in Monrovia. At the left is Walcott Benjamin, a friend of Wells who arranged the audience with Tolbert.

Night Or Day, Music Is The Beat of Combo Leader Oglesby

Text and Photograph by Jerry Raynor

Any time of the year is a busy time for Pete Oglesby, but especially so at Christmas time. The Kinston native, a long time resident of Greenville, carries out his duties as co-owner (with Kenneth Whitchard, Jr.) and manager of Music Arts in Greenville; and then makes numerous evening appearances as the leader of his combo.

"I had four appearances last week," Oglesby explained, "and right now I'm booked up for every Saturday night in 1973, alternating between Candlewick Inn and the Elks Lodge in Wilson." Music for the self-taught musician has been a big factor in his life as far back as he can remember. "I was only six years old," he recalled, "when I began playing the guitar."

"My daddy could play the guitar, the fiddle, banjo, piano, anything with strings," Oglesby remarked. "And I suppose I was only 10 or 11 when I began playing, along with daddy, at local square dances around the Kinston area."

In 1948 Oglesby first went professional. "I started playing for dances and then went with WPTF Radio in Raleigh," Oglesby related. "Later, I went with station WDVA in Danville, Virginia with the Homer Briarhopper program."

Oglesby stated that over the years he has been playing bass as well as guitar.

Six years after making his professional debut, he made a decision to come to Greenville. "That was in 1954, or actually my first appearance was Christmas Eve of 1953." That makes this Christmas Oglesby's 19th anniversary in Greenville—he has been here since with the exception of a brief period out West.

"I was staff musician at WNCT," Oglesby commented. "That was for a two year period. I performed three shows during the day at the station and two performances nightly with Dick Carter and His Circle C Hands, a local based band." Oglesby said he also played with the Sammy Bland Show.

"I've had my own band since 1956," Oglesby said. "The members change from time to time. Right now the trio working with me is Don Rigg of Wilson, guitar; Buddy Krieger of Goldsboro on Saxophone; and Larry White of Greenville, drums." Oglesby alternates between guitar and bass.

"There are times when we have a fifth member," he remarked, "and that's Mrs. Virginia Taylor, who plays the piano. She joins us in our appearances at the Dance Club here in Greenville."

The musician's one break from Greenville was back in 1963. "I went out to New Mexico," Oglesby related, "and played western and country music at the Hitching Post in Albuquerque, New Mexico."



LOCAL COMBO LEADER. . . Pete Oglesby strums on his guitar in a brief practice session. On Christmas Eve

this year, Pete celebrated the 19th anniversary of his first performance in Greenville. (Reflector Staff photo).

"I arrived there for an engagement just six months after a young musician named Glenn Campbell had played there," he noted. "I also had engagements in Hobbs, New Mexico, on the Texas-New Mexico border out in the oil country."

Among Oglesby's happily remembered performances have been playing at the movie premiere of Bright Leaf, opening in Raleigh and starring Patricia Neal and Gary Cooper. "I was also called on to play for Governor Luther Hodges at an affair in Morehead City," he stated.

In the years Oglesby has been a popular musician in the area, he has appeared with or furnished back up for a number of visiting guests artists. The list includes George Mason, Cowboy Copas, Faron Young, Little Jimmy Dickens and the Wilburn Brothers.

On radio, he has appeared with the team of Lester Flatt and Earl Scruggs.

Asked to recall some of his own favorites songs over the past years, Oglesby said he had favorites in different types of music. "For the popular ballad type I like September Song, Mona Lisa, I'm In The Mood For Love, and quite a few other old standards."

The numbers in the "jump" category of music he listed as ones he enjoys performing Honky Tonk and Put Your Hand in the Hand.

"There's a lot of country and western songs I like too,"

he added. "Some of them are I Can't Stop Loving You, Release Me, For the Good Times, and Make The World Go Away."

Oglesby said the combo's music is instrumental and he does not use a vocalist. "Our present group," he pointed out, "are all self-taught. The only one of us who can read music is our drummer, Larry White."

"This has advantages," he commented. "As long as one of us knows the melody, the rest can fall in behind."

Oglesby notes that with an increase of social engagements has come a decrease in requests to play for high school affairs. "The kids want rock music now," Oglesby commented. "It's too hard to try to play everything. We stick to our own style."

In response to a question about the availability of his combo for engagements, the musician said, "It's hard to say. As I mentioned earlier, we're booked up solid for 1973 on Saturday nights. For other nights," he said, "we might find it possible to accept an engagement on short notice. It all depends on the way we're booked, and sometimes the schedule is tight, while at other times it's not."

Asked if he had plans to expand in the future, Oglesby said "I think not. I like the arrangement I have now. I've got good men. We enjoy making music for the people in this area."

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Patients To Get Special Meal

By TOM BAINES
Reflector Staff Writer
Special Christmas Day meals that will include turkey and ham and all the extras will be a highlight tomorrow for patients confined to the hospital and nursing home.

Rick Gilstrap, assistant administrator at Pitt Memorial Hospital, said that dietary trays tomorrow will be specially prepared with favors and other items to reflect the holiday season. He noted that the Christmas menu will include roast turkey, dressing with giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, peas and pimiento, pickle chips and olives, hot rolls and plum pudding with sauce.

All departments within the hospital were decorated for Christmas and some of the patients, especially children, took part in the activities, Gilstrap said. On Wednesday, representatives from the Greenville Service League were on hand with hospital personnel to judge and select the best decorations.

The hospital's in-house Christmas Party for employees was held on Thursday, he added.

Gov. Robert Scott sent letters for children confined to the hospital and they will be distributed on Christmas Day.

Several groups visited the hospital for caroling and this year they sang outside as patients listened from their rooms. Caroling in the main lobby has been popular in the past but this year most of the activities were conducted on the outside, Gilstrap noted.

Most of the Christmas festivities at the Greenville

Nursing and Convalescent Center were held on Friday, according to Linda Wice, patient director.

She said that the annual patient Christmas party was held on Friday and gifts were presented to all persons at the nursing home. Stockings made by the patients in Arts and Crafts classes will also be filled for Christmas, she added.

Different groups have been entertaining at the nursing home each night through December, the director noted, and the Salvation Army had a party for the patients on Monday night. The Salvation Army annually entertains the patients and distributes needed items, including toilet articles.

She said the nursing center was decorated throughout and patients helped to trim the Christmas trees with items they made. Christmas Day always provides patients with an opportunity to have visits from their families and in some cases patients leave to spend the day with relatives, she pointed out.

The menu for tomorrow will include baked ham, candied yams, garden peas, spiced apple rings, hot rolls and Christmas cake. The supper meal will consist of pan cakes, sausage links, oven fired apples, a citrus salad, and ice cream.

According to a spokesman at the Pitt County Jail, tomorrow's meal will include turkey with all the trimmings, snap beans, candied yams, pumpkin pie and coffee, as well as fruit, mixed nuts and Christmas candy.

Bonn Students Visiting Soviet

The 36 students at the East Carolina University European Study Center at Bonn began their Christmas celebration early and they'll continue it when they return from a trip to Moscow.

According to Dr. Hans Indorf, director of the Bonn Center, the festivities began Friday, Dec. 15, when the students decorated a huge tree in the common room of Haus Steinech, where they live and study. After the happy task was completed, they enjoyed a dinner of venison, and later exchanged gifts, played charades, and toasted one another with eggnog.

Sunday, Dec. 17, they left for Berlin by bus and visited the Berlin Wall, and several monuments and museums there. Monday they flew to Moscow. In Moscow, they have visited the Lenin Museum, the Kremlin, St. Basil's Cathedral, and other tourist attractions, and a factory. A highlight was an evening of talk with members of the Communist League, made up of young Soviet citizens.

The ECU students will leave the U.S.S.R. on Christmas Day, having seen little Christmas celebration except among themselves, because the Soviet government does not recognize this Christian holiday. Once back in Berlin, they will have another tree at their hotel and will exchange presents. Many will have family and friends join them here for a Christmas

reunion. Next week will be filled with activities planned for them by the Berlin government, whose guests they will be.

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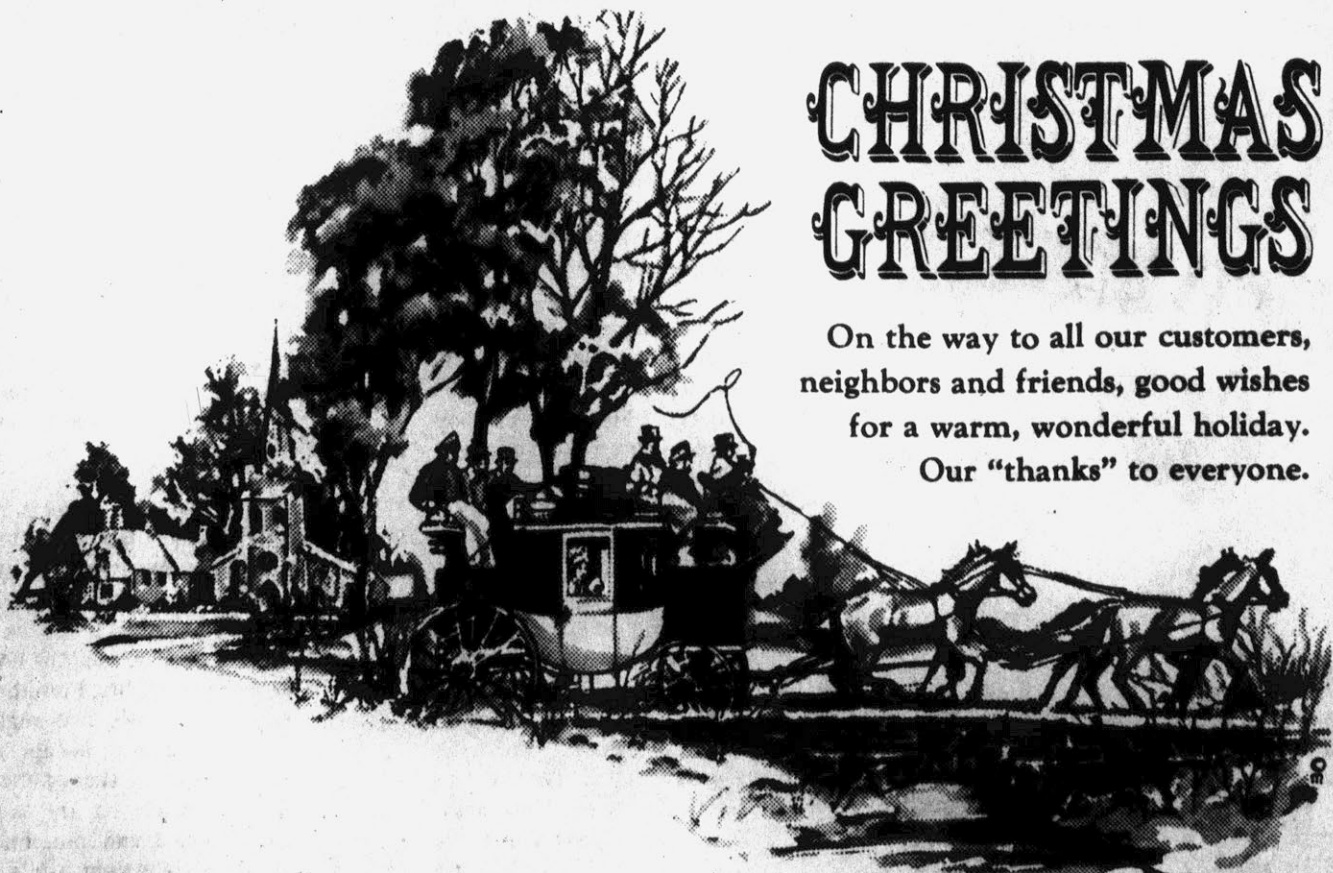
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School Christmas Programs Always Happy Events

By JERRY RAYNOR
Reflector Staff Writer

No matter how often it's repeated, the annual Christmas programs in schools are happy events that renew the never-fading freshness of the Christmas spirit.

Boys and girls, even those most prone to being lovable mischief-makers most of the time, seem to know instinctively that Christmas is a time to curb their natural exuberance, and to become, at least for a few days, proverbial well-mannered angels.

This year, as in past years, the city schools in Greenville in the weeks before Christmas were bustling with rehearsals and preparations for Christmas events—making decorations for home rooms; gathering gifts to give in the spirit of love for the less fortunate; and trying to be patient in waiting for the anticipated beginning of Christmas holidays.

A survey of Christmas programs and activities in Greenville City Schools shows that again this year school children took part in a traditional series of events.

A look at these programs, school by school, reveals the following highlights.

—**Agnes Fullilove School**—The youngest of the city's students, kindergarten children enrolled in Agnes Fullilove, had their big event two weeks before Christmas. At the Yamaha School of Music, the little ones sang Christmas songs for the young. On Wednesday, the last day of school, Santa Claus visited the school. Then an unexpected surprise followed when Santa Claus, Jr. visited each classroom. Also on Wednesday, just before time for school to be out, kindergarten children were treated to a song out for the holidays. A program Christmas tree. As a surprise for parents, each child had a small gift to take home, ones they made themselves.

—**Aycock Junior High School**—On Monday before Christmas, the student body gathered in assembly in the school's gymnasium for their annual Christmas program. This year, the program included more than 200 students and faculty members taking part in presentations by the drama group, the school band, and the school chorus. These groups entertained their fellow students with a dramatic skit, selections by the band and carols sung by the chorus. A ten foot Christmas tree was the focal point of

Christmas decorations for the school, which included individual class room, hallway and bulletin board decorations. Aycock students took part in two local charity projects, Operation Santa Claus and another project, collecting food items for needy families.

—**Eastern Elementary**—At Eastern, on the evening of December 14, approximately 175 students presented a Christmas program. A Child Shall Lead Them, to parents at the PTA meeting. The same story, one in which school children saw the star and followed it to the manger, was given during a school day for the benefit of students. In the play, students sang traditional Christmas songs and carols. On Tuesday, Christmas parties were held in the afternoon for individual classes. Decorations were made by students for decorating rooms and other parts of the building. Eastern students this year participated in Operation Sunshine and in the White Christmas program, both designed to help local needy cases. In a Christmas related project, one sixth grade class, during the Thanksgiving holiday period, worked and contributed their earnings to the Prisoner-of-War—Missing In Action Fund, one designed to assist those men who hopefully would be returned to the U.S. on or before the Christmas holidays.

—**Elmhurst Elementary**—As in many of the schools, Elmhurst's Christmas program was based on a theme that tied together the use of a wide range of Christmas music. The idea used at Elmhurst was Christmas Comes To Our School. Members of the fourth, fifth and sixth grade presented the musical pageant to parents on Wednesday a week before school was out for the holidays. A program for first grade students was held on Tuesday, and the student body on Wednesday saw the program earlier shown to the parents. Elmhurst students also contributed to the White Christmas program, and each child in the school was represented on the Christmas tree by an ornament made by themselves. Operation Santa Claus was one of the student participant programs in the school.

—**Rose High School**—The older students in the city had programs somewhat different from those of other students, with not as much emphasis on homeroom decorations as the younger ones. They had, however, a large school tree in the cafeteria and touches of decoration in all areas of the school. The student body participated in the two major children's projects, Operations Santa Claus and White Christmas. Music was the Christmas focus of Rose High's students, along with drama. The school choruses performed in several concerts prior to the week before Christmas—at Tarrytown Mall in Rocky Mount; a taped session for WITN-TV Washington; an appearance on TV over WNCT-TV's Carolina Today program, and others. The traditional Christmas Concert for 1972 used the talents of two choruses, a girl's ensemble, the band, and students of the drama department, first in an evening performance of The Song of Christmas for the community and the next morning in an

abbreviated performance at an assembly of the student body.

—**Sadie Sautter Elementary**—This school again featured a Christmas song and skit program in which a large number of children, both as singers and actors, took part. The first presentation was given on Tuesday night to parents attending the December PTA meeting. A second performance, held Wednesday morning, was given to insure that each student had an opportunity to see and hear the colorful action and music of their fellow students. Here, as in other schools, students in all classes worked in the days preceding Christmas to fashion decorations for their classrooms and for the hallways and other collective areas. The charity project for Sadie Sautter School involved children making contributions to the White Christmas program.

—**South Greenville Elementary**—"Christmas In Disneyland" was the theme behind the Christmas program given by South Greenville students. On Thursday evening before the final week of school for the year, members of the fourth, fifth, and sixth grades performed for parents at the PTA meeting. On Friday of the same week, another per-

formance was given for the student body. Individual classroom Christmas parties were held on Wednesday prior to dismissal for the holidays. Students and teachers contributed hand-made items of decorations to ornament the Christmas tree and to decorate classrooms and hallways. At South Greenville, the charity projects taken on by students were White Christmas and Operation Santa Claus.

—**Third Street Elementary**—At this, the smallest elementary school in the city, Thursday of the week preceding the last week of Christmas was chosen for the occasion of presenting the schools' Christmas pageant to the parents. The program, basically one of the traditional Christmas story in song, was given a second performance on Wednesday morning for the students. In addition, on Wednesday before school was out, each class was treated to a home-room Christmas party. As a gesture of good will at Christmas, children brought in items for needy families, to be turned over to the Salvation Army.

—**Wahl-Coates Elementary**—An early start in the Christmas celebrations was made by Wahl-Coates when the school's chorus sang at Tarrytown Mall in Rocky Mount at the end of

November. In their Christmas program, the main focus was on song and story, with the theme Long Ago In Bethlehem. This

was performed for parents on Monday night, with members of the fifth and sixth grades. Members of other classes also

had a Christmas play. Wahl-Coates students engaged in traditional ornament making for home rooms and other areas of

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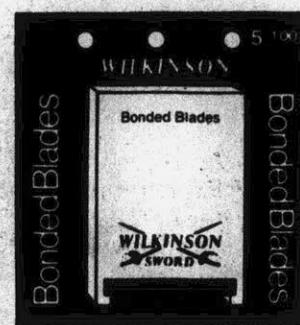


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TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) You can have a delightful time during the day, but don't neglect those who are in need in the p.m. Express that charitable quality you possess to the best of your means. Show kin true affection.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Show how much you appreciate your family today and don't argue in p.m. Make your home more attractive and delight all who enter. Get that last-minute wrapping done early.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Put those Christmas Day ideas to work and then take it easy tonight by the lighted Christmas tree, enjoying gifts and kin. Don't neglect services in the morning. If you must go out, drive with care.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) You have fine ideas for expansion in the future; make notations so as not to forget them later. Expand your horizons and make this a happy, successful day, p.m. Avoid arguments.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Plan just how to get the cooperation of influential friends you have for your finest aims, projects. Try to be of assistance to those who are in trouble in p.m. A note of propriety will start the evening's festivities off well.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) You have much to do early so you can make this holiday a happy one, so don't wait until the last minute. An expert can give you information you need. Make this a very productive day businesswise, also.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Showing friends and acquaintances that you really appreciate them and taking care not to criticize is best way to proceed now. Attend those parties to which you are invited. Make sure you do not eat or drink too much.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Ideal day to bring cheer and happiness to others through gifts and visits, etc., while meditating on the spirit of the season. Meet the expectations of others with flying colors. Make sure you arrive on time for some big celebration.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Clarify those ideas you have or get new ones that will help you advance in the future, but keep them to yourself. New allies can be most helpful at this time. Make the evening a most happy and delightful one for yourself and others.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Follow the promptings of your intuitive faculties and you please others greatly today, but don't be forceful with anyone tonight. Try to follow the kind philosophy of the Prince of Peace and feel happier. Reconcile with others.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Harmonize ideas and differences you have with others during the day, and then have a quiet and happy evening with kin. Get that public work done during day, also. Make this a meaningful day, p.m.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ... he or she will be one of those charming young people who can work in a most efficient way, so be sure to teach early to think in loftier terms so the fine talents and promise can be fully realized. Teach also to be more philosophical so the tendency to complain will be gotten rid of early. Ethical and religious training early is a must, also. A regular bookworm here, once the habit of reading is acquired. Not very good at sports, though.

FORECAST FOR MONDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1972

**CARROLL RIGHTER'S
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from the Carroll Righter Institute

Today's **GENERAL TENDENCIES:** A most Merry Christmas to all. Today's influences indicate that a minimum amount of thought upon the spiritual and religious side of life and the best means by which to show to others your compassion for them, especially those less abundant or fortunate, can bring a wealth of beneficial results to your community.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Early rising will see all those duties attended to nicely so you can enjoy the full day's entertainment. You can do a favor now for one who would appreciate it. Show that you are a true humanitarian.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) The daytime is best for enjoying the amusements you like while attending to family duties. There is some creative talent you can put to work that will make a fine impression on others. Be happy.

CARROLL RIGHTER'S HOROSCOPE

from the Carroll Righter Institute

Today's **GENERAL TENDENCIES:** A most Merry Christmas to all. Today's influences indicate that a minimum amount of thought upon the spiritual and religious side of life and the best means by which to show to others your compassion for them, especially those less abundant or fortunate, can bring a wealth of beneficial results to your community.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Early rising will see all those duties attended to nicely so you can enjoy the full day's entertainment. You can do a favor now for one who would appreciate it. Show that you are a true humanitarian.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) The daytime is best for enjoying the amusements you like while attending to family duties. There is some creative talent you can put to work that will make a fine impression on others. Be happy.



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GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Much activity of a constructive nature at home is wise so that you can get a good start on tomorrow's important work. Striving for harmony is wise. Don't become upset with one who likes to bicker.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Engage in family recreations which you enjoy and have a wonderful time with relatives and friends. You are in the mood to compliment others; so don't hesitate to do so. Postpone work today.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) You are able to converse with those who can be of assistance to you in the future where your finest aims are concerned and obtain the right results. Let others benefit from your good common sense.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) If you are more open-minded you can come to a fine understanding with those you contact today and fine plans can be made for the future. Avoid criticism. Show that you are a fine family person.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) You have personal matters to attend to and can do so early in the morning. Meditation that can improve your philosophy as well as your position in life is wise. Get together with friends and relatives.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Permit good friends to give you good advice today instead of vice versa. Invite some new acquaintance in and make this a more blessed and happy day. Express "Peace on earth, goodwill toward men."

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Make sure you don't take chances where your good reputation is concerned or you could regret it for a long time to come. You have an

opportunity to discuss finances with an expert at this time.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Concentrate on new ideas today instead of going back and worrying about old problems. Get into the right spirit of the day. Make plans for a trip with new associates. Plan for future progress.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Talk over with an associate the fine aims he has and do whatever you can to help him. Forget a temptation to argue and enjoy your blessings. Deliver a gift to a very special friend. Be happy.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Plan a new course of action that will please an associate greatly. Get away from a dull routine that could otherwise cost you the affection of the one you love. You have ability. Start using it.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ... he or she will be one of those charming young people who will be very alert to new ideas and should be encouraged by you at all times. Your guidance can be mutually beneficial and provide the means through which your progeny can become very successful. Your youngster will be good at finding solutions to problems.

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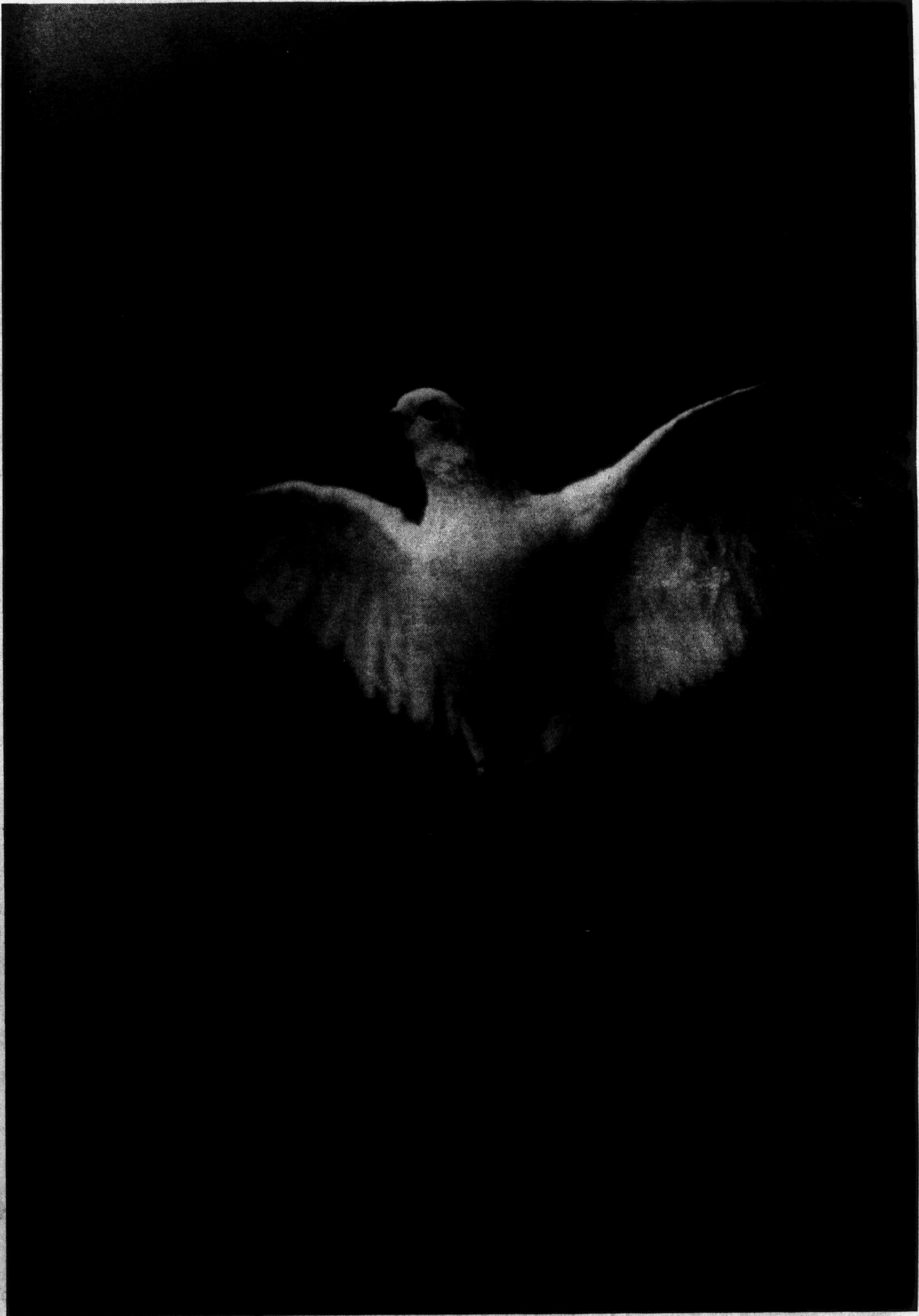
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Many Hands Join Social Services During Yuletide

By CAROL TYER
Reflector Staff Writer

Mrs. Lelia Rives, 86, stood an hour and a half at the Greenville Police Department Bicycle Auction waiting to get just the bike she wanted for the foster child her Jarvis Memorial Church circle is sponsoring for Christmas.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service circle which Mrs. Rives serves as chairman is one of 70 church groups, civic organizations, book clubs, and individuals who told the Pitt County Social Services Department they would help out Santa Claus for a child living in a foster home this Christmas. Mrs. Rives also told Mrs. Kitty Grady, who is in charge of the Foster Children's Santa Claus project, that her circle wants to be kept informed throughout the year of any needs "their boy" might have.

Many other groups and individuals remembered someone outside their immediate circle of family and friends by contributing money to the Foster Children's Santa Claus fund. With these generous contributions, the Social Services Department was able to help out with some large items named in letters to Santa which the Santa's helpers could not afford. Money from this fund was also used to purchase gifts for the 20 foster children who were not taken as special projects and to send a transistor radio with the recipient's name on it to each of the 31 Pitt County children in training schools.

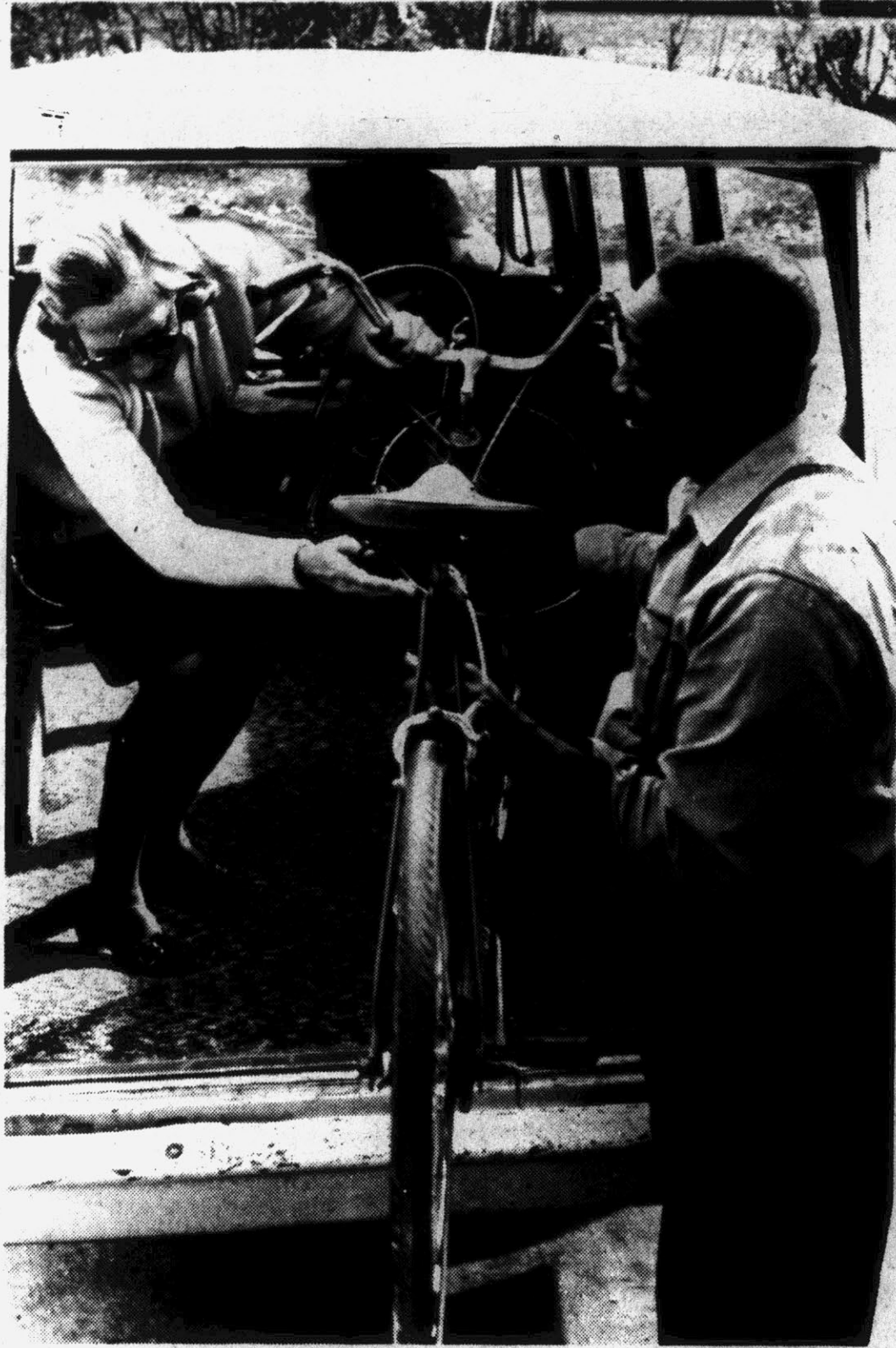
"There are just so many people who were eager to remember our foster children," Mrs. Grady said. She specifically mentioned a man who each year brings in several reconditioned bicycles and never gives his name. "This year our anonymous friend of children brought three beautiful ones," she said.

Beth Clark, who works with senior citizens, was similarly pleased with public response to the needs of the elderly. "Any number of church and civic groups and individuals contributed to help us give a gala Christmas party at the Meadowbrook Recreation Center for senior citizens from throughout Greenville," she said.

"Many agencies make easier our job of seeing that Christmas remembrances are provided all our elderly charges," Mrs. Clark said. "The Pitt County Mental Health Association, after geriatric patients from Pitt County at Cherry Hospital through Operation Santa Claus; the Greenville Service League gives us 25 baskets each year for the elderly; and, of course, anyone may sign up with the Salvation Army and many elderly do."

"We also try to remember our public assistance patients in the nursing homes and Mrs. Beverly Wheeler, who works with our clients in family care and rest homes, went out last week to make sure that each home has decorations and that each client will be given a gift."

Mrs. Joanne Smith told of several sororities and



LOADING TOYS . . . for Santa to carry to Pitt County foster children is one of the pleasant jobs at the Social Service Department. Mrs. Kitty

Grady, who is a foster care worker, and Marcellus Taylor, who wor on many of the bikes and other toys, get the privilege. (Reflector Staff Photo)



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Incoming Mail Hit New Record For Greenville

Greenville Post Office Department employees have delivered more than 1.67 million pieces of mail and parcels since the middle of November as

fraternities, church and civic groups, and families that took families to provide for at Christmas. "We had about 15 requests of this type," Mrs. Smith said, "and provided each with the kind of family they requested, whether it were one with small children, one with elderly members, or whatever."

"Several groups also asked to give parties for underprivileged children and we were happy to provide them with guest lists."

"Perhaps our most unusual request and one of the most heartwarming," Mrs. Smith related, "was that of a couple who asked that they be given the name of an elderly couple who needed the interior of their house painted. They are giving the paint and their time during their Christmas vacation to paint the entire inside of the house themselves."

Christmas packages, cards and other greetings began to swell, according to Postmaster Lloyd Mills.

The heaviest week for incoming mail was the week of December 9, when local postmen delivered 499,000 pieces of mail and 8,200 parcels.

According to Mills, who said local postal employees have benefitted this year by not having to handle outgoing mail (which is now sent to Rocky Mount for processing), "the heaviest mail volume (incoming) for any one day thus far in the Christmas season was December 15, when the Greenville Post Office delivered 105,300 pieces of incoming mail."

He said the incoming mail volume this year increased approximately 15 per cent during the period November 18 through December 15.

"It is expected," Mills noted, "that the overall volume increase in incoming mail will be approximately 9 per cent overall."

Yesterday was the last day for mail deliveries by carriers before Christmas day, tomorrow.

A tabulation of the incoming

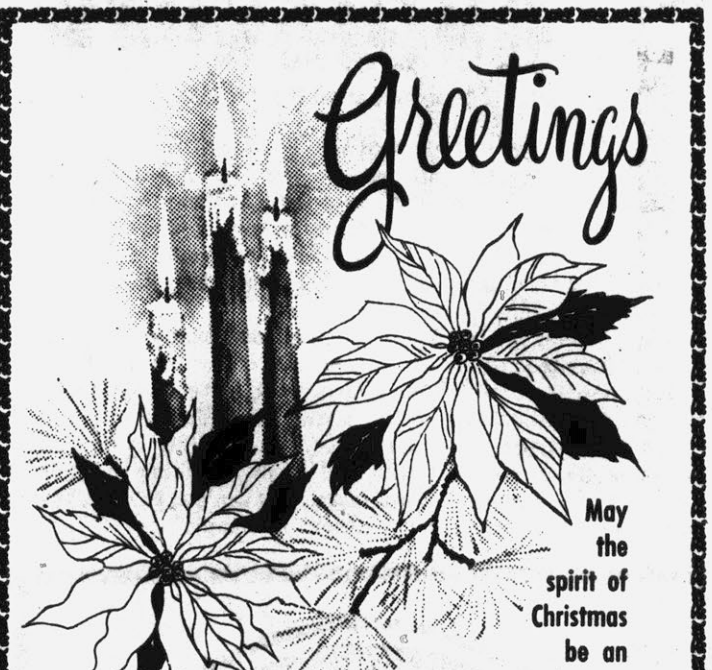
mail volume shows 344,000 pieces (letter mail) and 7,000 parcels delivered during the week of November 18; 372,000 pieces and 6,100 parcels during the week of November 25; 430,000 letters and 8,000 parcels delivered during the week of December 2; and 499,000 pieces and 8,200 parcels delivered during the week of December 9.

Blind Inventor Of Champagne

CHICAGO (UPI)—The next time you lift a glass of the bubbly, you might toast Dom Pierre Perignon, a blind Benedictine monk of the late 17th Century.

It was he who invented champagne. According to Encyclopaedia Britannica, Perignon added the bubbles to wine by taking fermented wine from the cask and allowing it to ferment a second time in the bottle. It's still done that way.

Lake Nahuel Huapi, in Argentina's famous national park of that name, covers an area of 330 square miles.



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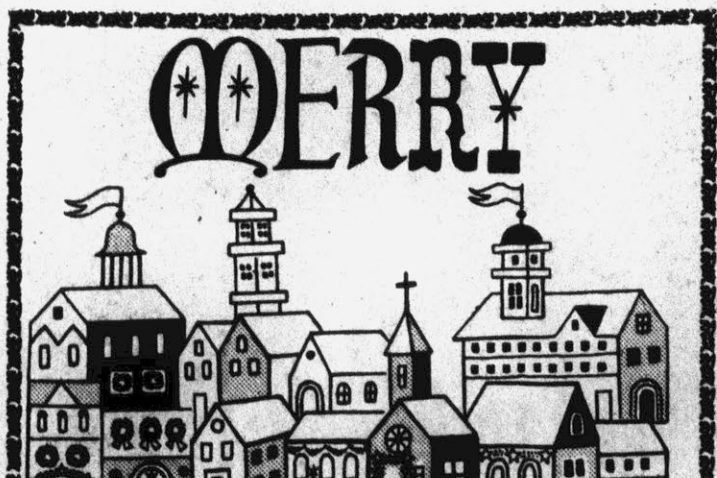


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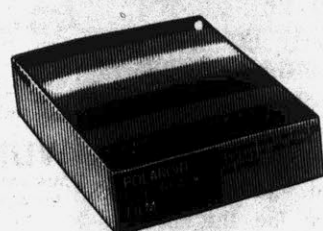
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At The MOVIES

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BRIAN'S SONG — The story of two football players, Brian Piccolo and Gayle Sayers, one black and one white, who became very close friends. Brian developed cancer early in his career. Stars James Caan and Billy Dee Williams. (G) Sunday through Tuesday.

SUCH GOOD FRIENDS-J.W.COOP—"Such Good Friends" is the story of a wife, whose husband's life hangs in the balance, discovers things about his past she never knew. Stars Dyan Cannon and James Coco. (R)

"J.W. COOP" — The story of a modern-day professional cowboy set against the background of a rodeo circuit. Stars Cliff Robertson and Geraldine Page. (PG) Wednesday through Saturday double feature.

Pitt

RAGE — Wyoming rancher, George C. Scott and son, camp out one night. Next morning, Scott finds the boy feverish and a large number of his sheep dead. The Army, in transporting the gas MX-3, accidentally spread some of the deadly poison over the grazing land. Scott then seeks revenge against the Army. (RE) Sunday through Tuesday.

GONE WITH THE WIND — The story of Scarlett O'Hara and Rhett Butler during the Civil War days. Stars Vivian Leigh and Clark Gable. (G) Wednesday through Saturday.

Plaza Cinema

DUMBO AND THE LEGEND OF LOBO — Sunday through Thursday. (G)

NOW YOU SEE HIM, NOW YOU DON'T — Dexter Riley invents a magic formula which makes things invisible. (G) Friday through Tuesday.

Park

THE MECHANIC — Charles Bronson is so highly skilled an assassin that he's referred to as the mechanic. He is asked to train a young man in the business, only to learn that he is the next victim. (PG) Sunday through Thursday.

THE LADY SINGS THE BLUES — The tragic story of Billie Holiday, one of the leading blues singers of her time, is realistically portrayed by Diana Ross in a memorable film debut. Miss Holiday died at the age of 44 of a combination of drugs and anemia. Also stars Billy Dee Williams and Richard Pryor. (R) Friday through Thursday.

MIDNIGHT PLOWBOY — Late flick for Friday and Saturday, beginning at 11:15 p.m. (X)

Meadowbrook

THE GODFATHER — This film version of Mario Puzo's best-selling novel deals with the family ties, loyalties and betrayals that make up the underworld in a human dimension. Stars Marlon Brando, Al Pacino, and James Caan. (R) Today through Wednesday.

THE CROSS AND THE SWITCHBLADE — Based on the autobiographical novel of Rev. David Wilkerson, a small town preacher leaves his Pennsylvania ministry to go to Harlem and help boys of warring Puerto Rican and Black gangs face up to drug problems and renounce violence as a solution to problems. Stars Pat Boone and Erik Estrada. (GP) Thursday and Friday.

THE DEAD MEN DON'T COUNT — FANTASTIC VOYAGE — Double feature scheduled for Saturday night. "The Dead..." stars Mark Damon and Antony Steffen. "Fantastic Voyage" stars Stephen Boyd, Raquel Welch, and Edmond O'Brien. No ratings available.

Movies On Television

WNCT-TV
Monday (11:30 p.m.) — "The Next Voice You Hear"
Tuesday (9:30 p.m.) — "A Death of Innocence" (11:30 p.m.) — "Paris Does Strange Things"
Wednesday (11:30 p.m.) — "The Appointment"
Thursday (11:30 p.m.) — "Dr. Faustus"

WITN-TV
Monday (9:00 p.m.) — "The Railway Children"
Saturday (12:00 p.m.) — TBA (9:00 p.m.) — TBA

WCTI-TV
Sunday (9:00 p.m.) — "Those Daring Young Men In Their Jaunty Jalopies" (11:45 p.m.) — "The Gay Sisters"

WUNC-TV
Monday (12:00 m.) — "The Letter"
Tuesday (8:30 p.m.) — "Gidget Gets Married"
Wednesday (8:30 p.m.) — "Mr. and Mrs. Bo Bo Jones"

MANCINI MUSIC
HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — Henry Mancini will compose and conduct the music for "The Thief Who Came to Dinner," starring Ryan O'Neal and Jacqueline Bisset at Warner Bros.



FRANK JUNIOR, now 28, made his career on his own. After ten full years of entertaining, Sinatra works about 42 weeks annually. (UPI Telephoto)

Young Sinatra Made It Alone

By MICHAEL S. BARRETT
NEW YORK (UPI) — Frank Sinatra Jr., dressed in black, his short-cropped hair slicked back on the sides, smiled faintly at his night club audience and introduced his next number — a medley of tunes his father made popular.

"You're closer than you think to Frank Sinatra (Sr.)," he said. "I'm wearing his tuxedo." A titter ran through the packed audience and then a woman shouted from the back of the room: "We like you better, Frankie!"

When they made the great Sinatra of the '50s and '60s they did not destroy the mold. His son, 28 and into his 11th year as a professional singer, could hardly be called a nonconformist. But he is quick to tell an interviewer that he has done it on his own.

"I wanted to be a writer of music, a pianist. I had my own band in college," he said. "The first record I ever made was in a studio in which I wrote the arrangement and conducted the orchestra for another singer. So the first time I was in a studio I wasn't singing. That was the beginning."

Joined Dorsey Band
The real beginning, though, was singing with the late Tommy Dorsey's band, as his father had done years before. The younger Sinatra had been studying composition at the University of Southern California for three years when the Dorsey offer came.

"I figures college would

always be there but the Dorsey band would not," he said. "So after three years of college education I then went out on the road for three years of band education. Actually, I had six years of college education because that's where I learned the ropes — on the road."

The 40 weeks a year traveling has not ended after 10 full years of entertaining. Sinatra still works about 42 weeks annually in night clubs around the world and spends much of the remaining 10 weeks in the recording studio, the television studio or on a lot making movies.

"By the end of this year I will have had a total of three weeks off during the whole year," he said of 1972, "and that doesn't include weekends." Sinatra likes to play the Frontier in Las Vegas and clubs such as New York's Rainbow Grill, but it matters little to him as long as the audience is good.

"I like to play where the people like my show best. That might be in Kodiak, Alaska, Sao Paulo, Brazil, Yokohama, Japan, or New York City. It could be anywhere where the audience is receptive. I love it."

HEAD CAST

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — Janet Leigh, Rory Calhoun and Gene Nelson head the cast of an episode of NBC's "Ghost Story."

Bonanza Has 14 Years Of Shows Awaiting Re-Runs

By JERRY BUCK
Associated Press Writer

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Few people thought "Bonanza" would last long after its shaky start in 1959. When it finally caught on and became ingrained in the viewing habit it seemed it would never end.

But the end came swiftly in the middle of the 14th year. Dan Blocker, as Hoss Cartwright — the most popular attraction — died last May. NBC switched the show from its comfortable Sunday niche to Tuesday.

When it faltered in the ratings the network abruptly killed it. The last show will be aired Tuesday, Jan. 23.

Despite its removal from the network there is no chance that "Bonanza" will fade away like a played-out silver mine.

The show, with 431 episodes in living color, has entered the fabric of American folklore. The mythical Ponderosa, the father image of Lorne Greene, Blocker's gentle giant, the other larger-than-life inhabitants and the horseback morality plays they participated in, will glow on tubes around the world for many years to come.

David Dortort, the executive producer, still nursing his bitterness over the cancellation, said, "I broke the tradition of the Western hero as a rootless, homeless wanderer with no family who went out with the sunset."

"I said this wasn't true at all. So we started the tradition of a group of people in one place."

Dortort said he wanted a strong father image and a strong feeling of mutual respect and love among the family to counteract television's portrayal of the father as a boob.

At the time the show was being formulated a Canadian named Lorne Greene, who had not taken up acting until after a successful career as a newscaster, was closing a play in New York.

His agent told him "Om-nibus" wanted him for a starring role, but he decided to turn it down. Next, he was offered a guest part on "Wagon Train." He took it, but his agent was aghast that he would spurn a \$4,000 job and take one for \$1,000.

But that role brought him to the attention of the people at NBC who were looking for a cast of father and three sons. Greene was first offered the role of the oldest son, but he said he'd rather play the father, Ben Cartwright.

He said he was attracted to the show because "it was a love story of four men. A true story of mankind. It showed the difference between good and bad. And I liked the idea of the strong father and based my characterization upon my own father."

So in early 1959 they were cast. Lorne Greene as the father, Ben Cartwright; Pernell Roberts as Adam, the oldest son; Dan Blocker as Hoss, the gentle giant, and Michael Landon as Little Joe, the hot-head.

ed, fun-loving youngster.

Each received \$1,250 an episode in the beginning, but as the show became successful the salary steadily climbed. Roberts left the show in 1965. Near the end, the other three were getting \$15,000 a show, plus another \$15,000 for the first rerun.

Three years ago the principals sold the residual rights to the first 11 years back to NBC. The figure was undisclosed, but it made them millionaires. Personal appearances and shrewd investment of their earnings also added to their fortunes.

"Bonanza," shown in 87 countries, undoubtedly is the most successful television show ever made. Dortort figures that since the beginning the show has taken in \$250 million, although he is not certain what the profit has been. He said his take has been "a good percentage" of the profits.

With 431 episodes — all in color — and the timeless nature of the stories, "Bonanza" is

certain to continue earning millions of dollars a year in reruns.

Dortort, Greene and Landon could live comfortably for the rest of their lives without working again. Blocker's family is financially fixed for life. But, of course, none of them wants to lay back and live off the profits.

Dortort has moved onto the Universal lot where he has a series under development and is discussing other deals with ABC and CBS.

Acting is a series of beginnings and endings and there is always the fear that each ending may be the last.

Greene said, "What 'Bonanza' has given me is freedom without fear. Actually, I never was fearful. I gave up a \$70,000-a-year job as a newscaster to go into acting. But today I have a firm financial base to work from. I can only wish it for every actor."

Since the end of "Bonanza" the offers have been pouring in to Greene.

"I've had offers from two networks, two major studios, offers to do Broadway musicals," he said. "It's too early to tell."

Landon, who joined the series as a youth with only a few mi-

nor movie credits, grew to manhood on the show and matured as an actor and developer into a writer and director. The last "Bonanza" will be one he wrote and directed.

"I'm reading a lot of properties and working on some of my own," Landon said. "I'd like to do whatever is good. As an actor, writer and director, although not necessarily all at the same time."

Mitch Vogel, who played the adopted Cartwright son, Jamie, is making a movie in Canada.

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BRIAN'S SONG (G)

TV Log

WNCT — Ch. 9

SUNDAY
8:00 Rev. Falwell 8:30 News
9:00 Oral Roberts 9:00 Capt Kangaroo
9:30 Church 10:00 Joe's Wild
Program 10:30 Price Is Right
10:00 Tidings 11:00 Gambit
11:00 My Path 11:30 Love Of Life
12:00 NFL Today 12:00 News
12:00 NFL Playoff 12:30 Search
3:00 A Christmas 1:00 The Heart
4:30 Magic of 1:25 Timely Turns
Christmas 2:00 Guiding Light
3:00 Ghost & Mrs. 2:30 Edge of Night
Muir 3:00 Splendor
6:00 60 Minutes 3:30 Secret Storm
7:00 Gentle Ben 4:00 Merv Griffin
7:30 Name of Game 5:30 Tell The Truth
9:00 Dick Van Dyke 6:00 News
9:30 Mannix 6:30 CBS News
10:30 Ted Arm. 7:30 Truth or
Strong 7:30 Anna & The
11:00 News/CBS 8:00 Opening Night.
11:15 Williamsburg USA
Christmas 9:00 Here's Lucy
be Joyful 9:30 Doris Day
12:00 Christmas 10:00 Bill Cosby
Services 11:00 News
MONDAY
6:30 Caroline 11:30 Movie

WITN — Ch. 7

SUNDAY
7:00 Gospel Jubilee 11:00 Christmas
8:00 Dr. Hargiss Carrousel
8:30 Revival Fires 11:30 TBA
9:00 Herald of 12:00 Midnight Mass
Truth
MONDAY
9:30 Rev. Humbard 9:00 Christmas
10:30 Discovery Carrousel
11:00 Good News 1:00 Christmas
11:30 Christmas Carrousel
Spec 6:00 Christmas
12:00 Christmas Carrousel
Carrousel 7:00 Parent Game
1:00 TBA 7:30 Make a Deal
4:00 NFL Playoffs 8:00 Laugh In
8:00 NFL Kingdom 9:00 Movie
7:30 Disney 11:00 Christmas
8:30 Mystery Movie Carrousel
10:00 High 11:30 Tonight Show

WCTI-TV — Ch. 12

SUNDAY
7:00 The Life 7:30 Your Life
7:00 The Life 8:00 The F.B.I.
7:30 Waters Family 9:00 Movie
8:00 Streams of 11:00 ABC News
Faith 11:15 Messiah
8:30 Faith for 11:45 Showcase
9:00 Gospel Music MONDAY
10:00 Bullwinkle 7:00 Uncle Waldo
9:30 World Crusade 8:00 New Zoo
10:00 Curiosity Shop 8:30 Movie Game
12:00 Make A Wish 9:30 Joanne Carson
12:00 Havelock 9:30 West Carriert
12:30 Goldsboro Choir
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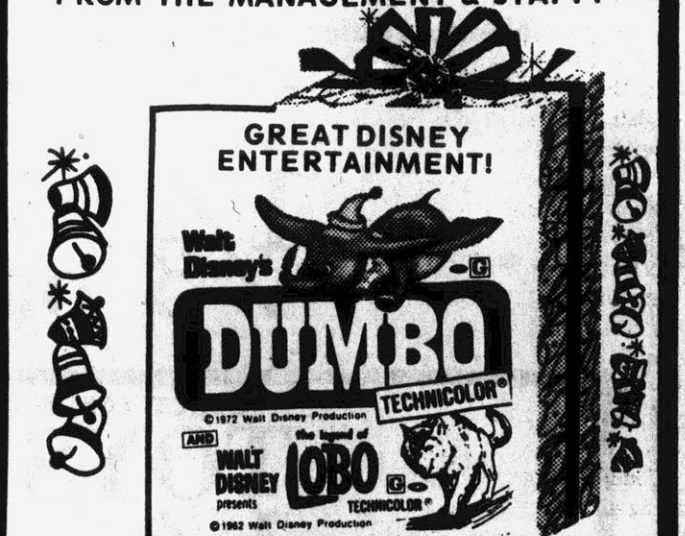
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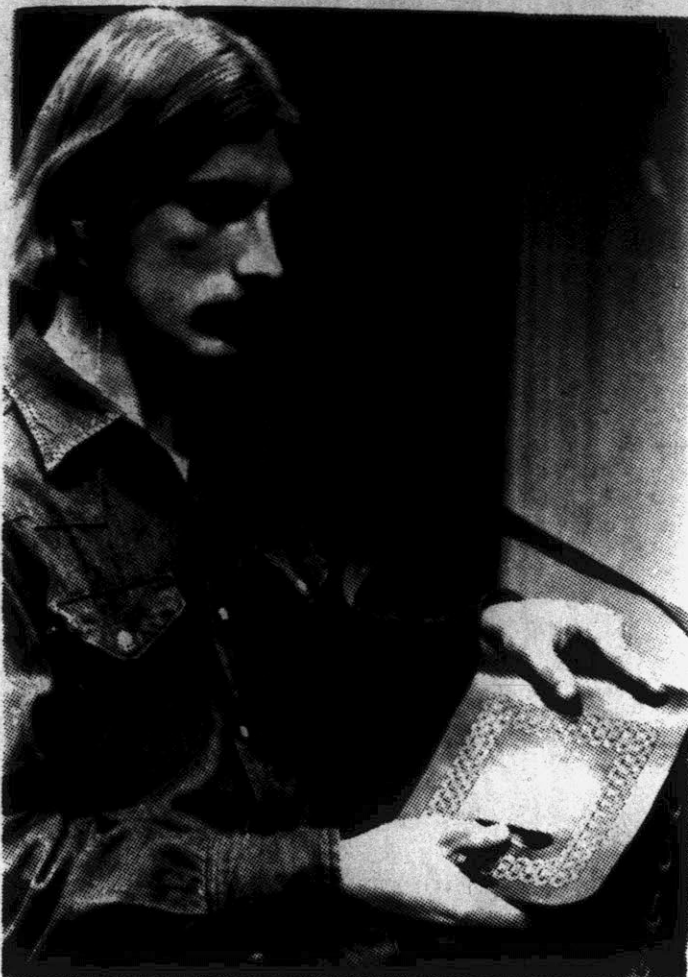
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Genuine Enthusiasm Is A Characteristic Of Creative Persons



Larry Tant, 21 year old Rocky Mount leather craftsman, explains the method he uses in designing a clasp

One of the pleasures of working with artists nearly every week during the year for articles on this page is the genuine enthusiasm creative people express for what they're doing.

And this week's subject, 21 year old craftsman Larry Tant of Rocky Mount, personifies the "joy of creating" attitude manifested by artists.

"This is the first Christmas I've been involved in anything like this," the soft-spoken young man stated. "It's amazing, the way I find myself eager after a day's work to get back to working on my leather."

Larry, a carpenter with the Windsor Development Company in Rocky Mount, says he's long had an urge to study art and had at one time planned to make that his career. "But," he smiled, "I'm married now and have a regular job." His wife, the former Leigh Strickland, an attractive petite blonde, is also a Rocky Mount native.

"It was because of my wife that I developed this interest in leather craft," Larry explained. "She suggested eight months ago she'd like for me to try my hand at making her a small leather shoulder bag. It didn't turn out the way I wanted it," he added, "so I decided to try another. From there on out I was hooked."

Larry said Leigh "helps a little but mostly she is patient and understanding about the time I spend at it. I'm pretty much at it every night after work and on weekends."

From the first shoulder bags, the young craftsman branched out to making belts "and a few other things, such as belt pouches and wrist bands."

"The decorative patterns I use are my own original designs or ones derivative from other designs. I study them and change them to suit my needs and the requirement of the piece I'm working on."

"Actually," he realized, "I like a minimum of decorative designs, perhaps just one

small design in a corner. The leather itself is so attractive it needs little to bring it's beauty out."

He works with Western steer and natural tanned leather, making bags and belts that are sturdy but elegant in their simple lines.

Larry is very much aware that he is still a novice filled with the excitement of having much to learn. "My progress, and I feel I'm making progress, is the result of trial and error. I'm anxious to try

my hand at luggage, and leather clothes, jackets, vests and pants, but I know I've got to gain more experience first."

A graduate of Rocky Mount's Senior High School, Larry is the son of Mrs. Frances Tant. In high school, he took the art courses available.

Photography is a favorite hobby, but one he says he has neglected since he has become totally engrossed in leather.

Larry first began selling the patiently made items at his home. "In fact," he smiled, "you could safely say most of my things were sold in my bedroom where I worked. Recently, I've started selling at the Market Place Ministry in Rocky Mount."

A small selection of the finely tooled shoulder bags now at the Mushroom in Greenville is Larry's first attempt to show his work outside Rocky Mount.

With boyish simplicity he explained that he could have disposed of the items in Rocky Mount. "But I've had Greenville in mind," he said. "The idea of having something of mine here is exciting, because this is where the art students and teachers are showing their things. I've been eager to see how my work compares to theirs. It's really thrilling, having something accepted here in my first year."

Jerry Raynor

NCNB Gives A Favorite Painting

North Carolina National Bank has announced the gift of a painting, "L'Entree du Port de Trouville," by Louis Eugene Boudin, to the North Carolina Museum of Art.

The painting has been on loan to the museum since 1967.

Addison H. Reese, chairman of the board of NCNB, presented the painting to Charles W. Stanford, museum director, at a mid-December luncheon.

"It was our intention when we purchased this painting five years ago eventually to make it a gift to the people of North Carolina. It is our great pleasure now to do this," Reese said.

"This fine work of Eugene Boudin has been viewed by many thousands of visitors to the North Carolina Museum of Art during the time it has been on loan from the NCNB collection," Reese added.

"It is rewarding to us to know that it is now assured of remaining on permanent exhibit as part of the collection of the people of North Carolina."

Stanford, in accepting the painting stated: "We are indeed grateful to North Carolina National Bank for this generous gift which already has given pleasure to so many people. From the outset the work has been a notable addition to our collection of 19th century French painting. The painting is a fine

example of the work of Boudin, an impressionist who is pre-eminent as a painter of the moods of water."

Boudin, who lived most of his life along the northern French coast, was born in the port of Honfleur in 1824. He died in 1898.

He was a follower of Corot, and, in turn, became the master of Monet.

He was a leader in the colony of Ecole St. Simeon, a group which included Millet, Courbet, Diaz, Harnpignes, Monet and others.

His paintings of the sea and sky over the English Channel have an aerial transparency in the way they depict the delicate, shifting light quivering over the water.

Monet called him the "master of the sea."



L'entree du Port de Trouville, by Boudin, a gift from NCNB. (Photograph courtesy NC Museum of Art)

'A Butterfly In Your Lap' Poetry

Poetry In The Schools. Edited by Ardis Kimzey. Raleigh, N.C. N.C. Department of Public Instruction. 1972. 112 pages, paperback, \$1.50. (Available from Publications Division, Room 352, Dept. of Public Instruction, Raleigh, N.C. 27602).

"and all I have for tenderness is words." This lovely, expressive line Ardis Kimzey has chosen for the cover of Poetry In The Schools. The title and concluding line from a poem by a high school boy is only one of numerous examples by North Carolina children from the first grade through high

school that reveals the full texture and range of children's creativeness.

This treasury of poetry by Tar Heel children is the outgrowth of a program that started with hope and ended in triumph — a splendid collection that captures a world of youthful emotions in all shades of poetic expressions.

In reviewing this anthology, it is tempting to ignore the background of how it came to be in favor of quoting lines from the poems. Briefly, the project was financed by the National Endowment for the Arts, and

Arts and Humanities Program of the U.S. Office of Education through the N.C. Arts Council, the N.C. Dept. of Public Instruction, and local school systems.

Twenty poets visited 29 schools for a one week period. Seventy-five other schools had visiting poets for a couple of days. The anthology is comprised of poems written by children in schools where poets visited the full week.

The project must have been an exhilarating experience for the poets working with the children. This is hinted at in one incident recorded in the preface. "A typical scene was in the third grade room when a little boy told his poet teacher, 'I don't like that dumb poetry, and I won't write any.' This same boy had written in less than an hour from then. . . 'When I'm cold I sound like crickets.'"

(A fifth grade girl, untitled poem) — "Then sit down by the spring — And put your tired feet in it and rest. — And a butterfly comes and sits down in your lap."

This is a rare gift the children of North Carolina have been given an opportunity to give their fellow citizens, young and old, one perfect for sharing with family, friends or even with strangers.

To paraphrase the last quoted line from the fifth grade student above, reading the poems in Poetry In The Schools is as delightful as "having a butterfly come and sit down in your lap."

Jerry Raynor

Book News

From Sheppard Memorial Library

By ELIZABETH H. COPELAND

Until two thousand years ago the salutation for the winter solstice was: "I give you light for the year." But after Bethlehem the customary salutation became: "I give you Christ — the light of the world."

Christendom will be forever grateful for the narratives of Christ's nativity and childhood. In the beginning, it was the singing of the angels that heralded a little Child's coming to earth. The message of that song announced a story which men have retold in many ways ever since that first Christmas.

There is so much to the telling of the story of Christmas that it fills the pages of art, music and literature. Though its telling has spread over hundreds of years since the birth of the Saviour and has taken many forms, there is unity in its diversity as well as completeness in its message.

Once long ago, a Child was born and a choir of heavenly angels heralded His coming to earth. Time has been kind in preserving the song and story. From the first written record of the Christmas story by Matthew and Luke to the great presses that retail the story now, from the splendid mosaics of the early days to the paintings that have come to us through the centuries, from the slow, measured tones of the fourth century plainsong to the mighty, triumphant choruses that echo through our world today, there has been one song and one story. And its message is for everyone: "Christ is born!"

Part of the story tells of the three wise men who mounted their camels and, led by a shining star, journeyed through the night to lay their gifts at the feet of the Child in the manger, the Child who brought love to the world — love that means peace and good will toward men.

Today, we follow in spirit the trail laid by the wise men and bring gifts to those we love. We light our candles and dress our trees, piling high the gifts of affection beneath them, enthralled by the magic that is Christmas and our hearts brimming over with glee.

Then, here's to Christmas! May the green of its trees never wither, its holly berries glow for a thousand years. May its joyous spirit live throughout eternity to bless all people the world over until every day is Christmas Day and Love abides with all forever.

There are 77 different species of mammals and 228 of birds in Yosemite National Park.

The People of India speak more than 800 languages and dialects, says National Geographic.

It is marvelous lines such as this boy's that graphically conveys thoughts, sights, sounds, moods, dreams and smells from childhood and teen-age in one brief enchantment after another.

A few excerpts will confirm what children instinctively know and what most adults have unfortunately forgotten — that there lies in the heart of each of us the hidden poet.

(Fifth grade boy about a Soft Puppy) — "his little body is cold — but inside he is — warm with love." . . . (High school girl, untitled poem) — "Toothless wisdom — on a pedestal — playing blues — softly — in the dark — while — test tubes fill with blackening mirth." . . . (High school boy, To Find Me) — "I am the number of friends I have — Divided by the people whose friend — I am."

And — (High school girl, untitled poem) — "Sleeping in the grass with the sun — examining our faces." . . . (A third grade boy's poem, The Monkey On The Ark) — "Oh, God, please don't let us — Get struck by lightning, — And don't let me — Get my tail stepped on!"

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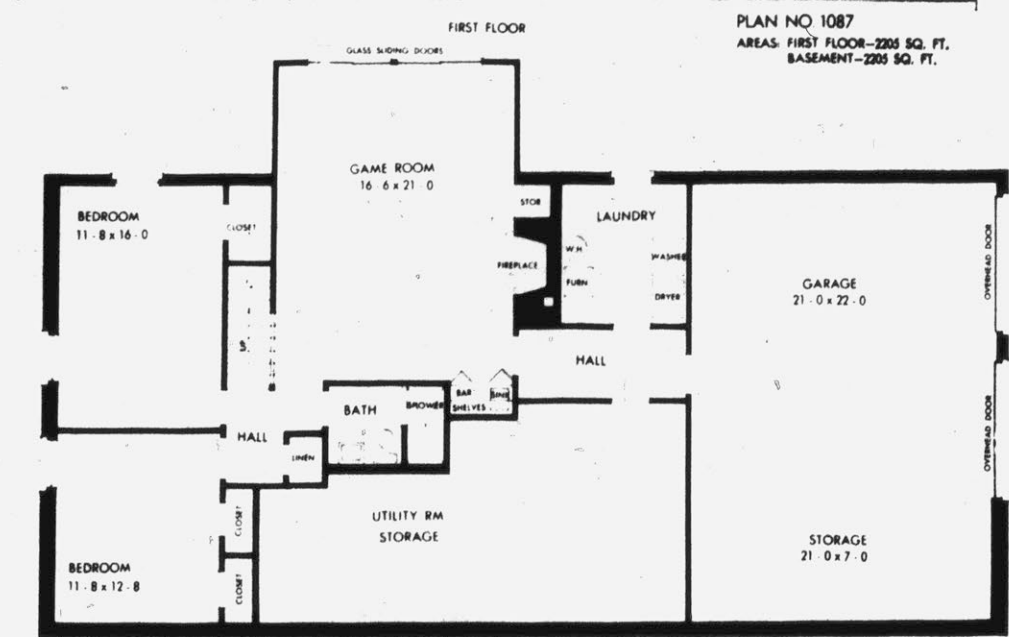
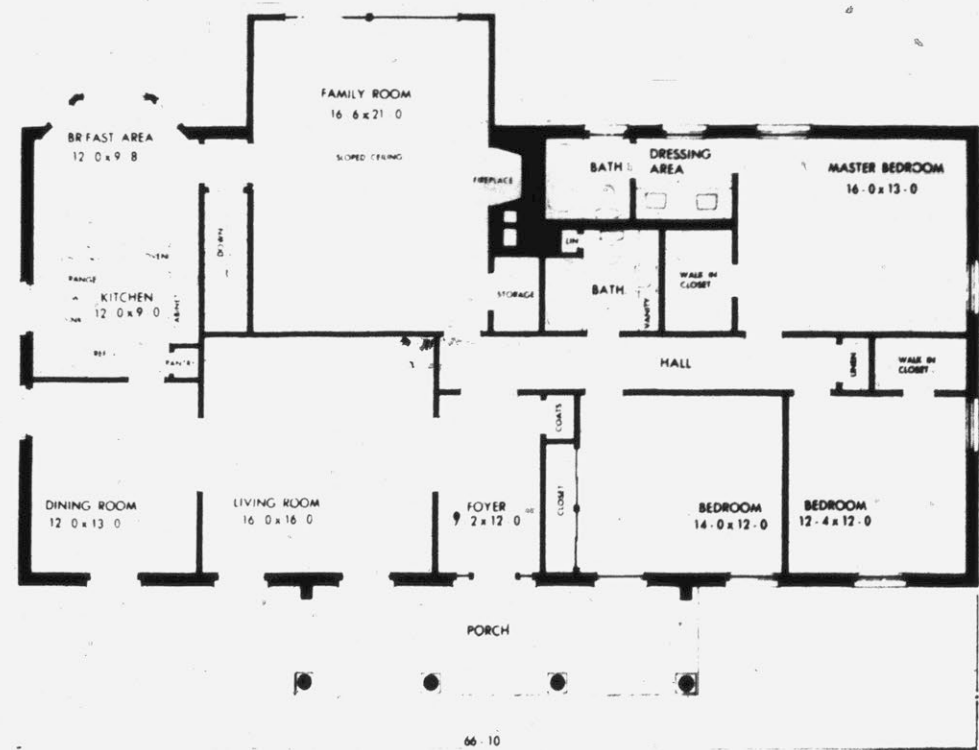
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A TOUCH OF OLD SOUTH — The Lancaster, designed by Associated House Plans, features Georgian styling to create a large home for an active family with modern tastes. There are five bedrooms and three baths on two levels. On the main floor there are the master bedroom suite and two other bedrooms, two baths, a living

room, dining room, kitchen with breakfast area, family room with sloped ceiling and fireplace and foyer. The finished basement includes a game room with fireplace and bar, two bedrooms, a bath with shower, laundry room, utility and storage room and two-car garage.



By **ANDY LANG**
AP Newsfeatures

Balky doors are not confined to those which are difficult to open and close because they stick or bind around the edges.

Some doors open and close quite easily but simply will not stay closed. That's because the latch bolt in the door no longer fits into the strike plate on the door jamb. This misalignment is due to any one of a number of reasons, including the fact that the hinges on the door have come loose and require retightening or resetting. Curiously, the failure of the latch to fit may be because the hinges on the door were retightened. In any case, whatever the reason, make sure the door hangs properly before you attempt to do something about lining up the bolt with the strike plate.

Since it is a difficult and almost impossible job to do anything about moving the bolt, which is part of the lock recessed into the front edge of the door, something must be done about the strike plate. And before that can be done, it must be determined whether the plate is too high or too low on the door frame.

Most of the time there will be scratch marks or a worn part on the plate showing where the bolt is hitting it instead of going into the opening. If this is not quickly apparent, close the door slowly while you shine a flashlight into the area to see where the misalignment is. And if that doesn't work, rub some chalk on the end of the bolt, close the door, open it and see where the chalk marks are.

When the bolt fails to fit into the opening by only a tiny fraction of an inch — an eighth or sixteenth of an inch — you may be able to file the metal to make a larger opening to accommodate the bolt. This filing usually can be done more easily if the strike plate is removed by taking out the two screws that hold it in place.

If the misalignment is more than indicated in the previous paragraph or if filing is impractical or difficult, the strike plate must be relocated slightly on the door jamb, moving it

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Georgian Charm Plus Modern

By **GERRY BISHOP**

Georgian styling and a spacious floor plan put the Lancaster in a class by itself.

Designed by Associated House Plans, this fine colonial would be ideal for a large active family.

There are five bedrooms and three baths in this roomy layout. Most of the action centers on the main level. The basement is finished to add another floor of living area.

Other features are a large living room, formal dining room, modern kitchen with breakfast area, family room with sloped ceiling and fireplace, entrance foyer, spacious game room with fireplace and bar, laundry room, utility room and storage area and two-car garage.

The exterior lines were borrowed from the Old South. Four white pillars support the front porch. A built-up roof and shuttered windows enhance the traditional styling.

There's a lot of privacy in the Lancaster, beginning with the foyer that cushions arriving

traffic.

Immediately to the left of the foyer is the living room, which is 16 feet square. It is well isolated from the main stream of traffic, assuring privacy. Connected to the dining room, the living room would be ideal for formal entertaining.

The kitchen is sure to catch a homemaker's eye. It is laid out for maximum efficiency and has all the modern components — built-in appliances, cabinets and a pantry.

The breakfast area is especially charming. It has a bay window which adds some delightful space.

With its high ceiling and open fireplace, the family room encourages relaxation. Informal entertaining would center there, as would most family activities. The dimensions — approximately 16 feet by 21 feet — are impressive.

Along hall links the bedroom wing to the rest of the main living level. The master bedroom — 16 feet by 13 feet —

has a compartmented bath with dressing area and double vanity and a large walk-in closet. This suite enjoys the privacy of a quiet rear-corner location.

The other two bedrooms have good dimensions, lots of closet space and are served by the main bath.

There are two bedrooms and a bath with shower on the basement level. These bedrooms also have lots of closet space and are of good size.

The game room would be an ideal place for entertaining the younger set. In fact, adult activities could be conducted on the main level while teens are partying on the lower floor.

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Campus Lighting Reduces Fear Of Crime

WASHINGTON (AP) — Night is no longer dreaded on the Catholic University campus here. The brilliant lights overhead create enough illumination for students to read textbooks under the elms at midnight.

But it took fear, and a dramatic upsurge in crime right on the campus, to change apathy to action. The savage mugging of several nuns and the murder of a coed were the final straws that inflamed Catholic's students with the fervor to "light a candle, instead of cursing the darkness."

Moving quickly after the coed was slain, they campaigned for improved lighting by relentlessly petitioning the university authorities. Finally, Catholic University's administration carried the students' fight to install high-intensity street lights to city officials. Already the improved lighting has had dramatic impact, reducing fear among faculty and students alike.

Encouraged by the results of their own successful campaign, the students now have turned

their attention to the need for improved lighting in the metropolitan area, where the crime rate has been high.

According to the Street and Highway Safety Lighting Bureau, FBI and police records as well as their own figures show that when lights go up, crime and accidents go down.

Statistics indicate over 90 percent of the nation's streets and roads are poorly lit, the Bureau reports. "Not only is there a shameful toll in needless pain and suffering," says P.J. Johnson, the Bureau's executive director, but "this neglect amounts to many billions of dollars of loss because of avoidable accidents and crimes."

Noting the results obtained at Catholic University, students in other parts of the country are organizing action groups to persuade their towns to take the necessary steps for improved lighting. A recent survey by the Bureau reveals these achievements:

At San Jose College, California, the All Women's Council recently succeeded in obtaining modern mercury vapor lights.

Spaced at intervals of 170 feet, these new lights eliminate all shadows. The group got the safety lighting with a concerted drive to convince officials of the need for encircling the campus with high intensity lights.

At the University of Missouri, Columbia, student groups conducted a massive campaign to replace outdated ineffective lighting with modern high intensity lighting. Working closely with local police officials, they surveyed dimly lit areas and produced statistics that showed beyond doubt how additional lighting would benefit the college community.

Fear had gripped the Ohio State campus in Columbus with such force that many coeds were afraid to leave their dormitories after dark. They implemented a concerted drive to "light up the dark," which resulted in installation of modern lights in formerly dark areas, and formulated plans to install flood lights in the campus parking areas. Following this successful program, the university is now working with local officials to expand the improved lighting campaign to the entire city.

It took a tragic traffic accident, which caused a coed's death, to correct the inadequate lighting at Fairleigh Dickinson University's campus at Teaneck, N.J. In an effort to avoid further tragedies, university and civic officials took steps not only to install proper lighting at the campus, but all along the area's streets bordering Fairleigh Dickinson.

At Case Western Reserve University, in Cleveland, a

dedicated senior deluged the newspapers with his one-man campaign for improved lighting. His task included letters to action-line columns, to editors, and to all community decision makers. The new improved lighting which resulted actually owes its existence to this civic-minded student.

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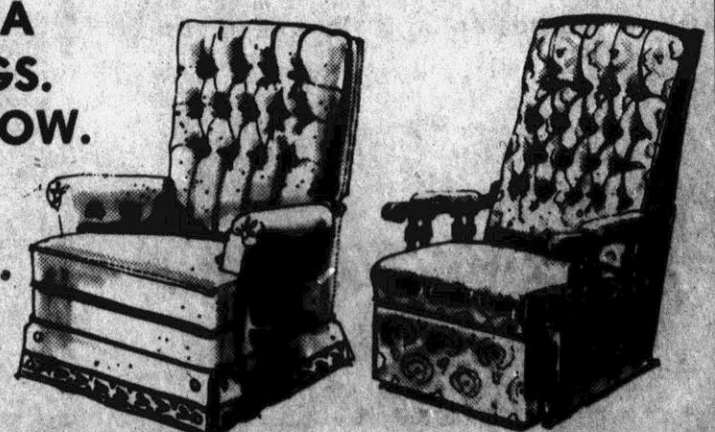
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Schools Mark The Season

By BLANCHE HARDEE
Reflector Staff Writer

Pre-Christmas activities in the Pitt County Schools show a broad range of Christmas observances, ranging from individual classroom parties to singing at Tarrytown Mall to visiting shut-ins.

The Grifton Junior High Glee Club performed at the December meeting of the Grifton PTA.

The seventh grade of Grifton School presented a Christmas play on Tuesday, Dec. 19, for grades four through eight. A film on Christmas was shown at the school on December 18 for the grades kindergarten through eight.

The students of W. H. Robinson School presented a Christmas program at the PTA meeting Dec. 11.

The second graders of Belvoir Primary presented a Christmas program entitled "Wiggle Worm" for the school and parents. The kindergarten students presented a Christmas program last week for their parents.

Individual Christmas parties were given for students at Stokes-Pactolus School and at Ayden Primary.

The boys and girls in Mrs. R. M. Bell and Mrs. Nancy Davis's fourth grades at Grifton School visited the Greenville Nursing and Convalescent home as part of a field trip they took on "Community Living."

The group took an assortment of fruits to the residents. They also sang Christmas carols while the residents ate lunch.

The fourth graders at Grifton also contributed to the Involvement Committee of the school and to Operation Santa Claus for the patients of O'Berry Center, Goldsboro.

Also presenting a Christmas program at their December PTA meeting were students of Pactolus Elementary School. The name of the program was "Santa Comes."

The Glee Club of D. H. Conley High School presented a concert during fourth periods on Dec. 15, 18, and 19. They also sang at Tarrytown Mall on Dec. 14.

The eighth grade of Chicod Elementary School performed during an assembly program on Dec. 19. After the program, each class had individual Christmas parties.

The eight graders at Chicod also performed at Tarrytown Mall on Dec. 1.

The students of Ayden Grammar School participated in Operation Santa Claus. An assembly program was held in the gym on Dec. 11. The decorations were made by the students. Each class had individual parties as part of their Christmas observance.

The chorus of Ayden-Grifton High School performed at Tarrytown Mall on Dec. 18.

The students of Bethel Primary assembled together on Dec. 19 to sing Christmas carols. A staff Christmas party was held at A. G. Cox Grammar School Monday and the students were given individual classroom parties.

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A chapel program was held at Falkland Elementary on Dec. 18 and a special Christmas program for Title I parents was

presented on Dec. 15.

The sixth grade classes of G.R. Whitfield presented a Christmas program during the PTA meeting at the school on Dec. 18. All classes were given parties on Dec. 19.

The students of H. B. Sugg School presented a musical Christmas program in the gym on Dec. 19.

The Library Club of Farmville Central High School held a Christmas supper on Dec. 11. They also decorated a tree for the school library.

A musical assembly was held for the students on Dec. 13. Also planning a musical was the Bible grades kindergarten through eight.

The math club placed a tree in the main lobby of the school and the geometry club made geometric figures to be placed on the tree.

Each department of the school adopted a Christmas theme. The Key and Keyettes Club of Farmville Central participated in Operation Santa Claus. They collected gifts and donations for Caswell Center and Cherry Hospital.

The Youth Association for Retarded Children sponsored a holiday party for the children attending the Developmental Center in Farmville.

The Future Homemakers of

America and the Foreign Language Club gave away Christmas goodies during activity periods on Wednesday.

The Farmville Central Band presented a street concert Friday, Dec. 15, in downtown Farmville.

The office assistants placed a Christmas tree in the school office and arranged for Christmas music to be played in the school cafeteria and lounge. The faculty Christmas party for Farmville Central teachers was held Dec. 18 after school.

Schools that held no special Christmas observances included Belvoir Grammar, Sam D. Bundy and Farmville Junior High.

The students of Bethel Middle School presented a Christmas talent show, including singing and skits, Tuesday afternoon.

The program, lasting one and one-half hours, involved all grades of the school. The seventh and eighth graders presented a Christmas skit.

Immediately following the anticipated individual classroom program, the students participated in individual classroom parties.

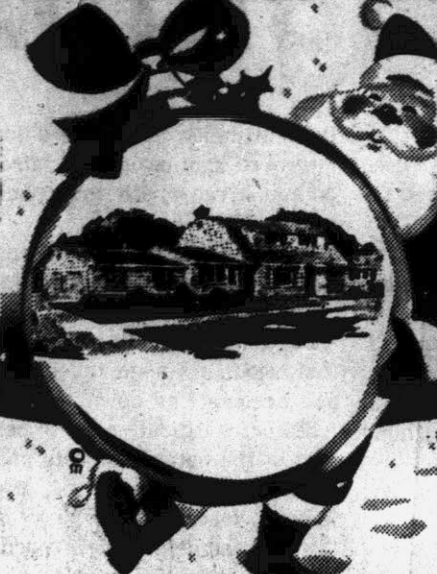


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Two grants of \$15,000 each were awarded to ECU faculty members for support of their research.

The Scottish Rite Foundation will sponsor Dr. W. Garrett Hume of the ECU School of Allied Health and Social Professions in his development of a program of research and therapy with speaking and reading difficulties caused by brain dysfunction.

Dr. Buford Rhea, chairman of sociology and anthropology at ECU, received support from the State Advisory Council on Vocational Education for his project, "An Evaluation of the Extent of Citizen Participation in Planning and Evaluating Occupational Educational Programs."

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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS



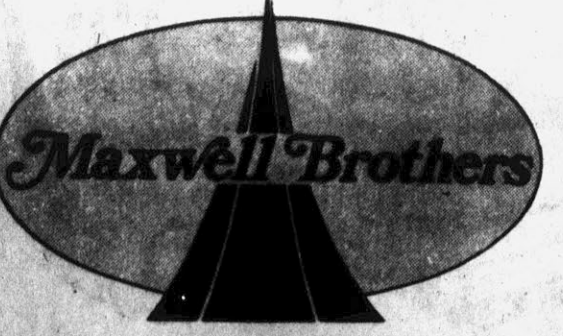
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**"Gem"—A Very Special
Story for Kids
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**Marlo Thomas:
Christmas Lessons
My Dad Taught Me**

**From Our Kitchens:
Make This "Tree"
Out of Sandwiches!**



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FOR ENGELBERT HUMPERDINCK

I was in the audience when you appeared at the Riviera Hotel in Las Vegas. You asked for volunteers, and two gorgeous girls walked on stage. You sang to them and kissed them. Tell me honestly, were those girls plants, or do average middle-aged



housewives like myself have a chance, too?—N. Holmes, Sacramento, Calif.

● Those were no plants, and sometimes the women who volunteer are old enough to be my mother. It is just that usually the young ones beat them to it. Maybe they are less reserved, or maybe they can just walk faster. But next time you come to the Riviera, please don't hesitate to step forward.

FOR DORIS DAY

What actor did you enjoy working with most?—Karen Hering, Appleton, Wis.

● I've enjoyed working with all my leading men, but if I have to be pinned down to a favorite, I suppose it is Rock Hudson. If I had to pick a favorite movie, it would be any of the ones I made with Rock.



FOR PAT BOONE

You have four daughters. How do you feel about letting them live away from home?—Al Lee, San Antonio, Texas

● I suppose you only refer to Cherry, 18, the oldest one. She talked about getting an apartment, but my wife Shirley and I are not willing to let her go. I simply will not consider letting any of our girls move away from home until they are 20. I lived at home until I was married. Of course, the girls can say that Shirley and I got married when we were 19—and it may be difficult to answer. But then, we were almost 20. . . .

FOR ROGER STAUBACH, pro football star

Do you think your shoulder separation injury will hurt your future as a passer?—Adam Romo, Jr., San Antonio, Texas

● No. In fact, the doctors tell me that my arm should be stronger than ever. I'm confident I'll be a better quarterback than I was before.



FOR MIKE MANSFIELD, Senate Majority Leader

Is the Senate turning into Chicken Little? I understand it recently approved a treaty fixing liability for man-made space objects in case they fall on our heads. True?—F. D., Green Bay, Wis.

● As of February, 1972, there were 2,730 objects in outer space, and as of the same date 3,120 objects had been in orbit but since decayed. Thus, as space exploration continues, it becomes increasingly possible that persons or property may be damaged by space mishaps.

FOR SEN. EDMUND MUSKIE of Maine

Do you think acquainting the American public with Polish history, especially the contributions made by Americans of Polish descent, would eliminate Polish jokes and slurs?—F. Jasiorkowska, Chicago, Ill.

● Yes. I think as more and more people become aware of the heritage of others, there will be less reliance on so-called ethnic jokes. Any form of humor that relies on slurs on others' origins is in bad taste.



FOR DAVE DEBUSSCHERE of the New York Knicks

What made you give up your baseball career for basketball?—T. S., Anderson, Calif.

● After two years of double-sport participation, I realized I had more chance to be a star in basketball and dropped my baseball career. It's difficult to play two sports. Only one other modern player—Ron Reed of the Atlanta Braves—has attempted playing two sports professionally. And he dropped basketball quickly.

FOR SHELLEY WINTERS, starring in "The Poseidon Adventure"

Every actor and actress seems to have a favorite role they would like to play. What is yours?—F. J., Boca Raton, Fla.

● I'd love to play Golda Meir on the screen. What a woman!



FOR CLORIS LEACHMAN,
currently starring in Walt Disney's "Charlie and the Angel"
Is it true you once won a beauty contest?—L. Johnston, Yuma, Ariz.

● In 1946 I was chosen Miss Chicago. I was also one of the five finalists in the Miss America pageant the same year. [Editor's note: When she was a shapely student at the Actor's Studio a few years later, Cloris was told by Julie Harris, "If I had your figure, I could rule the world!"]

FOR DAVE BRUBECK, jazz musician

You're a famous jazz musician, but your children are into rock music. Do you see this difference in musical taste as a generation gap?—P. L., Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

● Every generation likes its own music. It gives them an identity that sets them apart from their elders. In my early years, "swing was the thing." It became the basis for my style of jazz. My son Darius, 25, grew up when folk music was in vogue, so his approach reflects his interest in ethnic influences. Chris, 20, reached junior high about the time the Beatles took over, so his music is more rock oriented. But all my sons play jazz as well as rock. And they were trained in classical. I suppose our difference in musical preference (not taste; we all agree when it's *bad*, whether it's rock or jazz) is a "generation gap," but it's one that is easily bridged.



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Why the Diet Revolution works.

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Read these incredible true stories!

From size 18 to size 8! Beatrice G had been taking diet pills since she was a fat 9-year old! Yet when she came to Dr. Atkins, she still weighed 166 pounds and wore size 18! Now she's size 8 and still losing! "The best part is I know I'll never have to go hungry again!" she says.

Loses 85 pounds in 17 weeks. Herb W weighed 367 pounds at the age of 32. He had tried diet pills and

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2. Do you try to get by for lunch with nothing but a piece of lean ground beef with a little ketchup on it? "WRONG," says Dr. Atkins. "Have two cheeseburgers instead."
3. Do you skip lunch entirely and nibble a tiny box of raisins? "WRONG," says Dr. Atkins. "Have some chicken kiev dripping with melted butter!"
4. When you eat out, do you go off your diet? "No need to," says Dr. Atkins, and tells you how to enjoy Chinese food, French food, Italian food right from the menu.

started and quit Weightwatchers several times. After four months of Dr. Atkins' diet, he had lost 85 pounds — yet he was never hungry. I'm losing, but I'm not on a diet. I'm eating up a storm," he says happily. "It's fantastic!"

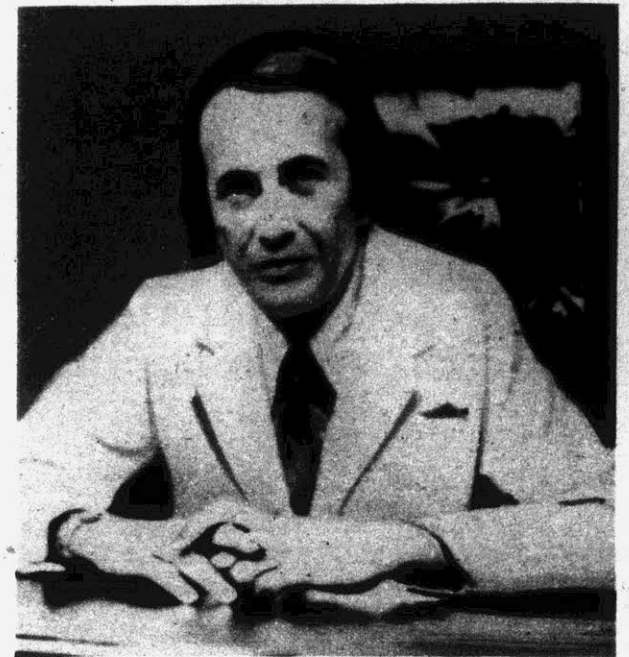
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The Diet Revolution tells you everything you need to know.

Why diet pills are bad news (p. 88)
How to start your body producing (FMH) — the fat mobilizing hormone that flushes out and burns up your excess weight (p. 16)
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Marlo Thomas Recalls Christmases Past:

"The Greatest Lesson My Father Taught Me"

By Marlo Thomas,
as told to Helen Dorsey

Some people might tell you about the first Christmas they discovered there is no Santa Claus. I don't remember that.

When I think about Christmas, I think of family sharing. We always go to Mass and have brunch together, just the family. Actually, most of the Christmases I spent as a child were mixed in with a lot of traveling so I could be with my father.

My most memorable childhood Christmas came when I was eight. My sister Terry was five and my brother wasn't even born. My father was appearing at the old Chez Paree in Chicago, and they wanted him to stay over for Christmas and New Year's. My mother was determined to spend Christmas at home. Our tree was up, the presents were all under the tree and my mother said, "I'm not uprooting these children. They're all excited and waiting for you to come home."

My father told the Chez Paree people he could never be away from his family at Christmas, but they said, "Tell her she can bring all the presents. Tell her we'll get a tree, we'll have a Santa for the kids on Christmas morning and everything." So we went.

We went by train because my mother didn't like to fly. On the train we had a roomful of presents. I remember that very well. And what a terrific Christmas they gave us! Santa was waiting in the hotel room when we got there. There was a big train with presents stuffed in each car and a big tree.

I've only spent one Christmas away from my family. That's when I was in London, playing in "Barefoot in the Park" onstage. It felt very strange being away that day, but I gave a Christmas dinner in my flat for the cast and crew. I had to have something I could do myself—especially since I was going through a trying period. It was a time when I was trying to break out of the identity crisis that always goes with being the son or daughter of a famous person.

Lots of people think it's no trouble for children of famous people to make it. But it's a tremendous amount of trouble, an unbelievable amount, and some of us make it and some of us don't. I know many kids I grew up with, children of famous people, who



Homemade presents and cards, Marlo believes, mean more than presents and cards that are bought. "Do things yourself," she advises.

"When my play opened, my father gave me a set of horse blinders, and on the card he wrote: 'Just run your own race.'"

are now in sanatoriums, or have become alcoholics or have taken to drugs. They just couldn't make it.

But it was on that Christmas in London that my father gave me probably the best gift I ever got. He knew I had been having a lot of trouble in the U.S. just getting out on the streets without people bugging me about who I was. I guess I went to London so I could get away and be what I was myself. Then when my play opened, my father gave me a set of horse blinders, and on the card he wrote: "Just run your own race."

It's true! He had told me, "Thoroughbreds run their own race. They don't look at anybody else or at what anybody else is doing."

I think the greatest gift you can give anyone is to let them be themselves. I mean, if I could ask anything,

if I was a new baby, I would say to my mother, "Let me be me."

I think this is important for us as grown-ups too. Let the person you love be who they are and like what they like. I often wonder why, when we choose somebody to love, we then often try to beat out of them what we don't like or what doesn't agree with us. I keep noticing that in couples. I always say, "Why are you torturing that poor person? Let him be. If you don't like what he does, how he walks, eats, talks, then move on!"

You know, I took off the last year. Since then I've spent a lot of time trying to concentrate on my own feelings, rather than on my commercial pursuits. My new record album reflects that. It's called "Free to Be . . . You and Me." It resulted from my own anguish over the children's fairy

tales my niece was reading and hearing. I listened too—and what I heard was the roles of children and parents that these tales traditionally assign to boys and girls and men and women. The purpose of my album is to help free children to be who they are and who they want to be.

I guess my most remembered childhood Christmas gift was a piano. I wanted one in my bedroom. My mother and father gave me a white piano, just made for little girls, and I wanted it so badly.

We always decorated with a Nativity scene out in front of our house. In Beverly Hills, where I grew up, the Chamber of Commerce gave a prize for the best display. We won it so many times they finally gave us the perennial plaque so we wouldn't be eligible any more. We went crazy with our Nativity. We started out small and finally we had this huge stable on the front lawn with life-size figures my father found in Italy.

My parents still put it up each year. One year when we were no longer at home my father thought, "Gee, the kids all have their own homes," so he didn't do it. All the people in the city wrote him letters complaining about its not being there. "It's a place we always take our children," they said.

As for my presents, I've gotten more into making things for people now, because I've realized, through the years, those are the gifts I like the best. Somebody would make me a pillow or draw me a picture or knit me something. I just felt the best about that. It's the warmest and best. Last year, I made a pillow for my niece, Dionn, for whom I'd do anything, and for my boyfriend, in needlepoint.

As kids, we made cookies and our own Christmas cards. I would still love to make my own cards, but now I send close to a thousand of them, and I don't have time. But I love it when someone sends me a handmade, homemade Christmas card. It makes me wonder how we got so far away from the real spirit of Christmas. How did we get so far away from truly giving to each other? Isn't giving really giving of yourself in some way?

If I had to select a single thing to tell people about Christmas I would say this: Don't worry so much about buying the *biggest* present, but do make it the most personal present. Do things yourself.





Pulitzer Prize-winner MacKinlay Kantor is famous for his books on the Civil War and for his beloved animal stories (his dog story, "The Voice of Bugle Ann," has become a classic). His most recent book is an autobiographical novel, "I Love You, Irene" (Doubleday, \$7.95).

Gem: The Story of a Dog

A Special Christmas Gift for Children and Parents
Written Exclusively for Family Weekly by

MacKinlay Kantor,
Author of "Andersonville"

My name is Gem.

I will tell you how I got that name. I was too small to remember, but often I've heard Her telling about it.

They drove over to a kennel and there I was, wriggling with my brothers and sisters.

She picked me up and cried, "Oh, isn't this one a little Gem!"

He chuckled, and said, "They all look like gems to me. But now, with old Ranger gone to Heaven, we need a new dog."

So I was Gem, and They took me home.

First thing I can remember is getting spanked. I was out in the yard with Him, and He strolled to the driveway to get His mail. Suddenly, in the road beyond, appeared the most dreadful but exciting monster. It was a car.

I wasn't very big, but I took out after that thing lickety-split. I barked and threatened, and chased it safely away from us. And all the while I could hear Him calling to me to come back.

I did come—proudly at first. But He was standing there looking fierce, so I wasn't proud any more. I crawled and slithered

and dragged my belly on the ground. He had a rolled-up copy of the "Times" and He gave me several swats with that, across my back and rear.

"Don't you ever chase cars again!"

This was the end of the world. I had been certain that He loved me, and now He was beating me. I wanted to die. It seemed such a long time that I was wanting to die, but maybe it was only a matter of minutes.

Later I heard Him telling Her about it, and He said that He'd given me a spanking with the "Times." And She said, "Well, I should think so!" And She scolded me, and I crouched and shook, and was miserable again. For several minutes.

Once more I chased a car. Again I came cringing back, crawling and slithering and dragging in the dirt, and this time He gave me a more severe whipping. Actually it didn't pain me. You can't get hurt very much by being punished with a newspaper. It was just the idea of the thing.

And next time a noisy car came past, I

heard Him speak my name in a low firm voice when He saw my ears go up. So I put my ears down and skulked back behind Him. Pretty soon—It's odd. But I lost interest in chasing cars. Somehow it didn't seem the thing to do.

So I have been spanked only those two times in all my life. Oh, I got into trouble on a few occasions. Once there were some chicken sandwiches on the kitchen table—we were going on a picnic—and I jumped up on a chair and put my nose into the basket. But She came into the room just then and screamed at me, and I got down

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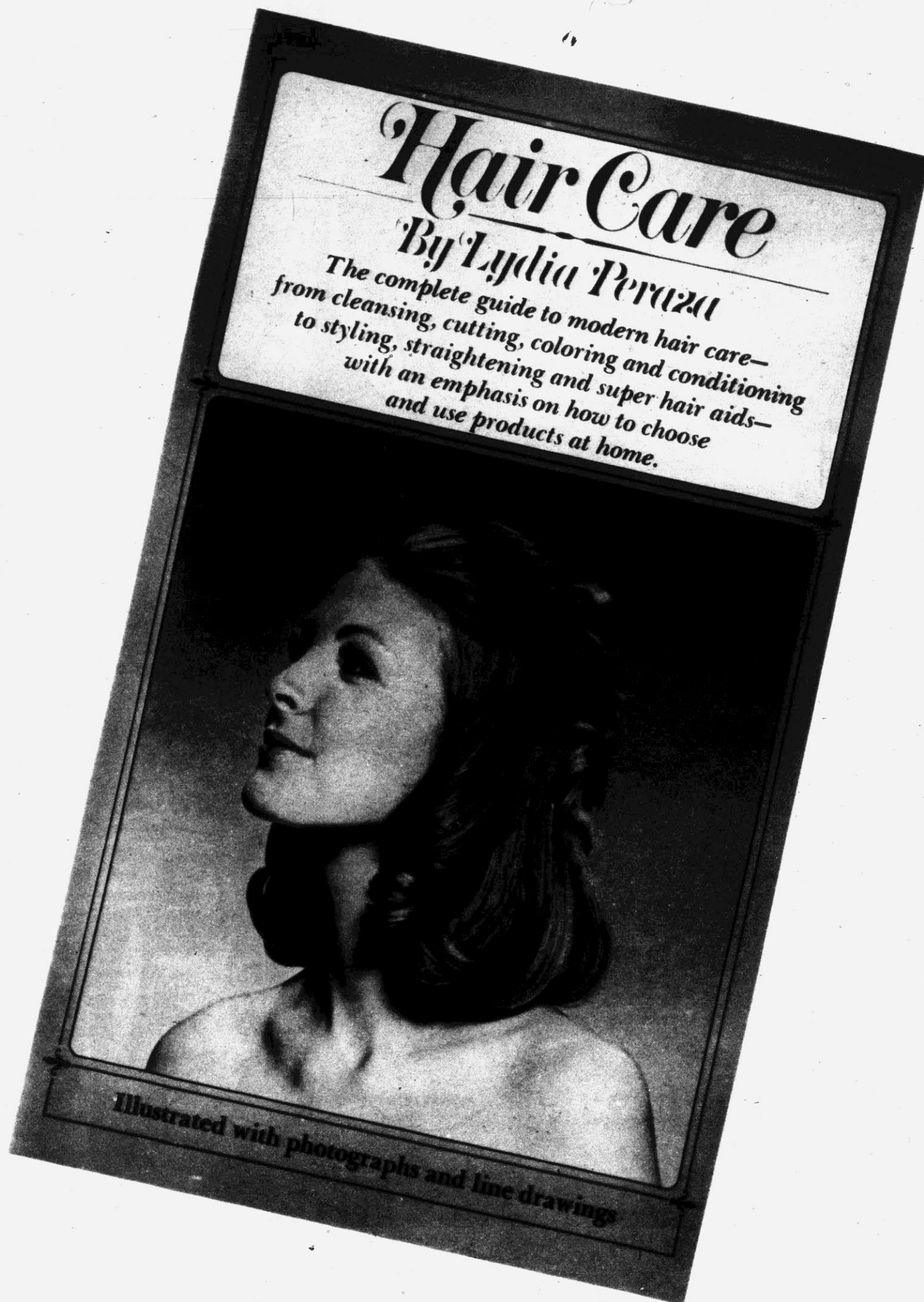
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Gem:

The Story of a Dog

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and ran, and hid under the couch.

I can do a trick. He speaks my name, and says, "Here," and He puts down a scrap of meat or a dog cookie or something nice like that, right in front of my nose. I'm supposed to lie motionless and not eat the delicious thing, because He says, "Stay," when He puts it there. I don't move. I'm not supposed to. Sometimes-it seems like a very long time before He asks, "Would you like to have it?" I lift my head and say Yes out loud. "OK," He says. That's the signal for me to gobble the thing as if I didn't know where my next meal was coming from.

Also I am a hero. It was in wintertime. I was sleeping downstairs on my own bed, and They had



"He awoke and opened the door.
'Gem, what is it?' Then he yelled,
'Honey, get up!
The house is on fire!'"

closed the door of Their bedroom, knowing that I would come in and try to sleep with Them if the door were left open.

I woke up feeling disturbed. My nose was hurting, and a queer smell drifted in the air. Also I heard a strange sound. I went up to Their room and scratched at the door. The smell hurt my nose more than ever, so I began to howl.

He awoke, and opened the door. "Gem, what is it?" Then He yelled, "Honey, get up! The house is on fire!"

So it was—almost. There was a place on the wall, around a panel of light switches, where wood was scorched and glowing and falling down in big red flakes.

He yelled to Her, "I'm going to pull the master switch!" and He ran downstairs. When He came back He had a flashlight in one hand and a fire extinguisher in the other. He shot a lot of awful smelling stuff from that extinguisher, but at least it put the glowing embers out. The house smelled terribly, and I ran around and yelped.

After They opened up some windows we had some decent air in the place. But it took a long time.

He said to Her solemnly, "If it hadn't been for Gem, the whole house might have burned. With us in it."

Next day was Sunday. And Marie and Luther and Herb and Ed and Nina and all the other children and grandchildren came over to see how close we had come to having the house burned up, and maybe all of us as well. Some of the neighbors came also.

I lay looking up at Them, and was petted and scratched on the head so much that I rolled over and waved my legs in the air, and held my mouth open. When I do that, They always say I'm being a clown. So I was a clown again and again, because They petted me so eagerly, and talked baby talk.

I have heard some people say that dogs don't like to have baby talk spoken to them, but that's silly. Dogs do like it, and I especially enjoy it very much.

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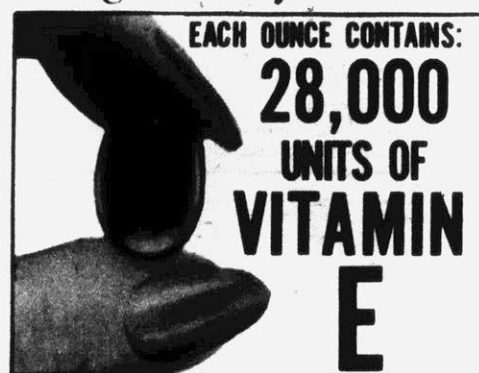
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JERRY LUCAS:
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—By Barry Abramson

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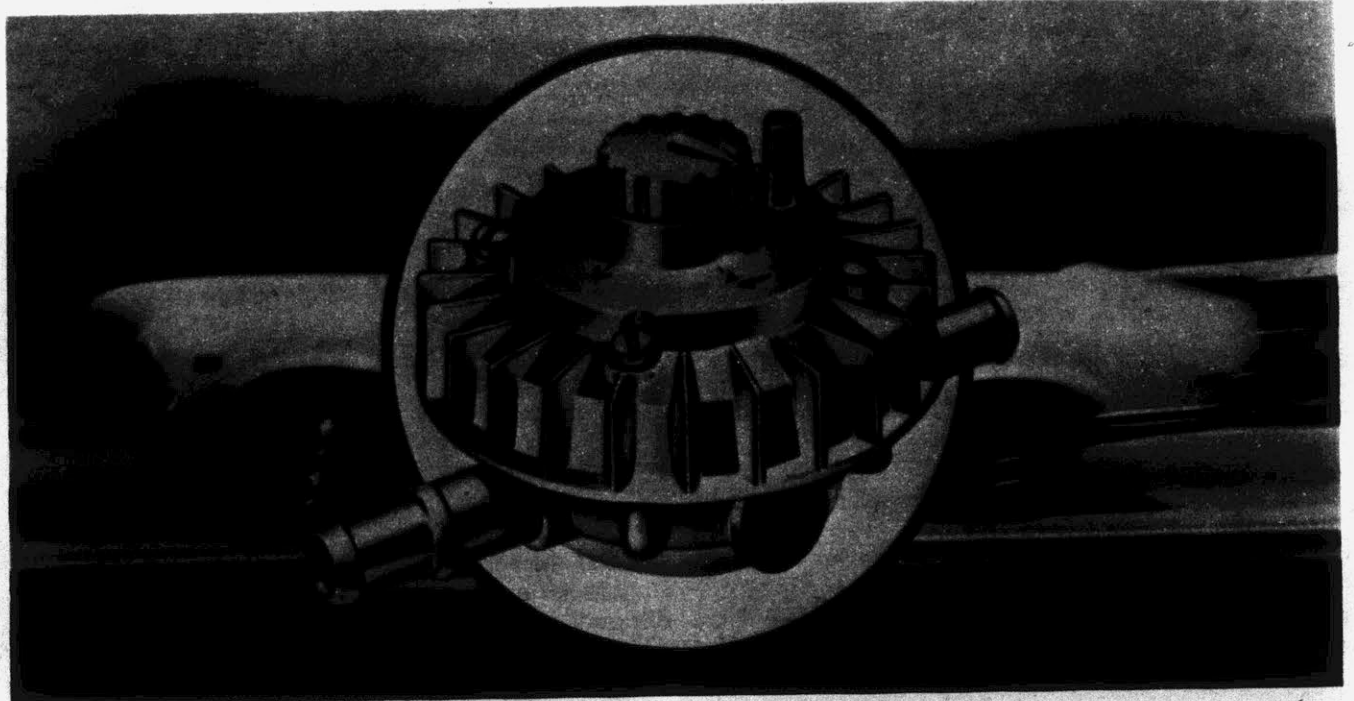
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Smart Cooking

This week, **Food Editor Marilyn Hansen** makes a Holiday Sandwich Tree and a Spicy Citrus Punch to serve visiting children or carolers. "The sandwiches," says Marilyn, "are made of corned beef and chicken spreads, plus seasonings. The flavor's unique, but not so unique, I think, that kids won't love it."

Make a Holiday Sandwich Tree

HOLIDAY SANDWICH TREE

- 1 can (4½ ozs.) corned-beef spread
- ¼ cup small-curd creamed cottage cheese
- 2 teaspoons chopped chives or freeze-dried chives
- ½ teaspoon prepared horseradish
- 3 drops liquid hot-pepper sauce
- 1 can (4½ ozs.) chicken spread
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped water chestnuts, celery or cucumber
- Dash ground ginger
- 1 loaf (16 ozs.) thinly sliced white bread (17 slices)
- 2 tablespoons mayonnaise
- ½ cup finely chopped parsley

1. Make fillings first: In small bowl combine corned-beef spread, cottage cheese, chives, horseradish and hot-pepper sauce.

2. In another bowl combine chicken spread, water chestnuts and ginger.

3. Trim crusts from bread slices. (Keep bread slices under damp dish towel to keep them from drying out as you work.)

4. Spread corned-beef filling on four slices of bread, cover with four additional slices of bread. Repeat with chicken filling.

5. Cut each sandwich in quarters, making four squares. Dip one corner of each square into mayonnaise and then into parsley.

6. Arrange sandwiches into tree shape on serving plate, beginning with 9 squares in bottom layer: 7 on the outside and 2 in middle, so that the parsleyed points project.*

7. In shaping the remaining four layers, use 7 squares outside and 1 in the middle; 6 squares outside and 1 in the middle; 5 squares and 4 squares.

8. Top tree with remaining slice of bread cut into star shape. (Use a star-shaped cookie cutter if you have one.) Points of star should also be dipped in mayonnaise and parsley; secure star on top with a toothpick.

9. Cover with foil or plastic film and refrigerate if not serving at once.

Makes 32 party-size sandwiches

*If you are short on time, arrange sandwiches in tree shape and sprinkle all over with chopped parsley.



Christmas is for children, they say—and so are this decorative sandwich tree and punch.

SPICY CITRUS PUNCH

- 4 qts. water
- 2 teaspoons whole cloves
- 1 teaspoon whole allspice
- 2 sticks whole cinnamon
- 6 lemons
- 7 large oranges
- ½ cup tea leaves
- 3 cups sugar
- Orange slices
- Whole cloves

1. Measure 2 qts. water into a large saucepan; add whole cloves, allspice and cinnamon sticks.

2. Using a vegetable peeler, remove the thin outer yellow- and orange-colored zest from the white part of the fruit peel. Add zest peels to water-spice combination. Bring to boiling, cover, reduce heat and simmer for 30 minutes.

3. Meanwhile bring another 2 qts. water to boiling. Remove from heat, add tea, cover and steep 10 minutes.

4. Strain both mixtures and combine. While still hot, stir in the sugar until dissolved.

5. Squeeze juice from reserved lemons and oranges and add to hot tea mixture. If made ahead, refrigerate, covered, until needed.

6. May be served steaming hot or icy cold; either way, stud orange slices with whole cloves and float on surface. Garnish punch cups with whole cinnamon sticks if desired.

Makes 4½ qts., about 40 servings

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With bone-crushing force steel-jaw traps spring shut on millions of wild animals each year in the United States. These animals die a slow, agonizing death of starvation, thirst, freezing, fear, or gangrene. Many times the animal will actually chew or twist off its foot in a desperate attempt to save itself.

These beautiful wild creatures are killed primarily for their fur; few are used as food. Furs are a luxury item catering to our vanity but hardly necessary to our survival. From forty to over sixty small animal skins are often used for a single fur coat. Consider the immense pain, fear and suffering each coat represents. Steel-jaw traps account for 90 percent of the annual U.S. fur take. Only 10 percent are caught in more humane, instant-kill traps.

State laws regulating trapping are rarely enforceable. Steel-jaw traps may be purchased and set by anyone, including children, who often forget or neglect them, leaving any unfortunate animal trapped to die a miserable, painful and prolonged death.

We are a nation who has put man on the moon. Yet we treat our fellow creatures with barbaric and primitive cruelty. It is time to redefine our values. It is time to end this abusive use of our wild animals. YOU CAN HELP.

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New, Special Way to Catabolize Fats out of your body—without unsafe drugs, annoying exercises or strict dieting.

By Elizabeth Louise

FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA (Special Report) — A new, **different** Grapefruit Diet, that really works, is sweeping the country. Overweight persons everywhere are losing excess poundage faster and easier than ever before, with this unique diet. Now they can eat **all** the foods they **love**—including thick steaks, potatoes, bacon, scrambled eggs, fried chicken, even alcoholic drinks. This special, high speed grapefruit diet begins to work within 24 hours—**even while sleeping**.

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MELT OFF UGLY FAT WITHOUT STRICT DIETING

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RESHAPES YOUR BODY

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it also? Simply follow the delicious satisfying diet and special private instructions. That's all! You will be rewarded with thrilling results. This diet gives you the right **COMBINATION** of foods that wake up lazy **CATABOLISM**. As ugly fat is catabolized out of your body, it also helps you conquer that tired, sluggish, "old age" feeling so often caused by a fat-burdened body.

DOCTORS WARN AGAINST STRICT DIETING

The United States Department of Health, Education and Welfare plus many doctors warn against restricted diets deficient in vitamins, minerals, proteins, fats, and starches. You need all these elements for abundant health. If you eliminate any of them, you get only temporary weight loss. Eventually, your body fights back and ugly fat returns, pound after pound. Super "C" Grapefruit Diet is **different**. It works **with** you, **not** against you. No hunger pangs, ever. No skipped meals. You feast on hearty breakfasts, lunches, dinners. You enjoy a rich **variety** of good eating—foods you've always **craved** for. Just imagine, you can partake of formerly "prohibited" foods, such as ham, bacon, stews, rich casseroles, creamy desserts, etc. You certainly fill up on many delicious foods. Yet, by following this fast and easy 10 day plan, you can catabolize pounds and pounds of accumulated fat out of your body. Right up to 10 pounds (or more) in 10 days!

HOW DOES IT WORK?

Your body burns up fat very much like a car burns gas. This natural process is called **CATABOLISM**. After years of faulty dieting, excess fats become hardened and **lazy**—locked up in body tissues. Meantime your body catabolism may also slow down. Result: cholesterol fats may clog up arteries, placing life itself in jeopardy. Fats become lodged in arms, thighs, buttocks, belly, etc. You look older. You also act older.

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What in the World!



"SANTA" HELEN SCOTT
Another male bastion falls

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus—and here she is. . . . With today's equal-opportunity laws, it's no longer legal for department stores to insist that their Santas be men. So at least one temporary-help agency is training women for the job. One graduate from Western Girl Santa training is trim housewife Helen Scott. Do children object to sitting on the knee of a bearded lady? Apparently not. They're too young—and too nervous—to notice. Three things Helen has learned: Never promise the kids anything; always refer to the child's "folks" instead of his parents (in case he doesn't have parents); and never, *never* go "Ho-ho-ho!"—because no one, man or woman, can give that laugh the real Santa ring!

Robert Mitchum hoboed around the U.S. 39 years ago—when he was 15 and 16 years old. He was arrested for vagrancy near Savannah in 1933, and served seven days on the Chatham County Camp chain gang. Then he escaped. Mike Tomkies tells the tale in "The Robert Mitchum Story" (Regnery, \$6.95): "After the first day and night, Mitchum's ankles were blistered, inflamed and bleeding; just to walk at all was agony. . . . The pain of the shackles was an integral part of the punishment. . . . On the seventh day, as the prisoners were being transported back to the farm, the guards removed their chains. Mitchum watched, and finally ran. As he tore across the road



and toward the fields and distant woods, he heard the guards start to shout. Then he heard the 'whuff' and thump of rifle bullets as they tore into the ground near his pumping legs. When he reached the first clump of trees, he found to his amazement that no one was chasing him. 'In those days . . . if they missed you with a rifle,' Mitchum explains, 'they just went out and rounded up someone else to take your place on the work gang.'"



BIPS

PIERRE BOTTONI'S SECRET
Bank look vs. Left Bank look

Next time you see a "hip looking" young man with shoulder-length hair, look again—it may be fake. From Paris comes word that men's wig salons are the latest craze. Young banker Pierre Bottoni (pictured) is one of their customers. His employers demand short hair during work hours; fashion demands that he look like his mod friends at night. Men's long-hair wigs are having brisk sales in the U.S., too—particularly among Army Reservists and National Guardsmen. Here, the situation is reversed. Youths making their liv-

ing as rock performers, film directors or advertising writers claim their business calls for flowing tresses; it's the Army that says no. Girls, beware! You can't tell a head by its cover!

DATES: Merry Christmas! **Sunday** is Christmas Eve and **Monday** is Christmas Day!

ANNIVERSARIES: Washington crossed the Delaware 204 years ago **Monday**. The U.S.S.R. was formed 50 years ago **Saturday**.

BIRTHDAYS (all Capricorns): **Sunday**—Ava Gardner 50; Howard Hughes 67. **Monday**—Cab Calloway 65; Tony Martin 59. **Tuesday**—Mao Tse-tung 79; Steve Allen 51; Richard Widmark 58. **Wednesday**—Marlene Dietrich 68. **Thursday**—Sam Levenson 61; Martin Milner 39. **Friday**—Pablo Casals 96; Jon Voight 34; Mary Tyler Moore 33. **Saturday**—Sandy Koufax 37.



BIRTHDAY PEOPLE:
Mao Tse-tung and Mary Tyler Moore

Quips & Quotes

ARMOUR'S ARMOURY By Richard Armour



SHOE STORY

I have some shoe trees made of wood
That I keep close about.
At night I put them in my shoes,
Replacing feet now out.

But I regret these trees don't grow,
As trees should, toward the skies
And bear a crop of splendid shoes,
Each one, when ripe, my size.

If such a tree I had, I'm sure
I'd tend it every day
And prop the laden branches up
And frighten birds away.

At harvest-time I'd pick my shoes

And, as I picked them, smile.
I'd hope that half were left, half right,
And all the latest style.



THROUGH A CHILD'S EYES

Kids see life differently. Send original contributions to "Child," Family Weekly, 641 Lexington Ave., N.Y., N.Y. 10022. \$10 if used—none returned.

My five-year-old son has been worried about the scrapes people get into on TV, and I explained that these were just shows, not real life. Shortly after, he came up to me and asked, "Mom, are we real people?" Then, looking around the room thoughtfully, "Or is this just a show?"

—Mrs. Jack Bohn
Lima, Ohio

Search all your parks in all your cities.
You'll find no statues to committees.

—C. Fiorello

JULIET LOWELL'S CELEBRITY LETTERS

Juliet Lowell, author of the all-time best-seller "Dear Sir," collects unintentionally humorous letters to and from people in all walks of life.

To Senator Frank Church
The Senate
Washington, D.C.



Dear Sen. Church:

Please see that I get into the tailoring department of the Army. I know a lot about tailoring as I've spent most of my life in women's clothing.

Francis J. _____

This is the time of the year when every contract between parent and child has a Santa clause in it.

—Henry E. Leabo

Look at it this way: A four-day work-week would make possible another full day of televised football games.

—Lane Olinghouse

By Frank Baginski

LITTLE EMILY



"Remember: No string tonight!"

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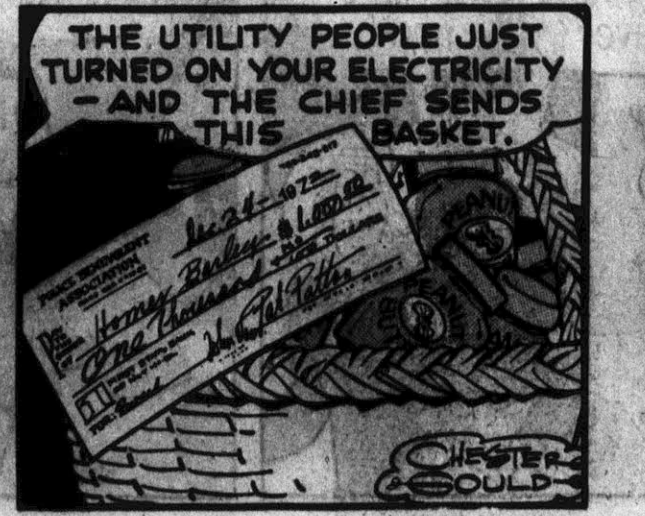
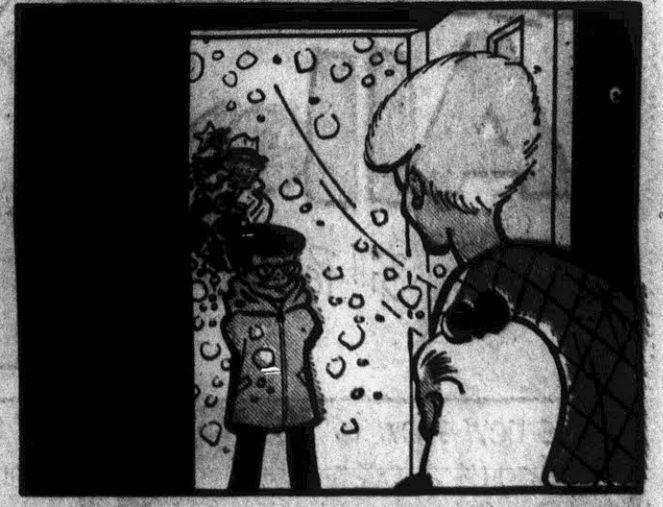
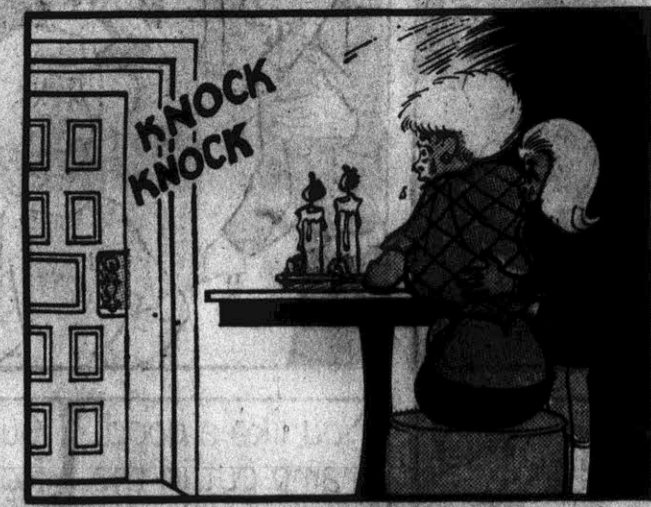
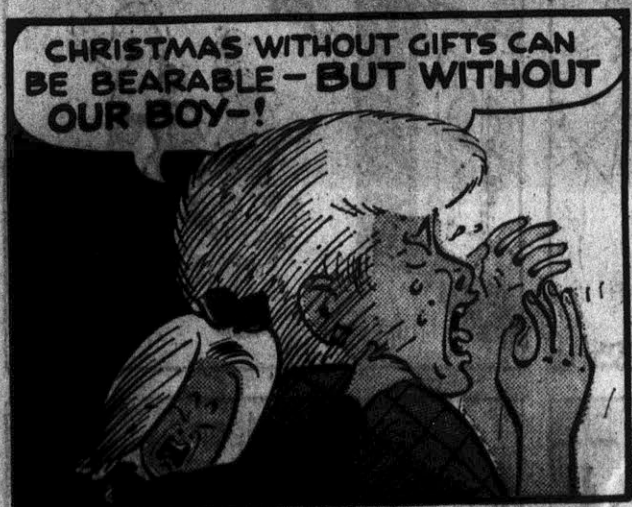
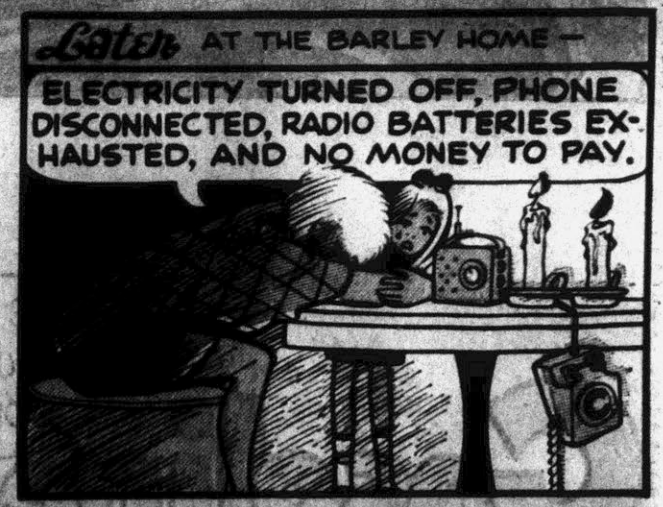
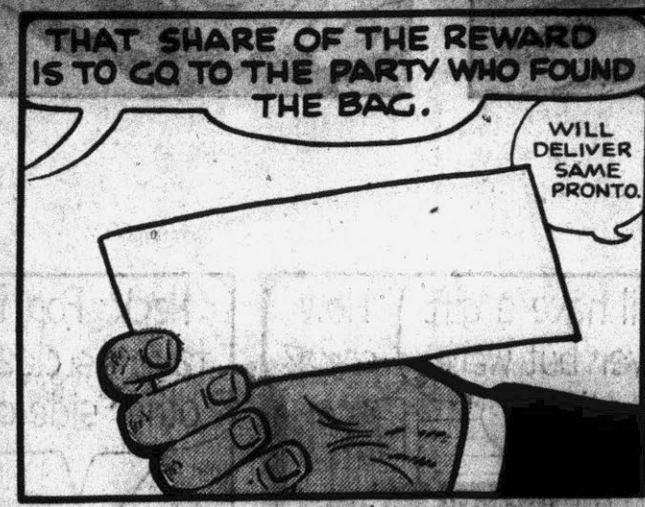
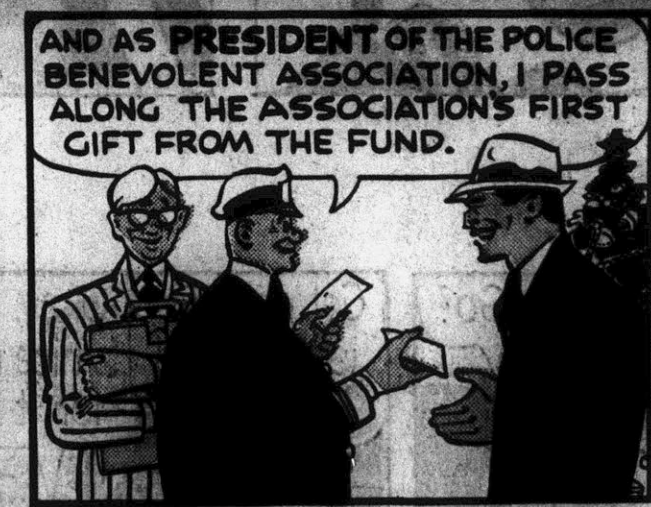
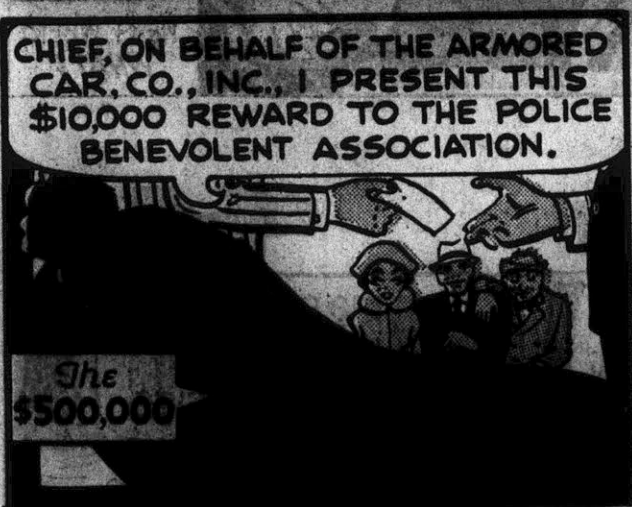
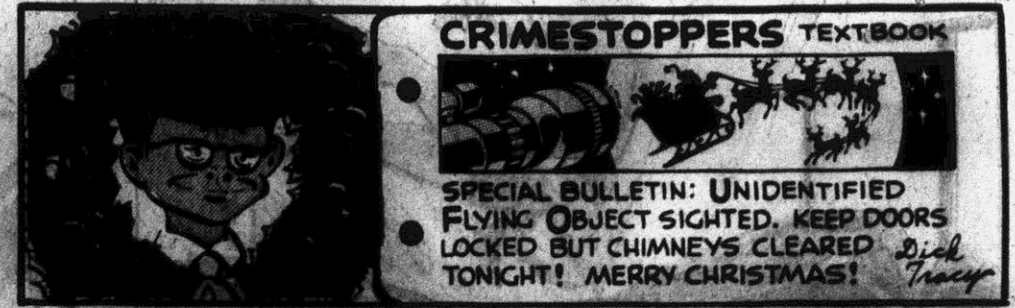
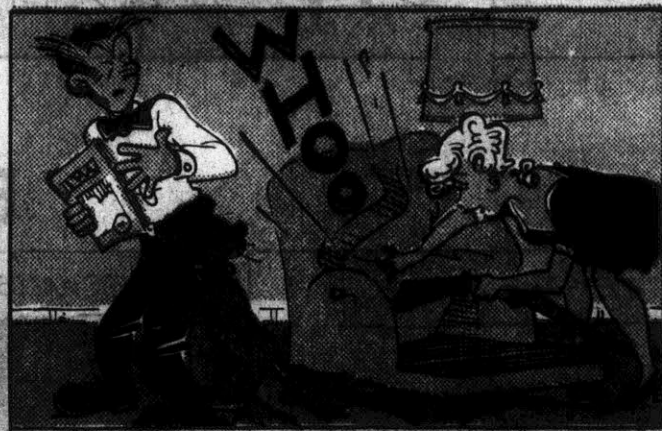
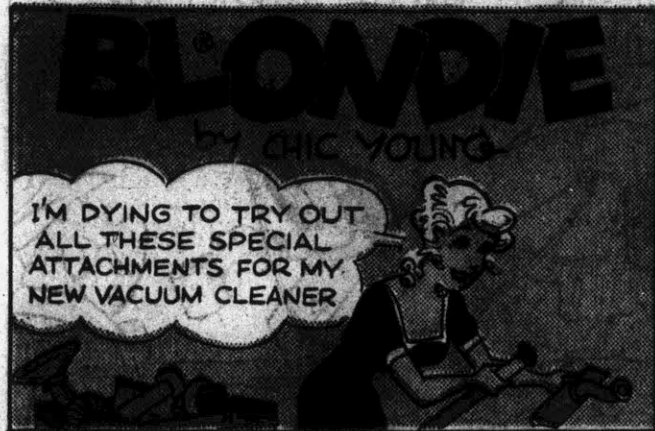
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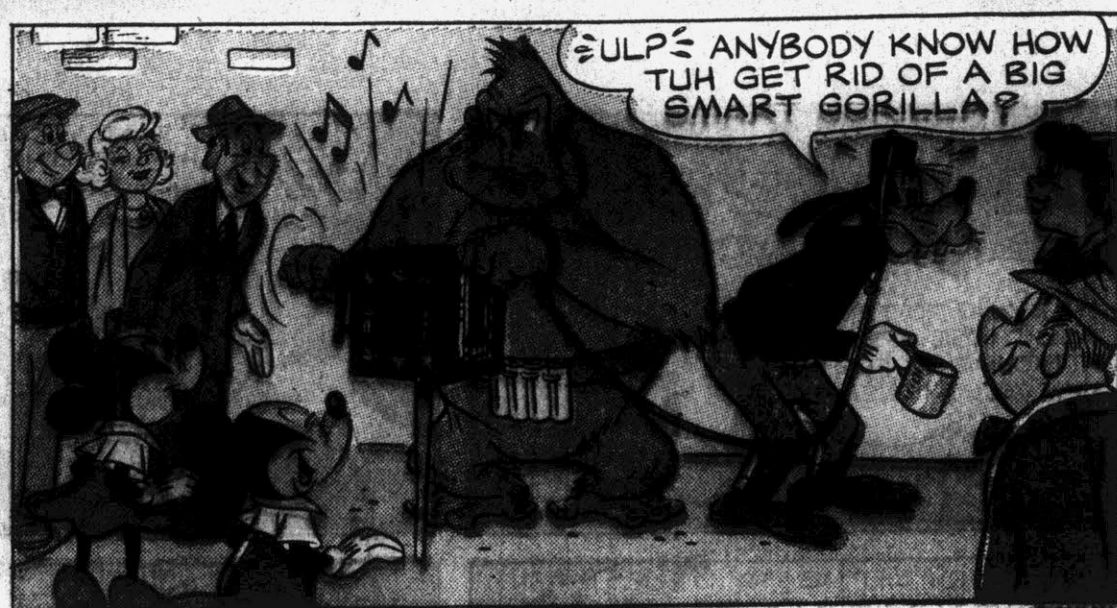
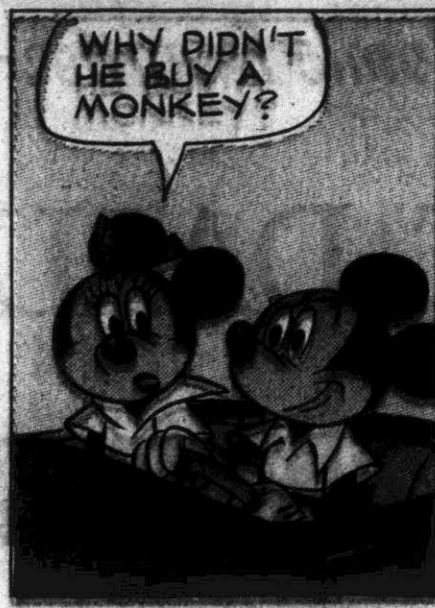
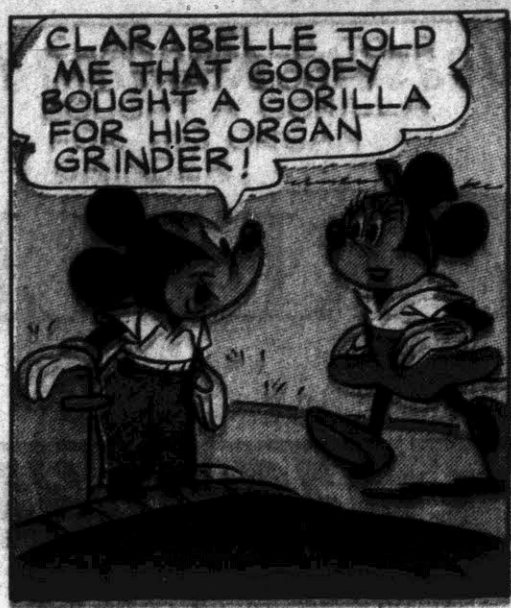
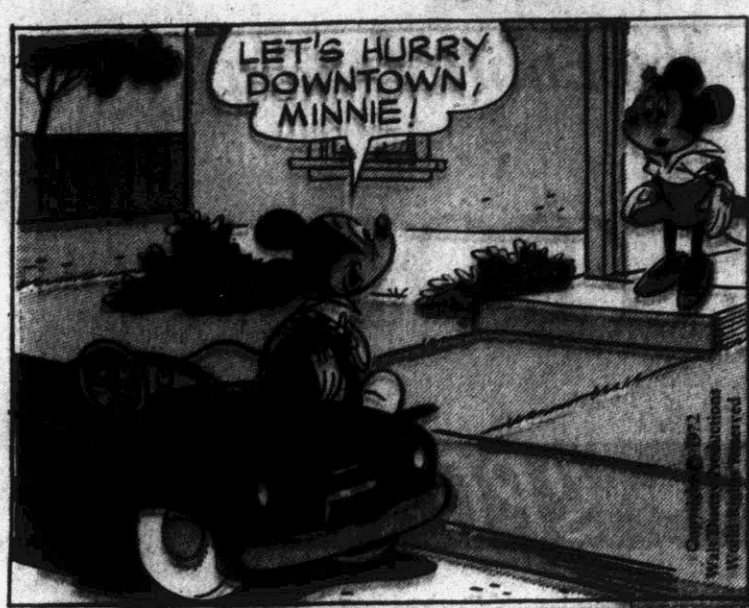
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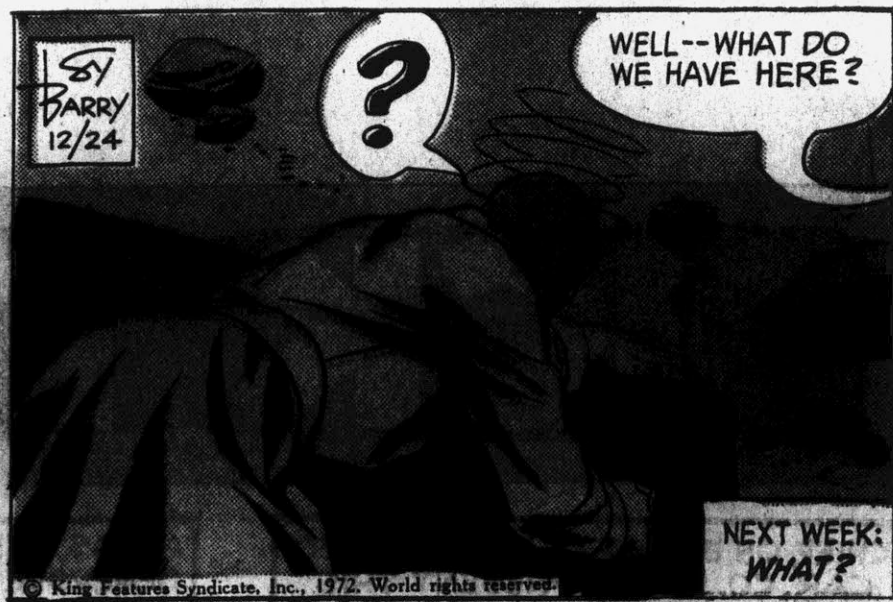
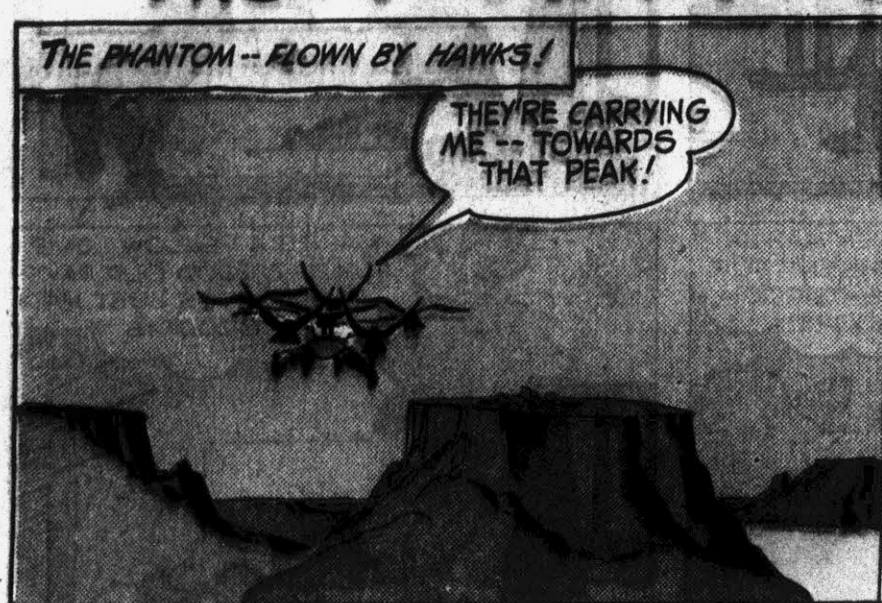


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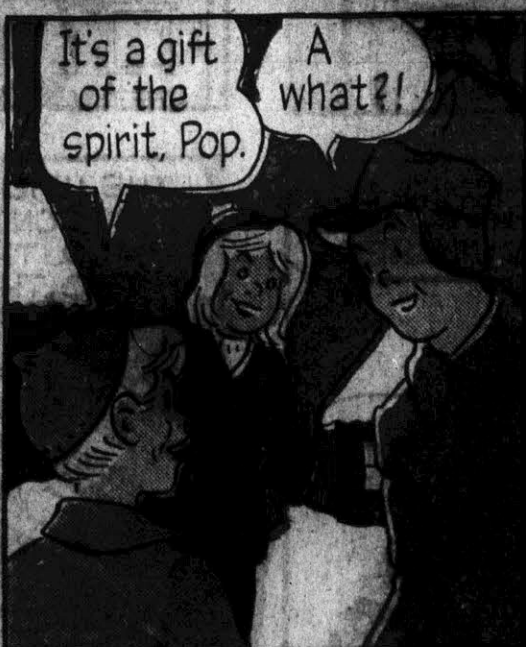
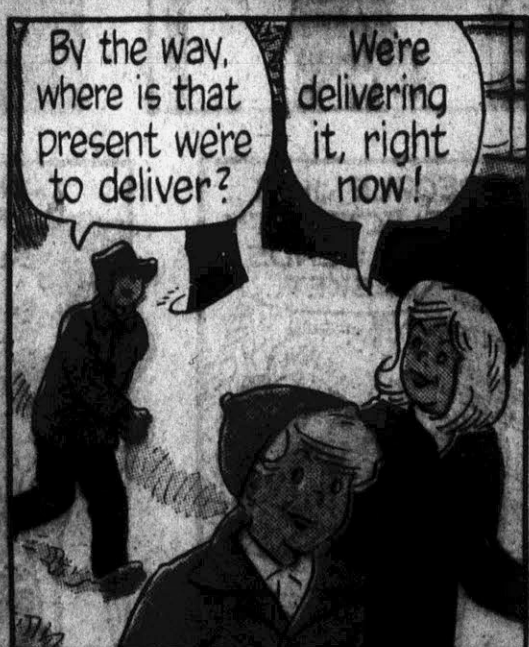
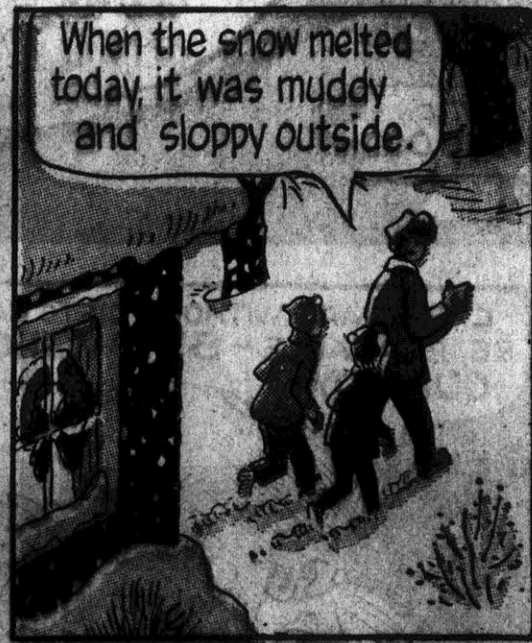
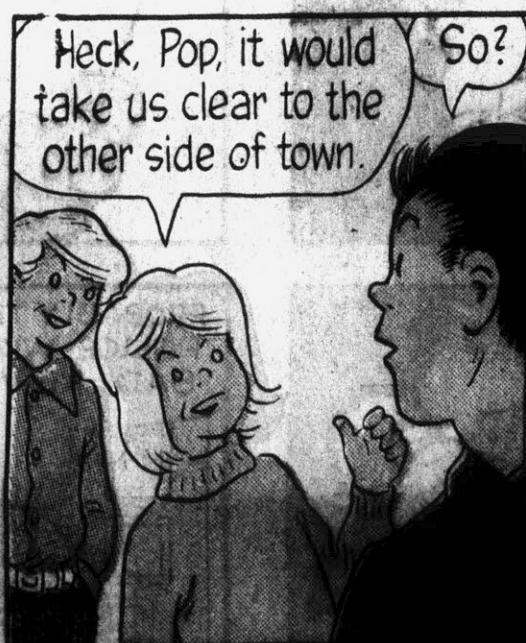
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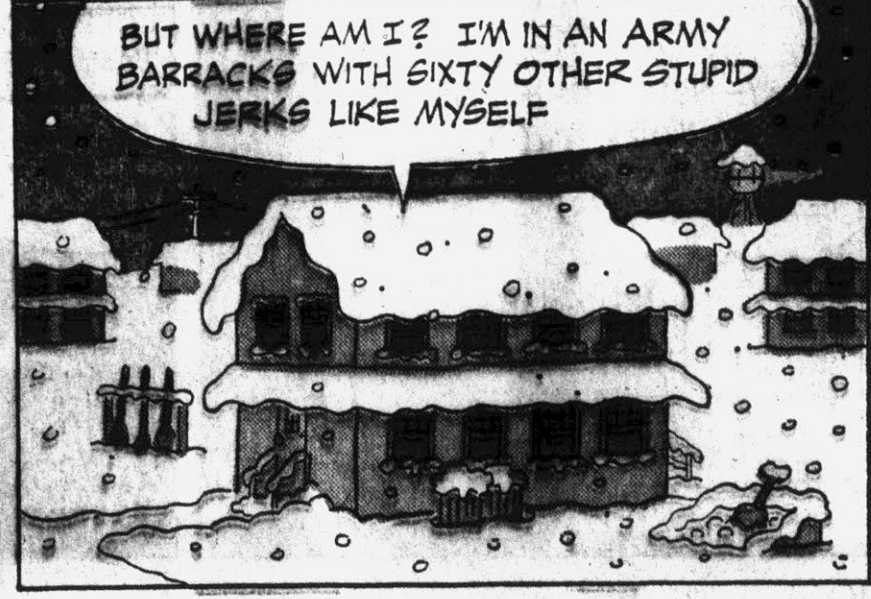
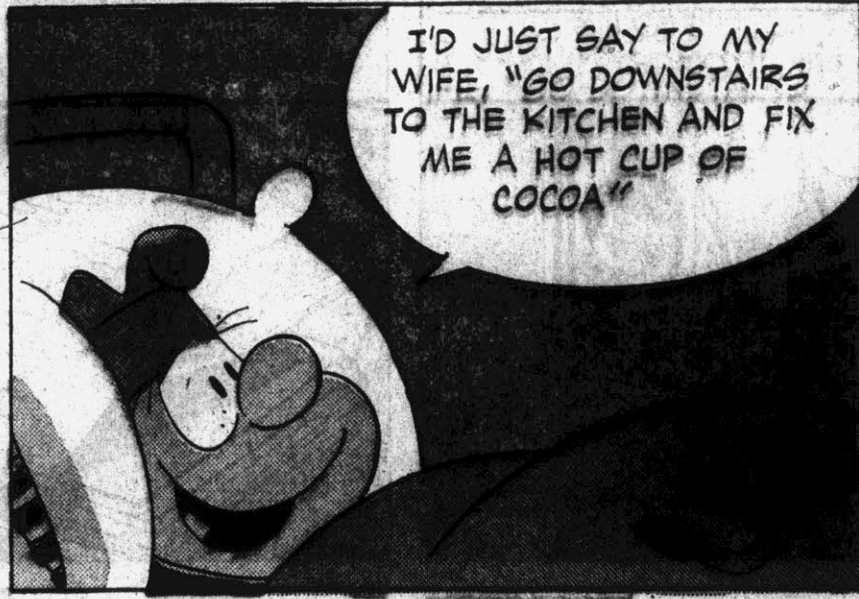
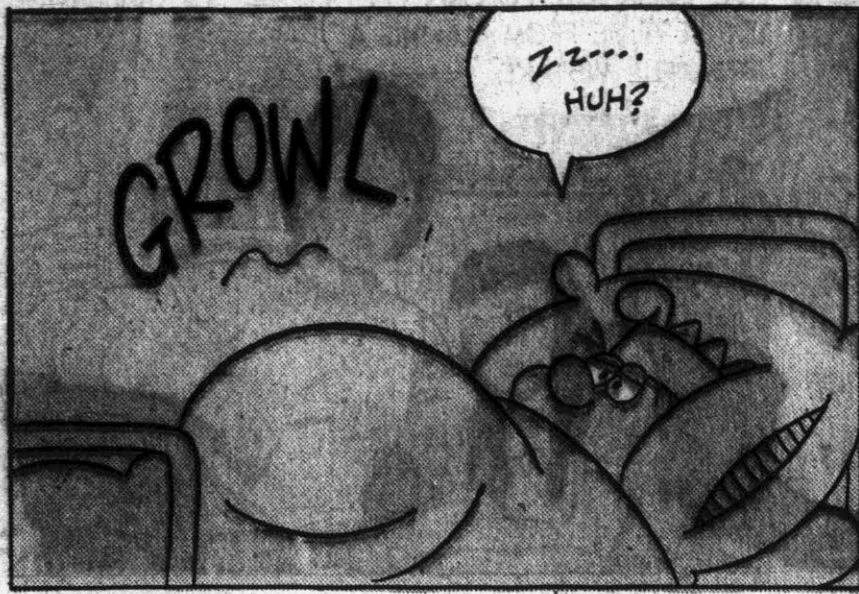
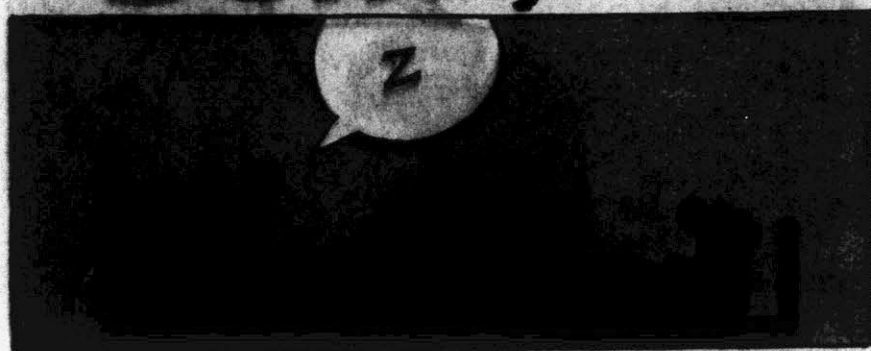


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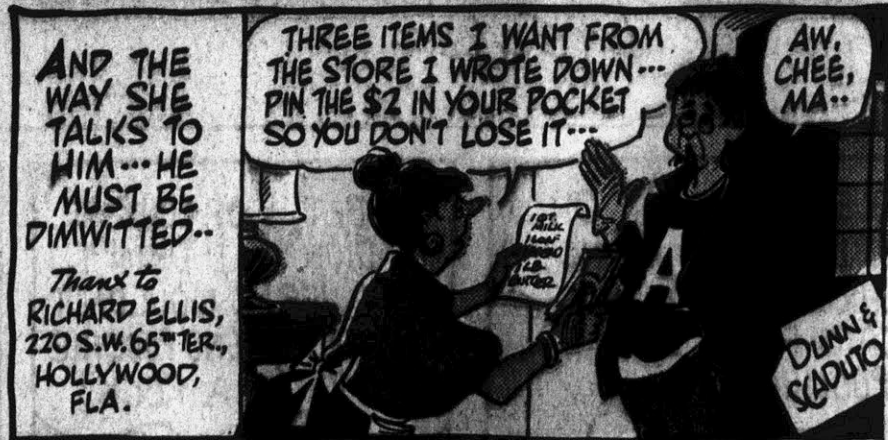
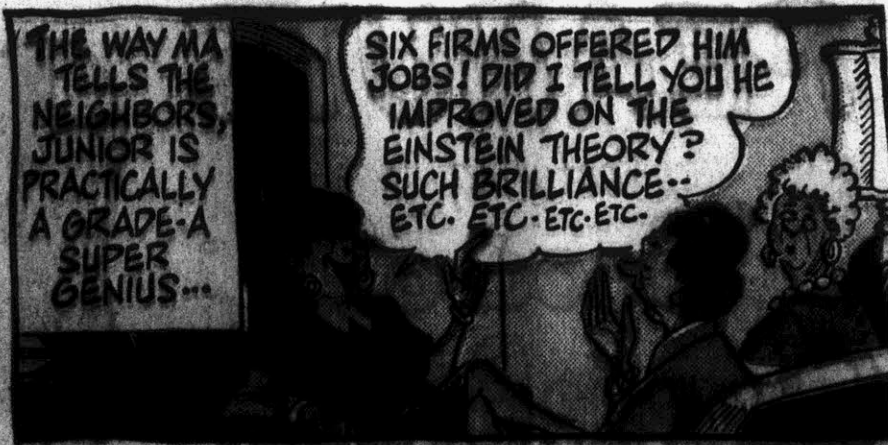
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THEY'LL DO IT EVERY TIME



AND THE PIRATES

by **GEORGE WUNDER**

WITH THE ARREST OF ITS LEADER, THE RING WEARERS' CULT DISINTEGRATES.

I DO THANK YOU, COLONEL LEE. YOU KEPT ME FROM MAKING A DREADFUL MISTAKE.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT US ANY MORE, TERRY LEE. MOMMY AND I WILL JUST WAIT FOR DADDY TO COME HOME.

I HOPE THAT WON'T BE TOO LONG A TIME, MELISSA. TAKE CARE NOW.

BLAST IT! AFTER WHAT THE BARBS HAVE BEEN THROUGH, THEY DESERVE A NICE, TIDY, HAPPY ENDING TO THEIR STORY—INSTEAD OF NOT KNOWING, PERHAPS NEVER KNOWING, IF BILL IS ALIVE OR NOT!

WHILE, IN SOUTHEAST ASIA, A NEWS CORRESPONDENT RETURNS TO HIS BASE AFTER A TRIP UPCOUNTRY.

"A HILL TRIBESMAN PASSED THIS ALONG TO ME. SEE THAT IT GOES OUT WITH THE REST OF THE MAIL."

THEN, A WASHINGTON-BOUND AIRLINER MAKES AN INTERMEDIATE STOP.

OH, YEAH, PHIL. NEARLY FORGOT THIS.

MAYBE I'LL NEVER KNOW HOW THE BARBS' PRIVATE TRAGEDY WORKS OUT... WORLD'S FULL OF PEOPLE WHOSE PROBLEMS ARE NEVER SOLVED...

POINTLESS TO BROOD...

NICE AND EASY—THROUGH THAT SIDE DOOR, SIR.

THIS IS THE MAN YOU WANTED, ISN'T HE, GENERAL BRASSARD?

SEE, SONNY? MY RESPECT FOR YOU' IS GROWING... I FIGURED IF OL' SNAPPER FORMALLY REQUESTED YOU FOR TEMPORARY DUTY, YOU'D THINK OF SOME SLY UNDER-HANDED WAY OF COPPING OUT.

PEANUTS

featuring

"Good ol' Charlie Brown"

by SCHULZ



POOCHIE?!

GUESS WHAT! YOU GOT A CHRISTMAS CARD FROM POOCHIE!

OH, NO!!

I'LL BET YOU DIDN'T SEND HER ONE, DID YOU?

OF COURSE, I DIDN'T... I WOULDN'T SEND POOCHIE A ROCK!

SHE WROTE A LITTLE NOTE ON THE BACK OF THE CARD...

I DON'T WANT TO HEAR IT!

"DEAR SNOOPY, I HOPE YOU HAVE A NICE CHRISTMAS... I THINK I AM GOING TO BE OUT YOUR WAY SOON... I'LL TRY TO STOP BY... SAY HELLO TO CHARLIE BROWN"

IF SHE COMES WITHIN A THOUSAND MILES OF ME, I'LL SCREAM!

IT'LL BE KIND OF NICE TO SEE POOCHIE AGAIN

SEEING POOCHIE AGAIN WOULD BE LIKE GETTING THE MUMPS TWICE!

YOU'VE NEVER FORGIVEN HER HAVE YOU?

YOU DON'T FORGIVE SOMEONE WHO DOES TO YOU WHAT SHE DID TO ME!

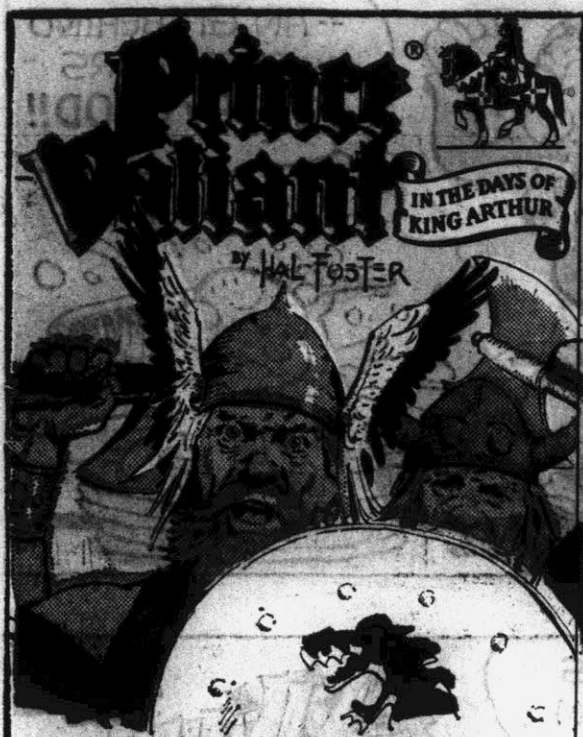
ANYWAY, HERE'S THE CARD..

I'LL BET SHE DOESN'T EVEN REMEMBER WHAT HAPPENED..

THAT WOULD BE JUST LIKE HER NOT TO REMEMBER... SHE'LL COME TO SEE ME, TOO... I KNOW SHE WILL...

JUST WHAT I DIDN'T NEED... A POOCHIE CHRISTMAS!

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Our Story: THE VIKINGS DO NOT FEAR DEATH; TO FALL IN BATTLE FACING A FOE ASSURES AN ENTRANCE INTO VALHALLA, THE NORTHMEN'S PARADISE.



AFTER MONTHS OF SEPARATION, PRINCE VALIANT HAS BUT A MOMENT TO SEE HIS FAMILY TO SAFETY WITHIN THE CASTLE. THEN HE STRIDES INTO BATTLE.



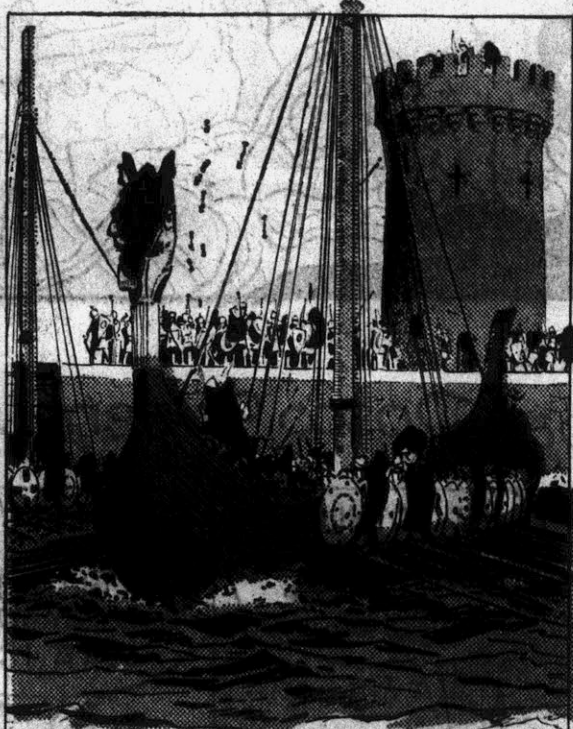
FIRST COMES A SHOWER OF SPEARS, THEN THE TERRIBLE THROWING AXES MAKE A SHAMBLE OF THE FRONT LINE OF DEFENDERS. NOW THE VIKINGS STAND BEHIND THEIR SHIELD-WALL WHILE THEIR COMRADES LOOT AND BURN THE SHIPPING.



PRINCE ARN GIVES THE CAPTAIN OF ARCHERS A PLAN. IN A BOAT THEY ROW TO THE MOLE BEHIND THE VIKINGS AND LOOSE A SHOWER OF ARROWS. IT IS A DISGRACE FOR A BERSERKER TO BE WOUNDED IN THE BACK. THEY TURN TO FACE THIS NEW MENACE.....



.....THE SHIELD-WALL IS BROKEN AND WITH SHOUTS OF TRIUMPH THE DEFENDERS SURGE FORWARD AND THE ROUT BEGINS.



THE DRAGON SHIPS SAIL AWAY WITH THEIR PLUNDER AND THEIR WOUNDS, MOURNING LOST COMRADES. ANOTHER DAY, ANOTHER RAID, IT IS THE NORTHMEN'S WAY.



FROM AMONG THE SLAIN, ONE YOUNG VIKING SLOWLY STAGGERS TO HIS FEET, CLINGING TO THE WALL FOR SUPPORT.



"I AM BOLTARSON, SON OF BOLTAR THE SEA KING. WHO DARES CROSS SWORDS WITH ME?"

NEXT WEEK-Old Friends



I HOPE YOU LIKE IT HERE, ANNIE!

ANY PLACE IS BETTER'N BEIN' HOME WITH YOU, PUNJAB AN' THE ASP NOT THERE, "DADDY"!

ANNIE HAS BEEN ENROLLED AT "MISS SCRIBBLE'S SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES" AND AS SHE PREPARES TO SPEND HER FIRST NIGHT THERE...

YOU'LL GET DOWN ON THE FLOOR AND KEEP YOUR MOUTH SHUT UNTIL I TELL YOU TO TALK...

CORRECTION COMIN' UP...

MISS SCRIBBLE'S SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES



"I TALK WHEN I WANT TO! AN' I BELT WHEN I WANT TO... F'RINSTANCE..."



YOU'RE MY ROOMMATE, WEEJIE! HOW COME THEM GOONS DON' PICK ON YOU?

OH, THEY DID, ANNIE! AND THEY'RE AWFUL... AWFUL... YOU'LL SEE! THEY WON'T FORGET WHAT YOU'VE DONE!



WELL, THEY'RE SETTIN' UP THE GROUND RULES... AN' IF THEY WANNA PLAY ROUGH... I'LL BE GLAD T' OBLIGE 'EM! G'NIGHT, WEEJIE!

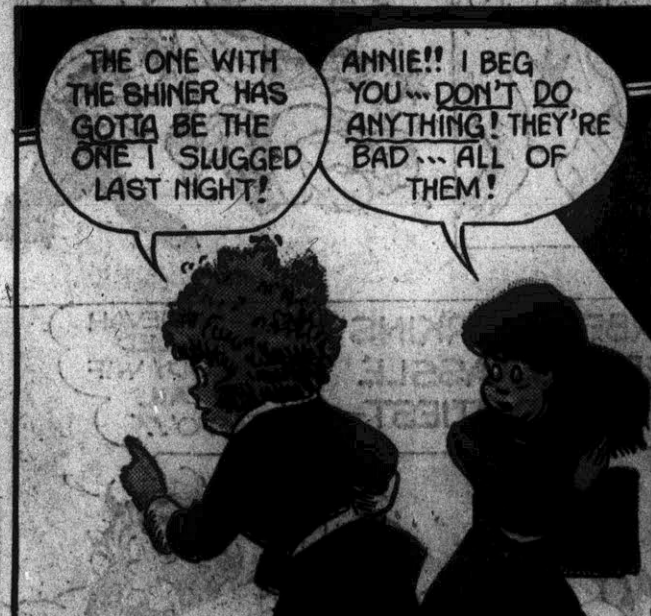


YOU GOT ANY IDEA WHO IT WAS WHO TRIED T' JUMP ME LAST NIGHT, WEEJIE?

OH, NO! AND EVEN IF I DID, I WOULDN'T DARE TELL YOU, ANNIE!

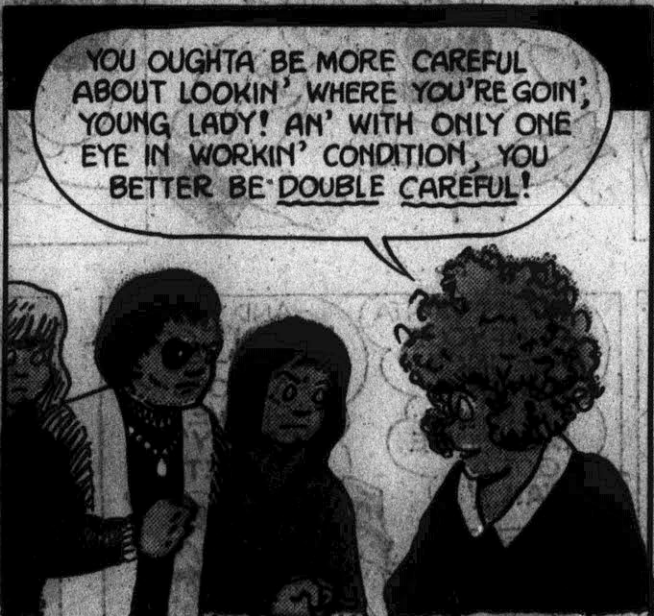


WELL, SOMETHIN' TELLS ME I GOT A LINE ON THAT GIRL-GOON I BELTED LAST NIGHT! TAKE A LOOK AT THE THREE GIRLS HEADIN' THIS WAY!



THE ONE WITH THE SHINER HAS GOTTA BE THE ONE I SLUGGED LAST NIGHT!

ANNIE!! I BEG YOU... DON'T DO ANYTHING! THEY'RE BAD... ALL OF THEM!



YOU OUGHTA BE MORE CAREFUL ABOUT LOOKIN' WHERE YOU'RE GOIN', YOUNG LADY! AN' WITH ONLY ONE EYE IN WORKIN' CONDITION, YOU BETTER BE DOUBLE CAREFUL!



ANNIE, YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE DOING! THEY'LL GET EVEN WITH YOU... AND IN THE (SHUDDER) MOST HORRIBLE WAY!



WE'LL GET EVEN... AND IN THE MOST HORRIBLE WAY!

GOOD-BYE, ANNIE!!

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BARNEY GOOGLE and SNUFFY SMITH

by FRED LASSWELL



BUZ SAWYER featuring his pal Rosco Sweeney

by ROY CRANE



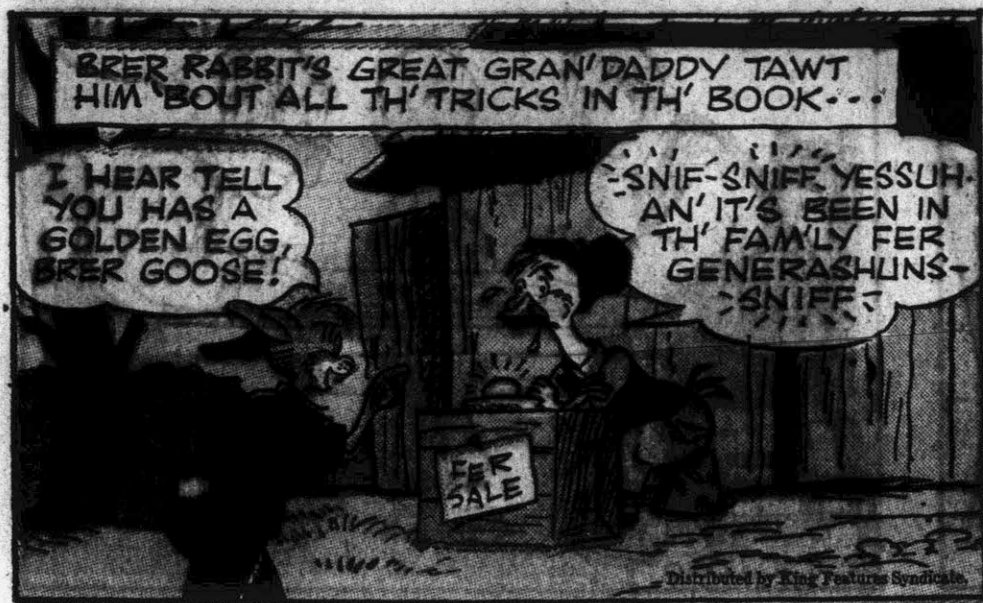
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