



NOVELIST DIES — Pearl Buck, 80, winner of the Nobel and Pulitzer prizes for her writings, died today. (AP Wirephoto)

Pearl Buck, 80, Is Dead

DANBY, Vt. (AP) — Pearl S. Buck, the daughter of missionaries, who won the Nobel and Pulitzer prizes for her writings on China, died today at her home here. She was 80.

Beverly Drake, Miss Buck's private secretary, said the author died quietly about 7:25 a.m. today. She underwent gall bladder surgery last fall.

Born in West Virginia June 26, 1892, Miss Buck was raised in China and learned to speak Chinese before she learned English. It was that upbringing, she said, that influenced not only the subject of her writing but her style as well. She spent the first 17 years of her life in China, returned to the United States for a stay and then worked as a Presbyterian missionary in China from 1914 until 1935. The Chinese government refused her request to revisit the country last October.

She won the Pulitzer Prize in 1932 for "The Good Earth," a book detailing the rise to power of a Chinese peasant which was cited for "its epic sweep, its distinct and moving characterization, its sustained story interest, its simple and yet richly colored style."

In 1938 she became the first American woman to win a Nobel Prize for Literature. The award made special mention of two 1936 biographies — "The Exile" and "Fighting Angel."

She was the first American woman to win the Nobel Prize for literature.

Miss Buck had been in failing health in the past year, being hospitalized twice for extended periods.

Last July she spent nearly a month in the hospital following a pleurisy attack and in October was hospitalized again for two months as she recovered from gall bladder surgery.

Her secretary, Mrs. Drake, declined any comment on Miss Buck's death other than to say it had come quietly. She added that in accordance with Miss Buck's wishes funeral services would be private and would not be in Vermont.

She said the family did not plan to say where the services would be held, but did say members of the family were considering a West Virginia burial.

Of her scores of books, far the most popular was "The Good Earth." Translated into more than 30 languages, it was the basis of a play and a movie, which won an Academy award for Louise Rainer in 1937 and also starred Paul Muni.

Miss Buck continued writing throughout her life, turning out three books a year. She published five novels under the pen name "John Sedges."

For years she was among the top-selling writers in America, but she said her largest public was in Europe.

In an interview in 1969, Miss

Buck said that American critics tend to dismiss her "as a worn-out writer."

"American critics," she said, "accustomed to dealing with American writers, ought to face the fact that I am not a 100 per cent American writer. My concept of the novel is based on the Chinese novel, which has a simple, direct style. I read Chinese novels almost exclusively until I came to America to go to college."

Miss Buck said she found most contemporary writers "boringly preoccupied with sex."

"I'm not moralistic at all," she said. "It doesn't shock me. It amuses me more than anything else."

Among her interests in recent years was her foundation to aid Asian children fathered and abandoned by American GIs. It operated in seven Asian nations and last September opened an office in Saigon.

She contributed \$1 million to the foundation herself.

Recently she purchased the house in Danby, Vt., a town which she had been trying to rejuvenate for several years by encouraging tourism, opening new shops and importing Asian gift items for local sale.

She said the admittedly commercial Danby project was motivated by a belief that "the life blood of a nation is fed from its villages."

Name Stricken

RALEIGH (AP) — The good ship Faircloth is no more.

Lauch Faircloth, in addition to losing his job as state Highway Commission chairman in the Republican takeover, has now had his name stricken from the bow of a state ferry.

The honor was bestowed in 1970 by a grateful commission on a somewhat reluctant chairman ("I question whether you honor a man by naming a ferry after him").

However, Transportation Secretary Bruce Lenz has quietly ordered the ferry's original name, Sealevel, restored.

The ferry, a 250-passenger, 21-car craft, has the Cedar Island-Ocracoke run.

EIGHTH MEETING

PARIS (AP) — Representatives of the Viet Cong and the Saigon government held their eighth meeting today to discuss the procedure for political negotiations between them.

By STUART SAVAGE
Reflector Staff Writer
Pitt County Commissioners Monday afternoon approved a resolution formally applying for a \$2 million loan for use in constructing a new hospital here and approved low bids for eight new cars for the Sheriff's Department.

The board, faced with the cutoff of Hill-Barton Act federal grant funds for hospital construction, were forced to apply for the \$2 million loan to replace funds expected from grant sources. The reduced — interest loan from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare will bring the total monies available for the new medical facility to the amount planned for originally.

The \$2 million loan would be repaid through added room charges — possibly \$3 per patient-day—to those using the new hospital.

Bids for construction of the new hospital — for which county voters approved a \$9 million bond issue — are expected to be taken within the next few months.

Commissioners approved low bids totaling \$22,354.81 (net delivery price) for eight new Sheriff's Department cars. The low bidder was Phelps Chevrolet Co.

Other net delivery received

Songs By Choir Of The Free

By JOHN NANCE
CLARK AIR BASE, Philippines (AP) — The tuning fork was a teacup top; the choir comprised just-released prisoners of war. More than one singer blinked back tears as he sang.

The 17 men performed at the Clark Air Force Base television studio today, two days after they stepped off planes that brought them from Hanoi, where various members of the group had sung together for years in prison.

The full choir had sung together for only three weeks, explained the director, Cmdr. Kay Russell of Corsicana, Tex. He said they had derived great pleasure and support from their singing while in the hands of the Communists.

He started off each of the four songs they sang today with a tap on the white porcelain top provided by Cmdr. Charles E. Southwick, who said he acquired it just after he was shot down six years ago.

Asked what note the top sounded, Russell said, "We aren't sure. We think it's somewhere around C or middle C."

The choir opened with "The Lord Is in His Holy Temple," then sang "I Believe," "The Lord's Prayer" and "This Is My Country." At the end, Russell was blinking away tears, and members of the choir laughingly held out handkerchiefs to him. Other members of the group also were wiping their eyes.

Because there was no music available in Hanoi, all the songs were done from memory. Words were the most difficult part, Russell said, and in some cases several men contributed to putting a song together.

"The accuracy of the lyrics is not guaranteed," Russell added.

No one seemed to care.

By TOM BAINES
Reflector Staff Writer
The rainy weather has hindered initial progress in the Newtown housing area but site preparation is underway, Housing Authority commissioners were told Monday night.

Ralph Hall, employed by the Authority as job or site inspector for Newtown, reported that contractors are in the process of grading and

clearing the housing site and are working as much as the weather permits.

The inspector, noting that "we are off to a good start in Newtown and if we can get some good weather we'll be in good shape," added that he has set up a field office on the site. The general contractor, J. Leo Hawkins of Greenville, also has an office established.

included \$24,387 from Hastings Ford and \$24,379 from F and D Motors.

In other business, the board accepted the county Planning Board's general outline for solid waste disposal.

Under the plan recommended by the planning group, one

central landfill would be established in the county and each municipality would be responsible for carrying its own wastes to the site.

The landfill would be fee supported, with a fee charged for each ton of waste coming into the landfill.

Rural and industrial citizens would have the services of a franchised hauler to handle their solid waste.

A fee supported system would mean that those people who use the landfill would pay their share of the cost of its operation. It was suggested that an ad-

visory group — composed of representatives of the various governmental bodies in the county who will use the landfill — be established to work on final plans for the project, along with the Planning Board.

The board was told that the Wildlife Resources Commission

plans to abandon the fishing access area now located behind the Pitt-Greenville Airport and to establish a new access site at the old Port Terminal east of Greenville, off U. S. 264.

The Tar River Ports Commission, commissioners were told, has agreed to allow the state wildlife body to use 3½ acres of land for the access site. Cost of the project was set at about \$24,000—all state money.

Report 41 Arrests

Narcotic Operations In N.C. Hurt By Crackdown

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP)—Federal and state officials reported today 41 arrests were made Monday night and early today in an intensive crackdown on the traffic in drugs between Southeast Asia and North Carolina.

"The joint investigation is continuing and more arrests of heroin traffickers are imminent," U.S. Attorney Thomas McNamara told newsmen at a joint news conference of federal, state and local officials.

State Bureau of Investigation Director Charles Dunn said the drug raids "were among the most successful ever held in North Carolina."

Dunn, however, said the drug traffic proved greater than was first thought.

"We think we have made a substantial dent but certainly have not crippled the operations," Dunn said.

The SBI chief said nearly all of those arrested were charged with possession of illegal drugs, mainly heroin, for the purpose of distribution.

Dunn said bonds of those arrested range from a few thousand dollars up to \$250,000 for "six or eight" of them.

Dunn was asked if he felt the officers had nabbed the higher-ups in the drug traffic. He answered, "We would have liked to have arrested some others, but some of the individuals arrested were high up in the operations."

Asked if smuggling of narcotics in bodies of dead servicemen being returned from Vietnam was involved, Dunn declined comment.

The arrests were made at Fayetteville, Raleigh, Hertford, New Bern, Greensboro, Asheville, Salisbury, High Point, Winston-Salem and Henderson County in North Carolina and in Washington, D.C.

McNamara said agencies involved in the investigation in addition to the SBI and his office included the U.S. Customs Bureau, the U.S. Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, the U.S. Army Criminal Investigation Command and the Asheville, Fayetteville, Greens-

boro, Winston-Salem, High Point and Salisbury police departments.

Of the 41 arrested, 25 were in connection with heroin, 14 were in connection with marijuana, one involved hashish and one LSD and PCP.

"The government's concern

in crippling and if possible destroying the heroin traffic in North Carolina is paramount, and it is our intention to leave no stone unturned in an effort to achieve this end," said McNamara.

"The apprehension and prosecution of the individuals in-

volvement will be as vigorous as possible from the setting of bonds to the obtaining of convictions in the appropriate federal or state court. These arrests in conjunction with the high bonds obtained are indicative of the seriousness with which we view this matter."

Eighty Released POWs Scheduled For Return To U.S. On Wednesday

By BOB LIU
Associated Press Writer
CLARK AIR BASE, Philippines (AP) — Eighty of the 106 American prisoners of war released by North Vietnam this week will be flown to the United States on Wednesday, Operation Homecoming officials announced.

The announcement said planes carrying 20 men each would fly to Andrews Air Force Base in Washington, D.C., Scott Air Force Base at Belleville, Ill.; Kelly Field at San Antonio, Tex., and Travis Air Force Base at Fairfield, Calif.

They were due Wednesday afternoon, between 2:30 and 5:30 p.m. local time.

Their departure will leave 56 American POWs and two West Germans still at Clark Air Base awaiting transfer. Two Thai sergeants freed in Hanoi on Sunday were flown to Bangkok today, and two Filipinos released Monday were transferred to a Philippine military hospital in Manila.

Officials at the base hospital reported that most of the men released Monday and Tuesday

were in good condition and their medical checks and other processing were going ahead without any hitches.

A number of the men visited the base schools for Air Force children today to get an idea of what their children will be like; a 17-man choir organized in one of the prison camps sang for newsmen; and many of the men planned a visit to the base exchange.

"These are boys?" asked Navy. Capt. Robert B. Fuller, 45, of Jacksonville, Fla., as he saw a couple of long-haired youths standing in a hallway at Wagner High School. The boys blushed.

The children mobbed the POWs as if they were celebrities, demanding autographs, and the girls kissed them.

The airmen were visibly touched by the reception from the young people.

"I could almost come to tears even though I'm supposed to be a big man," said Navy Lt. George T. Coker, 30, of Houston, Tex., to a group of elementary school pupils.

Air Force Capt. Loren H.

Torkelson, 32, of Carmichael, Calif., told the children about his capture in April 1967 after his plane was shot down by a MIG.

"I bailed out and landed on a side of a hill," he said. As soon as I landed on the hill, I heard several Vietnamese shouting, ringing bells, I guess warning the people they had seen me. I had, of course, my parachute and all my equipment on. Before I could make any moves, I had to get rid of it. By the time I collected my thoughts, gotten this equipment off, they were all around me, and I had no opportunity to try and evade or escape."

He was taken to Hanoi in a truck, and people threw rocks and tomatoes at the truck.

While in captivity, Torkelson continued, "We had a lot of pumpkin that was made into soup. We had a lot of cabbage that was also made into soup. We ate fish. We had bread and lots of rice. But for the most part, we were eating pumpkin and cabbage soup."

Chicod Creek Defense Funds Will Be Sought

The Pitt Soil and Water Conservation District Monday decided to request Chicod Creek Defense Funds from all State SCS districts throughout the United States, the Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico.

According to Robert G. Little, the request came from the National Association of Conservation Districts at its annual meeting in Las Vegas recently. The meeting was attended by Arch Flanagan and Frank M. Wooten Jr. who reported on the status of the Chicod Creek

Watershed Project at the national meeting.

The local district also decided to revise its long range program. The current program has not been revised since 1962 and the state committee suggested that the program be updated at least every five years. Revision of the program will begin on March 19.

Little reported on a stream reclassification conference that he attended at Lenoir Technical Institute recently. The conference was conducted by the N. C. Board of Air and Water

Resources. Little said he asked whether or not the three approved watershed projects in Pitt would be affected by the reclassification but was not given an answer. He was told that the local projects would be given every consideration.

The board approved applications for Mrs. Nina Belle McLawhorn, Ayden; Mrs. Iona Hooker Marshburn, Greenville; and I. L. Smith, Robersonville. The next meeting will be held April 2 and 1:30 p.m.

Other ERTS photographs have shown that acid wastes are being dumped into the ocean off New York harbor "a few miles closer to Jones Beach than should be permitted," the scientists said at a government-sponsored symposium.

This also is a matter for possible future litigation, they said in reporting on usage of ERTS data.

The pictures and data, as described at the opening of a four-day National Aeronautics and Space Administration symposium in suburban New Carrollton, Md., also showed that:

—The railroad track that arrows through Utah's Great Salt Lake, in effect, has divided that lake into two bodies of water, with the area to the north showing up red in satellite imagery, and that to the south blue. The satellite results indicated that additional culverts should be cut through the rail bed to provide circulation and prevent further deterioration of the lake's mineral resources and brine shrimp.

—There has been no obvious damage to the Alaskan landscape from oil-well drilling in that area over the last two decades.

—The rate of erosion in Southern Arizona has accelerated greatly and is rapidly changing the shape of the region's small canyons. Extrapolation of ERTS results indicates there has been more erosion in the past 80 years than in the 10,000 years preceding.

—Satellite data may prove of great value in locating possible new mineral resources including tin deposits in Alaska and mercury in Nevada and Western Utah.

Newtown Project Site Preparations Underway

Mrs. Sally C. Streeter, the director of tenant affairs, attended a Carolinas Council workshop in Columbia, S. C. Feb. 25-27.

Lamm, explaining that the session covered housing, relocation, rehabilitation and community development programs, told commissioners that the Authority is no longer required to send the annual budget to the Department of Housing and

Urban Development for approval. Now, he said, the burden of approval is on the commissioners and extracts of the minutes are sent to HUD for verification.

Mrs. Streeter is a member of the board of directors of the Carolinas Council of Housing, Redevelopment and Code Officials. She is one of ten directors serving on the council.

According to Mrs. Streeter,

all 453 housing units were occupied here during January. The 65 units in N.C. 22-1 (Meadowbrook) were rented and residents paid an average of \$35.94 in rent. All 160 units in N.C. 22-2 (Kearney Park) were occupied, she said, and rent averaged \$36.49.

In N.C. 22-3 (Moyewood) the 188 units were filled in January and rent averaged \$38.13 while the 40 units in N.

C. 22-4 (Moyewood) were occupied with rent averaging \$36.35.

During February, the director reported, all but one unit were occupied and that vacancy in N. C. 22-3 has now been filled. Rent averaged \$34.92 in Meadowbrook, \$37.46 in Kearney Park, \$38.28 in Moyewood, and \$36.03 in the 40-unit Moyewood area.

Mrs. Streeter said that

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Local Moose Preparing For State Convention

Governor James Harris reminded Greenville Moose members Monday night of the N. C. Moose Association convention to be held here Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Harris named members of a committee to assist in handling the anticipated large attendance. Representatives of the more than 100 lodges in North Carolina, State Association officers, and an official visitor from Mooseheart are expected to attend.

Women of the Moose will simultaneously hold their state meeting in Greenville during the

session.

Other business of the regular weekly meeting included announcement the Nominating Committee would meet tonight to select candidates for the forthcoming election of lodge officers.

Secretary Edwin M. Baldree, a member of the Board of Governors for Moosehaven since 1971, reported on the Board's meeting last week in Florida. The meeting included a visitation and inspection of the facilities for elderly and retired members to the fraternity.

It is heartening to see the care

they are receiving," he said; "and it was gratifying to know that our aged members are enjoying the fruits of our work and theirs, in their later years."

Baldree reported 490 persons are now in residence at Moosehaven, and their average age is 78 years and 9 months. Among them are two centenarians.

He said there were 98 admissions to the Florida center during 1972, and plans were underway to increase Moosehaven's capacity to 600 residents in the near future.

Classes Again Cancelled At Mecklenburg School

CHARLOTTE (AP)—Classes have been canceled for today at South Mecklenburg High School, where eight students were injured in fights between blacks and white Monday.

A decision is to be made today on whether there will be classes Wednesday.

Meanwhile, only juniors attended classes today at West Mecklenburg High, another school which had trouble last week but now is calm.

At South Mecklenburg, officials said fighting broke out on the law shortly after 8 a.m., and the injured students were treated in the school's health room.

Students of both races said the violence grew out of racial tension which had lingered since last week.

Some 50 black students left the campus after they were ordered by Principal E.H. Edmisten to report to classes. Several of them said they were not allowed to return to classes by some of the teachers on hall duty.

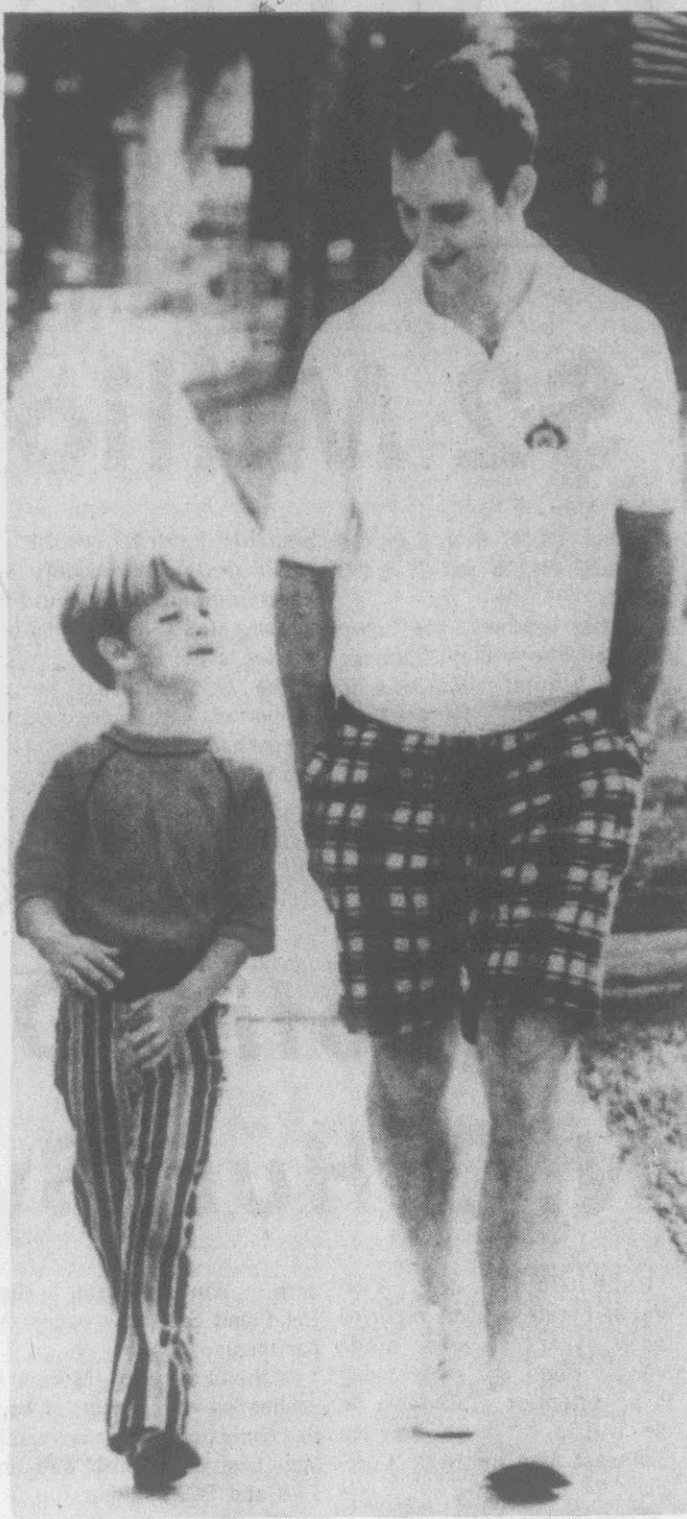
The students began grouping by races as they arrived on the campus Monday morning, but reports varied as to what actually sparked the fighting.

Students of both races said tension began mounting following a food throwing incident

last Thursday, during which some students were struck with fists and chairs. Fighting also broke out at the school on Friday, but classes were kept open.

Edmisten said the Monday incident began as "horseplay" which "snowballed and caused a confrontation."

All was calm, meanwhile, at West Mecklenburg, which reopened Monday for seniors only after being closed in the wake of a rock-throwing battle Friday morning. Sophomores only will attend classes Wednesday and all students will attend Thursday and Friday.



FIRST NEIGHBORHOOD WALK — Six-year-old Scott Browning took his father for a walk through his new neighborhood. They had a lot of catching up to do and it was the first time the two "men" had been alone since Capt. Ralph T. Browning returned home to Orlando, Fla., from 6½ years in a Hanoi prison camp. (AP Wirephoto)

Pressing Needs Told To Aldermen In Winterville

WINTERVILLE — Mayor Walter Dail and Town Clerk Elwood Nobles reported to the Winterville Board of Aldermen on their meeting with the Pitt County Commissioners Monday.

The town officials met with the commissioners seeking aid for a waste treatment facility capable of handling industrial waste in Winterville.

Dail told the commissioners that the Winterville Machine Works may be forced to close part of its plant if a facility for treating waste material is not provided.

No action was taken by the county commissioners.

Winterville board members are requesting a grant from the North Carolina Clean Water Bond Act of 1971 for a new water tank and well for the town of Winterville.

If approved, the town would purchase a 500,000 gallon tank to

replace the 75,000 gallon tank now being used by the town.

No action was taken on increasing the electrical rates for Winterville citizens. According to Nobles, the cost to the Town of Winterville has already been

increased by the Greenville Utilities Commission.

"Chances are this is the last month that electrical bills will be figured at the present rate," Nobles stated.

Four Winterville representatives, including two board members, Mayor Dail and Nobles, will attend a meeting of EPIC, Inc., at the Greenville Moose Lodge on March 20.

The board heard several complaints about the condition of the dirt streets within the town limits. Mayor Dail stated that the road conditions would be improved as soon as weather permits.

To Show World Series Film

A showing of live film from the 1972 World Series is to be featured Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. at the Cafeteria of Rose High School.

Parents, friends and persons interested in support of the Little League Baseball program in Greenville are invited to attend the showing of this film.

Coming Church Events Listed

Fortcoming events have been announced for Carson Memorial Pentecostal Holiness Church. A barbecue sale will be held Saturday at the church and plates will be priced at \$1.25.

A singing program has been scheduled for Sunday beginning at 2:30 p.m. The Gate Ways from the Church of God will be the featured group.

The Rev. Timothy Wethington will be the revival speaker which will begin Sunday, March 11.

Chess Meeting Slated Thursday

On Thursday, at 7:30 p.m. at the Elm Street Recreation Center, there will be a meeting for all people interested in playing chess.

The purpose of the meeting is to bring together people who play chess and have difficulty finding someone else to play and also to serve as a basis for a city wide chess tournament sponsored by the Recreation Department.

Persons interested in meeting others who play chess or wish to compete in a tournament, are invited to attend the Thursday night meeting.

Claims Curbs Face Poverty Lawyers

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. George McGovern said today he has proof the new director of the Office of Economic Opportunity plans to sharply limit the kind of help poor people can obtain from federally-paid poverty lawyers.

He said the Nixon administration seeks to destroy the independence of the Legal Services Program and "let political appointees decide when and how the rights of the poor may be asserted."

The South Dakota Democrat released a memorandum from a ranking OEO official to Acting OEO Director Howard Phillips which indicated a \$4 million research service for poverty lawyers was being terminated.

The research service in 15 nationwide "backup centers," located mostly at university law schools, should be pulled back under the direct control of OEO officials the memorandum said.

By taking out the "backup centers," the memorandum said, OEO would end attempts by poverty lawyers to use the program as an agency to force broad social change.

It said there is nothing in federal law "which either requires or encourages attorneys em-

played in the Legal Services Program to be at the beck and call of every public and private entity in the U.S. interested in social problems."

Press For Equal Pay And Opportunity Laws

RALEIGH (AP) — Leaders of the North Carolina Women's Political Caucus, speaking in the wake of the state Senate's 27-23 defeat of the EQUAL Rights Amendment to the U.S. Constitution last Wednesday, challenged anti-ERA legislators to pass strong laws requiring equal pay and opportunity for women.

Martha McKay of Chapel Hill and Pat Locke of Charlotte vowed Monday at a press conference to continue the fight for ratification of the ERA through political action and education.

Mrs. Locke, the newly elected chairwoman of the NCWPC, listed the senators she said had betrayed promises to them to vote for the ERA:

Harry Bagnal, R-Forsyth; Bobby L. Barker, D-Wake; Willard Blanchard, R-Sampson; Hamilton Horton, R-Forsyth; James Hughes, R-Avery; Mi-

chael Mullins, R-Mecklenburg; Kennedy Shapr, R-Alexander;

Saving Bond Sales Cited

Sales of Series E and H Savings Bonds in Pitt County during the first month of the new year amounted to \$57,975, according to R. W. Howard, county volunteer chairman.

Howard reported that the January sales total represents some 9.8 per cent of the county's 1973 dollar goal of \$591,000.

January sales of both series in North Carolina totaled \$6,063,116, or seven per cent of the state's 1973 goal of \$87,100,000. E. Bond sales were \$5,930,116 while sales of Series H amounted to \$133,000.

The chairman noted that due to an early cut-off date, the figures due not include all of the state's January sales and are not comparable with January of 1972.

Nationally, combined sales of E and H Bonds reached \$561 million in January, some 7.6 per cent more than January of 1972, and \$111 million above last month.

Will Organize Class In Crafts

Pitt Technical Institute will hold an organizational meeting at the Simpson Fire Department Thursday at 7 p.m. for all adults interested in a class in assorted crafts.

Course content will include instruction in a variety of crafts of general interest and may include as many different crafts as time and interest permits.

The class will meet each Thursday through May 10 in the fire department from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. beginning Thursday. There is no cost for the course but participants must furnish their own supplies.

Interested persons are urged to attend the first class meeting.

Rose Graduate On Dean's List

Miss Cynthia Fleming has been named to the Dean's List at A&T State University.

The 1970 Rose High School graduate is a junior history major at A&T. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Fleming of 1304 Colonial Ave., Greenville.

and Bette Wilkie, R-Henderson.

Mrs. Locke said the state ERA, introduced by the anti-ERA leaders, was "totally unacceptable" to women's groups. The bill contains the language of the ERA, but adds that "rights, benefits and exemptions now conferred by law upon persons of the female sex shall in no way be abridged."

Mrs. McKay said that would "put women in a worse position than they are now, and freeze the status of women where it is in the law."

She challenged Sen. Jack Rhyne, D-Gaston, the leading opponent in the Senate of ERA, to introduce legislation insuring equal pay scales for women, to be enforced by a Fair Employment Practices Commission with investigatory powers.

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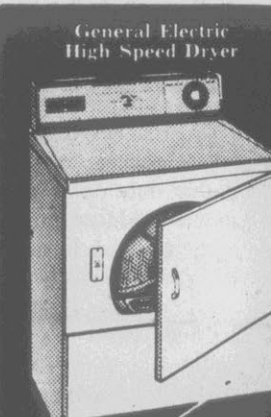
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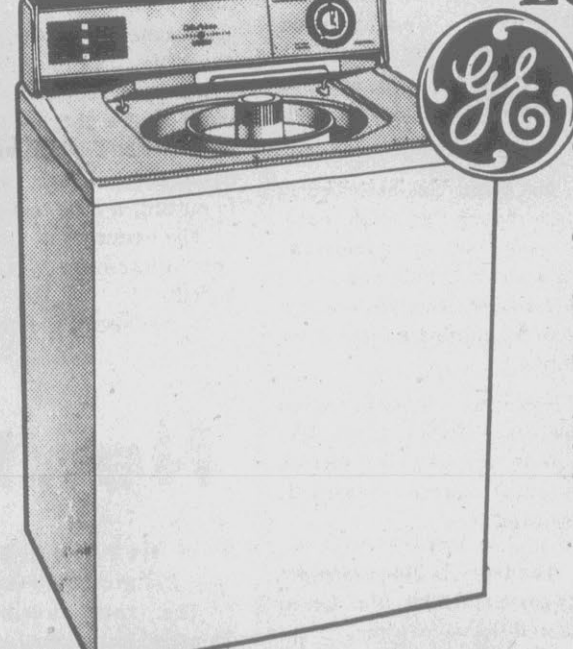


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Stood By As Boy Drowned

DETROIT (AP) — A swimming instructor who student witnesses say forced a terrified youth into the water and then stood by as the boy sank to the bottom of the pool, has been arraigned on a charge of manslaughter.

Clayton Woodard Jr. was arraigned Monday in the death of George Jerry, 12, a student at the Dancy School of Observation, an institution for retarded children.

Witnesses said Woodard, 24, forced the boy into the pool three times and rapped his fingers as he clutched the side of the pool.

After the youth's death last Wednesday, the boy's parents said their son had been afraid of the water. They said he told them other students were forced into the water against their will.

Attorney Hugh Davis said Woodard was "a very grief-stricken young man." Davis said Woodard had been trying to cure the boy's fear of water. Woodard turned himself into the police after the death.

Recorder's Court Judge John R. Murphy, who set a \$1,000 bond, said the case was "so shocking that one has to control his emotions."

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Growing Service Role By ACC

Atlantic Christian College in Wilson has begun a capital fund program through which it plans to raise \$3 million.

The funds will be used to construct a new learning resource center and a nursing education building. The money will also go to acquire ad-

ditional campus property, make necessary campus improvements and meet certain financial obligations.

The "Fulfillment Fund Program" will be the third and final phase of Atlantic Christian's 15-year Long-Range Development program, launched in 1962.

ACC's nursing program is now in its third year and enrolls 101 students. It has been housed in temporary structures. Atlantic Christian is the only private college in the Coastal Plains offering a baccalaureate degree with a major in nursing.

The learning resource center will provide approximately 28,000 square feet of floor space with seating capacity for 250 and shelf space for 182,000 volumes. Estimated to cost \$1,028,250, the center will be sufficient to meet the minimum requirements for current and projected enrollments.

Atlantic Christian College has been playing a major role in the uplifting of Eastern North Carolina for many decades. It has provided a college education for countless Eastern North Carolina youth. The college now has an enrollment of 1,770 and we are happy to see that it has plans to provide the additional facilities which it needs to continue its outstanding service to our area.

New Port Facility Is Symbolic Of Growth

The State Ports Authority dedicated the new Maritime Building at Morehead Sunday afternoon.

With Congressman Walter B. Jones as the speaker, the \$650,000 structure formally became a part of North Carolina's growing ports assets.

As much as anything, the development of the state ports has been responsible for the economic growth of North Carolina since World War II.

The Morehead City port has become extremely important to economic development in the Coastal Plains. The new Maritime Building there is symbolic of the growth of the port and of North Carolina.

Teddy Seeking Centrist Image

By ROWLAND EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK WASHINGTON —

The clearest signal of Sen. Edward M. Kennedy's rapid movement toward the middle of the road came recently when he invited Ben F. Wattenberg, a leading theorist of centrist Democratic politics, to a secret luncheon in his Capitol Hill office.

Kennedy's new-politics admirers would have been irritated to know he sought out Wattenberg, who remains a key adviser to Sen. Henry M. Jackson and the driving force behind the new Coalition for a Democratic Majority (CDM).

But they would have been appalled that Kennedy told Wattenberg he feels the party must move back toward the center to regain the blue-collar vote, adding that the party has the wrong side of such inflammatory social issues as compulsory school busing.

Kennedy has been meeting privately with Democratic national chairman Robert Strauss, AF-CIO operatives and other party centrists in key positions. But the seriousness of his move toward moderation is indicated by his seeking out Wattenberg, a non-politician with views obnoxious to Kennedy's new-politics friends.

A footnote: Kennedy privately contends the 1976 Democratic nominee must win some electoral votes from the South — contradicting new-politics theorists who feel Dixie is Republican for the foreseeable future. Although a speech at the University of

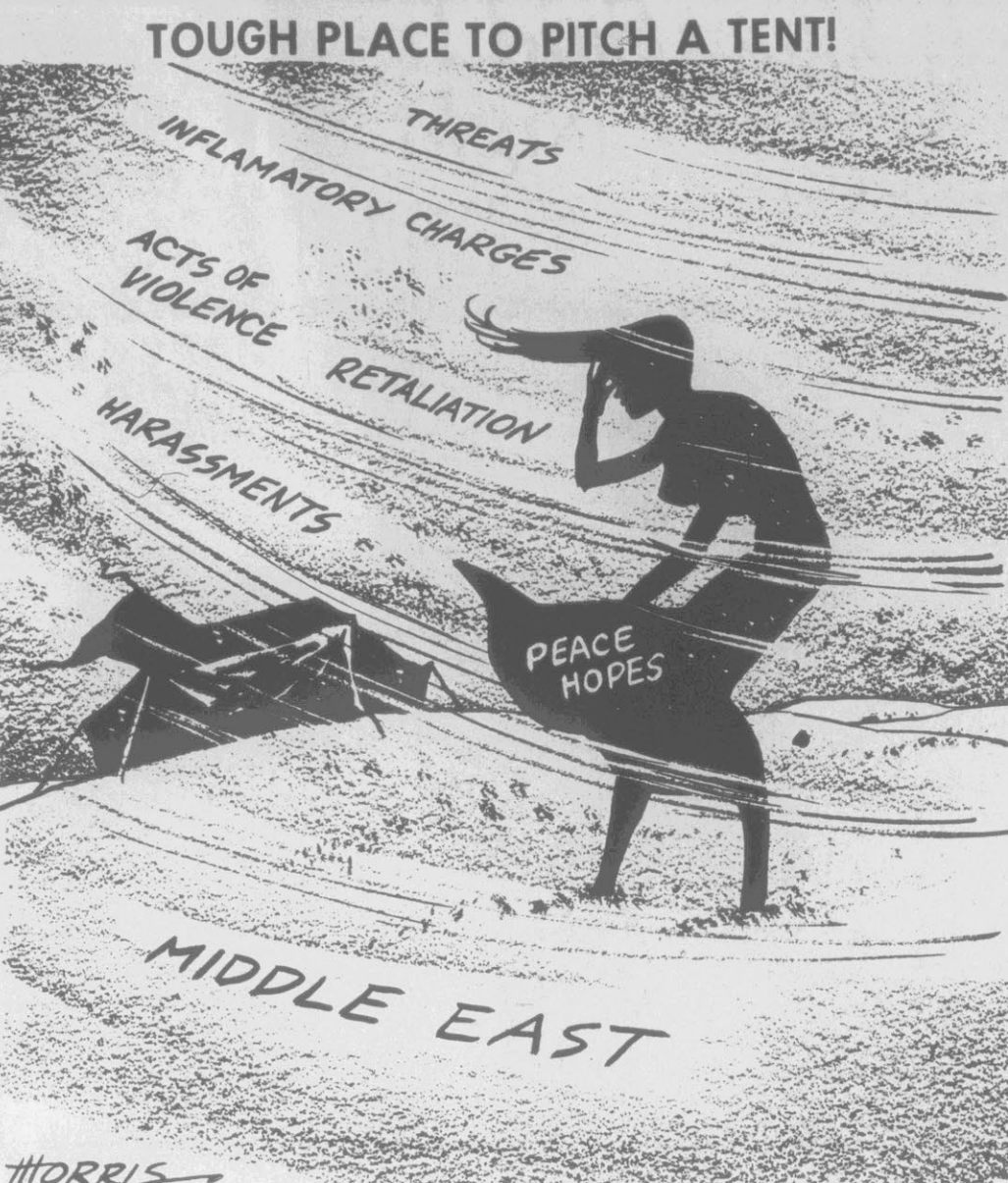
Virginia April 9 is the only Southern engagement on Kennedy's present calendar, he is expected to book Deep South speeches this year.

Poverty Politics In fighting President Nixon's evisceration of the anti-poverty program, the Community Action Program (CAP) in Salt Lake City is doing again what has caused so much trouble for anti-poverty activists all over the country: a federally-financed agency moving into political action against elected public officials.

An anti-Nixon flyer distributed in Salt Lake City does not disclose its sponsors but in fact was prepared at and mailed from the county CAP office, issuing this broadside: "Dick Nixon has a budget for big business. Nixon proposes the elimination or severe cutbacks of all programs providing services to those most in need, the poor, lower income and elderly persons, with no funds for local government to pick up these programs. In contrast, the budget items of defense, space, etc., are increased and tax loopholes for the affluent are continued."

Those wanting more information are given two unidentified Salt Lake City telephone numbers—one the CAP office, the other the Model Cities office across the street. Callers are asked to volunteer to fight the Nixon program.

When we called the CAP office, we were told to contact the office's full-time central city coordinator, James Reed. Bui Reed, whose salary is partially paid by the



By J.J. KILPATRICK

In Living, Biased Color

On December, 19 of last year, NBC broadcast a documentary, "What Price Health?" On January 10, Dr. Ernest B. Howard, executive vice president of the American Medical Association, strongly complained to NBC on bias and distortion in the program; he asked for equal time to reply.

On February 12, NBC responded to Dr. Howard by denying the charges, defending the show, and refusing equal time.

The exchange of correspondence is instructive. Viewed simply in terms of its subject matter, the NBC documentary offered an excellent example of

what television ought to be doing: The quality of health care in the United States clearly is a matter of national concern. The subject ought to be examined, and it ought to be examined critically.

At the same time, it ought to be examined fairly. That is what a "documentary" is all about. Such a work is not intended as a work of advocacy or opinion, but as a work of fact. If documentaries are to live up to their billing, they should present evidence not on one side only, but on both sides.

This NBC failed to do. The producers of "What Price Health?" set out to make a case that American medicine is poor, that doctors are unduly rich, that patients who can't pay for medical care are likely to die for want of it, and so on. Under a flimsy veil of neutrality, the network made that case. Its writers picked case histories to support their view; they picked statistics that would adorn their presentation, and they rejected statistics that might have given a different picture. Then they put it all together, gave Ed Newman a script to read, and called it a "documentary." What it was, was an editorial.

For example, the program had Newman saying, "Good health care is hard to find." That is an editorial judgment. Hard, one might ask, compared to what? As Dr. Howard pointed out, documenting his statement, 2,300,000 persons a day manage to see a physician. "The U.S. Public Health Service," Dr. Howard continues, "says that the nearest doctor is only 17 minutes from the average doorstep, and in 1969 (the last year for which data are available) 20 million house calls were made, more than half of them to families with under \$3,000 annual income, the elderly, or the handicapped."

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Learn It All By Mail

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

Obese women have one health advantage over their slimmer sisters. They suffer less anemia. But they are more likely to get diabetes, have gallbladder and heart attacks — and to live shorter lives.

Vampire bats, which sometimes spread rabies, are no myth. Spread from Mexico to Argentina, they prey on wild and domestic animals, birds



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and sometimes man. They drink an average of two gallons of blood a year each, and one can consume as much as 50 percent of its body weight at a single feasting. This is equivalent to a 200-pound man eating a 100-pound meal at a sitting.

Quotable notes: "Do not strive to understand the mystery of life. Strive to live it." — Jacob Klatzkin.

What will youth try next? According to the National Geographic Society, teen-age boys among the little-known Mru people of Bangladesh wear earrings, tie blossoms in their hair, blacken their teeth, and paint their foreheads. Why? for the same reason teen-age boys here wear long hair and corduroy trousers — to attract the girls.

Worth remembering: "Forbidden fruit is often responsible for many a bad jam."

Items to make your bartender's mouth fall agape: Murray Dickson, pitching for the St. Louis Cardinals, had 39 home-runs knocked off him in the

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40 Years Ago Today

By GWYN COGHILL March 6, 1933
Anton Cermak, Chicago Mayor, the victim of a bullet Giuseppe Zangara fired February 15th in an attempt to assassinate President Roosevelt, died in the Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami today. The entire city council of Chicago will meet the special train bringing the body of Mayor Cermak to Chicago when it arrives Wednesday.

The nation today entered upon a four day modified banking holiday which F.D.R., vesting himself with war-time authority, exerted the great powers of his office to wrest financial order out of the economic confusion prevailing over the country. The Presidential proclamation suspends banking operations throughout the country and places an embargo on exchange of gold and prohibits acceptance of gold for foreign accounts.

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Best Decisions Need Options

By JOHN CUNIFF AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — While it seems to be losing some favor, especially in the administration, the give and take of discussion and argument, the expression of opinions, the questioning of policy are needed ingredients of decision-making.

No decision can ever be perfect because all are made by fallible man. But the less exploration of options the less certain the decision to be the best. Here then are a few recent contributions:

—The Nixon administration is wrong in blaming defense cuts for recessions, says Prof. Emile Benoit, a Columbia University economist and authority on arms control.

"Defense cuts produce recessions only if they are allowed or encouraged to do so by government policies which, by failing to provide necessary offsets, deliberately invite recessions as a means of coping with inflation."

Benoit states that President

Nixon has "deliberately capitalized" on the association in the public's mind between defense cuts and recession "to supply an alibi for the recession, claiming it was an inevitable byproduct of the Vietnam withdrawal."

Writing in the March issue of the Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Sciences, he concludes that the 1971 recession "must be blamed not on defense cuts, but on the failure of public policy to supply adequate offsets to the defense cuts."

—James Needham, New York Stock Exchange chairman, is seeking to broaden that institution's image as a national rather than regional institution and to make its voice heard on "economic issues of national importance."

Speaking to business leaders in San Francisco, he commented that many widely supported national goals of the past 10 years have remained elusive.

What is the cause? He stated: "Where economic and

social issues have been concerned, it has seemed almost obligatory in recent years to blame America's problems on our long involvement in Indochina." But Needham disagrees.

"... when it comes to many of the problems which people today regard as symptomatic of a decadent society — the partial breakdown of moral authority, the denigration of law and order, the abandonment of many of our traditional values — it seems to me these problems have been building a long time," he said.

Moreover, he continued, "they predate the time when Americans first became aware of places called Saigon and Hanoi. As we look ahead, we may find we've been using the war in Vietnam as a scapegoat ..."

Economists and government officials often claim that a major reason for insisting on fixed ratios among currencies is that they are needed in order to

maintain business confidence. Really?

A survey of international business executives by the Conference Board casts doubt on that excuse. Most of the 119 business leaders from 42 countries do believe that greater monetary stability is needed. But with a "but."

The fixed parities that exist today, some suggested, might be unrealistic, a view that seems to be supported by the periodic crises and parity changes that are forced by market conditions.

Such crises, one Indian financial executive said, "have a greater disincentive effect on business than orderly smooth changes brought about in small degrees — even a frequent intervals."

Many executives expressed preference for small and frequent changes in exchange rates rather than a continuation of the less frequent but convulsive changes that have been occurring.

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Strength For Today

Problems Of Modern Life

Yesterday we reminded ourselves that life is a problem whether we want it to be so or not. Most of our present-day problems arise from a misuse of opportunities. It is easier to sin now and get away with it than it has been in the past. The automobile has come in to make modern life a new thing as compared with the horse and buggy age, but it has also created problems. These problems especially arise in the lives of young people who can be so easily separated from the influence of their homes—an influence that should be, and usually is, a good influence.

We need only think of what life must have been a thousand years ago to make us thankful for the age in

which we live, and for those of us who live in a free country we can look back and read of the tyrannies of the past and thank God that we have some influence under free government in shaping our life and the life of our nation.

A new age brings new problems, and we had better acquaint ourselves with those problems and address ourselves to their solution if we want our nation to continue its triumphs and if we as individuals wish to rise above the sins that so easily beset us.

There is no such thing as an insoluble problem. We need to get busy and keep busy solving the problems (individually and collectively) of modern life.

By Earl Douglas

Business Manager For Area ARC Announced

Kenneth Royal Bordeaux has been appointed business manager of the Walter B. Jones Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center, Greenville.

Bordeaux succeeds Donald H. Hayes, who has assumed duties as superintendent of the center.

Prior to his appointment, Bordeaux was chief fiscal officer at the Edgecombe Technical Institute, Tarboro. He previously has been employed as an instructor and director of occupational education at Beaufort Technical Institute in Washington and as head of production with Union Carbide Corporation in Charlotte.

Bordeaux, a native of Mt. Olive, is a 1956 graduate of East Carolina University with a B. S.

degree in business. He received his master's degree in business administration from ECU in 1969.

He is a veteran of the U. S. Navy with three years active duty and currently holds the rank of Commander in the U. S. Naval Reserve. Bordeaux also serves as "Blue and Gold" Information Officer, U. S. Naval Academy, for Eastern N. C.

He is married to the former Cecelia Tripp of Shallotte. Mrs. Bordeaux is head of the Business Education Department at Edgecombe Technical Institute.

They have a 12-year-old son, Larry. The Bordeauxs are members of Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church here.

Eisenhowers Rent A Home

WASHINGTON (AP) — Julie Nixon Eisenhower and her husband, David, have rented a \$100,000 home at a "special rate" in Bethesda, Md., and plan to move in when young Eisenhower leaves the Navy.

The White House said Monday the white brick home was being rented from C. G. "Bebe" Rebozo, a close friend of President Nixon.

Deputy Press Secretary Helen Smith declined to say the amount of rent the Eisenhowers would pay but said Rebozo is renting the home to the Eisenhowers at less than it normally would command "because they're old friends."

The two-bedroom home, with a swimming pool, is located near the Burning Tree Golf Club, where Eisenhower's grandfather, the late President Dwight D. Eisenhower, used to play.

Eisenhower has served 2½ years in the Navy and is scheduled for discharge on his 25th birthday, March 31.

ROCKING GARDEN
NEW YORK (AP) — Madison Square Garden grossed \$4,988,988 for 36 rock concerts during 1972. This is a gain of more than \$1.5 million over 1971.



SPRING IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER... when men of eastern North Carolina haul fish nets out in preparation for the shad and herring season. In the photograph above, Guy Gaskins of Bridgeton mends a net to make sure his net is in top form to hold even the biggest one. (Staff Reflector Photo by Jerry Raynor)

Identity Crisis For 22 Million

By MORT ROSENBLUM
Associated Press Writer
SINGAPORE (AP) — The 22 million Chinese who don't live in China have an identity crisis. The mirror leaves no doubt they are the overseas Chinese, but many are not sure what

their heritage means as China itself discards some of its ancient customs.

"It's the hardest thing in the world to be now," says an American of Chinese descent who lives in Taipei. "You never know what you are."

A Singapore girl with Chinese-born parents and a British husband sums up her situation: "Culturally, I'm Chinese. Socially, I'm Singaporean. Intellectually, I'm international."

Many of these people would like to settle in and assimilate where they are, but often that's difficult. Large numbers can't attain citizenship in Southeast Asian nations their great-grandfathers helped to build.

Peking's emergence as a world power has given them something besides Ming vases to fire their pride, awakening a major wave of cultural and ethnic feeling from Mauritius to Manhattan.

"I could never live in China," runs a typical comment. "But

now, as a Chinese, I feel proud."

The China Travel Service in Hong Kong is deluged with overseas applicants wanting to visit the homeland. Officials estimate about 100 American Chinese go in each month.

Overseas Chinese who return report they were treated well, especially if they spoke the language. They were separated from other foreigners. Authorities discouraged them from mingling too freely with local Chinese.

To many, communities overseas are more "Chinese" than China. Visitors back from Peking report surprise at how things differed from the mental pictures—or memories—they had brought with them.

"When the Chinese went overseas, the culture just froze for them," observed one Western expert. "They hung on to what they remembered because they had to have something to keep them Chinese."

In Peking, a dead relative is dispatched without great ceremony. In Kuala Lumpur, women are hired to wail as the departed uncle is trucked behind a brass band to the crematorium where mourners eat noodles and drink brandy.

Those with fortitude, patience and luck tour the mainland. A number come out disillusioned

but a few find their fires stoked for seeking change back home.

"I didn't feel particularly proud but I was impressed—all the people you meet in China share the same views," said Pang Cheng Lian, a respected Singapore journalist who is ethnically Chinese.

"When I went to China," she said, "I kept asking myself, 'I'm supposed to be Chinese—how should I be feeling?' Strangely there was some sort of affinity."

"Ultimately language is the important thing."

For others, it's more than language. "So you don't like 'tough,'" joked a culturally wounded San Francisco Chinese when a Jewish friend disdained bean curd in a Hong Kong restaurant. "Order some salami."

Assorted Crafts Class Planned

Pitt Technical Institute will hold an organizational meeting at the Eastern Pines Fire Department Wednesday at 2 p.m. for all adults interested in a class in assorted crafts.

Course content will include instruction in a variety of crafts of general interest.

The class will meet each Wednesday through May 9 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the fire department. There is no cost for the course but participants must furnish their own supplies.

Theaters Join Festival Plan

LONDON (AP) — More than 50 theaters are taking part in a nationwide Festival of British Theater, set for Sept. 17-Oct. 13. The event is being organized by the theatrical profession itself, with actress Judi Dench as festival chairman. The aim is to show the extent and activity of the theater throughout the country, and particularly the out-of-London centers.

Evans-Novak

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federal government, told us he was not in charge of handling the flyer. Who is? "The people are in charge," he declared.

Reed admitted the flyer had been prepared at the CAP office and mailed on their subsidized postage meter to the CAP mailing list. But he claimed that none of the \$606,000 in annual federal funds for the Salt Lake County CAP was used (which would be illegal), contending the flyer was financed with funds from the county government. Actually, federal and local funds in such anti-poverty offices are often hopelessly intermingled.

Panama Crisis?

A confidential letter warning that "uncontrollable demonstrations" against the U.S. in the Panama Canal Zone may break out when the United Nations Security Council meets in Panama March 15 has been sent to President Nixon by nine members of the Senate Armed Services Committee.

The Security Council meeting, approved in January over strong U. S. protest, "will provide a diplomatic and propaganda forum for attacks against the U. S. position in the zone," The nine Senators said. They range from dovish Democratic Sen. Stuart Symington of Missouri to hawkish Republican Sen. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina.

Panamanian nationalists have been demanding the end of U. S. sovereignty in the Canal Zone for years, but the anti-American agitation has been increasing, with President Nixon regularly attacked as a "marderer" in the press. The government recently issued an order demanding an end to such vitriol until after the Security Council meeting.

Panama asked for the special meeting to "publicize" the issue of extraterritorial U.S. rights. The results of that publicity, the nine Senators fear, could be "to stimulate nationalist fears," and provoke anti-U.S. rioting. They asked for a meeting with Mr. Nixon and urged him to make absolutely clear that the U. S. will not tolerate "any encroachment upon our present ... rights."

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EARLY SIGNS

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — The first indications of learning disabilities can often be detected by three years of age, says the California Medical Association.

Civilians Stage Armed Patrols

STATESVILLE, N.C. (AP)—The Rev. James R. Speece, who is a Baptist minister and also the postmaster at Union Grove, armed himself with an automatic rifle Monday night, got in his station wagon, and with a companion started patrolling several miles of rural roads around Union Grove in northern Iredell County.

It was the beginning of a planned daily patrol by armed civilians who will supplement efforts policemen following a dozen break-ins during the last few weeks. Speece said that church members told him that when they left home they were putting TVs in closets out of sight.

Speece said some patrolling also would be done in parts of Wilkes and Yadkin counties that adjoin Iredell.

Haislip Col. . .

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party state. Now that it's near realization, he is one of the fair-haired boys in the GOP talent pool. Speculation centers on him to run for governor, take an administration post, or otherwise move up the ladder. He sees the options, but concentrates on the present job.

"I'd rather not have a political future than make every decision based on what I might do next," he said.

Boyle Col. . .

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1948 season. Swordfish can't saw a hole in a boat but they have been known to get angry enough to pierce even a copper-lined hull with their long, pointed snout. Some kinds of mice can sing. They make twittering sounds not unlike those of birds.

It was Mark Twain (quoting an asylum inmate) who observed, "Forgiveness is the fragrance the violet sheds on the heel that has crushed it."

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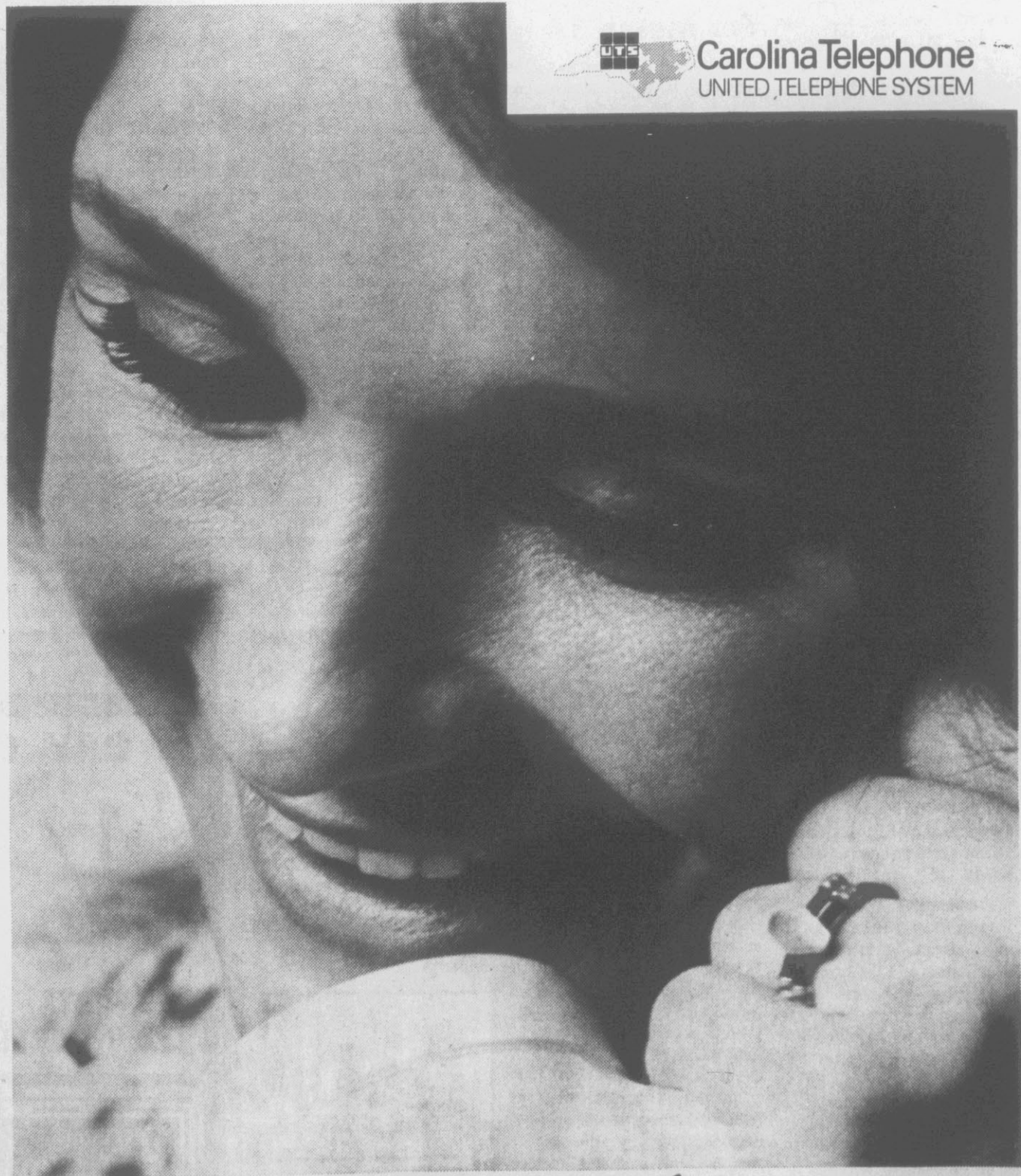
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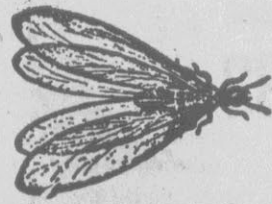


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Stock And Market Reports

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

Supplies adequate. Demand generally good. Weighted average prices for small lot slaes of consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered nearby outlets:

Grade A large whites: 54.45.
Medium whites: 50.57.
Small whites: 42.13.

RALEIGH (AP)—(NCDA)— North Carolina hens: Market about steady today. Supplies of all weights considered in balance with a fair demand. Heavyweights too few to report prices. Light type, at farm, 6-6½ cents, mostly 6½.

North Carolina f.o.b. dock broilers: Market tone unsettled to weak. Supplies adequate for a fair demand. Weights light at some points.

Following are selected 11 a.m. stock market quotations:

Burroughs	231
United Utilities	197½
Heublein	51½
Jeff-Pilot	69¾
Tri South	32½
Wickes	22
Wachovia Realty	28
Eckerd's	31
Central Soya	27¾
Hardee's	12½
OVER THE COUNTERS	
Combined Insurance	15¼-5%
Franklin Life	26½-27
NCNB	38½-5%
Piedmont Air	7½-8¼
Integon	13-3%
Little Mint	2½-3
Conner Homes	2½-3%
Guardian Care	5½-5%
First Provident	16¼-3%
Planters	48½-BID

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market continued the upward climb that began Friday, but analysts said the rally was technical in nature. Trading was moderate.

The 11:30 a.m. Dow Jones average of 30 industrials was up 5.72 points at 972.61. The Dow was down to 942.20 on Friday. Advancing issues outpaced decliners on The New York Stock Exchange.

The 11 a.m. NYSE index of some 1,400 common stock was up 0.34 at 60.71. The American Stock Exchange price-change index was up .06 at 24.78.

Mattel, Inc., the big toy manufacturer, was up ½ at 8½, the most-active stock on the Big Board. Second most-active was American Telephone, up ¾ at 49¾, followed by AT&T Warrants, up ¼ at 6½. AT&T's Ohio unit, Ohio Bell Telephone Co., said Monday it would have to cancel a planned \$200 million debenture sale because its current profit margin was the lowest in 24 years.

Fourth-most-active was Pampida, Inc., up ¾ at 8½. Pampida closed down 5½ Monday after an unfavorable earnings report was released.

Gray Drug Stores, which reported lower January earnings was down ½ at 21¾.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

	Prev.	Mid.
	Close	day
Akzona	29¾	29¾
Allis-Chal	9¾	9¾
Am Motors	7½	7¾
Am Tel & Tel	49¾	49¾
Am Brand	41¾	42¾
Atl Rich	68¾	69¾
Beth Stl	28¾	28¾
Boeing Air	21¾	21¾
Borden Co	26¾	26¾
Burl Ind	32	32
Cambell S	31	31¾
Caro P&L	26¾	26¾
Celanese Corp	31¾	31¾
Ches & Ohio	47	47
Chrysler	35¾	35¾
Coca Cola	145	146¾
Dan Riv Mills	10	10¾
Dow Chem	102¾	103¾
Champion Int.	19	19¾
Duke Power	21¾	22½
DuPont G	172½	173
East Air	14¾	14½
Eastman Kodak	142¾	143
Firestone Rub	22¾	22½
Ford Motor	63¾	66¾
Gen Elec	67¾	67¾
Gen Foods	27½	27¾
Gen Mtr	23¾	23¾
Gen Tel & El	28¾	28½
Ga Pacific	32½	32½
Gerb Prod	22¾	22¾
Goodrich BF	23¾	23¾
Goodyear T&R	26¾	26¾
Gulf Oil Corp	25¾	25½
IBM	438¾	439¾
Int Paper	37½	37¾
Int Tel & Tel	49¾	50¾
Kayser-Roth	16	16
Liggett & Myers	39½	39¾
Lockh Air	7½	8
Loews Th	36	36¾
Monsanto	50¾	50¾
Nabisco	53¾	53¾
Natl Distillers	15½	15¾
Norf & West	67¾	67¾
Penney JC	95½	97
Pepsi Cola	83¾	84¾
Phillips Petr	43¾	44¾
Radio Corp	29¾	30
Rep Stl	26¾	26¾
Reynolds Ind	48¾	48¾
Seaboard Coast	41¾	41½
Sears Roebuck	112¾	112¾
Sou Ralwy	39¾	39¾
Sperry Corp	44	43¾
Std Oil Calif	79	79¾
Exxon	89¾	89¾
Stevens JP	30¾	30¾
Texas Inc	37¾	37¾
Tex GS	24	23¾
Textron Inc	26¾	26¾
Un Carbide	44¾	43¾
Uniroyal	13¾	13¾

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North Carolina f.o.b. dock broilers: Market tone unsettled to weak. Supplies adequate for a fair demand. Weights light at some points.

Following are selected 11 a.m. stock market quotations:

Burroughs	231
United Utilities	197½
Heublein	51½
Jeff-Pilot	69¾
Tri South	32½
Wickes	22
Wachovia Realty	28
Eckerd's	31
Central Soya	27¾
Hardee's	12½
OVER THE COUNTERS	
Combined Insurance	15¼-5%
Franklin Life	26½-27
NCNB	38½-5%
Piedmont Air	7½-8¼
Integon	13-3%
Little Mint	2½-3
Conner Homes	2½-3%
Guardian Care	5½-5%
First Provident	16¼-3%
Planters	48½-BID

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market continued the upward climb that began Friday, but analysts said the rally was technical in nature. Trading was moderate.

The 11:30 a.m. Dow Jones average of 30 industrials was up 5.72 points at 972.61. The Dow was down to 942.20 on Friday. Advancing issues outpaced decliners on The New York Stock Exchange.

The 11 a.m. NYSE index of some 1,400 common stock was up 0.34 at 60.71. The American Stock Exchange price-change index was up .06 at 24.78.

Mattel, Inc., the big toy manufacturer, was up ½ at 8½, the most-active stock on the Big Board. Second most-active was American Telephone, up ¾ at 49¾, followed by AT&T Warrants, up ¼ at 6½. AT&T's Ohio unit, Ohio Bell Telephone Co., said Monday it would have to cancel a planned \$200 million debenture sale because its current profit margin was the lowest in 24 years.

Fourth-most-active was Pampida, Inc., up ¾ at 8½. Pampida closed down 5½ Monday after an unfavorable earnings report was released.

Gray Drug Stores, which reported lower January earnings was down ½ at 21¾.

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Senior Citizen Matters Before Williamston Bd.

WILLIAMSTON — Several matters affecting senior citizens in Williamston were presented to the Williamston Town Board at its March meeting on Monday.

Mrs. Betty Griffin, Mid-East Coordinator of the Council for Aging, reported on a plan of a schedule to help senior citizens through a tax-relief proposal. The plan would apply to citizens with a net worth of less than \$20,000 and an annual income of less than \$4,400.

Another proposal made by Mrs. Griffin asked the town board to assist in locating a suitable building for use as a recreational meeting place for senior citizens. In this connection, the town is being asked to contribute \$300 annually to help operate such a center.

Members of the town board agreed to further study the ideas and requests and to make decisions at a later date.

Mrs. Griffin, in the capacity of president of the Williamston Woman's Club asked that town board members consider the use of property owned by the club as the possible site of a new town library. The lot is at the corner of Smithwick and Church Streets.

Haywood Harris, director of the Martin County Community project, revealed that the termination of federal OEO funds on June 30, 1973 would result in a budget cut. Harris informed board members the cuts would result in a cutback of personnel from 17 to 8 with a budget of \$60,857. He requested consideration be given to a \$10,000 contribution by the town. This is to be discussed by the board at a later date.

Other matters discussed and tabled for further study include consideration of a cable TV franchise for the town; and a letter from the Church of God on Oak Street, requesting 100 feet of sidewalk be installed in front of the church. The request was turned over to the Streets Committee for their recommendation.

No opposition was voiced in a

Newtown . . .

(Continued from page 1) yearly inspections have started in the housing units and the staff averages about five inspections a day. Housing applications are also being up-dated, he reported. Commissioners voted to join the recently formed Eastern Carolina Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials. Joe Laney, executive director, said that the new organization has received the approval of HUD and the annual membership will only be \$10.

He noted that the Authority will remain a member of the Carolinas Council. Membership in the Eastern Carolina Association will be open to cities located east of Interstate 95, it was pointed out, and among the area cities interested in joining are Kinston, Williamston, Washington, Wilson, Goldsboro and New Bern.

Laney said that the local Authority will host a meeting of the association on March 16.

The attendance of two staff members and one commissioner at a Carolina Council workshop May 6-9 at Myrtle Beach, S. C. was authorized.

Church Women Sponsor Party

BETHEL—The women of the Bethel Baptist Church are sponsoring a Friendship Party Saturday, March 10, from 3-4 p.m.

The party will be held at the church for citizens of the Bethel community who are of retirement age and above.

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public hearing on rezoning property on Carolina Avenue. Mrs. Charles Edward's request to have the property rezoned from industrial unoffensive to neighborhood commercial for operating a beauty shop was approved.

Join Group For Utilizing Funds

WILLIAMSTON — Martin County has joined a seven county group county community for the utilization of federal funds. The action came on Monday at the monthly meeting of commissioners who approved Martin joining Bertie, Hertford, Gates, Chowan and Perquimans Counties in the grouping. Main focus of the program will be center on Alliances for Progress Incorporated.

Transfer of \$100,000 in capital reserve funds to the county's school building fund was also approved.

Road actions considered and approved by commissioners include a resolution to acquire more right of way land for Rural Road 1536 in Griffins Township; a request to the State Highway

Commission to pave the road to the county's solid waste disposal; the recommended paving of two and six tenths miles of Rural Road 1535; and widening of Rural Road 1318 from 18 to 22 feet.

A proposal to acquire another ambulance to replace an old one in service was approved.

Seven persons were reappointed to another two year term on the Martin County Hospital Board. These are: David Boyd, A. B. Ayers, Jr., N. W. (Nat) Johnson, George W. Taylor, C. I. Harris, J. L. Coltrane and Walter Elliott Ward.

Three men, A. C. Bailey, Ghurman Ange and Francis Worsley were named as a committee on solid waste projects for Martin County.

Plan Burial Of Hostages

WASHINGTON (AP) — The bodies of two American diplomats who were murdered in Khartoum, Sudan, have been returned to the United States for burial.

The diplomats, Ambassador Cleo A. Noel Jr., 54, and his deputy, G. Curtis Moore, 50, were killed Friday by Black September Palestinian guerrillas in the Saudi Arabian Embassy in the Sudanese capital.

The two were carried home on an Air Force jet which was met at Andrews Air Force Base by Secretary of State William P. Rogers and about 500 State Department colleagues. There was a brief ceremony of a military honor guard and a 19-gun salute when the plane arrived.

The plane also carried their widows, Noel's son, John, 21, and Moore's daughters, Lucy Anne, 22, and Catherine, 20. With them was the Sudanese Minister of Reform Abd al-Rahman Abdulla.

Noel and Moore will be buried in side-by-side graves Wednesday at Arlington National Cemetery.

WILL VISIT

KARACHI, Pakistan (AP) — The government says President Zulfikar Ali Bhutto is scheduled to visit the United States soon for talks with President Nixon.

Bluegrass Group Appearing Here

A music group noted for its "foot-stomping Blue grass" is coming to Greenville on Thursday to perform at East Carolina University.

A special added attraction to the Popular Entertainment Series, the Mason Proffitt group will be at Wright Auditorium at 8:00 p.m. Thursday night.

This concert is another of the Student Union sponsored entertainments for ECU students and the general public.

Mason Proffitt's first single, Two Hangmen, was banned from many radio stations for political reasons. In recent years the group has traveled around the country with their Bluegrass brand of music.

Three albums, Moving Toward Happiness, Wanted, and Last Night I Had The Strangest Dream have been issued by the

ELECTING CONGRESSMAN

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — Alaskans select a new U.S. representative today to fill the seat left vacant by Rep. Nick Begich, ruled legally dead after his disappearance last October on a flight in a small plane.

Proffitt ensemble; and the group has been appearing on many campuses in recent towns.

Members of the Mason Proffitt group include John Talbot who plays guitar, banjo, steel guitar and the dobro as well as sings; Terry Talbot, lead guitar and singer; Brucer Kurnow, harmonica; Tim Ayres, bass; and Art Nash, drums.

Tickets for the public are now available from the Central Ticket Office at \$2.00 each.

Senior Citizens Discuss A Trip

Members of the Elm Street Senior Citizens Club discussed a two-day trip to Wilmington at their regular meeting Thursday. The trip is planned for April 10-11.

A district meeting was held in Tarboro Monday for the executive board of the Senior Citizens Club.

Several guests and two new members were welcomed at the meeting Thursday.

President Harriet Roseveare presided at the meeting and the devotion was given by the Rev. Adrian Brown.

Obituaries

Adams
Mr. John Henry Adams of Greenville died in Pitt Memorial Hospital. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Leavy
Funeral services for Mr. Fred Leavy will be conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Patty's Chapel Free Will Baptist Church in Greene County by the Rev. Jones. Burial will be in Brown Hill Cemetery.

Born in Greene County, he was the son of Mrs. Sarah Barrett Leavy and the late Mr. Moses Leavy. He was employed by the Security Trust Inc. of Washington, D. C.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Susie Small of Grimesland, Mrs. Thelma Camp of Philadelphia, Pa., Mrs. Lendora Green of Norfolk, Va. and Mrs. Esther Harris of New York City; four brothers, Moses Leavy Jr. of Rock Spring community near here, James and Jessie Leavy of New York City, and Quilly Leavy of Philadelphia, Pa.

The family will receive friends at Phillips Brothers Mortuary tonight from 8 to 9 p.m.

Lowery
ELIZABETH CITY — Funeral services for Mr. Walter Lowery will be conducted Wednesday, 2 p.m. at Cornerstone Baptist Church on South Martin Street here.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Larua Lowery of 503 S. Martin Street, Elizabeth City, and a brother, J. R. Lowery of Ayden.

McNair
TARBORO — Mrs. Zell Foley McNair, 60, died this morning in Edgecombe General Hospital. A graduate of East Carolina University, she was a science teacher for 30 years in the Tarboro High School.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 3 p.m. at Howard Memorial Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Robert E. Burns III. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

Surviving her are her husband, A. Harvey McNair; a son, A. Harvey McNair Jr. of New Bern; a daughter, Mrs. Ralph H. Vincent of Greenville; and one grandson; five sisters,

Mrs. Edith M. White of Bethel, Mrs. Jasper L. Jones, Mrs. G. A. Gurganus, and Mrs. Don B. Grady, all of Greenville, and Mrs. Jack Smith of Roanoke Rapids; two brothers, E. H. and T. B. Foley of Burlington.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be made to the American Cancer Society and Edgecombe Memorial Library.

Sheppard
NEW HAVEN, CONN. — Mr. Hinton B. Sheppard, son of Mrs. Clay P. Sheppard of Greenville, died in a hospital here. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at Phillips Brothers Mortuary.

Stalls
Mr. Simon Stalls, 67, died in Edgecombe County Hospital in Tarboro Monday morning. Funeral services were conducted at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon at the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel by his pastor, the Rev. M. D. McPherson. Burial was in Pinewood Memorial Park.

Mr. Stalls was born and reared in Martin County near Robersonville and had lived in Greenville for a number of years. He was a member of the First Pentecostal Holiness Church of Greenville, a retired salesman, and a veteran of World War II. He was married to Mrs. Myrtle Manning of Bethel in 1942 and she died in 1960.

Surviving are two stepdaughters, Mrs. R. B. Edmondson of Bethel and Mrs. Charles Pender of Greenville; a step-son, Julian P. Bryan Jr. of Greenville; and two sisters, Mrs. Polly Brown and Miss Jane Stalls, both of Robersonville.

Whitley
BETHEL—Mrs. Winnie Staton Whitley of this community died Sunday night in Pitt Memorial Hospital. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at Flanagan and Parker Funeral Home.

Wiggins
BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Mrs. Catharine Wiggins, formerly of Greenville, died Sunday afternoon here. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

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TUESDAY
8:00 p.m.—Chapter No. 149 Order of Eastern Star
8:00 p.m.—Pitt County Alcoholics Anonymous meets at AA Bldg. on Farmville Hwy.

WEDNESDAY
1:30 p.m.—Wednesday afternoon duplicate bridge club weekly game at Elks Lodge
6:30 p.m.—Kiwanis Club meets

7:30 p.m.—Junior Woman's Club of Greenville meets at Woman's Club bldg.

8:00 p.m.—Pitt County Al-Anon Group meets at AA Bldg., Farmville Hwy. Telephone 756-3222 or 756-0567

8:00 p.m.—The Matrons Club meets at the home of Mrs. Lenice Cherry

MASONIC NOTICE
William Pitt Lodge No. 734 A.F. and A.M. will have a stated communication Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Supper will be served at 6:30 p.m. All master masons are invited to attend.
Al Tetterton Sr., Master

College Advisors Board To Meet At Laurinburg

LAURINBURG—Presbyterian ministers comprising the Board of Advisors of St. Andrews Presbyterian College will be here Wednesday and Thursday for their annual meeting.

The Rev. Richard R. Gammon of the First Presbyterian Church, Greenville, and a member of the group is expected to attend.

Hosted by Dr. Donald Hart, St. Andrews president, the North Carolina ministers will participate in a varied program including the premiere showing a new documentary film on St. Andrews and a student-faculty panel discussion of "The New Shape of Christianity and Culture," the required four year program of interdisciplinary studies.

They will also hear a report on two proposed new buildings, the Health and Rehabilitation Center and Belk Chapel.

The Rev. Richard L. Somers, First Presbyterian Church, Lexington, is chairman of the group.

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TUESDAY AFTERNOON, MARCH 6, 1973

Woody's Ramblin's

By WOODY PEELE



Sidelights from the Southern Conference Tournament:

People are still trying to figure out what happened to East Carolina Friday night in the semifinals of the Southern Conference Tournament.

The Bucs, leading 40-29 at halftime, didn't hit a basket for the first 12 minutes, and lost the lead and eventually the game. In fact, if a goal-tending call is taken away, the Bucs scored only twice in the first 17 minutes of the half.

Certainly with each succeeding miss the Pirates got tighter and the chances of their scoring slimmer.

But perhaps the biggest cause of their defeat was on Thursday night. In the quarter-final game, Ernie Pope suffered a dislocated elbow just seconds before he was scheduled to leave the game for a substitute. Last year, in the tournament, when the Bucs needed a cooling hand for them, Pope provided it. He could have been a key factor Friday night, coming off the bench.

Furman University President Dr. Francis W. Bonner announced yesterday that a committee has been appointed to seek a replacement for Commissioner Lloyd Jordan.

The committee has actually been at work for some time. Jordan was originally slated to retire at the end of 1971, but decided to stay on for another year. That stretched into another, but this time, it appears that he will step down.

Talk at the tournament is that Davidson Athletic Director Tom Scott has already been offered the job, and that only some agreements still remain to be made before Scott is announced as the new commissioner.

One thing is certain. The Southern needs new leadership, and vigorous leadership, at that. One look in the stands any night of the tournament shows that the Southern is in bad shape.

They need a brighter image. Certainly they have to compete against the ACC which usually gets the better players, but they can still build up a following.

One thing that desperately needs to be done is to get the conference on an even keel. Two members of the league, Furman and Appalachian, do not play a major football schedule. Davidson's is only borderline. These schools should be made to improve their schedule for the sake of the conference, or they should be told to find room elsewhere.

Or else the conference must decide to go under as a major college league.

Three ACC Teams Still In Top 10

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
UCLA's powerful Bruins, steamrolling toward their seventh straight NCAA championship, are keeping their record unscathed and again lead this week's Associated Press college basketball poll.

The Bruins beat California 90-55 and defeated Stanford 51-45 last week, making the Indians their 70th consecutive victim.

UCLA, 25-0, polled 33 of 36 votes for first place and 714 points from the nationwide poll of sports writers and broadcasters who make the selections.

North Carolina State, 25-0, after beating North Carolina 82-78 and Wake Forest 100-77, collected the remaining first-place votes and retained its second-place ranking with 592 points.

Minnesota, 20-2, was third with 568 points and Long Beach St., 24-2, took fourth with 487 points.

Providence, 22-2, beat St. John, N. Y., 93-90 and moved up from sixth to fifth place, trading spots with Marquette, which lost to Long Beach State 76-66. Providence garnered 414 points and Marquette, 22-3, received 320.

Houston 22-3, was seventh with 284, North Carolina, 22-6, followed with 265 and Indiana, 18-5, had 175. Maryland, 20-5, rounded out the Top Ten with 173 points.

Kansas State, leaping from 16th, headed the Second Top Ten followed by Missouri, Syracuse, SW Louisiana and Memphis State. Jacksonville was 16th, ahead of St. John's, N. Y., St. Joseph's, Pa., with San Francisco and Kentucky tied.

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The Top Twenty, with first-place votes in parentheses, season records and total points. Points tabulated on basis of 20-18-16-14-12-10-9 etc:

1. UCLA (33)	25-0 714
2. No. Car. St. (3)	25-0 592
3. Minnesota	20-2 568
4. Long Beach St.	24-2 487
5. Providence	22-2 414
6. Marquette	22-3 320
7. Houston	22-3 284
8. No. Carolina	22-6 265
9. Indiana	18-5 175
10. Maryland	20-5 173
11. Kansas St.	21-4 137
12. Missouri	20-4 124
13. Syracuse	22-4 120
14. SW La.	22-3 118
15. Memphis St.	21-5 103
16. Jacksonville	21-5 48
17. St. John's, NY	19-6 37
18. St. Joseph's, Pa.	22-5 18
19. (Tie) San Fran Kentucky	22-4 16
	18-7 16

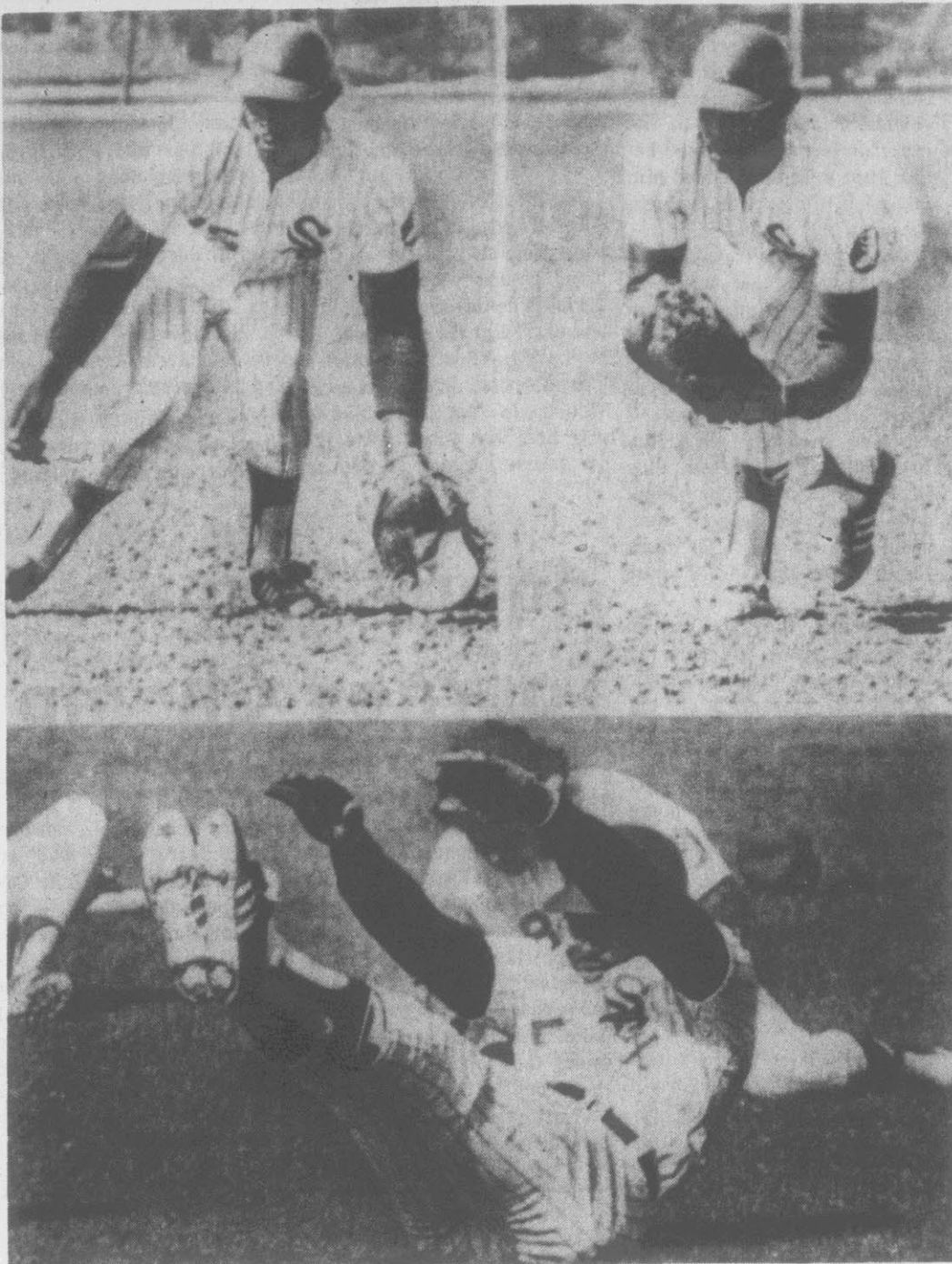
Others receiving votes, listed alphabetically: Arizona State, Austin Peay, Illinois, Louisville, Marshall, New Mexico, Notre Dame, Oklahoma City, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia Tech, Weber State.



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THE RICHIE ALLEN WORKOUT — Richie Allen of the Chicago White Sox limbers up at the team's training camp in Sarasota, Fla. Allen, who has just signed a three-year contract to the tune of \$225,000 per year, making him the

highest paid baseball player, said on Monday, "I don't understand why people pay so much attention to what I earn. I want people to admire me for what I do on the field, not how much money I take home." (AP Wirephotos)

Sloan Feels Wolfpack Should Win Tournament

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Norman Sloan, coach of the undefeated and second-ranked North Carolina State Wolfpack, believes that the Atlantic Coast Conference system of determining its champion by a post-season tournament is the best way possible.

"If we're truly the best team, we'll win the tournament," he said. "I truly don't mind playing Duke or North Carolina four times. I don't deny there's a lot more emotional pressure in a tournament."

However, should State win the tournament, it won't be eligible for NCAA play and a shot at the national college championship.

State and Duke, also ineligible for the NCAA, are on a year's probation for violations in trying to recruit David Thompson, now a star with State.

"The best way to describe the feeling (of not being eligible) is very embarrassed and disappointed, of course," Sloan says. "I'm responsible. We were involved in some technical violations, most of which we thought were legal. I don't think we did anything bad. There were two different interpretations. If we go through the tournament, a real serious feeling of disappointment will set in. But

this season has been a very fine experience in a lot of ways."

State is 25-0 in all games, 12-0 in the ACC, and has drawn a bye in the first round of the tournament, which starts Thursday in the Greensboro, N. C., Coliseum.

Thursday's first round shapes up like this:

North Carolina, 8-4 in the league and 22-6 in all games, vs. Wake Forest, 3-9 and 11-14, at 1:30 p. m.; Maryland, 7-5 and 20-5, vs. Clemson, 4-8 and 12-13, at 3:30 p. m.; Virginia 4-8 and 12-11, vs. Duke 4-8 and 12-13, at 8 p. m.

In Friday night's semifinals, the Duke-Virginia winner will play N. C. State at 7 p. m. The winners of the afternoon games in the first round will play each other at 9 p. m. The championship game will be Saturday at 8:30 p. m.

The ACC representative will play in the NCAA Eastern Regional Tournament March 15 and 17 in Charlotte, N.C.

The best 3-year-old trotter in 1972 was Super Bowl. He was named on 190 of 191 ballots cast.

ECU Women Set For Tourney

Madison College of Virginia is unbeaten East Carolina's first-round opponent Friday afternoon as the women's collegiate basketball Regionals get underway at the University of Kentucky.

ECU, 15-0 for the year, earned the right to play in the Regionals by winning the state championship last weekend at Elon College.

The local girls had their hands full in disposing of Elon, Western Carolina and High Point as they trailed at halftime in each game. But led by Sheilah Cotten, who tallied 47 points in the tour-

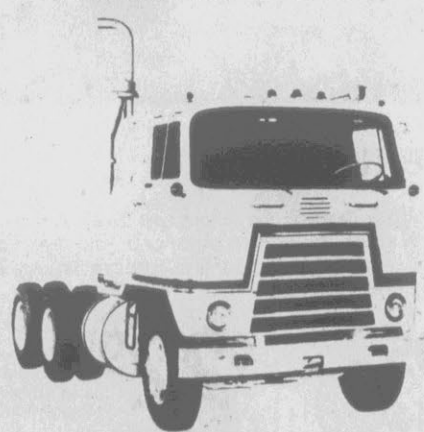
namment, and fine rebounding show by Susan James, ECU pulled out all three decisions.

Wins came by scores of 54-51 over Elon, 47-40 over rugged Western and 60-44 in the title clash with High Point.

Madison, a surprise entry in the Regionals, may pose a stiff test for East Carolina while the University of Tennessee appears to be the tourney favorite.

ECU's girls will leave campus for the Regionals Wednesday. Still ahead for the girls is a possibility of the national tournament in New York.

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Minnesota May Need Playoff For A Berth

By HERSCHEL NISSENON
Associated Press Sports Writer
Because they can't beat lowly Iowa, the Minnesota Gophers may blow any chance of meeting mighty UCLA.

The Hawkeyes, 5-8 in Big Ten play and only 12-11 over-all, upset third-ranked Minnesota 65-62 earlier in the season at Iowa City and did it again 79-77 at Minneapolis Tuesday night on Kevin Kunnert's three-point play with four seconds left.

It was only Minnesota's third setback in 23 games but dropped them into a first-place tie with Indiana. The Gophers, who are dying for an NCAA Tournament shot at UCLA, play at Northwestern while Indiana entertains Purdue Saturday in their respective finales and it likely will take a playoff to determine the Big Ten's NCAA representative. Three other NCAA-bound members of The Associated Press' latest Top Ten came through with victories, though. Fifth-ranked Providence trimmed St. Bonaventure 103-88, No. 6 Marquette trounced Creighton 61-49 and seventh-ranked Houston crushed crosstown rival Rice 116-72.

However, 12th-rated Missouri "celebrated" a second straight bid to the National Invitation Tournament in New York by losing to Iowa State 90-80.

The NIT boosted its field to 13 teams—leaving three spots still open—with the addition of Missouri, Southern California, New Mexico, Louisville, Oral Roberts, Massachusetts, Marshall, Manhattan, Rutgers and Fairfield.

With Iowa trailing Minnesota by a point, the 7-foot-1 Kunnert was parked under the basket awaiting a possible rebound.

"I was just standing there all alone," he said. "If somebody would have shot, I'd have been there to get the rebound."

Instead, Rick Williams, the Hawkeyes' top scorer with 25 points, faked a jump shot and fed Kunnert, whose shot was blocked by Jim Brewer. But the Iowa center, who finished with 22 points and 18 rebounds, grabbed the ball again and laid it in. He was fouled by Brewer and also made the free throw.

"Wow, who blocked that shot?" Kunnert wondered afterward. "I didn't know I had waited that long to shoot."

In fact, the entire Iowa team

waited until the second half to come alive. Down by 46-33 at halftime, the Hawkeyes woke up following a tongue-lashing from Coach Dick Schultz.

"The coach yelled at us and cursed at us at halftime," Kunnert said. "I've never seen him that mad."

It worked and Schultz said his club "played like a super team in the second half. In the first half we were like a bunch of juveniles."

Marvin Barnes scored 32 points and pulled down 22 rebounds to lead Providence, 23-2, past St. Bonaventure despite 31 points and 17 rebounds by the losers' Glenn Price. Ernie DiGregorio added 30 points for Providence.

Marquette turned back Creighton even though sophomore star Maurice Lucas was ejected from the game after only 5½ minutes following a scuffle over a rebound. By that time, though, the Warriors, 23-3, had a 13-4 lead and they were never in trouble as Creighton shot a mere 31 per cent. Larry McNeill's 17 points paced the winners.

Pirates Delayed

East Carolina University's opening baseball game, scheduled for Monday at Duke University, was postponed because of rain. The contest has been rescheduled for Tuesday, March 13, in Durham.

The Pirates were scheduled to open their home slate today at 3 p.m. at Harrington Field against the University of North Carolina.

However, the game was cancelled due to weather conditions. No new date has been set.

They are slated to play single games Wednesday and Thursday in Raleigh against N. C. State, then close out the week Saturday and Sunday against Virginia in Greenville.

The Philadelphia Phillies will end their 1973 home baseball season on Sunday, Sept. 23, with a day game against the Chicago Cubs.

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JIM DILLON —VS— JIM GRABMIRE

Chicago Cubs May Be Ready To Make Bid

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. (AP) — It has been almost four years since the infamous "September Swoon" cost the Chicago Cubs the pennant in 1969. Now it appears they are ready to make another serious bid.

"I'd say we've finally gotten 1969 out of our system," said Ron Santo, the team leader, re-

calling when the Cubs squandered a nine game lead as the New York Mets went on to win the World Series.

A year ago Vice President John Holland bolstered a big weakness by acquiring center-fielder Rick Monday and right fielder Jose Cardenal. Still there was a big gap in the bull-

pen.

This year Holland swapped starting pitcher Bill Hands and reliever Joe Decker to Minnesota for southpaw Dave LaRoche. He also went to the Oakland A's to get right-hander Bobby Locker for young outfielder Bill North.

Presumably, the Cubs are set

to challenge the Pittsburgh Pirates in the National League East but they still have a question mark. It is behind the plate where they hope Randy Hundley continues making his comeback and returns to the iron-man form he exhibited before knee injuries sidelined him for the better part of two seasons.

Hundley worked in 114 games last season and had a woeful .218 average. Far more disturbing was the fact opponents were stealing bases freely because Hundley was unable to brace in making his throws.

Behind Hundley is Ken Rudolph, a converted outfielder. Rudolph, a fine defensive catcher with a good arm, could take the No. 1 job from Hundley. He batted .236 last season.

The infield is strong. Third baseman Santo batted .302 but his home run production fell to 17. Don Kessinger, one of the best shortstops in baseball, had a .274 average and second baseman Glenn Beckert finished the season with a respectable .270.

On the mound the Cubs appear solid with a staff led by Ferguson Jenkins who is seeking a seventh straight 20-victory season.

Behind Jenkins is veteran Milt Pappas who won his last 11 games including a no-hitter against San Diego. Then the Cubs have a couple of youngsters in Burt Hooton, who also hurled a no-hitter last season, and Rick Reuschel who came up in midseason and finished with an impressive 10-8 record and 2.93 earned run average.

Manager Whitey Lockman, who took over the reins from Leo Durocher in the middle of

last season, is convinced the Cubs can win their division.

"To be realistic," said Lockman, "There are 12 teams in baseball, the Cubs can win their division."

"To be realistic," said Lockman, "There are 12 teams in baseball, three in each division who have a real chance."

"I think the Cubs are one of these 12 teams. I can honestly say that we have a chance and our job is to remind the guys on this club of that."

"LaRoche and Locker have beefed up our bullpen. Both are

sinker ball pitchers and you need that in Wrigley Field to prevent home runs.

"Our offense has always been the long ball with not a lot of hit-and-run," continued Locker. "But with Kessinger, Cardenal and Williams on one end of the batting order and Beckert and Monday on the other, I think we've got enough speed to do more hitting and running."

The Cubs' big problem, however, is Pittsburgh. They finished 11 games behind the Pirates last season and that's quite a margin to overcome.

McKeon Traveled Rocky Road To Job In Majors

By HUBERT MIZELL
Associated Press Sports Writer
FORT MYERS, Fla. (AP) — It took 15 zany and colorful—but oft-distressing—seasons in baseball's bush leagues to get John Aloysius McKeon to the majors as a manager.

"No skipper ever traveled a rockier road," claims the tobacco-chewing, gimmick-happy rookie manager of the Kansas City Royals.

"I knew I'd make it. I never gave up."

Jack McKeon was stroking on a blustery cigar. His white patent-leather boots were propped on a motel bed and his thoughts drifted from spring training.

He remembered those summers in Missoula, Fox Cities

and High Point-Thomasville. The miserable bus rides, musty hotels and cramped locker rooms, odious from leftover sweat.

Fifteen seasons...1,994 games.

"They loved me in Missoula," he said, forgetting for a while that he now directs such glittering talent as sluggers John Mayberry and Lou Pinella of the Royals.

McKeon was a light-hitting catcher who began managing at Fayetteville of the Class B Carolina League in 1955. Then, it was on to Missoula for three years.

"I chew tobacco, so do the lumberjacks out in Montana," he said. "My club was the Missoula Timberjacks and I'd do anything to draw people into

the park."

Even at road games, McKeon would erupt. As a player-manager, he baited the rival fans at nearby Great Falls ... and then would entertain them.

"They loved me in Missoula's players would stay over an extra night and put on a skit. Fans paid full price to see the production and the athletes usually pocketed an extra \$100 each."

"Once, I billed myself as Liberator of the Timberjacks," McKeon said. "I went down to Baker Music Center and borrowed a player piano. It was rolled into the stadium on a flatbed truck. I lit two candles and stuck them into beer bottles."

McKeon's talents don't include playing the piano, but he tapped away as the automatic machine erupted with a sparkling rendition of "Lady of Spain."

The fans gave him a standing ovation and chanted "More, more, we want more." McKeon, knowing he only had one roll in the player piano, promised to return later in the show.

"When the second roll was in place, my truck returned and I 'played' another smash hit. The next day a fellow stopped me downtown and said 'Gee, I didn't know you were such a great pianist.'"

McKeon will try almost anything to motivate—or control—his players. With Wilson, N.C. of the Carolina League in 1960 he even "shot" an overzealous base runner.

"We had this Cuban guy, Juan Visture, who would never pay attention when I told him to stop at third base. He jut kept running through my stop sign. I told him I'd stop him if I had to shoot him."

McKeon was walking in downtown Wilson one day and spotted a blank-firing pistol in a store window. He bought it and was armed the next time Visture disobeyed his orders.

"The next game, here comes Juan heading for third. I signal him to stop, but he zings past me. I pull out my revolver and fired, 'Bang, Bang' at him. Visture hit the ground like a combat trooper and yelled, 'Don't shoot anymore. I'll stop.'"

After four straight seasons with Omaha, the Royals' top farm club, McKeon was named last Oct. 3 to replace Bob Lemon as manager at Kansas City. He feels the Royals "will make some noise in our division" in 1973. He won two pennants at Omaha and has consistently been a first-division manager in the minors.

Players Coming To High Terms

By HAL BOCK
Associated Press Sports Writer
Baseball's \$100,000 salary club has two rookie entries today and a veteran member of the elite group appears to be moving closer to agreement.

New York's two teams, the Mets and Yankees, both added expensive autographs Monday with Rusty Staub signing a three-year \$330,000 package with the Mets and Bobby Murcer getting six figures from the Yankees.

Meanwhile, Cincinnati's Pete Rose headed for the Reds' Tampa, Fla. training base, apparently close enough to a contract signing to travel south for the final details.

Staub and Mets general manager Bob Scheffing thrashed out the final details of the outfielder's contract at a morning meeting. The salary had been agreed on for several days but Staub wanted certain other provisions written into the agreement.

"They have helped me to establish my future," said Staub. "They have gone an extra mile and done some things for me."

The dispute that held up agreement reportedly involved deferred payments and even

after the signing, Scheffing and Staub differed on details.

"Equal payments for the next three years," said Scheffing of the \$330,000 pact. "It's more complicated than that," countered Staub, saying the contract averaged \$110,000 per year, starting lower than that figure and finishing higher.

Staub batted .293 for the Mets last season, appearing in only 66 games because of a broken hand. He came to New York in a pre-season 3-for-1 trade with Montreal.

Murcer became the third Yankee in history to reach \$100,000, following two other center fielders, Joe DiMaggio and Mickey Mantle.

Murcer, 28, batted .292 with 33 homers and 96 runs batted in for the Yankees last season. That was 39 points under his 1971 average when he finished second in the American League batting race.

Agreement with Murcer was delayed because of the slugger's insistence at reaching the \$100,000 mark. "I waited to see if Bobby wouldn't agree with me that he's a little young to get \$100,000. But I waited in vain," said MacPhail.

Meanwhile the Reds satisfied outfielder Cesar Geronimo, leaving Rose as their last unsigned player.

Several other players below the income levels of Staub, Murcer and Rose agreed to terms Monday.

Kansas City gave slugger John Mayberry a two-year contract at a reported \$40,000 annually—a handsome boost over the \$14,500 he earned last year.

Mayberry batted .298 with 25 home runs and 100 runs batted in for the Royals last season. His signing left the Royals with four holdouts—pitchers Dick Drago and Tom Burgmeier, second baseman Cookie Rojas and center fielder Amos Otis.

Reliever Joe Hoerner signed with Atlanta, reducing the list of unsigned Braves to six—pitcher Pat Dobson, catchers Johnny Oates and Paul Casanova, infielders Marty Perez and Darrell Evans and outfielder Dusty Baker.

Scores

By The Associated Press
EAST
Providence 103, St. Bonaventure 88
Fairfield 76, Bridgeport 62
Villanova 92, Xavier, Ohio 70

SOUTH
Tennessee 80, Auburn 72
Alabama 92, Mississippi 67

MIDWEST
Iowa St. 90, Missouri 80
Iowa 79, Minnesota 77
Marquette 61, Creighton 49
Oklahoma St. 94, Kansas U. 87, overtime
Illinois 77, Northwestern 76
Oral Roberts 106, Athletics in Action 80

SOUTHWEST
Houston 116, Rice 72
New Mexico St. 88, N. Texas St. 75

FAR WEST
Washington 83, Oregon 75
Washington St. 67, Oregon St. 64

TOURNAMENTS

NAIA District 5
Championship
E. Montana 77, W. Montana 76

NAIA District 6
First Round
S. Carolina St. 76, Charleston Baptist 65
N.C.-Asheville 106, Presbyterian 98

NAIA District 14
First Round
Wis-Green Bay 42, Wis-Eau Claire 28
Whitewater 57, Lakeland 48

NAIA District 20
First Round
Augustana, Ill. 87, Quincy 59
McKendree 92, Aurora 87

SEES ONE HURLER LESS

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Star relief pitcher Sparky Lyle of the New York Yankees feels the designated hitter rule to be used in the American League this year will take one pitcher from every staff in the league. Instead of 10 pitchers teams will carry nine.

Says Lyle: "No longer will you need a long relief man who is also called the middle-inning reliever." Lyle thinks the Detroit Tigers are helped by the rule because "they have such guys as Al Kaline and Gates Brown."

Lyle was in Pittsburgh for the Dapper Dan dinner at which he was honored. At the dinner, the late Roberto Clemente was named to Pittsburgh's Hall of Fame.

Sloan Is Top Coach

RALEIGH (AP) — North Carolina State's Norm Sloan has been chosen ACC coach of the year for leading the Wolfpack to its 25-0 record and national ranking as the No. 2 team in the country.

Sloan received 95 of the 123 votes cast. Dean Smith of North Carolina was second with 22.

The Atlantic Coast Sports Writers Association picked Sloan for the Gerry Gerard Award as coach of the year in 1970 as well.

Sloan has won coach-of-the-year honors in three conferences: Southern, Southeastern and ACC.

Winning records have followed him as a head coach, his career record is 326-207, and his record as head basketball coach at N.C. State is 115-70.

Sloan is a 1951 graduate of N.C. State, where he played basketball and football for the Wolfpack.

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Grace Advances

Grace Free Will Baptist downed St. Paul's to remain in the winners' bracket of the Church Basketball League Tournament, 68-62, last night.

Grace will now meet regular season champ Immanuel on Wednesday. St. Paul's will meet the loser of that game Friday in the losers' bracket.

Grace used the first half to build up a lead that St. Paul's couldn't overcome. By halftime, Grace held a 32-26 lead. St. Paul's tried for a comeback, outhitting Grace, 36-32, but it just fell short.

Lewis Hardee led Grace with 19 points, while D.R. Daniels had 18 and Curtis Sutton had 17. For St. Paul's, Jack Wall had 34, Hal Daniel had 16 and Larry Land had 10.

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The 'Worry Clinic' Many Myopic On Tomorrows

Terry is like many thoughtless teen-agers who fail to look ahead. So he endangers his future "work pedigree" by trying to outsmart the law just for kicks! Wake up, for the "game of life" (like baseball), has a specific rule book, plus umpires!

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

CASE W-544: Terry D., aged 16, should wake up many teen-agers.

"Dr. Crane," a policeman informed me, "Terry comes from a well respected suburban family."

"His father is principal of a large grammar school."

"Yet Terry was caught as he was shoplifting some fishing tackle from a sporting goods store."

"He told us he was just doing it for kicks."

"For he had adequate money in his pocket to pay for the items."

"The owner of the store decided not to make an issue of the case, because of his high regard for Terry's parents in the community."

"So I reminded Terry that henceforth he better play ball with his family, since they had loyally stuck by him for 16 years, and it meant double-crossing them by his illegal behavior."

"Dr. Crane, I wish you'd warn your millions of readers about the folly of breaking laws, especially just for kicks!"

Myopic Youth

Young people (as well as the feeble-minded) are often very myopic regarding the tomorrows!

That means they are short-sighted and don't look ahead to anticipate the future implications of today's behavior.

For example, if you are arrested, this can become a permanent black mark on your future chances for a good job.

Employers usually expect

you to fill out printed forms for obtaining good positions.

And one of the common questions on such questionnaires is:

"Have you ever been arrested? Yes. . . No. . ."

If you answer "Yes," then you are expected to explain.

And if you fail to tell the truth, since employers often use lie detectors, your past may soon be flashed to the prospective employer, anyway!

So it is certainly stupid to violate the rules of the game of life.



For our civilian laws are as precise as those of baseball or other sports.

In this "game of life," smart people try to learn the rules and then abide by them.

This "Worry Clinic" column thus helps you acquire information about dozens of situations in this "game of life," including how to carry on in interesting conversation.

And how to avoid divorce, school dropouts, delinquency, drug addiction, etc.

Many nitwit smart alecks think they can be grandstanders in life, much like spoiled athletes often try to violate the playing rules in baseball or football.

"Think ahead if you wish to get ahead," is an axiom of Business Psychology.

"Plan your work; then work your plan," is another.

The divorce rate also has now approached 50 percent in several large states, chiefly because teen-agers don't think ahead. Instead, they are like a stupid thief who might try to steal an airplane without first learning how to fly it safely.

Smart workers plan ahead and are never without good jobs for long!

So start building up a "work pedigree" that will help pry loose higher salaries in the tomorrows.

Egotists often think it is cure to outsmart the law, but they are merely putting black marks on their future "work pedigree." Send for my "Tests for Employers and Employees," enclosing a long stamped, return envelope, plus 25 cents.

(Always write to Dr. Crane in care of this newspaper, enclosing a long stamped, addressed envelope and 25 cents to cover typing and printing costs when you send for one of his booklets.)

PBS Is Clouded By Uncertainty

By JAY SHARBUTT
AP Television Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — The possibility of Hollywood studios making feature films specifically for public television was under close study last year by the Public Broadcasting Service, PBS officials say.

However, both the idea and the still-unfinished study currently are in limbo and face a doubtful future.

This, the officials say, is because of uncertainty over what role PBS will have in the future of national programming for public television.

Last January, the parent Corporation for Public Broadcasting in effect stripped PBS of programming power it previously enjoyed when the corporation primarily served as an administrative unit that passed on yearly congressional appropriations to PBS.

PBS' Hollywood study, begun nine months ago, stemmed from concern by PBS officials that there soon would be a growing shortage of "product," according to a PBS spokesman. He referred to one-shot feature programs for national public TV, most of them filmed or

taped abroad because of lower costs. Many of these shows were made under co-production agreements with the British Broadcasting Corp.

"What was happening is that we were running into a shortage of product abroad and we wondered if there might be a way of producing this kind of quality show here at minimal cost," he said.

He said several major Hollywood studios — he didn't know which ones — were contacted

during the study to determine if they were willing to produce low-cost feature films for public TV.

What kinds of films were discussed? "I don't think they (PBS officials) ever really got into that," he said, adding that major producers expressed "a considerable amount of interest."

Top public television officials eventually will have to consider Hollywood as a source of films

for national public television, the PBS spokesman contended. "We just do not have sufficient product," he said. "It would be nice to think the (individual) television stations themselves could come up with product."

"But my personal feeling is that it's very doubtful. I don't think they're ever going to have sufficient funds to do it."

Benjamin Franklin was born Jan. 17, 1706.

BIRDS FLOCKING TO LONDON
LONDON (AP) — A gray wagtail, a shy moorland bird, has been seen regularly fluttering through the dense traffic of central London. It is one of several unusual birds attracted to the British capital by cleaner air and river conditions.
"It seems that birds are moving farther up the cleaner River Thames," said the bulletin of the London Natural History Society, which recorded that central London's parks have attracted teal, red-crested pochard, kestrels and rooks.

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BY CHARLES H. GOREN
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NORTH
♠ 9 7
♥ K J 9
♦ A J 10 8 3
♣ K J 10

WEST
♠ K 6 5 4
♥ 6 4 3
♦ 9 5 4
♣ Q 5 2

EAST
♠ 3
♥ 10 8 7 5 2
♦ 7 6
♣ A 9 8 4 3

SOUTH
♠ A Q J 10 8 2
♥ A Q
♦ K Q 2
♣ 7 6

The bidding:
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 2 NT Pass
6 ♠ Pass Pass Pass

Opening lead: Six of ♠
South's jump to six spades over his partner's two no trump response, was strictly a shot in the dark. While he has the values to consider a slam, the two small clubs should alert him to the desirability of making North declarer so that the latter's club holding is protected against a deadly assault at the opening gun.

The suggested rebid by South is either a temporizing call of three spades or else a raise beyond game to four no trump, inviting North to carry on if he has a maximum two no trump response. Had West opened a club against the slam, there would be no story to tell for, after East scores the ace of that suit, West cannot be denied the king of spades for the setting trick. The latter chose to play a waiting game, however, and he led the six of hearts.

When the dummy was spread, South observed that the contract ostensibly hinged on the location of the king of spades. If East held that card where it was finessable, declarer might be

able to take all 13 tricks inasmuch as the dummy had plenty of discards available for his losing clubs.

If the spade finesse lost, then South's only chance was that East had the ace of clubs and West failed to find a club shift. In an effort to draw a red herring across his trail, declarer decided to run the remote risk of an adverse ruff in hearts by cashing three rounds of that suit.

After winning the opening lead with the ace of hearts, he overtook his queen with North's king and continued with the jack on which the deuce of diamonds was discarded from the closed hand. Next the nine of spades was led for a finesse and West won the trick with the king.

West chose to take his opponent's play at face value, and assuming that South held the ace of clubs and was trying to fish for the queen, West exited with a trump. Declarer pulled two more rounds of spades, cashed the king of diamonds and overtook the queen with the ace to discard his two clubs on the jack and ten of diamonds.

It was in West's power to make sure instead of having to guess on the deal. All that he needs to do is duck the first round of spades. When a second spade is led, East will discard the nine of clubs to make it clear where his high card is located. When West gets in with the king of spades, a club shift becomes obvious.

There was no rush in the trump suit, inasmuch as West's honor is well guarded. He might just as well have given his partner an opportunity to speak his piece too—instead of relying solely on declarer's false clue.

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I LOVE THAT ROOSTER.

BLONDIE

OH, DAGWOOD, WAIT! L L YOU HEAR ABOUT JULIE AND BILL

NOW LET ME TELL YOU WHAT I HEARD ABOUT EDDIE AND DELLA

WHERE DID YOU HEAR ALL THIS GOSSIP?

GETTING MY HAIR CURLED AT THE BEAUTY PARLOR TODAY

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BEETLE BAILEY

GO GET 'M, MEN! CHARGE!! UP AND AT 'EM!!

DON'T GIVE UP!! KEEP FIGHTING!! CHAAARGE!!

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THE PHANTOM

SIR, THE RESULTS OF THE BALLISTICS TEST. THE BULLET THAT HIT PATROLMAN STONE CAME FROM THIS GUN.

THANK YOU, SERGEANT.

I WAS AFRAID OF THIS... THE TOP HAD A QUESTION ABOUT HIM WHEN HE FIRST ENLISTED.

NOW, ON HIS FIRST NIGHT OUT... A PATROLMAN IS SHOT WITH HIS GUN.

ORDERLY SEND IN PATROLMAN SPIKE ZOKKO.

YES, SIR.

SIT DOWN, SPIKE.

JULIET JONES

I TOLD JULIO I'D MEET HIM HERE. WHAT TIME IS IT, EARL?

ONE-THIRTY... WHAT TIME DOES HE GO ON?

THE PROGRAM SAID AT THREE... SHOULDN'T HE BE HERE... OR DON'T BULL-FIGHTERS WARM UP?

I WOULD THINK SO...

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I DID SO. HE LEFT FOR THE PLAZA DE TOROS TWO HOURS AGO...

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7:30 To Tell
8:00 Maude
8:30 Hawaii 5-0
9:30 Movie
11:00 News
11:30 Movie
WEDNESDAY
6:30 CBS News
7:00 Carolan
8:25 Meditations
8:30 CBS News
9:00 Kangaroo
10:00 Joke's Wild
10:30 Price Is Right
11:00 Gambit
11:30 Love of Life
12:00 News
12:30 Search

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TUESDAY
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8:00 Movie
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WEDNESDAY
6:00 Agriculture
6:30 Get Smart
7:00 Today
7:25 Down to Earth
7:30 Today
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9:30 Dinah's Place
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11:30 Hollywood Sq
12:00 Jeopardy
12:30 Who, What

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1:00 News
1:30 Movie
WEDNESDAY
6:30 Batman
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8:30 Montage
9:30 Movie
11:30 Bewitched
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11:30 Film

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Honors Earned By Blind Girl

DALLAS (UPI) — A 17-year-old blind student at Pinkston High School was crowned "Miss Pinkston Queen."

Debra Gardner, a senior who was born sightless, is a member of the Student Council, the National Honor Society, French Club, Public Speaking Society, the Pinkston choir and drama club. She was named Student of the Year by the Dallas Optimist Club in 1972, participated in the school's production of "West Side Story" and was a pianist at the Pinkston Pageant.

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Adrift 44 Days In Boat

SUVA, Fiji (AP) — Two fishermen given up for dead came home to a hero's welcome on Tarawa today after drifting in an open boat for 44 days.

Nabuti Tabutoa and Taraia Teketaba left the atoll on a one-day fishing trip, lost their direction in a rainstorm and ran out of gas.

"When the storm cleared and the sun came out with a relentless heat, we found warmth," Nabuti said. "What we had longed for was not as welcome as we thought. The heat peeled off our skins, and we felt as if we were boiled. As a remedy, we took turns at having a dip in the sea while the other looked out for sharks."

They lived on a few coconuts they had with them, turtles they speared with improvised lances and rain water as they floated more more than 1,000 miles.

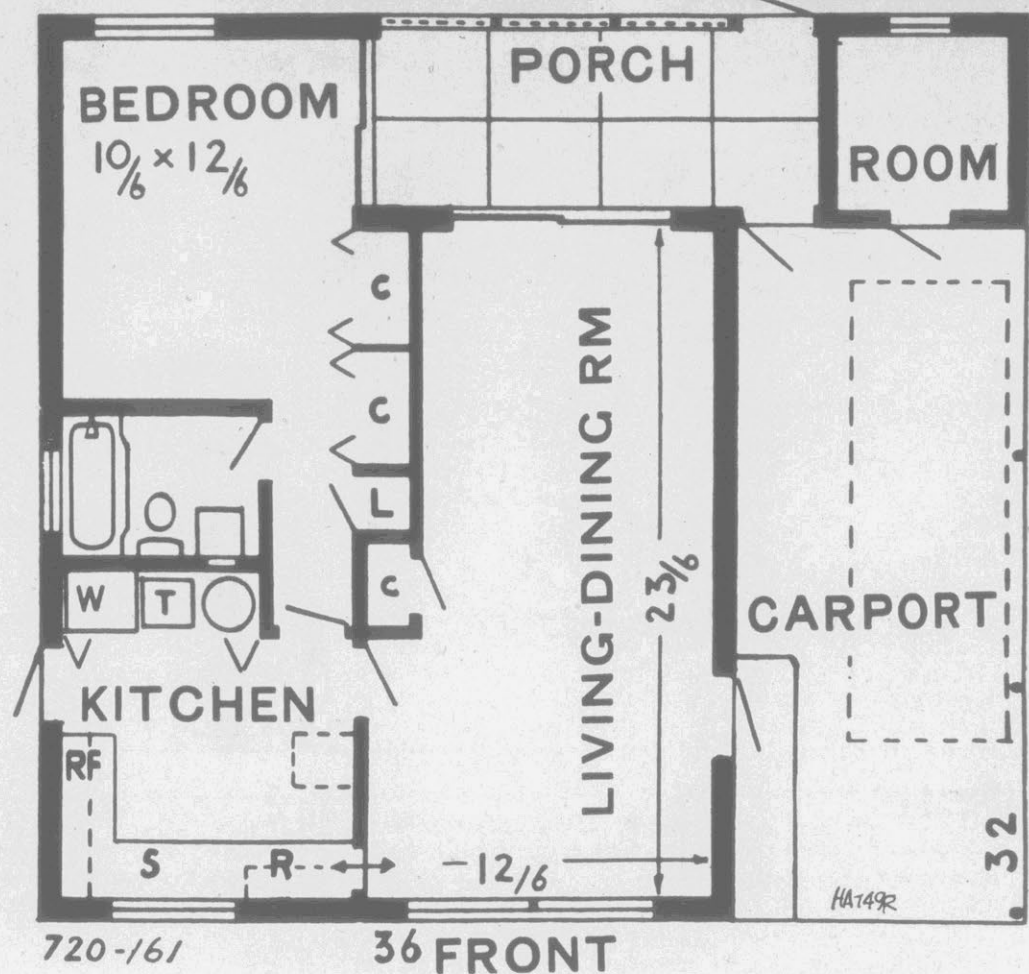
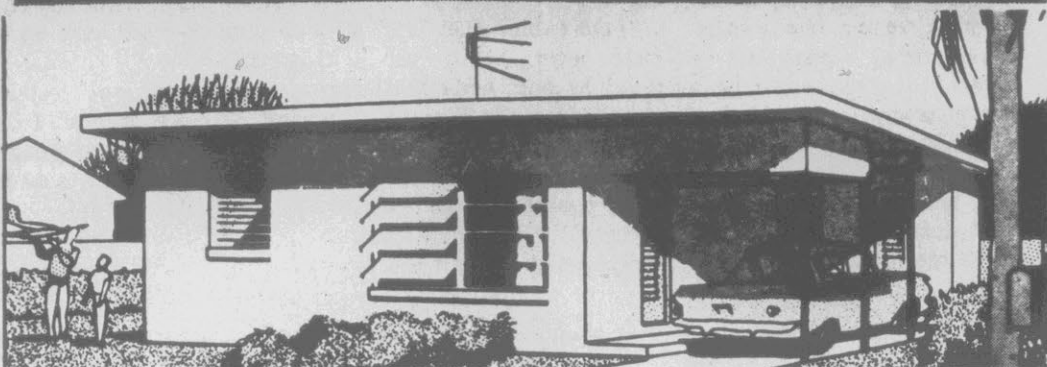
A fishing boat from Taiwan picked them up about three weeks ago near Western Samoa, about 1,000 miles south-east of Tarawa, and returned them to the atoll.

Walked And Won Congress Seat

SALT LAKE CITY (UPI) — Democrat Wayne Owens announced in 1972 he was "walking for Congress." He then set out on a 689-mile walk across his district in Utah, making speeches, shaking hands and drawing publicity before many other candidates had their campaigns in full swing.

In the Nov. 7 election, Owens unseated veteran Republican Rep. Sherman P. Lloyd by more than 25,000 votes.

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Senate Vote On ERA Was Week's Highlight

By SAM D. BUNDY

The big item of interest this week was the debate and vote on the Equal Rights Amendment. The Senate galleries were nearly filled at noon, two-and-a-half hours before the chamber was scheduled to convene. It was the longest time before a session he has ever seen them so nearly full, said veteran Reading Clerk Gene Simmons.

By rough count, about 350 people sat and stood in the galleries, more than 90 per cent of them women wearing red tags that said "Stop ERA" or green ones that said "ERA, Yes." Both groups were closely mingled.

Except for two brief outbursts of applause after major ERA opponents spoke, the galleries cooperated with Lt. Gov. Jim Hunt's repeated appeals for silence. But there was hearty applause when the roll call total was announced defeating the bill.

The women were of all ages. Nearly all were white. A few of the male spectators also wore tags for or against the amendment. Many women fanned themselves, using folded blue Senate calendars.

Twenty senators spoke on the measure, 12 against and eight for. Some of them spoke twice.

It was expected to be close with a possible 26-to-24 vote in favor of the amendment or a possible 25-25 tie vote with Lt. Governor Jim Hunt breaking the tie vote with his vote in favor of ratification.

A last minute switch in the votes of two senators resulted in a 27-23 vote, which defeated the amendment. For all practical purposes, the Equal Rights Amendment cannot be considered by the General Assembly again until 1975 because the 1974 session of the General Assembly will be a

continuation of the present session and under the rules it would take a 2-3 vote or 34 senators to bring it back for consideration. This is highly unlikely, since no move was made on the succeeding day for reconsideration, which would have taken only a majority vote.

I think you would be interested to know the main tax bills that have been introduced. In the last several weeks the number of bills that would alter North Carolina's tax structure has increased dramatically. The presence of a large popular surplus in the state's treasury is likely to continue to make this a popular subject for legislation. The bills take various forms, some repealing specific taxes altogether, some giving credit against one tax for payment of another, some changing rates and expanding exemptions. In addition, lengthy bills have been introduced to revise substantially the property tax and state income tax structures.

Three current taxes would be repealed altogether if certain bills were to be enacted. Both S 70, introduced by Sen. Mullins of Mecklenburg, and H 181 (Rep. High of Cumberland) would repeal the one cent per bottle tax on soft drinks enacted in 1969. It has been estimated that repeal of this tax would result in the loss of just over \$20 million in revenue for each of the next two fiscal years. Approximately the same revenue would be lost from enactment of either S 150 or H 182, identical bills calling for repeal of the two cents per package cigarette tax. The Senate bill was introduced by Sen. V. White of Pitt and House bill by Rep. Everett of Martin. The one other tax for which repeal legislation has been introduced is the business privilege license tax, a tax imposed on the privilege of doing various businesses. Among the great number of businesses that would be affected by the bill, S 154, (Sen. Rhyne of Gaston) are: amusement parks, out-door theatres, attorneys, bondsmen, undertakers, phrenologists, pawn-brokers, contractors, day-care facilities, lightning rod agents, tobacco warehouses, laundries, motorcycle dealers, plumbers, ice cream manufacturers, and junk dealers. The fees range from a few dollars to several hundred and it has been estimated that there would be about a \$3.5 million per year revenue loss as a result of this repeal.

A second category of tax bills are those that would allow credit on one tax for payment of another. Identical S 201 and H 283 (Sen. Staton of Lee and Rep. Bryan of Cumberland) would allow manufacturing businesses and corporations to credit against their income tax payments the amount of property taxes paid on inventories. The extend of the credit would be limited at first, 20 percent for the current year, but would increase over the next five years until a 100 percent credit were allowed in 1977. An identical phasing-in process is provided in S 287 (Sen. Moore of Mecklenburg), a bill that would allow a credit against income tax for the amount of intangible personal property tax paid.

Another form of tax relief is to grant or extend exemptions to certain taxes. Exemptions to the sales tax would be affected by several bills. Under H 377 (Rep. G. Jernigan of Cumberland) the sales tax rate would be reduced from 3 percent to 2 percent on most foods bought for home consumption or through vending machines. No change would be made in the tax on food sold at restaurants or cafeterias. Identical S 304 (Sen. M. Smith of Guilford) and H 387 (Rep. Harris of Alamance) would go one step further and exempt basically the same classes of food from the sales tax altogether, again leaving the tax on restaurant meals. Under all those bills the full sales tax would be retained on beer, soft drinks, candy, popcorn and dietary supplements. It has been estimated that to removed the sales tax on food for home consumption would reduce the state's revenues by \$50 to \$60 million each of the next two years.

Income tax exemptions are also being considered. Both H 153 (Rep. DeBruhl of Buncombe) and S 280 (Sen. Blanchard of Sampson) would raise from \$1,250 to \$3,000 the amount of military retirement benefits allowed to be exempted from gross income. The sponsors state that the increased exemption would cost the state about \$1.2 million in revenue each year. H 464 (Rep. Lilley of Lenoir) sets a \$3,000 exemption generally for retirement income. Of more general interest,

though, would be H 255 (Rep. Tart of Sampson) which would raise the exemption allowed for dependants from \$600 to \$750, the federal level. For those parents with a severely retarded child, S 254 (Sen. Rhyne) would provide an additional \$2,000 exemption. S 347 (Sen. Garrison of Stanly) would exempt pay received by POWs and MIAs.

The most fundamental alteration of the income tax is that set out in identical S 240 (Sen. M. Smith) and H 303 (Rep. Davis of Forsyth). Basically this legislation would have North Carolina taxable income determined in the same manner as that of the federal income tax. The income tax rates would generally remain what they are now but would be applied against a taxable income determined under federal rules. The introducers say that the change would result in an \$8 to \$10 million loss in revenues over the next two years. They argue that the changeover would make the tax-paying and collecting process easier for taxpayers, the revenue department, tax researchers, accountants and auditors.

Sen. Smith has had other suggestions as well for what to do with the income tax. S 305 (identical with H 388 by Rep. Harris) would progressively increase the rates being paid by those with incomes over \$14,000. These bills were introduced as companion bills with those exempting food from the sales tax (S 304 and H 387, discussed above), the stated purpose being to use the increased income tax to make up the lost revenues from exempting food from the sales tax.

Several bills would add certain categories of property to those already exempted from the property tax. They will be discussed later in connection with the package of bills proposed by the property tax study commission.

One final exemption bill that deserves mention is H 13 (Rep. Farmer of Wake), which relates to a much discussed matter of this session, equal rights between men and women. The bill, which has already passed the House, would extend to widowers the same \$10,000 inheritance tax exemption now allowed widows. Just this week a final bill was introduced to repeal the sales and use tax upon food purchased for home consumption, to eliminate the \$120.00 sales and use tax limitation applied to purchase of motor vehicles, airplanes, boats, railway cars and locomotives and to increase the cigarette tax from two to five cents per package and to raise the surtaxes upon beer, fortified and unfortified wines, and spirituous liquors. From all of the above it would appear that the Finance Committees have their work cut out for them.

On Thursday night the members of the General Assembly were invited to a banquet of the North Carolina Judicial Conference and it was my pleasure to sit with Judge and Mrs. Robert Rouse of Farmville.

Suspect Meteor Was The Source

WASHINGTON (AP) — A meteor slamming into the moon billions of years ago is the likely source of intriguing orange soil found by the Apollo 17 astronauts.

As the astronauts gathered the dust from the moon, there was speculation that they had found evidence of relatively recent volcanic activity.

Not so, say U.S. Geological Survey scientists of the tiny glass beads which make up the soil sample picked up by Astronaut Harrison "Jack" Schmitt.

A more likely explanation, said Edwin Roedder, of the Survey, is a meteor 3.71 billion years old which melted itself and the lunar surface when they collided.

Offer Teacher Free Lessons

NEW YORK (UPI) — Free lesson plans to science teachers across the country who want to give their students a better understanding of ecology are being provided by the Dow Chemical Company.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE North Carolina

Having qualified as Co-Administrators of the estate of A. C. Phillips of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said A. C. Phillips to present them to the undersigned within 6 months from date of the publication of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate please make immediate payment.

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-s. Marion E. Loftin
Turner and Harrison
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Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1973

NOTICE OF SALE IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION

North Carolina
Pitt County
In the matter of Velma Lynch Harrison and husband, Elisha Harrison, Leola Lynch Walton and husband, Earvin Walton, Amanda Lynch Crosswith and husband, Norris Crosswith, Edreal Lynch Kornegay (unmarried) and Eva Doris Lynch Spruill and husband, Clayton Spruill
Ex Parte

Under and by virtue of an Order of Sale made and entered in the above entitled proceedings by H. L. Lewis, Clerk Superior Court of Pitt County on the 15 day of February, 1973, the undersigned Commissioner will, on Tuesday, March 20, 1973, at 12 o'clock noon at the Courthouse door of Pitt County, Greenville, N. C., offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the land hereinafter described:

Lying and being in Bethel Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, on the east side of U. S. Highway No. 13, beginning at an iron pipe which lies in the edge of the right-of-way of said highway, said iron pipe being the southwestern corner of Tract 4A, said iron pipe also lying North 21 degrees 15 minutes East 1533.5 feet from the center line of S. R. No. 1572 as shown on plat hereinafter referred to, thence along the line of Tract 4A South 72 degrees 30 minutes East 1137 feet to an iron pipe, thence North 21 degrees 15 minutes East 100 feet to an iron pipe, thence South 72 degrees 30 minutes East 447 feet to an iron pipe, thence North 21 degrees 15 minutes West 660 feet to an iron pipe which lies in the line of H. L. Briley line, thence along the line of H. L. Briley line South 72 degrees 30 minutes East 505 feet to an old iron axle, South 41 degrees 30 minutes East 1083 feet to an old iron axle, thence along the line of the Hsbert Brown land South 88 degrees West 1232 feet, thence along the line of K. E. Manning and also along the center of a canal North 82 degrees 30 minutes West 358.83 feet, North 80 degrees 45 minutes West 216.58 feet, North 84 degrees 15 minutes West 153.08 feet, North 83 degrees 30 minutes West 462.75 feet, South 56 degrees 45 minutes West 168 feet, South 52 degrees West 209.5 feet South 72 degrees 15 minutes West 61.75 feet, South 82 degrees 45 minutes West 115.67 feet, North 87 degrees 45 minutes West 159 feet, South 87 degrees 15 minutes West 195.5 feet, North 87 degrees West 149.5 feet, to an iron pipe which lies in the edge of the right-of-way of said highway, thence along the edge of the right-of-way of said highway North 21 degrees 15 minutes East 910 feet to an iron pipe, the point of beginning, and being Tract 5, containing 22.62 acres of cleared land and 20.33 acres of woodland, as shown on that plat showing the Lucinda Lynch "Land Div", copy of said plat being recorded in the Public Registry of Pitt County, North Carolina. Saving and excepting four 1/2 acre lots on the E. side of Tracts 1, 2, 3 and 4A as will appear on the "Revised Plat" of Lucinda Lynch Land Div. The above described property will be sold subject to 1973 ad Valorem taxes.

The successful bidder will be required to make a deposit of ten (10) percent of his bid.
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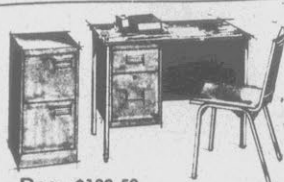
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GENERAL TENDENCIES: Try to use more patience in putting a new plan into operation, otherwise your actions could indicate an impatience that annoys allies. Obtaining facts and figures are necessary if you are to make a success of your project.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Your ideas are fine but you have to use your energies wisely if they are to become successful in your life. Anything of importance should be thought out in advance before proceeding.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Confide only in trusted advisers concerning secret aims you have. Forget fun until you have problems well handled. Make this a day of great accomplishment. Take it easy tonight.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) You are not feeling up to par and may want to ignore good friends, which is a wrong thing to do at this time. Group affairs are fine but do little talking for best results.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Handle vocational matters in a most efficient way. Don't irritate a higher-up. Make sure you pay an important bill you've been putting off. Don't take chances with your credit.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) You think you have some fine ideas but it's best you study them further before you put them in operation. Take no risks with money. A plan of a newcomer is not for you, so turn it down.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Further analysis of your obligations makes it possible for you to discharge them with efficiency. Find a better way of pleasing mate. Avoid arguments and add to present harmony.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) If you don't impose on associates, you can come to a far better understanding, and be more cooperative than in the past. One who opposes you is in an irate mood, so avoid this person.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Plan your time wisely so that you can handle those important duties ahead with efficiency. Use a new method to improve your health. Do something of a philanthropic nature tonight.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Taking time off for fun is fine, but don't be extravagant in any way. Plan to use your talents more so that you get better results. Think along constructive lines. Relax tonight.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Don't cause friction at home by bringing up old arguments. Strive for more harmony instead. Try to eliminate the cause of any trouble and gain the respect of all. Keep calm.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) This is not the right day to do whatever you feel will be helpful to associates so wait for a better time. Don't take any chances in travel or in dealing with those in trouble.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Instead of getting deeper in debt, be sure to pay whatever bills you have. Obtain the advice of experts for your problematical affairs. A small investment could be successful.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY... he or she will be one of those young people who will want to jump into almost anything without proper preparedness. Teach to plan and to be patient, although it may be a difficult lesson to learn. Give as fine an education as you can afford. Also, teach the importance of the value of the dollar. Spiritual training is a must. Fame is possible here.

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By HUGH A. MULLIGAN
AP Special Correspondent
SAIGON (AP) — The greatest military machine ever seen in Southeast Asia is rapidly being pulled apart, without finale or fanfare.

The closing notices have been up all over South Vietnam since the Jan. 28 cease-fire opened the last phase of American involvement in the Vietnam war.

With only 23 days left for the U.S. military pullout under terms of the agreement signed in Paris, U.S. troop strength by midnight Monday had dipped to 10,000 men, leaving the 1st Aviation Brigade, a helicopter outfit, and the 716th Military Police Battalion the biggest units in country. Each has about 350 men.

Reversing the trend of a decade, ships are heading down the winding Saigon River to the sea low in the water, carrying home to U.S. ports thousands of tons of trucks, guns, helicopters

and planes.

Sources close to the logistical command report that, with a little over three weeks remaining to pullout date, cargo planes and freighters have removed 61 per cent of the home-going 130,000 tons of U.S. military hardware and 75 per cent of the estimated 100,000 tons of ordnance being sent to Korea for the South Korean army.

Two DC8 passenger planes, shuttling between Cam Ranh Bay and Seoul, had managed to return some 22,000 of the 35,369 Korean troops stationed along the northeastern coast when the cease-fire was signed. Another 906 sailed home on a U.S. troopship.

The logistical teams assigned to folding up Uncle Sam's military big top regarded the 60-day pullout operation "as only a drop in the bucket" compared with shipping home more than 2½ million tons of tanks, trucks, planes and guns since

President Nixon began winding down the U.S. involvement in 1969.

"What's going out now represents only three per cent of the cargo that has been shipped back so far," said a high-ranking source.

Besides the tonnage going home, known in military language as "retrograde cargo," the United States has turned over to the South Vietnamese all its remaining ammunition and millions of dollars worth of planes, helicopters and other weapons, including long-range 175mm howitzers and many M48 tanks.

The biggest and most expensive items being shipped home are 21 Delong floating docks, valued at more than \$55

million, that stood on stilts in the waters off Cam Ranh Bay, Vung Tau and Qui Nhon to receive U.S. cargo ships bringing over the objects of war.

After more than six years in the waters off Vietnam, the barges are raising their barnacle-encrusted legs for a \$3.5-million trip to New Orleans. Several already have been lifted from the waters off Vung Tau, where the Saigon River meets the China Sea, and floated to Singapore for loading onto barges for the final journey home.

Military sources say their future use is classified.

Another expensive entry on Uncle Sam's homegoing manifest sheet is half a dozen electrical transformers, each valued in about \$250,000. "These are very important to our combat reserve," said a military

spokesman.

Cargo pushers at Da Nang, on the northeast coast, and at Newport, Saigon's deep-water port built by the Americans, are busy swinging aboard freighters several hundred Chinook helicopters, hundreds of jeeps, 2½-and 5-ton trucks and a long catalog of military oddments ranging from mobile snack bars and pup tents to portable latrines and cartons of unused officers' clipboards, without which no modern army conceivably could move.

In addition to what is being left for the South Vietnamese army, auctioneers at the military property disposal office are knocking down more than 100,000 tons of junk, ranging from still usable bulldozers and generators to mountains of battered tanks and jeeps and wornout tires, rising in rusty

heaps over the empty wastes of

what was once the huge Long Binh 1st Logistical Command.

More than \$50 million in sales of "serviceable" scrap, as it is officially termed, have been flogged to junk dealers, with Singapore bringing the best prices.

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Reagan Says 'Too Early'

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — Gov. Ronald Reagan says it is too early to speculate about whether he will run for president in 1976.

And actor Gregory Peck says he is amused by a report that he might try to succeed Reagan as governor of California.

Reagan, a Republican, dismissed as "pure speculation" on Monday a Washington Post report that he will launch a speaking drive that he hopes will lead to the GOP presidential nomination in 1976.

Reagan has said he will not seek a third term as governor.

The 62-year-old governor declined direct comment when asked if he would try to stop any preliminary presidential effort if it were waged by friends on his behalf.

Peck's name popped back into the California political picture when a syndicated columnist said a group of Democrats would try to persuade him to run for governor.

"No, I'm not interested in running for public office and never have been," Peck, 56, told newsmen in Los Angeles. "Such reports have always been a joke to me."

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1. Original sin
5. Chasm
8. Snoop
11. Latite
12. Salutation
13. Be sorry
14. Forelashes
17. Cat-o'-nine-tails
18. Male party
19. Riffraff
21. Bitter
24. Maxim
27. Pacifier
29. "Kiss Me, ..."
30. Pastry
32. Chatter
34. Haystack
35. Permit
37. Carved
39. Indian pole
41. Eyelashes
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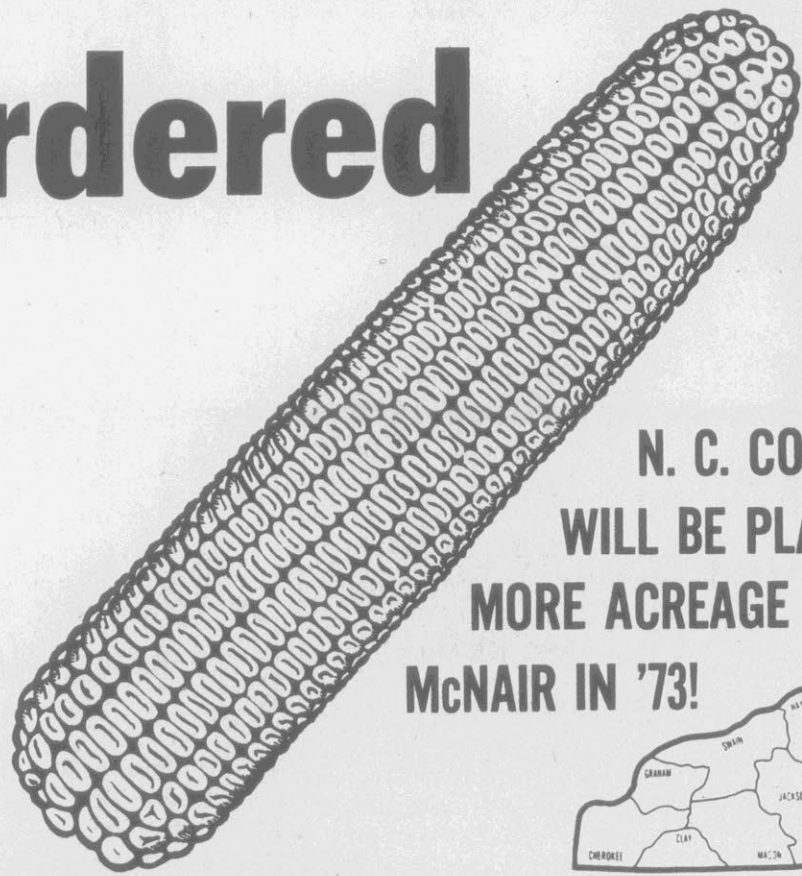
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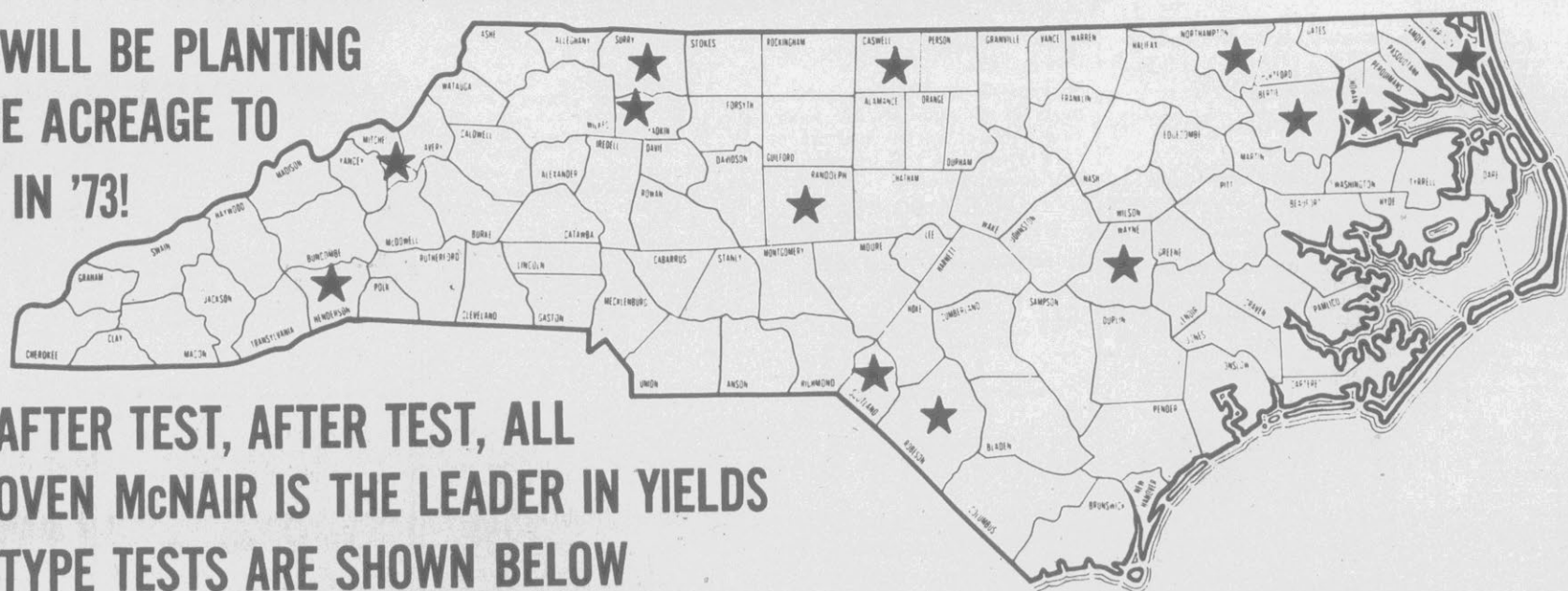
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 2. Scoot
 3. Assert
 4. Lady of the house
 5. Moccasin
 6. Carrier's partner
 7. Outer coat of a seed
 8. Playbill
 9. Robot play
 10. Indeed
 15. Epic poem
 16. Ravage
 20. Spongy ground
 22. Japanese statesman
 23. Light moisture
 24. Spring
 25. Afflict
 26. Sign on a doormat
 28. Peace
 31. After awhile
 33. German composer
 36. Arts
 38. Tenth part
 40. Bean
 42. Ananias
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