

News Briefs

Prime Rate Lowered

NEW YORK (AP) — Chase Manhattan Bank, the nation's third largest commercial bank, today announced it was lowering its prime rate by 1/4 percentage point to 9 3/4 per cent.

The prime rate is the base lending rate banks charge their largest corporate customers. While not directly tied to consumer or small-business loans, the prime generally is regarded as an indicator of over-all interest rate trends.

The move by Chase followed by a few days similar action by First National Bank of Boston, the nation's 18th largest commercial bank.

New York's First National City Bank last month increased its prime to 10 per cent, and many banks throughout the country followed. However, some maintained rates slightly under 10 per cent.

The prime began 1973 at 6 per cent, steadily moving up to 10 per cent, an all-time high, in September. It has held at or close to that level since then.

Money experts attributed the soaring prime to unprecedented demand for loans for expansion by large corporations.

Another important factor, said the experts, was attempts by the Federal Reserve Board to stem the unprecedented loan demand and corporate expansion by tightening the money supply.

Thailand Withdrawal

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — Sources said today the United States has been quietly withdrawing nearly 4,000 more troops from Thailand, reducing its force in the country to about 35,000 men by the end of the week.

The report was confirmed by Gen. Kriengsak Chamanand, deputy chairman of the joint chiefs of staff, who said the Thai defense ministry probably would make an announcement Friday.

The sources also said the Americans were shipping home about 25 EB66 electronic warfare jets from the Korat Air Base 165 miles northeast of Bangkok. The plane was used in Vietnam for electronic surveillance and jamming enemy radars.

The United States had almost 44,000 troops — most of them Air Force personnel — in Thailand when the U.S. Congress ended American bombing in Cambodia in August.

Highway Pileup's Toll

ELLENSBURG, Wash. (AP) — Fourteen persons have been injured in a pile-up of some 40 cars in wind-whipped snow on Interstate 90.

The highway was closed for more than six hours after the incident occurred Wednesday 100 miles southeast of Seattle, and traffic was confined to one lane in each direction on the main route between western and eastern Washington today.

The State Patrol said motorists quickly found themselves in the midst of extremely high wind and swirling snow as they topped the crest of a 2,500-foot plateau.

"Suddenly there was zero visibility. I slowed down and stopped, got out, and was almost immediately hit by another car," recalled motorist Norm Seilstad of Federal Way, Wash.

Another motorist, Joe Egan of Maltby, Wash., said: "Everything was okay until we came over the crest of the hill and then we couldn't see anything until we were right in the middle of the accident."

Dollar's Value Rises

LONDON (AP) — The United States dollar climbed to a record high against the British pound today and rose sharply against other European currencies for the second straight day.

Gold rose \$3.50 to \$121 an ounce, its highest price in five months. But this was below its record high of \$130 an ounce last June 5.

Dealers attributed the continuing increase in the price of gold to a widespread belief that the Arab oil nations might demand payment for their oil exports in gold rather than foreign currencies.

They said the dollar's strength was based on indications that the United States, because of its sizable domestic production of oil, would suffer least among the major nations from the recent sharp increases in oil prices.

Hypertension In N.C.

RALEIGH (AP) — A physician consultant for the state Division of Health Services says at least 500,000 adult North Carolinians have hypertension or high blood pressure.

Close to 100,000 North Carolinians were screened for high blood pressure in county health department clinics in 1973, according to Ray Beckler, program manager for the Chronic Disease Branch of the state Department of Human Resources.

Beckler hopes to up that total considerably in 1974 by persuading the local units to screen every adult who comes to a clinic.

against artery walls as blood flows. Hypertension is a constantly elevated blood pressure.

Automakers Report Record Production In '73

DETROIT (AP) — With automakers reporting a sharp drop in sales of 1974 models, the auto industry is looking back fondly on record production totals for 1973.

Led by American Motors, each automaker on Wednesday reported percentage gains over 1972 North American production totals. In 1973, 13,817,159 units rolled off the assembly lines, an increase of about 12 per cent over 1972's record of 12,358,631.

American Motors scored a 28 per cent increase in its car and Jeep production, which totaled 448,642, up from 350,336 in 1972.

Industry leader General Motors, which built more

Terrorist Group?

By PETER MUCCINI
Associated Press Writer

LONDON (AP) — An 18-year-old American girl and two men arrested here for arms smuggling belonged to an extremist student group headquartered at Santa Barbara, Calif., security sources said today.

The girl, who was arrested at a London airport Saturday when customs officials found guns and ammunition in her luggage, was identified by the U.S. Embassy as Allison Thompson of Santa Barbara.

The others were identified by sources as Atler Naseen, 21, of Pakistan, and Abelkhir Hakaoui, 25, of Morocco, both previously involved in student politics in Santa Barbara.

The sources said Hakaoui was leader of the group which apparently planned to attack Moroccan diplomats or property after gathering

in London. There was no apparent link with known Arab guerrilla groups, the sources said.

Scotland Yard has imposed a security blackout on the case, declining even to officially identify the three pending a decision on whether they will stand trial or be deported.

But the sources said the FBI is seeking two other students in the United States, who canceled a trip to London after the arrests here.

A decision on whether the three will stand trial in Britain or be deported to the United States will probably be determined on political grounds.

For fear of reprisals, Britain has sometimes shied away from putting suspected guerrillas on trial.

The group was discovered amid a national security alert for Arab terrorists who were believed planning a concerted attack against targets in Britain.

Susie Sharp Files For Chief Justice

RALEIGH (AP) — While the other six members of the North Carolina Supreme Court looked on, Associate Justice Susie Sharp filed today as a Democratic candidate for chief justice.

It marked the first time a woman has ever filed for chief justice of the Supreme Court in North Carolina.

The filing fee is \$390 or 1 per cent of the \$39,000 salary.

Miss Sharp, 66, a native of Rocky Mount, has been on the high court nearly 12 years.

The present chief justice, William H. Bobbitt, 73, is retiring at the end of his term this year.

A constitutional amendment approved in 1972 provides for mandatory retirement of members of the court at the age of 72 or the expiration of their term after that age.

If elected, Justice Sharp could serve one eight-year term before retiring.

In a prepared statement, Justice Sharp said Chief Justice Bobbitt and other members of the court "have encouraged me to take this step. They wanted to be with me on this momentous occasion, and I am greatly honored by their presence here this morning."

City Council Begins A New Year Tonight

The City Council begins the new year tonight with a 17-item business agenda scheduled for consideration at the 8 p.m. session at city hall.

The Council will name a replacement to fill the unexpired term of the late I. A. Artis on the Planning and Zoning Commission and a replacement for John Howard will be appointed on the Airport Authority since he is now a member of the City Council. A new member will be named to the Board of Adjudgments to fill the unexpired term of H. Lloyd Mills who resigned.

Public hearings will be held on requests by Louis Clark for rezoning property located adjacent to the new Pitt Memorial Hospital site from RA-20 to Medical Arts, Office and Institutional, and Shopping Center, and on a request for rezoning of the James Evans Heirs property west of N. C. 43 from RA-20 to Shopping Center.

Other items under old business include: a report on the city sign ordinance and enforcement program; a report and recommendations on fire limits; and consideration of an application for a mobile home permit.

Under new business, the Council will hear a request for rezoning Hudson Brother's

Radio and T.V. Inc. property; consider approval of a Law Enforcement Assistance Administration Grant for continued operation of the West Greenville Recreation Center and Police Club for 1974; a report on the State Sedimentation Pollution Control Act of 1973; a report by the Fire Department recommending removal of residential fire boxes; a report on Police Professional Liability Insurance;

Amendments to the Building and Plumbing Code; consider approval and authorization to submit to the Department of Housing and Urban Development the city's application for recertification of the Workable Program for Community Improvement; consider approval of tennis court construction bids for the new Jaycee Park; consider bids for purchase of a tractor for the Public Works Department; consider bids for purchase of ten automobiles, two station wagons, and five trucks; and discussion of proposed Bicentennial plans.

Patrolmen Promoted

RALEIGH (AP) — At a ceremony in Raleigh Wednesday, 34 members of the State Highway Patrol were promoted. Most of the promotions resulted from the creation of a new Patrol Troop H with headquarters at Monroe.

Patrol Commander Lt. Col. E.W. Jones announced that Capt. H.B. McKee will command the new troop. In addition, Capt. L.J. Lance was shifted from command of Troop C to director of Zone I which embraces the eastern half of the state and Maj. J.D. Cabe is director of Zone II in the west.

Jones told the troopers the promotions were the first made under the patrol's new personnel evaluation system. He asserted that "for the first time we have a fair and impartial promotion system based on the individual's ability as a member of the patrol."

Roundup Twenty IRA Suspects

DUBLIN, Ireland (AP) — Irish police today rounded up at least 20 suspected members of the outlawed Irish Republican Army.

The men were arrested in the border towns of Donegal, Monaghan and Louth and were charged with offenses against the state under a law reactivated by Prime Minister Liam Cosgrave of the Irish Republic.

Cosgrave promised at talks last month with Northern Ireland and Britain to reactivate the law under which the Irish government can try persons arrested in the republic for murders committed in Ulster.

Nixon To Sign Benefits Hike

SAN CLEMENTE (AP) — Despite some misgivings President Nixon is ready to sign into law an 11 per cent increase in Social Security benefits.

Although Nixon was known to feel that the timing of the hikes would have an adverse effect on the federal budget, aides indicated he would sign the measure today and issue a statement citing some of his objections. Nixon had to act on the bill by midnight or it would die by pocket veto.

The bill would increase the average monthly payment for a retired individual from \$161 to \$181 and for a couple from \$276

to \$310.

The President signed a number of major bills Wednesday including a \$73.7 billion defense appropriations act. This was \$2.9 billion less than the administration had requested. The bulk of the reduction — \$2.1 billion — was in procurement funds appropriated at \$18.4 billion.

Nixon also signed a bill increasing by \$75 million the total amount of loans and guarantees that the Small Business Administration can make before June 30. The same measure retroactively re-opens the Agriculture Department's easy-term loan program for rural residences damaged in disasters that occurred between Dec. 26, 1972 and April 20, 1973.

Finally, Nixon signed legislation to encourage state adoption of maximum state speed limits of 55 miles per hour and to reorganize seven bankrupt Northeastern railroads with the help of \$500 million in federal subsidies and \$1.5 billion in loan guarantees.

The Social Security legislation also raises the wage base — the amount of annual earnings subject to tax — from \$10,800 of 1973 to \$13,200 in 1974. Under previous law, it was scheduled to be \$12,600 in 1974.

The maximum tax paid each by the worker and employer in 1973, \$631.80, will be \$72.20 in 1974.

The 5.85 per cent rate paid by the worker and employer in 1973 will not be changed in 1974.

The first benefit boost will be 7 per cent, set for the March check due April 3, with the other 4 per cent coming in the June check payable July 3. Some 30 million Americans now receive Social Security payments.

The Social Security Administration said it might not be able to pay the 7 per cent hike in the March check since it requires about four months to switch its computers.

In that event, the increase probably would first be reflected in the April check due May 3, with a retroactive payment for March.

The minimum payment for an individual will be raised from \$84.50 to \$93.80. The maximum will go up from \$274 to \$304 for an individual, from \$411 to \$456 for a couple.

Nixon Audit By IRS

By R. GREGORY NOKES
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Internal Revenue Service says it will conduct a new audit of President Nixon's recent income tax returns to determine whether he owes more taxes.

IRS sources said the audit would include the President's tax returns for 1970, when he paid \$793 in taxes and 1971, when he paid \$878, but could extend to other years as well.

The audit of the President's 1970 and 1971 returns will be the second by the IRS, a spokesman said, but he declined to comment on whether any new information had become available to cause the new probe. He said nothing was found amiss in the earlier audit.

Kuwait 'Take'

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Kuwait has reached agreement with two major Western oil companies for a 60 per cent government takeover of their operations, a Kuwaiti official said today.

The Persian Gulf state's defense and interior minister, Sheikh Saad el Abdullah, said in an interview with the Beirut newspaper An Nahar that the agreement affects the Gulf Oil Corp. of Pittsburgh and British Petroleum. He said it will soon be introduced into parliament and will leave the door open for total nationalization within five years.

Gulf and BP jointly own the Kuwait Oil Co., which produces more than 90 per cent of Kuwait's crude oil.

The Kuwait parliament, which last year rejected an agreement that would have given Kuwait an initial 25 per cent ownership expanding to 51 per cent by 1982, has recently been pressing for total nationalization of foreign oil interests.

10 Gal. Limit

WASHINGTON (AP) — Energy chief William E. Simon said today that oil companies and independent distributors have agreed to set a limit of 10 gallons of gasoline per customer at service stations.

Simon also predicted that gasoline prices will increase over the next month or two, to levels about 8 to 11 cents higher than in early December.

Simon told a news conference his price estimates, increased from his estimate of about seven cents last week, took account of a new set of gasoline price hikes to be authorized Feb. 1.

Simon said the new increases would come as a variable formula designed to give service station owners partial compensation for the reduced amounts of gasoline they can sell, as gasoline production is cut under federal regulations.

She'll Emulate President And Give Her Home

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP) — Mrs. Winston P. Evans says she'll emulate President Nixon by giving her home to the government.

The President said recently he would donate his \$1.5 million San Clemente estate to the American people on the death of himself and his wife, Pat. Under current tax law, he could claim a writeoff for such a gift.

Mrs. Evans said she plans to do the same with her \$12,000, two-story frame house.

"If he can do it and get a tax writeoff, why can't the average taxpayer?" she asked.

Believe 50 Died In Ferry Mishap

DACCA, Bangladesh (AP) — At least 50 persons are believed to have drowned when a ferry capsized and sank in the Meghna river about 40 miles from here.

The ferry was reported carrying more than 200 passengers.

Mrs. Gordon To Head Boys Club

For the first time since its founding, the Boys' Club of Pitt County has a woman as president of the Board of Directors.

Mrs. Estil Gordon, an active member of the board, was elected effective January 1. She succeeds Austin Britt. Other presidents since the club's founding have been R. W. D. Whalley, Farmville; David B. Smith, Ayden; and Jack Wynne III, Bethel.

Ten current directors were named to continue serving on the board: Gene P. Baker, David Barnhill, Hugh Blazemore, Douglass Ross, William Sneed, Jerry Raynor, Ray Scharf, Thomas Howard, James Brewington, and Warren Whitehurst.

Named to the eight member advisory board were: Dr. Warren (Henry) Aldridge, Howard Hodges, R. W. Howard, Johnny May, W. M. Scales, W. B. Glenn, Dr. Andrew Best, and Henry Morris.

"I'm hoping to get lots of advanced planning done right away," Mrs. Gordon said. "There's a number of projects suggested that I plan to have coordinated soon, things that will mean a lot to the continuing progress of the Boys' Club work."



MRS. ESTIL GORDON

Iowa Expert Predicts More Women Engineers

By ART HOUGH
Cedar Rapids Gazette Writer
IOWA CITY, Iowa (AP) — More and more women are forgetting about dolls and taking up mechanics, engineering and other vocations that were once the male domain.

So says Lane Mackaw, director of student affairs in the University of Iowa college of engineering, pointing out that 20 of 400 students in engineering here this year are women.

While 20 is only five per cent of 400, he says this is a healthy increase from the one per cent in the 1973 graduating class.

"The college of engineering has never been closed to women, and we are attempting to talk to people who will listen."

"Women are sought after more than men — because no business or industry wants to be accused of being discriminatory. Students in engineering school now will graduate to a buyer's market. In 1976 there will be 48,000 engineering jobs and 30,000 graduates," Mackaw said.

He adds that even ahead of graduation, some students are getting fantastic job offers. He said that some are able to pick their job from five or six offers.

"There is a slight advantage to women," he said. "The white, male American is at a disadvantage."

Mackaw says women in engineering are on the average superior students "because they are bucking the trend and are sure of success" in their own minds before they try engineering.

Helen Flynn, 20, of Cedar Rapids is a third year student in electrical engineering. She says she's not a feminist, but she believes in equal pay for equal work.

Miss Flynn is interested in bio-medical engineering and instrumentation in hospitals. She admits that she may have been at a "sort of disadvantage to males who have worked or been in the Army," when she was a freshman engineer, but added that "it may not be better to get practical knowledge first and then have to study the theory later."

"Hard, but interesting," she calls her studies. She says there are "no problems with male chauvinists, except for some kidding in class."

Jane McNally, 22, is a senior in electrical engineering. She says the entry of women in her field is partly due to good recruiting.

"I'm a people liberator, not a women's liberator. Each person should do what he or she is qualified for and have equal salaries for equal work," she said.

Maggie Mitchell, 20, of Burlington, Iowa, is studying industrial engineering because "it deals with people and more with management." She expects to work in an industrial plant office when she graduates.

Bonnie Schneider, 20, of Iowa City, is in her third year in civil engineering. Last summer she and Maggie Mitchell worked as employees of a county secondary road commission, surveying and inspecting concrete bridges and culverts.

"We did our share of the work," she says. "There are a few advantages and a few disadvantages. It all evens out. We were treated as equals."

Asked why she chose engineering as a career, Miss Schneider said, "I liked math and didn't want to be a teacher."

Ann Norgaard, 19, is a sophomore in civil engineering. She is the daughter of a Highland,

Ind., mechanical engineer who is an Iowa grad.

"I find engineering nice, but hard," she said. She hopes to work in a plant this summer doing "whatever comes up."

Deb Hetzler, 19, of Iowa City, is a second year civil engineering student. She is doubtful about any advantage women might have over men in getting engineering jobs. "Are they looking for you as an engineer or as a woman?" she asked.

Cooking Is Fun!

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Lress Food Editor
WEEKDAY DINNER
Meat Patties Relish
Tomato Salad BreadTray
Cookies Beverage

NOODLES WITH PEAS
Pleasant combination.
8-ounce package broad
noodles

10-ounce package frozen
green peas in butter sauce
1/4 cup grated Parmesan
cheese

Cook both noodles and peas
according to their package di-
rections. Drain noodles; toss
with peas; sprinkle with
cheese. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

SUNDAY SUPPER
Iranian Eggplant Casserole
Snap Beans Salad
Honey Cake Beverage

IRANIAN EGGPLANT
CASSEROLE

For adventurous cooks!
2 eggplants (each about 1 1/4
pounds), peeled and cut
into 1/2-inch slices

2 teaspoons salt
1 cup (about) peanut oil
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1 clove garlic, crushed
2 tablespoons lemon juice
3 eggs
Yogurt

Sprinkle eggplant with 1/2
teaspoons salt and place in
large bowl. Cover with a plate
and weigh down with a heavy
object. Let stand 45 minutes.
Drain off liquid. Heat 1/4 cup of
the oil in a large skillet over
moderate heat. Add eggplant
and cook, a few slices at a
time, until soft and lightly
browned. Add more oil as
needed. Place cooked eggplant
in a large bowl. Add remaining
1/2 teaspoon salt, the pepper,
garlic and lemon juice; mash
well. Beat eggs until foamy;
fold into eggplant mixture.
Turn into oiled 1 1/2-quart shallow
baking dish. Bake at 350
degrees about 45 minutes.
Serve with yogurt. Makes 4 to 6
servings.

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spring seem to flutter and swirl.

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give women a free choice
—from mid-knee to ankle. The
young have shown their preference
for long skirts and there
are still those who feel
youthfulness won't tolerate anything
below the knee.

Apart from ruffles, fringe or
ostrich borders which are
intrinsic to the shape and
action of the dress, sequins
used as a solid surface over
chiffon or net and an occasional
pristine gardenia, no extrane-
ous buttons or bows are seen in
spring dresses for after five.

For spring, prints and the
super-luxurious hand-painted
crepes and chiffons are always
balanced, distinct and non-
gaudy.

Smashing Good Sale For Shop

LONDON, England (WNS) — As a protest against inflated prices, Michael Wimborne decided to offer ladies a real sale before retiring and closing his dress shop on Wood Green High Road. "The result was more than I expected," he said later.

Wimborne opened the shop at 9:30 a.m., then closed it two minutes later to stop the stampede. But the women kept coming in through the windows like a herd of rhinoceroses," he reported. "They smashed three plate-glass windows, and even cuts and gashes on their legs didn't stop them." His advice to other shopkeepers ready for retirement: "Leave quietly, no deflation."



ERMA BOMBECK

Humor Column "At Wit's End" To Begin Sunday

One day a voice came out of the utility room. It belonged to a housewife from Centerville, Ohio, who found herself with three unplanned children, an educator husband, and a dog that giggled when she came out of the shower.

Erma Bombeck, who used to talk to herself a lot, is the authoress of the thrice-weekly humor column, "At Wit's End," which will be printed in The Daily Reflector beginning Sunday. The column appears in approximately 400 newspapers with a total circulation in excess of 31 million.

Helpful Hints

One hallmark of spring fashion is the return of the short sleeve. There also are turned-back long shirt sleeves and soft fluttery cap sleeves.

For spring the belt, generally, is replaced by the sash or a drawstring. Many dresses and coats are beltless, however. To mark the waist side seams are indented.

The sleeveless shell and the sheath make their reappearance under coats and jacket-dresses for spring.

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Hemlines for spring? Designers give women a free choice —from mid-knee to ankle. The young have shown their preference for long skirts and there are still those who feel youthfulness won't tolerate anything below the knee.

Mrs. Bombeck was born in 1927 in Dayton, Ohio, grew up there, graduated from University of Dayton with an English degree and wanted to be a writer. She went to work as a reporter for the Dayton Journal Herald.

While she was working, she married William Bombeck, a sportswriter-turned-school teacher and ultimately board of education administrator. After seven years on the Journal Herald, she quit to have her family.

The Bombecks have three children, Betsy, Andy and Matthew. When the youngest started school, she started writing her column. "I wanted some pin money and to see my name in print again." That was 1965. The column took off. Now she is asked to be on TV shows, speak before groups, make TV commercials and talk to reporters.

She writes a column for "Good Housekeeping" and has also contributed to "McCall's" and "Reader's Digest." Mrs. Bombeck has written two books, "At Wit's End" and with cartoonist Bill Keane, "Just Wait Till You Have Children of Your Own."

She is a member of Theta Sigma Phi, which awarded her the Headliner Award in 1969 and a member of Sigma Delta Chi, men's journalism fraternity. Her book "Just Wait Till You Have Children of Your Own" was awarded the Obianna Award for the best book in humor in 1972. In 1973, she received the coveted Mark Twain Award, which is presented to top humorist.

The Bombecks now live in Paradise Valley, Ariz. "At Wit's End" will appear in The Daily Reflector on Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Forced Laugh Could Be Nervous Habit

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I have a wonderful husband. No woman could ask for more in a man. But he has one habit which I am convinced is a handicap in his line of work. [He's a real estate salesman for a highly reputable company.]

With every pause in the conversation with clients, he gives out with a very forced laugh, the nothing has been said to justify this "laughter."

I have pointed out to him as gently as possible that his phony laugh makes him appear insincere, and I've even told him that I have observed the facial expression on the people he's with, and they register surprise, wariness and even contempt, but it doesn't seem to faze him.

Abby, I don't want the man I love to come over like an insincere phony, because he's not, but if I didn't know him personally, I wouldn't buy a thing from him.

Nervous habit or not, perhaps if you print this, it might help.

CONCERNED IN CALIF.

DEAR CONCERNED: Your mentioning the possibility that your husband's forced laugh could be a "nervous habit" shows you to be on target. Habits are acquired, and can be broken—with proper motivation. When your husband feels it's a handicap, he'll do something about it. Don't nag him. You've made your point, and it's a good one.

DEAR ABBY: I don't know if you have ever come across a problem like this, but here goes: Is it a sin for a Catholic to have a strong desire for a priest?

I must know if I have to confess my feelings to a priest in the confessional before I am able to take communion again.

ATTRACTED

DEAR ATTRACTED: It is not a sin for any person to

have a strong desire for a person of the opposite sex. God made us, man and woman, as we are. To be attracted to another person who cannot, because of marriage or ordination vows, respond, is not a sin. But to act upon it, with deliberate intention of making another violate his [or her] vow of celibacy or marriage IS a sin.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 29-year-old woman [closer to 30 than I care to think about] with a problem I've had for years. I have an overbite which has always made me self-conscious.

After talking to my dentist I now must make a choice. Either I must have my two front teeth removed and a bridge installed, or I'll have to wear braces for two years to correct this overbite. What should I do?

ON THE FENCE

DEAR ON: I'd go with the braces. Pulling teeth is an irreversible decision. If you choose the braces, and decide on the bridge later you can always do it, but once you have an extraction, that's final!

Problems? You'll feel better if you get it off your chest. For a personal reply, write to ABBY: Box No. 69700, L. A., Calif. 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope, please.

For Abby's new booklet, "What Teen-Agers Want to Know," send \$1 to Abigail Van Buren, 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Cal. 90212.

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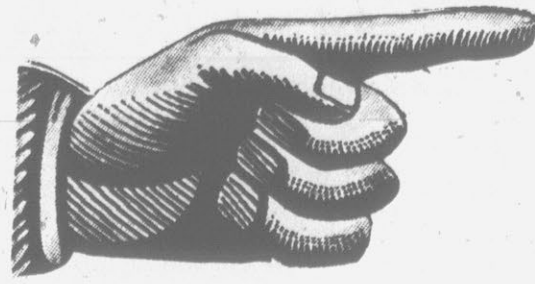
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Israel's Problem Complicated

This disappointing showing of Golda Meir's Socialist party in Tuesday's election is a symptom of the serious crisis that plagues Israel now.

The rightwing Likud bloc made gains in the election and it appeared that Mrs. Meir's party would have only the barest of majorities.

The loss of strength by the Socialists is being interpreted as a showing of dissatisfaction with the way the most recent war with the Arabs went. More important, though, it is an indication of general unhappiness with Mrs. Meir's intention to be flexible on withdrawal of Israel from occupied Arab territories.

In order to make alignments to form a new government, Mrs. Meir must take a harder line in the current peace talks. Yet she is wise enough to know that Israel is in a dark position insofar as

world support is concerned. The world has been severely pinched due to the Arab oil cuts which resulted from the war. And, unfairly, Israel will take much of the blame for the skyrocketing prices of crude oil which now plague world economy.

It is obvious that Mrs. Meir must make concessions to settle the Middle East Crisis. The Arabs are going to get richer from their oil and will be in a better position to buy the sophisticated military equipment needed to wage warfare. At the same time world support for Israel will wane as other nations court the Arab nations for their oil.

But at home Mrs. Meir will have to deal with the hawks of Israel with many factions demanding that no concessions be made to the Arabs. This week's Israeli election further complicates the Middle East problems.



"I demand only the head of Israel the Jew!"
replied Salome.

Ignore Gasless Sunday

By NICK TATRO
Associated Press Writer

They come by foot, on bicycles and in car pools.

They are the nation's faithful, and church leaders say they are flocking to worship services despite Gasless Sundays.

At the onset of the energy crisis, some religious leaders feared parishioners would not use up costly fuel to go to church.

But an Associated Press sampling of churches in 17 states showed attendance had not been adversely affected in most areas surveyed. Eight areas reported increased attendance, eight were not affected and only one had a drop.

"Since we had Gasless Sunday, our attendance has been better," said Rev. Carl Wiediger, pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church in New Britain, Conn. "For the want of somewhere else to go, people are coming to church."

The Rev. Dr. Robert W. Scott of Westminster Presbyterian Church in Elizabeth, N.J., said Gasless Sundays have "kept more people at home this year because they didn't drive to vacations or second homes" during holidays.

The Rev. E. D. Robertson of St. Luke's United Methodist Church in Jackson County, Mo., said figures show a steady rise in attendance since Dec. 2 over the same period last year.

The Rev. Raymond Balcomb, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Portland, Ore., says he's seen no marked change in attendance but is watching closely.

A decrease in attendance was reported in the Maryland suburbs of Washington, D.C.

Our Lady of Lourdes in Bethesda said normal attendance of 4,000 has dropped off at least 500 on the average.

But churches and synagogues have not completely escaped the energy crisis — mainly because the houses of worship are often heavy users of heating oil and electricity.

Many religious leaders con-

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Bringing Jobs To The People

By BILL NOBLITT
RALEIGH—How you gonna keep 'em down on the farm?

Take the jobs where the people are instead of forcing people to move to the big city, state industry hunters say.

And it seems to be working.

Of all new and expanded industry in 1973, 80 per cent was in locations outside the 10 largest cities in the state.

Gov. Jim Holshouser is pleased with that trend, and sees it intensifying. In fact, he hopes that proper steps can be taken to make sure the state "continues this policy of keeping industry spread out in North Carolina—taking jobs to the people."

An \$80,000 contract with the Research Triangle Institute has been singled for a research project into changing growth patterns in the state and relationships between public services, population, and economic growth.

Gov. Holshouser isn't worried that this move toward non-urban industrial growth will hurt the cities. "They're going to grow anyway, with new industry coming in and with expansion of existing industry," he said.

Won't Hurt Resources

He also isn't worried that industrial growth is going to harm the state's environment—at least for a lot of years to come. The state is currently 70 percent rural forestland anyway, and "not in the immediate future are we in danger of ruining our natural resources," he said.

But what kind of jobs are state officials talking about for Tar Heels?

Higher paying jobs, for one thing. And even though it is true that some industries move here to get labor at a lower cost—lower than New York or California, for instance—workers in this state benefit from higher pay as a result.

North Carolina is "definitely not looking for industries that are running away from pollution laws in their own states," the governor hastened to add.

Basically, industry hunters, hope to see more of the "clean" sorts of industry locating here: research operations, electronics, computer operations.

And of course they are hoping for expansion of the state's Big Three: furniture, textiles and tobacco.

"Those industries have also been changing—getting more diversified and sophisticated," Gov. Holshouser said, pointing to increasing use of plastics in the furniture industry, to new

techniques and materials in the textile field, and tobacco interests getting into food production.

Some Resistance

What about those established industries, especially in small towns, who hold out against new industry coming in? This has happened on some occasions in North Carolina, and in at least one recent instance that fact that the new industry would pay higher wages in competition for local employees was pinpointed as a key reason for opposition by the local community leaders.

"That is a problem," the governor said. "There have been times that provincial local interests have kept a new industry from coming in. And that's too bad," he said. The hope of state officials is that non-urban locations which embrace new industry can be found, and that those who oppose new industry in any area can begin to see that ultimately the entire community benefits from growth.

A survey of 1973 industrial growth shows that wages did increase in the state, as the average annual starting salary for new jobs went over the \$6,000 per year mark. The average wage paid in the more than 22,000 new jobs created last year was \$6,087, up from \$5,770 the previous year.

Not only does this represent a trend upward for per capita income in North Carolina, but the fact that a goodly part of this growth took place in small towns and rural areas means even better living for the employees.

Stay At Home

Industry hunters say that a situation in which people can get jobs close to home, live on the farm or in the relatively cheaper small town and still make a good wage is a much more desirable one than continued congestion and growth in developed urban areas.

These experts are hopeful that the long-range study by the Research Triangle Institute will point to ways the state and local governments can influence location of industry through proper planning for roads, airports, water-sewer installation, schools and so on.

The goal of all that, Gov. Holshouser said, is to put more money in the pockets of North Carolinians, especially in areas of the state where jobs paying an adequate salary simply don't exist now, and to keep the state's population dispersed and halt outmigration of workers not only from the state, but from isolated areas of the state.

More People For The U.S. To Provide For

The Census Bureau now estimates there are 211.7 million people living in the United States. This is a 1.5 million gain or .7 percent for the year 1973.

Population growth may be slowing, but no one should be under the illusion that it has stopped. We are certain to have more people to feed and find jobs for in the years ahead.

Looming Test In S. Vietnam

By ROWLAND EVANS and ROBERT NOVAK
WASHINGTON—The response to the next two months of severe but still localized Communist attacks in Vietnam, by the South Vietnamese army (ARVN) in the field and by the U. S. government in Washington, will probably determine whether Hanoi orders a full-scale spring offensive in 1974 that would create still another Indochinese bloodbath.

Expert opinion high in the government here foresees a continuation of what the Communists now call "strategic attacks" (they used to be "high points") with no general offensive before March 1. Whether Hanoi attempts the conquest of South Vietnam after that, these experts believe, depends on whether ARVN repels these "strategic attacks" and whether Saigon gets full political, economic and moral backing from Washington.

There is today more confidence in ARVN's steadfastness than Washington's. The shocking support in Congress for a deadly cutoff of oil to Vietnam (though finally killed in conference) suggests a tendency to abandon the Saigon regime at the first sign of trouble. President Nixon's commitment is undoubted, but his ability to maintain support is obviously eroded.

In fact, serious students of Vietnam long have felt the country's future depends on a Watergate-weakened Mr. Nixon. They believe the possibility he might respond to a Communist general offensive with renewed U. S. bombing in defiance of congressional prohibitions remains a major deterrent against Hanoi.

This deterrent was strengthened somewhat last month when the Nixon administration, responding to stepped-up Communist operations, dispatched two aircraft carriers to the Gulf of Tonkin and sent reconnaissance planes over North Vietnam.

At the same time, the ARVN performed well in the recent "strategic attack" on Kien Duc in the central highlands. U. S. experts gave South Vietnamese jet aircraft fairly high marks in supporting the infantry and knocking out some Communist tanks.

More of the same is expected the next two months with the heaviest "strategic attacks" in Tay Ninh and

Big-Brothering Hazards

By JAMES J. KILPATRICK

Ten years ago this month the U. S. Surgeon General brought forth his Report on Smoking and Health. The Report climaxed ten years of controversy over the relationship between cigarettes and lung cancer, and it precipitated a second decade of controversy on the same issue. The story merits a backward look.

In truth, the controversy over smoking and health probably dates from the time that Columbus first saw the Indians puffing their tabacs. Efforts to ban smoking can be traced to the edicts of James I against the "sot weed." From time immemorial, little boys have been warned against coffin nails. The cigarette has had many lovers, but very few friends.

Even so, it wasn't until the

mid-fifties that statistical evidence began to accumulate on the cigarette-cancer relationship. By the time Dr. Luther L. Terry's study commission went to work some 10,000 professional papers were available. From these papers—the commission did no independent research of its own—came the conclusion that heavy smokers are more likely to die of lung cancer than non-smokers. Six additional reports have followed the first report of 1964, each of them identifying new perils and raising new warnings.

These cries of alarm have wrought considerable changes within the cigarette industry and within the advertising industry also. Back in 1963, the ten leading brands, headed by Pall Mall, included such non-filter

40 Years Ago Today

By SUSAN PRICE
January 3, 1934

A decision is expected soon in the case involving rates on coal into this section which is now pending before the Interstate Commerce Commission. This section was represented in the case by the Carolina Shippers' Association and special commerce counsel was retained to assist.

This is a matter of great importance to Eastern North Carolina Citizens whose coal rates have long been to high when compared with other rates across the country.

The only distributors of coal in Greenville who have supported the association in the prosecution of the case were Harvey Brothers Coal Company and the Bell Coal and Wood Company.

Police continued seeking a clue today to the identity of robbers who robbed the safe of Blades Motor Company last Saturday night and escaped without leaving a single trace.

The robbers were believed to have been members of the same band that blew the safe of the Blades Motor Company in New Bern several nights before the local robbery and obtained more than \$200.

Officers and company officials feel the job was the work of professionals.

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Other Editors Say Transit Shortage

(Greensboro News)

The fuel shortage and the Environmental Protection Agency's pressure on the cities to comply with the federal clean air standards by 1975 have renewed interest in public transit—at least to the point of stimulating a lot of talk about improving it.

Several American cities have even gone beyond discussing the subject; they have been experimenting with reduced bus fares. Dayton, Ohio, and Seattle, Wash., have gone so far as to offer a free city bus service for trial periods.

The tests have shown that free rides and reduced fares increase mass transit ridership dramatically. City officials still have serious reservations about providing a totally free transportation service, however. They are afraid it would overload the nation's mostly deteriorated mass transit systems, which are already under a strain during rush hours.

On the other hand, city governments might find it cheaper in the long run to subsidize mass transit than to continue subsidizing the private automobile to a fare-three well. And by "subsidize" we mean reducing fares and buying new equipment.

In any case, the free city bus ride is unlikely to arrive any time soon in North Carolina. Its local governments tend to put their faith in the automobile and, with a few exceptions, have done nothing to try to improve their decrepit public transit systems. Up to now, the General Assembly also has been strongly pro-automobile and pro-highway. But let us hope that the gasoline shortage will at least move the 1974 legislature to reconsider a bill to allow city governments to use their share of the state's gas tax fund for mass transit if they want to. The fuel shortage may ease from time to time, but it isn't going away any time soon.

Procrastination Wounds Nation

By JOHN CUNIFF
AP Business Analyst
NEW YORK (AP) — It's a multibillion-dollar resolution: that the nation's planners, government and private, be compelled to eliminate administrative procrastination and act realistically.

Because they have not, the nation has bounced into one economic ditch after another, almost like a car whose driver decided he wouldn't bother turning the wheel at the curve.

To an overwhelming extent, the vast problems that face the nation today could have been lessened if action were taken in time. They were as predictable as tomorrow's sun.

The oil shortage, for example, was foreseen two decades ago. Plans could have been implemented to avert the current crisis condition, but that apparently is not the way of government or private enterprise. Neither acted.

The oil companies could have taken unilateral action, of course, but how were they to explain to their stockholders that they were spending money for a theoretical future situation? Not when a company's job is to earn money.

Instead of developing their domestic supplies, some oil companies long ago decided that it would be far more profitable to import inexpensive foreign crude. It looked better on their profit-and-loss statement.

The federal government could have developed incentives or imposed its demands on these companies, but it didn't. There was no political gain in so doing, and most likely a lot of trouble.

The cooperation of the federal government and private enterprise that everyone now agrees is

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NEARER THAN WE THINK
Religion has much to say about judgment day, but very often we fail to catch the rather obvious implication of all true religion that every day is a judgment day for all of us. James Russell Lowell once wrote:

"Each ounce of dross costs its ounce of gold; for a cap and bells our lives we pay. Baubles we buy with a whole soul's tasking; 'Tis heaven alone which is given away. 'Tis only God which may be had for the asking."

The poet was noting the way in which so many people throw their lives away on things which might seem terribly important at the time but which, in the light of judgment day, are matters of complete insignificance. What the final judgment day will be depends upon how we live every day until that fateful hour comes. And as a matter of fact it is nearer than we think—it is with us right now.

By Elisha Douglass

If Communist aggression
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Rep. Jones Assails Rumors Of Eliminating Tobacco Program

Congressman Walter Jones has severely criticized a rumored proposal by Agriculture Secretary Earl Butz to eliminate the tobacco acreage poundage program for 1974 and subsequent crops "under the guise of a short supply of tobacco and increased exports."

"Secretary Butz is stifling the agricultural economy of Eastern North Carolina which is sustained by the production and processing of tobacco," Jones asserted, "leaving farmers unshielded against economic losses and in many cases total disaster."

Jones said that the tobacco program has been in existence for over 40 years and when improvements and modifications were necessary, it has been accomplished at the requests of tobacco farmers and enacted upon by a friendly administration and Congress. In addition to a two-year supply of tobacco maintained by the tobacco industry, the congressman said that agriculture stabilization cooperatives have in storage approximately 300 million pounds.

"In my opinion, there is no way that Secretary Butz can

justify his action other than to manipulate the figures," he asserted.

Jones continued, "It is quite apparent that the goal of this administration is not only to eliminate the tobacco farm program but to eliminate all farm programs, resulting in an imbalance in supply and demand which is sure to result in economic chaos for the American farmer."

"As a member of Congress and as a member of the House Agriculture Committee and also as chairman of the Committee on Oilseeds and Rice, I have attempted to cooperate with this administration in adjusting

farm programs and have at times compromised my position in an effort to reach agreements on agricultural problems," Jones added.

"It now appears that these compromises were in vain and I have informed the news media... that I expect to carry this fight to the floor of the House of Representatives through the legislative process," he reported.

Jones noted that, "This is not a partisan issue but is a question of economic survival for

thousands of farm families across this nation. So long as I am permitted to serve as a member of Congress, the federal government will not abandon the dedicated, hardworking farmers who produce the food and fiber for this nation."

Cutback By Boat Firms

RALEIGH (AP)—North Carolinians engaged in the business of making and selling boats and boating equipment see stormy weather ahead as the energy crisis worsens.

The Hatteras Yacht Co. of New Bern reported it had reduced its work force by 15 per cent. The company, which has 500 workers, is New Bern's largest employer.

A salesman for Cox's Campers at Grifton, a manufacturer of boat trailers and other recreational equipment, said "business is rather softer, shall we say."

The head of a ship repair and supply company at Elizabeth City said, "By spring I think we'll see just how bad it is. I think it won't be good, let me tell you."

"We decided that a 15 per cent reduction in our expansion...demanded a 15 per cent reduction likewise in personnel at this time. We hope and think it will be temporary," said John Gillis, plant manager at Hatteras Yacht.

DST Ruling By Friday

RALEIGH (AP)—A decision on whether to exempt North Carolina when the nation returns to daylight saving time Sunday is expected to be made by Gov. Jim Holshouser by Friday.

According to Jack Childs, the governor's press secretary, Holshouser is still gathering information on the problems DST may pose for schools and parents during winter months.

The governor had a letter from Mary Scroggs, president of the North Carolina School Boards Association, asking that the governor seek to get North Carolina and other states in this region exempted from DST.

The law permits the governor to issue a proclamation exempting North Carolina from DST if it would cause undue hardships or if it would not result in fuel conservation.

Mrs. Scroggs wrote the governor DST would cause the schools to use more fuel for heat, would not save gasoline and would cause safety hazards by "requiring children and school buses to be on the highways before daylight hours."

ESAA Advisory Meet Monday

A meeting of the merged East Carolina University-Greenville City Schools Committee of the ESAA District Advisory Committee will take place Monday night, at 8:00 p.m.

The meeting will take place in the conference room of the City School Board of Education, East Fifth Street. Rev. O. James Rooks and Mrs. Bernard Haselrig will co-chair the meeting, a regularly scheduled public one.

Dr. Ernest Schwarz of ECU and Charles Dickens of the Greenville City Schools will be on hand to discuss components of their recently submitted grant applications.

The public is invited to attend.

Little Mint Board Met

At the annual stockholders meeting of Little Mint, Inc. here recently, Wilbur Hardee, by letter to the shareholders, resigned as president and chairman of the board because of health reasons.

Shareholders of Little Mint, with home offices in Greenville, elected its five-man board of directors. Elected were: R. R. Forrest, president of R. R. Forrest Co.; C. Dwight Garrett, vice president of Little Mint; Dr. Leo Jenkins, Chancellor of East Carolina University; Robert L. Martin, supervisory agent for Seaboard Coastline; and George Saad, owner and operator of Carolina Grill.

Saad was elected chairman of the Little Mint board of directors.

At a special called board meeting, the directors elected Garrett as president, Forrest as vice president, and Helmut Treschan, C.P.A., as secretary and treasurer.

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Drive Leaders For Heart Fund Are Announced

Pitt County Heart Association fund-raising chairman Buff Chalk has announced those who will be city chairmen for the campaign.

They are Warren Stroud, Greenville; Cleve Whatley, Farmville; Mrs. G. M. Vincent, Winterville; the Rev. Gilbert Mister, Ayden; Henry Oglesby, Grifton; Ferrell Blount III, Bethel; and Mrs. Carter Smith, Fountain.

The goal for Pitt County is \$19,270, Chalk said.

Memorial contributions may be made to Miles Frost at the North Carolina National Bank Main Office, Greenville. The check should be made payable to the Heart Fund. Included should be the donor's name and the name of the person or persons to whom acknowledgement of the gift may be made.

Evans-Novak...

(Continued from page 4) should destroy South Vietnam, few tears would drop in a Washington weary of world burdens and uninterested in old commitments. But would Richard M. Nixon sit by and watch his "peace with honor" in Vietnam be destroyed by Communist arms?

Some level-headed officials do not think so. They suggest that Mr. Nixon, tottering on the brink of impeachment, will push himself over the precipice by ordering U.S. airpower to fight off the Communist onslaught. Or, perhaps, they just hope Hanoi will so much fear this possible reaction from Mr. Nixon that it will spare bloody Vietnam from yet more tragedy.

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(Continued From Page 4) tacted said thermostats had been lowered, some meetings switched from evening to daytime, lighting displays turned off and church-related travel by car or bus curtailed.

Methods of getting to church also are changing.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints urged the world's Mormons to walk to church, while other churches have urged increased use of mass transit and even bicycles.

The energy crisis is increasingly a topic of sermons, church periodicals and even bumper-sticker campaigns. Some see it as an opportunity to stress moral power.

"These are times when we must stress spiritual values and reshape our standard of living to show it is not made up of just material affluence," said the Rev. Robert J. Marshall of New York City, president of the Lutheran Church in America.

The National Council of Churches scheduled an Energy Crisis Conference in the nation's capital on Jan. 25-27 and issued a statement saying:

"Our long-range concern must be for universal distributive justice, whereby the world's resources and energy are available as fairly as possible to all humanity."

Kilpatrick . . .

(Continued from page 4) run into professional criticism and has not been replicated. The palpable fact remains that most smokers die from causes apparently unrelated to smoking. There may be lessons in all this, in terms of the power of government to control the personal habits of the people. Such a lesson should have been learned in the long, dark night of Prohibition. The nation even now is receiving instruction in such areas of the law as marijuana, homosexuality, and pornography: criminal sanctions may have some suppressive effect, but on the whole, not much. So, too, with tobacco: men have smoked it for 500 years, and whole platoons of Surgeons General are not likely to dissuade them now.

Elder Payton Will Preach

Elder D. L. Payton will preach at the New Hope Holiness Church, Brown Street, Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

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The Worry Clinic Revisiting A Unique College

Note my momentary shock to find that one of my funny stories fell flat! But a few seconds later, the audience laughed uproariously. Why this lag? Read the account below of America's most unique college. I was Research Psychologist there for 3 years.

By **GEORGE W. CRANE**,
Ph.D., M.D.
CASE Z-516: Gallaudet College for the Deaf is the most unique institution of higher

learning in the U.S. "Dr. Crane," I was asked, "could you address our college convocation?" The questioner was the President of Gallaudet and I was then doing research with the deaf under a 5-year grant from the National Research Council, plus the Carnegie Institution of Washington, D.C. "Dr. Crane," the President continued, "the faculty will be able to hear what you say as the

words leave your lips.

"But most of the college students will lag a few seconds behind since we must have an interpreter standing slightly behind you on your right. "We employ the sign language method here, plus finger spelling (manual alphabet). "One of our professors will do the translating for you via signs. "Don't let it bother you, but just go along with your usual spoken address."

BELATED LAUGHTER
In my opening remarks, I told what I thought was a funny story, relevant to the interests of college students. But only 15 or 20 people laughed.

"That didn't go across very well," I thought, but a couple of seconds later loud laughter ensued.

Then it dawned on me that my interpreter lagged about 10 seconds behind and this second wave of widespread laughter came from the deaf college students.

It was a little disconcerting, too, to find only 15 or 20 in the audience, with their eyes glued on me, while the rest focussed on the professor who was mean-

while repeating my remarks in the sign language.

The sign language permits swift conversation, but is not exact enough for use in delivering mathematical or chemistry lectures in class.

That's why the finger spelling (manual alphabet) must be employed for precise dates or math, etc.

Another defect of the sign language is its lack of synonyms.

For example, it offers a basic sign to indicate a "group," but lacks the wide variety of similar terms, such as "bevy," "flock," "herd," etc.

"Dr. Crane," my interpreter laughingly informed me later, "I doubly enjoyed your address today, for you didn't keep repeating the same idea just in slightly different words."

"By contrast, we had a distinguished U.S. Senator here a few years ago.

"He also addressed our faculty and student assembly for 20 minutes.

"But he delivered his essential thought in the very first 5 minutes; then merely restated it in different words during the final 15 minutes.

"Unfortunately, we don't have

the synonyms in sign language which enrich spoken vocabulary, so I was on the spot.

"I couldn't repeat my identical first 5 minutes of sign language, so I improvised an extra 15 minute talk of my own and the deaf students thought I was still translating for the Senator.

"The hearing faculty members in the audience knew that my final 15 minutes signs were unrelated to the Senator's spoken words, but our students didn't know the difference, since they couldn't hear. Some Indian chiefs visited Gallaudet College back in President Taft's administration and conversed readily via signs.

For signs are basic and rather universal in their meaning, which let the Indian chiefs converse with the deaf students whom they had not met before. (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.)

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THURSDAY
12:00 News
12:30 Search
1:00 The Young
1:30 World Turns
2:00 Guiding Light
2:30 Edge of Night
3:00 Price is Right
3:30 Match Game
4:00 Secret Storm
FRIDAY
6:00 Arthur Smith
6:30 Meditations
6:35 Carolina
7:00 News
7:30 Truth or
8:00 Joker's Wild
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10:30 Pyramid
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11:30 Love of Life
11:35 Timely Tips

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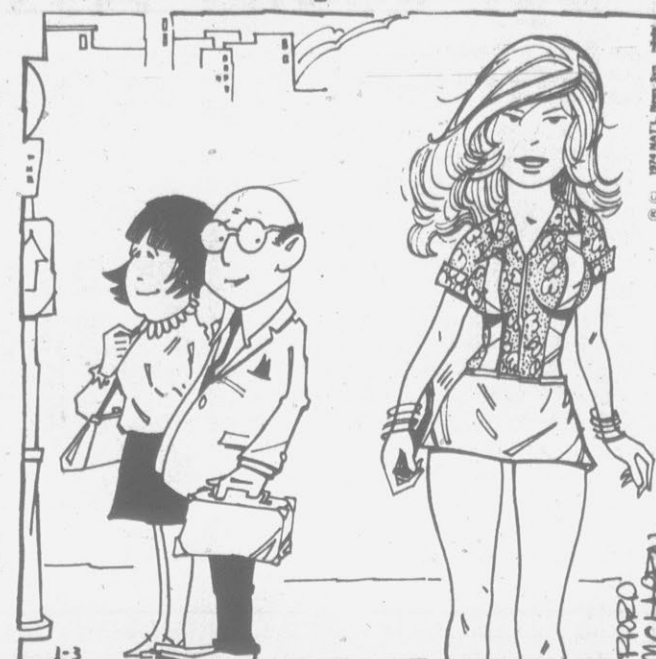
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7:00 Andy Griffith
7:30 Police Surgeon
8:00 Toma
8:00 Kung Fu
9:00 San Francisco
10:00 News 12
11:30 Entertainment
11:35 News
FRIDAY
6:25 Agriculture
6:55 News
7:00 Today
7:25 Today
7:30 Today
8:25 News
9:00 Mike Douglas
10:00 Dinah's Place
10:30 Baffle
11:00 Wizard

WCTI—Ch. 12

THURSDAY
7:00 Dragnet
7:30 Hollywood Sq.
8:00 Flip Wilson
9:00 Inside
10:00 Special
FRIDAY
6:30 Batman
7:00 Uncle Waldo
7:30 Underdog
8:00 New Zoo
8:30 Montage
9:30 Movie
10:30 Brady Bunch
12:30 Split Second
1:30 Make A Deal
2:00 Newsworld

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ACROSS
1. Highways
6. Indian money
11. Fallacies
13. Glove leather
14. Trek
16. Dry
17. Wife of Ostris
18. Turkish caliph
20. Letters
21. Phoebus
22. Orbiting radio beacon
24. Tin symbol

SOLUTION OF YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE
DOWN
1. Dilatory
2. Prayer
3. Polter clay
4. Beetles
5. Spanish title abbr.
6. Equally
7. Gist
8. Sea nymph
9. Developed
10. Collections
12. Outset
15. Ultimate hyperbole
19. Bury
22. Color of mole skin
23. Toper
25. Backward
27. Necklace
28. Divers' disease
29. Boiler
30. Hospital physician
31. Treaty organization
32. Blue grass
33. Civil War general
34. Preoccupied
36. Hover
38. Convened
40. Prosperous times
42. Myself

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VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Get the right pointers from a specialist in your field for greater success. Do research work; don't overlook some detail that is the key to the whole thing.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Study your books of record well now and know how to handle your affairs more intelligently. Investigate new subjects that give answers you seek.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Plan with partners how to have greater success in the future this a.m. Try to find out why one has given you trouble. Reconcile amicably.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Handle duties you've put off now. Study apparel to make it more stylish, attractive. Don't be a copy of others.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Plan to get into amusements you have really liked in the past and have fun. Show devotion to mate. Don't believe tall tales.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Get your home in fine order and please kin more. Extend invitations to those you like and entertain royally. Avoid any jealous person.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) First handle important affairs with associates, then off to the shopping and errands vital to your well-being. Increase productivity.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY . . . he or she can easily use charm to get what is wanted without considering the feelings of others, so teach early to give in proportion to what is received and be independent, fair. Give spiritual training early so love of money does not become the all-consuming aim. Musical ability should be encouraged.

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GOREN ON BRIDGE

BY **CHARLES H. GOREN**
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Both vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ J
♥ 9 7 6 4
♦ A 10 9 5
♣ Q 8 3 2

WEST
♠ 7 5 4 3
♥ A K Q J 2
♦ 8 4
♣ A 6

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

SOUTH
♠ A K Q 10 9 8
♥ 5
♦ Q J 3
♣ K J 4

The bidding:
South West North East
1 ♠ 2 ♥ Pass Pass
3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠ Pass
Pass Pass

Opening lead: King of ♥

Which came first, the chicken or the egg? There is no real answer to questions like that. But there is a logical reason for deciding which suit to tackle first in today's hand.

West's overall relieved North of the responsibility to reply to his partner's opening bid. South showed his good hand and strong suit with a jump rebid of three spades, and North felt that his ace, queen and spade honor, the singleton, merited a raise to four spades.

West attacked with the king of hearts, followed by the queen. Declarer ruffed and drew trumps in four rounds, discarding two hearts and a club from dummy. He could count six

On Dean's List At Chapel Hill

CHAPEL HILL—Linda Corey of Stokes has been named to the dean's list for the fall semester at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Election to the Dean's List requires that a student maintain a quality point average of 3.0 or better.

Miss Corey, a graduate of North Pitt High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Corey of Stokes.

PEANUTS

Science Report: The comet Kohoutek, went around the sun a week ago.

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KNITTING? HA! THAT'S A GOOD ONE. DID YOU RAZZ HIM ABOUT IT?

OF COURSE NOT!

HE'S TAKING THEM BETWEEN HIS BOXING AND KARATE LESSONS.

CORA AND I HAD ANOTHER SPAT THIS MORNING.

SHE WAS BRAGGING ABOUT HOW SHE'S KEPT HER FIGURE.

WHAT'D YOU SAY?

I TOLD HER SHE HAD TO KEEP IT.

NO ONE ELSE WOULD TAKE IT!

DO YOU HAVE TO BE SO ROUGH ABOUT EVERYTHING?

ROUGH? I'M NOT ROUGH.

NOT ROUGH?! I'LL BET YOU COULDN'T SPREAD PEANUT BUTTER ON A MARSHMALLOW WITHOUT CAUSING A CATASTROPHE.

COWARD.

YOU KNOW OF A PHANTOM...?

SHH... BZZZ... BZZZ...

BZZZ BZZZ...

DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT HIM?

YES... YOU WON'T BELIEVE A WORD!

THE ONLY WAY YOU CAN KEEP YOUR IDENTITY A SECRET IS BY MURDERING ME, BARON.

CRUDE, CRUDE, MR. CANTRELL. I PERSONALLY ABHOR VIOLENCE.

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Country Music Giant Tex Ritter Suddenly Dies

By ALAN WILSON
Associated Press Writer
NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP)—
Tex Ritter, the soft-spoken cowboy who roped and strummed his way to movie stardom while becoming a country music giant to four generations, died Wednesday night of a heart attack.

The former screen star and politician, whose singing career began 40 years ago when he was paid \$100 to record four songs and denied royalties, would have been 68 years old on Jan. 12.

He suffered a heart attack while visiting a member of his band at the Nashville jail. He was rushed from the jail to Baptist Hospital, where his doctor said he died of a "massive, sudden heart attack."

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Ritter's death is the third to strike the country music industry within two months. On Nov. 11, the bodies of David "Stringbean" Akeman, 58, and his wife were found in their rural home north of Nashville. Each had been shot several times. Sixteen days later, Jimmy Widener, 54, rhythm guitarist for Hank Snow, was shot to death and found in a Nashville alley.

Ritter's stature as a country music star was equalled only by such greats as Roy Acuff, Ernest Tubb and the late Hank Williams and Jimmie Rodgers. In 1964, Ritter was inducted into the Country Music Hall of Fame—only the second living person to be so honored.

He was born Maurice Woodward Ritter in Panola County, Tex., in Murvaul, a town of 123.

His reputation as a singing cowboy in western movies dates back to 1936 and is etched as deeply in the minds of his fans as his big smile and 10-gallon cowboy hat. He made his screen debut as one of the singing cowboys who followed the trend set by Gene Autry. During the mid-forties he was recognized as one of the top 10 western stars at the box office.

Ritter's movie career was highlighted in 1952 when "High Noon" won an Academy Award. Ritter did not appear in the film but sang the ballad which played throughout the production. Later, in his first stage acting, he starred in "Green Grow the Lilacs," the stage version of "Oklahoma."

It was in the movies in 1938 when he met his wife, Dorothy Fay. They later acted together in five movies and had two sons.

In addition to his desire to be a stage performer, Ritter also had ambitions which reached into law, politics and the heart of the country music industry.

In 1970, he ran for the U.S. Senate from Tennessee and was defeated by Republican Bill Brock, who later unseated Democrat Albert Gore.

A traveling musical troupe took him to Chicago in the late 20s and he entered Northwestern Law School. He never did earn a law degree.

His efforts to promote country music earned him the presidency of the Country Music Association. He also was a former chairman of the National Committee for Recording Artists.

The baritone, folk singer starred in 78 movies during a 12-year Hollywood stay which began a few years after his career started as the first cowboy ballad singer on radio.

Authorities said Ritter had gone to the city jail to visit Jack Watkins, a member of his band. Police said Watkins was being processed for release when Ritter was stricken. Watkins was jailed Tuesday night on a charge of failure to pay alimony, officers said.

Friends of Ritter said he appeared in good health as recently as six days ago. On Dec. 13, he was in Washington and presented one of only two copies of a narrative album to President Nixon for his help in promoting country music. The other copy is in the hall of fame.

"To many people he was king," said Lester Flatt, well known bluegrass-country guitarist and a friend of Ritter's for 25 years. "He's a great guy in my book. He loved his friends and he had a lot of 'em. He's never had any problem with his heart. Last Saturday I saw him and he looked really good."

"He was a really warm hearted man, a great person," said singer Kitty Wells. "Show business will suffer a great loss."

"Tennessee lost one of its most distinguished citizens," said Gov. Winfield Dunn. "America has lost a patriot. Tex Ritter will never be forgotten."

Minnie Pearl described Ritter as "an old dear friend." "Tex Ritter was simple, honest, a real pro—just a fine man

in every way," she said. Ritter's love for the West never left him. He wore western clothes and pointed cowboy boots as street attire.

The youngest of six children, Ritter first sang church hymns with his family. At the time, his older brothers beckoned his mother to stop him because he

sang poorly. But his voice changed and he found a home with cowboy songs. His first record, "Rye Whiskey," earned him \$100 and no

royalties. His biggest recording hits were "High Noon," "Wayward Wind," "You Are My Sunshine," "Boll Weevil" and "Hillbilly Heaven."

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APPLAUSE FOR A SON—Mrs. John Hunter applauds a remark made during welcome home ceremonies held yesterday afternoon for her son, Al Hunter, a freshman at Notre Dame, who returned home following playing in the Sugar Bowl in New

Orleans on New Year's Eve. Hunter set a new Sugar Bowl record with a 93-yard kickoff return for a touchdown. A large group of Greenville citizens turned out to welcome Al at the Bachelors Benedict Club. (Reflector Photo by Tom Foreman, Jr.)

Notre Dame Claims Championship On AP Poll; Ohio State Second

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON
Associated Press Sports Writer

The Fighting Irish of Notre Dame are the national champions of college football.

By defeating regular-season leader Alabama 24-23 in the Sugar Bowl Monday night, Notre Dame vaulted from third place to first in the final Associated Press rankings announced today and thereby captured its first national championship since 1966.

The Irish won comfortably over Ohio State, which jumped from fourth to second by trouncing Southern California 42-21 in the Rose Bowl, and Oklahoma, which was ineligible for a bowl trip and slipped from second to third. Oklahoma finished second the last two seasons.

Notre Dame received 33 first-place votes and 1,128 points from a nationwide panel of sports writers and broadcasters. Ohio State earned 11 first-place ballots and 1,002 points while Oklahoma got the other 16 first-place votes and 965 points.

"Whew, am I glad to hear that news," Notre Dame Coach Ara Parseghian told The AP when the final rankings were

relayed to him Wednesday night. "I was sweating like hell. I was worried because of the press that came out of the West Coast after the Rose Bowl. Woody (Ohio State Coach Woody Hayes) was making all kinds of statements."

Alabama finished fourth with 834 points. Penn State, one of only three unbeaten and untied teams in the country, was fifth after a 16-9 Orange Bowl triumph over Louisiana State. The Nittany Lions pulled 709 points in reversing positions with No. 6 Michigan, which received 702 points.

The Wolverines tied Ohio State 10-10 and shared the Big Ten title with the Buckeyes, but Ohio State was chosen as the league's Rose Bowl representative by a vote of the 10 athletic directors.

Rounding out the final Top Ten are No. 7 Nebraska, a 19-3 victor over Texas in the Cotton Bowl, and No. 8 Southern Cal, the 1972 champion; while Houston, which walloped Tulane 47-7 in the Astro-Bluonnet Bowl, finished in a tie for ninth place with Arizona State.

The Top Twenty, with first-place votes in parentheses, sea-

son records and total points. Points tabulated on basis of 20-18-16-14-12-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1:

1.N. Dame (33)	11-0-0	1,128
2.Ohio St. (11)	10-0-1	1,002
3.Okla. (16)	10-0-1	965
4.Alabama	11-1-0	834
5.Penn St.	12-0-0	709
6.Michigan	10-0-1	702
7.Nebraska	9-2-1	430
8.So. Cal.	9-2-1	386
9.Ariz. St.	11-1-0	349
(tie) Houston	11-1-0	349
11.Texas Tech	11-1-0	336

12.UCLA	9-2-0	251
13.LSU	9-3-0	179
14.Texas	8-3-0	150
15.Miami, Ohio	11-0-0	125
16.N. C. St.	9-3-0	94
17.Missouri	8-4-0	52
18.Kansas	7-4-1	11
19.Tennessee	8-4-0	10
20.Maryland	8-4-0	3
(tie) Tulane	9-3-0	3

Others receiving votes, listed alphabetically: Oklahoma State, Pittsburgh, San Diego State.

Greene Central Tops N. Lenoir

WHEAT SWAMP—Greene Central High School swept a three-game set from North Lenoir High School here last night as the holiday bread came to an end. The Rams rolled to a 54-41 victory, while the Ewes were winning their first game of the year, 32-24. The junior varsity also won, 40-34.

In the girls' game, North Lenoir doubled the score on Greene Central in the first period of play, 8-4. But in the second frame, the Lady Hawks almost forgot where the basket was, getting only two points. The Ewes were running off seven at the same time, and taking an 11-10 intermission lead.

North Lenoir came back in the third period to charge ahead again, outscoring Greene, 11-3. That left the Hawks ahead, 21-14. But in the final period, Greene Central once again got it together, running off 18 points to just three for North Lenoir, and that was all they needed to celebrate their initial win of the year.

Delilah Pridgen led the Ewe scoring with 11 points, while Beverly Faison had 10 for North Lenoir.

In the boys' game, Greene Central eased into a 12-10 lead at the end of the first quarter of play. They pulled away and made less of a game of it in the second period, outitting the Hawks, 18-7, for a 30-17 lead at the half.

North Lenoir managed to clip two points off the margin, 38-27, with a 10-8 advantage in the third frame. But the Rams got that back with a 16-14 margin in the final period as they wrapped up the win.

Tim Butts and Moses Barron each had 12 points, while Lonnie Artis and Jerry Jones added 10 each for the Rams. Mike Miller had 16 to pace North Lenoir.

JV—Greene Central 48, North Lenoir 34

GIRL'S GAME

Greene Central—Pridgen 11, Shingleton 9, Tripp 4, Whitley 4, Speight 2, Sugg 1, Balts 1, Barrow	4 7 3 18-32
North Lenoir—Faison 10, Merritt 5, Lee 4, Vail 2, Cox 2, Carter 1	8 2 11 3-24

BOY'S GAME

Greene C.	9 1 1 1 9 1 1
Butts	4 4 12 11 7 2 16
M. Barron	4 6 12 12 4 0 8
Artis	4 2 10 10 3 0 6
Jones	4 2 10 10 3 0 6
Sheppard	3 5 6 10 1 1 3
Carraway	1 0 2 10 0 0 2
A. Barron	1 0 2 10 0 0 0
Swinson	0 0 0 10 0 0 0
McPhail	0 0 0 10 0 0 0
Totals	23 8 54 18 5 41

Greene Central 12 18 8 16-54
North Lenoir 10 7 10 14-41

Jaguar Matmen Rally For Win

FARMVILLE—Farmville Central won its fifth wrestling match of the year last night as they won the last seven matches to pull out a 33-24 decision.

Havelock took four of the first six taking the lead along with them but the Jaguars came back to win in the heavier classes. Farmville Central is 5-1-1.

The Jaguars will meet North Pitt at Farmville next Monday. The summary:

- 100: Gaskey (H) pinned B. Moore, 3:30.
- 107: Wenrich (H) pinned P. Moore, 1:40.
- 114: Ronald House (F) pinned Rechin, 1:20.

- 121: Tony Jordan (F) decisioned Rivera, 8-1.
- 128: Al Massey (H) decisioned Tyson, 5-4.
- 134: Doug Jahn (H) decisioned Reel, 9-4.
- 140: Louis Baker (F) pinned Dove, 3:20
- 147: James Gorham (F) decisioned Psaros, 5-2.
- 157: Maurice Williams (F) decisioned Drum, 4-2.
- 169: Gary Locust (F) decisioned Walker, 4-0.
- 187: Floyd Bullock (F) decisioned Torcasso, 4-0.
- 197: Robert Bullock (F) pinned Woodall, 1:20.
- Unlimited: Jerry Flanagan (F) pinned Nielson, 2:27.

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North Pitt Holds Off Jaguars To Claim Win; Big Orange Rolls

By CHIP LAMBETH
Reflector Sports Writer

BETHEL—Farmville Central rallied at the start of the third quarter to come from 16 points down to take the lead against the North Pitt Panthers but it did not hold up as the Panthers put a rally of their own together to pull out a 59-52 win, last night.

The Jaguars were down 28-12 at the start of period three but blasted North Pitt in the frame, 25-8 to slip into a 37-36 advantage at the end of it. North Pitt got the lead back on a four-goal burst in the middle of the fourth quarter and held onto it for the rest of the game.

Earlier in the evening, the Panthers had won the two opening games as the J.V.'s beat FC, 36-28. The girls' team also won 56-42, as usual, but they had a surprise in getting it.

If you could not include the first quarter of the game, the girls would have had to play an overtime. It turned out that the first period did just the same. For the last three quarters both teams put up an equal number of points, 38. But in the first period, while Farmville Central was testing its claws, the Pant-HERS were rolling up 18 points and that was the difference in the outcome.

North Pitt had the advantage off the boards as well as on them. The Big Orange pulled down 39 rebounds, 23 in the first half, with Wanda Whichard leading the way. She yanked down 10 in the first half and did not get any more as she sat out a good part of the second half. Faryce Goode had seven.

Farmville Central got 19 in the first half but could not find the handle in the second. Darlene Joyner matched Miss Whichard with 10 and Julia Moye grabbed nine.

After the demolishing first quarter the Lady Jags were a different team. They began to warm up but it was to late.

Joy James put the Pant-HERS on the boards hitting from underneath and baskets by Misses Whichard and Kathi Manning sandwiched around a bucket by Joyner ran it out to 6-2.

Miss Whichard added three free throws and Manning and James each got baskets giving the Big Orange a 13-2 lead. Debbie Pollard made it 14-2 with a free shot and after Joyner scored from the land, Pollard and Whichard scored for the 18-4 total.

Farmville Central put up 12 in the second period behind Miss Moye but the Pant-HERS got 17. North Pitt was outscored in both the third and fourth periods, 14-11 and 12-10, but the Lady Jaguars were too far back and could not catch up.

James led the Pant-HERS with 14 and Pollard had 11. Moye led the scoring with 26. The Jaguars scored first on a lay-up by Mike Corbett but North Pitt blew in five straight buckets to not only get on the boards but get a 10-2 lead. That was how the period ended, 10-2. Baskets by Charlie Harris and Craig McLawhorn ran it out to 14-2 in the second quarter. James Cobb hit from outside for Farmville Central but The Panthers came right back with two more, 18-6.

The Jags cut it to ten on a field goal by Robert Dixon and two free shots by Walter Gorham. It was quickly rubbed out as Donnie Perkins, McLawhorn and Donald White all scored for the Panthers upping the margin to 24-8. Both teams added four points to their scores and the half ended, 28-12.

The Panthers would probably like to forget what happened in the third period. Farmville Central got the first bucket of the half from Corbett but it was matched by a hook by Lewis. Joyner dumped in a shot and Lee Johnson added one making it 30-

16. Corbett got a charity shot and Joyner another field goal, 30-21. The lead went back to 11, however, on Vincent Barnhill's outside jumper. After the Jags got a point, Lewis added another field goal.

Farmville Central ran off three buckets, one by Joyner and two layups by Johnson pulling within six, 34-28. Lewis helped North Pitt with a bucket underneath but shots by Corbett and Cobb on a feed from Joyner cut the gap to four, 36-32.

North Pitt did not score again in the period. Johnson sank a free shot and Dixon's lay-up made it 36-35. Joyner took a shot from the stripe and missed but Johnson followed it up and tapped it in giving the Jags the lead as the quarter ended, 37-36.

It went right back to North Pitt as Brown scored on a drive, 38-37, but Farmville Central put in two field goals, by Dixon and Gorham, for their biggest leads of the night, three, 41-38.

Perkins hit from the stripe, 41-40 and Cobb countered for the Jaguars scoring from the free throw stripe. Harris canned a baseline jumper 43-42. Johnson made the lead two with a free shot but North Pitt started stealing the ball and rallied for four buckets getting the lead.

JV—Farmville Central 28 North Pitt 36

GIRL'S GAME

Farmville Central—Turnage, K. Suggs 4, Von Schrittz, Counterman, Williams, Phillips 2, J. Suggs, Joyner 8, Moye 26, O'Brien, Stoddard 2.	4 12 14 12-42
North Pitt—James 14, Whichard 9, D. Pollard 11, Manning 9, L. James 2, Goode 2, M. James, B. Pollard 2, Andrews, Dixon, Brown 4.	18 17 11 10-54

BOY'S GAME

FC	9 1 1 1 9 1 1
J. Joyner	5 3 13 13 3 2 8
Dixon	3 0 6 10 1 0 2
W. Gorham	1 2 4 8 11 3 0 6
J. Joyner	4 0 8 10 3 0 6
Corbett	4 1 9 10 6 0 12
N. Lewis	1 0 2 10 0 0 0
Cobb	4 2 10 10 0 0 0
M. Gorham	0 0 0 10 0 0 0
White	1 0 2 10 0 0 0
McLawn	2 3 7 10 0 0 0
Moore	0 0 0 10 0 0 0
Totals	22 8 52 18 5 59

Farmville Central 2 10 25 52
North Pitt 18 18 8 23-59

Brown hit from the corner tying it and Lewis netted two for a four-point lead, 48-44. Perkins scored from underneath.

North Pitt hung on from there on out to win it. The Jaguars

pulled within tying distance only one more time, 50-48, but a basket by Perkins remedied the situation sending the gap back to four. When McLawhorn finished a

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Frank Orgel Is New Pirate Aide

New East Carolina University Coach Pat Dye, expected to arrive in Greenville late tonight to begin his duties as head football coach, made his second assistant appointment yesterday.

Frank Orgel, a teammate at the University of Georgia, was named as an assistant on defense. His definite assignment has not been decided yet, pending Dye's arrival and the completion of the staff.

Orgel, 34, is a native of Albany, Georgia, where he graduated from high school with letters in football, basketball and track. Following his high school career, he played football with the University of Georgia as a tight end.

He and Dye both were members of the 1960 Orange Bowl team of Georgia.

Graduating in 1961, he entered the U.S. Army for a tour of duty, and eventually was named to the All-Army team and won the Most Valuable Player trophy. At the end of his tour, he was picked up by the Buffalo Bills of the National Football League, playing with them in 1964-65.

Following that, Orgel returned to Georgia as a coach, becoming an assistant with Warner Robbins High School in Warner Robbins, for the next four years. For the next three years, he served as head football coach and athletic director, compiling

a 29-4-2 record. Last year, he went to Florence State University in Alabama, as a graduate assistant.

Orgel is married to the former Sarah Ruth Meek of New Martinsville, W. Va.

"I'm not sure what my duties will be," Orgel said, "Pat just told me to get on up here and get to work on recruiting, which I've done. We'll probably get our definite assignments later on after he gets here and the staff is completed."

Orgel is the second member of the staff named by Dye. He previously announced that Henry Trevathan, the lone member of former coach Sonny Randle's staff, would remain with East Carolina.

Dye expected to complete his staff shortly after he arrives in Greenville. It has been rumored that Ben Grieb, a former Buc player, and now a graduate assistant at Louisiana State University, would be one of those named.

Two chief assistants, one each in charge of offense and defense, are also expected to be named shortly.

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Chocowinity Nips Bears

CHOCOWINITY—Chocowinity High School took all three games from Bear Grass as the two teams came off the holiday break to resume basketball play last night. The Chocowinity boys won their game, 58-53, while the girls came out ahead, 48-30. The junior varsity made a night of it with a 48-37 victory.

The boys' game came down to a battle of free throws, as both teams scored 44 points from the floor. Chocowinity hit on 14 free throws, however, while the Bears made nine and that was the difference.

Chocowinity inched out into an 8-6 lead in the first period, then came back to outhit the Bears,

18-8, in the second frame. That left them ahead, 26-14 at the half.

But Bear Grass rallied in the third quarter, dumping in 21 points, while Chocowinity got 15 and that cut the lead to 41-35. They again outshot Chocowinity, 18-17, in the final frame, but couldn't rally enough.

Willie McCuller led the winners with 23 points, while Horace Windley added 14. For Bear Grass, Alan Crawford had 20 points.

In the girls' game, Chocowinity took a 10-6 lead in the first period and was ahead the rest of the night. They outhit the Bears, 13-4, in the second quarter to lead 23-10 at halftime.

The third quarter saw the Lady Bears outscore their hosts, 13-7, to cut the lead to 30-23. But Chocowinity came back with an 18-7 final period to insure the victory.

Rosalyn Thompson led Chocowinity with 16 points, while no one hit double figures for the Bears.

JV—Bear Grass 37, Chocowinity 48

GIRL'S GAME

Bear Grass—Beach 37, Whitaker 4, C. Rogerson 3, Holliday 5, K. Rawls 5, L. Rawls 4, Leggett 2, wrong basket 2, Taylor, Leggett, Harden, D. Rogerson, Mizelle, Hodges	4 13 7 30
Chocowinity—Smaw 7, Thompson 16, Whichard 2, Francher 2, Jones 2, Warner 5, Taylor, Reddick 6, Dixon 8, Bright	8 4 13 7-30
Bear Grass	4 13 7 30
Chocowinity	10 13 7 18-48

BOY'S GAME

B. Grass	9 1 1 1 9 1 1
Armstrong	2 4 8 10 3 23
J. Biggs	2 1 5 10 3 9
Barfield	1 0 2 10 3 3
Rogers	2 0 4 10 2 14
Gardner	2 2 6 10 3 9
Harrison	1 0 2 10 0 0
Crawford	10 2 20 10 0 0
Stokes	1 2 4 10 0 0
M. Biggs	1 0 2 10 0 0
Williams	0 0 0 10 0 0
Williams	0 0 0 10 0 0
Totals	32 9 53 22 14 58

Bear Grass 37 48 21 18-53
Chocowinity 18 15 17-48

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After Slow Start, Ayden-Griffton Rolls To Win Over C.B. Aycock

PIKEVILLE—Ayden-Griffton High School gained three victories last night as they took a sweep from Charles B. Aycock's Falcons in the resumption of Eastern Carolina Conference basketball. The boys won their game, 67-49, while the girls slipped to a 33-30 win. The junior varsity won, 54-42.

In the girls' game, Ayden-Griffton moved out into a 7-2 lead in the first period but the Falconettes put on a rally in the second quarter. They outthrew the Chargerettes, 9-5, and closed the gap to 12-11 at halftime.

In the third period, however, Ayden-Griffton got a little more breathing room as they put in 10 to Aycock's six. That made it 22-

17. Aycock came back with a 13-11 margin in the final period, but it wasn't enough to pull it out.

Decia Little led Ayden-Griffton with 17 points, while Sandy Sirt had 11 and Jean Evans had 10 for Aycock.

In the boys' game, the Chargers started out slow; they had to play catch-up. Aycock vaulted into a 16-7 lead in the first period and looked like they were upset bound. But the Chargers came back with 24 points in the second frame, while holding the Falcons to just five. That ran

Ayden-Griffton into a 31-21 lead at the half.

The Chargers continued to pull away in the second half. They outthrew Aycock, 18-12, in the third period, upping their lead to 49-33. They outshot the Falcons once more, 18-16, in the final period to wrap it up.

Melvin Stewart led Ayden-Griffton with 14 points, while Milton Brown, Danny Garris, and Jesse Brown each had 10. No one hit double figures for Aycock.

with 22 points. Ronnie Parker had 20, Anthony Singleton 15 and James Gibbs 10. Horace Hall paced all scorers with 30, hitting 13 field goals for the Bullets. Byron Davis had 18 more for Jamesville.

The girls lost the first game, 60-36. Bath poured in 17 points to Jamesville's six in the first period and never had trouble with the Lady Bullets. The score at the half was 38-16.

Bath took the third quarter, also, 9-3, but Jamesville came back to outshoot Bath in the last frame, 17-13.

Joan Leggett led the scoring getting 24 for Bath, April Ross had 16. Vickie Barbar led Jamesville with nine.

The boys also lost but almost got a win. They missed a last minute shot that would have tied the game. They lost by that two-point margin, 69-67.

Jamesville roared out to a 15-8 lead in the first period getting four more points than the Bullets, 14-10, cutting the lead to 51-44. Bath dumped in 25 in the last frame slipping ahead just barely to get the win.

Donald Gibbs led the winners

had 13 and G. Bryant had 11. In the final game, The Eagles downed the Book Exchange, 44-36. The two teams were neck-and-neck through the first half, with the Eagles holding a 19-18 advantage at intermission. In the second half, however, the Eagles outthrew the Exchange, 25-18, to claim the victory.

W. Hardee led the Eagles with 11, while R. Stokes had 10. For the Exchange, Stephenson had 11.

The second game saw the Happy Store take a 96-39 romp over Edwards, 51-17, to make the final rout complete. L. Payton led the Happy Store with 20 points, while C. Harris had 18, J. Harris had 15, T. Whichard had 14 and R. Gatlin had 10. For Edwards, S. Johnson

Designated hitter Frank Robinson hit 30 home runs for the California Angels last season. It was the 11th time in 18 seasons that he reached that mark.

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McMillen Leads Rout Of Spiders

By KEN RAPPOPORT
Associated Press Sports Writer
Maryland's Rhodes Scholar is a pretty smart basketball player, too.

Tom McMillen knows exactly how to score points — and Wednesday night scored enough of them to break a school record in a 96-60 rout of Richmond.

The erudite McMillen, cited as a Rhodes Scholar just a couple of weeks ago, collected 17 points to move ahead of Gene Shue on the all-time Maryland scoring list.

McMillen's point total of 1,405 surpassed the old Maryland record of 1,397 by Shue, now a coach with the professional Philadelphia 76ers.

"My appreciation of the record would have been greater had my father been here," said McMillen, whose father died last week.

McMillen has been playing indefatigably for the third-ranked Terrapins despite some personal distractions the past few weeks. The Rhodes Scholarship and his father's death have kept him busy — and tired.

"My thoughts have been muddled recently," said the 6-foot-11 McMillen. "I really hadn't given the scoring record much thought. I'll remember this game only by the fact that my father didn't come to it."

In other college basketball action, sixth-ranked Marquette blasted Cincinnati Xavier 73-53 and No. 20 Austin Peay was upset 88-86 by Missouri in an opening round game of the Senior Bowl tournament in Mobile, Ala. Host South Alabama crushed Southern Mississippi 96-75 in another first-round game.

McMillen not only broke Shue's scoring record, he enhanced his rebounding mark with 12. The classy forward ranks fifth in that department.

John Lucas was Maryland's high scorer Wednesday night with 25 points. He connected on 9 of his first 14 shots while the powerful Terrapins ran up a 46-22 halftime lead. Lucas added seven assists to his night's work.

The victory was Maryland's seventh straight since a one-point, opening-night loss to top-ranked UCLA. Richmond, led by Aron Stewart's 23 points, lost its sixth game in nine starts.

Maurice Lucas powered Marquette on an 11-2 tear at the beginning and helped the undefeated Warriors win their 10th game of the year with ease.

Lucas, who scored 19 points overall, helped Marquette take a 37-24 lead at the half. Xavier scored merely seven field goals before intermission. Mike Plunkett had 20 points for the Musketeers, who lost their sixth straight game after winning the first three of the season.

Al Eberhard's basket from underneath with six seconds left provided Missouri with a dramatic victory over Austin Peay.

Austin Peay's James "Fly" Williams was the game's leading scorer with 29 points. He also led all players with 11 rebounds.

In the second game of the Senior Bowl's opening night, South Alabama accelerated to a nine-point lead in the first six minutes behind Dave Davis and breezed past Southern Mississippi.

Washington Rips Tigers

WASHINGTON — Washington's Pam-Pack rolled to a pair of wins over the Williamston Tigers last night taking a J. V. game and the varsity contest. There was no girls' game.

The Pack won the first game, 51-36. After that, Washington took the varsity game, 93-56.

After a tight first quarter, Washington inched out to a three-point lead. Washington rolled up a 14-point margin in the second quarter as they added 25 to their score to the Tigers' 14, 40-26.

The Pack continued to roll along in the third quarter getting an additional 22 as the Tigers got 12. Washington put through 31 points in the last frame for the final tally.

JV—Washington 51, Williamston 38

VARSITY GAME	
Williamston	1
Biggs	24
Purvis	12
Bell	6
Wallace	6
Hodges	5
Lloyd	2
Mason	1
Brown	0
Everett	0
Williams	0
Speller	0
Totals	54
Washington	12
Williamston	14
Washington	15
Williamston	23
Washington	31
Williamston	56

Industrial Has Opening

The Industrial Basketball League of the City Recreation Department opened the 1974 season last night with three games in Division II of the league. North Carolina National Bank, Empire Brush and Union Carbide each came away with victories.

In the opening game, Union Carbide downed the Post Office, 71-53. The Batterman pushed out into a 30-24 lead in the first half of play then came back to outthrust the Post Office, 41-29, in the final half to wrap up the victory.

Tommy Roach led Union Carbide with 28 points, while Gailand Warren had 17 and Alphonga Mayo had 15. For the Post Office, Thomas Perkins had 18 and Frank Ligon had 15.

It took an overtime for the Empire Brush to down Pitt Memorial Hospital by 79-71 in the second game. Empire Brush rushed out to a 43-28 lead in the first half and appeared heading for sure victory. But in the second half, Pitt Memorial came back with a 40-25 advantage, tying the game at the end of regulation, 68-68. But in the overtime, Empire Brush, picked up 11 points while the Hospital got only three.

Bobby Parker led the Brushmen with 27 points, while Edward Coburn had 19, James Parker had 17 and Doug Nichols had 11. For Pitt Memorial, Dan Edwards had 29, Clarence Taft had 14 and Cecil Edwards and Bobbie Wooten each had 11.

In the final game, NCNB took a 42-40 win over Wachovia. NCNB inched out into a 25-17 lead in the first half of play, but had to hold off a Wachovia second half rally. Wachovia outthrust NCNB, 18-17, but it didn't quite close the gap.

Leon Johnson led NCNB with 10, while Bill Baggett had 12 for Wachovia.

Erving Sparks Nets To Win

NEW YORK (AP) — Carolina Coach Larry Brown feels no one player was responsible for his team's American Basketball Association loss to New York. But one Nets player, Julius Erving, was responsible for his team's victory.

Erving, despite hitting only nine field goals in 23 attempts for the game, made a clutch steal and basket in the closing moments, lifting the Nets to a 99-96 victory over the Cougars Wednesday night.

"I don't believe one ballplayer lost it for us," Brown said. "We just died in the final minutes."

Erving, who led the Nets with 23 points, missed eight consecutive shots during a second-half stretch in which the Cougars trimmed a 15-point New

York lead to 95-94 on Ted McClain's jump shot.

Erving then stole the ball from Ed Manning and tipped in Brian Taylor's shot to give the Nets a three-point edge. McClain then narrowed the gap by making two free throws, but Taylor restored New York's advantage and locked up the victory one pair of free throws.

New York Coach Kevin Loughery was pleased his players ended a three-game losing streak but wasn't overjoyed with their performance.

"The team seems to be getting lazy and not aggressive enough," Loughery said. "They seem to be looking for Erving too much. There's not enough movement of the ball and not enough movement of bodies. I'm pleased with the victory but not with the way we won it."

Larry Kenon added 22 points for the Nets and Billy Paultz had 18. Tom Owens led the Cougars with 18 and McClain scored 16.

N. Pitt wins...

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three-point play with :29 left, it did all but finish off the Jaguars. Joyner scored on a fast break but time showed no mercy and left the gym leaving the Panthers victorious.

Both teams pulled down equal numbers of rebounds, 25. Farmville Central took the first, half, 14-13 and North Pitt the second, 12-9.

Perkins led the scoring with 14 and Lewis had 12. Johnson scored 13 for the Jaguars and Cobb had 10.

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RALEIGH (AP) — (NCDA) — North Carolina egg markets Wednesday: Supplies adequate, demand good.

Weighted average prices for small lot sales of consumer grade eggs in cartons delivered nearby outlets: Grade A large white 79.73, medium whites 77.72, small whites 71.43

Hogs

RALEIGH (AP)—(NCDA) — North Carolina hogs were steady to 75 cent lower today. Tops of 41.00-42.00 in Kinston, Benson and Lumberton; 39.25-41.25 Wilson and High Falls; 40.50-41.00 Rocky Mount; 39.50-40.00 Tarboro and Bethel; 39.00-40.00 Siler City and Denton; 40.00 Salisbury.

Poultry

RALEIGH (AP)—(NCDA) — North Carolina hens: Market unsettled on heavy type. Supplies fully adequate. Demand fair. Too few sources reporting to release prices.

North Carolina f.o.b. dock broilers: Market unsettled to weaker. Supplies fully adequate, demand only fair. Dock weights trending heavy. Dock weighted average price unsettled at this time.

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock market prices shot upward today in the wake of the Federal Reserve Board's decision to reduce the amount of cash investors must put up to buy stocks on credit.

The Dow Jones industrial average, which had gained more than 20 points in the first half-hour, was up 15.45 to 870.77 at 11:30 a.m.

Advances overpowered declines by about 14 to 1 in lively trading on the New York Stock Exchange.

The broad-based NYSE composite index was up 1.00 to 52.98 at 11 a.m., while the market-value index on the American Stock Exchange was up 1.92 to 92.94.

Analysts said the main impetus for the rally came from the Fed's move to lower the minimum cash down payment for purchasing stock from 65 to 50 per cent of the total price.

Stock exchanges, brokerage houses, and other securities organizations are free, however, to impose stricter limits on the down payment or "margin" if they wish.

Among the stocks on the rebound were oils, which analysts said were benefiting from recent price boosts allowed by the government.

Gulf Oil, the Big Board's volume leader, was up 1/4 to 24 3/4. Standard of California gained 1 1/4 to 36 1/4. Exxon was up 2 1/4 to 98 1/2. Royal Dutch Petroleum added 1 1/4 to 35. Standard of Indiana rose 4 to 109, and Texaco climbed 1 1/4 to 30 1/4.

Kennecott Copper, which has been advancing because of recent interest in its coal holdings, was up 3 1/4 to 49 1/4.

Railroads also were stronger, in the wake of President Nixon's signing of the Northeast rail bill. Penn Central added 1/2 to 4 1/2, and Illinois Central Industries was up 1 to 23 1/4.

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

Burroughs	205
United Telecom Pfd.	21 1/2
Heublein	49 1/2
Jeff Pilot	38 1/4
Trisouth	25 1/4
Wickes	14 1/4
Wachovia Realty	18 1/4
Eckerd	13 1/4
CentralSoya	36 1/2
Hardes	7 1/2
Integon	8 1/4
Fieldcrest	15
HatterasIncome	18 1/2

OVER THE COUNTERS

Combined Insurance	9 9/16
FranklinLife	26 20/32
NCNB	39 1/2-40 1/2
PiedmontAir	4 1/2-5
LittleMint	1 1/4-3/4
ConnerHomes	1 1/4-3/4
GuardianCare	3 1/2
PlantersNationalBank	25 1/2-26
DaniellInternationalCorp.	45 1/2-46 1/2

CHECKUP

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High	Low	Last
Alkoma	19 1/2	19 1/2
AllisChal	9 1/4	9 1/4
Alcoa	74 1/4	74 1/4
AmAirlin	9 1/2	9 1/2
AmBos	24 1/2	24 1/2
AmCan	27 1/2	27 1/2
AmCyan	21 1/2	20 3/4
AmMotors	8 1/2	8 1/2
AmT&T	51 1/4	50 3/4
BabcoW	37 1/4	36 3/4
Beat Fd	21 1/4	21 1/4
Beth St	34	33 1/2
Boeing	12 1/4	12 1/2
Borden	22 1/4	22 1/4
Burl Ind	21	20 1/2
CaroPw	22 1/4	21 3/4
Celanese	29 1/2	29
Chmpint	17 1/2	17 1/2
ChesCh	62 1/2	62 1/2
Chrysler	15 1/2	15 1/2
CocaCol	125 1/2	125 1/2
ComEd	29	29
ConCan	21 1/4	21 1/4
Delta Air	40 1/4	40 1/4
DowChem	58	58
DukePower	19 1/4	19 1/4
duPont	164	164
Esakod	116 1/4	116 1/4
EsAirLin	6 1/2	6 1/2
Esmark	25 1/2	25 1/2
Exxon	99 1/4	99 1/4
Firestone	14 1/4	14 1/4
FisPow	22 1/2	28 1/2

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Obituaries

Biggs

Mr. George J. Biggs, 77, resident of 1209 Cotanche St., died in Pitt Memorial Hospital Wednesday.

Funeral services will be conducted at 3:30 Saturday afternoon at the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel by Captain Al Smith of the Salvation Army Post. Burial will be in Greenville Cemetery.

Mr. Biggs was a native of Chowan County and had lived in Greenville most of his life. He was employed as an electrician until his retirement due to ill health. He was a member of the Salvation Army Post and a veteran of World War One.

Surviving are five sons, Thomas Biggs of Wilmington, Sam Biggs of Burgaw, George Biggs Jr. of New Brunswick, N.J., Kenneth M. Biggs of Greenville and Jerry D. Biggs of the U.S. Army, now stationed in Texas; two daughters, Mrs. Ward Hartman of Cincinnati, Ohio and Mrs. Tom Chapman of Wellington, Ohio; 28 grandchildren; five great grandchildren; and a sister Mrs. Mattie Morgan of Edenton.

Bunn

Funeral services for Mr. Charlie Bunn will be conducted Friday at 2:30 p.m. at Phillips Brothers Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Leroy Adams officiating. Burial will follow in the Brown Hill Cemetery.

Born in Pitt County, he lived here most of his life. He was employed by College View Cleaners.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Elsie Bunn of the home; two sons, Charlie and Billy Bunn; one daughter, Mrs. Jean Lowe of New York, N.Y.; three grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Ella Turner; two brothers, John Henry Bunn and Robert Bunn, all of the Pitt County area.

The body will be on view at Phillips Brothers Mortuary tonight.

Dixon

Mrs. Hannah Thompson Dixon of Rt. 1, Grimesland died Wednesday at 9:15 p.m. in Pitt Memorial Hospital. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at Flanagan and Parker Funeral Home.

May

Mr. George May of 106 W. Sixteenth Street died Sunday night in the Greenville Nursing Center.

Burial services were held

today at 2 o'clock in the Pitt Cemetery.

Surviving him are two sons, George May Jr. of New Jersey and Timothy May of Greenville; two brothers, West May Jr. of New Bern and Rufus May of Greenville; and a sister, Miss Nora May of Brooklyn, N.Y.

McLawnhorn

AYDEN—Sgt. First Class Bennie R. McLawnhorn, 33, died Saturday in Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D.C. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 4 p.m. at Farmer Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Raymond Gaskins officiating. A second service will be held Sunday at 2:30 p.m. at Dunbar Funeral Home in Columbia, S.C. Burial will follow in Waycross, Ga., Monday at 2:30 p.m.

A native of Pitt County, Mr. McLawnhorn attended the Pitt County Schools and had served in the Armed Forces for 15 years.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Dell McLawnhorn; two sons, Bobby Bland of Hopkinsville, Ky. and Scott McLawnhorn of the home; one daughter, Tina McLawnhorn of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McLawnhorn of Rt. 1, Grifton; two brothers, Buddy McLawnhorn of Ayden and Ronnie McLawnhorn of Greenville; two sisters, Mrs. Jean Bland of Grifton and Mrs. Joyce Purser of Ayden.

Mobley

Eva Mobley of Winterville died Saturday in Pitt Memorial Hospital. Funeral services will be held Friday at 3:30 p.m. at Saint Rest Holy Church, Winterville, with her pastor, the Rev. W. C. Elliott officiating. Interment will follow in the Winterville Cemetery.

She was the daughter of Mrs. Classie Henderson Mobley Richardson and late Mr. Charlie Mobley. She was born in Winterville and spent most of her life in that community. She was a member of Saint Rest Holy Church.

Surviving in addition to her mother, are three daughters, Cynthia Faye and Linda Kaye Mobley, both of the home and Bernestine Best of Greenville; two sons, Dennis Earl Mobley of the home and Pvt. Carlton G. Mobley of Ft. Riley, Kans.; five sisters, Mrs. Pauline M. Boyd of Rt. 1, Winterville, Mrs. Mamie Louise Carmon, Mrs. Sarah Jane Payton, Mrs. Shirley Pearl Payton, and Miss Clementine

Mobley, all of New Haven, Conn.; four brothers, Charlie Jr., and Rufus Earl Mobley, both of Winterville, Marvin Earl and Tarlon Ray Mobley, both of Newport News, Va.

The body will be at the Norcott and Company Downtown Chapel after 6 p.m. today until taken to the church one hour prior to the funeral.

Family visitation will be held at the chapel tonight from 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Payton

Mr. Chester Payton, formerly of Pitt County, died suddenly Monday at his home, 852 21st Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. Funeral services will be conducted Saturday at 11 a.m. at Berean Baptist Church, Madison Street, N.W., Washington.

Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Alberta Payton of the home; two sisters, Mrs. Clara P. Williams of Washington, D.C. and Mrs. Louise Atkinson of Rt. 1, Grifton.

The body will be at the John Rymes Funeral Homes, 12th St., and Rhode Island Avenue, Washington.

Tucker

BROOKLYN, N.Y.—Mrs. Henrietta Gray Tucker, daughter of the late Spellman and Magnolia Gray, died in Brooklyn, on Jan. 1. Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Friday at the Concord Baptist Church with her pastor, the Rev. G. Taylor officiating.

Surviving are six grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Annie Streeter of Greenville, N.C., Mrs. Eva Thigpen of Rocky Mount, N.C., and Mrs. Lucille Johnston of Brooklyn; two brothers, Charlie Gray of Greenville, N.C., and Raymond Gray of Baltimore, Md.

The family will be at the home of Mrs. Lucille Johnston, 60 Clarkson Ave., Apt. 1-L, Brooklyn.

Sees Action Auxiliary Offering On Land Use Courses In Boating

RALEIGH (AP)—Sen. William W. Stator, D-Lee, says he expects a joint Senate-House subcommittee to "take some positive action" at a meeting this afternoon on coastal area land-use legislation.

Stator, chairman of the Senate Committee on Natural and Economic Resources, said the subcommittee is completely revising the coastal measure as well as a mountain area land use bill.

Stator said both measures would enhance the development of land in the mountain and coastal areas and would establish a plan "so that it would be an orderly process."

The legislation has been endorsed by Gov. Jim Holshouser. "We're trying to give local governments the opportunity to plan for land use in their areas," Stator explained.

The Greenville Flotilla of the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary announced that for the second year it is offering a tuition-free course in safe boating and seamanship for the public.

Subjects to be covered in the 12-lesson course include maneuvering, knots, aids to navigation, charts and compass, rules of the road, legal requirements, weather, radio telephone, marine engines, and safe sailboat and motorboat operation.

A certificate of completion will be awarded on the basis of a final examination, it was pointed out.

The Auxiliary reported that the completion of the course is the primary requirement for membership in the organization. Classes will meet at Pitt Technical Institute on Tuesday from 7 to 9 p.m. with registration on the evening of Jan. 8.

Persons needing further information on the course or concerning joining the Auxiliary should contact Lloyd Huggins, public education officer, at 756-3130 or 746-6173.

Shop Robbed After Break-In

A number of pairs of slacks were reported taken from The Slack Shop at 509 Dickinson Ave. early last night following a break-in.

Chief Glenn Cannon said the merchandise was taken from the store after robbers forced their way into the shop about 7:30 p.m.

Investigation of the incident is under way.

Woman's Club Board To Meet

The executive board of the Greenville Woman's Club will meet Friday at 1:30 p.m. at the church building due to the energy crisis.

Following the board meeting, the general meeting of the Woman's Club will be held at 2:45 p.m. Winners of the Creative Writing Contest will give the program for the meeting.

Find Marijuana In House Raid

Jerry Curry Vara, 26, of 411 West Fourth St. was charged with possession of marijuana early this morning following a raid of Vara's residence, according to Police Chief Glenn Cannon.

Chief Cannon said officers found a quantity of marijuana in Vara's home during a search of the dwelling.

WILL RUN AGAIN

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. J. W. Fulbright, D-Ark., announced on Wednesday he will seek a sixth term next fall.

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